



CONGREGATION
BethShalom

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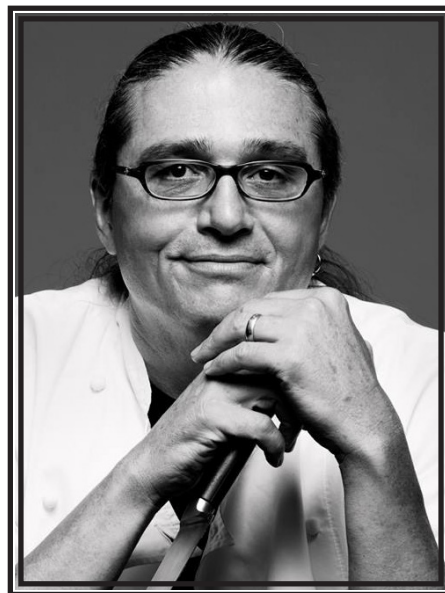


2019 Congregational Fundraiser
Sunday, March 31, 2019
Goldsmith Hall

Cocktail Hour with Open Bar Begins at 6:00 PM
Dinner Served at 7:00 PM

James Beard Chef Michael Smith, Kansas City's acclaimed chef and owner of popular Crossroads District restaurants, Michael Smith and Extra Virgin and his much-anticipated concept, Farina by Michael Smith, will impress us with a memorable dining experience. The American-born Smith honed his skills in France and worked at the iconic Charlie Trotter's in Chicago, among other high-profile cities and restaurants. Since 1994, Chef Smith has elevated Kansas City's food scene with his culinary innovation and brilliance and has been featured locally, regionally and nationally in numerous publications, including *Gourmet*, *Bon Appetit* and *Wine Spectator*.

Chef Michael Smith will delight our palates at The Second Annual Breaking Bread event, Aviv! celebrating the change of seasons with a spring-inspired Mediterranean feast. Mark your calendars now for this enjoyable evening.



To be a table host or sponsor, please call the synagogue at 913-647-7279.

Tickets \$150 per person.

Formal invitations will arrive in your mailboxes soon.





God Renews us Each Day

The January 1st New Year is funny for us as Jews. On one hand, we have Rosh HaShanah which is most definitely our new year. On the other hand, we live in an American society, and New Year's is a cultural holiday without any religious connotations. It is the perfect holiday for us to celebrate as Jews.

It would be easy to dismiss January 1 religiously, and this would be a mistake. Rabbi Eliezer famously said in Pirkei Avot: "Do teshuvah (repentance) one day before you die." Since we do not know which day we will leave this earth, teshuvah must be an ongoing process.

Also, we say in the blessing before the Shema in the morning that in "God's goodness, God renews the work of creation daily." Every day is an opportunity for renewal – if we allow it to be.

If you are a regular attendee at a gym, you know that the gym and all of its fitness classes are filled to the brim during the first week of January. By the second week of March – far less so.

One of the great innovations of Jewish theology is the powerful belief that the body and the soul are intimately connected. If you are going to use January as a time to kick-start a physical habit like eating, exercise, quit smoking or regular sleep – see it as a time to kick start a spiritual habit.

We have many new "entry points" into our spiritual community at Congregation Beth Shalom. We have opportunities for uplifting prayer in our new Tefillateinu service. We have opportunities for giving in our new partnership with JVS for their Refugee birthday party. Also, we have time for personal and intellectual connection with our Talmud Jam's and Pop Up Rabbi KC times for coffee.

Use January 1 to kick start a physical habit. I invite you to consider it also as a time to kick start a spiritual habit. What I mentioned above are synagogue "programs." Ultimately, a spiritual habit isn't about simply showing up for a synagogue program. A spiritual habit is about taking action regularly to refine your spirit. Going to one gym class or attending one class on sensible eating won't change our physical health – but regular exercise and healthy food can. Similarly, spiritual change won't happen just by showing up for one or two programs. It is about creating personal, regular, spiritual practices that allow us to connect with the Divine. This can be through intentional prayer or meditation, through intentional tzedakah or acts of compassion, or through intentional Torah study.

I wish you a happy – and renewing – secular New Year, and hope that Congregation Beth Shalom can be your partner making it a year of renewal.

David M. Glickman

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Tu B'Shevat

by JUDY JACKS BERMAN

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Tu B'shevat, also known as the "Birthday of the Trees" falls on January 21 this year. Below are some ideas of ways you can celebrate this holiday with your child.

