



Congregation
Beth Israel
of the
Merrimack Valley

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A spiritual oasis for the Jewish community

Welcome ~ *B'ruchim HaBa'im*

Shabbat Shalom! שַׁבַּת שְׁלוֹם!

June 26 ~ 27, 2020 / 5 Tammuz 5780

Parashat Korach

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If you are new to our Synagogue, please introduce yourself to Rabbi Mandell and others in the community so that we may personally welcome you. We hope you will return many times to share the joys of Shabbat, holidays and festivals, and special occasions with our *kehillah kedoshah*, our holy community.

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ORDER OF SERVICE

INTRODUCTORY pg. 61 ~ *Birkhot Ha-Shachar* (The blessing of morning's light) - We begin the daily morning service by reciting blessings praising God for the gift of a new day. We thank God for the miracles of daily life such as opening our eyes and putting on clothing.

P'SUKEI D'ZIMRA pg. 83 ~ (Passages of Song) - Proper concentration is required for the recitation of the *Shacharit* (morning) service, the core of the daily service. We prepare for this important part of the service by reciting the praises of God found in the Book of Psalms.

SHACHARIT pg. 105 ~ (Morning Service) - This core unit of the service consists of two parts. The first is the recitation of the *Shema*, Judaism's core principle found in Deuteronomy 6:4 declaring the uniqueness of God and our commandment to love God with all of our heart. The second part is the *Amidah* (the standing prayer) so titled because the rabbis imagined a servant coming before a master while standing and bowing. There are three sections - praise, sanctification of the day, and thanksgiving.

HALLEL pg. 133 ~ Recited on various holidays and occasions, including, but not limited to, each *Rosh Chodesh* and the 3 Pilgrimage Holidays.

TORAH SERVICE pg. 139 ~ Each Shabbat, a portion of the Torah (Five Books of Moses) is read. Reading the Torah in public is seen as a reenactment of the revelation at Mount Sinai. The Torah is removed from the Ark with verses of praise. On Shabbat, the reading is broken into seven sections, giving seven people the opportunity to be honored with an *aliyah* (going up) to the Torah. This week's reading is broken down as follows:

Parashat Korach ~ Numbers 16:1 – 17:15

Aliyah	Etz Hayim	Chapter:Verse	Reader
Rishon	860	Numbers 16:1-3	Jeff Tye
Sheni	861	16:4-7	Jeff Tye
Shlishi	861	16:8-13	Jonathan Brody
R'vi'i	862	16:14-19	Jonathan Brody
Chamishi	863	16:20-35	Elaine Winic
Shishi	865	17:1-8	Elaine Winic
Sh'vi'i	867	17:9-15	Bill Shek
Maftir	867	17:9-15	Bill Shek
Haftarah	877	I Samuel 11:14-12:22	Bill Shek

MUSAF SERVICE pg. 166 ~ (Additional) - On Shabbat and holidays, additional offerings were made in the Temple. To commemorate these additional offerings, a second *Amidah* is recited. This *Amidah* recalls the closeness our ancestors felt to God in the Temple and expresses our wish to restore this relationship (though not necessarily the animal offerings).

Yahrzeits ~ 5 – 11 Tammuz

Zichronam livrachah, May their memories be for a blessing

Goldie Altshuler	Rose Greenhouse	Maxwell H.
Norman Barnes	Lester Guest	Robinson
Marshall Baskin	Shirley Hymanson	Mabel Rosenberg
Dr. Carl Blotner	Hyman Hymes	William
Mitchell R. Caras	Louis Kaplan	Rosenberg
Fannie Carity	Celia Karl	Ida Konikoff
Harry Fischer	Avraham (Tom)	Rosengard
Sarah Franks	Kent	Sidney Sanft
Samuel Garnick	Morris Kogos	Hidy Silverblatt
David Gladstone	Pearl R. Levine	Joseph Sodnowsky
Morris Harry	Michael George	Israel V. Spindler
Goldberg	Macklin	Mollie Fischer
Charles Goldman	Russell Scott	Stoler
Simon E. Goldman	Macklin	Annie Stoloff
Charles Goldstein	Jack Makovsky	Bessie Vineglass
Rebecca Green	Hyman Rappaport	Sylvia Ginns Yaffa
Martha Greenberg		

MI SHEBEIRACH (Prayer for Healing)

Music by Debbie Friedman z"l / Lyrics by Debbie Friedman z"l and D'rorah Setel

מִי שֶׁבֵּירַח אֲבוֹתֵינוּ

Mi she-bei-rach a-vo-tei-nu

מְקוֹר הַבְּרָכָה לְאֲמוֹתֵינוּ

M'kor ha-bra-cha l'i-mo-tei-nu

May the Source of Strength, Who blessed the ones before us
Help us find the courage to make our lives a blessing
And let us say: Amen.

מִי שֶׁבֵּירַח אֲמוֹתֵינוּ

Mi she-bei-rach i-mo-tei-nu

מְקוֹר הַבְּרָכָה לְאֲבוֹתֵינוּ

M'kor ha-bra-cha l'a-vo-tei-nu

Bless those in need of healing with r'fu-a sh'lei-ma
The renewal of body, the renewal of spirit
And let us say: Amen.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, 6/26

Shabbat Chai @7:30pm
Candle lighting @8:08pm

Saturday, 6/27

Shabbat Morning
Service @9:30am
Havdalah @9:16pm

Sunday, 6/28

LGBTQ Pride Parade,
Andover @12pm

Monday, 6/29

Annual Meeting @7pm

Thursday, 7/2

Thursday Night Minyan
@6:30pm, followed by Rabbi
Mandell's Teaching @7pm

Friday, 7/3

Candle lighting @8:07pm

Saturday, 7/4

Happy 4th of July!
Shabbat Morning
Services @9:30am
Havdalah @9:07pm

Wednesday, 7/8

Strategic Planning Committee
Meeting @7pm

Thursday, 7/9

Tzom Tammuz
17th of Tammuz, Day Fast

Friday, 7/10

Candle Lighting @8:04pm

Saturday, 7/11

Shabbat Morning
Services @9:30am
Havdalah @9:04pm

Sunday, 7/12

Sunday Night Social @7:30pm

Monday, 7/13

Board of Directors @7pm

Wednesday, 7/15

CBI Blood Drive

Thursday, 7/16

Thursday Night Minyan
@6:30pm

Friday, 7/17

Candle lighting @8:00pm

Saturday, 7/18

Shabbat Morning
Services @9:30am
Havdalah @8:59pm

Wednesday, 7/22

Rosh Chodesh Av

Friday, 7/24

Bulletin Items are Due
Candle lighting @7:54pm

Saturday, 7/25

Shabbat Morning
Services @9:30am
Shabbat Chazon
Havdalah @8:53pm

Wednesday, 7/29

Erev Tish'a B'Av
Joint Program with Temple
Emanu-El, Haverhill

Thursday, 7/30

Tish'a B'Av
Thursday Night Minyan
@6:30pm

Friday, 7/31

Candle lighting @7:47

