

A New Year, Full of New Beginnings...



The Arab Spring and What It Means For Israel

Join us **Sunday, October 23, 7:30 pm** at Congregation Ohev Sholom, 5311 West 75th, when Dr. Carla Klausner and Rabbi Scott White, will give a unique presentation entitled *The Arab Spring, and What It Means for Israel*. Dr. Klausner, Director of the Judaic Studies at UMKC, is the recipient of many awards and honors. She has many publications to her credit including *A Concise History of the Arab-Israeli Conflict*, which she co-authored with Ian J. Bickerton.

Rabbi White, who graduated from JTS in 1986, has been the spiritual leader of Ohev Sholom since 2005. Rabbi White's love and interest in Israel is demonstrated by the many times he has traveled to Israel including his plans to take a 4-month sabbatical in Jerusalem.

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Celebrate With Our Simchat Torah Honorees

CBS volunteers are traditionally honored and celebrated for their service on Simchat Torah. On **Friday morning, October 21**, Inge Silverman will be honored as *Kallat Torah*, the last aliyah in the Torah, and Joel Goldman will be named *Chatan Bereishit*, the first aliyah in the Torah cycle. Please join us that morning to honor and thank Inge and Joel for their service.

Inge Silverman is a 4th generation member of CBS. Serving as Chair of the Docent Committee since 1985, she welcomes and mentors non-Jews to the synagogue. Inge also was instrumental in starting the Simchah Committee in 1971, currently called Kiddush Corp. Inge taught Sunday School and served as secretary to the religious school's Director. She also worked as Administrative Secretary of CAJE for 30 years until retiring 3 years ago. Inge and her late husband Buddy are the parents of son, Michael, (Marcia) and daughter Amy (Craig Both). Grandchildren are Rebecca and Jana Silverman and Brian Both (Andrea) and great-grandsons Ezra and Arlo.

Joel Goldman, Chair of the Long Range Planning Task Force, has been instrumental in helping us through the recent building transition. He says of his work with that group "I'm grateful for the opportunity to join with others in helping take our congregation from strength to strength." A former trial lawyer for 28 years, he now writes murder mysteries and thrillers with seven published and two more on the way. As a past board member and Chair of the Bylaws Committee, Joel has been an active member of CBS for more than 30 years. Joel and wife Hildy are the parents of Aaron, Danny and Michele.



Inge Silverman



Joel Goldman

From the Hazzan's Study

Is the Avodah service, part of the Yom Kippur Musaf, archaic and irrelevant? What does the Kohen Gadol have to do with modern Judaism? The Temple is gone, and so is the priesthood.

The Kohen Gadol, the High Priest, was the spiritual leader. He was the one who risked drawing as close to God as possible, knowing that drawing close to God changes us so severely that we might lose our family, our position, our life. He was the one who asked God for mercy on behalf of the congregation, knowing the good and the evil within the community. He had no inheritance and relied on the *terumah*, the donations, of the community. He was charged with maintaining tradition in the face of changing secular governments and changing community mores. All aspects of the life of the Kohen Gadol were under scrutiny by the community.

How different is this from the demands we place on our spiritual leader, our rabbi? We ask the rabbi to maintain the tradition yet be responsive to modern customs. He or she is asked to find ways to engage people within a society that does not support Judaism. We expect that person to draw as close to God as possible, and risk losing their family and their health. They know the good and the bad of the community, and they are expected to treat

each person with loving-kindness. They are expected to be experts in laws which many want to change, let alone ignore. And they, like the Kohen Gadol, are under complete scrutiny by the community.

The Kohen Gadol became irrelevant with the destruction of the Temple and the elimination of animal sacrifice. The modern spiritual leader risks becoming irrelevant through the destruction of the unique rituals and laws of Judaism. When the community rejects the need to know the tradition, rejects the need for understanding and knowledge, and rejects the need to draw closer to God, the spiritual leader will indeed be irrelevant. As we choose a new rabbi, let's remember why they do, in fact, remain relevant: that remembering the tradition, promoting *gemilut chasadim*, and using intelligence to interpret our laws leads the community to a closer relationship with God. Ultimately, this is, now, the way to repairing our world.



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Sara Carl, KCUSY President



My LTI Experience by Sam Abrams

To jumpstart the United Synagogue Youth season, Emtza (Midwest) Region USY hosted a Leadership Training Institute (LTI) at Congregation Temple of Aaron in St. Paul, Minnesota. At the convention, about seventy chapter board members from across the region learned from their regional board counterparts how to make their chapter and position better and more fun for upcoming programs. A main theme for all board members is getting young Jewish high schoolers involved in USY by making them feel welcome, planning fun and informative programs, and using good communication techniques.



Sam Abrams

As a first year KCUSY chapter board and regional general board member, I got the opportunity to learn how to be a good executive vice president and Israel affairs official from regional VP, David Pruchno. Besides the leadership training, LTI was a great chance for regional leadership to get to know each other better, forging friendships that will make future programming partnerships easy and fun. Judging from the positive feedback from members in Des Moines, Denver, St. Louis, Kansas City, and the Twin Cities, USY seems to have gotten off to the right start.



Kinnus is Coming... Kinnus is Coming...

Kinnus is the largest EMTZA Regional Convention for 9th-12th graders. This year, it will be held over Thanksgiving, Nov. 24-27, in St. Louis. **Applications are available on the Youth page on the CBS website.** Download one today, you won't want to miss this fantastic weekend!!!

