## Shabbat Shalom!

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Our Mission is "To ensure the flourishing of Jewish life through educational, social and Conservative religious experiences in a warm and dynamic community."



Parashat Achrei Mot-Kedoshim April 23/24, 2021 - 12 Iyar 5781 אַחֲרֵי-מוֹת-קדשִים



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Rishon	687	Lev. 17:8 - 17:12
Sheni	687	17:13 - 17:16
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Thank you to our readers: Alan Lichtin, Sheila Allenick, Jack Spaner, Rabbi Michael Ungar, Howard Willen, Margie Cohen and David Bardenstein. Thank you to David Bardenstein for chanting the Haftorah.



Rabbi Stephen Weiss, Senior Rabbi
Rabbi Hal Rudin-Luria
Cantor Aaron Shifman
Education Engagement Rabbi Josh Foster
Rabbi Emeritus Stanley J. Schachter
President Gena Cohen
Executive Director Jay Ross

### Men's Club & Sisterhood Around the World on Zoom May 2 - 6

Only \$18/screen includes all five sessions and the evening options. Join us for a virtual trip around the world! Each day, we'll travel together to explore the sights and sounds of a different continent and more! Register at https://cutt.ly/AroundWorld.



Sunday, May 2 • 7 pm: Hop on the plane! We're off to Ecuador and the Galapagos Islands.

Monday, May 3 • 4 pm: Japan: Land of the Rising Sun.

Tuesday, May 4 • 4 pm: Safari in Serengeti National Park, Tanzania (and our group picture).

Wednesday, May 5 • 4 pm: Athens, Greece: The City of the Violet Crown.

Thursday, May 6 • 4 pm: We're going down under to The Great Barrier Reef, Australia.

Evening International Experience Package (included in your registration; no extra charge):

Monday, May 3 • 7 pm: International Cooking Night featuring videos of Israeli-British chef, restaurateur and food writer Yotam Ottolenghi.

Tuesday, May 4 • 7 pm: International Film Night: The Life Ahead starring Sophia Loren.



### USY/Kadima Rock Climbing at B'nai Jeshurun Sunday, April 25

3:30 pm - USY & Kadima (Grades 5-12)

4:30 pm - Jr. Kadima & parents with children (Grades 1-4)
Join us for our first in-person event of the year! Climb on as we come together in a safe way outside to enjoy an hour of rock climbing. There are different route options from beginner to advanced! Register at

https://bnaijeshurun.formstack.com/forms/rock\_climbing. This will be postponed in case of cold or inclement weather.



Kol Israel Foundation is excited to present the second of this two-part free program with Dr. Irit Felsen, PhD., Clinical Psychologist. The daughter of Holocaust Survivors, Dr. Felsen has helped people find authentic and new ways to resolve difficult issues, live a good life and thrive in relationships. This program is supported in part by the Ida and Sam Zelwin Family Fund at B'nai Jeshurun Congregation. Register at <a href="https://kifcle.org/felsen">https://kifcle.org/felsen</a>. For more information, email info@kifcle.org or call 216.831.3754.

## Relationships Between Adult Siblings Within Holocaust Survivor Families Thursday, April 29 • 7 pm

Dr. Felsen will shed light on how second generation brothers and sisters relate in light of family trauma and include suggestions for enhancing healthy change to facilitate a continuation of extended family relationships for the third and fourth generations in our families.



## Virtual Inclusion Shabbat TONIGHT! Friday, April 23 • 6:30 pm

Rabbi Foster and Heidi Solomon will lead this 30-minute service where we will use a special, colorful siddur with shortened prayers. Everyone is encouraged to participate, at their own level; there are parts in Hebrew and in English. This service allows everyone to enjoy the warmth of Shabbat. Open to the entire community, the service is geared toward those who are mentally and physically other-abled

(and their families). <a href="https://zoom.us/j/6954312474">https://zoom.us/j/6954312474</a>. Download the siddur at <a href="https://cutt.ly/inclusionsiddur">https://cutt.ly/inclusionsiddur</a>. Contact Gerry Erenberg (<a href="mailto:gerenberg@gmail.com">gerenberg@gmail.com</a>) for further information.

