

We Remember

Mar 21-3 Nisan

David Flanzer
Anna Freedman
Thelma Goldsmith
Joseph H. Levenson
Arnold Rothstein
Harold Shapiro
Mac Turner

Mar 22-4 Nisan

Joan Sally
Donenberg
Eleanor Kramer
Rose Krefetz
Belle Lee
Carol Tucker
Reginato
Abraham Rich
Rose Saltzberg
Edyth Sandler
Howard Silberman
Ida Topel
Rebecca Weiss

Mar 23-5 Nisan

Nathan Ander
Rebecca Salter
Arnold
Tillie Friedman
Paul Kauffman
Anne Kurnick
Ruth Ritt

Lena Steinberg
Dina Lea Weberman

Mar 24-6 Nisan

Brenda Friedman
Albert Geiderman
Albert Handelman
June Handler
Norma Olesker
Anne Schuster
Jane Small
Martin Stern
Harry Stoehr
Esther Stone
Jane Weingart
Molly Wimsberg
Sam Yusim

Mar 25-7 Nisan

Shirley Brozosky
Rivian H Greenberg
Joseph Greenberg
Arnold Hoffman
Albert Karno
Alex Lerman
Irene Minkoff
Sharon Polisky
Raymond Schwab
Sali Stern
Mayer Zandberg

Mar 26-8 Nisan

Benjamin Berks
Martin Blonder
David Fisher
Richard Kushnir
Elsie Polay
Vilma Sadowsky
Louise Sherman
Bernard
Tannenbaum

Mar 27-9 Nisan

David Givertz
Geraldine Grant
Jerome J Regal
Rakhil Rivelis
Edward Rubin
Norman Satinover
Jack Solomon
Howard Treguboff
Howard Warshaw

March 21, 2026
3 Nisan 5786



Shabbat -
Vayikra

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

Welcome to Consul
General to the Midwest
from Israel,
Elad Strohmayer

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 daily
in-person Minyanim.

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

Thought to Ponder:
The word for "sacrifice" means "to
come close." Have you ever made a
sacrifice to get closer to something /
someone?

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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Mark Your Calendars

- Mar 22-28 Religious School Spring
Break
- Apr 1 Passover Begins (CBS Office
closes at noon)
- Apr 2-3 CBS Office closed for
Passover
- Apr 5 HUGS Chocolate Seder
- Apr 7 CBS Pesach Dinner
- Apr 7 CBS Main Office Closes at
noon
- Apr 8-9 CBS Office Closed for
Passover

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, 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.

Today's Torah Reading

ALIYAH	CHAPTER/VERSES	READER	PAGE
1	Leviticus 1:1-4	Bill Shulman	585
2	Leviticus 1:5-9	Bill Shulman	588
3	Leviticus 1:10-13	Bill Shulman	589
4	Leviticus 1:14-17	Bill Shulman	589
5	Leviticus 2:1-6	Bill Shulman	590
6	Leviticus 2:7-13	Bill Shulman	591
7	Leviticus 2:14-16	Bill Shulman	592
MAFTIR	Leviticus 2:14-16	Bill Shulman	592
HAFTARAH	Isaiah 43:21-44:23	Bill Shulman	607

This Week's Parashah

As the Book of Leviticus begins, the Israelites
are slowly traveling through the desert toward
the Promised Land. From the time that they
received the Torah at Mt. Sinai, the Israelites
offered sacrifices as a way of worshipping God.
Vayikra describes these various sacrifices: The
Olah (burnt offering) signaled that one was in
need of communicating with God. The sacri-
fice could be a sheep, a goat, a bull, a pigeon
or a turtledove. The Mincha (meal offering)
consisted of unleavened flour or grain of the
finest quality mixed with olive oil and frankin-
cense. It served the same purpose as the Olah,
but was brought by one who could not afford
to bring an animal offering. The Zevach-
Shelamim (sacrifice of well-being) was a sacri-
fice from the herd or one's flock. The Chatat
(sin offering) and the Asham (guilt offering)
were expiatory sacrifices intended to secure
atonement and forgiveness from God. The
Chatat was in some cases a young bull, and in
others a sheep or goat. It had to be brought
when a person had mistakenly committed a
sin. If a person's transgression involved the
misappropriation of property intended for the
Sanctuary, then an Asham was required.

Today's Haftarah

This week's Haftarah deplores Is-
rael's neglect of all worship. Isaiah
addresses the Jews exiled to Baby-
lon after the first destruction of the
Temple in Jerusalem. The Jews
have been punished for their failure
to live up to God's expectations.
Isaiah reminds the Jews that there
is only one God in whom to believe.
The idols worshiped by other na-
tions are mere blocks of wood and
it would be foolish to worship them,
for they are of no use. The Torah
portion describes the authentic
worship of God by Israel in the earli-
est Biblical times at the sanctuary.
This is in stark contrast to the falling
away from God during the time of
Isaiah as described in this week's
Haftarah.