Beth Shalom Youth Events:

Wednesday Night Programs

6:15-8 pm -Lamar

October 5, 26

Services & Special Programs

Tuesday, Oct. 18 – 6 pm

Pizza in the Hut, for all 7-12 graders. RSVP to Stef

Clip and Save



Adult Education

Minyan Leadership Workshop

A *Minyan Leadership Workshop* will be led by Hazzan Menes on **Thursday, November 10, 7:30 pm**. This workshop will teach the basics to enable participants to lead both Minchah/Ma'ariv services and Shivah services. Learn a new skill and do a mitzvah at the same time. For more information, contact Jill Goldstein at 913-647-7281 or Hazzan Menes at Hazzanmenes@bethshalomkc.org.



Hazzan Menes

Learn the Service and Celebrate Shabbat

On **Saturdays, October 22, November 26 and December 24**, *Understanding Your Service*, will be offered. As usual, Library Minyan and the Main Service will be held at 9:30 am in their normal locations. Then at 10:30 am *Understanding Your Service* will begin (check the monitor when you enter the building for the specific location.) This new session is designed to assist you in navigating Shabbat morning services in a user-friendly environment. Then at 11:30 am the entire community will convene in Goldsmith Hall for a 20-minute Torah study to be followed by *The Spirit of Shabbat*, Shabbat ruach, with kiddush immediately following. Come and celebrate with us!



Flu Shots at CBS

Get your flu shot at Beth Shalom on **Wednesday, October 26, 8-10 am** in the Conference Room. The shots cost \$30 each or are covered by insurance (Coventry, Humana, BCBS, Aetna, Cigna, and UHC.) Shots are available for persons 18 years of age or older and ages 14 to 17 with a physician's authorization. Please make a reservation with Norman Levitan at 913-647-7283 or nlevitan@bethshalomkc.org to ensure available vaccine.

Rabbi Gershon Hadas Lecture



Rabbi Hadas

The Rabbi Gershon Hadas Lecture will be held, **Tuesday, November 1, 7 pm** at CBS. The speaker will be well-known author, Steven Stern. Stern, an expert in Jewish Folklore, was born in Memphis, Tennessee. He is the recipient of numerous Scholarly Awards and currently teaches at Skidmore College. Stern's most recent novel is *The Frozen Rabbi*. For more information contact Norman Levitan, nlevitan@bethshalomkc.org.



Steven Stern

An Interfaith Opportunity



Dr. Cunningham

Jesus as Jew and as Christ is a community-wide event to be held on **Sunday, November 6, 7 pm** in the JCC Social Hall. Dr. Philip A. Cunningham, Department of Theology, Saint Joseph's University, Professor of Theology and Director of the Institute for Jewish-Catholic Relations, will discuss the above topic at a community gathering open to all. Jews, today, view Jesus as having been a part of the rabbinic community during the First Century Common Era. So, too, is Jesus understood within much of the Christian World. How is it possible that this man who was born a Jew, lived and taught as one and died as a Jew, could also be the Messiah and son of God to the world's Christians? Did these views exist simultaneously or develop sequentially? What was the timeframe for all this to occur? These and other critical questions will be addressed by Dr. Cunningham on the 6th. There is no charge for this program and the community is welcome. For more information, contact Rabbi Cohen.



Rabbi Cohen

Sisterhood Sarah Peltzman Classes

Sisterhood's year-long classes taught by our own Rabbi Alan Cohen will begin **Tuesday, October 11, 10 am**. See page 10 for details.

Contract Up for Renewal

In accordance with the bylaws of Congregation Beth Shalom this notice is required to be prominently placed in *The Scroll* when the contract of a member of the professional staff is coming up for renewal. Please be advised that the contract of Hazzan Robert Menes is now up for renewal. Beth Shalom members

may address any comments to Kurt Kavanaugh, D.D.S., M.S., Congregation Beth Shalom, President, 14200 Lamar Ave., Overland Park, KS 66223, or email your comments regarding Hazzan Menes to: fb-hazzan@bethshalomkc.org. These comments must be received before **Thursday, October 27**.

Executively Speaking



You Are Important To Beth Shalom

Over the years, I have learned that the High Holy Days are a time for reflection and a time for focus. I have also learned that none of us is perfect, and there is always room for improvement.

As we reflect on our individual errors of the past in our private thoughts on Yom Kippur, it is

important to note that we pray as a community to ask for forgiveness for our transgressions – both known and unknown. There is no confessional booth – no one-on-one talk with the Rabbi. Yes, we are supposed to ask for forgiveness directly from anyone that we know we have wronged, but it takes the prayers of our entire community to be forgiven by God. The power of our combined prayers is heard by God and together we make a difference.

The power of our Beth Shalom family is evident in other ways. I feel it when we daven together on Shabbat morning, work as a team to set tables in Goldsmith

Hall, volunteer to assist those in need, and attend a daily service to help make minyan. It is there when we celebrate a simchah with our members as well as when we make a shivah call. I hear it when the preschoolers are heading down the halls to their classrooms and when our religious school students congregate and socialize. The list goes on and it is growing!

Each of you makes Beth Shalom stronger. Your participation, your volunteerism, your membership matters. Don't sit on the sidelines. Join us! Help us! Make that difference! Contribute to the High Holy Day Appeal...Pay your fair share dues...Your financial support as well as your participation is vital to our entire Beth Shalom community.

May you be inscribed in the Book of Life for a Happy Healthy New Year.

