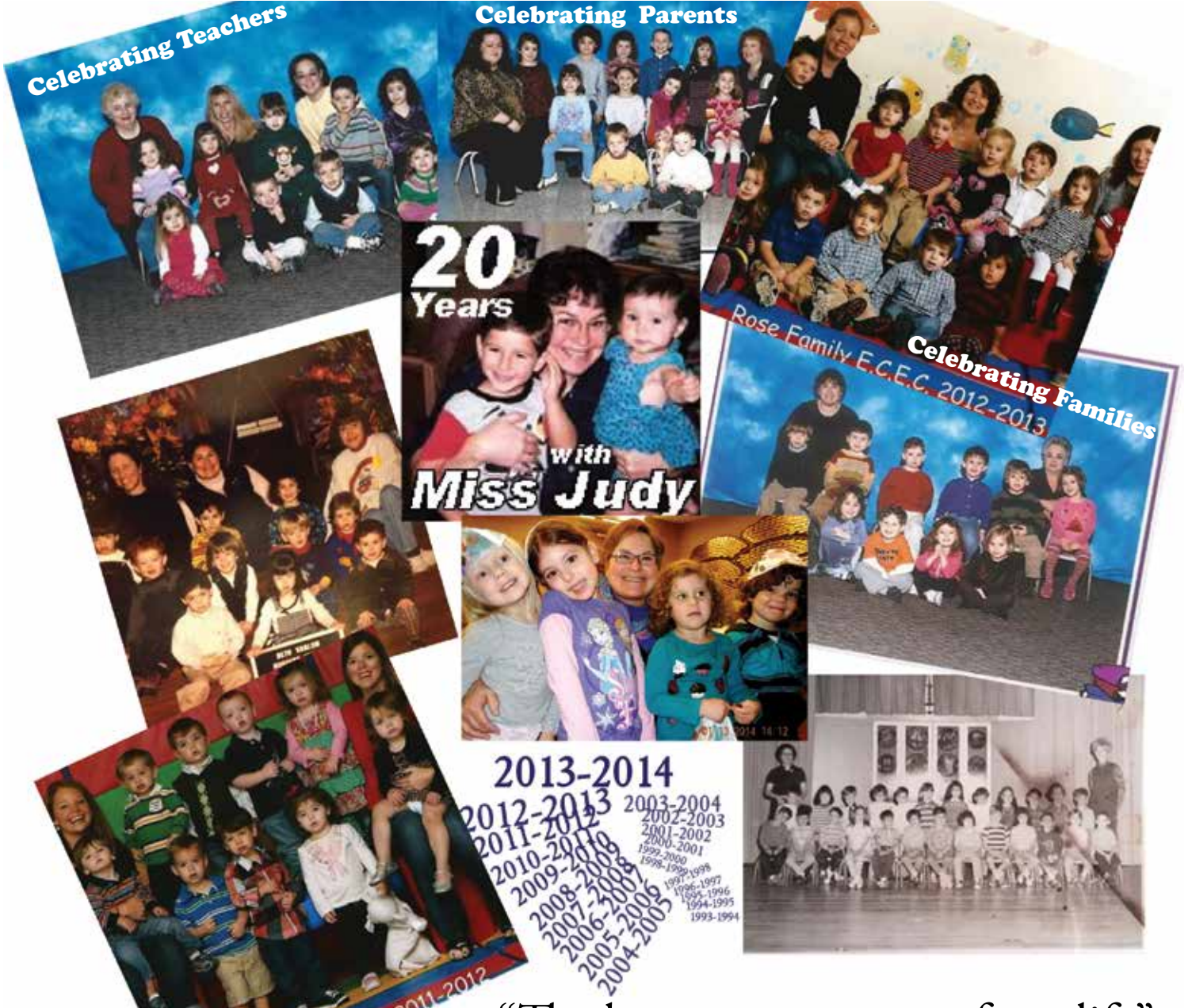


Celebrating 20 Years with Miss Judy



“The best twenty years of my life”

Judy Jacks Berman

Come celebrate Miss Judy Jacks Berman's 20 years at Beth Shalom, as well as celebrating our preschool students, parents and teachers Shabbat morning, February 8 beginning at 9:30 am.

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From the Rabbi's Study

"If I am not for myself, who will be for me?"

There are reasons why certain teachings of our tradition are at the forefront of our collective consciousness. Though easy to dismiss as clichés, these teachings usually contain deep, easily distilled wisdom. One of my favorite teachings of Hillel, from Pirkei Avot: "If I am not for myself, who will be for me? If I am only for myself, what am I? If not now, when?"

This short sentence serves as a foundation for a Jewish approach toward ethics. First, it teaches the ethical position of helping yourself and your own community – because if you do not care for yourself, it is folly to think that others will. Secondly, it teaches us that if we only care for ourselves we have a limited and parochial worldview that does not give our existence meaning. Finally, it expresses the urgency of action right now.

