



Jonah Bondar
August 25, 2018
14 Elul 5778

Each generation is bound to the next by a legacy of faith, love and tradition. It is with pride in our heritage and joy in our hearts that our son, and brother, Jonah Miles Bondar, will be called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah in August, 2018.

Preparing for his Bar Mitzvah has been an incredibly busy and fulfilling rite of passage for Jonah. For his B'nai Mitzvah Project, Jonah has spent Thursday evenings for the last year volunteering his time teaching science to youth at Inn from the Cold. The Inn provides shelter, food, medical care and access to education to Calgary's homeless children and their families. Being part of a solution that provides learning but also gives confidence and entertainment to these amazing kids has been incredibly rewarding for Jonah.

Jonah is a young man who is curious about everything! He loves to laugh with his group of close knit friends, play tennis and soccer, and learn new things whether on his own or as an honour roll student at The Calgary Jewish Academy. Many thanks to Rabbi Osadchey and Cantor Russ for preparing Jonah for his Bar Mitzvah!

Needless to say, we are schepping nachas!

Silver Polishers Needed!!

In addition to taking account of our spiritual life as Yontif approaches, we at Beth Tzedec also have to take an account of our beautiful Torah silver. This "accounting" will take place on Tuesday, September 4th



from 9:00am-12noon with our Annual Silver Polishing Party. Milt Fischbein will be on hand to instruct us in the proper polishing technique, and Beth Tzedec will provide lunch for the volunteers. If you are available, please call the office at 403-255-8688 to sign up. Just a few hours of your time will help make our sanctuary sparkle for the New Year.

Yahrzeit Observance



It is customary to light a yahrzeit candle at home on the anniversary of a loved one's death, and to recite Kaddish at synagogue during prayer services that day. Thanks to the generosity of the Zeisler Family Foundation, Beth Tzedec clergy and staff will be pleased to provide you with a yahrzeit candle when you attend weekday (Sunday to Friday) services.

We observe the following Yahrzeits this week of
August 25-31, 2018

Please let one of the ushers know if you are observing a Yahrzeit this week.

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| Zelig Belzberg* | Aneta Switzer* |
| Margaret Blitt* | Harry Brener* |
| Mosheh Blitt* | James Gordon* |
| Hanna Hector* | Gita Hendin* |
| Harold Hoffman | Sam Hendin* |
| Berthe Horwitz* | Hyman Kaplan* |
| Eliyahu Junovitch* | Rose Ludman* |
| Raika Junovitch* | Rose Rabin |
| Jacob-Esther Gittel | Jacob Woolfe* |
| Mandelman & Family* | Betty Zalmanowitz* |
| Maurice Sunderland | Phillip Botwinik* |
| Alex Zindler* | Stanley Barron* |
| Arnold Churgin* | Jack Bleviss* |
| Joseph Guttman* | Basha Dagul* |
| Steven Hyman | Max Jacobson* |
| Doris Scharf* | Boruch Karsh* |
| Gordon Signer* | William Leonoff |
| Freddie Yuffe* | Clara Roth |
| Edythe Barron* | Peter Block* |
| Judah Ickovic* | Harry Krygier* |
| William Rabofsky* | Gert Segal* |
| Frances Sigal* | Tannis Snukal |
| | Aaron Yuffe |

**Name lovingly inscribed on the Beth Tzedec Memorial Wall*

August Unveiling

The family of the late **Geneva Cohen** has requested the announcement of the unveiling of the headstone.

Geneva Cohen
 Sunday, August 26 11:30am Beth Tzedec Memorial Park

If you would like to advise the congregation of a future unveiling and have it included in our publications, please let us know by contacting the Shul office at 403-255-8688 or info@bethzedec.ca.



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Beth Tzedec Vision Statement

Inspiring innovative learning, spiritual growth, compassion and the joyous expression of Conservative Jewish living in the home, synagogue and community.

Shabbat Shalom

Beth Tzedec Congregation is an egalitarian Conservative synagogue that preserves Jewish tradition in a fashion that reflects contemporary life. We combine the spiritual leadership of our clergy and professional staff with the dedication of our Board of Directors and volunteers to offer a richly diverse array of services and programs to our members, the Calgary Jewish community, and the community at large.

Congregational Rabbi: Rabbi Shaul Osadchey

Cantor: Cantor Russell Jayne

President: David Inhaber

Ritual Director: Lorne Pearl

Executive Director: Max Lipsman

Rabbi Shaul Osadchey and Cantor Russell Jayne
join our Executive and Board of Directors in welcoming all congregants
and guests to our Shabbat services.

KI TETZEI

TORAH PORTION: Deuteronomy 23:8-24:13
Pages: 1123-1130

HAFTARAH: Isaiah 54:1-10 + 54:11-55:5
Pages: 1138-1139 + 1085-1087
Chanted by Jonah Bondar

*This Sefer Haftarah portion is dedicated in honour of the
Bat Mitzvah of Moriah Samchek (August 28, 2015)*

with love from her parents Alan and Monica Samchek and her brother David.