- Plant something together.
- Taste a variety of fruits. Talk about different kinds of seeds, what type of trees they grow on, their skin or peels, are they edible, etc.
- Drink different shades of grape juice and talk about the colors and how they may relate to seasons. Which season is dark longer (the days are shorter) and which season are the days longer and brighter.

Create a "handprint tree." Paint your or your child's arm and hand brown to use as the tree trunk and branches. Dip finger tips into leaf colored paint to use as leaves.

- Make an edible tree using pretzel rods/sticks as the trunk and branches and green grapes cut in half as the leaves.
- Play Jewish music and move your body like trees swaying in the breeze.





Life Lesson 16: “Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn.” Benjamin Franklin

Some students do well in certain subjects and struggle with others. Some adults continue to struggle with doing things they may have been doing for years. With much practice, we can all do our job well. But we cannot excel at something without the talent to do it.

When we as adults are shown how to do something and we don't understand it the first time, many of us are too embarrassed to say we don't understand; please show us again. Too often we allow our egos to get in the way of our learning. Some of us will understand certain things much more quickly than others. However, there are things others will learn more quickly than we do.

“Give a man a fish and you feed him for a day; teach a man to fish and you feed him for a lifetime.” The source of this quote may be unclear, but the message is very clear. If you teach someone a skill that will benefit them for the rest of their life, you have done a wonderful mitzvah. They may not have the talent to be a commercial fisherman or catch a big tuna, but they can be able to feed their family.

We all have been blessed with certain talents, some of which we may not realize we have. We all have learned many skills and do not understand why other people are much better at performing some of those skills than we are. Maybe we are the ones performing at a much higher level than others. Unless we have the talent to do something, we will never excel at the skill associated with that talent. The bottom line is you can't teach a talent; you can only teach a skill.

If you want me to be the best at something, don't try and teach me a skill I don't have the talent to learn and expect me to be proficient at it. It is futile. Rather, help me excel where my talents lie; help to be even better at what I am already good at.

As Judge Judy said, “Don't try to teach a pig to sing. It doesn't work, and it annoys the pig.”

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Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center

Pajama Havdalah



WE WANT YOU

Minyan Maker is entering its bar/bat mitzvah year. We wish to thank those Minyan Makers who have joined us at our daily minyans over the past year to ensure we had at least ten people for mourners and those observing yahrtzeit to recite the Kaddish.

Take the time to read the list. Become a Minyan Maker and join your fellow congregants, friends and family members to help ensure we have a minyan every morning. Come once a week, once a month, or whenever you are able. Minyan Makers will be there for you; **PLEASE CONSIDER** being there for them.

Minyan Makers - 2018

SUNDAY

Ron Coppaken*
Greg Azorsky
Lou Cohen
Bernie Fried
Rabbi Glickman
Ted Goldstein
Bob Grant
Mike Kahn
Norm Kahn
Sylvie
Radvinsky
David Slusky
Gene Wolowski

MONDAY

Joel Goldman*
Jeff Blackman
Ken Bush
Bernie Fried
Rabbi Glickman
Ted Goldstein
Norm Kahn
Michael Oshiver
Larry Polsky
Jimmy
Rosenbloom

TUESDAY

Debra Rubin*
Rhea Salasche*
Audrey Asher
Arthur Berger
Ken Bush
Howard Cohen
David Friedman
Hanan Hammer
Norm Kahn
Larry Kalender
Harold Kaseff
Joel & Bev
Levine
Michael Oshiver
Sylvie Radvinsky
Peter Shapiro
Richard Simon

WEDNESDAY

Beryl Silberg*
Jeff Blackman
Howard Cohen
Larry Cohen
David Friedman
Chuck Gasser
Joel & Bev
Levine
Richard Simon

THURSDAY

Bernie Fried*
Howard Cohen
Byron Ginsburg
Rabbi Glickman
Ted Goldstein
Alan Jacobson
Larry Kalender
Michael Oshiver
Larry Polsky
Jimmy
Rosenbloom

FRIDAY

Michael
McCune*
Audrey Asher
Ken Bush
Howard Cohen
Louis Cohn
Bernie Fried
David Friedman
David Hochman
Norm Kahn
Joel & Bev
Levine
Michael Oshiver
Mike Silverman
Richard Simon
Rabbi White

PINCH HITTERS

Erwin Abrams
Mike Abrams
Brian Brockman
Peter Cabell
Paula Cohen
Alan Edelman
Debbie Sosland-
Edelman
Gavi Glickman
David Gold
Jacob Gold
Berenice Haberman
Marcia Karbank
Jason Krakow
Adam Matsil
Eddie Meltzer
Allan Reichman
Joe Smuckler

