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Welcome to Beth Shalom! Great to have you with us.  
Please join us during Kiddush after services. B'ruchim Habaim (Welcome!)

# Shavuon

## A Beth Shalom Weekly

"As the goldsmith refines gold in his powerful flame, as the farmer winnow the grain from the chaff, so must sin be refined of its uncleanness, until only its holiness remains."  
~ Solomon Rappoport Anski



11-18 Nisan 5771

April 15-22, 2011

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**Congregation Beth Shalom • Voted in JT News  
Best Congregation for 2010! 2nd years in a row!**

### Kabbalat Shabbat Service in the Beit Midrash

Candlelighting for April 15 is at 7:40pm  
Kabbalat Shabbat Services at 6:00-7:00pm

### Shabbat Morning Services in the Sanctuary at 9:30 am

Shabbat Ha'Gadol

Acharei Mot

Leviticus 16:1-34

Haftarah: Malakhi 3:4-24, 23

**Guest Darshan: Rabbi Will Berkovitz for the Social Action Committee**

Kiddush is Sponsored by our Kiddush Club and prepared by Shabbas Chef, Iris Brumer, with her helpers

Shabbat Babysitting at 10:15am in Room 4/5

Youth Minyan from 10:00am-Noon in the Beit Midrash

FDI (Future Daveners of Israel) - kids ages 3-6 from 10:45am in Room 1

Kid's Kehilla - kids ages 7-11 from 10:45am in Room 2

Kiddush Co-op from 1:00-2:00pm in the open space downstairs

Middah of the Month - (Yirah) Reverance with Shirah Bell  
from 1:15pm in the Beit Midrash

*This is the last Middah for the year. Shirah will start again after the New Year.*

### Pesach Services in the Sanctuary at 9:30am

#### 1st Day, Tuesday, April 19

Exodus 12:21-51

Maftir: Numbers 28:16-25

Haftarah: Joshua 3:5-7; 5:2-6:1;  
6:27

#### 2nd Day, Wednesday, April 20

Sefirat Ha'Omer

Leviticus 22:26-23:44

Maftir: Numbers 28:16-25

Haftarah: II Kings 23:1-9, 23:21-25

***CBS Offices and Early Childhood Ctr will be closed for Yom Tov Services from Noon, Monday, April 18 through Wednesday, April 20***

Transliterations of services are available; speak to an usher to get a copy.

Hearing Devices: Beth Shalom has hearing devices for all services.

Should you require one, please speak to an usher.

#### Weekday Minyanim in the Beit Midrash

Monday - Friday: 7:00AM • Monday Evening: 7:30-8:00 PM

Sunday Morning: 9:30-10:15 AM

Torah study group every Sunday;

Torah study immediately following Minyan in the Beit Midrash

To honor the sanctity of Shabbat and High Holidays, we do not permit smoking, photography, writing, use of beepers, cell phones or other wireless equipment.

When congregants are standing in prayer please do not disturb their concentration by moving around the shul.

In consideration of other members. please minimize the use of scented body products. Thank you.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## ERUV Website

Follow this link to check on the Eruv update each week  
<http://twitter.com/cstleruv>.

## Missing Coat from our Coat Closet

A congregant is missing a large size, black, ultralight weight REI rain jacket - hood detaches and is folded up in the outside breast pocket from last Shabbat morning. It also had house and car keys in the right pocket and a pop-up umbrella in the inside pocket. As you can imagine this coat is VERY much missed. Please check if you have this coat at home.

## CBS Gift Card / Scrip Program

Pesach is nearly here! Do you have enough gift cards on hand to use for all of your Pesach shopping? There is still time to pick up more cards for QFC, PCC and Safeway. Come to the shul office and purchase yours from Marjie. Remember that your use of these gift cards when you shop provides great benefit to the synagogue, and it costs you nothing extra! If you have any questions about the Beth Shalom gift cards, please contact Marjie Cogan in the office or Kevin Coskey at [scrip@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto:scrip@bethshalomseattle.org).

## Join our Facebook group!

Get the latest news, join in discussions, keep in touch. From [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com), just search on *Congregation Beth Shalom* and click "join."

## Beth Shalom's Judaica On-Line Shop

Remember our online Judaica shop? The CBS homepage at [Judaicabeautiful.com](http://Judaicabeautiful.com), directly benefits Beth Shalom. A percentage of all proceeds will come back to us and is yet another way to support the community at no additional cost to you. Just shop! There is an online registry to take advantage of as well as many other exciting benefits.

## JOIN THE ARMY! [What Army you ask?]

THE ARMY OF VOLUNTEERS IN THE KITCHEN!