## **Sisterhood Happenings**

Cookbook Project Tuesday, April 27 • 7 pm



Join us to discuss moving forward with a B'nai Jeshurun Sisterhood Cookbook. Bring your ideas, and let's brainstorm the direction we want to go! RSVP to Cathy Randall (216-408-1926 or crandall218@gmail.com) by April 25 and let's get cooking! <a href="https://zoom.us/j/98214846628">https://zoom.us/j/98214846628</a>.

Central Great Lakes Region of Women's League of Conservative Judaism Virtual Spring Conference: Our Journey Continues...Nourishing Our Souls Sunday, April 25 • 10 am – 5 pm



Hosted by B'nai Jeshurun Sisterhood. Our life's journey this past year has centered around staying Covid-safe and being at home. All Sisterhood members are invited to take a virtual break and join us to refresh and re-charge. Engage with us in an array of workshops and speakers that will enrich your mental and physical well-being. Questions? Contact Carolyn Marcs (cmarcs@sbcglobal.net). No charge for Sisterhood members.

## Sisterhood Lunch & Learn The History of Ice Cream Tuesday, May 11 • 12:30 pm



Robin Rood will discuss the evolution of our favorite frozen treat. RSVP to Robin (rroodrd@gmail.com or 440-666-7658). https://zoom.us/j/96488313276.

### Weingold Online Learning

Zoom in via computer or phone at (929) 205-6099; the Meeting ID is the number at the end of each link. We look forward to 'seeing' you in class! Classes are made possible through the generosity of the Weingold Family.

What's NU? with Rabbi Hal Rudin-Luria - Mondays at 10 am Topical text study and discussion on the most relevant Jewish topics of the day. <a href="https://zoom.us/j/97066069527">https://zoom.us/j/97066069527</a>.



#### Staying Fit with Linda Schoenberg - Mondays at 11 am

Join certified Silver Sneakers instructor and BJC member Linda Schoenberg for her 60-minute total body work out for seniors. Please have a sturdy chair, light weights and a squishy ball handy. Sponsored by Na'amat USA. <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85880852411">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85880852411</a>.

### Parshat HaShavua with Prof. Doron Kalir, CSU - Mondays at noon

Discuss the weekly Torah portion from a liberal viewpoint. In particular, we will examine implications of the text for today's community and the meaning of *emunah* (faith) in the 21st century. <a href="https://zoom.us/j/213131426">https://zoom.us/j/213131426</a>.

The Mystical Secrets of God, the Soul and the Universe - Gate 3 of *Neffesh Ha-Chayyim* with Rabbi Stephen Weiss - Mondays at 8 pm (no class April 26)

We will begin Gate 3 on May 3. This is a great time for newcomers to join the class. No prior knowledge of *Kabbalah* or of *Neffesh Ha-Chayyim* is necessary. Learn how we can achieve spiritual union with God and draw Divine light and energy into our souls and our world. <a href="https://zoom.us/j/95702368445">https://zoom.us/j/95702368445</a>.

### Bible Study with Susan Wyner - Tuesdays at 10:30 am

Join in for a close reading of the Torah as we make our way through our most central text. We are currently studying the book of Deuteronomy. https://zoom.us/j/864643841.

### Mishnah: The New Scripture with Rabbi Alan Lettofsky - Wednesdays at 10:30 am

Most Jewish institutions and values, while based on the Bible, were created by the ancient rabbis. The Mishnah and its expansion into the full Talmud are the core texts for our Jewish foundations. <a href="https://zoom.us/j/408458674">https://zoom.us/j/408458674</a>.

