

SHANA TOVAH

WELCOMING A
SWEET NEW YEAR

Calendar Highlights

Friday, September 1

8:10am Elul Challenge
TORAH: Ki Tavo
Candle lighting: 8:03pm

Saturday, September 2

Shabbat ends: 9:12pm

Monday, September 4

Labour Day – Office Closed

Wednesday, September 6

8:10am Elul Challenge
7:00pm Board Meeting

Thursday, September 7

6:30pm Keruv Class

Friday, September 8

8:10am Elul Challenge
5:30pm Family Shabbat Dinner
TORAH: Nitzavim + Vayeilekh
Candle lighting: 7:48pm

Saturday, September 9

Leil Selichot

Jack Grant's Bar Mitzvah (Off-Site)
Aritzia Grant's Bat Mitzvah (Off-Site)

8:30pm Selichot Service
Shabbat ends: 8:55pm

Monday, September 11

8:10am Elul Challenge

Wednesday, September 13

8:10am Elul Challenge

Friday, September 15

Erev Rosh Hashanah

Office Closed at 12:00pm

6:00pm Mincha/Ma'ariv
Candle lighting: 7:32pm

Saturday, September 16

Rosh Hashanah (Day 1)

9:00am Rosh Hashanah Shacharit
10:00am Torah Reading
10:00am Family Service
6:00pm Mincha
Shabbat ends/Candle lighting: 8:38pm

Sunday, September 17

Rosh Hashanah (Day 2)

9:00am Rosh Hashanah Shacharit
10:00am Torah Reading
10:00am Family Service
4:30pm Family Tashlich & Mincha
Yom tov ends: 8:36pm

Friday, September 22

TORAH: Ha'azinu
Candle lighting: 7:16pm

Saturday, September 23

Shabbat ends: 8:22pm

Sunday, September 24

Erev Yom Kippur

6:45pm Mincha
7:00pm Kol Nidre

Monday, September 25

Yom Kippur – Office Closed

9:00am Yom Kippur Shacharit
10:00am Family Service
10:30am Torah Reading
11:30am Yizkor
11:45am Musaf
5:30pm Mincha
7:00pm Neilah
8:00pm Ma'ariv
8:17pm Shofar Blowing/Fast Ends

Friday, September 29

Erev Sukkot

Shabbat begins: 7:00pm

Saturday, September 30

Sukkot I

National Day for Truth & Reconciliation

Shabbat ends/Candle lighting: 8:06pm

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Morning Services

9:00am Daily

Evening Services

6:00pm Sun-Fri

Saturday evening services available by request. If you would like to request a Saturday evening service, call (403) 255-8688 at least one week in advance.

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Casting Away our Misdeeds

Occasionally, people ask what kind of bread crumbs should be thrown for specific sins and misbehaviors.

By Rabbi Cantor Russell G. Jayne

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Tashlich is a remarkable ceremony, symbolic and concrete all at the same time. Through this ritual, we express not only our desire to be free from sin but our continuing hope that we will be forgiven for past misdeeds. On the afternoon of the first day of Rosh Hashanah, or on the second day if the first day is a Shabbat, it is customary to go to a flowing body of water and to recite prayers while "casting" our sins (represented by breadcrumbs) into the water. As we read in Micah: "You will cast (*tashlich*) all your sins into the depths of the sea" (7:19).

While it is traditional to shake out the hems of one's clothing to ensure that all "sins" have been disposed of, *tashlich* ceremonies differ all over the world. The Jews of Kurdistan had a custom to recite the *tashlich* prayer near a river and then to jump into the water and swim around, instead of only shaking out the hems of their clothing.

By performing *tashlich*, we signify our hope that God will overlook our failings during the past year and grant us favour in the year to come.

Occasionally, people ask what kind of bread crumbs should be thrown. Here are suggestions for breads, adapted from Rabbi Richard J. Israel^{z"l}, which may be appropriate for specific sins and misbehaviors:

For ordinary sins - White Bread

For particularly dark sins - Pumpernickel

For complex sins - Multi-Grain

For twisted sins - Pretzels

For tasteless sins - Rice Cakes

For sins of indecision - Waffles

For sins committed in haste - Matzoh

For sins ofchutzpah - Fresh Bread

For substance abuse - Stoned Wheat

For petty larceny - Stollen

For committing auto theft - Caraway

For timidity/cowardice - Milk Toast

For ill-temperedness - Sourdough

For silliness, eccentricity - Nut Bread

For not giving full value - Shortbread

For jingoism, chauvinism - Yankee Doodles

For excessive irony - Rye Bread

For unnecessary chances - Hero Bread

For telling bad jokes/puns - Corn Bread

For war-mongering - Kaiser Rolls

For causing injury to others - Tortes

For being holier than thou - Bagels

For abrasiveness - Grits



For dropping in without notice -
Popovers

For over-eating - Stuffing

For impetuosity - Quick Bread

For raising your voice too often -
Challah

For pride and egotism - Puff Pastry

For sycophancy - Brownies

For being overly smothering - Angel
Food Cake

For laziness - Any long loaf

May we all be inscribed for a good
and sweet year!

