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The Online Jewish Learning Revolution: Part II. **Deeper Learning through Classes**

The Talmud aptly warns us: Do not say that I will study when I have time - for you may not have time. One reason the largest population that attends our adult learning programs in the Kansas City Jewish Community is retirees is simply the fact that this is the generation with available time. I can't tell you how many adult students I have met who have said that they had always wanted more serious studies but they never had time.

This need no longer be the case. In addition to the podcasts that I wrote about in January, there are a number of full-length courses available online in a wide range of Jewish topics. Many of these are free or low-cost, often taught by skilled and experienced teachers, with downloadable handouts. There is an explosion of ALL types of learning online – and Jewish learning has kept pace. I am going to highlight a few that I recommend - and recognize that these represent the tip of the iceberg.

The Jewish Theological Seminary. JTS, Hazzan Ben-Yehuda's and my alma mater, was the birthplace of Conservative Judaism and is still a center for unparalleled Jewish academic scholarship. They have many three-part, online courses that are taught by tenured JTS faculty for as little as \$60 per three-session series. They range from history to Talmud to philosophy. These courses can be viewed on your computer either live (in which case you can interact with the class), or watch a recording.

Hadar Institute. I study in person at Hadar yearly. They focus on studying Talmud and other texts in partnership (hevruta). Though they have many learning opportunities online and in person, one of their best products is called Project Zug ("Zug" means "partner"). These courses can help you find a study partner and walk you through a series of challenging and inspiring Jewish texts.

General Universities. You would not believe how many great universities have online courses with their Jewish Studies faculty! Though often not live like the JTS course, these are opportunities to study the broadest range of academic courses. Institutions like Harvard, Northwestern University, University of Pennsylvania, and Tel Aviv University are just a few that offer such classes.

Web Yeshiva. An orthodox institution, WebYeshiva.org, has many courses that you would find in a traditional yeshiva. Like some of the other courses listed here, the classes can be watched live or recorded. This was founded by Rabbi Chaim Bravender. Rabbi Bravender's biography states: "He was the founding Rosh Yeshiva of Yeshivat Hamivtar and Michlelet Bruria (today, Midreshet Lindenbaum) where he pioneered the teaching of Gemara to students for whom the Talmud had been a closed book."

Dard M. Chilman

RABBI DAVID M. GLICKMAN dglickman@bethshalomkc.org

FROM THE DESK OF THE Interim Executive Director



by HANAN J. HAMMER executivedirector@bethshalomkc.org | 913-647-7293

I am glad to step into the Interim Executive Director position, while

the Congregation looks for a new Executive Director. The Congregation has appointed an Executive Director Search Committee led by Louis Cohn and Heather Schlozman. While that search is taking place, I will be holding down the Executive Director position.

Since I am not yet fully retired, I am only able to perform these duties on a part-time basis. For those of you who do not know me, I am a life-long member of Beth Shalom and have been involved in some aspect of Synagogue life for more than thirty years.

During those years I have served as either a member or chairman of the Budget Committee, the Administrative Committee, the Scholarship Committee, the School Committee and I currently serve as Secretary Treasurer of The Beth Shalom Foundation. While I am not familiar with every detail of synagogue life, I have enough knowledge that stepping into this position should allow me to continue serving our community without too much disruption. I am excited to take on this role.

For those of you that I have not met, next time you are in the building please come by and introduce yourself. I would be glad to meet you. My door is always open to answer any problems, questions or other issues you may encounter.



by HAROLD KASEFF | SECRETARY

On Saturday, March 21st, we will be honoring a group of very dedicated and committed congregants serving as Kiddush Corps volunteers. The

recent history of the Kiddush Corps dates to the 95th and Wornall campus, when synagogue staff would prepare Oneg Shabbat, consisting primarily of challah and wine.

In 2002, the practice of preparing and serving food resumed under the leadership of Gertie Epstein and Rhea Salasche. Over the last few years, while the number of family simcha services including Bar/Bat Mitzvahs has shifted, members of our congregation have continued the tradition to help prepare our meals, for approximately 35 Shabbatot annually.

