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TEVET-SHEVAT 5783

Happy New Year



Shabbat Sheni
January 13, 2023

The
Word

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**Rabbi Cookies-
Courtesy of our
students at the
Chanukah
Cookie Making
December 18,
2022**



Tequila and Taters



SHABBAT SHENI

Gimmel & Dalet students will be leading services

Friday, January 13th

Pasta & Salad Bar

**Dinner at 5:45pm
Services at 6:30pm**

**\$12 per adult
\$5 per kids (2-13 years old)
FREE under 2**

Ice Cream Oneg Following services

RSVP by January 11th



RSVP for Shabbat Sheni

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CALENDAR

Programming

Jan. 13 [Shabbat Sheni](#)
Jan. 21 [Young Family Bye Bye Shabbat](#)
Jan. 29 [Chicago Wolves Game Outing](#)
Jan. 29 [The Abraham Accords](#)

Adult Education

[Our regular weekday and Shabbat classes continue to meet – see adult ed section for details](#)

Volunteers & Items Needed

[Bags Needed for Food Pantries](#)

[PADS Volunteers Needed](#)

Be Sure To Check Out All The
Photos of Our Events:

[“Rabbi Cookies”](#)

[Tequila & Taters](#)

[Sisterhood Events](#)

“Beth Judea Community News”

A Hearty Mazel Tov to all our
B’nei Mitzvah Families

from your Beth Judea Family.

Sisterhood

Jan. 5 [Sisterhood Book Club](#)
Jan. 19 [Sisterhood Challah Bake](#)
Feb. 2 [Self Defense Class](#)

Men’s Club

Jan. 14 & 15 [Men’s Club Retreat](#)

Religious School

Watch for your Religious School updates from
Cantor Bat-Sarah in your emails.

Youth

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUTH

View our calendar online at
<http://tinyurl.com/BJUSYCalendar>

Meetings

Please check website

Please contact Lisa Neiman at
lneman@bethjudea.org or 847-634-0777 if
you need any special accommodations,
including transportation, to participate in our
program.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES
Shabbat Prayers

January 6, 2023– 6:30 pm

Those who celebrate birthdays and anniversaries during the
month of January will be recognized at our service on January
6th. See your weekly email or our website for service times.

Children of every age are welcome!

Reminders

Tu B'Shvat

2023

Begins in the evening of

Sunday
February 5, 2023



and ends in the evening of

Monday
February 6, 2023

IMPORTANT DATES IN JEWISH HISTORY

JAN 3, 2023 FAST of the 10th of TEVET

FEB. 5, 2023 TU B'SHEVAT BEGINS AT SUNSET

FEB. 6, 2023 TU B'SHEVAT ENDS AT SUNDOWN

ROSH CHODESH

JAN. 23, 2023 ROSH CHODESH

FEB. 21, 2023 ROSH CHODESH 1

FEB. 22, 2023 ROSH CHODESH 2

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES AT BETH JUDEA

January 13	Shabbat Sheni
January 13	Gimel/Dalet Shabbat
January 15	Men's Club Wellness Program
January 19	Sisterhood Challah Bake Event
January 21	Bye Bye Shabbat – Young Family Program
January 29	Chicago Wolves Game
January 29	The Abraham Accords with Dan Feferman
February 2	Sisterhood Self Defense Class
February 3	CBJ Young Family Why Not Shabbat
February 12	World Wide Wrap

Congregation Beth Judea Mission Statement

Congregation Beth Judea is a welcoming egalitarian synagogue whose mission is to create a warm and inviting home that serves the lifelong spiritual, educational and fellowship needs of our members.

Consistent with the principals of the Conservative movement, we embrace Torah and our responsibility to serve and support the greater Jewish community, the community at large, the United States of American and the State of Israel.

B'nei Mitzvah Bios



Eli Sigal

Eli Freddy Sigal was called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on Thursday, December 29th in Israel.

Eli is a 7th grader at Woodlawn Middle School in Long Grove. He has always loved sports, particularly baseball, football, and basketball, and has played competitively since he could walk. Eli also enjoys hanging out with his friends, watching movies, and competing with his brother ateverything. While in Israel, Eli participated in a mitzvah project at Pantry Packers, where he and his family packaged food for those in need in Israel. He also sponsored a fundraising campaign to support Pantry Packers and participated with family at a food packing session here locally at Feed My Starving Children. Eli recognizes that children and families go hungry all over the world.

Eli was able to share this special day with his parents Cindi and Mike, his brother Spencer, and his grandparents, Zack & Ina Sigal, and Robbie & Jay Schonfeld. Additionally, he had extended family from all over the world able to join him. He is grateful to everyone who was able to make the trip. Eli will also read Torah in March at CBJ, to show off his Torah reading skills for those who could not make the trip to Israel.

While in Israel, Eli visited Yad Vashem and dedicated his reading of the Torah to all the boys and girls who died in the Holocaust and were not able to have their own b'nei and b'not mitzvah.

Eli and his parents would like to thank Rabbi Zimbalist, Canter Bat-Sarah, his CBJ Hebrew and Judaica teachers, and his fantastic tutor, Kim Abern, for all their support in preparing him for this exciting milestone.



Jacob Horowitz

Jacob Benjamin Horowitz will be called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, January 14, 2023. He is a 7th grade student at Aptakisic Junior High School. He has been working diligently in preparation for this day. Jacob enjoys reading, spending time exploring nature, computer games, playing the clarinet, and anything that has to do with animals. He loves caring for his dog, cat, and bearded dragon.

In preparation for this day Jacob has also volunteered at Bernie's Book Bank and is collecting books to donate. Bernie's Book Bank is an organization that is committed to solving the challenge of providing quality books to under-privileged children. They collect, process, and distribute new and gently used books to infants, toddlers, and school-age children in the Chicagoland area.

Jacob and his family would like to thank Natalie Gurin, Cantor Bat-Sarah, and Rabbi Zimbalist for their time and guidance in helping prepare for this special day.