Ketivah Tovah U'menucha!

Set the tone for your holiday celebrations with

SELICHOT

Sept 9, 2023 | 8:30pm

Begin the High Holiday season with prayers of reflection and repentance, brought to life with special holiday melodies.

Join us for a dessert reception and study session before services begin.

8:30pm Havdalah and Dessert Reception

9:00pm Study Session

9:30pm Selichot Service

[Click here to register](#)

Shanah Tovah from Our President

I am looking forward to celebrating 5784 with all of you at Beth Tzedec.

By Jeffrey Dworkin

President, Beth Tzedec Congregation



I trust everyone had a wonderful summer. Just as Shabbat gives us a much-needed day of rest each week, the months of July and August afford many of us an opportunity for respite from work and study.

By the time you read these words, parents will be back at work, children will be beginning the new school year and we will all be preparing for the High Holidays.

I am looking forward to celebrating 5784 with all of you at Beth Tzedec. Rabbi Cantor Russ, Rabbi Ilana, Education Director Ari Cohen, CEO David Inhaber, the Synagogue's professional and operations staff and members of the Ritual Committee have been hard at work over the summer to ensure the best possible programs and services for the coming year.

We are all delighted to welcome our newly-hired Engagement Director Stacy Shaikin. With a proven track record as the Director of Camp BB-Riback and former Northwest Region BBYO Director, we know Stacy will hit the ground running here at Beth Tzedec as he helps to create fun and innovative programs for congregants of all ages and stages.

The Beth Tzedec Board of Directors continues tending to the governance of your Shul, and I look forward to

taking congregants behind the scenes in future editions of the Shofar on a variety of issues including future plans for our synagogue building and our Memorial Park, including necessary capital fundraising.

As discussed at our Annual General Meeting and in subsequent communications with congregants, we continue to discuss a range of possibilities where our aging building is concerned. Repairs and renovations at our current site are one option currently under consideration. Another possibility is the relocation of Beth Tzedec to the proposed community campus adjacent to the Paperny Family JCC.

We look forward to the community town hall meeting that will be held at the JCC on Wednesday, October 11, 2023. I urge all congregants and community members to take part in this exploratory discussion between key community organizations including the Calgary Jewish Federation, The Calgary Jewish Academy, and Beth Tzedec.

In the meantime, Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur are nearly upon us. We hope that you and your loved ones will be joining us in person this year as we turn our individual and collective

attention to spiritual matters. Let us all come together in a spirit of reflection, spiritual renewal and personal and religious growth.

Please be sure to review our **5784 Program Guide**. In it you will find important information about Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur and Festival services, Family Shabbat programs, B'nai Mitzvah and Shul School classes, Homework Club and other exciting educational and social opportunities for youth and adults.

Today rabah to our Rabbis for the inspiring services we are about to

enjoy and the important educational and pastoral work they do day in and day out.

Finally, I want to express my gratitude to our congregants and benefactors for your support of this congregational family. It is your generosity and vision that allows us to continue dor l'dor, from generation to generation.

Shanah Tovah to you and your loved ones. May we all be inscribed and sealed for a happy, healthy, peaceful and prosperous year.



JOIN THE NATIONAL MINYAN LEAGUE

Be there when you're needed most

The next season of the National Minyan League starts this fall.

If you want to help make a difference in the lives of your neighbours,
consider joining an existing team
or starting one of your own!

Contact info@bethtzedec.ca to learn more.

Communal Learning for the Entire Family

We're creating a space for congregants to take time out of their overscheduled lives to prioritize Jewish learning and self-enrichment.

By Ari Cohen

Beth Tzedec's Director of Education

The High Holidays are the time of year that we come together to celebrate new beginnings. One new beginning we're particularly excited about is the launch of Shiluv: A Learning Club for All Ages.

As Director of Education at Beth Tzedec, I want to create a space for congregants to take time out of their overscheduled lives to prioritize Jewish learning and self-enrichment. To tackle this challenge head-on, Shiluv offers a wide range of engaging and meaningful activities for both children and adults, ensuring that families have the space and access to make Jewish education an integral part of their daily lives.

For children and teens in grades one through twelve, we're offering an array of stimulating and enriching programs from Monday to Thursday, including STEM, dance, visual arts, martial arts, and music. Each activity will have a connection to Hebrew and Jewish content, resulting in performative products such as art pieces, music, and demonstrations. We'll showcase our young congregants' hard work at Shabbat services and holiday events, fostering a sense of pride and accomplishment for both children, parents, and grandparents.

