

Yahrzeits this week

May 20-29 Iyar

Diana Barrish
Fanny Bersofsky
Sylvia Chasen
Harriet Chensky
Florence Cohen
Lillian Cohen
Faye Danzig
Harry J. Dunn
Miriam Horwitz
Esther Kulick
Ilene Leon
Leonard Silverman
Sam Singer
Beverly Sklar
Dena Slotky
Sol Zisook

May 21-1 Sivan

Sophie Binstein
Marsha Bosley
Jack Boyansky
Herbert Hefter
Helen Hunt
Alan Hurwick
Lillian Lew
Aaron Schonfeld

May 22-2 Sivan

Rose Agrest
Hinda Chabner
Leah Dickler
Florence Dredze
Libby Dubofsky
Ethel Glikman
Ruth Koslowsky

Arthur Lasser
Shirley Sonenfeld
Alice Weinstock
Arlyne Wolfson
Mamie Yusim

May 23-3 Sivan

Daniel Simon Behar
Sophie Berenson
Dr. Lloyd Stephen
Brookstein
Pearl Dobrin
Irving Echt
Saidee Goldberg
Morton P Kessler
Rose Kessler
Hyman Trubitt
Ronald Wolf

May 24-4 Sivan

Della Albert
Max Bogolub
Abraham Cotton
Lillian Fischer
Sara Garber
Cecelia Goldstein
Roy Kramer
Esther Levitan
Jeanne Lupel
Sidney Markovitz
Harry Silberman
Aaron Speaker
Lillian Zuber

May 25-5 Sivan

Mitchell Braidman
Victor Calamaro
Antonia Munoz de Escalante
Jack Dissen
Isadore Ellis
Lolita Garcia de Farnos
Meyer Lezak
Sylvia Wagmeister
Dr. Harry G Zuber

May 26-6 Sivan

Letty Berman
Raymond Eisenstadt
Alex Garden
Rose Kleinberg
Barry Konlon
Darlene Lasser
Annabelle Lebovitz
Morris Lutz
Allen Pergricht
Pauline Ellen Raney
Charles Salinger
Louis Shane
Rebecca Wolkin
Zelermeyer

May 20, 2023

29 Iyar 5783



CONGREGATION
BETH SHALOM

Shabbat -
Bamidbar
44th Day of Omer

Shabbat Shalom and 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.

Rabbi Aaron Melman • Senior Cantor **Steven Stoehr** • Rabbi **David Chapman**
Dr. Bob Spector, President • Rabbi **Carl Wolkin, Emeritus**

Mazel Tov to our Bat Mitzvah, Oliva Bauer, daughter of Lauren and Aaron.

Mazel Tov to Carly Silverstein and Alex Rokni on their upcoming marriage.

Mazel Tov to Hannah Weiland and Garrett Lessen on their upcoming marriage.

Link to online Live Streaming
(copy and paste into browser) -

<https://www.bethshalomnb.org/pray/live-streaming/>

Link to Siddur Sim Shalom
(copy and paste into browser) -

<https://www.bethshalomnb.org/pray/siddur-sim-shalom/>

Many members of our congregation have had allergic reactions to perfume and/or colognes. We are asking that if you could, please keep this in mind and refrain from using these products in the future. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

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 & Legal Holidays @ 8:45 AM
Monday-Friday @ 7:45 AM
Sunday-Thursday @ 7:45 PM

CBS has now returned to daily in-person Minyanim.

Please take an active role in our community by helping us make Minyan every morning & evening.

- ◆ Masks are now optional, if you are more comfortable, please continue to wear your mask.
- ◆ If you're not feeling well, you should not attend any worship services, events, or programs, in person, at CBS.

Shmooze out the Blues

Starting in May, on Thursdays from 7:15PM - 7:45PM, Cantor Stoehr will be hosting an informal gathering in the Beit Midrash prior to the evening minyan. During this time anyone who is currently in a period of reciting Kaddish who feels as if a few extra minutes in the company of a few empathic others would be healing, are welcome to join us. No prepared program is planned, just some shared time, thoughts and feelings if you wish.

Congregational Gifts for S'machot

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

Gifts presented to those celebrating aufrufs and babynamings are provided by the Zaransky Family Ticktin Jewish Community Memorial Fund.

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Mark Your Calendars

- May 25 Shavout -CBS Main Office Closed at Noon
May 26 Shavout -CBS Main Office Closed
May 29 Memorial Day -CBS Main Office Closed
Jun 4 60 Minutes of Music
Jun 6 B'nai Mitzvah Planning Meeting
Jun 9 Shabbat Anniversary Selahbrate
Jun 16 Services Under the Sky

Visit our Website for all of our
CBS Live! Class Offerings
www.BethShalomNB.org

Synagogue Etiquette

In keeping with the spirit of Shabbat and to respect your fellow worshipers, please refrain from taking photographs, smoking 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 or Greeters.

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.**

Today's Torah Reading

ALIYAH	CHAPTER/VERSES	READER	PAGE
1	Numbers 1:1-4	Jerry Bauer	769
2	Numbers 1:5-16	Harold Schwartz	770
3	Numbers 1:17-19	Harold Schwartz	771
4	Numbers 1:20-27	Harold Schwartz	771
5	Numbers 1:28-31	Aaron Bauer	772
6	Numbers 1:32-35	Susan Stoehr	772
7	Numbers 1:36-43	Hillary Cohen	772
8	Numbers 1:44-54	Harold Schwartz	773
MAFTIR	Numbers 1:52-54	Olivia Bauer	774
HAFTARAH	Samuel 20:18-23	Olivia Bauer	1216

This Week's Parashah

God commands Moses to take a census of all the Israelite males over twenty years of age. Moses, Aaron, and the heads of each tribe record the census, the total of which is 603,500. The Levites are counted in a separate census, since they are not eligible to go to war. Moses instructs them to camp around the Tabernacle. They serve as a barrier between the Tabernacle and the remaining tribes, who are instructed to camp in four groups of three tribes each also around the Tabernacle. Originally, firstborn Israelites were consecrated to God, since they escaped the plague of the death of all firstborn in Egypt. Now, however, God tells Moses to appoint the Levites to serve in the sanctuary in place of the firstborn. Twenty-two thousand male Levites are the substitute for 22,000 firstborn Israelites who would otherwise have been required to carry out the sacrifices and religious worship in the Tabernacle. For the remaining 273 firstborn Israelites - for whom there were not enough Levites to serve as substitutes - a redemption price of five shekels per head is collected and paid to Aaron and his sons. A separate census is taken of the Kohanite clan of the Levites that is given the task of carrying the sacred objects from the Tabernacle during the Israelites' journeys.

Today's Haftarah

Today's haftarah is part of a long narrative in the Bible describing David's ultimate ascent to the throne. King Saul was envious of David's fame in battle and urged his courtiers to kill his perceived rival. Ultimately, Saul himself pursues David. David flees to his close friend Jonathan, Saul's own son. David and Jonathan set forth a plan to reveal Saul's true intentions for David. The events in this week's haftarah begin on the eve of the new moon (Rosh Chodesh). This haftarah is always chanted when Rosh Chodesh falls on a Sunday. The Shabbat immediately preceding Rosh Chodesh is called Machar Chodesh, signifying that Rosh Chodesh begins the next day.

Thought to Ponder:

Why was Torah given in the wilderness, and not after the people reached the promised land?