This year celebrates the

centennial of the Joint Distribution Committee (known as "The Joint" or The JDC). Begun in 1914 when Henry Morgenthau, Jr., then ambassador to the Ottoman Empire, wired a telegram to Jacob Schiff about the perilous situation for the Jews living in the Land of Israel under Ottoman rule. This triggered the foundation of one of the world's great humanitarian relief organizations that helps both the Jewish and the general community throughout Eastern Europe, South America, and the entire world.

The creation of the Joint began a century of work dedicated exclusively to Hillel's teachings. The Joint helps Jews in peril and at risk; it helps non-Jews in every country in which they function. In short they put Torah into action, making Hillel's famous dictum a reality.

I encourage you to find a way

to celebrate the JDC's Centennial this year. In our community, Kansas City will be privileged to host Alan Gill, the JDC's CEO on Sunday, February 23, 3:00 pm, at The Temple, Congregation B'nai Jehudah as a joint presentation by the Jewish Federation and the Rabbinical Association of Greater Kansas City. I hope you will come to show your support, be inspired by the Joint's work in over 70 countries throughout the globe and wish it a "Happy Birthday."

For more information and registration, visit: <https://jewishkansascity.org/jdccentennial>.



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Every Day at Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center Is a Fun Day

"The best twenty years of my life" is how Judy Jacks Berman characterizes her experience as Director of the Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center. To quote Miss Judy, who says she has loved every minute of her time at CBS, "Every day at our pre-school is a 'happy day'". She added, "If I'm having fun, and the teachers are having fun, then the kids



will have fun while growing and learning".

By the time she was 21, Judy had served as Director of Junior Camp at the JCC Barney Goodman camp and as Director/Head Teacher of Boone County Head Start while attending the University of Missouri. After she transferred to the University of Kansas, she ran EduCare, a student/faculty day care center, and earned her B.S. in Human Development and Family Life.

Judy was married to Steve Berman the summer before her senior year, and after graduation they moved to Los Angeles so Steve could go to graduate school. Future moves to Portland, Houston and Albany for Steve's jobs included more Early Childhood teaching experiences with a move into Jewish Education at the Preschool of

*Miss Sunni
and
Miss Judy*



Beth Yeshurun in Houston and starting and leading the Preschool at Ohev Shalom in Albany. A move back to Kansas City 20 years ago to be closer to family was good fortune for Judy, as well as for CBS when the director's job at our Pre-School became available. The rest, as they say, is history, a happy, successful history! Judy and Steve are the proud parents of two sons; Joseph, a rabbi in Boston, and Jeffrey, a lawyer in Los Angeles who is married to Courtney, a rabbinic student at Hebrew Union College.

Executively Speaking

Beth Shalom's Rose Family Preschool



For many of us, our earliest (and warmest) lifetime recollections are from attending preschool at Beth Shalom. I can still remember some of the songs we learned in Miss Doreen and Miss Eileen's classes and the dynamism of Miss Skipper Feingold.

For the past 20 years, we have been blessed with Judy Jacks Berman's wonderful and loving leadership of our Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center, who has continued and enhanced the school's marvelous legacy. On this occasion, we will celebrate Miss Judy's tenure and the success of the preschool with a reunion and special program and Kiddush on Shabbat morning, February 8.

Please encourage all of our alumni to come to shul on February 8, to share memories and honor Miss Judy on this important milestone in her career.



Meet PreSchoolers with Miss Sunni and Miss Judy
L-R, front: Leonardo Aptilon, Maya Shamir, Leslie Hankin, Eli Swade. Back: Miss Sunni Rosenbloom, Ayla Williams, Miss Judy.

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USY International Experience

by Emma Shapiro

This year I was fortunate enough to have the opportunity to attend USY International Convention in New Orleans. It was the most amazing experience! I got to reconnect with many of my friends from the USY On Wheels East trip I did this summer, and also made a lot of new friends. The services were always fun, full of participation and ruach! We had some speakers come who were also very inspirational. One of the days we were split into groups and went to volunteer at different places affected by Hurricane Katrina. I cleaned up a community center that was set up after Katrina to aid the victims. I thought it would be overwhelming to have over 700 other kids in the convention, but USY is such a welcoming community that I felt at home right away. I knew that I loved

USY and wanted to play an active role in helping it thrive in my community, but after IC I wanted to start right away to become a bigger part immediately. I'm looking forward to keeping in touch with all of my new friends and hopefully being able to see everyone at IC next year in Atlanta! I am especially looking forward to all the upcoming USY programs, conventions, and activities to be involved in.



USY February Programs:

- January 31- February 2 – Winter Shabbaton in St. Louis, MO
- Wednesdays, February 5, 12, 19, 27 Wednesday Night Programs
- Friday, February 14 - Kabbalat Shabbat at Village Shalom
- February 28- March 2 – Kadima Kinnus Excelsior Springs

Sisterhood Torah Fund

The Torah Fund campaign of Women's League for Conservative Judaism for 2013-14 is well underway. We have had a very generous response to the Chayei Olam appeal, gifts of \$180 and above. Now we are focusing on gifts that will help us reach our suggested goal of \$16,000. Torah Fund is now in its seventy-first year of raising money to educate laity and train congregational professionals. It supports projects and scholarships at the Jewish Theological Seminary in New York, the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies in Los Angeles, the Schechter Institute in Jerusalem and the Seminario Rabinico Latinoamericano in Buenos Aires.