Our current Kiddush Corps numbering 27 volunteers remain a wonderful and active group of volunteers. In addition to arriving at the synagogue about 8:30 am on Shabbat morning, current volunteers purchase all the foods for the Kiddush, prepare, tray, and display the foods, as well as cleaning up after each of us enjoys the meal and camaraderie following services. Many thanks to those volunteer congregants that regularly help with this endeavor: Phyllis Abrams, Renana Abrams, Alan Edelman, Debbie Sosland-Edelman, Larry Fleider, Annie Glickman, Barbara Goldstein, Berenice Haberman, Hanan Hammer, Todd Hollander, Barry Kaseff, Barbara Katz, Mirra Klausner, Sylvie Radvinsky, Ernie Rosenthal, Susan Rosenthal, Donna Seymour, Nata Scharf, Joyce Shapiro, William Shapiro, Amy Schultz, Stewart Stein, Larry Silverman.

Coupled with these experienced congregants are our newest volunteers including Bill and Marge Schlosberg and Sara Federman-Allen, under the leadership of William Shapiro, who also serves as our buyer.

Contact any member of this team or Harold Kaseff at 816-591-2777 when you are ready to be enlisted with this tremendous group!

Summer Camp Experience

As we approach the summer of 2020, many children in our congregation are heading for a wonderful and truly eventful experience at a summer camp. Children attending summer camp experience opportunities ranging from enjoying the outdoors, exercise, memorable exchanges with peers, and, of course at camps such as Ramah, a unique and welcoming religious opportunity.

To ensure that Jewish summer camp opportunities are available for all children in our congregation regardless of expense, several families at Beth Shalom have come forward. Through their generous donations, it is possible for all children to truly enjoy the warmth and friendship of a summer camp.

Those families and funds include the following:

- Ada Hoffman Camp Ramah Scholarship Fund
- Harry and Anita Daniels Camp Ramah Scholarship Fund
- Merna and Sylvan Siegler Fund for Jewish Camping
- Morris and Rose Weinberg Endowment Fund for Camp Shabbat
- Shirley S. and Albert Goller Camp Ramah Scholarship

Families who want to see their child(ren) enjoy this invaluable experience, please contact Richard Simon, Committee Chair at 913-940-1911 or go to our website where an application for financial assistance is available. All children deserve this wonderful Jewish adventure.

SARAH PELTZMAN EDUCATIONAL SERIES

by AMY SCHULTZ | SISTERHOOD EDUCATION VICE PRESIDENT

The third session of The Sarah Peltzman Adult Education Classes for 2019-20 will begin on Thursday, March 5 and will run through March 26, from 10:00 - 11:30 AM, in Goldsmith Hall.

There is no additional cost for those who registered for the first session. New participants will pay \$15 for all four classes. Our instructor will be Alan Edelman. The topic is "Israeli–Palestinian Peace Through the Eyes of Our Neighbors." The

classes are open to the community. The guest speakers include: 2020 Interfaith Peace Pilgrimage organizers Alan Edelman, Rev. Dr. Matthew Silvers, pastor at Lee's Summit Christian Church (DOC) and Inas Younis, co-founder of the first chapter of Sisterhood of Salaam Shalom in Kansas City.

For more information, contact Amy Schultz by email at aschultzbsw@gmail.com.

FROM THE Director of Congregational Learning

"Jewish Education. Why?"

by HAZZAN TAHL BEN-YEHUDA

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Why do we send our children to school? In the United States of America, primary education is mandatory. Seen from the opposite angle, it is a right that every child has. There are standards of performance in English language arts and math competency; in most school districts, history/social sciences, science, arts and physical/health education also have benchmarks of achievement. In a few states, students must pass statewide exams proving basic literacy in the core subjects in order to graduate from high school. We send our kids to these schools because we must, and because our kids need this education in order to become contributing/earning members of American society.

Why do we send our children to Jewish school, be it day school or synagogue/religious school? Certainly not for the same reason. Why would we choose to either pay for an education that would otherwise be free (day school), or add to our children's already-long day and week by schlepping them to religious school on Sunday mornings or after school on weekday(s)?

Jewish education is meant not simply to pass along generations of accumulated text, knowledge, stories and prayer literacy. It is not only to prepare our children for Bar and Bat Mitzvah or even for synagogue leadership. The Jewish education that you give (gave) to your children is the great inheritance willed from generation to generation.

This inheritance certainly includes much academic knowledge, but what makes it compelling is that in every "academic" lesson, there is at least one accompanying moral lesson – in every "simple story" or seemingly straight forward mitzvah, there is something to be learned about how to live a good life, a life of service, of kindness, of compassion, of consideration - a life of value. Certainly, these lessons can be taught in a secular environment, but when these lessons are taught in the context of our sacred texts, in the context of the stories of our ancestors, even in the folk stories of our illustrious storytellers, our children develop a deep connection to the moral behavior as well as the story. They also become integrated with the Jewish community, both locally and globally.

