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Shabbat Vayetzei

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 Stochr • Assistant Rabbi Jacki Honig Sue Lampert, President • Rabbi Emeritus Carl Wolkin z'l

Mazel Tov to our Bat Mitzvah. Mackenzie, daughter of Marisa and Steven Mandrea

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:

Have you ever had a dream that has changed your life direction?

Acknowledgements

The Kiddush is hosted by: Steven and Marisa Mandrea in honor of their daughter Mackenzie becoming a Bat Mitzvah; the Congregation, Sisterhood and the Laven Family Shabbat Celebration Fund.

Mark Your Calendars

Dec 5	Birthday Shabbat Selahbrate		
Dec 6	Shabbat with a Twist		
Dec 7	Returning the Favor:A		
	Musical Hanukkah Gift		
Dec 12	Ark Adventures		
Dec 12	Anniversary Shabbat		
	Selahbrate		
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Dec 13	Ark Adventures		
Dec 14	ChanukahPalooza		
Dec 14-21	Chanukah		
Dec 24-26	CBS Main Office Closed		
Dec 31-Jan	2 CBS Main office Closed		

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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 yolunteer Shabbat Ambassadors.

We invite you to visit www.BethShalomNB.org for more information about Beth Shalom and our many events, classes and programs happening throughout the year! All CBS religious services are live streamed.

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This Week's Parashah

On his way to Haran, Jacob dreams of angels ascending and descending a ladder. God appears to Jacob and repeats the blessing given to Abraham and Isaac, and promises to protect him and return him to Canaan. When Jacob arrives in Haran, his uncle Laban takes him in. Laban has two daughters, Leah and Rachel. Jacob agrees to work for Laban seven years and then take Rachel as a wife. Laban deceives Jacob on the wedding night and substitutes Leah for Rachel. To appease Jacob's anger over the deception, Laban agrees that Rachel, too, can be Jacob's wife in exchange for an additional seven years of labor. Leah bears Jacob four sons: Reuben, Simeon, Levi and Judah. Rachel is barren, so she gives Jacob her maid Bilhah as a concubine. Bilhah bears two sons - Dan and Naphtali. Leah, in turn, gives Jacob Zilpah, her maid, as a concubine and Zilpah bears two sons, Gad and Asher. Leah then has three more children: Issachar, Zebulun, and Dinah. Finally, Rachel conceives and bears Joseph. Jacob wishes to return to Canaan, but Laban is reluctant to let him go. They agree that as his wages for 20 years of service, Jacob can take some of Laban's flock. Then, without alerting Laban, Jacob and his family flee Haran. As they leave, Rachel steals her father's idols. Laban pursues Jacob, but God warns him not to take revenge.

Today's Haftarah

The people of Israel were worshiping idols and were being influenced by other nations. Assyria was becoming very powerful and posed a threat. The prophet Hosea tells the people about their ancestor, Jacob. Although Jacob led a hard life, he loved God and looked to God to guide him. Hosea explains that the people need God's guidance to survive, as we have needed it throughout history. Even when Israel errs God retains God's love for the people. The spirit of teshuvah (repentance) is found throughout the selection. "Jacob fled into the field of Aram, and Israel searched for a wife." This opening verse of the Haftarah brings us back to the beginnings of the people Israel, Jacob's people. This week's Torah portion revolves around Jacobs story: his flight from home and the beginnings of not only the next generation but foundation of what will be the B'nai Yisrael, literally, Jacob's (whose name is later changed to Yisrael) children.