Please respond generously to your recent letter or phone call. Many employers match charitable



contributions such as Torah Fund. Please ask if yours is one of them.

Make plans to attend the Torah Fund Luncheon, Friday, April 18. All contributions must be paid by March 21 in order to be acknowledged in the luncheon program.

For more information, please contact Gloria Sher, gloriasher1205@gmail.com or 913-499-8260.

Prayerworks for Sisterhood

No one should suffer alone. The beauty of Judaism is that we take care of each other. Sisterhood offers a monthly session of collective prayer for those in need of physical, emotional or spiritual healing. Both men and women are welcome – from the entire community. The meetings are on the fourth Wednesday of the month at 10 am at the synagogue. Sessions last about an hour. This is a welcoming group, who are confidential and non-judgmental. They are there to help each other through spirituality to overcome pain – in the heart, body or soul. There is also a CD or booklet that is available free of charge to those who would prefer to pray at home, or are unable to attend. For information or to submit a name for healing, contact: Ricki Haith, facilitator, 913-341-8707 or RickieH1@aol.com.

Sisterhood Opportunities

February 4

Ronald McDonald Family Room

February 5

Warm Up America!

February 6, 13, 20, 27

Peltzman Classes

February 10

Children's Place

February 12

Board of Directors Meeting

February 12

Book Club

February 26

PrayerWorks

March 5

Warm Up America!



Jewish Adult Education Opportunities

Downtown Talmud Jam

—Feb. 12

Peltzman Class

—Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27

Parashat Hashavua Class

—Feb 15

Celebrate Live Theater with CBS

See a play with your CBS friends. . . *Journey's End* . . . an uncompromising play about war as it echoes on the homefront or in government, as a daily phenomenon for those who fight it," Sunday, February 23, 2 pm, J.C. Nichols Auditorium at The National WWI Museum. Call Stephen Feinstein for more information at 913-837-5523 or [order tickets online](#) for a group rate of \$22 by Feb. 7. Regular price is \$35.

Nominations

Beth Shalom's nominating committee will soon meet to select a slate of officers for 2014-15, eight board members to serve three year terms, 2014-17, and to fill any board vacancies that may exist. In accordance with the Beth Shalom Bylaws, the Nominating Committee is being chaired by Immediate Past President Kurt Kavanaugh. Recommendations for officer and board positions may be sent to him by email at kskav@kc.rr.com or c/o Beth Shalom, 14200 Lamar, Overland Park, KS 66223 by February 14th. The election will be held at the congregation's annual meeting and installation.

Polsky Religious School (PRS)

Hazzan Tahl Ben-Yehuda, Director of Congregational Learning | hazzantby@bethshalomkc.org

Adar I Gives Us a Moment to Catch Our Breath

Shalom from PRS! While the year began fast and furious because of the “early High Holy Days”, we now get a bit of down time time, and since it is a leap year, before Purim and Peasch are on top of us. The added month of Adar 1 into our Hebrew calendar is a blessing, allowing us here at school to focus on our Hebrew, Jewish History, Torah, and the Jewish Year.

Friday night, February 7:

Fourth and fifth grade Shabbat –hosted service in Goldsmith Hall

February 16: No Sunday School

Sunday morning, February 23:

Kindergarten Round-up recruitment event; if you or your friends have a child who will be attending kindergarten

Kindergarten Roundup

Polsky Religious School will showcase its nationally recognized religious school program at its annual kindergarten round-up on Sunday, February 23. Families with prospective kindergarten students should meet in the foyer outside Goldsmith Hall at 10:30 am. Prospective kindergarten students will join our current kindergarten class for fun activities and a snack. Parents will meet with Hazzan Tahl Ben-Yehuda, Director of Congregational Learning and will visit in



ten in a secular school next year, please attend for a taste of what the PRS kindergarten class is like.

March 7: Third Grade Shabbat-hosted Friday night service in Goldsmith Hall

Finally, we unveiled our Junior Junior Congregation service, Shabbat Kids’ Club, on Shabbat morning, January 11th. The next services will be Shabbat mornings, **Feb. 8** and **March 1.**

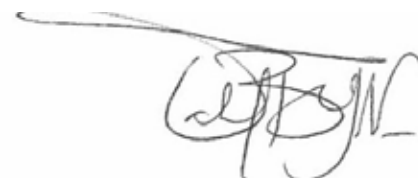
All Beth Shalom children in kindergarten through third grade are invited to attend. Parents are welcome to stay. This service is full of song and story. It is the first transition step between Tot Shabbat and building comfort with the actual Shabbat service.

the kindergarten class.

We need your help to spread the word about our outstanding school to others!

