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Parashat Ekev עֵקֶב
August 4/5, 2023 - 18 Av 5783

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Thank you to our Torah readers:
Judith Friedman, Shoshana Hyer, Danielle
Shaper, Debbie Ornstein, Howard Willen,
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you to Shani Kadis for chanting the
Haftarah.

Thank You!

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Thank you to our ushers and greeters: David Cohen, Maury Greenstein, Harriet Rosenberg Mann, Paula Schaffer-Polakof, Dan Umansky, Lynn Katz Danzig and Rachel Hersh Schwarz; Zoom moderators: Eric Schechtman and Shani Kadis; and oneg/kiddush team: Rafi Simon, Ron Fersky, Harlan Meinwald, Rachel Kugleman, Natalie Titlebaum, Lois Novikov, Lauren Freiman & crew, Judy Friedman, Sousan Aminfard and Cheri Spira.

Mazel Tov!

Mazel tov to everyone who is celebrating a birthday this month!



This Shabbat



Tu B'Av Shabbat

Friday, August 4 • 6:30 pm

Join us for a special, musical service featuring songs, poems, prayers and food expressing love and harmony in celebration of Shabbat and Tu B'Av (Judaism's day of love). Historically, Tu B'Av was celebrated in ancient Israel by wearing white and gathering outside. Weather permitting, we will be in the Linden Family Courtyard. The evening will also feature an original composition by Cantor Rosenbaum. A special oneg will follow.

Shabbat in the Sun

Saturday, August 5 • 9 am



Join us as we take in the sunshine and enjoy the outdoors for Shabbat services. We will begin in our Linden Family Courtyard with Shacharit/Pesukei D'zimra at 9 am. We will then grab a snack and schmooze a bit at 9:45 am and move to our David J. & Ruth A. Moskowitz Sanctuary for the remainder of the service at 10 am. Dress for summer (weather permitting for the outdoors). **Rabbi Alex Rosenbaum will give the sermon, "The Great Migration of the Human Spirit."** We will use the same Shabbat Zoom link; for Streaming, use the Linden Family Courtyard Streaming page at 9 am and then the Moskowitz Sanctuary Streaming page from 10 am on. Stay after services for an extended kiddush to meet our new rabbis.

Guest Speaker Next Week

As part of our Israel @75 events, we are pleased to have Itay Margalit, Community Shaliach, Jewish Federation of Cleveland speak on "My Journey Home: How I Came to Cleveland and What I Am Taking Back to Israel."

Saturday, August 12 • 9 pm



Upcoming Events



Hike with BJC

Sunday, August 13 • 10 am

Join Marcy & Ed Rosenthal and Rabbi Alex Rosenbaum as we explore and hike around Squire's Castle (2844 River Rd, Willoughby Hills). This is a 3-mile loop unpaved trail in the woods that takes an average of 75 minutes to complete. Meet in Squire's Castle parking lot or carpool from BJC at 9:30 am. RSVP to Shani Kadis and advise if you plan to carpool. If we need to cancel, we will email everyone by 8:00 am. This event is brought to you through our Wellness Center.



Sisterhood Book Discussion

Wednesday, August 16 • 1:30 pm (note time change)

This month we will have a sharing session. All are invited to join us at BJC or on Zoom

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81885748539>

Contact Linda Schoenberg (drcats2224@gmail.com) or Sylvia Abrams (sylvia.abrams@gmail.com) with questions. September's book is *The Matchmaker's Gift* by Lynda Cohen Loigman.



High Holiday Learning

August 17 – September 28 • 7:30 pm

Beginning on Rosh Hodesh Elul, join us in person in Halpern Hall or on Zoom for weekly learning. Our first session kicks off Thursday, August 17 with Rabbi Joshua Jacobs - *Avinu Malkeinu*: Filling Our Wells of Compassion. View our Adult Ed webpage for all the classes, which will also be included here closer in

https://www.bnaijeshurun.org/adult_ed#.

