

NML STANDINGS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2024

TORAH DIVISION

DIV. RANK	TEAM #	TEAM NAME	CAPTAIN	TOTAL POINTS
1	405	SHABBAT MENUCHA	MAXINE FISCHBEIN	371
2	402	LORIE, LORIE, HALLELUJAH!	LORIE ABERNETHY	360
3	104	PRESIDENT'S CHOICE	MAXINE FISCHBEIN	346
4	304	THE DAVENEERS	LINDA GUTMAN/SHEILA KATZ	306
5	107	YOM RISHON	DAVID INHABER	234
6	105	TGIF	SUSAN INHABER	150

AVODAH DIVISION

DIV. RANK	TEAM #	TEAM NAME	CAPTAIN	TOTAL POINTS
1	305	SHISHI SLISHI	YOSHI SUISSA/JUDY CHETNER	327
2	101	THE KIBBITZERS	KAREN PHILLIPS	274
3	403	ANOTHER BOWL OF SOUP, PLEASE!	JASON GUREVITCH	209
4	202	SHAYNA PUNIMS	LINDA GARSHMAN	188
5	204	THURSDAY THUNDER	NAOMI LAKRITZ	185
6	301	TEAM TRANQUILITY	MARNI BESSER	173

G'MILUT HASIDIM DIVISION

DIV. RANK	TEAM #	TEAM NAME	CAPTAIN	TOTAL POINTS
1	203	BETH TZEDEC ZEALOTS	LEIB ZEISLER	219
2	102	TEAM X		200
3	103	THE SUPER STARS	MIREILLE KLAVER	187
4	201	MONDAY MAVENS	BEV SILVERSTONE	175
5	401	MONDAY MIRACLES	WALTER MOSCOVITZ	162
6	302	THE SOPHISTICATS		131
7	404	MENCHES ON THE BENCHES	DEB SILVER	59



Upcoming NML Bonus Dates

Sunday, January 12 | Sunday, January 19
 Sunday, January 26 | Wednesday, January 29
 Thursday, January 30 | Friday, January 31 (AM Only)

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 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.

We observe the following Yahrzeits this week of
January 11 — 17, 2025

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

Robert Cohen	Frank Zipursky	Anne Belzberg*
Alex Katzin*	Lily Cohen*	Harry Bernstein*
Dorothy Kirshner*	Edith Fromson*	Anna Hepner*
Evelyn Numerow	Ann Grushko	Anita Herman
Doreen Odes	Israel Kesnick*	Yudel Junovitch*
Eddie Brodsky*	Benjamin Maerov*	Jacques Mydlarski*
Alex Gorasht*	Suzie McGrath-	Samuel Portigal
Annie Kohut*	Berrekouw	Phil Silver*
Max Kwavnick	Juliete Shapiro*	Sarah Smolkin
Sophie Sunderland*	Freda Plucer*	Esther Zeppieri
Thomas Vladut	Louis Rosenbaum*	Marc Greenberg
Ida Waxman*	Rose Shapiro*	Allan Hilford*
Gerald Dressler	Pearl Smith*	Shlomo Junovitch*
Joseph Garshman	Herman Weisz*	Yonah Junovitch*
Arnold Golombia	Irvin Goldman*	Sam Medwinsky*
Ida Horwitz*	Harry Hashman*	Simon Louis Milner*
Fanny Kay*	James Libenstein	Bluma Richmond*
Clara Pencer*	Jack Pepper*	Francene Snukal*
Rekka Rotzang*	Sam Stillpass	Dinah Spindel*
Florence Rudakoff*	Nellie Zimmerman*	Helen Swartz*

* 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.

Unveiling Announcements

If you would like to advise the congregation of an upcoming unveiling and have it included in our publications, please contact 403-255-8688 or info@bethtzedec.ca.



January 11, 2025 ✨ 11 Tevet 5785

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 congregants, the Calgary Jewish community, and the community at large.

Senior Rabbi and Cantor: Rabbi Cantor Russell G. Jayne

Assistant Rabbi: Rabbi Ilana Krygier Lapides

Hazzan Sheini: Elliott Steinberg

President: Jeff Dworkin

Ritual Chair: Lorne Pearl

Chief Executive Officer: David Inhaber

Rabbi Cantor Russell G. Jayne and our Executive and Board of Directors welcome you to our Shabbat services.

VAYHI

TORAH PORTION: Genesis 49:27 — 50:26
Pages: 305 — 311

HAFTARAH: 1 Kings 2:1-12
Pages: 313 — 314

This Sefer Haftarah portion is dedicated in honour of Bernie Switzer's 80th birthday on January 6, 2013, with love from his wife Hessie; children: Gay & Eric Shelley, Sam & Louise, Michael & Antoinette; Grandchildren: Stephen & Robyn, Allison, Bradley, Megan, Peter, Sophia, Max; Great Grandson Dean.