If you know of a family with a child of kindergarten age next fall who has not received an invitation from the school, or if you know of a family that does not belong to CBS who would like to see the program, please contact Patti Kroll in the school office at 913-647-7290.

If you are a Bar or Bat Mitzvah student, do you know how to write an original d’var Torah about your Torah portion? Help is coming your way. On Sunday, February 9, 9:30 am, B’nei Mitzvah students and their parents will participate in a workshop designed to help them put together an original d’var Torah based on the text of the student’s Parsha. It will



Tot Shabbat February 8 at 11:00 am!

If you have kids ages 0-Pre-K, please join us with your children for TOT SHABBAT with MISS BRIDEY February 8 at 11:00 am!

Shabbat Kids Club



If you have kids in grades K-3, please join us for Shabbat Kids Club: A learning service with tefilot led by HAZZAN BEN-YEHUDA and Parshah of the week and story time led by LEE ALBEE. Parents are welcome!

Both services will begin at 11 am, with breakfast and will conclude with a special Kiddush sponsored by Karen and Jeff Gerson and Robyn and Seth Freiden.

be led by Rabbi Glickman and Patti Kroll who currently meet with all B’nei Mitzvah students to better help them understand their Torah portion. Families who are in this 6th Grade B’nei Mitzvah group will also be notified about this workshop and the last of our series of B’nei Mitzvah parent-student workshops on Tallit and Tefilin which will be Sunday, April 6.





CELEBRATING LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

[Submit your B'nei Mitzvah announcements to be published.](#)

Mazal Tov to our B'nei Mitzvah

Ethan Jacob Newman February 15 / 15 Adar I



Ethan's parents are Neil and Catherine Newman. Celebrating with him are grandparents, Peter and Beverly Newman and Harry and Janice Shopmaker, along with his sister Emily. Attending Lakewood Middle School, Ethan enjoys soccer, Boy Scouts and drums and

percussion. He is working with kids of different ages in Special Olympics for his Bar Mitzvah project.

Friends and family are invited to worship with the family and attend the Kiddush luncheon following services.

Jared Yan Schultz February 22 / 22 Adar I

Minchah



Jared's parents are Eric and Amy Schultz. His grandparents are Shelton and Nancy Gallas and Drs. Joseph and Bella Schultz of Brookline, Mass, and his great grandmother is Mrs. Shirley Bernstein. His sister is Nina Schultz. He attends

Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy and enjoys cars, computers and bike riding. Jared has completed over 100 community service hours this past year at various agencies in Kansas City including Village Shalom, Harvesters and the Ronald McDonald House.

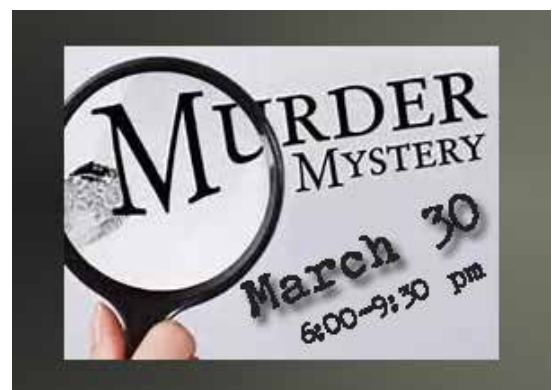
Relatives and friends are invited to worship with the family for the Minchah celebration.



Fiesta Shabbat

Join us for a new flavor of Shabbat Friday, February 28th! Services begin at 6 pm, followed by a tantalizing meal including: mixed salad, cheese enchiladas, nacho bar, spanish rice, and sopapilla cheesecake bars for dessert!

The cost is \$10/person or \$36/family of 4. Online registration is available at bethshalomkc.org or call Stefanie Williams, 913-647-7269, for more information!



The time looms closer,
Trouble is in the air,
We hope you'll join us for the grand affair.
Come dressed to kill – like the Roaring 20s,
Enjoy food and drink, we'll have a' plenty!!
Info and invitation to follow –
Look for more in March!!

CELEBRATING LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Ecclesiastes 3:1



February Anniversaries

February Anniversaries will be honored during services on Shabbat morning, February 15. March Anniversaries will be honored on March 15. To sponsor a Kiddush, contact Jill, 913-647-7286.

Day		Years
4	Larry & Ronna Nussbaum	41
5	Larry & Sandra Jabenis	48
5	Yuly & Asya Khalemsky	59
5	Gary Lerner & Marie Mills	14
7	Jerry & Barbara Cosner	54
7	Lloyd & Lucinda Lazarus	44
9	Joel & Hildy Goldman	34
10	Lee & Sunie Levin	62
13	Warren & Beth Bayzman	20
13	Jeff & Karen Gerson	15
14	Bob & Fran Becker	44
14	Jay & Sandra Rozen	49
15	Alan & Tracy Shafton	11
15	Ryan & Katie Zeldin	11
16	Scott & Shira Zigler	11
26	Bill & Lynn Intrater	30
27	Joe Smuckler & Marcia Karbank	15

Mazal Tov to...