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82247940770>

Inclusion Shabbat

Friday, August 18 • 6:30 pm



For the first time, our Inclusion Shabbat Service will be held together with B'nai Jeshurun's weekly Friday night Shabbat services. Join us and gain a deeper appreciation of both Shabbat and the power of inclusion as we create an inclusive space for everyone in our community to take a role leading our prayers

and welcome in Shabbat together. Access the siddur at

<https://cutt.ly/1wsMOdVh>.

Upcoming Events



Guardians' Game

Sunday, August 20 • 1:40 pm

Welcome our new rabbis as the Guardians take on the Detroit Tigers. If you didn't purchase a ticket through the synagogue, we hope you will still join us. Our seats are in sections 128-129 (lower level/rows E-L).

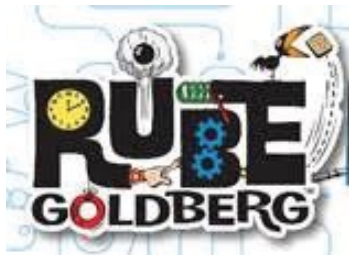


10th Annual Golf Outing

Monday, August 21 • 8:30 am - 3:30 pm

Punderson Golf Course (Rain Date: August 28)

18 holes of golf and cart, kosher boxed lunch catered by KANTINA, snacks, awards and a cash bar! \$45 by August 7, \$55 after. Punderson Golf Course is located at 1175 Kinsman Rd., Newbury, OH 44065. Register at <https://cutt.ly/Golf2023>.



Sisterhood Lunch & Learn

Rube Goldberg - The World of Hilarious Invention!

Tuesday, August 22 • noon lunch; 1:30 pm tour

Join us for lunch at Heck's and then head over to the Maltz Museum for a docent-led tour. This is a hands-on exhibit and all ages are welcome! \$10/person for the tour; lunch on your own tab. RSVP to Robin Rood by August 15 (440-666-7658 or rroodrd@gmail.com).



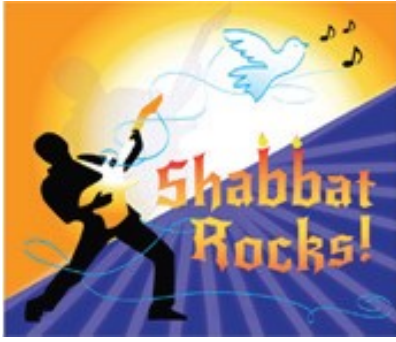
Golda

Wednesday, August 23 • 7 pm

Cedar Lee Theatre

Join us for a special sneak preview screening. This showing will also feature an exclusive 25-minute **pre-recorded** conversation between Guy Nattiv and Helen Mirren following the movie. \$12.50 per ticket includes feature film with pre-recorded conversation and reserved group seating. Tickets are limited; once payment is received, you can pick up your tickets at BJC or contact Shani Kadis to make other arrangements. Register at <https://cutt.ly/golda>. Hosted by our Israel@75 Committee. Meet at the theatre - 2163 Lee Rd., Cleveland Heights.

Upcoming Events



Shabbat Rocks!

Friday, August 25 • 6:30 pm

Bring your families and join us for our last Rocks! of the season. This is a spirited Kabbalat Shabbat service with live band featuring music from a wide variety of musical influences and highlighting text from the Psalms. A specialized prayer book offers Hebrew, transliteration, and English to make this service user-friendly. Services will be held in the Linden Family Courtyard, weather permitting. This season has been generously underwritten by The Jan & Ron Moskowitz Family and Jocelyn & Peter Saltz.



Sisterhood Opening Event

Sunday, August 27 • 10 am

The morning will include a dairy brunch and our featured guest, Rabbi Alex Rosenbaum, as she shares with us the healing power of tea. Bring your friends. \$20 Sisterhood member; \$25 guest. RSVP by August 20 at <https://cutt.ly/Vwo9ULH6>. Questions? Contact Laurel Sheldon (lsheldon05@sbcglobal.net or 216-272-7433). You are a member if you paid your 2023-2024 Sisterhood dues. If you are paying by check, please complete the form and check off "Bill Me" at the end.