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Two PRS Students to Participate in "Together We Remember"

Two 9th grade PRS students, Jacob Flekier and Eli Kahn, will join other 9th grade students in the community to participate in a unique learning experience in November. *Together We Remember: A Holocaust Learning Experience* is a fully funded student seminar at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington, D.C. Jacob and Eli will share what they have learned with their peers and congregation with a presentation upon their return from the seminar.

The selection process included an essay on why they wanted to participate in this program. They drew inspiration from their families and their learning experiences at the PRS. They will also participate in two learning sessions prior to the trip which are in partnership with the Midwest Center for Holocaust Education and Learning for Life (a program of CAJE/Jewish Federation).

B'nei Mitzvah Workshop

A workshop for B'nei Mitzvah students and their parents will be held on **Sunday, October 23**, 9:30 am to noon. The session will begin with Tefillot and a text study with Hazzan Menes on Tzedakah and Tikkun Olam. Students and parents will begin work on their B'nei Mitzvah tzedakah project after hearing from both professionals and students who have completed their projects.

Beth Shalom PRS Blast:

Monday Journeys, 4:15 pm

Mondays, Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

PRS Hebrew High, 7 pm

Tuesdays, Oct. 4, 11, 18, 25, Wed. 11/2

7th Grade Class, 9 am

Saturdays, Oct. 1, 15, 22, 29, 11/5-JCC

B'Yachad (K-5th), 10 am

Saturdays, Oct. 1, 15, 22, 29, 11/5-JCC

No School

Oct. 8, 9, 12, 19, 23

Special Programs:

Sunday, Oct. 16

Confirmation Trip Meeting, 12 pm

Sunday, Oct. 23

B/BM Workshop, 9:30 am

Thursday, Oct. 27-30

Confirmation Trip To New York

Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center

Judy Jacks Berman, Director | jjb@bethshalomkc.org | 913-647-7287

The RFEC is Rocking

The preschool is very excited about Three National Artists coming to perform at Beth Shalom's Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center.

Rick Recht will perform on **Thursday, November 3** at 10 am. Rick is known nationally as an incredible Jewish Rock Star! "Music is the best tool for Jewish education," Rick says, "It has an ability to connect youth in a fun and positive and meaningful way, to their faith."



Bari Koral is going to perform her Jewish songs for our Preschool on **Friday, November 11** at 11 am. Bari's songs are a huge hit with children and adults. Her catchy, pop-friendly tunes, interactive live shows and heavy rotation radio play have gained her band literally thousands of young (and not so young) fans. Their latest album *Rock and Roll Garden* won the *Nappa Gold* and *Parents' Choice Award* and was picked as a top 10 kids' album of the year by *Time Out Kids*.

Then watch for more information when artist, Joanie Leeds, will perform at our Pajama Havdalah Party, **Saturday, December 10** at 6:30 pm. This concert will be sponsored by the Rose Levine and Doris Flam Arts and Education Fund.

Beth Shalom RFEC In The Loop...

Shabbat Music, 9 am

Fridays, Oct. 7, 28, Nov. 4

Havdalah Time, 9:30 am

Mondays, Oct. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Special Events:

Paul Messner Puppet Show

Wednesday, Oct. 5, 10 am

Tot Shabbat & Snack in Sukkah

Saturday, Oct. 15, 10:30 am

RFEC Sukkah Visits

Monday-Wednesday, Oct. 17-19

Young Family Shabbat Dinner at Village Shalom

Friday, Oct. 28, 6 pm

No School

Friday, Oct. 7, noon dismissal

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 13-14

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 20-21

Rick Recht Concert

Thursday, November 3, 10 am

Clip and Save



Tot Shabbat

*Open to the entire community.
For toddlers thru kindergarteners
and their families who love them.*

Beth Shalom
Saturday, Oct. 15
10:30 am

*Norine
Rosenblum is
preparing her
students for
Rosh HaShanah
by blowing the
shofar for them
during the
month of Elul.*



RFEC Hay Ride

For RFEC students and their families

Sunday, Nov. 6, 4 pm

Shawnee Mission Park
by Theater in the Park

\$8 per person, Free for 2 & under
For details contact Jennifer,
913-647-7285.

Editorial Comments

by Bev Newman, Scroll Editor

We are Congregation Beth Shalom (CBS), and we are located at 14200 Lamar Ave., Overland Park, Kansas. We are not Wornall Campus nor Lamar Campus. All congregational and community-wide functions except for daily weekday minyanim are located at 14200 Lamar Ave. Don't know how to find us? Drive up Nall Ave. to 143rd St. Turn onto 143rd St. and go west to Lamar. Turn right onto Lamar. Turn left at the Congregation Beth Shalom sign on your left and go up the drive to the parking lot. See you at Beth Shalom!



Bev Newman



Casino Night 2011 is Saturday, December 3, 7 -11 pm. Big League Events will return to run a fabulous evening of gaming including a *Texas Hold 'Em* tournament. Kim Matsil of *Kim's Kreations* will offer a buffet full of yummy hors d'oeuvres that will have your taste buds watering. There will be a silent auction and two different raffles where you can win fabulous prizes. Double-down with the RFEC and PRS for a fun night of fundraising!!! Tickets are currently on sale, and you can order them online at www.bethshalomkc.org. Click on *Casino Night* in the *Quick Links Box*— tickets, sponsorships and general donations are welcome. We are tax deductible so give big!!!



CELEBRATING LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Ecclesiastes 3:1

Submit your B'nei Mitzvah announcement to be published.