Chicago Wolves

A promotional poster for the Chicago Wolves hockey team. The background shows a hockey rink with a goal net in the foreground. At the top, there's a banner that says "20 22 CALDER CUP CHAMPIONS" with a trophy icon. Next to it, "CHICAGO WOLVES" is written in large, bold letters. Below that, "JANUARY 29TH @ 3PM" is written in yellow. Further down, "Free Chicago Wolves Hat with every ticket" is written in white. Then, "\$26 PER TICKET" is written in large yellow letters. At the bottom, the URL "https://bit.ly/ChicagoWolves23" is displayed. In the bottom left corner is the logo for "CONGREGATION BETH AM JEWISH COMMUNITY OF BETH JERUSALEM". In the bottom right corner, there is a line of text: "Please contact Lisa Neiman at lneiman@bethjudea.org if you need any assistance to participate in this program."

20 22 CALDER CUP CHAMPIONS

CHICAGO WOLVES

JANUARY 29TH @ 3PM

Free Chicago Wolves Hat with every ticket

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<https://bit.ly/ChicagoWolves23>

CONGREGATION **BETH AM** JEWISH COMMUNITY OF BETH JERUSALEM

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The Abraham Accords with Dan Feferman

The Abraham Accords: Israel and the New Middle East

Dan Feferman

Director of Communications
and Global Affairs at Sharaka



Sunday,
January 29
12 PM CST
Via Zoom
bit.ly/israel129



Bye Bye Shabbat

CONGREGATION
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CBJ YOUNG FAMILIES

PRESENTS

**FREE
EVENT**

**Bye Bye
Shabbat**

**PJ Havdalah
DANCE
PARTY**

Includes a
**FREE
Pizza
Dinner!**

January 21st
5:45-7:15p

Come dressed in PJs

DJed by 4Sure Entertainment

RSVP requested by 1/19

tinyurl.com/CBJbyebye121

Questions or accomdations?
Contact Marc @YouthDirector@bethjudea.org

Taste of **TORAH**

FACILITATED BY ORIN ROTMAN

**"WHAT'S NEXT:
AN EXAMINATION OF SOME
JEWISH AFTER-LIFE CONCEPTS"**

**BEGINS JANUARY 18, 2023 - ON WEDNESDAYS
AT 8:00 PM (FOLLOWING MINYAN)**

THIS TASTE OF TORAH STUDY SERIES, FACILITATED BY ORIN ROTMAN, WILL LOOK AT THE CONCEPTS OF "THE WORLD TO COME", SHEOL, RESURRECTION, REINCARNATION, MOURNER'S KADDISH AND OTHER RELATED TOPICS. CLASS WILL START WITH A REVIEW OF TALMUD SANHEDRIN CHAPTER II (WHO HAS {AND DOESN'T HAVE} A PART IN THE "WORLD TO COME"?) AND BRANCH OUT TO JEWISH WRITINGS THROUGHOUT THE AGES, TO MODERN TIMES.

QUESTIONS: CONTACT ORIN ROTMAN AT
ORIN.ROTMAN@GMAIL.COM

Sisterhood



RSVP for [Challah](#) Bake



RSVP for Self [Defense](#) Class

Sisterhood Gift Shop News

When the Sisterhood Gift Shop Reopens (when Hebrew School Resumes) on January 10, the hours will change:

Tuesdays: 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Sundays: 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon

Chai Campaign

All donations will be applied to the Beautification Project.
Updates on the CBJ Lobby and Hallway

CAMPAIGN

BRINGING LIFE INTO CBJ

#GIVINGTUESDAY



<https://bit.ly/BringLifetoCBJ22>

GREAT THINGS ARE HAPPENING AT CBJ

[Click Here to Donate to CBJ's Beautification Project](#)



Refer a Friend or Family Member to join Congregation Beth Judea!



Do you...

Have a new neighbor or friend who is looking for a great Religious School for their kids?

Have a family member or friend who is moving into the area?

Have a friend who's unaffiliated and looking for a Jewish home?

Know someone who is looking for a synagogue that is warm, welcoming and accepting of wherever they are in their Jewish journey?

Spread the word about the great things happening at Congregation Beth Judea and a great thing may happen for you, in addition to having your friends and family join our congregation.

If you refer a new member to join our community at Congregation Beth Judea you will be entered into a raffle to win a **\$360 shopping spree** at our gift shop. You could use it to get your new family heirloom to help celebrate the Jewish holidays or enough Hanukkah candles to light up your entire neighborhood! Think of all the possibilities.

New members and those who refer them will also be invited and honored at a special new member Shabbat dinner in October!

Contact Lisa Neiman at lnorman@bethjudea.org for questions or assistance.

Congregation Beth Judea Religious School

Long Grove, IL

EXCITING NEWS FROM CONGREGATION BETH JUDEA!

Kinder-Club

Sundays, 9:00 a.m. – Noon

Join now for a dynamic &
engaging Jewish education!

**KINDERGARTEN TUITION
INCLUDED WITH MEMBERSHIP**

INFO@BETHJUDEA.ORG

847-634-0777



For more information please email
[Cantor Bat-Sarah](#) or [Lisa Neiman](#)
or call the synagogue office at 847-634-0777.

CBJ Young Family events are geared towards families with children in 2nd grade and younger but are open to all. Events are open to the community.

CBJ Young Family events are generously supported by the Focus on Families Fund.

For any questions or if you need special accommodations to participate in any of our programs contact Marc at youthdirector@bethjudea.org or Lisa at lneiman@bethjudea.org.



Sisterhood 2.0 Join our team!!

Dear Women of Congregation Beth Judea:

In an attempt to be more inclusive and to attract more members, CBJ Sisterhood is refreshing and rebranding to expand membership to be more attractive to a greater demographic. We want to always welcome our current members and invite them to continue enjoying our successful programs; all the while offering additional programming types, often simpler or smaller in scope, yet with perhaps more regularity. Additionally, we would like to offer a more complete and inviting social media presence to provide ease of receiving program information and registration. Finally, we would like to propose an "Ambassador Program" where Sisters contact a specific group of women, on a regular basis, to discuss and personally invite them to Sisterhood programs/events/activities.

Therefore, we are forming a Rebranding Committee led by Lauri Rosenbloom and Rebecca Andreoli. We envision a large committee to give each member a sense of ownership in Sisterhood so that the individual responsibilities are not overwhelming for anyone. Please contact Lauri or Rebecca to be part of the fun!

