

We Remember

Oct 3-22 Tishrei

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Oct 4-23 Tishrei

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Oct 5-24 Tishrei

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Oct 6-25 Tishrei

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Oct 7-26 Tishrei

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Oct 8-27 Tishrei

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Rhoda Levin
Marion Leviton
Ida Roth
Hinda Winternitz

Oct 9-28 Tishrei

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October 3-4, 2026



Shemini Atzeret

Simchat Torah

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
Kevin Braude, President • Rabbi Emeritus Carl Wolkin z'l



Shemini Atzeret/Yizkor

God commands the Israelites to tithe their crops as a means of providing for the Levites and for the poor. The Israelites are also instructed to observe Sh'mitah, a renouncing of debts at the end of a seven year cycle. God promises that no one will go wanting if the people obey the Torah's teachings. A Hebrew slave had to be released in the seventh year of service. In reviewing the observances of the three Pilgrimage Festivals, Moses begins by placing Pesach in the month of "Aviv", a word that means spring. Fifty days later comes Shavuot, the Feast of Weeks. In the fall, Sukkot will be celebrated. All three festivals were occasions for Jews to come to Jerusalem with offerings to God's Sanctuary.

Holiday Schedule of Services

**Shemini Atzeret and Simchat Torah
Saturday, October 3
Shemini Atzeret & Shabbat with
Yizkor - 9:30 AM
Simchat Torah - 6:00 PM
Sunday, October 4
Simchat Torah - 9:30 AM
Evening Minyan – 7:45 PM**

Calendar of Upcoming Events

- Oct 6 B'nai Mitzvah Short Term Planning Meeting**
- Oct 9 Anniversary Shabbat Selahbrate**
- Oct 10 Shabbat Journeys Birth to 5th grade**
- Oct 11 Israel Advocacy Program for Teens and Parents**
- Oct 16 Ruach Shabbat**
- Oct 17 Grandparent's Havdalah**
- Oct 18 Distinguished Speaker Program – Kerri Strug**
- Oct 23 Shabbat Unwind**

Shemini Atzeret

ALIYAH	CHAPTER/VERSES		PAGE
1	Deuteronomy 14:22-29	Pam Issen	1074
2	Deuteronomy 15:1-18	Michael Ellison	1076
3	Deuteronomy 15:19-23	Len Rubin	1080
4	Deuteronomy 16:1-3	Len Rubin	1081
5	Deuteronomy 16:4-8	Reva Gomberg	1082
6	Deuteronomy 16:9-12	Harriette Leibovitz	1083
7	Deuteronomy 16:13-17	Rabbi David Chapman	1084
MAFTIR	Numbers 29:35-30:1	Reva Gomberg	936
HAFTARAH	I Kings 8:54-66	Tab Scribner	1263

Simchat Torah

ALIYAH	CHAPTER/VERSES		PAGE
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2	Deuteronomy 33:8-12	Herb Lesnoy	1204
3	Deuteronomy 33:13-17	Herb Lesnoy	1205
4	Deuteronomy 33:18-21	Bob Spector	1206
5	Deuteronomy 33:22-26	Susan Shapiro	1208
6	Deuteronomy 33:27-34:12	Brian Beck	1209
7	Genesis 1:1-2:3	Andy Wagner	3
MAFTIR	Numbers 29:35-30:1	Reva Gomberg	936
HAFTARAH	Joshua 1:1-18	Rabbi David Chapman	1267

Simchat Torah

The Torah reading for Simchat Torah consists of the final two chapters of the Torah (V'zot Habrachah), followed by the story of Creation from the very beginning of the Torah (B'reishit). At the end of the Book of Deuteronomy, Moses blesses the Children of Israel, tribe by tribe. Then he ascends Mt. Nebo and God shows him the entire length and breadth of the Land of Israel. Moses dies on the mountain and is buried in a place no one knows. Joshua succeeds Moses as the leader of the Children of Israel, "And there has not arisen in Israel a prophet like Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face," says the Torah. Because the study of Torah is continuous, we never really "finish" the Torah, instead, we return to the beginning of the Torah and once again begin the cycles of readings.

Congregational Gifts

B'nai Mitzvah receive gifts from the congregation, Sisterhood, Men's Club, JUF, the Youth Commission and Rochelle Zell Jewish High School.

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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 volunteer 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.**