### Kosher Fitness with Rabbi Michael Ungar - Wednesdays at 1 pm

Get moving and get fit with Certified Personal Trainer (and Rabbi!) Michael Ungar for a weekly 45-50 minute workout - appropriate for all levels; no need for special equipment since we will use objects you already have at home! <a href="https://zoom.us/j/98278241024">https://zoom.us/j/98278241024</a>.

## Ethical & Ritual Issues Through the Lens of Conservative Jewish Law with Rabbi Stephen Weiss - Thursdays at noon (no class April 29)

Through the study of responsa (Jewish law papers) from the Law Committee of the Rabbinical Assembly, we will explore what Jewish tradition has to say about the most pressing and significant issues of our day. Class is always lively, filled with text study and discussion. https://zoom.us/j/388326341.

### Weingold Online Learning (continued)

Starbucks Bread & Torah with rotating teachers - Saturdays at 9 am Gain fresh insights into the Torah, and study with great teachers! <a href="https://zoom.us/j/979212512">https://zoom.us/j/979212512</a>.





### 155th Annual Meeting Sunday, May 2 • 4 pm

Mazal tov to our awardees:

David Cohen ~

Joseph M. Lomberg Award for
Outstanding Individual Service

Tova & Chad Cohen ~
Rabbi Rudolph M. Rosenthal Outstanding Family Award

Voting will be handled online again this year at <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2021Election">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2021Election</a>. If you prefer to receive a paper ballot, please contact the synagogue office. <a href="https://zoom.us/j/97247471730">https://zoom.us/j/97247471730</a>.

## Men's Club Happy Hour Tuesdays • 5 pm

Tune in every Tuesday afternoon via Zoom for an entertaining and enlightening time. Be prepared to enjoy an hour of interesting programming, humor, as well as outstanding guest presentations. ZOOM YOU THEN! Open to everyone. If you're interested in leading a discussion or have ideas for a future topic, contact Mitch Lauer (mitchell.lauer@gmail.com). https://zoom.us/j/98877472739.



April 27: Have you read or heard about a good book lately? Now is your chance to share your review with our fellow viewers! This will be our final happy hour until May 11, when we'll host special virtual AND in-person gathering at the synagogue to recap past topics and discuss the transition back to in-person shul. In-person space is limited and by reservation only to Jerry Brodsky (jerrybrodsky2@gmail.com). A light dinner will be provided, all with social distance and safety observed.

MISHABERAH JAYDEN BARBER MATANA DVORAH BAT SARAH

DINA RIVKA BAT LEAH

GITTEL CHANA BAT ESTHER MASHA TSIRIL BAT BASHA
YAKOV BEN MIRIAM
RONI BEN RACHEL
TOVA BAT SARAH GITTEL
AVRUM REUVAIN BEN NAOMI

YAKOV BEN SARA

DANIEL BEN LEAH
ZELDA BRACHA BAT MINA
ZALMAN SHMUEL DOV BEN

RUVENA SHIFRA MASHA BAT PESHKE
MESHELEM BEN RACHEL HAYA DEVORA HANA BAT SOR
EZRA SHAMIR BEN SIMCHA AVRAHAM BEN SHOSHANAH AVRAHAM BEN SHOSHANAH
SURA TOBA BAT JOSEF ZWI
REUVEN BEN ADELINE
MORT YUSSEL BEN RIVKA
BEN-TZION PESACH BEN
SHAINDEL CHAYAH