SPECIAL "SHOUT OUT" TO THOSE WHO ALSO SIGN IN AS "AVAILABLE" MANY DAYS EACH WEEK:

Bernie Fried
Norm Kahn
Michael Oshiver
Sylvie Radvinsky



TORAH READERS

Jeff Blackman
Rita Cortés
Debbie Sosland-
Edelman
Art Federman
Jeff Goldenberg
Mara Lambert
Dan Margolies
Allan Reichman
Jimmy Rosenbloom
Peter Shapiro
Josh Sosland
Shira Wajcman

*Minyan Mavens



Fund for our Future Moves Ahead

by ART FEDERMAN | PRESIDENT

As you know, our Board authorized the Congregation to hire an architect to design a new sacred space, to complete the project which was envisioned years ago for our Lamar campus. Rabbi Glickman, Hazzan Ben-Yehuda, and the Building Committee, headed by Gina Kaiser, have worked closely with our architects, Preston Scott Cohen, Inc. and BNIM Architects. If you have seen the model and pictures, I hope you agree that their work, when completed, will make our building into one that brings you - our members and your families - closer together and closer to the Almighty. At the same time, we need to make sure that our clergy and staff have the resources they need to ensure that what takes place in our building is as inspiring and memorable as the space itself.

Our Fund for the Future is intended to raise money to build a sanctuary and to enhance our funding for endowment and programming. I'm pleased to announce that four of our past presidents - Mike Abrams, Fred Bodker, Ron Coppaken, and Kurt Kavanaugh, have agreed to serve as co-chairs of our fundraising committee.

Our goal is to raise \$15 million. We have an excellent start from a wonderful contribution of \$1.5 million from the late Hannah Krumholz, who designated her gift for our sacred space. In addition, we have a very generous donor who will match 50% of each dollar you contribute towards the building, up to a maximum match of \$5 million.

As we announced previously, there is no required contribution to this fund and there will be no assessment. That said, we can only build our future with your help. We are hoping each of you will invest in your synagogue, by contributing what is meaningful for you and your family. In so doing, you will help insure a thriving Conservative Jewish community in the Kansas City area, now and far into the future. Please contact Bernie Fried, our Executive Director, if you wish to see our plans for the sanctuary, or to be contacted by a member of the fundraising committee.

Best wishes for a healthy and wonderful 2019

Sisterhood

Sisterhood Celebrates its 95th Birthday with Song and Prayer

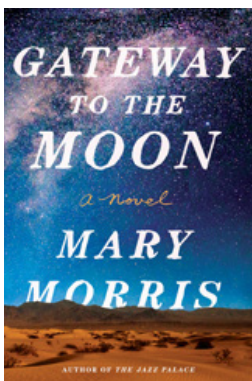
Sisterhood invites the entire Congregation to join us for Sisterhood Shabbat in commemoration of our 95th birthday on Shabbat morning, January 19.

On this Shabbat morning, the parshah, Beshalach, is read. This parshah speaks about God parting the Sea of Reeds and the Israelite men and women rejoicing with the "Song of the Sea." This service is led by the women of Sisterhood.

Beth Shalom Sisterhood is the oldest auxiliary organization of this congregation. This is a time when we honor our Sisterhood members, especially those who have graciously given both monetary gifts and the gifts of their time.

We hope you can join us for this beautiful service and Kiddush luncheon. Sisterhood is looking forward to seeing you.

Gateway to the Moon: Book of the Month



Sisterhood Book Club will meet on Wednesday, February 6 (February 13 backup date in case of inclement weather) at 1:30 PM at the JCC in the large boardroom on the first floor. The club will discuss "Gateway to the Moon" by Mary Morris.

"A remarkable story of a remote New Mexican town coming to grips with a dark history it never imagined. In 1492, the Jewish and Muslim populations of Spain were expelled, and Columbus set sail for America. Luis de Torres, a Spanish Jew, accompanies Columbus as his interpreter. His journey is only the beginning of a long migration, across many generations. Over the centuries, de Torres' descendants travel from Spain and Portugal to Mexico, finally settling in the hills of New Mexico. Five hundred years later, it is in these same hills that Miguel Torres, a young amateur astronomer, finds himself trying to understand the mystery that surrounds him and the town he grew up in."

For more details or to attend, contact Linda Lessner at 913-897-0122 or at llessner@kc.rr.com.



A NIGHT AT THE THEATRE

**JOIN CONGREGATION BETH SHALOM FOR
INDECENT AT THE KC REP!
THURSDAY, JANUARY 31 AT 7PM**

Join us for discounted tickets and a special post-show conversation of Indecent at the KC Repertory Theatre!