(Ask us about Shabbas Chefs and see what you can do!) CBS want s YOU!

Judith Benjamin at [judithbenj@comcast.net](mailto:judithbenj@comcast.net) or Mark Berman at [msbxiv@gmail.com](mailto:msbxiv@gmail.com) - Shabbas Chefs co-chairs

## Beth Shalom Professional Directory

We are starting a page on our website for Professionals who would like to advertise or list themselves. If you are interested email Cherie Hershman at [professionals@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto:professionals@bethshalomseattle.org).

## PESACH NEWS

### Man-O-Manischewitz

We have wine for sale. Manischewitz and Mogen David in large bottles for \$7.50 at the CBS Office. Well aged - such a deal!



### Pesach Hotline - Union for Traditional Judaism

For twenty-five years at Pesach time, hundreds of families across the USA, Canada and the Caribbean call 1-888-MATZAH1 for their Operation Pesach hotline where UTJ rabbis listen and answer thoughtfully. They also handle hundreds of e-mail questions from around the world - literally! This year the hot-line will be open from April 11, 2011 through April 17, 2011. And it is always available via e-mail at [op@utj.org](mailto:op@utj.org)

## Passover Seder Matches - Hosts needed

If you have extra room at your seder on either night or if you're looking for a seder, please let us know ASAP. Call 206-524-0075.

## ADULT EDUCATION NEWS

**Pirkei Avot with the commentary of Me'am Lo'ez**  
Join Yiscah Smith for a new section of this class begin 5/4. Registration is now open on the CBS website.

## AND

**Just in time for Shavuot... Learn the Art of Cheesemaking with Mark Solomon**  
Thursday, 5/5 from 6:30-9:00pm

Got milk? Make cheese! Mozzarella, cream cheese, chevre and ricotta. It's easier than you think. Make delicious cheese at home with a minimum of equipment and effort. If you don't have time for dinner, don't worry, you'll get lots of samples. Best price in town for cheesemaking courses. \$40/member, \$55/member. Space is limited. Register today.

For both classes, call the office to register, fill out the form on the Adult Ed pages in the Ruach, or register on our website or give us a call at 206-524-0075.

## Help us purchase the new Mahzor Lev Shalem!

As many of you may already know, there is a new Mahzor available that will help transform our High Holidays. And for those interested, a couple of the new Mahzor Lev Shalem are now available on Shabbat for your perusal. If you have misplaced your form give us a call at 206-524-0075 or on our website there is a fill-able pdf.

## MILESTONES

- Y Mazel Tov to Shirah Bell, for getting through all the Middot teaching for Beth Shalom - Yasher Koach!
- Y Mazel Tov to new grandparents, Lucy & Mikhail Taskar and great-grandparents, Sara & Izyaslav Moldaver, on the birth of Ava Taskar, to Felix & Olga Taskar

## TODDAH RABAH

- Y Shabbas Chef, Iris Brumer, and her helpers, for preparing this week's Kiddush
- Y Shirah Bell, for teaching us Middot for two years
- Y Sheryl Kipnis and David Frum: the Habitat for Humanity Leaders on 4/3, and the rest of the volunteers: Deb Arnold, Nancy Coomer, Kevin Coskey, Ron DeChene, Mark Fefer, Robert Hovden, Ami Huntley, David & Susan Huntley, Jackie Kallay, Stephen King, Katharine Landahl, Ben Levie, Marsha Malkin, Isaac & Susan Morgensztern, Edna Oberman, Jacob Rodan, Alison Sands, Marty Schnitzer, Paul Schwartz, TJ Sundsvold and Kayla Weiner
- Y Joanna Gerber, for her help in our office
- Y Talya McCurdy, for preparing B'nai Mitzvah Certificates
- Y Stan Zeitz, for liming our lawn
- Y To the following people who helped make the RS mock wedding so successful: Officiant-Ron DeChene; "Caterers" (who made all the food, including a three-tiered wedding cake) - Wendy Katz, Tamara Griffin, Janna Smith, Nancy Simon, Ellie Weiss, and Julie Shusterman; "Band"- Nate Bensimon, Stewart Shusterman; "Singers"-Wendy Katz and Julie Shusterman; Photographer-Shraga Eliav; And of course, the Kitah Dalet/Hey class who helped put this on, with the help of their fabulous teacher, Barb DeNormandie; And to all the teachers and ozerim and Ann Kelly

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

### Annual Youth Department Spaghetti Dinner

This Sunday, 4/17 from 6:00-8:00 pm

After a FULL day of Pesach cleaning, the last thing you want to do is cook. *Want to enjoy the last bit of chametz before Pesach begins?*

Cost: \$ 12 Adults, \$8 kids under 12

RSVP to Irit Eliav, Director of Education, [Iriteliav@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto:Iriteliav@bethshalomseattle.org) or go online.

