

Elul Challenge


Unpacking Emet v'Emunah

Understanding the Statement of Principles of Conservative Judaism

Conservative Judaism, as a movement, has only issued one statement of principles over its 100+ year history.

Join Rabbi Russ before morning services throughout Elul as he helps us understand the foundational principles of our movement and what it means to identify with the Conservative/Masorti Judaism.

Scan the QR code below to register.



Mondays and Thursdays throughout Elul
Beginning August 25



Upcoming NML Bonus Dates
Sunday, August 17 | Sunday, August 24
Friday, August 29 (AM) | Sunday, August 31

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
August 16 — August 22, 2025
Please let one of the ushers know if you are observing a Yahrzeit this week.

Helen Adler	Gerald Sunderland*	Sophie Shinewald
Marcelo Barcimanto	Abraham Yuffe*	Anne Stern*
Tillie Dvorkin*	Golda Dagul*	Mel Bloom*
Edith Fischbein	Phyllis Hatskin	Rose Grossman*
Gordon Keel	Harry Libin*	Vitty Nagler*
Rose Mandelbaum*	Mordecai Libin*	Benjamin Rosenberg*
Ann Polsky*	Clare Prasow*	Sylvia Schechter*
Annette Shafron	Harry Respler	Pauline Smolkin*
Jacob Bercuson*	Joseph Rose*	Nina Weiss
Frank Chodak*	Albert Shapiro*	Hy Aisenstat*
Gail Gold*	Myer Thal	Kerstin Bobroff
Benjamin Goorevitch*	Morris Aizenman*	Minnie Kowall*
Clara Lupescu*	Leah Krowitz*	Ida Lifshits
Avraham Goldstein	Henry Raider*	Rhoda Slopack
Joseph Shaw		Michael Wise

** 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.

Do you think you lost something at Beth Tzedec? Check the coat room; we have all of the lost and found items on display. Items will be kept until **August 31st** and then donated.



August 16, 2025 ✨ 22 Av 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

Executive Director: Jennifer Girvitz

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

EIKEV

TORAH PORTION: Deuteronomy 10:12 — 11:25
Pages: 1048 — 1054

HAFTARAH: Isaiah 49:14 — 51:3
Pages: 1056 — 1060

Everyone is welcome to join the Congregational Kiddush in the Skylight Lounge, sponsored by **the family of Noam Yoageeswaran**, in honour of his Bar Mitzvah.

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, 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, Menucha bat Esther, Rena Richards, Gavriel Tsvi ben Leah, Sandy Murphy, Liat Chyah bat Shoshana, Abram ben Itzchak, Aldiyar Batyrov Yitzhak ben Channah, Yael bat Tsipora, Weldon Hogue, Bert Wolfman, Channah bat Miriam, Mordechai Aaron ben Chana, Shimshon ben Dina Malka, Diana Malekar, Akiva ben Miriam, Usher ben Avraham, Moshe Baruch ben Rivka, Avraham Zalman ben Esther, David ben Sara, Chaia bat Raizel, Baby Ackerman, Whitney Hughes, Yechecht bat Razel, Arnold Well, Eliezer Yosef ben Sarah, Esther bat Sarah, Tyrom ben Verred, and Channah bat Shyndal.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS


Saturday, August 16 <i>Noam Yoageeswaran’s Bar Mitzvah</i> <i>Morris & Jonah Ginter’s B’nai Mitzvah</i> Havdalah: 9:51pm	Sunday, August 24 9:00am Rosh Hodesh Elul: A Women’s Gathering of Renewal
Friday, August 22 Candle lighting: 8:24pm TORAH: Re’eh	Monday, August 25 8:00am Elul Challenge
Saturday, August 23 <i>Krewyn Bergman’s Bar Mitzvah</i> <i>Nina Luker’s Bat Mitzvah</i> Havdalah: 9:34pm	Thursday, August 28 8:00am Elul Challenge
	Friday, August 29 Candle lighting: 8:09pm TORAH: Shoftim
	Saturday, August 30 <i>Felix Levandovsky’s Bar Mitzvah</i> Havdalah: 9:18pm

MAZEL TOV to the family of **Noam Yoageeswaran**, who is celebrating his Bar Mitzvah this morning at Beth Tzedec.

MAZEL TOV to the family of **Morris and Jonah Ginter**, who are celebrating their B’nai Mitzvah this evening at Beth Tzedec.

YIZKOR

MEMORIAL BOOK



Memorialize your loved ones in the 2025 – 2026 Beth Tzedec Yizkor Booklet which we will use during Yizkor services.

Visit bethtzedec.ca to update or add memorial listings by Tuesday, August 19.

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

David Cunio
Ariel Cunio
Bipin Joshi
Ilan Weiss
Youssef Alziadne
Iair Horn
Evyatar David
Matan Zangauker
Hamza Ziyadne
Omri Miran
Alon Ohel
Or Levy
Ohad Ben-Ami
Eitan Horn
Elkana Bohbut
Avinatan Or

Segev Kalfon
Gali Berman
Sasha Trofanov
Eitan Avraham Mor
Guy Gilboa Dalal
Bar Kupershtien
Ziv Berman
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