In 1907, Sholem Asch wrote a new play, *God of Vengeance*, which was brought to the United States and translated from Yiddish to English. This is the story of the troupe of Yiddish actors, who, in the face of threats and censorship, produced this heart-wrenching, glorious play. This is *Indecent*.

With a dazzling and beautiful new musical score by Alexander Sovronsky featuring Klezmer and other traditional folk music, and staging by Eric Rosen, Pulitzer Prize winner Paula Vogel's Tony winning show will play 3 CITIES ONLY – Washington DC, Baltimore, and KANSAS CITY!

Please join Rabbi Glickman, Sharon and Jerry Lindenbaum, and Susan and Scott Krigel, for the special Thursday, January 31 at 7 PM performance of *Indecent*, followed by a post-show conversation in the Rep's upstairs lounge. Rabbi Glickman and the play's artistic team will speak on "Art, Assimilation, Anti-Semitism and America."

Discounted \$25 tickets can be purchased using this website: <https://ticketing.kcrep.org/8680/8753?promo=Glickman>. Promo code is GLICKMAN. For additional help ordering tickets, please call Trinity Lawson at 913-647-7281.



Give in the New Year! Beth Shalom joins in hosting a Refugee Birthday Party with Jewish Vocational Services

Don't let Hanukkah and Christmas be the only time to give gifts to our neighbors. We are honored to be joining with Congregation Ohev Sholom and Congregation Beth Torah in helping sponsor a birthday party for refugee children in our community on Sunday, January 20 from 2:00 - 4:00 PM at Della Lamb Community Center with Jewish Vocational Services. If you can't make it to the party, but wish to wrap gifts, we are wrapping gifts on January 13 at the Jewish Community Campus. We are seeking small financial contributions, wrapped and unwrapped gifts, and volunteer time. To find out how you can donate or volunteer, please visit the website: <http://tiny.cc/Bday2019>.

LEARN LAUGH & LOVE PROGRAMS

The Learn Laugh & Love program series, sponsored by Jewish Family Services and the Heritage Center of the Jewish Community Center, will present two programs at the beginning of 2019.

On Thursday, January 17, Learn Laugh & Love presents "New Year - New You...Nutrition Made Simple" at 1 PM in the MAC room at the campus. Crystal Futrell, a specialist in nutrition and health with the Johnson County Research and Extension program, will facilitate a conversation about peoples' relationship with food and consequences on their health. Futrell has worked with the Master Food Volunteer program as the Family Nutrition Program (FNP) program assistant prior to becoming Family and Consumer Sciences Agent/Nutrition and Health.

Learn Laugh & Love will explore Jewish genealogy in a program facilitated by Ron Doctor on Thursday, February 21 at 1 PM in the MAC Room.

When Doctor earned his Ph.D. in nuclear engineering in 1967, he became known as "Dr. Doctor." He would not learn until many years later that in so doing he was mirroring his ancestors, who also had a surname that reflected their professions.

Near the end of his lengthy career in the energy industry and as a professor, Doctor began researching his genealogy - a passion that culminated in a lifetime achievement award from the International Association of Jewish Genealogical Societies.

The Learn Laugh & Love programs are free but reservations are requested by calling The Heritage Center reception desk at 913-327-8044. Or visit the website at:

LINK: <https://www.jfskc.org/seniors-and-mental-health/>

PARK PLACE & JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES TEAM UP TO FILL THE FOOD PANTRY

The Ice at Park Place is now open and you can have fun while helping those in our community who struggle with hunger. The Ice at Park Place and Jewish Family Services Food Pantry have teamed up to collect canned goods for the two JFS Food Pantry locations! Now until the rink closes in mid-February, skaters who bring canned goods, personal care items or non-perishable items receive \$1 off their admission. (Skate rental is separate.)

Items can be dropped off in the big JFS Food Pantry barrel at The Ice. For hours of operation, please check www.parkplaceleawood.com/special-offers/ice.

Please ask the ice attendant for your discount - then you can skate your cares away.

Of Blessed Memory

Randall Seiden, z"l

NOVEMBER 22 - 14 KISLEV

Ronald Berkowitz, z"l

DECEMBER 16 - 8 TEVET

Lillian M. Sokoloff, z"l

NOVEMBER 25 - 17 KISLEV

Geraldine Salvay, z"l

DECEMBER 22 - 14 TEVET

PLAQUES HAVE BEEN DEDICATED In Memory Of..