### April Empty Nesters Potluck

Saturday, 4/30 from 6:30 pm at the home of Rita & Jerry Frischer, Aljoia Thornton Place, 450 NE 100th Street #426, Seattle

RSVP to [rcfrischer@aol.com](mailto:rcfrischer@aol.com) or call 206-361-9772.

Program – TIDBITS, TALK, TITLES, AND JEWISH TRIVIA  
Please contribute to the potluck supper according to the first initial of your last name:

A – F Salad or vegetable

F – J Main Entree

K – P Appetizer or bread

R – Z Dessert, Fruit, Drinks

### Tot Shabbat

Upcoming dates - 5/7, 6/4

1st Shabbat monthly 11:00—11:30am in Room 2

A community-led, interactive celebration for children ages 0-3 and their parents. Join us monthly for songs, stories, and snack. All are welcome. For more information email: [iriteliav@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto:iriteliav@bethshalomseattle.org).

### CBS Blood Drive

Sunday, 5/15 from 10am-4pm (closed 12-1 for lunch)

The Puget Sound Blood Center will park their Blood Mobile across the street in front of the public library.

To make an appointment, email Sheryl Kipnis at [CBSblooddrive@gmail.com](mailto:CBSblooddrive@gmail.com).



### Attention Cheesecake Bakers!

This Shavuot, enter your favorite cheesecake (baked at Beth Shalom, of course) in our seventh annual Shavuot Cheesecake Bakeoff.

Don't be buttonholed by tradition! Make it sweet, make it savory, make it vegan, make it anyway that you want and know that it'll get eaten anyway!

Cheesecakes will be tasted and voted on at our June 7th Erev Shavuot Leil Tikkun (all night Torah study).

Call Dana Tell at (206) 328-2589 (or email [dannatee@gmail.com](mailto:dannatee@gmail.com)) to find out "the rules" and schedule.

### Tentative Schedule:

Tuesday, 5/31, 8am-12pm with Dana Tell

Wednesday, 6/1, 10am-2pm with Ellie Weiss

Thursday, 6/2, 5:30-9:00pm with Dana Tell

Sunday, 6/5, 10am -300pm with Mark Berman



**Community-Wide Celebration in Honor of Yom Ha'atzmaut and Lag B'Omer**  
Sunday, 5/22 from 4-8 pm at SJCC and Herzl-Ner Tamid

Judaica Fair/SJCC activities are free.

RSVP for the BBQ required. Cost is \$7 for adults and \$5 for children.

RSVP: Register Now at: <http://www.jewishinseattle.org/news-events/events/community-wide-celebration-honor-yom-haatzmaut-and-lag-bomer>.

### AND

**Call for Judaica Vendors – SAVE the DATE**  
Sunday, 5/22 from 4-6pm at SJCC – for Lag B'Omer

If you are a local Jewish business or vendor and would like to participate in the Jewish Fair, please contact Carol Benedick at [CarolBenedick@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto:CarolBenedick@bethshalomseattle.org) or at 206 524-0075 Ext. 2504. The cost of a table is \$36.

### Staff Assessment Survey

The Professional Staff Assessment Committee is collecting input as we conduct our annual assessment of our four professional staff - Rabbi Borodin, Tzachi Litov, Irit Eliav and Leah Lemchen.

Both the staff and the board would greatly welcome input from the congregation to help us provide more meaningful feedback to the staff and to better shape our priorities going forward.

The survey should take just 15-20 minutes. Your responses will go to a confidential email and be kept completely anonymous, unless you tell us otherwise. We very much appreciate your time and thoughtfulness on this important effort. **The survey will be active until May 1, 2011.**

The survey is hosted on the Survey Monkey website. For the link, please check the weekly cybershul message or send an e-mail request to Steve Perlmutter, Chair of the Professional Staff Assessment Committee, at [steveperlmutter@gmail.com](mailto:steveperlmutter@gmail.com).

Thank you for your participation.