I hope that this spring, your children will come home regaling you with the story of Esther and Mordechai at Purim and singing the four questions at Pesach. I hope even more deeply that they connect with Esther's bravery and Mordechai's devotion to God, and that they understand that asking and struggling with questions is not only allowed but encouraged - because these and so many other moral lessons are at the root of what makes Jewish education so meaningful. And I hope they look forward to celebrating with family, both at home and at shul/school.

Youth & Family Programming

EMTZA Family Vacation Congratulations to our co-chairs Mirra Goldenberg and Abby Kreisler on the huge success of Winter Shabbaton! Thank you to all of our hosts and

by BECCA LEVINE | DIRECTOR OF YOUTH & FAMILY PROGRAMMING

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Kadima had a blast Night Out at Main Event.

by ANN KARTY | VICE PRESIDENT, PROGRAMMING

"Three kids in 3½ years."

"You did what?"

"Yup. Three kids in 3½ years."

"Um. You know what causes that, right?"

"Yes, I think I know..."

Much of my professional career, that's been a common introduction. When I graduated medical school, I married the next day, had a baby during residency training and two more babies during my first private practice. I worked full time, was on staff at two hospitals, drove to the hospital for every admission daytime or in the middle of the night, and covered shifts during nights and weekends for several urgent care centers. Yes, those years are a bit of a blur.

But, shortly after that time, I was also lucky enough to visit Israel for the first time as part of a leadership training program. Thank you to Hadassah for giving me that gift. Even as I was finishing the ten-day trip, I was already planning our first family trip to Israel. My husband, children, and I joined Beth Shalom's synagogue trip to Israel in 2007, spending January 1, 2008 on a kibbutz, in the desert, just outside of Eilat. Since then, I planned medical conferences in Israel and have visited three more times.

So, what else does having three kids in 3½ years translate to? Three children in religious school/Hebrew school at the same time, three bar/bat mitzvahs in a row, three confirmation trips batched together, three high school graduations, and three kids in college at the same time.

AND, three Birthright trips to Israel in just over three years (+ one extra "bonus" trip to Israel during high school for one kiddo).

Each of my children returned with renewed zest to support the Jewish community, grow in their own practice of Judaism, and a desire to return to Israel again, soon. Special thank you to Rabbi Neal Schuster and Zohar Flacks for being instrumental with these trips and for working to provide ongoing opportunities for our local youth.

Make visiting Israel a priority. Go with your family, your community, your college friends. Invite others to go with you. Meet new people. Make new friends. The time is now.

Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center

New Year, New Beginnings

by JUDY JACKS BERMAN | DIRECTOR jjb@bethshalomkc.org | 913-647-7287

Beth Shalom Rose Family ECEC was named after Ruthie Rose through the generosity of the Rose Family! Eddie Rose loved the preschool (and still does) since his grandchildren attended Beth Shalom's Preschool. He saw their happiness and comfort in the synagogue and religious school because of their preschool experiences. He loved coming to grandparent special person day and Shabbat singing.

When this building was being built, Eddie felt a great way to honor his wife's memory would be to name the preschool The Rose Family Eary Childhood Education Center. Over the years, Eddie has generously helped the preschool from security updates to new equipment.









Pictured above is our new amazing climbing structure that was custom built by Rainbow of the Heartland Play Systems. It is designed to challenge our Pre-K kids yet be safe and fun for our smallest kids. There are 2 slides, 4 different climbing walls, a ramp and telescope. It has a tire swing as well as a hammock swing and a tent swing in a different area.

Our children love their new indoor playground especially on snowy cold days or days we cannot get outside! We cannot thank Eddie Rose and the Rose Family Foundation enough for this fabulous climbing structure! This gift will keep young children challenged and growing for many years to come!

Amy Schultz Receives Leadership Recognition Award



Amy Schultz was unanimously selected as the 2019-2020 Beth Shalom Sisterhood Past Presidents' Leadership Recognition Award Honoree. This award will be presented at the Torah Fund luncheon on April 14. The

Past Presidents have inspired and motivated many women into assuming leadership responsibilities. The award was established in 1989.