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

JAN 1 - 24 TEVET

Roy Bisman
Robert Blond
Felicia S. Kisluk
Ella C. Lieberman
Rose Millstein
Leonard Rifas
Fannie Rothschild
Mary S. Taxman

JAN 2 - 25 TEVET

Sam Barash
Gustave Eisemann
Gilbert Katz
Manuel Levine
Julia Liebershon
Archie Louis
Reuben Peltzman
Milton Silverman
Phillip Solomon
Fannie Spector
Rose Stolowy
Phillip Wider

JAN 3 - 26 TEVET

Gussie B. Cohen
Yetta Czarlinsky
David Diamant
Sanford Krug
Samene Lesser
Otto Sherry
Stanley M. Siegel
Ben H. Simons
Stephen Wayne
Lena Wienshienk
Shlomo Yeshiahu

JAN 4 - 27 TEVET

Donald Alpert
Minnie Bayzman
Benjamin Finkle
Thomas A. Goldenberg
Jennie Gordon
Herbert Greenberg
Helen Kaufman
Victor Lerner
Louis Yudkofsky

JAN 5 - 28 TEVET

Diana Altshuler
Sam Berman
Tavia Blender
Ida Bloom
David Brockman
Karl Eisemann
Jean B. Glazer
Abraham J. Granoff
David Hadas
Herbert Hakan
Rose Josephson
Daniel Katzman
Clara Kraft
Jacob Rabenowitz
Joseph Ruback
Anna Saver
Mushi Selichonok
Jerry Taube
Samuel Wallman

JAN 6 - 29 TEVET

Joseph Biederman
Pauline Blonsky
Deanie Collins
Leo Eveloff
Margaret Goldman
William Goodman
Stephen J. Greenstein
Ruth Hyman
Raydelle Josephson

Wolf Kort
Israel Levin
Isaac Lieberman
Sherman Rozenblit
Sarah Smith
Isadore P. Stolor
Richard Wasserman
Anna Wolberg

JAN 7 - 1 SHEVAT

Joseph Greenblot
Joyce Kalender
Essak Levitch
David Luke
Sophia Matzdorff
Abraham Osep
Abe Oshry
Nat Pfefer
Lee D. Seelig
Rose Seiffer
Marion Stolor
Henry Walker

JAN 8 - 2 SHEVAT

Herman Asotsky
Bruce Bovos
Della Fox
Paul J. Frischer
Rebecca Katz
Rose S. Kurtz
Helen Lieberman
Norman Yarmo

JAN 9 - 3 SHEVAT

Jennie Abend
Morris Berman
Marvin Brown
Samuel R. Burnstein
Bella G. Dorfman
Gladys Eisman
Barney M. Friedson
Bertha Gershon
Dora J. Gerson
Isaac Gilgus
Harry Katz
Ksell Kusnetzky
Edmund Oelsner
Zelda Penner
Morris Rolsky
Anna R. Rosenblum
Milton Shapiro
Harry Sheskin
Libbie Wallman
Lois K. Weiner

JAN 10 - 4 SHEVAT

Samuel Blond
Ida Cohen
Martin Finkelstein
Martha Forrest
Lillian E. Gelb
Nathan Golding
Kalman Grollman
Esther Hoffman
Isaac M. Isenberg
Rose Kahn
Michael H. Katz
Bertha Kowolsky
Bertha Matters
Philip Phillips
Ida R. Portman
Richard Rapaport
Rubin Shapiro
Max Trossman
Sheindel Yukon

JAN 11 - 5 SHEVAT

Granum Chernoff
Cecil Dallen

Daniel Davis
Helen Eisen
Louis Goldman
Sarah Jacobson
Rose Lefkowitz
Jack Meyers
Nathan Nelkin
Blanche Pelofsky
Norman Weiner

JAN 12 - 6 SHEVAT

Louis Baranov
Eva Cooper
Mary Farber
Ester Goodman
Meyer Grollman
Barney Karbank
Rose Katz
Rose S. Katzeff
Edith Link
William S. Litwin
Milton Searles
Lena Segal
Samuel I. Winer

JAN 13 - 7 SHEVAT

Hope Cohn
Jake Cohn
Evelyn Coleman
Molly Epstein
Elliot N. Gale
Barnett Gottlieb
Bertha Gutovitz
Leon Joseph
Louis B. Kalinsky
Louis Krashin
Melvin E. Krigel
Tillie Kusnetzky
David Lieber
Minnie Miller
Bertha Pittell
Rebecca L. Schlaifer
Abe Sosland
Sophia Taxman

JAN 14 - 8 SHEVAT

Simon Cohen
Harry C. Feingold
Leo Kaufman
Dora Kessler
Louis L. Lipszyc
William J. Rose
Mollie Spitcaufsky
Lester Tonopolsky

