



Please find the bonus dates for December below.

Sunday	December 16, 2018	8 Tevet	9:00am	6:00pm
Sunday	December 23, 2018	15 Tevet	9:00am	6:00pm
Sunday	December 30, 2018	22 Tevet	9:00am	6:00pm
Monday	December 31, 2018	23 Tevet	7:45am	6:00pm

Susan Inhaber
NML Commissioner

BTZ Gift Shop

Come and see what is in store for you!



The BTZ Gift Shop is open during office hours
(8:30am-3:30pm Monday-Thursday and
8:30am-3:00pm on Friday).
We will be closed on Stat Holidays.
Please call the office at 403-255-8688
for more information.

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
December 15-22, 2018

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

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| Charlotte Angelle* | Abraham Ginsburg* |
| Maurice Angelle* | Sarah Litwack* |
| David Cramer | Marie Samuels* |
| Ralph Kalef* | Robert Cohen |
| Mary Lazar* | Alex Katzin* |
| Ruth Libin* | Dorothy Kirshner* |
| Pauline Smolensky* | Doreen Odes |
| Usher Berman | Eddie Brodsky* |
| Nicholas Bracey* | Alex Gorasht* |
| Ethel Eder* | Annie Kohut* |
| Reuven Ornstein* | Max Kwavnick |
| Harry Sherman* | Henach Promislow |
| Zalman Shkolnik* | Sophie Sunderland* |
| Bessie Slutker* | Ida Waxman* |
| Sybil Staniloff* | Ida Horwitz* |
| Benjamin Sweet | Fanny Kay* |
| Yuraej Kohn* | Clara Pencer* |
| Edward Kopel* | Rekka Rotzang* |
| Izzie Lavine | Florence Rudakoff* |
| Pinia Title* | Frank Zipursky |
| Kathleen Fleishman | |

*Name lovingly inscribed on the Beth Tzedec Memorial Wall

Cemetery Entry Code

To gain entry into the Beth Tzedec Memorial Park cemetery, press 1 then 3 for the gate code.

Jewish Family Services - Miriam's Well Every drop in the bucket helps!

The need is great. Please do what you can when visiting the Synagogue by bringing any canned goods, cereal, paper products or toiletries. Items need not be kosher. Even just one item from everyone can make a difference. Let's encourage our young children to participate in this great Mitzvah.



December 15, 2018 ☆ 7 Tevet, 5779

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 Chair: 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.

VAYIGGASH

TORAH PORTION: Genesis 46:28-47:27
Pages: 283-289

HAFTARAH: Ezekiel 37:15-28
Pages: 291-292
Chanted by Isaac Wax

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, Mendel ben Itel, Channa bat Sarah, Hanna Shoshana
bat Ahuva, Havivah Chaya bat Sarah, Janice Carey, Arieh David ben
Rochel, James Kendal, Dean ben Diana, Perel bat Leizer, Lily Joffe,
Leah bat Sarah, Delsie Dworkin, Perel Gittel bat Chana, John Lesch and
Chai bat Chaim.

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



If you would like to read Torah,
Haftarah or lead services please
contact Cantor Russ at
403-255-8688 ext 4 or
CantorRuss@bethzedec.ca.

SAVE THE DATE

How Technology, Life Experiences and Imagination Shape the Human Brain Featuring Hebrew University Professor Amir Amedi

Monday, January 14th - 7:00pm
Beth Tzedec Congregation

RSVP to Calgary@CFHU.org or call 403-297-0605

Professor Amir Amedi is an award-winning brain scientist whose research suggests new ways to look at brain organization and brain flexibility. His work with blind and normal sighted individuals suggests that the brain is actually a flexible sensory independent task machine rather than a pure sensory machine. Proudly presented by Canadian Friends of Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Canadian Magen David Adom and Beth Tzedec Congregation.

PROGRAMS and EVENTS

Shabbat December 15th

9:00am Shabbat Service
4:30pm Seudah Shlishit
Shabbat ends 5:28pm
6:30pm Wicks 'n Flicks

Thursday December 20th

12:00pm Hazak 55+
Friday December 21st
Candle Lighting: 4:13pm
TORAH: VAYHI

Shabbat December 22nd

9:00am Shabbat Service
10:00am Minyan Katan
4:30pm Seudah Shlishit
Shabbat ends 5:31pm

Monday December 24th

OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday December 25th

9:00am Services
10:00am Movie and Dinner
Marathon

OFFICE CLOSED

Wednesday December 26th

9:00am Services
OFFICE CLOSED

Friday December 28th

Candle Lighting: 4:18pm
TORAH: SHEMOT

Shabbat December 29th

9:00am Shabbat Service
4:30pm Seudah Shlishit
Shabbat ends 5:35pm

Monday December 31st

12:00pm Office Closed

PROGRAMS and EVENTS

Wicks 'n Flicks

Saturday, December 15th - 6:30pm

Come for Havdalah and the movie, *An American Tail*. Specially for families with children ages 3-7. Bring a blankie! Refreshments provided. Free of charge. Everyone is welcome!

Hazak 55+ presents

**Antisemitism in the Aftermath of Pittsburgh:
How Endangered are we? with Rabbi Osadchey**
Thursday, December 20th - 12:00pm

Rabbi Osadchey will briefly review the history and nature of antisemitism in North America and compare it to European antisemitism. He will lead a conversation about whether the current surge in attacks against Jews is similar to the period leading up to the Holocaust or is different in its implications for the future of North American Jewry.

Lunch will be served at 12noon, \$5 for members and \$7 for guests. RSVP to the synagogue office at 403-255-8688 by Tuesday, December 18th. For more information, please contact Donna Caplan at 403-271-3066. Everyone is welcome.

Minyan Katan

Shabbat, December 22nd - 10:00am

A Shabbat Morning Service crafted for B'nai Mitzvah students and their families and featuring student-led prayers under the guidance of Rabbi Osadchey.

Interfaith Bible Study

Exodus: From Bondage to Liberation

Wednesdays 1:00 - 2:30pm

January 9, 16, 23, 30 - Beth Tzedec Congregation

February 6, 13, 20, 27 - Temple B'nai Tikvah 900 47 Ave SW

Facilitators: Rabbi Shaul Osadchey (Beth Tzedec), Rabbi Mark Glickman (Temple B'nai Tikvah), Rev. Anna Greenwood-Lee (St. Laurence Anglican and the Wisdom Centre) **Free and Open to All**

Bikkur Cholim: You are a Life-Line!

When our members are ill at home or in the hospital, a caring visit or phone call can lift their spirits and help them heal physically and spiritually. Please call or email Rabbi Osadchey 403-255-8688, rabbii@bethzedec.ca with the names of congregants who are hospitalized or are ill at home. We will arrange a visit, a caring note, or even some chicken soup! Please know that we would rather receive 20 calls about the same person than none at all.

December 25th

'Tis the Jewish day for Movies and Chinese Food!

Musical-Dance Movie Marathon



Movies - Free

10:00am *Saturday Night Fever*

2:00pm *Westside Story*

12:00pm *Hairspray*

4:00pm *Happy Feet*

Kosher Chinese Dinner to follow at 6:15pm

Dinner: \$10-adult \$5-children

RSVP to the BTZ office at 403-255-8688. Everyone is welcome!

Please also join us for Shabbat Services at 6:00pm

