

## We Remember

### Sep 13-20 Elul

Donald Fisher  
Pearl Handler  
Dr. Jacob Louis Levin  
Samuel Lewis  
Daniel Lichtman  
Adrienne Padnick  
Henry Posner  
Annette Schneider  
Samuel Slotky  
Edith Wolinsky  
Touran Yashar

### Sep 14-21 Elul

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

### Sep 15-22 Elul

Max Africk  
Shirley Fredson  
Jordan Listick  
Harold Rothschild  
Gilmore Shapiro  
Carla Warsaw  
Earl Zik

### Sep 16-23 Elul

Rosalie Altshul  
Ruth Bochner

Martin Boyansky  
Norman Burnett  
Julius George Chason  
Sylvia Chotiner  
Sam Drate  
Louis Dubofsky  
William Edelstein  
Phyllis Emanuel  
Phillip Epstein  
Sophie Geller  
Lori K. Greenberg  
Stuart Horwitz  
Theodore Janowitz  
Caron Knopoff  
Louis Lazare  
Zella Edidin Ludwig  
Irving Marks  
Robert Pinzur  
Martin Reicher  
Dora Weinberg  
Shirley Worsak  
Arlene Friedman  
Zeman

### Sep 17-24 Elul

Monte Ageloff  
Lillian Berman  
Janice Blum  
Kate Corey  
Louis Greenberg  
Phyllis Helfand  
Max Korn  
Nathan Lake  
Sam Lasky  
Daniel Leonard Levy  
Arthur Mawrence

Nettie Neumann  
Eva Selin  
Michael Silverman  
William Singer  
Irving Spitzner

### Sep 18-25 Elul

Max Adler  
Gerald Dunitz  
Gerald Freeman  
Lionel Gilbert  
Irving Grad  
Arthur L Hess  
Esther Kreiter  
Howard Krivit  
Mildred Serafin  
Sadie Shaffer  
Ruth Siegle  
Morris Sokol

### Sep 19-26 Elul

Edward Bloom  
Corey Davidove  
Roselle Goldberg  
Charles Goldman  
Phillip Greenberg  
Betty Hamilton  
Goldie Holleb  
Amelia Kane  
Barry Lepp  
Morris Levy  
Doris Ordan  
Betty Rosengard  
Nathan Sostrin  
Dorothy Sugar  
Mary Weinstein

September 13, 2025  
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Shabbat -  
Ki Tavo

## 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.

**Senior Rabbi David Chapman • Senior Cantor Steven Stoehr • Assistant Rabbi Jacki Honig**  
**Sue Lampert, President • Rabbi Emeritus Carl Wolkin z'l**



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



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Schedule of Services

In-Person & Live Stream,  
Sunday & Major Holidays @ 8:45 AM  
Monday-Friday @ 7:45 AM  
Sunday-Thursday @ 7:45 PM  
CBS has daily in-person Minyanim.  
Please take an active role in our  
community by helping us make  
Minyan every morning & evening.

Thought to Ponder:  
If you moved to a new  
place, what would you  
offer to God in gratitude?

Acknowledgements

The Kiddush is hosted by: The  
Congregation, Sisterhood and the Laven  
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Mark Your Calendars

- Sep 13
- Selichot Service and Plaque  
Dedication
- Sep 14
- First Lady of Television  
Theater Outing
- Sep 17
- Sisterhood Opening Dinner
- Sep 19
- FYC Shabbat Experience
- Sep 21
- Sisterhood Challah and Marble  
Cake pick up
- Sep 22
- Erev Rosh Hashanah, CBS  
Office closes at noon
- Sep 23-24
- Rosh Hashanah, CBS Main  
Office Closed
- Sep 28
- Men’s Club Sukkah Building
- Sep 28
- HUGS High Holiday service
- Oct 1
- Kol Nidre, CBS Office closes  
at noon
- Oct 2
- Yom Kippur, CBS Office  
closed

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Today’s Torah Reading

ALIYAH	CHAPTER/VERSES	READER	PAGE
1	Deuteronomy 27:11 – 28:3	Michael Ellison	1146
2	Deuteronomy 28:4-6	Noah Arons	1149
3	Deuteronomy 28:7-11	Richard Schlosberg	1149
4	Deuteronomy 28:12-14	Arlen Lasinsky	1150
5	Deuteronomy 28:15-69	Bill Shulman	1150
6	Deuteronomy 29:1-5	Harriette Leibovitz	1158
7	Deuteronomy 29:6-8	Scott Bosley	1159
MAFTIR	Deuteronomy 29:6-8	Denis Weinberg	1159
HAFTARAH	Isaiah 60:1-22	Bill Shulman	1161

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.

Parashah continued

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, make 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 that 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

B’nai Mitzvah receive gifts from the  
congregation, Sisterhood, Men’s Club,  
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Synagogue Etiquette

*In keeping with the spirit of Shabbat and to respect  
your fellow worshipers, please refrain from taking  
photographs, texting 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  
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