JAN 15 - 9 SHEVAT

Sidney Cohen
Dorothy Cumonow
Frank Joseph
Celia Levin
Betty Nusbaum
William Schlossberg
Molly M. Shaleit
David Sporn
Celia Stocker

JAN 16 - 10 SHEVAT

Claire M. Bell
Daniel L. Bortnick
Jacob Cohen
Israel Finkelstein
Sylvia Gershon
Solomon Goldberg
Marvin M. Greenberg
Sheldon Hollub
Harry Isenberg
Gittel Levin
Sara Levitt
Jack Louis

Abraham Nisenkier
Fannie Ruback
Bee Sherman
Sam Silverman
Fanny Walker

JAN 17 - 11 SHEVAT

Dorothy Chapman
Myrtle H. Cohen
David Gottlieb
Herman Klutz
Sam Laner
Bertha Meyer
Henry Present
Irving Quito
Raymond Rittmaster
Harry Sandler
Emanuel Schupan
Eudice Shlensky
Salman Silberman
Ida B. Sorkin
Rose R. Tibbet

JAN 18 - 12 SHEVAT

William D. Clayman
Harry Cohen
Rose Diamond
Isadore Glass
Joe Greene
Dan Indin
David Klein
Isadore Levitch
Solomon Lipsky
Phyllis K. Rips
Irving Schick
Ella Silberman
Harry Sokoloff
Harris P. Wolfberg

JAN 19 - 13 SHEVAT

Sarah Abrams
Morris Cohen
Daniel Fein
Ida W. Fox
Samuel J. Gershon
Robert M. Gluck
Mary Gordon
Emanuel Greenberg
Raschi M. Kamen
Rose Kanter
Eva Kaplan
Benjamin Lieberman

JAN 20 - 14 SHEVAT

Goldie Deiboch
Charles Gidinsky
Charles Kauffman
Harry Milens
Jean Peltzie
Rheva Spitcaufsky
Luba Vinick

JAN 21 - 15 SHEVAT

Josephine Bernstein
Bessie Bratt
Steve Duberstein
Lewis Hoffman
George Krumholz
Solomon Michelson
Paula Pender
Marti Rabin
Josephine Rosenblum
Eli Rostov
Samuel Rostov
Frank H. Rotman
Phillip Schlaifer
Ernest D. Seiden
Bessie Shultz
Isaac Werby

Sam Winette

JAN 22 - 16 SHEVAT

Yetta Z. Barsky
Max Bertman
George D. Dubinsky
Beatrice S. Feder
Ann Gale
Elka Gordon
Rina Gordon
Sarah Hammer
Harry Karosen
Idelle Kopitnik
Sol Mendy
Anna Oppenheimer
Sarah J. Resnick
Dora Sandler
William Smith

JAN 23 - 17 SHEVAT

Neiman Abrams
Alex Becker
Norman W. Blender
Ralph Jacobsen
Michael Kupperstein
Rebecca Levine
Anna F. Magilow
Meyer Rosenberg
Anna R. Soroka
Louis Zimmerman

JAN 24 - 18 SHEVAT

Sydney Cerier
Sol Glass
Anna Halperin
Max Katz
Walter Rosenthal
Deborah Sanell
Pauline Shapiro
Renee Swartz
Lily M. Winer
Mary Zenitsky

JAN 25 - 19 SHEVAT

Rubin Baellow
Rebecca Blender
Louis Burnstein
Sally Goodman
Nochum Herzmark
Morris O. Kanter
Lena Max
Ralph I. Passman
Mabel B. Rapschutz
William Soslowitz
Joseph Taskar
Sarah Wechsler

JAN 26 - 20 SHEVAT

Ike Baker
Max Blasbalg
Maurice Blond
Edward A. Devins
Irene Eisemann
Samuel Furman
Libby Harris
Jennie Hoffman
Lena Katz
Leo Kopec
Solomon Moskowitz
Joseph Plattner
Joseph R. Schlozman
Al J. Yarmo

JAN 27 - 21 SHEVAT

Israel Adelman
Fannie Balot
Mollie Eckstein
Harold Grace
Esther Hershtman

Jessie Joseph
Jake Klutz
Harry Podoll
Jacob Rotman
Jennie Rubenstein
Sylvester L. Sher
Abe Tabolsky
Nathan Tempofsky
Abram Wallman
Morris I. Yukon

JAN 28 - 22 SHEVAT

Sarah Asotsky
Charles M. Bernstein
Mortimer H. Coleman
Samuel Epstein
Jack Fox
Stanley Goldberg
Julia Hoffman
Hyman Krasne
Esther Lichter
Bernard Penner
Rachel Polsky
Janet Ryweck
Emma Tranin

