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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



"A renowned genius once asked a student, "What are you watching when you sit on a hillside in the late afternoon as the colors turn from yellow to orange and red and finally darkness?" He answered, "You are watching the sunset." The genius responded, "That is what is wrong with our age. You know full well you are not watching the sun set. You are watching the world turn." ~ Jeremy Kagan

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Kabbalat Shabbat Service in the Sanctuary

Candlelighting for March 4 is at 5:40pm
Kabbalat Shabbat Services at 6:00pm

Shabbat Morning Services in the Sanctuary at 9:30 am

**Mevarekhim Ha'Chodesh
Pekudei**

Exodus 38:21-39:21

Maftir: Exodus 30:11-16

Haftarah: II Kings 12:1-17

Aufruf of Joel Freedman & Rebecca Cory

Kiddush is Sponsored by Joel Freedman & Rebecca Cory, in honor of their Aufruf and prepared by our Shabbas Chefs, Shoshanna Barnett & Michael Jolson, and their helpers, Hannah Cohen-Cline, Nicole Guidry, Neelz Gharavi, John Schochet & Tenaya Scheinmann, Maxine & Miriam Alloway & Rachel Jacobson

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

Tot Shabbat from 11:130am in Room 4/5

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

Israel Discussion Group from 1:15pm in the Beit Midrash

Assaf Nisenboym will be the speaker this Shabbat. Assaf came to Seattle from Jerusalem to work with StandWithUs Northwest. His role is to provide a positive voice for Israel in the Puget Sound region. He is an adept storyteller, and he'll be sharing his personal story of growing up in Israel, as well.

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>.

CBS Gift Card / Scrip Program

Good news for observers of the Beth Shalom Scrip Program: The number of purchases of gift cards by CBS members and non-members alike has now exceeded 1,000. Kol hakavod! If you have any questions or comments about the program, please feel free to contact Marjie in the shul office, or Kevin Coskey at (206) 365-2275 or at scrip@bethshalomseattle.org. **AND if you can't make it to CBS to buy scrip during office hours? Come on Tuesday & Wednesday night!** Our friendly door greeters, Talya and Elric, can sell you scrip between 6:30-7pm and from 8-8:15pm. Scrip available for: QFC, Safeway, Albertsons, Home Depot, ARCO, PCC and Starbucks.

Join our Facebook group!

Get the latest news, join in discussions, keep in touch. From 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, 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.

Call Your State Legislators

The Social Action Committee asks you to contact your state legislators to support two bills on behalf of foster children. HB 1128 and SB 5245 would extend foster care from age 18 to age 19. CBS volunteers at the Ryther Child Center and at TeenFeed can well imagine 18-year-old foster kids ending up homeless and at TeenFeed. Let's give them a break!

A Community Toolbox: Bolstering the Seattle Jewish Community's Commitment to Service, Justice and Action

Sunday, 3/13 from 12:45-4pm at Temple Beth Am Join *Repair the World* for an afternoon of learning, discussion and exploration. While the event is free and open to public, advanced registration is required. To register, please go to <http://weRepair.org/community-toolbox>.

Presenters will include: CBS Members, Beth Huppin, Ken Weinberg, Rabbi Will Berkovitz and Ameer Sherer, as well as Rivy Kletenik and Robert Beiser.

Shabbas Chefs

We could use a few more people who are occasionally available during the day to pitch in and help the Shabbas Chefs. Let us know if you can! Contact: Judith Benjamin and Mark Berman, co chairs judithbenj@comcast.net or msbxiv@gmail.com.

Film Showing: *Race to Nowhere*

Thursday, 3/31 from 7:00 pm at the SJCS, 12351 8th Ave NE, Seattle
Tickets are on sale now.
\$10 online, \$15 at the door (if available)
Tickets will be released to the general public March 14.

Help us purchase the new Mahzor Lev Shalem!

As many of you may already know, there is a new Mahzor available that we know will help transform our High Holiday experiences.

Please watch your mail for a white envelope with all the details. And for those interested, a couple of the new Mahzor Lev Shalem are now available on Shabbat for your perusal.

ADULT EDUCATION NEWS

The Hebrew Literature group is cancelled for the month of March and will resume April 13, 7-8:30pm with a discussion of Assaf Gavron's *Almost Dead*.