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lauri@laurirosenbloom.com
847-989-7740

Rebecca Andreoli
rebecca.andreoli1@gmail.com
847-710-7910

Please contact Lisa Neiman at lneiman@bethjudea.org if you need any assistance to participate in this program.



A MESSAGE FROM THE...

Hesed Committee

BECAUSE CONGREGATION BETH JUDEA IS MORE THAN JUST A BUILDING. IT IS A CARING COMMUNITY, AND WE ARE HERE TO HELP EACH OTHER IN TIMES OF NEED.



The Hesed Committee is not just for birthday or anniversary calls (although we enjoy making them!) We are also here to help when you are struggling, feeling lonely, or ill. As the pandemic winds down, we hope we can start visiting those of you who feel the need for more support. Until then, we would like to stay in touch with you by phone. However, we can't help you unless you let us know you need help. Please contact us at hesed.cbj@gmail.com, Evan Rumack at evanbr1@comcast.net, or Marilyn Green-Rebnord at megx150@comcast.net to let us know what you need. We and our committee are here for you.

If you need assistance please contact Lisa Neiman at lneiman@bethjudea.org

MORE ABOUT CONGREGATION BETH JUDEA'S

Hesed Committee

The Hesed committee consists of dedicated volunteers who want to support our congregants when they need it most. As such, we offer a variety of services that we hope will be helpful to our CBJ congregants. The committee has five (5) sub-committees, outlined below, that would welcome the opportunity to be of assistance. Please let us know if you need assistance by calling the synagogue office or emailing the Hesed chairs Marilyn Green-Rebnord or Evan Rumack at hessed.cbj@gmail.com. **Confidentiality** is one of our major concerns, so ***please do not be embarrassed to ask for our help***. Only our chairs and the volunteer will know.

- If you are ill — and give permission to our clergy or office staff — we will try to have a committee member call to see how you are doing and if you need anything. This may include a hospital, rehab facility, home, or skilled nursing care visit during your illness.
- If you need help getting to a doctor's appointment, religious services, synagogue programs, or such errands as prescription pickup, our committee is set up to help you. While we may not always be able to make such arrangements, we will do our best.
- Should you have a loss, we will try to arrange for a committee member to stay at the shiva house during the funeral service so the house will not be unattended, and no family member or friend need miss the service. We will be there to accept deliveries, but not to set up the kitchen. Rabbi will ask you if you would like this help when he is contacted. For security reasons, you will be told in advance who is coming to your home.
- Should you need, the committee will try to arrange to attend the evening minyan at the shiva home to ensure that a minyan is present to enable mourners to say kaddish. Minyan leaders are also willing to help.
- At the end of shloshim, we will contact you to check in during your bereavement. It is our intention that this period will be marked during the evening minyan by acknowledging your loved one's name and by dedicating the reading of a psalm to them and inviting you to the service.

We would like to thank our current committee members for their commitment to helping others .

If you have any questions or wish to join us, please contact Marilyn Green-Rebnord (847-821-7740) or Evan Rumack (847-253-4130).



Torah Readers **WANTED**

**WE NEED ALL OF OUR CBJ TORAH READERS,
VETERANS OR NEWBIES, TO STEP UP AND VOLUNTEER
TO READ ALIYOT FOR VARIOUS DATES:
JANUARY - JUNE 2023.**

**WE ARE IN THE 1ST TRIENNIAL READINGS. WE HAVE A
LIST OF WHAT YOU MAY HAVE READ BEFORE OR WE
CAN STEER YOU TO NEW ALIYOT TO FIT YOUR SKILL
AND SCHEDULE, OR WE CAN ARRANGE TO TEACH
YOU.**

**PLEASE CONTACT EITHER:
HARRIS WEINER (HWEINER928@OUTLOOK.COM) OR
ORIN ROTMAN (ORIN.ROTMAN@GMAIL.COM) OR
CANTOR BAT-SARAH
(CANTORBATSARAH@BETHJUDEA.ORG)
TO SET YOU UP.**

Please contact Lisa Neiman at
lneiman@bethjudea.org if you need any
assistance.





SOCIAL ACTION



Bag Collection

FOR OUR FOOD PANTRIES

OUR FOOD PANTRIES NEED BAGS

SOCIAL ACTION WILL HAVE A BOX IN THE SYNAGOGUE OFFICE FOR YOU TO DONATE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF BAGS:

- PAPER SHOPPING BAGS WITH OR WITHOUT HANDLES
- ALDI PLASTIC BAGS
- TARGET BAGS WITH REINFORCED HANDLES
- CLOTH BAGS

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS PROGRAM
CONTACT JILL LEVINE AT JILL@LEVINE74.COM

IF YOU NEED ANY ASSISTANCE TO PARTICIPATE PLEASE
CONTACT LISA NEIMAN AT LNEIMAN@BETHJUDEA.ORG

Congregation Beth Judea's Green House Fundraiser



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Leider Greenhouses of Buffalo Grove is offering a **20%** donation of each purchase of a \$25 or \$50 gift card from Beth Judea*! Unlimited amounts are available for purchase.

*Email Lisa Neiman at lneman@bethjudea.org to purchase. CBJ will drop off the gift card, contact-free, at your door with a 7-day notice.

Visit www.leider.us/ for hours and products
Store Location: 1625 Leider Lane, Buffalo Grove

[Click to email Lisa Neiman](mailto:lneman@bethjudea.org)

[Click to visit Leider](http://www.leider.us/)

Jewllennialz

Jewllennialz is a group co-chaired by Kristina and Robert Levy dedicated to building a community of Jewish 20 and 30-somethings at Congregation Beth Judea through social and educational events.

If you or your children are a Millennial/Gen-Zer and would like to learn more, please contact jewllennialz@gmail.com.



Jewllennialz

Boomers

All Congregation Beth Judea members aged 55 and over, are welcome to participate.

If you're not already on the BOOMERS mailing list, please email your name and email address to:

boomersbj@gmail.com.

Stay healthy,
Joan Rosemarin

SHALVA

*Giving voice to the unspeakable...
responding to domestic abuse in Jewish homes.*

Cell Phone Drop-Off Box In Synagogue Office!