[Submit your Mazal Tov to be published](#)

Elisa and James Pener upon the marriage of their son, Sam Pener to Megan Singer on December 29. Megan's parents are Cindy and Sheldon Singer. Grandparents are Helene and Morton Singer and **Rickie and Dr. Edward Haith**.

Victor and Annie Wishna, upon the birth of their son, Abraham Jonathan, on January 22. Grandparents are **Sheldon Wishna** and **Merilyn and Loren Berenbom** and great grandfather is **Max Berenbom**. His sister is Vivien Jeannette.

Martha Hoffman, upon her nephew, Noah Hoffman being named to the 2014 Olympic team for cross-country skiing.

Scout Shabbat Feb. 22

Calling all Scouts and Scouters to the annual Scout Shabbat which will be held on February 22 at Shabbat morning services.



Please join us to recognize the following members of Troop 61 who will receive the Ner Tamid award:

Ethan Matsil, David Franke and James Mendel

The following cub scouts have also earned their Aleph and Macabee awards:

Aleph award: Samuel Ellis, Ethan Sosland and Jack Levine

Maccabee award: Justin Parmet

Please join us as we recognize those that support Scouting, including the synagogue that has sponsored Troop 61 since 1925.

Welcome to New Members

Emma Becker

Andrew and Emily Kerstein and family

Gregory and Ashley Nerman

Of Blessed Memory

We express condolences to our Beth Shalom Members, their Families and Friends.

Lois Myers, z"l, Dec. 29 / 26 Tevet

Barbara Bloustine Gallas, z"l, Jan. 8 / 7 Shevat

William Root, z"l, Jan. 9 / 8 Shevat

(Pam Fite's Father)

Roberta Ann Fleider, z"l, Jan. 12 / 11 Shevat

Robert S. Hoffman, z"l, Jan. 17 / 16 Shevat

Barbara Solomon Pape, z"l, Jan. 20 / 19 Shevat

Sylvester Sher, z"l, Jan. 22 / 21 Shevat

Ann Schifman, z"l, Jan. 22 / 21 Shevat

Yahrtzeits

Join us for morning or evening minyan to say Kaddish for your loved one. See service schedule, page 11.

1 Adar I-Feb. 1

Jacob Berlin
Max Billig
Jack Isadore Fein
Chaya Finkelstein
Sarah Gellens
Samuel Glass
Sarah N. Gordon
Elias Jacobs
Rose Ladinsky
Rose Laner
Lena Levin
Helen Matson
Rachel Minda
Joseph Pelofsky
Benjamin Rosenberg
Louis Sosland

2 Adar I-Feb. 2

Abraham L.
Alexander
Freda Aranson
Abe I. Bertman
Abraham Coleman
Max Finkelstein
Jake Garfinkle
Dorothy Goldklang
Golda Gordon
Sarilee K. Hoffman
Lottie Levine
Olga Lindy
Carl Matters
Edward Schlien
Ira Witschner
Elly Berek Zalusky

3 Adar I-Feb. 3

Allan Baker
Ida Bernbaum
Ida Bloustine
Alan B. Feingold
Ida Harris Harburg
Sadie Ozar
Jacob Leopold Rose
Joseph Rubin

4 Adar I-Feb. 4

Ruth Bormaster
Jacob Freidman
Herman R. Friedson
Jack Gordon
Baily Libby Hakan
Celia Krieger
Sidney Levin
Marian Levitt
Florence Solow
Margolin
Abraham Rittmaster
Bebe Sanell Schwartz
Stanley Harrison
Schwartz

Gishah Bathia Siegel

Elenor Siegelbaum
Sophie Smolinsky

5 Adar I-Feb. 5

Abraham D.
Achtenberg
Rebecca Allis
Samuel M. Epstein
Joseph Klugman
Joseph Krieger
Gertrude Louis
Joseph Novorr
Anna Reisman
Fannie Fay Remer
Mary Rubin
Betty Weisberg
David Myer Weneck
Esther Yukon

6 Adar I-Feb. 6

Dorothy Benjamin
Joseph Bernstein
Freda Bodker
Louis Cohen
Harry Dolginoff
Rubin Fried
Morris Gardesky
Ethel Goodman
Morris Lipoff
Irvin B. Maizlish
Joseph Marks
Mary Morris
Fannie Peltzman
Esther Rosner
Harry Rubin

7 Adar I-Feb. 7

Lee Brian Berris
Morse Bramson
Lillian Brenner
Wolf Cohen
Arthur Ellis
Gelpman
Carole Linda Haile
Esther Kanter
Harvey Kantor
Jack Darwin Levine
David N. Lieberman
Wolf Lindenbaum
Louis Mack
David Marcuvitz
Frederick Alfred
Marshock
N. Joseph Price
Leon Samazin
Frank Silberg