Mitzvah Day—Support Tent City 3 and Lake City Meal Program

Sunday, 3/20

This year, Mitzvah Day is designed to facilitate our participation in the mitzvah of matanot l'evyonim—gifts to the poor. As part of the mitzvah, gifts of food or money must be given to those less fortunate, and directly received on the holiday itself. The Social Action committee is offering opportunities to observe this mitzvah on Purim day, Sunday, March 20th. Please sign up ahead of time as spaces for these activities are limited. **RSVP no later than March 11th** by emailing Robert Isgur at: risgur@broadstripe.net

1. Prepare take-away bags for guests at the Lake City meal program. This will take place from 12:15—1:00pm in the Beth Shalom social hall.
2. Prepare a meal for residents of Tent City 3. We will be cooking at Beth Shalom on Purim afternoon from 1:00-4:00pm.
3. Serve the meal at Tent City 3, and visit with residents. This will take place from 5:45-6:30 pm at Cherry Hill Baptist Church, 700 22nd Ave in Seattle.

Hazon Ride - California 2011! (2 day Shabbat retreat, 2 day ride), May 6-9, 2011

<http://www.hazon.org/go.php?q=/rides/2011CA/joinThePeopleOfTheBike.html>

Don't want to go, but want to support? You can support a rider. <http://www.hazon.org/go.php?q=/rides/2011CA/participantList.php>

You might see a couple names you recognize - CBS member, Marie Poole, will be riding this year as well as Rabbi Spicehandler and her husband.

MILESTONES

Y Mazel Tov to Joel Freedman & Rebecca Cory on their Aufruf

TODDAH RABAH

Y To the Shabbas Chefs, Shoshanna Barnett & Michael Jolson, and their helpers, Hannah Cohen-Cline, Nicole Guidry, Neelz Gharavi, John Shochet & Tenaya Scheinmann, Maxine & Miriam Alloway & Rachel Jacobson, for preparing the Kiddush this week

Y Joanna Gerber, for her help in our office

UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Global Poverty Discussion Group

Next Shabbat, 3/12 from 1pm in the Beit Midrash
Please join the Global Poverty Discussion Group and the Social Action Committee as we welcome Patti Kieval to lead us in a discussion of issues about employment, work, and labor unions. If you're following along in the book, we are talking about Chapter 5, "Servants to Servants or Servants to God: Workers, Employers and Unions" from Rabbi Jill Jacobs, *There Shall Be No Needy*. No preparation required; we will talk about how our Jewish values might inform our support of labor unions. To quote Patti: "Certainly having a labor union helps give a collective strength to workers so they are treated fairly, not exploited, and have safe(r) working conditions."

Stitch & Schmooze

Sunday, 3/13 from 10:15am-12:15pm

The next Stitch and Schmooze is Sunday, March 13, 10:15am-12:15pm.

Check with Carol Benedick at carolbenedick@bethshalomseattle.org for address information or tell her you would like to host.

We are now meeting the 2nd Sunday of the month

Women's Rosh Chodesh Chavurah

Sunday, 3/13 from 7-9pm at Shirah Bell's home

Come explore how Queen Esther's spirit thrives in you and our community of women. We'll use some engaging and fun methods to dive into this story and see its modern day relevance.

Facilitator: Rose Yu

Please email carolbenedick@bethshalomseattle.org or call the CBS office for address information. Call Carolyn Friedkin at (206) 522-5965 for general information.

PLEASURE OF YOUR COMPANY EVENTS

Improv Evening at Beth Shalom

Saturday, 3/12 from 7:30pm

Do you have a comedic voice looking for an outlet? Get together with friends old and new for improv games, entertainment, and conversation. Facilitated by Liora Minkin - who, in a past life, performed, directed and taught improv comedy. RSVP to the office at 206-524-0075. Donations to the membership committee are appreciated.

Youth Minyan for Adults

Shabbat morning, 3/19 from 10-Noon

Have you ever wondered what happens at youth minyan? After 10 years of exclusive youth-only services, Marci Greenberg is leading a one-time only youth minyan for adults complete with opportunities to take part in services and have infamous youth minyan brownies. All children will be escorted back to the main sanctuary. Please RSVP to the office at 206-524-0075.

Neighborhood Shabbat

Friday, 4/1

Join your neighbors for a pot-luck vegetarian Shabbat meal on Friday April 1. Bring a dish and shmooze with your neighbors. Help us fill in the blanks. Volunteer to host by contacting Deborah Rifkin at

dteitel@rifkinmail.com

Wedgwood:

Liora Minkin & Philip Nurick - (206) 525-6520

2 more hosts needed for Wedgwood

Eastside: host needed

West of Freeway: host needed

View Ridge: host needed

South end: host needed

West Seattle: host needed

Capitol Hill and North end: hosts needed



EREV PURIM CELEBRATION

Saturday night, 3/19

7:00pm Minchah & Maariv
7:30-7:50pm Storytime for families with young children
7:50-8:00pm Costume Parade
8:00pm Havdallah
8:10-8:20pm Klez Katz
8:20-8:50 pm Not Ready for High Holidays Players' Purim Play
8:50-9:50 pm Megillah Reading, and Kids Carnival
9:50-10:15pm Music and Singing

Due to Kashrut and dietary restrictions, we respectfully request that you not deliver mishloah manot at the Shul. Thank you for your cooperation.