REFUAH SHLEIMAH - Wishing a speedy recovery to:

Avraham ben Shmuel, Razel bat Batya Leah, Nachman ben Sarah, Devorah Leia bat Chana Tziporah, Henna bat Zelda, Nissan ben Tsirl, Elisheba bat Rivkah, Chasia Dobrish bat Golde, Yehudite bat Faigel, Binyomin ben Mati, Tannis Moreland, Anayel Hannah bat Sivan, Yehudite bat Shayna Leia, Dovid ben Sarah, Shaul Mordechai ben Malkah, Faygie Raysie bat Chana Devorah, Yonatan ben Michal, Yehuda ben Rivkah, Sahbra Anna bat Devorah, Gina Gail Auslander, Chana bat Sarah, Chana Chava bat Shaina Brinah, Yiddle Alte ben Ruchle, Pesia-Rivkah bat Rachel, Menucha bat Esther, Rena Richards, Gavriel Tsvi ben Leah, Sandy Murphy, Liat Chyah bat Shoshana, Abram ben Itzchak, Aldiyar Batyrov, Yitzhak ben Yosef vi Channah, Shifra Tamar Penina bat Ruchal Leah, Yehuda Leib ben Nasan, Yael bat Tsipora, Weldon Hogue, Daniel ben Charna, Bert Wolfman, Channah bat Miriam, Mordechai Aaron ben Chana, Shimshon ben Dina Malka, Baruch ben Avraham, Henya Riva bat Sarah and Shemuel Vellvel ben Ida.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, January 11

4:30pm Seudah Shelishit
Havdalah: 5:50pm

Sunday, January 12

9:30am Shul School 2.2
9:00am Hebrew Class
10:00am B'nai Mitzvah Class

Monday, January 13

3:30 Homework Club
5:00pm Judaism 201

Tuesday, January 14

12:00pm Zoom Lunch & Learn
3:30pm Homework Club

Wednesday, January 15

12:00pm Hazak Lunch & Learn
3:30pm Homework Club

Thursday, January 16

3:30pm Homework Club
6:30pm Keruv Class

Friday, January 17

5:30pm Family Shabbat Dinner
Candle Lighting: 4:44pm
TORAH: Shemot

Saturday, January 18

4:30pm Seudah Shelishit
Havdalah: 6:00pm

Sunday, January 19

9:30am Shul School 2.2
9:00am Hebrew Class

Monday, January 20

3:30pm Homework Club
5:00pm Judaism 201

Tuesday, January 21

12:00pm Zoom Lunch & Learn
3:30pm Homework Club

Wednesday, January 22

3:30pm Homework Club

Thursday, January 23

3:30pm Homework Club
6:30pm Keruv Class

Friday, January 24

Candle Lighting: 4:56pm
TORAH: Va'era

Saturday, January 25

4:30pm Seudah Shelishit
Havdalah: 6:10pm

Sunday, January 26

9:30am Shul School
9:00am Hebrew Class

Monday, January 27

3:30pm Homework Club
5:00pm Judaism 201

Tuesday, January 28

12:00pm Zoom Lunch & Learn
3:30pm Homework Club

Wednesday, January 29

3:30pm Homework Club

Thursday, January 30

3:30pm Homework Club
6:30pm Keruv Class

Friday, January 31

Candle Lighting: 5:08pm
TORAH: Bo

Saturday, February 1

4:30pm Seudah Shelishit
Havdalah: 6:21pm

Sunday, February 2

9:30am Shul School 2.2
9:30am Hebrew Class

On October 7, more than 240 civilians were abducted from Israel into the Gaza Strip. While some have passed and some have returned home, the whereabouts of the following are still unknown.

Ribono shel olam! Master of the Universe! Listen to the voice of our cries and to the sighs of our hearts. Shield of all the captives! Guard them from all sorrow and distress, give them strength to withstand their trials. Find for them a source of life so that they can return to their families. Save and deliver Your People Israel from the hands of their haters, speedily and in our days. Amen.

– Taken from the words of the *Aish Kodesh*
(Rabbi Kalonymos Shapira)

Itzik Elgarat	Omer Shem Tov
Gadi Moses	Ohad Ben-Ami
Tal Shoham	Arbel Yehud
Kfir Bibas	Eitan Horn
Liri Albag	Elkana Bohbut
David Cunio	Avinatan Or
Ariel Cunio	Naama Levi
Keith Samuel Siegel	Segev Kalfon
Bipin Joshi	Shlomo Mansour
Romi Gonen	Gali Berman
Doron Steinbrecher	Edan Alexander
Eliya Cohen	Sasha Trofanov
Ilan Weiss	Eitan Avraham Mor
Youssef Alziadne	Guy Gilboa Dalal
Shiri Bibas	Bar Kupershtien
Yarden Bibas	Agam Berger
Iair Horn	Ziv Berman
Ariel Bibas	Yosef Chaim Ohana
Ohad Yahalomi	Matan Angrest
Evyatar David	Rom Braslavski
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