Help domestic abuse victims by
donating your old cell phones

Each phone raises money
for domestic abuse crisis-
counseling services in the
Jewish community!



SHALVA offers free counseling to
Jewish women who are or were in an
intimate partner relationship. If you or
someone you know needs our help,
call 773-583-4673.



Call for Volunteers PADS Shelter for the homeless

Let's make a
difference!

Site is open from
7:00 pm on Thursday
until 7:00 am Friday.

Volunteers Needed for:
Thursday Night and
Friday Mornings

2nd Shift:
11 pm - 3 am

3rd Shift:
3 am - 7 am

COVID vaccination for
volunteers is required.

PADS LOCATION:

Congregational United
Church of Christ
1001 W. Kirchhoff
in Arlington Heights, IL



For further information you
can contact:
Lou Rabin
(847) 867-1312
louleemg@aol.com

Rodger Reaume
Rodger.Reaume@cati.com

Kathy Winters
kwinters7@sbcglobal.net

If you need assistance to participate
in this program contact Lisa Neiman
at 847-634-0777



CBJ Focus on Families
UPCOMING
EVENTS

PLEASE VISIT OUR
WEBSITE AT
WWW.BETHJUDEA.ORG
TO VIEW ALL ONLINE
AND UPCOMING
EVENTS.



CBJ Focus on Families events are supported by the Congregation Beth Judea Focus on Family Fund and are geared towards families with children in 2nd grade and younger but are open to all. For any questions about any of the programs that we offer contact Youth Director and Young Family Coordinator, Marc Sender, at

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YouthDirector@bethjudea.org



Welcome to our Adult Education Series. To register for classes or to find out more information, please see your weekly emails.

**Adult Education Series
Ongoing Classes**



Please visit our website at www.bethjudea.org for a list of all on-going and new adult education courses being offered. Check the site frequently as more classes are being added on a continuing basis.



ADULT EDUCATION



Welcome to our Adult Education Series. To register for classes or to find out more information, please contact the synagogue.

Adult Education Series Ongoing Classes



WEEKLY CLASSES:

These classes are ongoing. Please join at any time.

Hebrew is not required for any of these classes, unless specifically noted.

Talmud Study: Talmud & Jewish Life



Sunday mornings at 8 a.m.
Facilitated by Orin Rotman

This year, we will delve into the Talmud & Jewish Life. Join us for a lively discussion with Orin Rotman on Sunday mornings.

Taste of Torah “What’s Next: An Examination of Some Jewish After-Life Concepts”

Facilitated by Orin Rotman

Wednesday evenings at 8 p.m.
Beginning January 18



This Taste of Torah study series will look at the concepts of “The World to Come”, Sheol, Resurrection, Reincarnation, Mourner’s Kaddish and other related topics. Class will start with a review of Talmud Sanhedrin Chapter 11 (Who Has (And Doesn’t Have) a part in the “World to Come”?) and branch out to Jewish writings throughout the ages to modern times.

SHABBAT SATURDAY CLASSES:

These Saturday morning classes are ongoing. Please join at any time.

Weekly Parsha Study *Facilitated by Orin Rotman*

Shabbat morning at 9:00 a.m.
every Shabbat morning

Weekly study to discuss the parsha of the week. We will discuss questions raised by the participants.

Shabbat morning at 9:00 a.m. every Shabbat morning

Weekly Parsha

Alternative Shabbat Service

Facilitated by Norm Kurtz

Shabbat morning at 10:30 a.m.
every Shabbat morning



Norm Kurtz facilitates this Shabbat morning service that focuses on building community by enjoying a passionate, meaningful, and dynamic Shabbat morning experience. Join this innovative, creative, and different minyan each Shabbat morning at 10:30 am in Room 1.

Shabbat morning at 10:30 a.m. every Shabbat morning





Alternative Shabbat

led by Norm Kurtz



Every Saturday morning at 10:30 a.m.

In person and on Zoom - 45 minute lay-led service; followed by 30 minute group discussion of the weekly Torah portion.

After the service, those in attendance are invited to join the Congregation's kiddush.

Open to the Community



Please contact Lisa Neiman at lneman@bethjudea.org if you need any assistance to participate in this Shabbat Service.

DONATING TO CBJ WITHOUT SPENDING \$

We all Shop, Eat, Drink...

Whether it is:
Amazon
Starbucks
Dunkin Donuts
Sunset
Mariano's
Lettuce Entertain You
...or more

Please Buy "Gift" Cards right from
your phone; ask us how.

Please use Amazon Smile on your
Prime Account.

It is that easy; we are here to help.

Thank you.

Ways and Means

FUNDRAISING IDEAS

The Ways and Means Committee is
here for your ideas; please share
them with us at

CBJWaysMeansVP@gmail.com



Let's have fun while giving back to
CBJ.

Thank you all for your support.

Paula Carter
Ways & Means VP

Who Knows About



Did you know that Congregation Beth Judea is part of the Amazon Smile Program? We are and last year, **thank you to all of our congregants** who shopped on Amazon Smile Program and designated Congregation Beth Judea as the recipient. **We raised over \$500.** Any questions about Amazon Smile, please call the Beth Judea Office.

Shiva Baskets

Sunshine Fund

The primary purpose of the shiva tradition, or "[sitting shiva](#)," is to create an environment of comfort and community for mourners; it helps guide friends and family members through the loss of a loved one. Throughout the weeklong shiva period, mourners come together in one family's home to offer their condolences and support. From a practical standpoint, the shiva process and practices associated with Jewish mourning add comfort to the life of a mourner following a death. In the period after suffering a loss, a mourner may be comforted by the structure and routines prescribed by traditional Jewish mourning laws.

Historically, the Board of Directors of Congregation Beth Judea has sent shiva baskets to the immediate family of Board members; parents, spouses, siblings and G-d forbid, children. We would like to extend this gesture to the entire congregation.

Donations may be sent the shul attention Lisa Neiman.

Thanking you in advance for your generous donations.

Respectfully,
Lisa Neiman



SUPPORT BETH JUDEA WHILE YOU SHOP ON AMAZON!!



Did you know that when you shop on Amazon you can support Congregation Beth Judea at the same time? It's very simple, Amazon smile will donate 0.5% of the price of eligible amazon purchases to Congregation Beth Judea.