MAZEL TOV TO: Parents Marnie and Darren Bondar, sister Chloe,
grandparents Esther and Sam Plucer and Annabelle and Michael Bondar
and great-grandmother Freda Plucer on the occasion of Jonah's Bar
Mitzvah.

REFUAH SHLEIMAH - Wishing a speedy recovery to:

Sara Tybel bat Shayna Asne, Henna bat Zelda, Malka bat Dina Brocha,
Yaffa bat Tova, Barry Kaufman, Carolyn Rosen, Sahbra Anna bat D'vorah,
Feigel bat Regina, Chaim ben Beata, Esther bat Sarah, Mendel ben Itel,
Dena bat Magultza, Channa bat Sarah, Hanna Shoshana bat Ahuva and
Havivah Chaya bat Sarah.

Names that appear in Hebrew only are at the request of the individual who is ill.

Please return your filled boxes to the BTZ office.

Project 146

ה' שומר את-גרים, יתום ואלמנה יעודד...

Adonai protects the stranger and supports the orphan and widow...
(Psalm 146)

Project 146 is our synagogue's program to actively encourage every
household to perform one act of *zedakah* and *gemilut hasadim* (loving-
kindness) in 5778. The inaugural year is dedicated to Sam Switzer whose
commitment to helping the needy is an inspiration to all. If you didn't
receive your **Project 146** Tzedekah box in the mail,
please find one in the lobby on the display table.

The funds collected will be used to further the social
justice projects of Beth Tzedec.



PROGRAMS and EVENTS

Shabbat August 25th

9:00am Shabbat Service
9:00am Bar Mitzvah
Jonah Bondar

Shabbat Ends: 9:30pm

Friday August 31st

Candle Lighting: 8:05pm
Shabbat September 1st
9:00am Shabbat Service
8:30pm Dessert Reception
9:00pm Havdalah and Program
Shabbat Ends: 9:14pm

9:30pm Selichot Services

Monday September 3rd

Office Closed
9:00am Services

Wednesday September 5th

7:00pm BTZ Board Meeting
(Members Welcome)

Friday September 7th

Candle Lighting: 7:50pm
TORAH: NITSAVIM

Shabbat September 8th

9:00am Shabbat Services
Shabbat Ends: 8:57pm

Sunday September 9th

Erev Rosh Hashanah
6:00pm Mincha/Ma'ariv

The Congregational Kiddush will be held in the
Harry and Martha Cohen Skylight Lounge and is
co-sponsored by Marnie, Darren and Chloe Bondar in
honour of Jonah's Bar Mitzvah and by
Arlein Chetner and Family; sharing the celebration of
Simchas of dear family and friends.

Jonah, Chloe, Marnie and Darren invite their guests to join
them in the Abraham and Hinda Belzberg Social Hall.

Seeking Beth Tzedec Post-Secondary Youth

Dear Parents,

I would like to communicate with your post-secondary students
throughout the year as a way to continue my and Beth Tzedec's
relationship with them. It is a time when this "Jewish connection" is
important as they wrestle with the many complex issues facing them
as Jewish students on campus. In addition, I always enjoying sending
them some treats for the various holidays.

So, please send me their names, the post-secondary institution they
are attending and what year they are in, email address, and campus
address.

I look forward to conveying to them a Rosh Hashannah greeting so
please forward their information as soon as you can.

Thanks,
Rabbi Osadchey (rabbi@bethtzedec.ca)

Selichot Services

*Selichot sets the tone for the High Holiday liturgy through
prayers of reflection and repentance and special
Yom Tov melodies.*

Saturday September 1

Dessert Reception: 8:30pm
Havdalah and Program: 9:00pm
Selichot Services: 9:30pm

Tashlich/Outdoor Mincha

First Day of Rosh Hashanah - Monday September 10
Weather permitting

Please meet at the Marina by Heritage Park at 4:30pm
Join us for this symbolic ceremony of casting away the sins of
the past year as we toss bread crumbs into the reservoir while
reciting the words of the prophets Ezekiel and Isaiah along
with Psalms. We will also daven mincha services outdoors
at this time.

Kever Avot Memorial Services

Sunday September 16

Public Memorial Services will be held at the
following cemeteries:

Chevre Kadisha Cemetery at 10:30am
Beth Tzedec Memorial Park at 11:00am
Erlton Street Cemetery at 12:00noon

High Holiday Service Times



Erev Rosh Hashanah - Evening Service

Sunday September 9 - 6:00pm

Rosh Hashanah Day I

Monday September 10 - 8:30am

Erev Rosh Hashanah - Evening Service

Monday September 10 - 8:00pm

Rosh Hashanah Day II

Tuesday September 11 - 8:30am

Kol Nidre Erev Yom Kippur

Tuesday September 18 - 6:45pm

Yom Kippur

Wednesday September 19 - 9:00am

Mincha

Wednesday September 19 - 6:00pm