8 Adar I-Feb. 8

Goldie Baker
Leib Friedman
Israel Garfinkle
Samuel Golinsky
Ida Johanna Keller
Rebecca Klapper
Ethel Markus
Bessie Rosenberg
Marye E. Sachs
Minnie Schneider
Lillian Schultz
Julius C. Shapiro
Louis L. Stein
Jacob Viner
Sam Weiner
Louis Zevitz

9 Adar I-Feb. 9

Nathan Fox
Joseph Friedman
Libby S. Goldstein
Gertrude Goldstein
Richard Jacob Haber
Evelyn Hans
Manuel Hurwitz
Max Isenberg
Arthur Krieger
Flora Reva
Rosenblum
Milton Terte

10 Adar I-Feb. 10

Ida Brown
Gertrude Cohn
Mildred Gray
David Karol
Bertram William
Ross
Dora Berger Rossberg
Sarah Laport
Shopmaker
Lottie Spector
Meyer Taxman
William Weiner

11 Adar I-Feb. 11

Ida Birnbaum
Arthur C. Block
Jeanette Bordy
Anna Choikhit
Max Eaglestein
Izzy David Hammer
Esther Feinberg King
Martha Major
Charles Louis
Neustein
Joseph Rubenstein
Anna Stein
Samuel Tepper

12 Adar I-Feb. 12

Anna Chaiken
Sophie Dezettel
Mary Garfinkle
Dena Greenberg
Celia Herowitz
Tammie Marie
Klopper
Max Krockover
Evelyn LeVine
Shirley Ann Movitz
Albert H. Salkind

13 Adar I-Feb. 13

Anna Berkowitz
Hymie Berman
Ruth L. Birnbaum
Mildred Ellis
Maggie Fishman
Golding
Shepard Goldstein
Morris L. Hertzfeld
Louis Kanter
Fannie Lipsitz
Frances Markowitz
Gabriel Schwarz
Louis Wolfberg

14 Adar I-Feb. 14

Benjamin Altshuler
Eunice Copeland
Clara Fox
Morris Friedman
Bernard Hershman
Anna Gertrude Katz
Sol Katz
Elias Krigel
Harry N. Lerner
Charles S. Malcy
Rachel Posner
Sarah Tempofsky
Sherman Zinn

15 Adar I-Feb. 15

Julius Fried
Thomas Goldman
Birdie Hakan
Max B. Harris
Louise Lerner Levitch
Ellen Matzdorff
Joseph Monovitz
Jacob Rubin
Leon Schiller
Anna Rheva
Shanberg
Joseph Shapiro
Pearl Dora Silverforb

16 Adar I-Feb. 16

Catherine Kaplan
Betty Kaufman
Sarah Korlachik
Henia Langner
Sidney Louis
Moskovitz
Jean Ruth Rogers
Albert M. Schwartz
Philip Shankman
Matilda Shedorsky
Hattie Supofsky

17 Adar I-Feb. 17

Lewis Bratt
Bernard Eveloff
Louis Hershman
Meyer Levinson
Max Lieberman
Molly Meyers
Stephen Penzner
Ethel Pfeffer
Esther Shanberg
Rogell
Hershel Berl Salvay
Benjamin Seigel
Fannie Stein
Wolf Turec
Elizabeth Wedlan
Isadore Weintraub
Hyman Weneck
Louis Witschner

18 Adar I-Feb. 18

Sandra Cohen
Nyman Geister
Hinda Greenberg
Lena Kamen
Louisa Margaret
Goodman Snitz
Levin
Katherine Overbeck
Birdie Shlyen
Philip Smolinsky

19 Adar I-Feb. 19

Izzy Engel
Rachel Eveloff
Sarah Freda
Feigenbaum
Beatrice K. Gershon
Morris Gold
Herbert L. Karbank
Sol Levin
Rose Novorr Malmon
Philip Millman
Jacob Parelman
Joseph Shafton
Arnold Shanberg
Helen Steinzeig

Jean Taxman

Henry Zimmerman

20 Adar I-Feb. 20

Leon Bernstein
Jacob Brown
Rose Gordon
Herman Hershman
Benjamin Hoffman
Meir Keller
Helen Loeffler
Robert Parelman
Elizabeth Pfefer
D. Lena Rope
Ruth Silverstein
Celia Berlau Tranin
Samuel Wengrover
Ernst L. Wertheim
Frances June Winer
Abraham Zacharias

21 Adar I-Feb. 21

Harry Agron
Mary Aronson
Julius Bridges
Robert Morris
Coleman
Betty Edwards
Donald Ellis
Milton Firestone
Ronald Goodman
Paul Goodman
Dora Harrison
Gittel Levine
Jack Irving Poizner
Anna Salvay
Rose Singmon
Edward Stein

22 Adar I-Feb. 22

Evelyn S. Alster
Rebecca Cohen
C.C. "Judy" Clarence
Cohen
Beckie Cohn

23 Adar I-Feb. 23

Abraham Davis
Samuel G. Eisen
Simon Frank
Minnie Golinsky
Gussie Ida Goodman
Harry Herowitz
Sam Karosen
Leah Koffman
William M. Leff
Samuel Levitt
Rosa Lippman
Julius Markowitz
Barney Oppenheimer