Here is the link: [Click here to Shop](#)

WAYS & MEANS

CBJ Business Directory Advertising Opportunity

Advertise your business in our new [Business Directory](#) section of The Word!

\$120 for a year (one-year term)

Submit a high resolution graphic of your business card to Lisa Neiman at lnorman@bethjudea.org.

Subscription payment must be received to activate term.



Gift Cards

SUPPORT BETH JUDEA BY PURCHASING GIFT CARDS

Purchasing gift cards is one of the easiest ways to support Beth Judea.

The Congregation earns a rebate from the vendors when you utilize the gift cards, so there is no cost to you.

Gift cards can be utilized the same as cash, there are no restrictions.

If you are shopping for groceries or clothes, going to a movie or traveling, you can help support our Congregation.

Order forms for Gift Cards are available in the office or in the Lobby on Sunday morning. They can be purchased with cash, check, or credit cards (a 2.5% convenience fee will be added when paying with a credit card).

[Click Here to Download Form](#)

New CBJ Sisterhood News Group

Attention all CBJ Members and anyone who is interested in getting involved with CBJ sisterhood and events.

PLEASE CLICK ON THE FOLLOWING BLUE LINK TO JOIN THE NEW CBJ SISTERHOOD NEWS GROUP AND GET STARTED TO LEARN ABOUT OUR NEW AND EXCITING EVENTS FROM CBJ SISTERHOOD. ONCE YOU CLICK ON THE BLUE LINK, PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU PRESS JOIN.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/532505832091796>

Photos from Sisterhood Events



Sisterhood

Dear Fellow Congregants,

It is my pleasure to share that Sisterhood involvement as well as new events have been “on the rise!” We have enjoyed participation from women of all ages; gathering for some events that are new to us and some that are tried and true. It’s been really fantastic!

Many thanks to the group of ladies (Paula Carter, Dara Hoyt, Debbie Limer...just to name a few) who initiated the concept of Sunday morning coffees in our effort to involve the moms of school age children. Our November coffee was in conjunction with Men’s Club and their annual Channukah Candle packing. This has been a great success. Another coffee date is being planned. All are welcome! Please watch for the flier.

On December 3, Sisterhood and Men’s Club co-sponsored a fun event in the synagogue; including a tequila tasting, dinner, a variety of latkes as well as Karaoke. It was wonderful to be able to spend time together “in person” and share in the delights of Channukah and song. Thank you to everyone who planned, cooked, and attended this joyful evening.

December 8 was the annual Gift Shop Hanukkah Bazaar. Thank you to the Gift Shop managers for all of their hard work in preparing and running this very important event for our community.

Thank you to the ladies who have been working on the Sisterhood Hanukkah Party which, as of the writing of this article, has yet to take place. The party will be on December 13, and we have had an excellent response! We know that fun will be had by all as we participate in a gift exchange, savor the latkes prepared by Karen, and try out our artistic talents painting our Channukah home decor project.

On February 4, we will join together in the sanctuary to lead the morning service. Thank you to everyone who has agreed to volunteer (or as my daughter-in-law has taught me.....accepted being voluntold!). A huge thank you to Cantor Bat-Sarah for meeting with me to learn how to lead the service “in person” and for making the service accessible to our English reading participants. Her time and effort are much appreciated. Thank you in advance also to Rob Lipka, who has agreed to be our floor Gabai!

We are looking forward to many in-person events that are in the planning stages, including challah baking on January 19 at CBJ, another wine night gathering (date and location TBD), a 3rd Sunday morning coffee (date TBD), and a self defense class at CBJ with lecture and instruction on February 2.

Please watch for fliers in the weekly Bulletin as well as email blasts from our new account: CBJSisterhoodNews

We look forward to seeing you at all or any of these events!

We hope you had a wonderful Hanukkah,

Darlene Bikshorn
dbikshorn@gmail.com

Michele Sussman
Mesussman@gmail.com

CBJ Sisterhood Co-Presidents



Sisterhood Gift Shop

The Sisterhood of Beth Judea proudly shares about our renowned Judaica Shop!

Our lovely gift shop is open when Hebrew School is in session on Sundays from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and Tuesdays from 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Please email giftshopcbj@gmail.com or call Ann Lerman at 847-373-8640 to schedule an appointment for a tallit. Masks are requested.

Our Judaica Shop carries a wide variety of items and gifts with continually updated inventory. Come take a look at many of the following types of items:

- *Tallitot *Kippot *Women's Head Coverings *Seder Plates *Hanukkah Menorahs
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- *Bar & Bat Mitzvah Gifts *Mezuzah Cases and Kosher Scrolls *Yahrzeit Candles
- *Jewish Children's Books *Wall Home Blessings *Hostess Gifts *Wedding Glasses
- *Decorative items.....and so much more!



Come and browse our amazing collections of beautiful Judaic Jewelry – for both Men and Women! We have countless Hamsas, Chais, Stars and Hoshens. You will love our special designer pieces. Also, our non-Judaic jewelry can make a special gift as well.! You will find many price points to meet all budgets.



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If the choices are overwhelming – or you wish to simply allow a family member or friend choose on their own – a Gift Certificate may be the wise choice for you – any denomination – anytime. We make it easy for you too – as we accept Visa, MasterCard and Discover!

Stop by and visit us to see for yourself why all of the talk!

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(Where shopping is a mitzvah)

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COUPON





Is In Need Of...