JAN 29 - 23 SHEVAT

Daniel Aks
Doris Aks
Sam Alster
Goldie Arluck
Joseph Gershon
Jay Glazer
Baruch Hakan
Nathan Jabenis
Joel Laner
Sarah J. Mays
Harry Newman
Minnie Pachter
William Viner
Fanny Yarmo

JAN 30 - 24 SHEVAT

Philip Asher
Leona Berlin
Nathan Eisen
Beverly A. Hoffman
Ben H. Jabenis
Tillie Millstein
Gertrude Mitz
Bertha Parnes
Etta Rombom
Louis Sanell
Fruma Spector
Gershon White
Amalie Windmuller

JAN 31 - 25 SHEVAT

Robert Brown
Sarah R. Chambers
Rachel Dann
Esther O. Fisher
Joseph Fisher
Gussie Grace
Eliezer M. Karol
Shirley M. Katz
Minnie B. Klugman
Max B. Levin
Barbara P. Pessen
Sylvia Rosenblum
Bessie Wallman
Edith Yaskolka
Lillian Yukon



Contributions through December 14 are listed below. Thank you for thinking of us.

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In Memory of
Florence Cortés
Carlos F. Cortés
Gary Cortés
Carlos Cortés
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Morris Hoffman
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Miriam Romotsky
Sylvia Romotsky
Myer Romotsky
Rita Cortés &
Mary McLean

BENJAMIN RYWECK TORAH FUND

In Honor of
Annie Glickman's
Birthday
Joan March
Jill Goldstein's
Retirement
Anne Bratt
Joan March
In Memory of
Dr. William
Edelman
Joan March
Dorothy Kaufman
Anne Bratt

BERNICE BAUM FOOD & SHELTER FUND

In Memory of
Sol Baum
Lawrence Fleider
In Appreciation of
Jill Goldstein's
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Beth Shalom
Edward Goldstein
& Rachel Krantz

In Honor of
the birth of your
son Effi
Ron & Harryette
Cooperman
Stella Frank &
Andy Eck
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Bar Mitzvah
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& Rachel Krantz
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Harold Shorr
Fannie Mendell
Isaac Mendell
Alan & Tina
Chapman

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David Nasaw
Keith Pack
Jay Pack
Sheila Pakula
Lawrence Pakula
Helene Present
Manuel Present
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Jill Goldberg
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Shopmaker
Nancy Morais
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Federman
Jeff & Carol
Marks

Loren & Marilyn
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Jacobs
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January Anniversaries will be celebrated on January 19.

To sponsor a Kiddush contact Jill, 913-647-7279.

DAY	YEARS	DAY	YEARS
1	Jeffrey & Farrah Udell 7	8	Miles & Sally Ross 41
1	Jonathan & Denise Hankin 13	9	Jimmy & Sonia Rosenbloom 36
2	Victor & Annie Wishna 9	9	David & Sylvia Radasky 47
2	Bryan & Janet Unterhalter 25	16	William & Jodi Rosenthal 36
2	Scott & Susan Krigel 42	20	Andrew & Vicki Widman 17
6	Mark & Mara Lambert 11	25	Jeffrey & Arlene Misler 50
6	Daniel & Brodie Gold 17	26	Alec & Emily Weisberg 11
6	Gary & Marcy Rydell 34	28	Robert & Barbara Palan 51
8	David & Amanda Palan 13	28	Michael & Sharon Milens 52

Sarah Peltzman Adult Education Classes

The second session of The Sarah Peltzman Adult Education Classes for 2018 - 19 will begin on Thursday, January 10 and run until February 7, 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 \$15.00 per session or \$36 for all classes. Our teacher will be Hazzan Tahl Ben-Yehuda. The classes are open to the community. For more information contact: Amy Schultz by email at aschultzbsw@gmail.com.

Bar Mitzvah



Reece Widman

January 26 / 20 Shevat

Reece Widman is the son of Vicki and Andrew Widman. He has a brother, Will. He is the grandson of Sharon and Michael Milens and Sherry and Marshall Widman. Reece attends Pleasant Ridge Middle School. He enjoys playing the clarinet, gymnastics, art and hanging out with his friends. Reece's bar mitzvah project is to raise money to create snack bags for the families who utilize the Ronald McDonald family room at Children's Mercy Hospital. He also went to the Ronald McDonald house and prepared freezer meals and snacks for the families living there. Relatives and friends are invited to worship with the family for the Minchah, Ma'ariv and Havdalah services.



Congregation Events – See each department for its activities.

