

NML STANDINGS AS OF OCTOBER 31, 2025

TORAH DIVISION

DIV. RANK	TEAM #	TEAM NAME	CAPTAIN	TOTAL POINTS
1	402	LORIE, LORIE, HALLELUJAH!	LORIE ABERNETHY	230
2	107	YOM RISHON	DAVID INHABER	228
3	104	PRESIDENT'S CHOICE	MAXINE FISCHBEIN	191
4	405	SHABBAT MENUCHA	MAXINE FISCHBEIN	189
5	105	TGIF	SUSAN INHABER	124
6	304	THE DAVENEERS	LINDA GUTMAN/SHEILA KATZ	91

AVODAH DIVISION

DIV. RANK	TEAM #	TEAM NAME	CAPTAIN	TOTAL POINTS
1	305	SHISHI SLISHI	YOSHI SUISSA	277
2	403	ANOTHER BOWL OF SOUP, PLEASE!	JASON GUREVITCH	265
3	202	SHAYNA PUNIMS	LINDA GARSHMAN	126
4	301	TEAM TRANQUILITY	GAYLE SHERMAN	114
5	101	THE KIBBITZERS	KAREN PHILLIPS	107
6	204	THURSDAY THUNDER	NAOMI LAKRITZ	90

G'MILUT HASIDIM DIVISION

DIV. RANK	TEAM #	TEAM NAME	CAPTAIN	TOTAL POINTS
1	203	BETH TZEDEC ZEALOTS	LEIB ZEISLER	194
2	103	THE SUPER STARS	MIREILLE KLAVER	165
3	201	MONDAY MAVENS	BEV SILVERSTONE	114
4	401	MONDAY MIRACLES	WALTER MOSCOVITZ	107
5	302	THE SOPHISTICATS	THERESE NAGLER	98
6	102	TEAM MACCABEES	JOSH ORZECH	75
7	404	MENCHES ON THE BENCHES	DEB SILVER	40



Upcoming NML Bonus Dates

Sunday, November 16
Sunday, November 23 | Sunday, November 30

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
November 15 — 21, 2025

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

Dora Alperstein*	Meyer Blackerman*	Ruchla Mydlarski*
Rachel Alperstein*	Edythe Davis*	Tamara Plucer
Elsie Besser	Lori Feldman*	Leon Robbins*
Gideon Feldman	William Fishman*	Ben Shapiro*
Shirley Goldberg*	Morris Mendelman*	Norman Sugarman*
Max Osten*	Mary Szot	Helena Weiss
Leo Pearlmuter*	Isadore Veiner*	Yerucham Zeidman*
David Rubin*	Morris Baren*	Saul Berman*
John Rubin*	Philip Bider*	Eric Chodak*
Marcel Segal*	Rebecca Block*	Abe Eckhaus
Malka Shkolnik*	Samuel Cahan*	Rose Forman
Esther Zittin	Donna Cohen*	Sarah Keel*
Molly Baber*	Ernie Cosman	Dave Kowall*
Joseph Eder*	Dave Dvorkin*	Simon Mayzus*
Rebecca Freeman	Michelle Goodman*	Mayer Miller*
Abraham Hapton*	Isadore Gurevitch*	Goldie Abremovich*
David Kahane	Froim Hardin	Louis Belzberg*
John Krygier*	Rose Jacobson*	Carl Chapelle
Maxwell Lipkind*	Hettie Marks*	David Faibish*
Julius Neustadt*	Leah Saltman*	Aaron Hershfield*
Max Shapiro*	Jessie Silver	David Kaplan*
Rose Snukal	David Switzer	Meyer Rosen*
Martin Stern*	Ben Davis	Mary Srolovitz
Howard Anson	Manachum Kalef*	Liza Sugarman*
	Leon Libin*	

* 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.



November 15, 2025 ✨ 24 Heshvan 5786

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.

HAYYEI SARAH

TORAH PORTION: Genesis 23:1 — 24:9
Pages: 127 — 132

HAFTARAH: 1 Kings 1:1-31
Pages: 143 — 145

This Sefer Haftarah portion is dedicated in honour of the Bar Mitzvah of Les Viner November 16, 1968 dedicated with love, pride, and respect by Fran and Harvey^{z”l} Viner.

OUR CONDOLENCES to the family of Marc Brener, who passed away on Thursday, November 6.

OUR CONDOLENCES to the family of Maureen Katchen, who passed away on Sunday, November 9.

OUR CONDOLENCES to the family of Libby Feldman, who passed away on Tuesday, November 11.

OUR CONDOLENCES to the family of Dorothy (Dubby) Zolf-McDonald, who passed away on Tuesday, November 11.

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, Sandy Murphy, Yael bat Tzipora, Weldon Hogue, Bert Wolfman, Channah bat Miriam, Shimshon ben Dina Malka, Diana Malekar, Akiva ben Miriam, Avraham Zalman ben Esther, David ben Sara, Chaia bat Raizel, Heidi Ackerman, Yechecht bat Razel, Arnold Well, Eliezer Yosef ben Sarah, Esther bat Sarah, Tyrom ben Verred, Shifra bat Miriam, Sarah Estefania bat Liliana, Shira bat Golda Leah, Liat Chyah bat Shoshana, Hannah Rikkel and Maureen Krupp.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, November 15 4:30pm Seudah Shlishit 7:00pm <i>The Road Between Us: The Ultimate Rescue</i> 9:00pm <i>Dead Language</i> Havdalah: 5:42pm	Friday, November 21 Candle lighting: 4:22pm Torah: Toldot
Sunday, November 16 10:00am Shul School 10:00am B’nai Mitzvah Class 1:00pm <i>Swedishkayt: Yidlife Crisis in Stockholm</i> 3:15pm <i>Elie Wiesel: Soul on Fire</i> 7:00pm <i>Midas Man</i>	Saturday, November 22 Havdalah: 5:35pm
Monday, November 17 3:30pm Homework Club	Monday, November 24 3:30pm Homework Club
Tuesday, November 18 3:30pm Homework Club	Tuesday, November 25 3:30pm Homework Club
Wednesday, November 19 3:30pm Homework Club	Wednesday, November 26 3:30pm Homework Club
Thursday, November 20 6:30pm Keruv Class	Thursday, November 27 3:30pm Homework Club 7:30pm What’s Rabbi Reading?
	Friday, November 28 Candle lighting: 4:16pm Torah: Vayeitzei
	Saturday, November 29 4:30pm Seudah Shlishit Havdalah: 5:30pm



CALGARY

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL

NOVEMBER 1-16, 2025

It's the Final Weekend of the 25th Calgary Jewish Film Festival!

Join us as we close out this year’s festival with an extraordinary weekend of film, community, and conversation. On Saturday, experience ***The Road Between Us***, a gripping true story of courage and family amid crisis, followed by ***Dead Language***, a tender Israeli drama about connection and longing.

Then on Sunday afternoon, we’ll begin with the locally made short documentary ***Bazaar! The Story That Needs to Be Told***, a heartfelt tribute to the remarkable women behind Calgary’s beloved Hadassah Bazaar—paired with ***Swedishkayt: YidLife Crisis in Stockholm***, a joyous and witty exploration of Jewish life in unexpected places.

The festival concludes with ***Elie Wiesel: Soul on Fire***, an intimate portrait of one of the most profound moral voices of our time, and our grand finale, ***Midas Man***, the dazzling biopic of Beatles manager Brian Epstein.

Don’t miss your last chance to be part of this year’s celebration of storytelling, culture, and community on the big screen.