The benefits of Shiluv extend even further as parents will gain valuable breathing room during the week.

With their children engaged until 6:00pm, parents can use this time to attend to their own spiritual, social, physical, and vocational needs. They can choose to work on personal projects, socialize, or even participate in adult learning programs offered between 5:10 to 5:50pm. These programs will cater to diverse interests and age groups and include Judaism 201, visual arts, yoga, and a special bimah challenge. And all these programs are provided to you our members free as part of your membership to Beth Tzedec.

By creating opportunities for children and adults to connect, we're creating a vibrant atmosphere where learning becomes a shared experience. Parents can engage with each other, discuss their experiences, and build a strong sense of community around their shared pursuit of knowledge and growth.

Our synagogue is more than a place of worship – it's a hub of Jewish spirit and connection. It serves as a meeting ground for individuals from all walks of life, each on their own unique journey.

May this year mark the beginning of communal learning and inspiring feats within our community. As we look forward to a season of change, let us open our hearts and minds to new challenges and opportunities.



[Click here to find the perfect Shiluv classes for your family](#)

A New Year of NML Fun

Appreciation and celebration as we prepare for another season of the National Minyan League.



By Susan Inhaber

Commissioner, National Minyan League

Season eight morphed right into season nine. When it comes to minyanim, there are no days off, and what a great season we've had! I am happy to say that we have continued to achieve a minyan twice daily almost every day. We still need you, especially in the morning, so please join whenever you can.

WITH APPRECIATION

Thank you to **David and his wonderful team** who are so supportive by including our messages in their publications, creating ads, managing our small budget and organizing our fun celebration - and what a celebration it was! Whenever I need anything, they are always quick to accommodate and in such a helpful way.

Thank you to our very capable group of **daveners** under the leadership this past year of **Rabbi Cantor Russ. Lorie Abernethy, Judy Chetner, and Maxine Fischbein. Ari Cohen** became a davener, bringing along his own beautiful style. I am honoured to be part of this group. The roster is small and we can use a few more people who can daven for us.

Eternal thanks to my **captains: Maxine Fischbein (2), David Inhaber, Bev Silverstone, Linda Garshman, Leib Zeisler, Marni Besser, Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro, Linda Gutman & Sheila Katz, Yossi Suissa & Judy Chetner, Walter Moscovitz, Lorie Abernethy, Jason Gurevitch, and Deb Silver** who work behind the scenes to encourage their members to attend and keep an eye out for new members.

Thank you to my new captains, who so willingly agreed to take over the leadership of teams in season nine. **Karen Phillips** is the new captain of **The Kibbitzers** and **Lilah Silver** is the new captain of **The Silver Maccabees**. **Mireille Klaver** has taken over the leadership of **The Super Stars** and **Naomi Lakritz** has stepped up to helm **Thursday Thunder**.

Next, I would like to thank three people who I call my angels: **Sheila Katz, Karen Phillips, and Cheryl Shiell**. They take attendance when I am unavailable and help wherever they can. **Karen** also sends out the reminder notices, putting her personal spin on them; each notice is unique, and they contain valuable information about upcoming dates.

SEPTEMBER BONUS DATES

Sunday, September 10 | Sunday, September 24 | Friday, September 29

The lifeblood of it all are the **members of the NML and the Platinum Minyanaires** who are truly the ones who make it all happen. Thankfully, we have a long list of people who show up frequently and their attendance is what allows us to hold our minyanim. Recently, we have had several passings in our community and the NML was there to help provide support to their loved ones as they navigated these difficult times. Without this program, we would be like many other congregations around the world, unable to hold minyanim on a daily basis. Yasher Koach to everyone who performs this mitzvah. We often receive feedback from grieving families who express their appreciation for the NML being there for them during their time of sorrow. They wanted me to pass this message along to everyone.

Kol Ha'kavod to **Rabbi Cantor Russell G. Jayne** who provides daily guidance and makes sure that we adhere to the halakhot set out by the Rabbinic Assembly and who keeps the services moving along. This year, he provided each of us with a luach and trained us on when to include and delete parts of the service according to the Jewish calendar.

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

Please consider joining our league. We need you. We have teams for each day of the week who could use more players. It is so easy now with Zoom (though in-person is preferred). The commute is short, the company is great, and **the commitment is only an hour a month or less!** If you are able to give a little of your time, please email me at inhaber@telusplanet.net or call 403-240-0830.

NOW FOR SOME WINNERS

Hearty congratulations to: **The Shayna Punums** (Linda Garshman-captain, Eva Falla, Jerry Snukal, Gary Staniloff, Paula Weil, and Carol Feldman) for winning the **Avodah division**.

Team Tranquility (Marni Besser, Gayle Sherman, Saundra Lipton, Dorothy Hanson, Neil Horne, and Harriet & Lenny Waghelstein) for winning the **G'milut Hasidim division**.