Mazal Tov to our B'not Mitzvah



Alexis Mariah Davis

October 29, 2011 • 1 Cheshvan 5772

Alexis is the daughter of Debi and Scott Davis. She is the granddaughter of Norma Farber and the late Arnold Farber and Wilbur and Linda Davis, Cedar Falls, IA. A student at Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy, Alexis enjoys basketball, soccer and playing the guitar. Alexis has one sister, Mikayla.

Please join Alexis and her family in worship and attend the Kiddush Luncheon following services.



Emma Florence Shapiro

November 5, 2011 • 8 Cheshvan 5772 • **At JCC**

Emma is the daughter of Amy and Peter Shapiro. She is the granddaughter of Beth and Jeff Dorfman, Patti and Alvin Shapiro and Randi and Larry Haith, and the great-granddaughter of Hortense Haith and Babbette Prostok. A student at Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy, Emma enjoys tennis, swim team, golf and bicycling. Emma has one sister, Sophie.

Please join Emma and her family at the **Jewish Community Campus** in worship and attend the Kiddush Luncheon following services.

Mazal Tov to... *Submit your Mazal Tov to be published*

Rabbi Alan and Linda Cohen on the birth of their grandson, Tal Jonah Cohen on September 8. Tal's parents are Michele and Rabbi Rafi Cohen of Dallas, TX. He is also the grandson of Lynda and Stephen Weber of Cherry Hill, NJ and the late Barbara Weber, and great-grandson of Ruth Herring of Philadelphia, PA. Tal's brother is Benjamin.

Janet and Harold Price upon the publication of a book of poetry *Of Wisdom and Ignorance...and the Fine Line Between Them* by their son, Mike Gale.

Jon Ruben, son of **Lisa and Steve Ruben**, and grandson of **Gerre and Rod Minkin and Charlotte Ruben** upon being honored by the *Chronicle Salute to Youth*.

Dayna Gershon on being profiled in the *Chronicle* as a *Jewish Federation Next Gen Leader* and the recipient of the *Grinspoon-Steinhart Religious Educator of the Year Award*. Dayna is married to **Danny Gershon** and they have two children, Max and Sadie.

Jay M. Goodbinder upon his graduation from Cleveland Chiropractic College, magna cum laude and

valedictorian of his graduation class. Jay is married to **Darcy Kroll Goodbinder**.

Gertie Epstein upon the graduation of her grandson Eli Epstein Miller, magna cum laude from Brandeis University with a degree in Near Eastern and Judaic Studies. In addition he was awarded the *Rose & Jerome M. Weissman Prize* in near Eastern and Judaic studies. Eli currently attends Albert Einstein College of Medicine in New York. His parents are Brian Miller and Roberta Epstein Miller of Northbrook, IL.

CELEBRATING LIFE CYCLE EVENTS



Ecclesiastes 3:1

October Anniversaries

October Anniversaries will be honored during services on Shabbat morning, October 15. November Anniversaries will be honored on November 19. To sponsor Kiddush contact Norman, 913-647-7283.

| Day | Years | Day | Years |
|------------------------------------|-------|--|-------|
| 1 Bruce & Ann Luchen | 17 | 15 Allen & Barbara Lefko | 56 |
| 2 Jeffrey & Polly Kramer | 18 | Edward & Ellen Rose | 6 |
| 4 Mason & Marianne Kessler | 58 | 16 Frank & Sondra Friedman | 28 |
| Stephen & Carla Max | 36 | Neil & Cathy Newman | 17 |
| 5 Martin & Jeannine Fox | 43 | 17 Amit & Jennifer Levy-Mackay | 18 |
| 6 William & Cynthia Noon | 10 | 18 Mark & Diane Davidner | 36 |
| 7 David & Francine Kovel | 39 | 19 Eric & Beth Jacobson | 15 |
| 8 Richard & Linda Bell | 44 | Nat & Rachelle Milgram | 10 |
| 10 Gray VonFriedly & Haylee Hammer | 1 | 20 Jonathan Freiden & Rebecca Dragon-Freiden | 10 |
| 11 Arthur & Margaret Berger | 35 | 21 Edward & Sandi Fried | 27 |
| Stanley & Judith Samberg | 41 | 24 Robert & Jeanette Wayne | 57 |
| 12 Michael & Vicki Diamond | 31 | 26 Rabbi Moti Rieber & Suzy Siegler Rieber | 14 |
| Neal & Elaine Singer | 53 | 28 Jack & Cynthia Garfinkle | 27 |
| 13 Harold Kaseff & Rhea Salasche | 9 | 29 Kurtis & Kelley Cowman | 6 |
| David Williams & Rachel Rubin | 15 | 30 Jason & Andrea Krakow | 18 |
| 14 Howard & Marjorie Novorr | 69 | | |

Welcome New Members

Sean Bratt
Ari Kalendar

Jennifer Donahue & Family
Rachel Merrill



Congregation Beth Shalom's Transition Progress Update...

Thanks to the hard work of many devoted volunteers and staff, the transition to our Lamar building is proceeding. If you haven't seen all of our artifacts and equipment in their new homes, we hope you will soon.

The major tapestries and sculptures have been relocated to Goldsmith Hall and the foyer. The remaining artwork and Judaica have been catalogued and prepared for transfer, and will be relocated with the help of an interior designer. The ark face, the Ner Tamid, the chairs and the reader's stand from the sanctuary will be stored for possible future use. The stained glass windows have been catalogued and will be stored. The simchah tree from the Cumonow Social Hall will be located once an appropriate wall is identified. Transfer of yahrtzeit tablets is also underway. Prayer books, Torahs and tallitot have already been moved.