Amy Schultz is the current Sisterhood VP of Education. In that role she is the project chair for the Peltzman Educational Series and Sisterhood Shabbat. She also serves on various Sisterhood committees. Amy also serves on Beth Shalom's Ritual Committee and plays an active role in High Holiday planning. She serves as a Beth Shalom Mashgiach and regularly participates in the Kiddush Corps. She enjoys her volunteer work at Safe Home, with the Lechem committee, and at HBHA. She also enjoys helping in the Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center and at Polsky Religious School. She is also a member of NCJW and Hadassah and a committee board member of Vaad HaKashruth.

Amy is a graduate of the University of Kansas where she earned a degree from the School of Social Work. She worked many years at Social Work p.r.n. as the Social Work Administrator/Co-Coordinator and at Sasone as a para-professional. She has worked with children in religious schools at synagogues in Kansas City for 30 years, 25 of which have been at Beth Shalom. She has had many adult Jewish educational experiences. She studied at The Center for Technology in Tel Aviv, is a Melton graduate, and is a Kohelet Fellowship graduate from Yeshiva University's Jewish Learning Institute.

Amy is a fourth generation Beth Shalom member. She grew up at Beth Shalom, attending the preschool and religious school, celebrated her Bat Mitzvah, and participated in Confirmation. Amy and Eric Schultz were married at Beth Shalom and are the proud parents of two children, Jared and Nina. Along with receiving a lovely certificate, Amy will attend an IntraContinental Regional Conference.

Sisterhood Gift Shop

Spring will soon be here! Passover is around the corner!

Spruce up your Seder celebration. View our new collection of Seder and Matzah plates, Shabbat and other Judaica items. New Judaica jewelry has also just arrived.

The 77th Annual Torah Fund Luncheon

Everyone is invited to join Sisterhood on Tuesday, April 14 to celebrate the success of our 77th Annual Torah Fund campaign and enjoy a delicious Passover luncheon catered by Kim Matsil.

Hors d'oeuvres and wine begin at 11:00 am in the Grand Hall followed by lunch at 11:30 am in Goldsmith Hall. Beth Shalom Sisterhood Past Presidents' Leadership Recognition Award will be presented to Amy Schultz. Invitations have been mailed. Guests are welcome. Both reservations and donations (including previous pledges) are due by April 1 in order for contributor names to be included in the program. Checks should be made payable to Torah Fund.

This year's entertainer will be Carmen Dieker. Carmen plays piano, violin, flute, and guitar. She has performed with both local groups as well as internationally recognized groups such as Michael Bublé and TransSiberian Orchestra.

Torah Fund Campaign co-chairs are Stephanie Kavanaugh and Sylvie Radvinsky. Torah Fund luncheon co-chairs are Ellen Soltz and Carla Max. For more information, contact Ellen at 816-217-6981 or Carla at 913-269-9176.



Calendar Campaign

Our Sisterhood has begun its annual campaign for the 5781/2020-21 synagogue calendar. The calendar/directory, which is Sisterhood's major fundraiser, is complimentary to all congregants, non-congregant Sisterhood members and advertisers.

Ad forms have been mailed. If you did not receive a form, please contact us. For a nominal fee, we will place a tribute to your Bar/Bat Mitzvah, Confirmand, High School or College Graduate. When you contribute to the calendar ad campaign, you are supporting many synagogue and Sisterhood programs. Thank you in advance for helping make our calendar a success. Please complete your mailed ad form and return it with your check payable to Beth Shalom Sisterhood by April 3. Save us a phone call and send your check today. You may also find the Calendar Ad Form on the Congregation Beth Shalom website, bethshalomkc.org, under Sisterhood. Please direct any questions to Berenice Haberman, 913-894-6657 or bshaberman521@gmail.com.







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

Betty Brand, z"l JAN 22 - 25 TEVET

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

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MARCH 2-6 ADAR

Dorothy Benjamin Joseph Bernstein Freda Bodker
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Rubin Fried
Morris Gardesky
David Ginsberg Ethel Goodman Hershel Goodman Morris Lipoff Irvin Maizlish Joseph Marks Mary Morris Fannie Peltzman Anna Pelzerman Elaine Polsky Esther Rosner Harry Rubin

MARCH 3-7 ADAR

Lee Berris
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Arthur Gelphman
Carole Haile
Robert Hoffman
Esther Kanter
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David Lieberman
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David Marcuvitz Lee Berris David Marcuvitz Frederick Marshock N. Joseph Price Leon Samazin Sheldon Sandler Frank Silberg Samuel Tranin