Shabbat Menucha (Maxine Fischbein-captain, Lea Kohn, Karen Phillips, Stuart Myron, Cheryl Shiell, and Robert Preece) for being the **overall winners and winning the Torah division** for Season 8.

(Members listed attended in at least 6 different months.)

As we often say, it really is the congregation that wins because of the dedication of the NML team players and the Platinum Minyanaires.

WINNERS IN SPECIAL CATEGORIES

Top 3+3 Team.

This award goes to the team that provides three members in the morning and three in the evening honouring the original intent of the NML.

This year, we had a team that accomplished this every month.

Yasher Koach to **Shabbat Menucha** for achieving the original goal of the NML.

The Daveneers, Sophisticats, and **Monday Mavens** did it 10 out of 12 times.

Perfect Attendance

This award recognizes people who attended at least one service consistently on their assigned day.

Sheila Katz, Reesa Girvitz, Len Libin, Deb Silver, and Jennifer Preece all met this goal.

Best Attendance on Assigned Days

This award is given to the people who attended the most services on their assigned day by attending both services. They showed up 21 out of a possible 24 times: **Reva Faber, Reesa Girvitz, Len Libin, and Stuart Myron.**

Honourable mentions go to: **Deb Silver, Linda Garshman, Lorie Abernethy, and Karen Philips,** all with 20 times.

Best Attendance on Bonus Days

Maxine Fischbein won this category by attending 86 out of 117 bonus day services.

Honourable mentions go to: **Sheila Katz** with 85, **Linda Garshman** with 78, and **Karen Phillips** with 76. That's a lot of services; this group attends almost daily, making our minyanim possible.

Tremendous thanks to the anonymous donors who supplied the prizes for this season. Winners and all players were feted at our NML Celebration catered by **Akiba Charikar.** The food was delicious; people filled their plates and returned for more. Captains, daveners, and winners were given a sturdy NML shopping bag. Winners were also presented with a beautiful certificate created by **Linda Dow** and handed out by **Rabbi Russ.**

New This Year!

IN-PERSON IS THE PLACE TO BE

We are encouraging people to return to in-person services, especially on their team's day. We want to regain the vibes that our services used to have and resurrect the morning kibbitz sessions with some coffee and a snack on the side.

To this end, starting in August, everyone who shows up in-person on their team's day will receive an extra point; two points if you venture out (or should I say in) for both services. This also applies to Bonus Days.

A friendly reminder: in order to win a team prize, a player must have attended on at least six different months on their team's assigned day. Attending in the morning and afternoon in one month only counts as once for a prize. Bonus days do not count for this.

Exceptions will be made for members who join later in the season and show a commitment to the NML.

B'hatzlacha (good luck) to everyone in Season 9! I am looking forward to seeing how this season plays out with our new captains and members.

Enjoy the rest of the wonderful summer weather. My apologies if I left someone out. I certainly did not mean to do that.

L'shanah Tovah - Happy Rosh Hashanah to everyone! Wishing you sweetness and good health.

Programs & Events

Elul Challenge

***Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays
until September 13***

8:10am to 9:00am

Join our ongoing study sessions throughout Elul as we delve into *Likutei Moharan*, the inspiring teachings and wisdom of Rabbi Nachman of Breslov. Explore profound teachings that will enrich your understanding of Jewish spirituality and guide your personal growth. **Click here** to register.

Keruv Class

***Thursdays, beginning September 7
6:30pm to 8:30pm***

Designed for those interested in converting to Judaism – or anyone who could use a refresher - our Keruv class covers a number of Jewish topics and incorporates lectures, group text-studies, discussions, and experiential activities. **Click here** to register.

Family Shabbat Dinner

Friday, September 8

5:30pm to 8:00pm

Join us for a special Family Shabbat Dinner as we welcome our new Director of Engagement, Stacy Shaikin! Share the fun of Shabbat with your friends and family as we welcome this new addition to our community. **Click here** to register.

Selichot at Beth Tzedec

Saturday, September 9

8:30pm to 10:00pm

Begin the High Holiday season with prayers of reflection and repentance, brought to life with special holiday melodies. Join us for a dessert reception and study session before services begin. **Click here** to register.

CELEBRATE THE HIGH HOLIDAYS

FAMILY TASHLICH

Sunday, September 17

4:30pm

Families with children are invited to participate as we cast away the sins of the past year. **register here>>**

KEVER AVOT

Sunday, September 24

Public Memorial Services will be held at the following cemeteries:

10:00am Chevra Kadisha Cemetery

11:00am Beth Tzedec Memorial Park

12:00pm Erlton Street Cemetery

ROSH HASHANAH & YOM KIPPUR

Sanctuary Services

9:00am

Family Services

10:00am

Choose the service experience that nourishes your soul and fits your family's needs.