Lillie Peltzman

Tillie C. Plotkin
Emma Sternberg

23 Adar I-Feb. 23

Isidore Bernstein
Herman Copaken
Charles L. Finkelstein
Anne Kay Fishman
Pearl Fleider
Jennie Gershon
Anna Gross
Sadie Katzman
Jacob Kramer
Meyer Present
William P. Rothschild
Clara Sheftel
Harriett A. Tilzer

24 Adar I-Feb. 24

Dora Brenner
Sarah Carroll
Samuel Diamant
Sarah Gerber
Rebecca Goldberg
Jacob Goodman
Jack Himmelstein
Etta Katzman
David Kramer
Sarah M. Krantz
Vrem D. Levens
Mildred Eaglstein
Levinson
Henry Zinn

25 Adar I-Feb. 25

Martha Fleider
Abe Gordon
Pearl Jacobs
Rose Levy
David Moses
Rogovain
Esther Shapiro
Sol Stolov
Ned Weiss

26 Adar I-Feb. 26

Louis Brown
Jacob Epstein
David Epstein
Minnie M. Friedson
Frances Rabicoff
Haith
Joseph Katzeff
Harry Markowitz
Harriett A. Rosenthal
Charles Rosenthal
Saul Siegel
Nathan Siegel
Joseph Silverman

27 Adar I-Feb. 27

Isadore Becker
Doris Bush
Stanley Goodman
Fannie Gordon
Sam Greenberg
Phillip Levine
Julius Levitch
Adolf Pucker
Zlotta Schnider
Ben Sosland
Fannie Davis Stevens

28 Adar I-Feb. 28

Jette Bergmann
Ruth Davis
Dave Gardesky
Lillian Leibson
Reva Lindman
Goldie Mallin
Jacob N. Myron
Reda Lily Noah
Susie Rosenbloom
Parelman
Joshua Waxenberg
Joseph Wolf



Todah Rabbah!



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Thank you for thinking of us.

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David and Rosalyn Burnstein
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Retha Lisman
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Fannye Noah
Ruben "Ruby" Noah
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Potato-Cheese Dumplings with Sour Cream-Chive Dip

Ingredients

- Cooking spray
- 1 medium uncooked baking potato, peeled and cut into 1-inch pieces
- 2 medium garlic cloves
- 2 oz low fat shredded cheddar or colby cheese (about 1/2 cup)
- 2 tbs. plus 1/4 cup fat free sour cream
- 24 round wonton wrappers, (about 6 oz total) *
- 1 tbs. fresh minced chives

Instructions

- Preheat oven to 350°F. Coat a large baking sheet with cooking spray.
- Combine potato and garlic in a medium saucepan. Cover with water and set pan over high heat. Bring to a boil and boil until potato is fork-tender, about 8 minutes. Drain and transfer potato and garlic to a large bowl; add cheese and 2 tablespoons of sour cream. Mash mixture together with a fork until lumpy.
- Place wonton wrappers on a flat surface. Drop potato mixture by tablespoonfuls onto center of each wrapper. Moisten edges of wrapper with wet fingers, fold over one side to make a half circle and press sides together to seal. Transfer filled wrappers to prepared baking sheet and coat surface with cooking spray.
- Bake until wontons are golden brown, about 15 minutes.
- Meanwhile, combine remaining 1/4 cup of sour cream and chives. Mix well and serve with potato dumplings Serves 6.

*Kosher wonton wrappers available at Whole Foods.

Administrative Staff Changes

Jill Goldstein is the new Ritual/Religious School Coordinator working with Hazzan Tahl Ben-Yehuda. Even though Jill can be found in the office of the Polsky Religious School, she will continue to maintain the administration of the ritual areas of the synagogue such as honors for Shabbat mornings, etc. Jill can be reached at jgoldstein@bethshalomkc.org or 913-647-7286.

Natasha Olinetchouck is the new Administrative Assistant to Rabbi David Glickman. If you need to schedule an appointment with Rabbi Glickman, please contact Natasha at natashao@bethshalomkc.org or 913-647-7281.

Martha Hoffman is the new Administrative Assistant to Elaine Levine and will be handling membership and building facilities. For membership or building needs, Martha can be reached at mhoffman@bethshalomkc.org or 913-647-7282 or 913-647-7283.

For cemetery, funeral or memorial plaque questions, please contact Elaine Levine, Executive Director, elevine@bethshalomkc.org or 913-647-7293.

Norm Levitan is no longer at CBS. We appreciate his years of dedication and wish him success in all future endeavors.



Editorial Comments

If you have been to CBS in the past few months, you might have noticed that the menorot have returned to grace the bimah in Goldsmith Hall. These are the same menorot that stood on the bimah at both 34th and Paseo and 95th and Wornall. When I first saw the menorot standing on either side of the bimah, I was so pleased.