GRAINS

- Pasta
- Rice
- Noodles
- Instant Potatoes
- Stuffing Mix
- Rice-a-Roni

PROTEINS

- Canned Tuna
- Canned Chicken
- Canned Ham/Other
- Canned Beans (any)
- Dried Beans
- Peanut Butter

PREPARED MEALS

- Canned Beef Stew
- Canned Chili
- Hamburger Helper
- Tuna Helper
- Mac & Cheese
- Complete Meals in Boxes

BREAKFAST ITEMS

- Bisquick/Pancake Mix
- Breakfast Cereals
- Oatmeal
- Pop Tarts
- Cream of Wheat
- Coffee/Tea

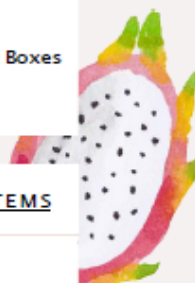


CANNED PRODUCE

- Canned Fruits
- Canned Vegetables
- Pasta Sauce
- Canned Tomatoes
- Fruit Cups
- Applesauce

REFRIGERATED ITEMS

- Milk
- Butter
- Cheese
- Yogurt
- Bread
- Fresh Fruit/Veggies
- Meat
- Frozen Foods



PANTRY SNACKS

- Fruit Juices
- Soda
- Jelly/Jam
- Cookies
- Crackers
- Pretzels
- Pudding
- Jell-o

CLEANING/HYGINE

- Kleenex/Tissue
- Toilet Paper
- Paper Towels
- Dish Soap
- Laundry Detergent
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Bath Soap
- Toothpaste/Toothbrush
- Feminine Hygiene

Other Notes

Cash donations are always accepted. These donations are used to purchase food through the Northern Illinois Food Bank.

Our Food Pantry is located at the Vernon Township Administrative Building:

**3050 N Main Street
Buffalo Grove, IL 60089**

Typical hours for donation drop-off are M-F 9:00am to 4:00pm.

We request all perishables to be delivered during donation hours.

Non-perishable donations can be dropped off in the shopping cart outside the front door 24/7.

Not Accepted

- Previously opened packaging
- Homemade food products
- Items without labels
- Items without expiration dates
- Expired items
- Institutional/Restaurant sized items




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CBJ Men's Club Retreat 2023

Save the dates for our Club retreat and the FJMC convention. Our club retreat will be held in Milwaukee on January 14th and 15th. The last retreat saw 28 of us in attendance. It was approximately 19 hours of prayer, ruach, thought provoking discussions, games, and FUN. We hope to see as many or more at this next retreat.

FJMC International Convention will be held next summer from June 29th thru July 2nd in Philadelphia. More information on both will follow.



Men's Club
Wellness Day
Program



Sunday, January 15, 2023
at any time as individuals

Attention all Congregation Beth Judea Members of all ages!

Please join the CBJ Men's Club (men, women and kids invited) for some type of exercise at any place you choose.

As part of the FJMC Wellness Program, we urge all congregants to participate in this event at whichever level you feel comfortable. Our goal is to increase awareness of health and wellness issues to all members of Congregation Beth Judea. It is important to remain physically and mentally fit.

Walk, bike or run etc. for 20 minutes or more on the Wellness Day. After you are done, contact Sandy Victor at sandy_victor@hotmail.com to report your participation. If you go with other persons, please mutually agree on health and safety protocols.

Participation in the Wellness Event at the Men's Club Retreat will also count as participation.

Please contact Lisa Neiman if you need any special accommodations to attend this event.

Men's Club strives to offer something for everyone. As such, we're always open to new and creative programming ideas that help Jewish men lead rich and filling Jewish Lives.

Tzedakah Fund

The Men's Club makes donations from the minyan tzedakah box to various organizations.

We thank all those who have contributed to the tzedakah fund administered by Men's Club.

INTERFAITH COUNCIL

News from the Northwest Suburban Interfaith Council

By Joanne Dicker and Helene Fox, Congregation Beth Judea Representatives



Working together, we can accomplish much. "Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!" Psalm 133

Please remember those who are less fortunate. The Northwest Suburban Interfaith Council still helps support our local food pantries. Monetary donations are always welcome. If you prefer, please donate non-perishable food directly to our member food pantries located at Congregation Beth Am, St. Mary Parish, and Kingswood Methodist Church- all located in Buffalo Grove, and St. Alphonsus in Prospect Heights.

The Northwest Suburban Interfaith Council proudly serves this community. If you have any programming suggestions, please forward them to us or your IFC representatives.

Joanne Dicker and Helene Fox

For more information on any of our programs, please contact us by e-mail or telephone: nwsinterfaith@gmail.com, 224-699-0386 or visit our website at: <http://www.northwestsuburbaninterfaith.org>

Donations may be made directly to: Northwest Suburban Interfaith Council
PO Box 5301, Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

LIFE IN ISRAEL THE GOODMAN'S' BLOG

Howie and Suzanne Goodman were valued members at Beth Judea until they decided to make aliyah in 2009. The Goodmans have agreed to provide us with a blog on their experiences as new olim in Israel. Though we continue to miss the Goodmans, we can all look forward to reading about their adventures in Israel through the blog.



To learn more about the Goodman's life in Israel [click here](#) to share their experience.

Planned Giving

**Is Beth Judea
a Part of Your Estate?**

**Help ensure the future of
Congregation Beth Judea.**

From Generation to Generation
"Making a Difference in the Lives that Follow"

Upon three things the world is based:

Upon Torah,

Upon Divine Service

and

Upon the Practice of Charity

Alternative Shabbat Service

Alternative Shabbat Service

Service Leader: Norm Kurtz

Every Shabbat Morning
10:30 am until 11:45 am.



You are invited to join the Alternative Shabbat Service which meets every Shabbat morning in person or on Zoom. Our growing interpretive minyan (prayer group) is focused on building community by enjoying a passionate, meaningful, and dynamic Shabbat morning experience. We are innovative, creative, and different from the traditional service.

We are friendly and welcoming to all. Being non-judgmental and accessible, we are interested in creating a meaningful spiritual community where joyful prayer and spirited Torah discussion is experienced, accompanied by camaraderie and friendship.

Join us for prayer/discussion/ learning.

We look forward to welcoming you to our community.

Shabbat Shalom,

Norm Kurtz
Service Leader

See your weekly email for the Zoom info.

For further information: cbjoffice@bethjudea.org

EVERY SHABBAT MORNING

We Would Like To Know



WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW....

If you are celebrating a life cycle event such as a birth, engagement, or wedding, we would like to know about it so that this milestone can be included in The Word.

If you are ill or know someone who is sick, we would like to know about it so that a prayer for recovery can be said, so that the clergy can call or visit, and so that the Hesed (Caring) committee can be notified and be of assistance.

If there is a death in your family, we would like to know about it so that we can offer our support, can share this information with our congregation, and so that we can add your loved one to our Yahrzeit records.