Youth Programs

10:00am

Children ages 5-12 are invited to join us for games, activities and stories. **register here>>**

Click here
for the complete
High Holiday Guide
& Schedule

Online Programs from American Jewish University

Beth Tzedec congregants are invited to access exciting online programs and courses from American Jewish University. Choose a program that interests you and click through to learn more.



High Holy Days for the Soul: Teshuvah and Repentance

Tuesday, September 12 at 1:00pm MDT

No charge

Be inspired this High Holy Day season and reflect on Teshuvah and Repentance, with David Ben Moshe. **Click here** to register.



Jewish Space Lasers, Conspiracy Theories, and Antisemitism

Tuesday, September 19 at 1:00pm MDT

No charge

Unveil the Enigma: Journey into 200 Years of Rothschild Conspiracy Theories with author Mike Rothschild as he untangles truth from fiction. **Click here** to register.



The Supreme Court, the Affirmative Action Decision, and the Future

Tuesday, September 26 at 1:00pm MDT

No charge

The big Supreme Court decision—do you understand what it means for higher education? For diversity? For you? **Click here** to register.

Online Learning On Your Schedule

For more online learning from American Jewish, **click here** for their full list of on-demand programs.

Rosh Hashanah in Rome's Jewish Kitchen

Wednesday, September 6 at 1:00pm MDT

Explore the flavors of Rome's centuries-old Jewish community and create your Rosh Hashanah menu with classics of the Roman Jewish repertoire. **Click here** to register.

Text and the City Part 2: Hebrew Slang in Tel Aviv

Thursday, September 7 at 1:00pm MDT

Explore Tel Aviv's linguistic tapestry and commentary on contemporary issues through street signs, common slang, tv commercials, and more.

Click here to register.

Tour Global Jewish Life: Rome

Thursday, September 21 at 1:00pm MDT

Join us for an immersive journey into the heart of Rome's Jewish heritage with Roman Jewish native Micaela Pavoncello. **Click here** to register.

High Holy Days for the Soul: Tefillah and Prayer

Thursday, September 28 at 1:00pm MDT

Explore the power of prayer with world renowned author and speaker Rabbi Sharon Brous. **Click here** to register.

Maybe You Should Talk to Someone: A Conversation with Lori Gottlieb

Available on Demand

Keeping your relationships healthy, whether with your spouse, child or dog under this time of stress requires a new way of approaching them.

Click here to watch online.

In Justice We Shall Pursue: How to Be an Ally

Available on Demand

Join Julie Weitz, Kimberly Dueñas, and Rabbi Cheryl Peretz, in conversation. **Click here** to watch online.

Reinventing Yourself After Sixty

Available on Demand

Robert and Elisa Bildner believe life is an adventure and after sixty we are each just getting started. As former lawyers, CEOs, journalists and communal leaders, it would appear that they have filled their dance card; but they have now added cookbook authors to their resume. **Click here** to watch online.

Sex and Judaism (You're Welcome!): Prescription for Passion

Available on Demand

Dr. Laura Berman - the world's leading expert in sex, love and relationships and friend of Oprah - gives us the passion prescription to heighten our relationships. **Click here** to watch online.

Hidden Heretics: Jewish Doubt in the Digital Age

Available on Demand

What would you do if you questioned your religious faith, but revealing that would cause you to lose your family and the only way of life you had ever known? **Click here** to watch online.

Holiday Hacks: Game On, Sukkah Edition

Available on Demand

It's game time in the sukkah and we have Stacy Katz, founder and co-inventor of the family card game, "Not Parent Approved." Hear her first-hand experience as a single mom trying to balance screen time with offline entertainment to make every moment matter. **Click here** to watch online.

Tributes & Donations

CONGREGATION FUND/TZEDAKAH FUND

MAZEL TOV

Renee Fogel, on the occasion of her birthday

By Fran Viner

Paula & Jonathan Lexier, on the occasion of their 40th anniversary

By Lisa & Mark Breslauer

Maxine Fischbein, on the occasion of her 65th birthday

By Sandy & Irvin Adler

Bob & Cheryl Shiell

Arlene & David Holmes

Claire Berman, on the occasion of her 88th birthday

By Maureen Popiolek

Harriet & Lenny Waghelstein

Arnold & Susan Well, on the occasion of their 50th anniversary

By Janice Middleman

Cheryl Baron Shiell, on the occasion of her birthday

By Nat & Harriette Alexander

David & Susan Inhaber, on the birth of their grandson Jacob Leo

By Harriet & Lenny Waghelstein

Gerald Rosendorff, on the occasion of his 94th birthday

By Steven, Nicole, Joshua, and Daniel Rosendorff

MAZEL TOV

MAZEL TOV TO: The family of **Jackson Krebs**, who celebrated his Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, July 1.