Procedures are now in place to make it possible to use the kitchen at Beth Shalom for both meat and dairy meals. See the *September Scroll* or our website for a copy of the kitchen-use policy.

Steppin' Out

Be at Goldsmith Hall on **Sunday, Oct. 30**, for the next Steppin' Out program for Beth Shalom members 60 and older. The evening begins with dinner at 6 pm.

After dinner, the distinctive musical husband and wife duo of Harold Steinhardt, woodwind artist, and Lori Levens, pianist and accordionist, will entertain us. You won't want to miss this event.



Lori Levens & Harold Steinhardt

For reservations, please send your check, \$12 per person, along with your contact information, to CBS, Attn: Steppin' Out, 14200 Lamar, Overland Park, KS 66223 by **October 17**. Additional information, contact Linda Lessner, 913-897-0122.

Of Blessed Memory

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

Ruthye Nowick, z"l, August 19 / 19 Av

Joan Elaine Jaffe, z"l, August 27 / 27 Av

Julian Reichman, z"l, August 28 / 28 Av

Michael Rosenberg, z"l, September 7 / 9 Elul

Bertha Zimmerman z"l, September 8 / 9 Elul

Jacqueline Kaufman, z"l, September 12 / 13 Elul

Tamma Perlmutter, z"l, September 19 / 20 Elul

Rose Evelyn Sporn, z"l, September 21 / 22 Elul

Yahrtzeits

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

3 Tishrei-Oct 1

Sarah Behrman
Joseph Dekro
Dora Dekro
Isaac Ducov
Jennie Gorman
Morris Kort
Samuel Kort
Morris Litvien
Max Navran
Gitla Posmantier
Anna Sandhaus
Juliette Seiden
Lazarus Smith
Joe Wolberg

4 Tishrei-Oct 2

Anne Baum
Max Berman
Ida Devins
Liba Falus
Sol Ginsberg
Cecil Kaminsky
Harry Kaplan
Esther Levine
Myer Lieberman
Sidney Magazine
Etta Magazine
Jean Robin
Khaya Schuster
Sylvia Traxler

5 Tishrei-Oct 3

Rita Bayless
Jack Bohm
Philip Herowitz
Jacob Hyman
Herman Koch
Rose Rapaport
Ben Rosenberg
Anna Stolov
Morris Traxler

6 Tishrei-Oct 4

Esther Becker
Evelyn Brown
Sara Davidow
Rose Goldberg
Minnie Gordon
Sarah Myron
George Newberg
Dorothy Novorr

Sadye Rubinfire
Albert Saver
Abraham Steinzeig
Herman Tweed
Isaabel Viner

7 Tishrei-Oct 5

Lisa Barash
Nellie Coleman
Aida Gilgore
Fannie Karosen
Anna Koppel
Sherburne Krieger
William Jack
Newton
Frieda Schlein
Jack Shear

8 Tishrei-Oct 6

William Berkowitz
Benjamin Brand
Minnie Frischer
Golda House
Flora Pelofsky
Joe Rubin

9 Tishrei-Oct 7

Esther Gibian
Rebecca Grossman
Miriam Harding
Baruch Harding
Ida Katzman
Samuel Kopel
Melba Levine
Sol Lipsey
Sam Marcus
Ethel Markowitz
Jacob Risburd
Louis Rosenberg

10 Tishrei-Oct 8

Samuel Brockman
Akiba Byers
Velie Dubinsky
Nettie Feinberg
Meyer Finkelstein
Sarah Gardesky
Eli Grossman
Elsa Gundelfinger
Isaak Levine
Harold Marks
Joseph Moskowitz

Harry Rubenstein
Prywa Salzenstein
Jacob Schwartz
Freidel Schwartz
Sashe Schwartz
Nathan Schwartz
Israel Weinstein
Nessy Weinstein

11 Tishrei-Oct 9

Louis Cumonow
Edith Duni
Edna Ginsberg
Joseph Greenberg
Morris Isenberg
Bernard Kessler
Boris Kleiman
Sandra Marder
Theresa Meyer
Robert Rapaport
Sarah Salkind
Fred Schechter
Morris Shaffer
Abraham Starr
Harriette Tivin

12 Tishrei-Oct 10

Harry Abend
Benjamin Apple
Harry Aven
Wolf Binkowitz
Pesha Hoffman
Leah Mack
Jean Price
Alfred Rafsky
Joe Rose
Rebecca Wexler
Jacob Witschner
Mollye Zinn

13 Tishrei-Oct 11

Peter Bayzman
Philip Byer
Dora Galitzky
Samuel Liebershon
Daniel Lumian
Sam Nagel
Harry Pack
Dora Pakula
Meyer Pilz
Chaim Posmantier
Fannie Spellman

14 Tishrei-Oct 12

Samuel Bordy
Louis Goodman
David Kantor
Beatrice Katz
Mark Marks
Harris Naster
Dorothy Orren
Ethel Rogers
Dorothy Ross
Samuel Tempofsky
Sam Yagan

15 Tishrei-Oct 13

Bennie Balter
Bessie Becker
Blanche Bernbaum
Sarah Bisman
Anna Ducov
Blanche Lipari
Barnard Marks
Rose Rositsky
Samuel Stein
Jennie Steinberg
Yente Weiner
Hyman Zeldin

