

Yahrzeits this week

Sept 5 - 16 Elul

Joan Agin
Sylvia Becker
Larry Dobkin
Dr. Norman
Glazier
Zelda Goldrosen
Freida Kupferberg
Betty Lesnoy
Bessie Rosenstein
Lynne Safron
Morris Schoichet
Isadore Soll
Sylvia Stone
Harold Treguboff

Sept 6 - 17 Elul

Anne Bandalin
Henrietta Baren
Murray Rosenberg
Fanny Rose
Samuelson
Bernice Siegan
Mildred Unger
Lester Weinstein
David Wilker

Sept 7 - 18 Elul

Maryon Apple
Shirley Baime
Eva Butcher
Sylvia Davidov

Michael Festen
Deborah Fox
Max Marcowitz
Meta Menn
Bertha Millman
Tillie Rubin
Marvin Teplinsky
David Weinstein
Arnold Wisper

Sept 8 - 19 Elul

Edward Baer
Abe Blue
Earl Boiko
Anuita Kantor
Adolph
Katzenstein
Betty Kaufman
William Bill Krefetz
Morton Lew
Meyer William
Orkin
Samuel Ravin
Joseph Rosengard
Itzak Leib Wald

Sept 9 - 20 Elul

Donald Fisher
Pearl Handler
Dr. Jacob Louis
Levin
Samuel Lewis

Daniel Lichtman
Adrienne Padnick
Henry Posner
Annette Schneider
Samuel Slotky
Edith Wolinsky

Sept 10 - 21 Elul

Larry Berkowitz
Abe Bragman
Judy Burnett
Nathan Chizever
Riva Meczyk
Mae Prince
Diane Shapiro
Kenneth Solomon
Irving Winokur

Sept 11 - 22 Elul

Max Africk
Shirley Fredson
Miguel Gesklin
Jordan Listick
Harold Rothschild
Gilmore Shapiro
Ida Wolff
Earl Zik

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Shabbat

Ki Tavo

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

Shabbat Shalom (virtually)!

Mazal Tov to our B'nai Mitzvah
Sarah, daughter of Dr. Amy & David Goldberg
Yael, daughter of Simone & David Toubes

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If you are interested in being a part of our community, please contact Susan Karlinsky, Interim Executive Director.



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Mark Your Calendars

Thought to Ponder:

In this parasha, the people have to give verbal assent to each item by saying “Amen.” We don’t even think about what Amen means, but say it by rote. What is one example of a statement which truly deserves an “Amen” after it?

Schedule of Online

Daily Minyanim

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

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This Week’s Parashah

After the Israelites settle the Land, they are to bring their first fruits to offer as a sacrifice. The offering is to be accompanied by a declaration that briefly reviews the origins and history of the Jewish people. Moses instructs the Israelites about tithing: a person’s tithe consists of one-tenth of the harvest. This tithe is divided and distributed among the Levites, the strangers, the orphaned, and the widowed. Upon crossing the Jordan, the people are to set up 12 stones on Mount Ebal. The stones are to be covered with plaster and inscribed with “every word of this Torah.” Ki Tavo concludes with a series of blessings and curses. The tribes are to be divided into two groups: Simeon, Levi, Judah, Issachar, Joseph, and Benjamin will stand on Mt. Gerizim as each blessing is recited by the Levites, while the Reuben, Gad, Asher, Zevulun, Dan, and Naphtali tribes stand on Mt. Ebal. The curses stated in Deut. 27:16-26 are unique in that they address deeds that are difficult to uncover; they are often committed in secret. After each of these curses is recited, all the people respond with “Amen.” The word “Amen” is related to “emunah” (faith) and comes from the Hebrew root meaning “firm.” By saying “Amen,” the people indicate their assent to the curses for these sins, and in a sense, making an oath to avoid them.

Today’s Haftarah

Isaiah’s vision of Jerusalem provides encouragement to the Jewish people in exile. He speaks of a time when God’s light will shine on the holy city and the Jews will come streaming back to it. This will be a time of peace, says Isaiah: “No more shall the noise of violence be heard in your land, desolation and destruction within your borders.” The Haftarah is a counterweight to the bitter catalogue of threats and curses which are found at the end of the Torah portion. This is the sixth of the Haftarot of Consolation chanted between Tisha B’Av and Rosh Hashanah. Nearly seven weeks ago we mourned the destruction of Zion on Tisha B’Av. Isaiah’s vision of a restored land is a call for the people to arise from their sorrowful state.

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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