MARCH 4-8 ADAR

Goldie Baker Leib Friedman Leib Friedman Israel Garfinkle Samuel Golinsky Ida Keller Rebecca Klapper Sophie Levin Hannah Markowitz Ethel Markus
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MARCH 5-9 ADAR

Nathan Fox Joseph Friedman Gertrude Goldstein Libby Goldstein Richard Haber Evelyn Hans Manuel Hurwitz Max Isenberg Arthur Krieger Esther Litman Flora Rosenblum Milton Terte

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Rose Agron Ida Birnbaum Arthur Block Jeanette Bordy Anna Choikhit Max Eaglestein Izzy Hammer David Hochberg David Hochberg
Esther King
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Henrietta Navran
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Samuel Tepper

MARCH 8-12 ADAR

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Sol Blum
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Anna Chaiken
Benjamin Deitchman
Sophie Dezettel
Mary Garfinkle
Sam Goldberg
Alice Goldsmith
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Celia Herowitz
Tammie Klopper Max Krockover Avrohom Kuzecki Evelyn LeVine Rachel Lieberman Shirley Movitz Albert Salkind

MARCH 9-13 ADAR Anna Berkowitz Hymie Berman Ruth Birnbaum Mildred Ellis
Fannie Epstein
Maggie Fishman
Mibbs Golding
Shepard Goldstein
Morris Hertzfield Louis Kanter Fannie Lipsitz Frances Markowitz Gabriel Schwarz Louis Wolfberg

MARCH 10-14 ADAR

Benjamin Altshuler Shirley Bernstein Leo Blonsky Jennie Brown Eunice Copeland Clara Fox Morris Friedson Bernard Hershman Anna Kars Anna Katz Sol Katz Elias Krigel Harry Lerner David Litwack Charles Malcy Rachel Posner Myer Shapiro Sarah Tempofsky Sherman Zinn

MARCH 11-15 ADAR

Sol Fox Julius Fried Thomas Goldman Birdie Hakan BITale Hakan Max Harris Louise Levitch Ellen Matzdorff Joseph Monovitz Jacob Rubin Leon Schiller Anna Shanberg Joseph Shapiro Pearl Silverforb

MARCH 12-16 ADAR

Samuel Baron Sidney Berman Annie Bobrecker Morris Dobrowski Morris Dobrowski Anna Glazer Catherine Kaplan Betty Kaufman Sardh Koralchiik Henia Langner Alexander Mallon Sidney Moskovitz Jean Rogers Albert Schwartz Philip Shankman Matilda Shedorsky Nancy Singer Hattle Supofsky Shank

MARCH 13-17 ADAR

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

MARCH 14-18 ADAR

Sandra Cohen Nyman Geister Hinda Greenberg Lena Kamen Bess Kopin Louisa Levin

Katherine Overbeck Isadore Shafton Birdie Shlyen Philip Smolinsky Shirley White

MARCH 15-19 ADAR

Izzy Engel Rachel Eveloff Sarah Feigenbaum Beatrice Gershon Morris Gold Morris Gordon Herbert Karbank Herbert Karbank Sol Levin Rose Malmon Phillip Millman Jacob Parelman Tillie Schnider Joseph Shaffon Arnold Shanberg Helen Steinzeig Jean Taxman Henry Zimmerma Henry Zimmerman

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Herman Hershman
Benjamin Hoffman
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Meir Keller
Helen Loeffler
Darlene Meltzer Helen Loeffler
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Robert Parelman
Elizabeth Pfefer
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Mollie Shapiro
Harry Shefrin
Ruth Silverstein
Morley Steinberg
Celia Tranin
Earl Linell Earl Unell Samuel Wengrover Ernst Wertheim Frances Winer Abraham Zacharias

MARCH 17-21 ADAR

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

MARCH 18-22 ADAR

Evelyn Alster Rebecca Cohen C.C. "Judy" Cohen Beckie Cohn Abraham Davis Samuel Eisen Simon Frank Yetta Ginsberg Minnie Golinsky Gussie Goodman Harry Herowitz Sam Karosen Leah Koffman William Leff

Samuel Levitt Rosa Lippman Julius Markowitz Barney Oppenheimer Lillie Peltzman Tillie Plotkin Emma Sternberg