AVRAHAM BEN SHOSHANAH
AVRAHAM SHMUEL BEN ZENDEL
LAZER BEN MATILDA
LEAH BAT RUCHEL
YECHIEL YITZHAK BEN FEIGEL

SHANDEL BRACHA BAT ESTHER

MASAHIRO UENO

MICHAL VERED TOVA BAT SARAH GILA

SARAH GILA BAT LEAH

PINHAS SIMCHA BEN PNINA ADIN RONEN BEN SARAH GILA

SARAH BAT ROIZA

ARIELLA CHANA BAT SARAH

AARON ELI BEN TOIBA LEAH

HAYA BAT ESTHER

RIFKAH BAT BASYA

SHALOM MENASHE BEN NECHA

YAKOV BEN HANA SORA

MEIR FEIVEL BEN SARAH DEVORAH

BLUMA ZISSEL BAT RACHEL HASKEL TZVI BEN MALKA

MARIE BAT MARIE

TZIVIA AVIVA BAT MINDEL HANA MINDEL HANNA BAT RACHEL

WAYNE EHRMAN

CHAYA RAZEL BAT LEAH

CHAIM BEN PNINA GERSHON BEN HANA CHANAH BAT SARAH

HANOCH YITZHAK BEN SARA

HAYA DEVORA HANA BAT SORA BLUMA

YECHIEL YITZHAK BEN FEIGEL DAVE PERKINS

YAAKOV SIMCHA BEN CHANAH ROCHEL

YISROAEL BEN GITTLE BENSION BEN ROCHEL ISRAEL BEN MINDEL
SORI YESPI BAT LIBA
LAIBEL DOVID BEN LIBA

ADIN RUNEN BEN SARATI GIE A
HAYA TZIPPORAH BAT ITTA

MASHA BAT HEINCHA
PEREL SARAH BAT DVORAH
MALKA BAT BATYA
MORDECHAI DOVID BEN LEAH
MIMI DORF
SHAINA LIEBE BAT CHAVA MIRYAM
ZLATE FEIGA BAT CHAYA

ADIAN BEN SARAH LAIBEL DOVID BEN LIBA
REUVEN LEIB HAKOHEN BEN ESTHER MIRIEL
FAYGIE ELKE BAT RUCHEL
MALKA LEBA BAT MINDEL SURA
HARAV SHIMON YEHOSHUA BEN SARAH
MIRIAM ESTHER BAT MALKA LEBA
RIVKA YETTA BAT ZELDA
JONATHAN BEN RUCHEL LEAH
FSTHER BAT SARAH YA'CHET

RAPHAEL BEN MASHA GOLDA

MARY ELIZABETH GREENE

HAYA SORA BAT LEAH

ITTA BAT ESTHER

DAVID SHIMON BEN RENAH

SARAH BAT POIZA

LOTTER BAT SARAH TA OFIET

FISHEL MENDEL BEN FRAIDEL

SHEVA BAT EDYAH

REUVEN ZELIG BEN HESHA

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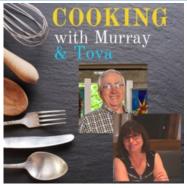
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**BILHAH BAT MIRIAM** HARAV DAVID BEN CHAYA IMI SCHNEIDER SHIMON BEN SARAH YONATON BEN SARA PHYLLIS LOX DAVID GURVIS AVRAHAM YEHESKEL BEN FRYDA BYLA ELI MENACHEM BEN CHANA SHOSHANA BAT RUSHKA BAYLA BAT PEARL SHEINDEL ELKA KAYLAH BAT CHANNAH PAM KEROLA HARAV DAVEED KESHET AVDIEL BEN YEHUDIT MEIR BEN SPRINTZER PAMELA COOPERWOOD LENY BERNSTEIN SHMUEL BEN EMALIA RIVKA HANKA BAT LEAH LEAH BAT ZEISELL SARAH BAT CHAVA CHAVA BAT FAIYGA MICHLA BAT FRUMA HENYA RACHEL BAT FRUMA

May He who blessed our ancestors and is the source of all healing bless and heal those who are ill. May the Holy One Praised Be He mercifully restore them to vigor and lift the burden of anxiety from their loved ones and friends.

On this (Sabbath, Festival, Judgment or Penitence) day we pray that they be spared further pain. May God grant them health of body and health of spirit and mind. May we speedily be privileged to greet their return to good health by welcoming them once again into our midst. Let us say: Amen.