The Beth Shalom Early Childhood Center currently has openings. For more information or to schedule a tour, contact Leah Lemchen at 206 985 2517 or [leah@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto:leah@bethshalomseattle.org)



# HAMAKOM YINACHEM ETCHEM: "May God Comfort You"

## MEMBERS IN SHLOSHIM OR YUD BET HODESH

- י Rhona Feldman, for her mother, Min Feldman, z"l (24 Adar II)
- י Elizabeth Braverman, for her mother, Jane Braverman, z"l (22 Adar II)
- י Murray Raskind, for his father, Benjamin Raskind, z"l (17 Adar II)
- י Gloria Goldstein, for her husband, Norton Goldstein, z"l (22 Shevat)
- י Nancy Cooper, for her father, Gerald Cooper, z"l (22 Shevat)
- י Jonathan Solovy, for his father, Jerold Solovy, z"l (14 Shevat)
- י Lori Safer, for her father, Barney Cohn, z"l (23 Tevet)
- י Jettie Person, for her father, Walt Person, z"l (8 Tevet)
- י Rochelle Roseman, for her mother, Sara Groonis, z"l (17 Kislev)
- י Charles Shifren, for his father, Seymour Shifren, z"l
- י Merrie Schriro, for her father, George Schriro, z"l (10 Kislev)
- י Dina Tanners, for her mother, Jeanette Nelson, z"l (29 Cheshvan)
- י Arielle, Ethan and Jaron Bernstein, for their father, Rob Bernstein, z"l (27 Cheshvan)
- י Hilary Bernstein, for her husband, Rob Bernstein, z"l (27 Cheshvan)
- י David Marks, for his mother, Edith Rabinowitz Marks, z"l (23 Cheshvan)
- י Michael Newman, for his mother, Carol Spero Newman, z"l (15 Cheshvan)
- י Bella Korshin, Svetlana Burke, Emma Shusterman and Marina Kiselev, for their mother, Sofia Byk, z"l (13 Cheshvan)
- י Mark Stiefel, for his father, Ernest Stiefel, z"l (11 Cheshvan)
- י Doris Stiefel, for her husband, Ernest Stiefel, z"l (11 Cheshvan)
- י Mark Fefer, for his father, Alexander Fefer, z"l (25 Tishrei)
- י CBS Congregation, for our friend, Norman Rosenzweig, z"l (23 Tishrei)
- י Judy Borodin, for her mother, Blanche Fersh, z"l (18 Tishrei)
- י Michael de Haan, for his mother, Cecilia de Haan, z"l (21 Elul)
- י Robert Amkraut, for his father, Sidney Amkraut, z"l (19 Elul)
- י Judy Rosenfeld, for her son, Ariel Rosenfeld, z"l (6 Elul)
- י Kim Isaac, for her husband, Josh Isaac, z"l (22 Av)
- י Barry Shane, for his wife, Joyce Shane, z"l (20 Tammuz)
- י CBS Congregation, for our friend, Chaya Amiad, z"l (12 Tammuz)

## MEMBERS IN SHLOSHIM OR YUD BET HODESH CONTINUED

- י Jesse Kleinman, for his mother, Goldie Darvin Kleinman, z"l (5 Tammuz)
- י Esther Altshul Helfgott, for her husband, Abe Schweid, z"l (3 Tammuz)
- י Judith Mentzer, for her father, Charles Mentzer, z"l (25 Sivan)
- י Ilene Ruvinsky, for her mother, Rebecca Ruvinsky, z"l (24 Iyar)
- י Andrew Cohen, for his father, Lewis Richard Cohen, z"l (7 Iyar)
- י Stacy Globerman, for his mother, Helene Chaiya Schultz Globerman, z"l (28 Nissan)
- י Bob Cordes, for his father, Ron Cordes, z"l (21 Nissan)

## MEMBERS OBSERVING YAHZEITS

- י Judith Robin, for her father, Melvin Robin, z"l
- י Henry Levy, for his father, Samuel Levy, z"l
- י Hope Harris, for her mother, Del Harris, z"l
- י Selig Leyser, for his mother, Gertrude Leyser, z"l
- י Sam Wineburg, for his brother, Michael Wineburg, z"l
- י Emily Barton, for her grandfather, Jack Kenney, z"l
- י Paul Schwartz, for his father, John Evans, z"l
- י Rita Edelson, for her father, Robert Schaffer, z"l
- י Sheryl Kipnis, for her grandmother, Fanny Kipnis, z"l
- י Susan Aylesworth, for her grandmother, Helen Page, z"l
- י Judith Arms, for her father, Richard Arms, z"l
- י Ellen Spear, for her grandmother, Dorothy Berman, z"l
- י Cynthia Gayle, for her grandmother, Rose Caplan, z"l
- י Karen Friedman, for her grandfather, David Stern, z"l
- י Mark Nagel, for his father, Abram Nagel, z"l
- י Norm Schiff, for his father, Seymour Schiff, z"l
- י Adam Halpern, for his grandmother, Sylvia Weiner, z"l
- י Joani Diskin Saran, for her husband, Harold Diskin, z"l
- י Stan Sorscher, for his father, Samuel Sorscher, z"l
- י Steve Katz, for his grandfather, Isadore Katz, z"l

## REFUAH SHLEMAH

If your loved one's name is not listed, you may announce them during the prayer for the sick, after the reading of the Torah.