MARCH 19-23 ADAR

Isidore Bernstein Ben Bloustine Herman Copaken Charles Finkelstein Anne Fishman Anne Fishman
Pearl Fleider
Jennie Gershon
Anna Gross
Sadie Katzman
Jacob Kramer
Harry Krantz
Adolph Loeffler
Meyer Present
William Rothschild
Clara Sheffel Clara Sheffel Harriett Tilzer Mary Tonkin

MARCH 20-24 ADAR

Dora Brenner Sarah Carroll Samuel Diamant Sarah Gerber Rebecca Goldberg Mary Goller Jacob Goodman Jack Himmelstein Melvin Hoffman Etta Katzman David Kramer Sarah Krantz Vrem Levens Mildred Levinson Max Morris Harry Rittmaster Will Swerdloff Henry Zinn

MARCH 21-25 ADAR

Martha Fleider Abe Gordon Pearl Jacobs Rose Levy Albert Lipsey Rosa Pfeffer David Rogovein Esther Shapiro Sol Stolov Ned Weiss Chiel White

MARCH 22-26 ADAR Nathan Becker

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Arthur Brand
Louis Brown
Jacob Epstein
David Epstein
Minnie Friedson
Henry Greenbaum
Nathan Gumowitz Nathan Gumowitz Frances Haith Joseph Katzeff Gertrude Killmnick Morris Lerner Lena Lichtiger Harry Markowitz Eugene Novorr Harriett Rosenthal Charles Rosenthal Nathan Siegel Saul Siegel Joseph Silverman Edythe Trillin

MARCH 23-27 ADAR

Ella Bassin Isadore Becker Doris Bush Stanley Goodman Fannie Gordon Sam Greenberg
Ezra Kowalsky
Phillip Levine
Julius Levitch
Adolf Pucker
Zlotta Schnider
Ren Sesland Ben Sosland Fannie Stevens

MARCH 24-28 ADAR

Jette Bergmann Ruth Davis Dave Gardesky Gertrude Kaseff Lillian Leibson Reva Lindman Goldie Mallin Jacob Myron Reda Noah Susie Parelman Helen Shapiro Max Stein Joshua Waxenberg Joseph Wolf

MARCH 25-29 ADAR

Jack Brams Harry Chaikin Sophie Fein Dora Fox Dora Fox Rea Fried Esther Galitzky Anna Peltzman Helen Rudner Sidney Ryweck Ethel Silberman Jacob Singer Anne Singer Fannie Sloan William Sosnow Marie Traxler Rose Weiss

MARCH 26-1 NISAN

Tillie Brenner Morris Brooks Rose Broudy Louis Cohen Tillie Dreiseszun Perez Dubinsky Maier Eisemann Pamela Gale
Menuha Goldberg
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Barnett Hoffman Abraham Levey Besse Marks Lawrence Pelofsky Abraham Peltzman Paul Shalet Minnie Simons Harry Tabolsky Rachel Vogel

MARCH 27-2 NISAN

Goodman Ace Ben Benjamin Ida Blender Thomas Cohen Isidore Cohen Esther Gilbert Fannie Glass Herman Goldwasser Morris Hammer Harry Harding Vera Hershman Clara Kahn Donna Levine

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MARCH 28-3 NISAN

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Tillie Cohn
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Sam Fried
Anna Grossman
Marjorie Jacobs
Sarah Kahn
Phenie Kosovitz
Rebecca LeVine
Sarah Milensky
Flora Rieger
Jack Ruback
Wolf Schlozman Wolf Schlozman David Schwartz Anna Shaoul Rebecca Sheskin Morris Stein

MARCH 29-4 NISAN

Melvin Goldman Meivin Goldman Abraham Krigel Sophie Levine Carl Nusbaum Thomas Parness Alvin Pelofsky Mirah Rostov Herman Silverman Morris Webber

MARCH 30-5 NISAN

Morris Bigus Ben Bloom Aaron E. Copelman Sadie Goodrich Sam Gutovitz Tovia Lachs lovia Lachs Abraham Lerner Mollie Neusteter Etta Price Sophie Risburd Charles Solsky Gabriel Spector Jerome Stolzoff Ruth Zimmerman

MARCH 31-6 NISAN

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Roger Cooper's 80th Birthday

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Snapshots of Breaking Bread 2020













































March Anniversaries will be celebrated on March 21.

To sponsor a Kiddush, contact Ayrren, 913-647-7281.