16 Tishrei-Oct 14

Phil Aks
Max Asotsky
Sarah Brown
Ida Dunn
Bela Falus
Anita Goodman
Irene Greenstein
Sonya Hershman
Peretz Hershman
Soreh Kuzecki
Sam Millman
Israel Mittelman
Isidore Saver

17 Tishrei-Oct 15

Michael Eisenberg
Esther Goldenberg
Abe Levine
Dorothy Litwin
Irwin Mushkin
Isaac Nelson
Freda Peltzman
Byron Ross
Fanny Stern
Esther Wolfson

18 Tishrei-Oct 16

Rebecca Bobier
Morris Bobrecker
Abraham Cohn
Sarah Dennis
Moses Eisemann
Samuel Hoffman
Martin Jabenis
Daniel Marcuvitz

Monument Unveilings and Tablet Dedications

October 2, 9:30 am Mt. Carmel Ricky Covitz *Monument Unveiling*

November 6, 11 am Mt. Carmel Marlene Gasser *Monument Unveiling*

19 Tishrei-Oct 17

Edith Caspari
Rae Gold
Ida Schoen
Sam Statland
Lewis White

20 Tishrei-Oct 18

Rose Goldstein
Sophia Steinzeig

21 Tishrei-Oct 19

Evan Bratt
Aleck Bratt
Helen Kars
Sam Kaufman
Frieda Lachs
Philip Minkin
Simon Penner
Ben Planzer
Sam Rogell

22 Tishrei-Oct 20

Goldie Asner
Joseph Katz
Bessie Katzeff
Sadye Rubenstein
Joseph Tonkin

23 Tishrei-Oct 21

Tina Arenson
Elizabeth Cohen
Arthur Florman
Rosalind Ginsburg
Sherman Glazer
Al Greenblot
Geraldine Gross
Belle Kaplan
Joe Katz
Paul Lerner
Abraham Merker
Ruben Mitz
Hanna Sukiennik
Max Tonkin

24 Tishrei-Oct 22

Max Kaufman
Joseph Kay
Joseph Krashin
Rachel Leibowitz
Tillie Lerner
Lena Tweed

25 Tishrei-Oct 23

Sarah Bronstein
Samuel Butler
Jeannette Capito
Ronald Chapman
Louis Dann
Morris Davidow
Tina Einhorn
Gerald Ginsberg
Lee Greenberg
Mier Horovitz

Susan Kupperstein
Gail Paris
Mortimer Rosenthal
Aaron Schultz

26 Tishrei-Oct 24

Ida Bass
Irving Bloom
Samuel Cohen
Samuel Grinberg
Dinah Hoffman
Reva Kaufman
Morris Kilmnick
Herman Landman
Samuel Levitch
George Novorr
Lillian Pfefer
Morris Rosenberg
Louis Sorkin
Morris Tonkin
Leo Wechsler

27 Tishrei-Oct 25

Arline Agron
Harry Azorsky
Hetty Bachus
Chayyah Bigus
Ida Eichenberg
Fannie Fink
Marshall Geller
Isadore Gottlieb
Joseph Grinpas
Max Hoffman
Jacob Kauffman
Meyer Krug
Morris Lerner
David Pfefer
Esther Rapschutz
Thelma Reicher
Virginia Schlosberg
Rae Simon
Hy Vile

28 Tishrei-Oct 26

Jake Brenner
Harry Brenner
Jacob Feingold
Alice Fox
Mayer Greenberg
Henry Holtzer
Malkah Kahan
Mary Kasten
Betsey Marshock
Rebecca Oshiver

29 Tishrei-Oct 27

Morris Azorsky
Rae Bigus
David Bodker
David Copelman
Judith Coppaken
Irving Feld
Adolf Gray
Flora Harris
Benjamin Killmnick

Morris Levitt
Morris Lieberman
Dora Marcuvitz
Randal Rashkovsky
Anna Rosenstein
Malke Schwartzman
Rose Wayne
Minna Yarowsky

30 Tishrei-Oct 28

Herman Bernstein
Aaron Brooks Family
Edwin Friedson
Meyer Glatt
Minnie Herzmark
Minnie Katz
Lena Kurs
Kopel Markowitz
Isadore Nelson
Rebecca
Oppenheimer
Ben Rubenstein
Anna Stein
Joseph Sukon
Harry Zinn

1 Cheshvan-Oct 29

Joseph Carr
Joan Finestone
Ida Goldstein
Albert Goller
Ben Katz
Emma Keller
Simon Kraft
Sammy Lieberman
Shirley Mandelbaum
Morris Pack
Julius Rosenstein
Michael Sender

2 Cheshvan-Oct 30

Harold Backun
Alfred Berg
Rose Bridges
Fred Friedson
Sheva Leibtag
Solomon Robin
Jacob Shapiro
Rebecca Shapiro
Elliott Taxman
Herman Wienshienk

3 Cheshvan-Oct 31

Yetta Cohen
Scholtz Feigenbaum
Marvin Greenbaum
David Hoffman
Alexander Krantz
Esther Krieger
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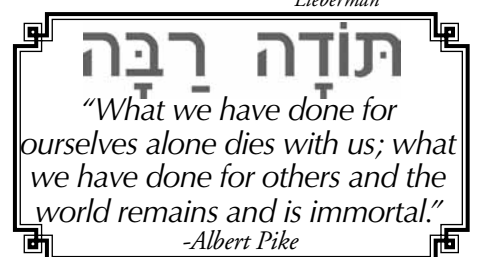
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Sarah Peltzman Classes to Resume



Rabbi Cohen, Renée Fuchs,
Elaine Singer & Linda Lessner

Sisterhood's Sarah Peltzman Adult Education classes, taught by Rabbi Cohen, will take place on Tuesdays, from 10-11:30 am. The cost for the entire year is \$10 for Sisterhood members and \$15 for non-members. Classes are open to all men and women in the community. Registration and classes will begin on **Tuesday, October 11**. For more information

check us out on the web at www.bethshalomkc.org.

