

Yahrzeits this week

Feb 10-1 Adar I

Elex Alter
Alice Barbakoff
William Donenberg
Dora Goldman
Sam Gordon
Jacob Grossman
Beverly Kaplan
Sol Maskin
Daniel Pintz
Deanna Rudich
Sarah Shindler

Feb 11-2 Adar I

Blanche Blumental
Nehemia Chudacoff
Frieda Cohen
Barbara Cohen
Raymond Goldberg
David Goldberg
Betty Greenberg
Lacey Horwitch
David Levine
Sol Olefsky
Anita Resnick
Helen Rosen
Lillyane Sarnoff
Gil Wagner
Ralph Waiss

Feb 12-3 Adar I

Arthur Baron
Jack Epstein
Gregory Feldman
Renee Feuerstein
Earl Jay Goldberg

Edward Holtzman
Judy Katzowsky
Jack Kopol
Jack Lerner
Lillian Mangurten
Arlene Raskin Mann
Harold Mason
Jack Redfern
Marvin Kalvin
Shapiro
Daryl Worley

Feb 13-4 Adar I

Geraldine Diamond
Joaquin Farnos
Sheldon Gilford
William Handler
Marvin Hoffen
Michael Kamensky
Isaac Rokni
Betty Schulman
Esther Simon
Oliver Steiner
Sam Zelen

Feb 14-5 Adar I

Sydelle Eisenberg
Gloria Ginsburg
Anne Greenfield
Maurice Haft
Ida Kosova
Abraham Levin
Howard Neumann
Faye Rosenberg
Sylvia Steinfeld
Kate Tessler

Dr. Jeffrey Tritsch
Florence Weiner
Larry Wolfson
Emanuel Wolgel

Feb 15-6 Adar I

Ted Abel
Fanny Adler
Hyman Africk
Leon Bankier
James Berenson
Mamie Lerman
Davis
Abe Edelman
Donald Epstein
Albert Fink
Barry Lee Gordon
Shirley Minkus
Odile Pintz
Lois Ross
Sam Shwachman
Frank Topel

Feb 16-7 Adar I

Gina Alterson
Laurence Good
Norman Katanick
Gladys Kaufman
Lillian Kramer
Samuel Lasky
Gary Lerman
Doris Mages
Jerry Rappin

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CONGREGATION
BETH SHALOM

Shabbat -
Mishpatim

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 worshipping 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 Bar Mitzvah, Madden, son of Dr Jonathan and Tracy Williams

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If you are interested in being a part of our community, please contact Michael Garlin, Executive Director.



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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.

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.

Thought to Ponder:

What lesson from the Exodus do you think is most important to impart to the next generation?

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.

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Mark Your Calendars

- Feb 16 FYC Shabbat Service and dinner
Feb 19 CBS main office closed for Presidents Day
Feb 23-24 Ark Adventures
Feb 23 ShabbaTONE and 4th Grade Shabbat
Mar 1-2 Shabbat with a Twist
Mar 1 Birthday Shabbat Selahbrate
Mar 2 Havdalah Sing-a-long
Mar 8-9 Ark Adventures
Mar 8 Anniversary Shabbat Selahbrate

Visit our Website for all of our CBS Live! Class Offerings
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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 | Exodus 22:4-8 | Andrew Berman | 465 |
| 2 | Exodus 22:9-12 | Jonathan Williams | 466 |
| 3 | Exodus 22:13-18 | Randi Simon | 466 |
| 4 | Exodus 22:19-26 | Alice Williams | 468 |
| 5 | Exodus 22:27-23:5 | Sam Grief | 470 |
| 6 | Exodus 23:6-13 | Carol Blustein | 472 |
| 7 | Exodus 23:14-19 | Matty Shechtman | 473 |
| MAFTIR | Numbers 28:9-15 | Madden Williams | 930 |
| HAFTARAH | Isaiah 66:1-18 | Madden Williams | 1220 |

This Week's Parashah

The name of this week's *parsha*, Mishpatim, translates to *social ordinances*. This is the first Torah Portion after the Ten Commandments, and it deals with how we are to live together. Our tradition is telling us that we need rules to live together and we have to respect the dignity of every one. We follow up last week's big ten with the small print: 53 more commandments. Among the list is the famous line about punishment being "eye for an eye" or what is known in fancy language as *lex talionis* - the law of retaliation. As Mahatma Gandhi (and *Fiddler on the Roof*) taught, this law would make the whole world blind. The Rabbis of the Talmud agree - they come up with ten different reasons why "eye for an eye" is just a metaphor. They believe it means that punishment should be just, but not physical nor savage. We all know that lessons are best learned in a way fitting for the situation. ADD - Rosh Chodesh Adar & Shabbat Shekalim Torah Info.

Today's Haftarah

This is the last chapter in the Book of Isaiah and it is the Prophet's final plea for Israel's complete loyalty to God. These are the exiles whom Cyrus of Persia had permitted to return. They are now completing the rebuilding of the Jerusalem Temple. The work had taken a long time because of Samaritan opposition to the returned exiles. Altogether the rebuilding had taken about twenty-three years (538-515 B.C.E.) Now that the Temple is to be reopened, Isaiah reminds the people about God's expectations of them. They must fully understand that God's dwelling is actually the whole wide world. The Temple is therefore only a symbol of God's presence among the people. But His presence is hardly limited to the Temple alone. The purpose of the Temple shall be to inspire men to reverence. The Temple worship must lead to ethical living. The bringing of sacrifices is only the means toward the larger goal of righteousness in everyday life. If the people shall indeed fulfill this high ethical goal, then Zion shall be beautifully transformed. And Jerusalem shall become a model city to the world. This last chapter in the Book of Isaiah is assigned for Rosh Hodesh Sabbaths because it contains the theme expressed in Verse 23: "And, it shall come to pass, that from one new moon to another, shall all humans come to worship before Me "