PURIM DAY

Sunday, 3/20

9:30-11:15 am Morning Minyan and Megillah Reading
(Religious School is held as usual this morning and is open only to registered students.)
11:15am-12:15pm Light Brunch with Entertainment and Shtick for Adults and Kids
No charge
RSVP for brunch by March 14
12:15-1:00 pm Matanot L'Eviyonim: A family tzedakah program—making gifts for the poor (see top of 2nd page for more specifics for Mitzvah Day)

Everyone is welcome!

Children must be accompanied by a parent.

Religious School Jewish Book Sale

Want to purchase great Purim and Pesach books for your children? The Beth Shalom Religious School is selling books from KarBen Publishers. The Religious School receives a percentage of the profits from these sales. If you'd like to check out some of the books that they have available, visit www.karben.com. Then, place an order through Ann Kelly at annkelly@bethshalomseattle.org. Orders due by March 6, 2011. This is a great and easy way to encourage your children to read Jewish books. For more information, you can also contact Irit Eliav, Director of Education, at Iriteliav@bethshalomseattle.org. Thank you for supporting our school.

HAMAKOM YINACHEM ETCHEM: "May God Comfort You"

MEMBERS IN SHLOSHIM OR YUD BET HODESH

- י Gloria Goldstein, for her husband, Norton Goldstein, ז"ל (22 Shevat)
- י Nancy Cooper, for her father, Gerald Cooper, ז"ל (22 Shevat)
- י Jonathan Solovy, for his father, Jerold Solovy, ז"ל (14 Shevat)
- י Lori Safer, for her father, Barney Cohn, ז"ל (23 Tevet)
- י Benjamin Levie, for his brother, James Levie, ז"ל (15 Tevet)
- י Jettie Person, for her father, Walt Person, ז"ל (8 Tevet)
- י Rochelle Roseman, for her mother, Sara Groonis, ז"ל (17 Kislev)
- י Charles Shifren, for his father, Seymour Shifren, ז"ל
- י Merrie Schriro, for her father, George Schriro, ז"ל (10 Kislev)
- י Dina Tanners, for her mother, Jeanette Nelson, ז"ל (29 Cheshvan)
- י Arielle, Ethan and Jaron Bernstein, for their father, Rob Bernstein, ז"ל (27 Cheshvan)
- י Hilary Bernstein, for her husband, Rob Bernstein, ז"ל (27 Cheshvan)
- י David Marks, for his mother, Edith Rabinowitz Marks, ז"ל (23 Cheshvan)
- י Michael Newman, for his mother, Carol Spero Newman, ז"ל (15 Cheshvan)
- י Bella Korshin, Svetlana Burke, Emma Shusterman and Marina Kiselev, for their mother, Sofia Byk, ז"ל (13 Cheshvan)
- י Mark Stiefel, for his father, Ernest Stiefel, ז"ל (11 Cheshvan)
- י Doris Stiefel, for her husband, Ernest Stiefel, ז"ל (11 Cheshvan)
- י Mark Fefer, for his father, Alexander Fefer, ז"ל (25 Tishrei)
- י CBS Congregation, for our friend, Norman Rosenzweig, ז"ל (23 Tishrei)
- י Judy Borodin, for her mother, Blanche Fersh, ז"ל (18 Tishrei)
- י Michael de Haan, for his mother, Cecilia de Haan, ז"ל (21 Elul)