This year's topics are as follows:

- Part 1. The Books of Samuel: The Life and Times of King David
- Part 2. Jews and Non-Jews: The Importance of Interfaith Dialogue, Interaction and Implementation
- Part 3. What are Today's Issues and how does Judaism Relate to Them?
- Part 4. Breaking News and the Jewish People

Do A Mitzvah, Help JFS's Clients in Crisis

Jewish Family Service's *Clients In Crisis* need our congregation's help in collecting personal care/home cleaning products. Due to the economic downturn and rising unemployment JFS is trying to provide the big money items, but their clients often have to do without the every-day products that we take for granted. Please help fill the bright pink barrel in the office. For further information, contact Carol Yarmo, Community Service VP 913-642-1199.



Carol Yarmo & Linda Lessner

Items needed:

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|----------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| toothbrushes | toilet paper | bath soap | toothpaste |
| laundry detergent | tissues | deodorant | baby powder |
| paper towels | sponges | shampoo | conditioner |
| dishwasher detergent | | glass cleaner | dusting supplies |
| bathroom cleaning supplies | | dish soap | |



Play for the Cure

Join us **Tuesday, November 15** for *Bams for Mams*, for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. We will begin at 9:30 am with a delicious breakfast. Then from 10 am til 3:30 pm, attendees can play *Mah Jongg*. Come with your group or we will place you with a table of friends. Your entry fee is a suggested minimum donation of \$15 payable to Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, along with a minimal charge for breakfast. This event is open to everyone in the community. For further details, call Bunny Bortel, 913-339-638 or Linda Lessner, 913-897-9122, or check the CBS website, www.bethshalomkc.org.



Beth Shalom Sisterhood Upcoming Events:

Sarah Peltzman Classes

Tuesdays, Oct. 11, 18, 25, Nov. 1, 10 am

PrayerWorks

Wednesday, Oct. 26, 10 am

Mah Jongg

Weds., Oct. 5, 19, Nov. 2, 9:30 am

Community Service Ops.

For details on the following, contact Carol Yarmo, ryarmo@kc.rr.com or 913-642-1199

Warm Up America

Wednesday, Nov. 2, 10 am

Clients in Crisis

Donate items

Programs & Meetings

Bams for Mams

Tuesday, Nov. 15, 9:30 am

Book Club

Thursday, Nov. 17, 6:30 pm

At the home of Merna Siegler
"Wherever You Go," by Joan Leegant

Book Club to Meet in November



The Beth Shalom Sisterhood Book Club will meet on **Thursday evening, November 17**, 6:30 pm, at the home of Sue Vile. The book to be discussed is *Wherever You Go*,

by Joan Leegant. It is available in paperback. To RSVP, or to join the email group for Sisterhood's Book Club, contact Rowena Turk at 913-649-7098 or turk@kc.rr.com.

Congregational-Wide Events - See each department for their activities

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|--|---|--|---|---|--|
| Service Locations: VS Village Shalom, Appleman Synagogue, (5500 W. 123rd) CBS Beth Shalom LM Library Minyan JCC Jewish Community Center (5801 W. 115th St.) | | | | | | 1 3 Tishrei Shabbat Shuvah  7:45 Havdalah Shavuah Tov! |
| 2 4 Tishrei Tzom Gedaliah 11 am Mt. Carmel Memorial Svc | 3 5 Tishrei November Scroll Deadline | 4 6 Tishrei | 5 7 Tishrei 9:30 am Mah Jongg | 6 8 Tishrei | 7 9 Tishrei Kol Nidrei Offices Close Noon Services at JCC  6:35 Shabbat Shalom | 8 10 Tishrei Yom Kippur Services at JCC  7:34 Havdalah Shavuah Tov! |
| 9 11 Tishrei PRS No School | 10 12 Tishrei Columbus Day 7:30 pm Board of Directors' Meeting | 11 13 Tishrei 10 am Sarah Peltzman Classes | 12 14 Tishrei Erev Sukkot Offices Close 4 pm PRS No School  6:28 Yom Tov | 13 15 Tishrei Sukkot - Day 1 Offices Closed  7:27 Yom Tov | 14 16 Tishrei Sukkot - Day 2 Offices Closed 6 pm Services 6:45 pm Sukkot Dinner  6:25 Shabbat Shalom | 15 17 Tishrei Sukkot - Day 3 9:30 Main Service Guest DT 10:30 am Tor Shabbat Birthday Shabbat  7:23 Havdalah Shavuah Tov! |
| 16 18 Tishrei Sukkot - Day 4 | 17 19 Tishrei Sukkot - Day 5 | 18 20 Tishrei Sukkot - Day 6 10 am Sarah Peltzman Classes 6 pm KCUSY-Kadima Pizza in the Hut | 19 21 Tishrei Sukkot-Hoshana Rabbah 9:30 am Mah Jongg Offices Close 4 pm  6:18 Yom Tov | 20 22 Tishrei Shemini Atzeret Yizkor Offices Closed  7:17 Yom Tov | 21 23 Tishrei Simchat Torah Offices Closed  6:15 Shabbat Shalom | 22 24 Tishrei 9:30 Main Service Guest DT 10:30 Understanding Your Service Anniversary Shabbat  7:13 Havdalah Shavuah Tov! |
| 23 25 Tishrei PRS No School 9:30 am 2012-13 B/BM Workshop 7:30 pm Middle East Talk -Ohev Shalom | 24 26 Tishrei | 25 27 Tishrei 10 am Sarah Peltzman Classes | 26 28 Tishrei 8-10 am Flu Shots 10 am Prayerworks | 27 29 Tishrei 7 pm Ladies' Night Out Confirmation Trip to New York 10/27-30 | 28 30 Tishrei Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan  6:06 Shabbat Shalom | 29 1 Cheshvan Bat Mitzvah Alexis Davis  7:05 Havdalah Shavuah Tov! |
| 30 2 Cheshvan 6 pm Steppin' Out | 31 3 Cheshvan Lechem Serving Lunch | 1 4 Cheshvan 10 am Sarah Peltzman Classes 7 pm Gershon Hadas Lecture -CBS December Scroll Deadline | 2 5 Cheshvan 9:30 am Mah Jongg 10 am Warm Up America | 3 6 Cheshvan 12 pm Eat & Educate-VS | 4 7 Cheshvan  5:58 Shabbat Shalom | 5 8 Cheshvan Bat Mitzvah Emma Shapiro Shabbat Morning Services at JCC  6:57 Havdalah Shavuah Tov! |

