

## Yahrzeits this week

June 6 – 14 Sivan  
Judge Martin C.  
Ashman

Lillian Bass  
Norma Selikoff  
Brown

Bessie Cohen  
Robert S. Dick  
Edna Harrison  
Paul D. Kagen  
Mignon Kaplan  
Louis Klein  
Eilene S.

Meyerhoff  
Sidney Rebarber  
Margrit Reich  
Ernest Smolen  
Mickey Weiner

June 7 – 15 Sivan  
Jeanne Burnstein  
Milton Festenstein  
Rhoda Hammer  
Milton Kane  
Sarah Kaplan  
Joseph Koehler  
Isadore Metrick  
Halina "Holly"

Rosenberg  
Anne Schulman

June 8 – 16 Sivan  
Ethel Bubman  
Max Frank

Queenie Havers  
Alan Ivan Kessie  
Rose Lehrfeld  
Selma Miller  
Maurice Mussman  
Bernard

Schoeneman  
Aaron Singer  
Blanche Slav  
Marilyn Taksin  
Samuel Wenet  
Hannah Wenig  
Abner West

June 9 – 17 Sivan  
Ronald Abrahams  
Jason Bellows  
Dr. Harry Bregar  
Evelyn Mages  
Gerald Harvey  
Pryweller  
Maurice Sabin  
Morris Sisser  
Frances Stern  
Jason Sylvan  
Rick Teper  
Rose Tipp  
Allie Worssek

June 10 – 18 Sivan  
Edward  
Berkowsky  
Miriam Schwartz  
Coyne

Ben Hammerman  
Edith Rose  
Louis Shenk

June 11 – 19 Sivan  
Rose Epstein  
Marshall Graff  
Harry Marcowitz  
James Paley  
Saul Pearl  
David  
Rosenmutter  
Miriam  
Rosenzweig

June 12 – 20 Sivan  
Anne Bitran  
Norman Edelstein  
Harry Isadore  
Fraelick  
Albert Goldman  
Alice Musick  
Ruth Rapoport  
Sylvia Rosett  
Oscar Rudich  
Barbara Sak  
Abraham Jacob  
Shapiro  
Dorothy Shulman  
Erwin Waldman  
Jacob Weisman

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Shabbat  
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### Shabbat Shalom and Welcome to Congregation Beth Shalom!

We seek to enrich the lives of our congregation through ever-evolving ideals of observance, life-long learning, and acts of kindness from this generation to the next. We are committed to meeting the spiritual, educational and social needs of our members through the practice of Conservative Judaism in an all-inclusive manner. We seek to encourage involvement and create a sense of belonging by serving our community, the Jewish people, and the State of Israel.

We hope you enjoy worshiping with us. Following services, please join us for kiddush luncheon and introduce yourself so we may personally greet you.

**Rabbi Aaron Melman • Cantor Steven Stoehr**

**Rabbi Warner Ferratier • Cantor Raquel P. Gershon, Ritual Director**

**Tanya Solomon, President • Rabbi Carl Wolkin, Emeritus**

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If you are interested in being a part of our community, please contact Michael Garlin, Executive Director.



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## Mark Your Calendars

### Thought to Ponder:

Our tradition's oldest "blessing", the birkat Kohanim, comes from this week's parasha. We are taught that anyone can bestow blessings upon another human being, not just rabbis. To whom would you like to offer a blessing? And what blessing would you offer them?

### Schedule of Online Daily Minyanim

Sunday & secular holidays @ 8:45 AM  
Monday - Friday @ 6:45 AM  
Sunday-Thursday @ 7:45 PM

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## This Week's Parashah

God instructs Moses to count all males from thirty to fifty years of age who belong to the Gershonite and Merarite clans of the Levites, and to give each of these families specific duties connected to assembling, disassembling, and transporting the Tabernacle. The Torah portion then turns to the subject of impurity and the circumstances that cause one's removal (for a time) from the congregation of Israel. After discussing the financial consequences of wronging another person, the Torah addresses the issue of adultery. The Torah portion continues with the rules for becoming a "Nazir." By taking a vow of abstinence, the Nazirite was prohibited from drinking wine or alcohol, from cutting his or her hair, and from coming into contact with the dead. At the end of their vow period, Nazirites were to bring a special offering to the Tent of Meeting, which the priest would offer as a sacrifice. God tells Moses to teach Aaron a special three-fold blessing to use when blessing the people of Israel: "May the Lord bless you and protect you. May the Lord illuminate His countenance for you and be gracious to you. May the Lord lift His countenance to you and establish peace for you." These familiar words remain a part of our liturgy and form part of the blessing, traditionally bestowed by parents upon their children each Friday night and by our clergy upon our B'nai Mitzvah.

## Today's Haftarah

The Haftarah comes from the Book of Judges. This selection details the beginning of Samson's life. A barren woman is visited by an Angel of God. The angel tells her that she will soon give birth to a boy who will help save the Jewish people from the Philistines. The woman is not to drink any alcoholic beverages or to eat any unclean food because her son, Samson, is going to be a Nazirite. Usually, one took the Nazirite vow upon oneself, however, Samson is destined to be a life-long Nazirite because of God's special plan for him. After Samson is born, he is prohibited from cutting his hair, consuming alcohol, or having contact with the dead, as this week's Torah portion directs. The connection between this week's Torah reading and Haftarah is a fairly clear one. The Torah portion provides the set of rules by which Nazirites were to have abided. The Haftarah tells the story of one of the most well-known Nazirites in our tradition: Samson.

## Congregational Gifts for S'machot

B'nai Mitzvah receive gifts from the congregation, Sisterhood, Men's Club, JUF, the Youth Commission and Rochelle Zell Jewish High School.

Gifts presented to those celebrating aufrufs and babynamings are provided by the Zaransky Family Ticktin Jewish Community Memorial Fund.

## Synagogue Etiquette

*In keeping with the spirit of Shabbat and to respect your fellow worshipers, please refrain from taking photographs, smoking and writing. If you must be accessible, please set your phone on silent. Please do not use your cell phone anywhere inside the building.*

**If you have any questions, please see one of our volunteer Shabbat Ambassadors or Greeters.**

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