Anyone wanting to add a name to the list should contact Diane Dronzek (dianedronzek@bnaijeshurun.org or 216-831-6555 ext. 104) by Thursday afternoon at the latest for inclusion in that Shabbat's program. We will also pause during the prayer for people to recite additional names.



HINDA BAT BATSHEVA ABRAM DOV BEN LIBA

## Cooking with Murray & Tova - Shavuot Special! Thursday, May 6 • 7 pm

Murray and Tova, under the direction of Zoom Master Chad Cohen, present the next cooking class featuring Shavuot Specials. These include Tuna, Vegan or Lox Wraps, Beva's Cheesecake, Cupcake Blintzes and Rolled Quesadillas. Joining Murray and Tova in the kitchen this week is Stephanie Berkowitz. Read the recipes at https://www.bnaijeshurun.org/cooking-with-murray.

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86468670994.

## Coffee Talk with the Clergy Tuesdays • 2 pm

All are welcome to join us for a weekly check-in and conversation with the clergy, who will rotate weeks.

https://zoom.us/j/94801989217.



# What's Coming Up

### Friday, April 23

10:30 am Kinder Shabbat

6:00 pm Service

6:30 pm Inclusion Shabbat

### Saturday, April 24

9:00 am Service

9:00 am Starbucks, Bread & Torah with Rabbi Peter Haas

11:15 am Youth Service

#### Sunday, April 25

10:00 am - 5:00 pm Sisterhood Regional Spring Conference

3:30 & 4:30 pm Youth Groups Rock Climbing @BJC

#### Monday, April 26

10:00 am What's NU? with Rabbi Hal Rudin-Luria

11:00 am Staying Fit with Linda Schoenberg

12:00 pm Parshat HaShavua with Doron Kalir

#### Tuesday, April 27

10:30 am Bible Study with Susan Wyner

2:00 pm Coffee Talk with the Clergy

5:00 pm Men's Club Happy Hour

7:00 pm Sisterhood Cookbook Project Discussion

### Wednesday, April 28

10:30 am Mishnah: The New Scripture with Rabbi Alan Lettofsky

1:00 pm Kosher Fitness with Rabbi Michael Ungar

### Thursday, April 29

7:00 pm Holocaust Survivor Talk with Dr. Irit Felsen

### Friday, April 30 - Lag B'Omer

10:30 am Kinder Shabbat

6:00 pm Service

### Saturday, May 1

9:00 am Service; Ari Zelwin Bar Mitzvah

9:00 am Starbucks, Bread & Torah with Jerry Isaak-Shapiro

11:15 am Youth Service

### Sunday, May 2

11:00 am Consecration

4:00 pm Annual Meeting

7:00 pm Zoom around the World

ALL prayer services are available by live stream and Zoom. For live stream, visit <a href="https://www.bnaijeshurun.org/streaming">https://www.bnaijeshurun.org/streaming</a> and click on the appropriate box. All Shabbat services (Friday night and Saturday morning and afternoon) will appear in the window for the David J. & Ruth A. Moskowitz Sanctuary. All other services will appear in the window for Nickman Chapel.

For Zoom, call in at (929) 205-6099 and reference the Meeting ID# below, or use these links for video:

Friday evening: <a href="https://cutt.ly/FriNt">https://cutt.ly/FriNt</a>, Meeting ID # 962 5683 8863 Shabbat morning: <a href="https://cutt.ly/bjcShabbatAndFestivals9am">https://cutt.ly/bjcShabbatAndFestivals9am</a>,

Meeting ID # 750690071

Shabbat afternoon: <a href="https://cutt.ly/Saturday-Festival-Day-6-pm">https://cutt.ly/Saturday-Festival-Day-6-pm</a>,

Meeting ID # 932 5191 4283

Sunday morning minyan: https://cutt.ly/bjcSundayMorningMinyan8am

Meeting ID #298 657 543

Weekday morning minyan: <a href="https://cutt.ly/bjcMorningMinyanM-F715am">https://cutt.ly/bjcMorningMinyanM-F715am</a>

Meeting ID #413 413 630

Afternoon minyan: https://cutt.ly/bjcWeekdayAfternoonMinyan6pm

Meeting ID #200 230 834

Service Schedule: Mondays - Fridays: 7:15 am, 6:00 pm

Saturdays: 9:00 am, 6:00 pm Sundays: 8:00 am, 6:00 pm

PDF copies of the prayer book are available on our website.