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4	Kristopher & Lindsey Zeid	. 3	23	Alan & Eleanor Hoffmann	. 51
6	Alan & Allison Myers	37	23	Neal & Dana Schwartz	. 24
6	Allen & Linda Schick	54	25	Bruce & Devra Lerner	. 42
10	Carl Puritz & Cynthia Ellis	10	26	Thomas & Pamela Glickman	. 20
11	Norman & Alison Heisler	36	26	John Goldberg & Marla Brockman	. 31
13	Sol & Nora Dubin	44	26	Frank Tallman & Helene Lotman	. 20
14	Joshua & Laura Galler	16	28	Jeffrey & Jamie Wordsworth	. 27
14	Scott & Stacy Winkler	. 5	29	Craig & Amy Both	. 28
18	Michael & Gabrielle Handler	31	31	Louis & Joyce Pack	. 35
19	Steven & Jennifer Paul	26			

Mazal Tov

Lennon Floise Meklir

Sara and Derek Meklir of Los Angeles proudly announce the birth of their second daughter, Lennon Eloise, born Dec 26, 2019; big sister is Micah Linda. Sara is formerly of Prairie Village, Kansas. Grandparents are Allen and Susan Lebovitz, Sam Meklir and the late Linda Meklir of Detroit. Great grandparents are Kate Lebovitz and the late Eugene Lebovitz. Lennon Eloise is named after her maternal great grandfather and paternal grandmother.





Devin Noah Sher

Rachel Ann and Stephen Scott Sher of Culver City, California announce the birth of their son, Devin Noah Sher, on September 18, 2019. Grandparents are Linda House and the late Harold J. House of Overland Park, Kansas, Denise Sher of Oceanside, California and Michael and Julie Sher of Shanghai, China. Great grandparents are Susan Sher of Perris, California and Philip Gianni of Fort Walton Beach, Florida. Great grandparents of blessed memory are Isidor and Rose House of Kansas City, and Kenneth Sher of Perris, California, and the late Samuel and Jean Rogozenski z"l.

Bar Mitzwah

Avi Brodie Coppaken March 28 / 3 Nisan

Avi is the son of Celine and Todd Coppaken, and is the brother of Maya Coppaken. He is the grandson of Ron and Denise Coppaken of Overland Park, Kansas and Annie Brossard and Brian and Lisa Eaton of Scottsdale, Arizona. He is the great grandson of Helen Coppaken and Vicki Eaton. Avi attends Indian Woods Middle School. He enjoys video games, scootering, gymnastics and keeping his family in the know. For his Bar Mitzvah project, Avi is volunteering at Great Plains SPCA, ensuring the facility is clean, animals are safe and happy, so that they can find their own forever home.



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Congregation Events - See each department for its activities.

RFECEC = Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center
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March 1 5 Adar	SUNDAY	March 12 16 Adar	THURSDAY Peltzman Classes10:00 - 11:30 AM at CBS Goldsmith Hall	March 22 26 Adar	NO PRS Classes
March 2 6 Adar	MONDAY	March 13 17 Adar	FRIDAY NO RFECEC Classes - Mini Spring Break	March 23 27 Adar March 24	
March 3 7 Adar	TUESDAY Sisterhood Presents Purim: Israeli Style with Sharon Keshet6:30 - 8:30 PM at CBS Goldsmith Hall	March 14	SATURDAY Birthday Shabbat Morning Service		TUESDAY WEDNESDAY
March 4 8 Adar	WEDNESDAY Warm Up America10:00 AM - 12:00 PM at CBS Conference Room	18 Adar	Tefilalteinu Service	29 Adar	Prayer Works10:00 - 11:30 AM at CBS Conference Room THURSDAY Peltzman Classes10:00 - 11:30 AM at CBS Goldsmith Hall Community-wide Conversion Class
March 5 9 Adar	THURSDAY Peltzman Classes10:00 - 11:30 AM at CBS Goldsmith Hall	March 15 19 Adar	SUNDAY NO PRS Classes	March 26 1 Nisan	
March 6 10 Adar	FRIDAY	March 16 20 Adar	MONDAY NO RFECEC Classes - Mini Spring Break CBS Board Meeting 7:30 - 9:30 PM at CBS Conference Room	March 27 2 Nisan	FRIDAY NO RFECEC Classes Parent Teacher Conferences
March 7	SATURDAY Morning Service	March 17 21 Adar	TUESDAY March 28 March 28 A Nison A Nison		SATURDAY Bar Mitzvah of Avi Coppaken Morning Service
	6:59 PM Havdalah Shavua Tov!	March 18 22 Adar	WEDNESDAY NO PRS Classes	OTTION	Minchah/Ma'ariv7:05 F 8:20 PM Havdalah Shavua Tov
March 8 12 Adar	SUNDAY Daylight Saving Time begins PRS Early Dismissal 11:30 AM USY Purim Carnival11:30 AM - 2:00 PM		THURSDAY Peltzman Classes10:00 - 11:30 AM at CBS Goldsmith Hall	March 29 4 Nisan	SUNDAY
March 9 13 Adar	MONDAY Erev Purim Party Minchah Gesher Family Dinner -	March 20 24 Adar	FRIDAY	March 30 5 Nisan	MONDAY
	- Megillah Reading		SATURDAY Anniversary Shabbat	March 31 6 Nisan	TUESDAY
March 10 14 Adar	TUESDAY	March 21	Parashat HaShavua Kiddush Corps Appreciation Shabbat		I
March 11 15 Adar	WEDNESDAY No PRS Classes Sisterhood Board Meeting9:30 - 10:30 AM	25 Adar	Morning Service		