MAZEL TOV TO: Parents Megan Zybutz and Rob Eliovitz, sister Zoe Eliovitz, and grandparents Leonard & Debra Zybutz and Meira Eliovitz, who celebrated **Miller Eliovitz's** Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, August 26.

Al Chafetz, on the occasion of his birthday

By Delsie Dworkin

Carey & Stan Smith, on the occasion of their anniversary

By Rhoda Brickell

Saul & Babs Pytko, on the occasion of their daughter getting married

By Walter Moscovitz

Brian Sander, on the occasion of his 70th birthday

By Walter Moscovitz

Brian & Sandi Sander, on the birth of their grandson

By Walter Moscovitz

Stan & Carey Smith, on the occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary

By Faith Dubisky

Josh & Yanna Inhaber, on the birth of their son Jacob Leo

By Cheryl, Jason, Jacob, and Gabrielle Gurevitch

SYMPATHY

Liz Kaplan, on the passing of her mother Sheila Sunderland

By Sondra & Joe Spier

Craig & Heather Lister, on the passing of his father Julius Lister

By Sondra & Joe Spier

Gail Lister, on the passing of her husband Julius Lister

By Sondra & Joe Spier

Harvey Cyngiser, on the passing of his father Sidney Cyngiser

By Walter Moscovitz

Les Cosman and Family, on the passing of his wife Hazel Cosman

By Karen, Jamie, and Michelle Phillips

Mitch & Marcia Cosman and Family, on the passing of his mother Hazel Cosman

By Karen, Jamie, and Michelle Phillips
Irwin & Debbi Isenstein

Frank & Sandy Cosman and Family, on the passing of his mother Hazel Cosman

By Karen, Jamie, and Michelle Phillips

Ernie Cosman and Family, on the passing of his mother Hazel Cosman

By Willa Litvack

Zelda Dean, on the passing of her husband William "Bill" Dean

By Faith Dubisky

The Lister Family, on the passing of Julius Lister

Paul, Erin, Maya, and Ben Silverman

Sylvia Itzcovitch, on the passing of her brother

By Tillie Sklar

THANK YOU

Lorne Pearl

By Cheryl, Jason, Jacob, and Gabrielle Gurevitch

Saul Prince

By Josh & Yanna Inhaber

YOUTH PROGRAMMING

MAZEL TOV

David & Susan Inhaber, on the birth of their first grandchild Jacob

By Dianne & Robin Lipton and Family

Josh & Yanna Inhaber, on the birth of their first child Jacob Leo

By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch

Fran Viner, on the birth of her great granddaughter Ayla

By Renee & Bruce Fogel and Family

SYMPATHY

Craig & Heather Lister, on the passing of his father Julius Lister

By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch

THANK YOU

Jonah Potasznik

By Dianne, Robin, Ethan, and Joseph Lipton

CYNGISER FAMILY JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL FUND

MAZEL TOV

Maxine Fischbein, on the occasion of her 65th birthday

By Pam, Brad, Raffi, and Benny Freedman

Karen, Jamie, and Michelle Phillips

Stan & Carey Smith, on the occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary

By Hilda & Lenny Smith

Sheila Bermack, on the occasion of her 94th birthday

By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch

Roberta Hanson, on the occasion of her birthday

By Francie Cyngiser & David Weisfeld

Brian & Sandi Sander, on the birth of their grandson

By Francie Cyngiser & David Weisfeld

SYMPATHY

Bronia Cyngiser and Family, on the passing of her husband Sidney Cyngiser

Cyngiser

By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro

Jean Groner

Sondra & Joe Spier

Bob & Cheryl Shiell

Harriet & Phil Libin

Karen, Jamie, and Michelle Phillips

Faith Dubisky

Fran Viner

Elaine & Stuart Myron

Harvey, Lior, and Tal Cyngiser and Family, on the passing of Sidney Cyngiser

Cyngiser

By Lori & Arnie Olyan

Lior Cyngiser, on the passing of his grandfather Sidney Cyngiser

By Esther Chudy

Lorne & Beth Price, on the loss of their cousin Sidney Cyngiser

By Cynthia & David Prasow

Lila Mydlarski

The Cyngiser Family, on the passing of their husband, father, and grandfather

By Dianne & Robin Lipton and Family,
Karen Ashkin & Family, Jorda Promislow, Alan Rudakoff and Family

Gayle Sherman & Brian Shustak

The Anson Family

Karen & Sheldon Roth

Fran Kolinsky

Darryl, Alli, Joseph, and Leo Gurevitch

Annella Wasserman and Family

Harvey Cyngiser, on the passing of his father Sidney Cyngiser

By Jemmie & Neil Silver

Sonia & David Bickman

Bernie Rabinovitch

Debbie & Albert Krygier

Jack & Helaine Gould

Reva Faber and Family

The Aptowitz Family

Jackie & David Busheikin

Sondra & Joe Spier

Mark Swartz and Family

Shoshanna & Zeev Berger

Milt & Maxine Fischbein and Family

Harriet & Phil Libin

Cynthia & David Prasow

Jim Cohen

Friends

Paula & Jonathan Lexier

Karen, Jamie, and Michelle Phillips

Lila Mydlarski

Sharon Batshaw

Bev Sklar & Lorne Tucker

Rochelle Rabinovitch and Family

Sharon, Garry, Daniel, and Blaire Hapton

Zelda Dean and Family, on the loss of her husband William "Bill"