RFEEEC = Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center
PRS = Polsky Religious School

1 24 Tevet	TUESDAY Offices Closed No RFEC	12 6 Shevat	SATURDAY Morning Service 9:30 AM Birthday Shabbat Tefillateinu Service 10:00 AM Minchah/Ma'ariv/Havdalah 4:58 PM 5:58 PM Havdalah Shavua Tov!	21 15 Shevat	MONDAY Martin Luther King Jr. Day Administrative Offices Closed
2 25 Tevet	WEDNESDAY Warm Up America 10:00 AM No RFEC No PRS	13 7 Shevat	SUNDAY PRS in Session	22 16 Shevat	TUESDAY
3 26 Tevet	THURSDAY RFEC Resumes	14 8 Shevat	MONDAY	23 17 Shevat	WEDNESDAY No PRS #POPUPRABBI 7:30 AM PrayerWorks 10:00 AM Talmud Jam South 12:00 PM
4 27 Tevet	FRIDAY	15 9 Shevat	TUESDAY	24 18 Shevat	THURSDAY Peltzman Class 10:00 AM
5 28 Tevet	SATURDAY Morning Service 9:30 AM Minchah/Ma'ariv/Havdalah 4:52 PM 5:52 PM Havdalah Shavua Tov!	16 10 Shevat	WEDNESDAY Talmud Jam Downtown 12:00 PM PRS in Session	25 19 Shevat	FRIDAY
6 29 Tevet	SUNDAY No PRS	17 11 Shevat	THURSDAY Peltzman Class 10:00 AM	26 20 Shevat	SATURDAY Morning Service 9:30 AM Minchah/Ma'ariv/Havdalah 5:14 PM Reece Widman's Bar Mitzvah 6:14 PM Havdalah Shavua Tov!
7 1 Shevat	MONDAY	18 12 Shevat	FRIDAY	27 21 Shevat	SUNDAY No PRS
8 2 Shevat	TUESDAY	19 13 Shevat	SATURDAY Parashat HaShavua 9:00 AM <i>Adult Ed</i> Morning Service 9:30 AM Anniversary Shabbat Minchah/Ma'ariv/Havdalah 5:06 PM 6:06 PM Havdalah Shavua Tov!	28 22 Shevat	MONDAY
9 3 Shevat	WEDNESDAY PRS in Session	20 14 Shevat	SUNDAY	29 23 Shevat	TUESDAY
10 4 Shevat	THURSDAY Peltzman Class 10:00 AM			30 24 Shevat	WEDNESDAY PRS in Session
11 5 Shevat	FRIDAY Shabbat Around the World <i>RSVP Required</i>			31 25 Shevat	THURSDAY Peltzman Class 10:00 AM

Candle Lighting Blessing

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

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

August Service Schedule

Shabbat CBS	Weekdays
Kabbalat Shabbat FRIDAY 6:00 PM	Minchah SUNDAY-THURSDAY . 6 PM
Main Service SATURDAY 9:30 AM	Shacharit MONDAY-FRIDAY . . 7 AM
Library Minyan SATURDAY 9:30 AM	
Minchah JANUARY 5 4:52 PM	Shabbat Services and Sunday morning Shacharit
Minchah JANUARY 12 4:58 PM	will be held at CBS, 14200 Lamar.
Minchah JANUARY 19 5:06 PM	Weekday Minyan will be held at Appleman
Minchah JANUARY 26 5:14 PM	Synagogue, Village Shalom , 5500 W. 123rd St.
Shacharit SUNDAY 8:00 AM	Please Note: On Tuesday, Wednesday and Fridays,
	Ohev Sholom will join us for the Morning Minyan.



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January Highlights

Warm Up America!

January 2

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Administrative office closed
January 21

Scroll Deadline

Submit articles to the Administrative office.

January 11 for February

Prayerworks

January 23

Office Hours

MONDAY-THURSDAY 8:30 AM - 5 PM

FRIDAY 8:30 AM - 3 PM

Closed on Federal Holidays

Mt. Carmel Cemetery Hours 913.218.8629

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY 8 AM - 4:30 PM

TUESDAY & THURSDAY CLOSED

SATURDAY CLOSED

FRIDAY & SUNDAY 8 AM - 4 PM

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Sisterhood Gift Shop Hours

During Business Hours **913.647.7298**

MONDAY-THURSDAY 10 AM - 2:30 PM

FRIDAY 10 AM - 12:30 PM

SUNDAY 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Other Hours

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Call Mary Weiner **913.642.9363** or **913.406.9296**

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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 January 19, when **PARASHAT BESHALACH** 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.