We use the *Sim Shalom* prayer book for weekdays and Saturday afternoon and the *Lev Shalem* prayer book for Friday night and Shabbat Morning. The weekly Haftorah is also available. Visit <a href="https://www.bnaijeshurun.org/pray-with-us-shabbat">https://www.bnaijeshurun.org/pray-with-us-shabbat</a>.

The minyan will always have a minimum of ten participating by stream. Rabbi Weiss has ruled, based on rabbinic and *halakhic* sources, that – on a temporary, emergency basis, and not as a permanent change – a minyan may be comprised of ten Jews at different locations linked over the internet. Therefore, the services will still include those parts that require a minyan and will fulfill that obligation. This includes the mourner's kaddish.

#### **Youth Service**

Shabbat mornings through May 8 • 11:15 am

All students under Bar/Bat Mitzvah age are invited to join us. There are opportunities to lead prayers, chant from the Torah and celebrate Shabbat together with friends from BJC. <a href="https://zoom.us/j/486237183">https://zoom.us/j/486237183</a>.

#### Condolences to:

Bonnie Potash & family on the death of her aunt, our member, Margie Neidus

Yahrzeits: April 24 - 30, 2021

Pearl Adler Minnie G. Jacobs Libbie Samuels Charlotte Seidman Amster Ann F. Candy Jacobson Ike Savitt Victor Isador Baskin Sigmund Kaplan Hilma Schlam Rosalind Abrams Bernstein Gussie Kaplan Rae Schwartz Louis Bloch Sol Karner Anna B. Schwartz Alfred Breen Harry Katz Ruth Schwarz **Bernard Chernin** Benjamin Kest Abraham Segel Miriam Cohen Kate Klausner Rella Sevin Agnes B. Klein Max M. Shapiro Joseph Cohen Lillian N. Kline Leah Davis Cohen Irwin R. Siegal Samuel Colton Joseph Kohn Milton Silver **Alexander Cousins** Claire Koral Jenny Smith Hilda Dattelbaum Helen Kritzer Sidney D. Stein Dr. Frank M. Stern Dr. Dudley S. Dinner Helen Kumin **Emanuel Donsky** Harry Laderman Johanna Summerfield Sanford Tabor Johanna Dreyfuss Rose Leiter Anna Marshinsky Milton A. Eisenberg Morris Tenney Shirley Miller **Esther Entis** Hortense Tesmer Rose Neuman Myron Fersky **Irving Tiktin** Sadie Fisher Adolph Newman Abraham Treinish Minnie Fogelson Ann Nowak Jetty Wasserman Sadie Friedman Leon Nusbaum Bertha Wasserman Beverly Galun Marvin Peskin **Emil Weinberger** Rose Garaway Jack Isaac Pitt Tillie Weiner Robert Gioia Abraham Popovsky Frida Weisz Anna Goldstein **Moses Prives** Herman West Nathan Rapaport Joan B. Whitehill Harvey Goodman Harriet Greenberg Albert B. Reet Ron Wiesel Bessie Cohn Greenberg Fannie G. Rickman Elvira Wintner **Edward Greene** Rose Yabroff Evelyn F. Rose Isadore Gross Hyman Rose Rebecca Yaspan Rabbi Jack J. Herman Dr. David S. Rosenbaum Ben Perry Zamok Mildred Hoffman David Roth Sol Zimm Frances Sacks Larry Holsman

#### Call in to Zoom

You can call in to any of our Zoom sessions by dialing (929) 205-6099 and keying in the Meeting ID#, which is the number at the end of each link.