

## We Remember

### May 24-26 Iyar

Rose Carp  
Sol Dolin  
Hymond Getzberg  
Morris Gitlitz  
Zelda Leff  
Lawrence Levine  
Lawrence Rosner  
Gertrude Ross  
Abe Sachs  
Lillian Kass Simels  
David Nathan  
Slosky  
Emanuel Wexler

### May 25-27 Iyar

Rose Block  
Steven Blum  
Kathleen Jo Checker  
Louis Cooper  
Isadore Gentner  
Harry Kaplan  
Louis Karlinsky  
Nessie Kessler  
Bernard Kuzan  
Andrea B. Medin  
Barbara Nissen  
Nathan S. Rabens  
Bennett Shulman  
Gloria Shwachman  
Walter Vorona

### May 26-28 Iyar

Florence Baruck  
Esther Fogelson  
Samuel Goldman  
Perle Heftman  
Pearl Iglarsh  
Carol Keller  
Eddie Miller  
Jack Schulman  
Betty Steiner  
Herbert Wulf

### May 27-29 Iyar

Diana F. Barrish  
Sylvia Chasen  
Harriet Chensky  
Florence Cohen  
Lillian Cohen  
Faye Danzig  
Harry J. Dunn  
Miriam Horwitz  
Esther Kulick  
Phil Kutchins  
Mary Robin  
Leonard Silverman  
Sam Singer  
Beverly Sklar  
Dena Slotky  
Sol Zisook

### May 28-1 Sivan

Sophie Binstein

Marsha Bosley  
Jack Boyansky  
Helen Hunt  
Alan Hurwick  
Ilene Leon  
Lillian Lew  
Aaron Schonfeld

### May 29-2 Sivan

Rose Agrest  
Hinda Chabner  
Leah Dickler  
Florence Dredze  
Libby Dubofsky  
Ethel Glikman  
Arthur Lasser  
Shirley Sonenfeld  
Alice Weinstock  
Arlyne Wolfson  
Mamie Yusim

### May 30-3 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



CONGREGATION  
BETH SHALOM

May 24, 2025  
26 Iyar 5785

Shabbat -  
Behar-  
Bechukotai

## 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

Sue Lampert, President ■ Rabbi Emeritus Carl Wolkin z'l

Mazel Tov to our  
Bat Mitzvah, Ilana,  
daughter of  
Sari and Geoffrey Weil

If you are interested  
in being a part of our  
community, please  
contact Michael Garin,  
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,

### Thought to Ponder:

This parsha concludes both  
Leviticus and its "Holiness  
Code" (Lev. 17-26). What would  
you include in a Holiness Code for  
today?

## Acknowledgements

The Kiddush is hosted by: Sari and  
Geoffrey Weil in honor of their daughter,  
Ilana, becoming a Bat Mitzvah; Irene Rogers  
in honor of her 90th Birthday and the  
Congregation, Sisterhood and the Laven  
Family Shabbat Celebration Fund.

## Mark Your Calendars

- May 26** CBS Office Closed for  
Memorial Day
- May 31** Family Shabbat Experience
- Jun 1** CBS marches in the BG  
Pride Parade
- Jun 1** Spring into Summer Shavuot  
Dinner and Program
- Jun 2-3** CBS Office Closed for  
Shavuot
- Jun 6** Ruach Shabbat with  
Birthday Selahbrate
- Jun 7** Family Shabbat Service
- Jun 13** Anniversary Shabbat  
Selahbrate

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## Today's Torah Reading

ALIYAH	CHAPTER/VERSES	READER	PAGE
1	Leviticus 27:1-4	Irene Rogers	753
2	Leviticus 27:5-8	Ellie Rogers	753
3	Leviticus 27:9-15	Susan Stoehr	754
4	Leviticus 27:16-21	Rabbi David Chapman	755
5	Leviticus 27:22-25	Mark Gelfand	755
6	Leviticus 27:26-28	Rabbi David Chapman	756
7	Leviticus 27:29-34	Carol Blustein	756
MAFTIR	Leviticus 27:32-34	Ilana Weil	756
HAFTARAH	Jeremiah 16:19-17:6	Ilana Weil	759

## This Week's Parashah

Every seventh year is to be a "Sabbath of the Lord," a year of complete rest for the land. The Israelites will not be permitted to work their fields, but they will be allowed to gather and to share whatever the land produces. A Jubilee Year will occur every fiftieth year. It is a year of release for the land and all its inhabitants. During the Jubilee Year, the land is not to be sown or reaped - it is to lie fallow. The second half of this week's Torah portion, concluding the Book of Leviticus, is filled with blessings and curses. The blessings are a reward for adhering to God's commandments. The curses, on the other hand, are a consequence of disobedience to God. The Book of Leviticus concludes with several verses on tithes and the redemption of tithes, and with the statement: "These are the commandments that the Lord gave to Moses for the Israelite people on Mount Sinai." The portion concludes with a reminder to the people not to set up or worship idols, but to keep God's Sabbaths.

## Today's Haftarah

Jeremiah brings a warning to the Jewish people about the disasters to befall them if they do not follow the Torah. One who places his trust in mortals rather than in God is compared to "a lone tree in the wilderness," a tree forced to endure the harshness of the arid desert. But the person who puts his trust in God is blessed; God will be his security. That person is like "a tree that is planted near water, which will spread its roots alongside brooks . . . whose foliage will be ever fresh, who will not worry in years of drought and will never stop producing fruit." The Haftarah ends with a message of hope. No matter how dark the present, the covenant of the Patriarchs remains intact; hope and healing will yet come, for God is our salvation. This week's Haftarah parallels the Torah reading in warning the Jewish people that disaster is likely to befall them if they do not follow the teachings of God as expressed in Torah. Both the Torah reading and Haftarah describe the consequences of not following the Torah and blessings of a life guided by God's teachings.

## Congregational Gifts

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 baby namings are provided  
by the Zaransky Family Ticktin Jewish  
Community Memorial Fund.

## 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.

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