MEMBERS IN SHLOSHIM OR YUD BET HODESH CONTINUED

- י Robert Amkraut, for his father, Sidney Amkraut, ז"ל (19 Elul)
- י Judy Rosenfeld, for her son, Ariel Rosenfeld, ז"ל (6 Elul)
- י Kim Isaac, for her husband, Josh Isaac, ז"ל (22 Av)
- י Barry Shane, for his wife, Joyce Shane, ז"ל (20 Tammuz)
- י CBS Congregation, for our friend, Chaya Amiad, ז"ל (12 Tammuz)
- י Jesse Kleinman, for his mother, Goldie Darvin Kleinman, ז"ל (5 Tammuz)
- י Esther Altshul Helfgott, for her husband, Abe Schweid, ז"ל (3 Tammuz)
- י Judith Mentzer, for her father, Charles Mentzer, ז"ל (25 Sivan)
- י Ilene Ruvinsky, for her mother, Rebecca Ruvinsky, ז"ל (24 Iyar)
- י Andrew Cohen, for his father, Lewis Richard Cohen, ז"ל (7 Iyar)
- י Stacy Globberman, for his mother, Helene Chaiya Schultz Globberman, ז"ל (28 Nissan)
- י Bob Cordes, for his father, Ron Cordes, ז"ל
- י Selig Leyser, for his mother, Gertrude Leyser, ז"ל (14 Nissan)

MEMBERS OBSERVING YAHEZITS

- י David Heller, for his mother, Helen Glazier Heller, ז"ל
- י Rachel Jacobsen, for her father, Morris Levy, ז"ל
- י Norman Chapman, for his sister-in-law, Charlotte Chapman, ז"ל
- י Yakov Koltman, for his mother, Fayina Koltman, ז"ל
- י Donald Kronenberg, for his father, Sanford Kronenberg, ז"ל
- י Elaine Selipsky, for her father, Charles Nathan, ז"ל
- י Sam Wineburg, for his mother, Ruth Wineburg, ז"ל
- י Marcy Migdal, for her father, Asher Alexander, ז"ל

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

- Daniella bat Sarah (Debi Vans Evers)
- Ari ben Zelda (Robert Spitzer)
- Tzvi Moshe ben Mordechai Haim ha'Levi v'Hava (Ron Schneeweiss)
- Baruch Leib Chaim ben Meir (Brent Brown)
- Devorah Hannah bat Sarah v'Shlomo (Doris Stiefel)
- Israel Zvi ben Yehudit v'Shmu'el (Howard Klein)
- Yenta Sarah bat Minche Rukhl (Jane Becker)
- Yakov ben Fayga (Yakov Koltman)
- Benjamin Lev ben Aviiva Ora v'Shmu'el 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 2/6)
- Yisrael Chanach ben Hannah, father of Ellen Spear (re-listed 2/6)
- Dorothy Saran, mother of Craig Saran (re-listed 2/6)
- Shoshana bat Irene (Susan Markowitz), cousin of Patti Kieval (re-listed 2/6)
- Aryeh Lev (Leo Shalinsky), father of Howard Shalinsky (re-listed 2/6)
- Devorah bat Esther (Doreen Marx), step-mother of Jay Kruelewitch (re-listed 2/6)
- Nitzanya Tovah bat Shayna Liba v'Shau'l, relative of members (re-listed 2/22)
- Bentzion Mendel ben Nechama (B. Manny Schreiber), cousin of Dina Tanners (listed 1/27)
- Christine Tanners, daughter-in-law of Dina Tanners (re-listed 2/22)
- Zelda bat Golda (Wendy Hayes), step-mother of Tamira Hartman (re-listed 2/22)

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 Shraga Fieval ben Sarah v'Yeshiya, father of Marci Greenberg, (re-listed 2/24)
- י Burt Horwitch, uncle of Carrie Horwitch (listed 2/2)
- י Steven Berman, son-in-law of Chris & Mia O'Quin (listed 2/4)
- י Meir ben Mordechai, father of Danielle Yancey (listed 2/10)
- י Gordon Konsker, brother of Robert Konsker (listed 2/10)
- י Noam Daniel ben Gilah Malkah v'HaRav Gedaliah Yakov HaLevi, cousin of Rik Katz (listed 2/18)
- י Benzion ben Yakov, father of Elizabeth Braverman (listed 3/2)
- י Jane Braverman, mother of Elizabeth Braverman (listed 3/2)

FRIENDS of Members

- י Yehuda Dov Ha'Cohen ben Malkah, (Ernest Cohen), friend of Sharon Greenberg (re-listed 2/6)
- י Larry Zolton, friend of Patti Kieval (re-listed 2/6)
- י Rabbi Joshua Stampfer, friend of Congregation Beth Shalom and Camp Solomon Schechter (re-listed 2/4)
- י Kent Morrissey, friend of Carrie Horwitch (listed 1/31)
- י Esther bat Sarah (Estelle Wilde), friend of Robert Hovden (listed 1/31)
- י Yaakov ben Rina (Jacob Glickman), religious school family member (listed 2/10)
- י Gavriella Chaya bat Sara (Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords)
- י Gilad Shalit, the kidnapped Israeli soldier in Gaza