They help to represent Beth Shalom to me and are a sign that no matter where we worship, we are still Beth Shalom. We have carried the menorot with us in much the same way that the children of Israel carried the Mishkhan with them on their journey. I have no idea who instigated the refurbishing of the menorot, but I am so grateful to the people who did so.

Comments by Bev Newman, *Scroll* Editor



Night of 100 Shabbat Dinners Feb. 21

Friday evening, February 21 the JCC is partnering with other synagogues, HBHA and Jewish Federation and encouraging people at all levels of Jewish observance to gather in their homes with friends, family for one of our most meaningful traditions -- Shabbat dinner. Our hope is to inspire everyone in our community to celebrate Shabbat. Please consider hosting or co-hosting a dinner for Shabbat. If you would like to participate, please contact Janna Rosenthal janna514@gmail.com or 240-417-6820.

Community Second Night of Passover Seder Planned for Jewish Community

The Rabbinical Association of Greater Kansas City will once again offer a unique and contemporary community second night of Passover Seder experience on Tuesday, April 15. This Seder will be family-friendly and include traditions and customs of the Passover Seder while incorporating meaningful events of our day into an interactive Seder experience. Advance reservations will be required. More information will follow in the March *Scroll*.

Congregational-Wide Events - See each department for their activities

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						Rosh Chodesh Adar EMTZA Region Winter Shabbaton 5:23 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i> 1 Adar I 6:23 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i>
EMTZA Region Winter Shabbaton 2 Adar I	Scroll Deadline 3 Adar I		Warm Up America 5 Adar I	Peltzman Class 6 Adar I	4th & 5th Grade Shabbat 5:31 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i> 7 Adar I	Birthday Shabbat 20th Anniversary for Miss Judy 6:31 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i> 8 Adar I
B'nei Mitzvah Workshop 9 Adar I	Board of Directors Meeting 10 Adar I		Downtown Talmud Jam SH Board Meeting SH Book Club! 12 Adar I	Peltzman Class 13 Adar I		Anniversary Shabbat Erhan Newman Bar Mitzvah 5:39 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i> 14 Adar I 6:39 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i> 15 Adar I
Steppin' Out 16 Adar I	Presidents Day Services, 8 am 17 Adar I			Peltzman Class 20 Adar I		Scout Shabbat Jared Schultz Minchah Bar Mitzvah 5:46 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i> 21 Adar I 6:46 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i> 22 Adar I
Kindergarten Round-up Theater Event at WWI Museum 23 Adar I			PrayerWorks 26 Adar I	Peltzman Class 27 Adar I	Fiesta Shabbat Kadima Kinnus 5:54 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i> 28 Adar I	Shabbat Shekalim 6:54 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i> 29 Adar I
				Peltzman Class 4 Adar II	Lechem 6:01 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i> 5 Adar II	Birthday Shabbat 7:01 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i> 6 Adar II

Candle Lighting Blessing

ברוך אתה ה' אלקינו מלך העולם אשר קדשנו במצותיו וצונו להדליק נר של שבת.

Barukh ata Adonai Eloheinu melekh ha'olam, asher kiddeshanu b'mitzvotav vetzivanu lehadlik ner shel Shabbat.

February Service Schedule

Weekdays

Village Shalom

Minchah:

Sunday-Thursday
6 pm

Shacharit:

Monday-Friday
7 am

Feb. 17 - Shacharit 8 am

Shabbat CBS

Kabbalat Shabbat: Friday 6:00 pm

Main Service: Saturday 9:30 am

Library Minyan: Saturday 9:30 am

Minchah: Feb. 1 5:23 pm

Minchah: Feb. 8 5:31 pm

Minchah: Feb. 15 5:39 pm

Minchah: Feb. 22 5:46 pm

Minchah: Mar. 1 5:54 pm

Shacharit: Sunday 8:30 am



Shabbat Services and Sunday morning Shacharit will be held at CBS, 14200 Lamar. Weekday Minyan will be held at Appleman Synagogue, Village Shalom, 5500 W. 123rd St.



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Looking Ahead:

Scroll Deadline:
 March 3 for April
 April 4 for May

Murder Mystery Night
 March 30

2014 Confirmation
 April 26

Reminders:

Sisterhood Book Club will be held on Wednesday, February 12, 1:30 pm at Barbie Glass's house.



Steppin' Out will take place on Sunday, February 16 with pianist Rúben Passcottini.

For more information, please refer to your January Scroll.



Office Hours:
 Monday - Thursday 8:30 am-5 pm
 Friday 8:30 am-3 pm
Closed on Federal Holidays

Mt. Carmel Cemetery Hours:
 Monday, Wednesday 8 am-4 pm
 Tuesday, Thursday Closed
 Saturday Closed
 Friday & Sunday 8 am-4 pm
 National Holidays 9 am-4 pm
Exceptions: Thanksgiving, New Year's Day & Christmas Day
 Jewish Holidays Closed
 Phone: 816-361-4495

Sisterhood Gift Shop Hours:
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