### CBS Members

- Gital Libah bat Sarah v'Moyshe (Gail Ewall)
- Ariel Ronit bat Leba Chaya v'Akiva (Ariel Salka)
- Naomi bat Rivka (Isabella Chapman)
- Tzvi Moshe ben Mordechai Haim ha'Levi v'Hava (Ron Schneeweiss)
- Baruch Leib Chaim ben Meir (Brent Brown)
- Israel Zvi ben Yehudit v'Shmuel (Howard Klein)
- Yenta Sarah bat Minche Rukhl (Jane Becker)
- Yakov ben Fayga (Yakov Koltman)
- Benyamin Lev ben Aviiva Ora v'Shmuel Moshe (Julian Silver)
- David Henached shel Goldja (Elric Wolfsbruder McCurdy)
- Yachna Maryam ha'Cohen bat Masha Leah
- Chisda ben Yonah (Tony Moore)
- Chizkiyahu Yitzchok Yehoshuah ben Rachel v'Eliezer
- Yitzchak ben Miriam v'Benjamin (Ira Kalet)
- Yaffa Tova bat Reuven (Jane Fein)
- Batsheva bat Sofia
- Ita bat Taube (Inna Lacker)
- Aviella Bara bat Nechama Raisel v'Shlomo Vared (Susan Aylesworth)
- Malka bat Leah v'Rav Avram (Mildred Rosenbaum)

### RELATIVES of Members

- Chayah bat Chana (Helen Kieval), mother-in-law of Patti Kieval (re-listed 4/6)
- Yisrael Chanach ben Hannah, father of Ellen Spear (re-listed 4/6)
- Dorothy Saran, mother of Craig Saran (re-listed 4/6)
- Shoshana bat Irene (Susan Markowitz), cousin of Patti Kieval (re-listed 4/6)
- Aryeh Lev (Leo Shalinsky), father of Howard Shalinsky (re-listed 4/6)
- Devorah bat Esther (Doreen Marx), step-mother of Jay Kruelewitich (re-listed 4/6)
- Nitzanya Tovah bat Shayna Liba v'Shau, relative of members (re-listed 3/22)
- Christine Tanners, daughter-in-law of Dina Tanners (re-listed 3/22)

## Refuah Shleimah

The Refuah Shleimah list is for the seriously ill and names need to be re-submitted monthly.

Each entry is dated. The listing expires one month from the listing date. To renew names on the list call Marjie at 206-524-0075.

Thank you for understanding our policy to make room for names in the future.

### RELATIVES of Members continued

- י Zeldia bat Golda (Wendy Hayes), step-mother of Tamira Hartman (re-listed 3/22)
- י Shraga Fieval ben Sarah v'Yeshiya, father of Marci Greenberg, (re-listed 3/24)
- י Benzion ben Yakov, father of Elizabeth Braverman (re-listed 4/2)
- י Steven Berman, son-in-law of Chris & Mia O'Quin (re-listed 4/8)
- י Avrum ben Reuven Leib (Alvin Friedkin), uncle of Louis Friedkin (listed 3/9)
- י Michle Zeldia bat Devorah (Mickey Miller), cousin of Robin Moss's cousin (listed 3/10)
- י Rebecca Peltz, mother of Linda Portnoy (listed 4/1)
- י Chaya bat Minna, mother of Carolyn Cohen (listed 4/11)

### FRIENDS of Members

- י Yehuda Dov Ha'Cohen ben Malkah, (Ernest Cohen), friend of Sharon Greenberg (re-listed 4/6)
- י Larry Zolton, friend of Patti Kieval (re-listed 4/6)
- י Rabbi Joshua Stampfer, friend of Congregation Beth Shalom and Camp Solomon Schechter (re-listed 3/30)
- י Pat Conway, friend of Corey Salka and Lisa Orlick-Salka (listed 4/5)
- י Deborah Bussel, friend of Lisa Orlick-Salka (listed 4/5)
- י Margie Rosander, friend of Kayla Weiner (listed 4/5)
- י Kristine Messick, friend of Kayla Weiner (listed 4/5)
- י Esther bat Sarah (Estelle Wild), friend of Robert Hovden (listed 4/13)
- י Gavriella Chaya bat Sara (Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords)
- י Gilad Shalit, the kidnapped Israeli soldier in Gaza