Please call the synagogue office with this information. *Do not assume that someone else will have notified the synagogue staff.*

You Make A Difference

We firmly believe that reaching out to others benefits not only the recipient, but the person providing help as well. This is, without a doubt, a win-win situation for all involved.

If you are interested in making a difference, please contact one of the Hesed (Caring) committee members below:

Ellene Lammers
Marilyn Green-Rebnord
Evan Rumack
Larry Wolheim



Hesed Committee



An Important Announcement

CONGREGATION BETH JUDEA HESED (CARING) COMMITTEE

The Hesed Committee is not just for birthday or anniversary calls (although we enjoy making them!) We are also here to help when you are struggling, feeling lonely, or ill. As the pandemic winds down, we hope we can start visiting those of you who feel the need for more support. Until then, we would like to stay in touch with you by phone. However, we can't help you unless you let us know you need help. Please contact us at hessed.cbj@gmail.com, Evan Rumack at evanbr1@comcast.net, or Marilyn Green-Rebnord at megx150@comcast.net to let us know what you need. We and our committee are here for you.

FOR A LIST OF EMERGENCY HOTLINE NUMBERS, AGENCIES AND RESOURCES [click here](#)

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are happening
at
Congregation
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[click here for full flyer and details](#)

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JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

We wish a very Happy Birthday to the following members of our Beth Judea Family:

January 1	Michael Moran	January 16	Amy Bauer Helaine Katz-Ratskoff Jason Neiman
January 2	Gary Krugel Natalie Reinglass		
January 3	Alan Marcus Ethel Schwerdlin	January 17	Hadrian Markowitz Joel Sandler
January 4	Barry Bikshorn Lauri Rosenbloom Jack Siegellak Gary Watts	January 18	Joy Davis Rhoda Fischman Steve Fischhoff Kathryn Harris Linda Kramer
January 5	Judith Atlas	January 19	Ezra Becker Susan Levin
January 6	Meyer Abarbanel Herbert Fisher Steven Kaufman Robert Lipka Michael Shultz Robert Spiro	January 20	Chuck Walcer
		January 21	Debra Morris
January 7	Ruth Finkel Brent Gross Rosita Rothenberg	January 22	Erin Drazin William Kramer Gloria Secler Bonnie Sender Richard Ward
January 8	Cynthia Andreoli Sanford White	January 23	Alan Friedlander
January 9	Renee Brown Matt Veronie	January 25	Joan Rosemarin
January 10	Bobbie Babbitt Russell Barnett Allen Harris Stacey Resnik	January 26	Darlene Bikshorn Neal Ford Toni Heldman Darlene Tominberg
January 11	Helen Brin Robert Weissman	January 28	Audrey Block Barry Cohen Andrea Heiger Audrey Weisberg
January 12	Nicole Colen Celia Geiger Pamela Kaufman Judy Solomon Carol Steinfeld	January 29	Cheryl Kersky Martin Langer Marc Zeidman
January 13	Debra Green Kevin Rosenberg	January 30	Mari Moskowitz Sheldon Rubin Lynn Veprinsky
January 14	Cathy Feiger Alan Rosenbloom	January 31	Marla Drucker Marlene Gothelf Randy Polonsky
January 15	Linda Wolin		

NOTE: If your name is missing from the list please contact the synagogue so we can update your information in our files.

JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES

We wish a very Happy Anniversary to the following members of our Beth Judea Family:

January 7	Susan & Michael Mangurten
January 12	Marilyn & David Rebnord
January 18	Jamie & Jason Breslaw Suzanne & David Waitz
January 20	Sandy & Elliott Englander
January 21	Jill & Barry Goldrich
January 23	Marlyn & Marc Spivak

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January Yahrzeits



***YOU WILL ALWAYS BE REMEMBERED
AND ALWAYS IN OUR HEARTS***



January 6

Barbara Abrams
Robert Allan Brown
Samuel Chiet*
Carol Feldman*
Christina Marie Goldberg
Samuel Kanter*
Joe Koek
Marvin Miller
Maury Platt*
Dr. Jack Rizman*
Muriel Sachsels*
Samuel Silver*
Alexander Smith
Elizabeth Zeltser

Margaret Atlas
Richard Brown
Samuel Dicker
Martin Garson*
Jeri Ann Goldman
Patricia Kaplan
Irwin Lipka
Fannie Orloff
Michelle Rappaport*
Sherwin Rosenfeld*
Yetta Sanders
Larry Silver*
Sylvia Travis*

Fannie Barasch
Sam Chibnik
Shirley Dubin
Ida Glickman
Lillian Goroff*
Audrey Kirst
Nathan Litshein
Gertrude Trudy Paley
Diana Ratskoff
Ruth Rotman
Ilse Sender*
Faye Singer*
Bernard Weisel*

January 13

Erwin Berenson
Irving Coady*
Jane Friedland*
Sande Grossman
Edward Jordan
Sol Kravitz*
Ann Linderman*
Herman Morgenstein*
Seymour Nagel
Michael Schwartz
Morris Sherman*
June Walcer*
Shirley Wolf*

Morry Biel
Samuel Cooper*
Lorin Greenberg
Hannah Hockfield*
Linda Katz
Shirley Kriegler*
Arlen Litwin
Betsy Mosak
Louis Newman*
Derek Sender
Harvey Shiffman*
Alfred Weiner

Daniel Brown
Alfred Feiger
Bernice Gross*
Michael Jaffe*
Joseph Kolner*
Michael Linderman*
Mina Magarici
Fred Moskowitz*
Claire Rothnagel
Bessie Shavitz*
Celia Spivak*
Morris Weiner*

January 20

Harriet Ament
Walter Berkley*
Herman Feldman*
Sam Goldenberg
Muriel Kasanov
Norman Levisky*
Louis Lifshitz*
Louis Margolis
Dorinne Palmer*
Joseph Rosenfeld*
Milton Silverstein*
Hilda Tominberg*

Ralph Barnett
Lillian Lenore Brown
William Frankel*
Paul Goldman
Seymour Klein*
Irving Levy*
Barry Mandelblatt
Philip Meltzer*
Harry Polakow
Berel Sales*
Robert Silverstone
Evelyn Weisel*

Lauri Bauer
Sarah Deicher
James Glickman
Herbert Kahn
Ruth Kurtz*
June Lieberman
Lorraine Margolis
Harry Minnick*
David Resnick*
Irene Sandler*
Malka Terem

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If you are interested in purchasing a plaque please contact the synagogue office.