By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch

Al Osten, on the passing of his partner

By Harvey Cyngiser and the Jewish Film Festival

Francie Cyngiser, on the passing of her father Sidney Cyngiser

By Milt & Maxine Fischbein and Family

Karen, Jamie, and Michelle Phillips

Marcia & Wally Mckall

SIDDUR SIM SHALOM DAILY PRAYER BOOK FUND

MAZEL TOV

Paula & Jonathan Lexier, on their 40th anniversary

By Karen, Jamie and Michelle Phillips

David & Susan Inhaber, on the birth of their first grandchild Jacob

By Arlein & Judy Chetner and Family

Josh & Yanna Inhaber, on the birth of their first child Jacob

By Arlein & Judy Chetner and Family

SYMPATHY

Harvey Cyngiser, on the passing of his father Sidney Cyngiser

By The Pash Family

The Cyngiser Family, on the passing of Sidney Cyngiser

By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch

MEMORIAL NOTICES

Hazel Anne Cosman, beloved friend and community member. Hazel passed away on June 28.

Essie (Esther) Olyan, mother of Arnie (Lori) Olyan and Debbi (Mark) Joffe. Essie passed away on August 12.

KIDDUSH FUND**SYMPATHY**

Ernie Cosman and Family, on the passing of his mother Hazel Cosman
By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch

**LEV SHALEM
SABBATH & FESTIVAL BOOK FUND**

MAZEL TOV

Susan & David Inhaber, on the birth of their grandson Jacob Leo
By Milt & Maxine Fischbein
Maxine Fischbein, on the occasion of her 65th birthday
By Elaine & Stuart Myron

SYMPATHY

Bronia Cyngiser, on the passing of her husband Sidney Cyngiser
By Milt & Maxine Fischbein and Family
Harvey Cyngiser, on the passing of his father Sidney Cyngiser
By Bob & Cheryl Shiell
The Cyngiser Family, on the passing of Sidney Cyngiser
By Therese Nagler

RABBI'S TZEDAKAH FUND**MAZEL TOV**

Milt & Maxine Fischbein, on the occasion of their anniversary
By Pam & Brad Freedman

THANK YOU

Rabbi Ilana Krygier Lapidés
By Kathie Wainer
The Groner Family
Rabbi Cantor Russell G. Jayne
By Harvey, Frances, and Bronia Cyngiser

ETZ HAYIM BOOK FUND**MAZEL TOV**

Jorda Promislow & Alan Rudakoff, on the occasion of their 30th anniversary
By The Lipton and Ashkin Families

SYMPATHY

Harvey Cyngiser, on the passing of his father Sidney Cyngiser
By Edward & Bev Dunn

**LEO & GOLDIE SHEFTEL
RABBINIC CHAIR FUND**

MAZEL TOV

Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch, on the occasion of their 61st anniversary
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro and Family
Harriet & Phil Libin, on the occasion of their 66th anniversary
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro and Family
Ann Dancyger, on winning the Shem Tov award
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro and Family
Joan Robins, on the occasion of her 80th birthday
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro
Josh & Yanna Inhaber, on the birth of their son Jacob Leo
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro
David & Susan Inhaber, on the birth of their grandson Jacob Leo
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro
Henry Morton, on the occasion of his birthday
By Harriet & Phil Libin
Harriet Libin, on the occasion of her 86th birthday
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro and Family
Phil Libin, on the occasion of his 87th birthday
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro and Family
Rudy Berger, on the occasion of his 96th birthday
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro and Family

Ralph Gurevitch, on the occasion of his 87th birthday
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro and Family
Minnie Segal, on the occasion of her 87th birthday
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro and Family

SYMPATHY

Les Cosman and Family, on the passing of his wife Hazel Cosman
By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch
Ernie Cosman and Family, on the passing of his mother Hazel Cosman
Darryl, Alli, Joseph, and Leo Gurevitch

GET WELL

Sheila Katz,
By Evelyn Sheftel-Shapiro

NORMAN & BEULAH MARTIN CANTORIAL CHAIR FUND

MAZEL TOV

The Martin Family, on the marriage of Jack & Lana
By Rhoda Brickell

BTZ FESTIVAL FUND

MAZEL TOV

David & Susan Inhaber, on the birth of their first grandchild Jacob
By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch

UNVEILING NOTICES

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Yahrzeit Fund

Edith Sugarman, beloved mother
By Shelley Sugarman
Nelson Newman, beloved grandfather
By Darlene Switzer-Foster
Sam Switzer, beloved grandfather
By Darlene Switzer-Foster
John Gopman, beloved uncle
By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch
Bella Goldman Sheftel, beloved mother
By Fran Sheftel Kolinsky
Morris Hector, beloved brother-in-law
By Arthur P. Fishman
Michael Fleising, beloved father
By Usher & Rona Fleising
Dora Fleising, beloved mother
By Usher & Rona Fleising
Paul Fleising, beloved brother
By Usher & Rona Fleising
David Hyman, beloved father
By Carol Allan
Mary Hyman, beloved mother
By Carol Allan
Mark Profis, beloved father-in-law
By Alex Shkolnik
Harvey Sheftel, beloved brother
By Rose Zivot
Minnie Gorasht, beloved mother
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Arnold Bobroff, beloved brother
By Wayne Bobroff
Pearl Plotnick, beloved grandmother
By Harriette & Nat Alexander
Ida Antflick, beloved sister
By Fran Viner
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By Steven, Nicole, Joshua and Daniel Rosendorff
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By Blair Waldman

Benjamin Sklar, beloved father
By Beulah Martin

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By Harriet & Phil Libin

Ida Antflick, beloved mother
By Renee Fogel

Fishel Barmazel, beloved father
By Izroel & Khanna Barmazel

Bluma Barmazel, beloved mother
By Izroel & Khanna Barmazel

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By Khanna & Izroel Barmazel

Ida Lifshits, beloved mother
By Khanna & Izroel Barmazel

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By Wylma & Irwin Freedman

Bernard Smith, beloved grandfather, and great grandfather
By Carey & Stanley Smith and Family

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By Hartley Yuffe and Marilyn Sheftel

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By Wayne Bobroff and Family

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By Harvey & Wynne Thal

Mary Thal, beloved mother
By Harvey & Wynne Thal

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By Wynne & Harvey Thal

Maralin Calman, beloved mother
By Wynne & Harvey Thal

Ronnie Calman, beloved brother
By Wynne & Harvey Thal

Yacov Guterman, beloved brother-in-law
By Blair Waldman

Avraham Goldstein, beloved grandfather
By Ken Goldstein

Sam Kaplan, beloved father
By Roberta Hulmes

Allan Perry Kaplan, beloved brother
By Roberta Hulmes

Barbara Klinger, beloved niece
By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch

Goldie Sheftel, beloved mother
By Sheila & Ralph Gurevitch

Rachel Well, beloved mother
By Arnold Well

Irving Jacobson, beloved husband
By Charlotte Jacobson

Mary Hyman, beloved mother
By Charlotte Jacobson

David Hyman, beloved father
By Charlotte Jacobson

Rose Jacobson, beloved mother-in-law
By Charlotte Jacobson

Max Jacobson, beloved father-in-law
By Charlotte Jacobson

Sophie Rose Kettner, beloved sister
By Lily Joffe

Linda Van Wilde Rode, beloved sister
By Joey Bleviss

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By Stan & Carey Smith and Family

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By Bernard & Jonathan Florence,
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Molly (Potter) Kline, beloved
grandmother
By Renee Saltman
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By Ralph & Sheila Gurevitch
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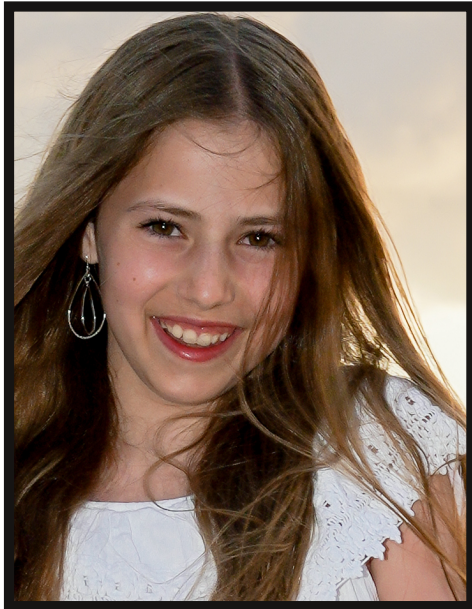
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By Sabine Ryder
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By Sabine Ryder
Aaron Feinfeld, beloved grandfather
By Sabine Ryder

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By Steve Eisenberg
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By Jerol Fleishman
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By Therese Nagler
Robert Prupas, beloved uncle
By Hope Rajesky
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By Stephen Kaganov
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By Rachel Amir
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and grandfather
By Barbara, David, Jonathan, and
Jeremie Joffe
Mona Zavalkoff, beloved sister
By Saul Prince
Emma Shister, beloved aunt
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