Candle Lighting Blessing

בָּרוּך אַתָּה ה׳ אֱלֹקִינוּ מֶלֶך הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר קִדְשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתִיו וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַרְלִיק וַר שֶׁל שַבָּת.

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

Service Schedule

Shabbat CBS						
Kabbalat Shabbat	FRIDAY 6:00 PM					
Main Service	SATURDAY 9:30 AM					
Library Minyan	SATURDAY 9:30 AM					
Minchah	MARCH 6 5:59 PM					
Minchah	MARCH 13 7:06 PM					
Minchah	MARCH 20 7:13 PM					
Minchah	MARCH 27 7:20 PM					
Shacharit	SUNDAY 8:00 AM					

Weekdays

Minchah SUNDAY-THURSDAY. . . . 6:00 PM Shacharit MONDAY-FRIDAY 7:00 AM

Shabbat Services and **Sunday morning Shacharit** will be held at CBS,14200 Lamar Avenue.

Weekday Minyan will be held at Appleman Synagogue, Village Shalom, 5500 W. 123rd St.

Please Note: On Tuesday, Wednesday and Fridays, Ohev Sholom will join us for the Morning Minyan.





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March Highlights

Scroll Deadline Submit articles to the Administrative office. March 7 for April

Prayer Works - March 25

Bar Mitzvah of Avi Coppaken - March 28

Sisterhood Presents..Purim: Israeli style with Sharon kesheth - March3

Warm Up America - March 4

Sarah Peltzman Educational Series -March 5, 12,19, 26

USY Purim Carnival - March 8

Purim Gesher Family Dinner - March 9

Tefillateinu - March 14

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MONDAY-THURSDAY 8:30 AM - 5 PM FRIDAY 8:30 AM - 3 PM Closed on Federal Holidays

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MONDAY & WEDNESDAY 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM
TUESDAY & THURSDAY CLOSED

FRIDAY & SUNDAY 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

SATURDAY CLOSED

NATIONAL HOLIDAYS 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

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Sisterhood Giff Shop Hours

During Business Hours

913-647-7298

MONDAY 11:00 AM - 1:30 PM TUESDAY, THURSDAY 10:00 AM - 2:30 PM

WEDNESDAY 10:00 AM - 2:30 PM WEDNESDAY 11:00 AM - 2:30 PM FRIDAY 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM

SUNDAY 9:15 AM - 12:30 PM

If you cannot come during these hours, or if you want to register your B'nei Mitzwah, call for appointment: Mary Weiner 913-642-9363 or 913-406-9296.

Parashat HaShavua For more information, contact Svetlana Sorkin at 913-393-1715 or saraliorasedu@hotmail.com.

Parashat HaShavua is an ongoing, monthly program taking place every third Shabbat of the month at 9:00 am in the conference room. The goal of this program is to engage its participants in a stimulating discussion of the weekly Torah portion in a friendly atmosphere, where the difference of opinions is respected and questions are encouraged.

The next session will take place on March 21 when the PARASHAH OF THE WEEK: VA-YAK-HEL' - P'KUDEI will be discussed. An informal atmosphere and deep level of discussion are the trademarks of this gathering. No prior experience is required, and everybody is welcome to join.