January Yahrzeits (Cont.)



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January 27

**Wally Arbetter
Adele Chubin
Janette Friedman
Stenka Jaffe
Oscar Krawitz
Gertrude Manewith
Darrell Pollack*
Eva Sanes*
Ethan Noah Sulkin
Ruth Zeiger**

**Marion Bordon
Bella Cohen*
Alice Gimpel
Miles Klein*
Morris Lessin*
Leonard Meltzer
Bernice Rothenberg*
Harvey Schmall
Joy Taub
Molly Zider**

**Sandy Caplan*
Alexander Davis*
Marla Goldberg
Jack Kostis
Mickey Levin
Sheila Moskowitz
William Rubenstein*
Gertrude Schoeneman*
Evelyn Torres***

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February Yahrzeits



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February 3

**Anna Berkovitz*
Diane Brown*
Helen Domash*
Sophie Geffen
Charlotte Herstein
Irv Kaufman
Herbert Levine*
June Pearlman*
Ida Pollack
Samuel Schwartz
Betty Wasserman**

**Roselin Berman
Lori Brownstein
Sidney Flaxman
Samuel Goldman*
Robert Isenberg
Estelle Kerstein
Ethan Levitan*
Mandel Perl*
Shirley Schechtman
Morris Spiegel*
Janice Weiner***

**Gerald Bernstein
Abe Cooper*
Edward Vincent Fojtik
Era Greiman*
Ann Karno
Annette Kessler*
Alex Lustig*
Margaret Pinkus*
Helen Schwartz*
Dora Stein*
Benjamin Weisman**

February 10

**David Appel
Gregorio Copelovitz
Edward Ernstein
Ellen Finn*
Stuart Julis
David Polakow*
David Rosenfeld*
Sam Rothnagel
Rose Secler*
Pearl Smiler
Clara Weisberg**

**Alfred Braun*
Mitch Davis*
Ceil Feldstein
Emma Fisher
Hyman Karafin
Hymen Polonsky
Jack Rosenthal
Minnette Rothstein
Rose Sher
Joan Smith***

**Robert Cohen*
Florence Deckowitz
Bruce Finn
Anna Herstein
Bert James Mallinger
Jacob Rizman*
Elizabeth Rosenthal*
Lauren Salzenstein Gordon*
Seymour Shub*
Lewis Smith***

February 17

**Jack Adelman
David Cohen
Harold Dobrikin*
Sherie Esrig*
Yudes Frumina
Marvin Harris*
Lillian Karp
Rita Kravitz
Sam Lemskey
Monte Levitt*
Jackie Max*
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Solomon Mordoh*
Judif Pesin
George Sherman*
Howard Weinert
Arthur Westerman***

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February Yahrzeits (Cont.)



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February 24

**Hannah Adler*
Morris Braverman*
Becky Cohn
Arthur Deicher
Aaron Elisco
David Feldheim*
Frances Friedlander
Corrine Gill
Norma Gordon*
John Hoeflich
Samantha Keeshin*
Gary Lerman*
Howard Malkin*
David Popilsky*
Dorothy Rose*
Alexander Sanders
Joseph Shefsky*
Ted Silver
Robert Victor*
Leslie Zucker***

**Manny Adler*
Esther Brodsky*
Sonia Copelovitz
Alvin Domash*
Agnes Ellegant
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Paul Geiger
Elizabeth Goldenberg
Anna Haberman*
Lou Kalisky
Herbert Klaber
Joseph Levin
Ronald Marcus
Rose Posner
Mila Rosenberg
Steven Schmeisser*
Samuel Shwachman
Marshall Sylvan
Elaine Waitz**

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Mac Brown*
Shirley Davis*
Bessie Domash*
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Lillian Freedman
Irving Gelman
Benjamin Golyer*
Faye Hefler*
Marsha Katz
Teddy Kray*
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FOR AN EXPLANATION OF THESE FUNDS, PLEASE SEE OUR WEBSITE

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Chaim Adar
Bobbie Bloch
Emily Gabay
Jordan Silver

Condolences Upon the Death:

Sondra Meyers
Beloved mother of Jodi Levit

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UPON THE YAHRZEIT OF:

Lauri Bauer, in loving memory of
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Scott, Alex, Jake & Brett Bauer

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IN APPRECIATION OF:

Rabbi Zimbalist for his guidance
and the beautiful funeral service
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Beth Mednick

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Mike Jaffe, in loving memory of
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Jean Friedman

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From The Editors

In order for your article to be published in the next issue, we must have it at the synagogue by the 10th of the month! There will be no exceptions. This includes information on disk as well. We need your article as it is important to let the congregation know what your group is doing. Announcements should take the form of articles in The Word rather than separate flyers. The opinions expressed herein are not necessarily those of the Rabbi, Board of Directors or the editors.

Worship Schedule

Conducted by
Rabbi Morris Zimbalist

Shabbat Evening Services6:30 p.m.
Shabbat Morning Services 9:30 a.m.
Alternative Shabbat Service (Interpretive Minyan).. 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Morning Minyan:

Sunday 9:00 a.m.
Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m.

Weekday Evening Minyan:

Sunday through Thursday 7:30 p.m.

Candle Lighting Times

Candle Lighting time is calculated for 18 minutes before sunset and is adjusted for Daylight Savings Time.

January 6 4:17 p.m.
January 13 4:24 p.m.
January 20 4:33 p.m.
January 27 4:41 p.m.

The Blessing For Lighting The Candles On Shabbat is

ברוך אתה ה' אלקינו מלך העולם, אשר
קדשנו במצותיו וצונו להדליק נר של שבת.

*Bo-ruch A-tah Ado-nai E-lo-hei-nu Melech
Ha-olam A-sheer Ki-de-sha-nu Be-mitz-vo-tav
Vi-tzi-va-nu Le-had-lik Ner Shel Shabbat.*

Blessed are You, Lord our God, King of the universe, who has hallowed us through His Commandments, and has commanded us to kindle the lights of the holy Sabbath.