Candle Lighting Blessing בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה ה' אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר קִדְּשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל שַׁבָּת.
 Barukh ata Adonai Eloheinu melekh ha'olam, asher kידeshanu b'mitzvotav vetzivanu lehadlik ner shel Shabbat.

| October Services | High Holy Day Services |
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| Shabbat Services and Sunday morning Shacharit will be held at CBS , 14200 Lamar Weekday Minyan - Village Shalom Weekday Minyan Minchah: Sunday-Thursday, 6 pm Shacharit: Monday-Friday, 7 am Shabbat (Check the video display for room locations) Kabbalat Shabbat: Friday, 6 pm Main Service: Saturday, 9:30 am Library Minyan: Saturday, 9:30 am Tots for Torah: Saturday, 9:30 am B'Yachad: Saturday, 10 am Minchah thru October: Saturday, 6 pm Shacharit: Sunday, 8:30 am | Mt. Carmel Memorial, Sun., Oct. 2 11 am Yukon Chapel, Mt. Carmel Kol Nidrei, Friday, October 7 6:15 pm White Theater / Social Hall - JCC Yom Kippur, Saturday, Oct. 8 8:30 am White Theater - JCC 9 am Social Hall - JCC 5 pm Minchah, Ne'ilah & Ma'ariv -JCC (White Theater) 7:25 pm Havdalah 7:35 pm Sounding of the Shofar / "Break Fast" Erev Sukkot, Wed., Oct. 12, 6 pm - CBS 1st Day Sukkot, Thursday, Oct. 13 - CBS 9:30 am Shacharit 6 pm Minchah 2nd Day Sukkot, Friday, Oct. 14 - CBS 9:30 am Shacharit 6 pm Minchah 6:45 pm Sukkot Dinner Hoshanah Rabbah/Shemini Atzeret, Wednesday, Oct. 19 - CBS 6:45 am Hoshanah Rabbah followed by Brkfst 6 pm Minchah Shemini Atzeret, Thursday, Oct. 20 - CBS 7 am Shacharit with Yizkor 9:30 am Tefillah 2000 with Yizkor 6 pm Minchah 7:30 pm Erev Simchat Torah, Hakafot & Ma'ariv Simchat Torah, Friday, Oct. 21 - CBS 9:30 am Simchat Torah with Hakafot 6 pm Minchah/Kabbalat Shabbat |



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Looking Ahead:

NOTE: Saturday Morning, November 5

All morning services and programs will be held at the JCC

Volunteer Shabbat, Kovod and Brand Award Presentations

Shabbat Morning, December 10, 9:30 am

December Outreach - Bowl-a-thon

Sunday, December 25 - Watch for details

Rick Recht Concert & Kosher Chinese Dinner

Sunday, December 25 - Watch for details

Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday
8:30 am-5 pm
Friday
8:30 am-4 pm
Closed on Federal Holidays

Mt. Carmel Cemetery Hours:

Monday & Wednesday
8 am-5 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

Sisterhood Gift Shop Hours:

Hours:
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday:
10 am-2:30 pm
Wednesday:
10 am - 6:30 pm
Friday:
10 am-noon
Sunday:
9:30 am - 12:30 pm
Or, Call for an appointment
913-647-7298

Ladies Night Out at CAbi Café!!

CAbi Ladies' Night Out with Congregation Beth Shalom



Beth Shalom Ladies

Please join us for a Ladies' Night Out at the *CAbi Café* on **Thursday, October 27!** The evening will begin with light refreshments and wine at 7 pm at the Highlands of Leawood Subdivision Clubhouse (12812 Sherwood Leawood, KS 66209, off of 127th between Roe and Nall.)

At a *CAbi* Home Show, you and your girlfriends get together in a comfortable environment and watch a fashion show presented by your very own independent fashion consultant. And then the real fun begins –

time to try on all the chic and trendy clothes! Take a peek at www.cabionline.com!

RSVP to swilliams@bethshalomkc.org by October 20th.

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