Chesed Volunteer Opportunity

Sunday, August 27 • 11 am – 6 pm

Join Jewish Cleveland at the 77th annual One World Day in the Cleveland Cultural Gardens and share pride in our Hebrew Cultural Gardens. This festive event celebrates Cleveland's diverse cultures and includes a naturalization ceremony for new citizens, the colorful Parade of Flags, and ethnic food, music and dance in each of our community's many gardens. To volunteer in the Hebrew Cultural Gardens or participate in the Parade of Flags, please contact Lisa Hacker (lhacker@jewishcleveland.org or 216-593-2792).



Run, Hide, Fight Training

Monday, August 28 • 7 pm

This training will be in person at the synagogue and will provide valuable information to handle emergency situations. Register at <https://cutt.ly/gwaoYr2Y>. Contact Jay Ross with questions.

Welcome Back BBQ

Friday, August 25 • 5 pm



New this year: Trackless Train and Bubble Soccer!

Join us before our last Shabbat Rocks! of the season. Come with friends and meet some new ones, too! Tons of food and fun for the whole family! Free for all current and prospective members. Learn more and register at <https://cutt.ly/BBQ2023>. If you are interested in volunteering, contact Shani Kadis.

A Prayer for Ukraine

God in heaven.

Creator of all flesh, Worker of wonders,
Do not stay silent; do not remain voiceless;
do not keep aloof.

For an evil man has come to power and
declared war on another country, saying
'We will rise up violently against you in battle.'

But you, God, have commanded us in your
sacred scriptures, saying. 'Do not stand idly by
the blood of your neighbour: I am God.

Therefore, make the aggressor desist from destruction.

We pray to you now, God of the spirits of all flesh,
to use your infinite power to
end these acts of bloodshed and terror.

Spread peace across the earth and
bring joy to all its inhabitants,
so that the words of the prophets can be fulfilled:
The warrior's bow will be broken, and peace will be
promised to all peoples.

God will judge between the nations and
arbitrate between many countries.

They will beat their swords into ploughshares
and their spears into pruning hooks.

Nation shall not lift up sword against nation
neither shall they learn war anymore

And let us say Amen

Staying Fit with Linda Schoenberg - Mondays at 11 am (resumes 8/7)

Join certified Silver Sneakers instructor 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.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85880852411>

Bible Study with Susan Wyner - Tuesdays at 10:30 am (no class 8/8)

Join in for a close reading of the Bible as we make our way through our most central text. We are currently studying Samuel 1, Chapters 8-13.

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88663421663>

Mishnah: The Best Book You've Never Read with Rabbi Alan Lettofsky Wednesdays at 10:30 am

A small group of rabbis, over the course of a couple hundred years, laid out entire systems of holiday observance, civil and criminal law and taxation, among many others. It is the core of what we think of as Jewish tradition today. <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87108945546>

Midrash: Stories to Live By with Rabbi Joshua Jacobs - Thursdays at noon (starting 8/17)

Midrash is a form of rabbinic commentary that comes in two forms, *halakhah* (law) and *aggadah* (narrative). Both, in their own way, offer guidance as to how to live a meaningful Jewish life. In these sessions, we will explore *aggadah* - the rabbinic tales that have impacted me on a soul level. My hope is that through our learning and discussions together, we will discover stories to live by - stories that stir the soul, inspire growth, and help us find ourselves in our ancient texts. Lunch will be provided; voluntary donations welcome to cover costs. Hybrid.

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87277103560>

Torah Café - Saturdays at 9 am

Gain fresh insights into the Torah and study with great teachers! Rabbi Joshua Jacobs teaches this week. Hybrid.

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83603008490>

Trope Class with Cantor Alyssa Rosenbaum – Sundays at 3 pm (hybrid) (class ends 8/13)

Whether you are looking to refresh your memory for leyning or starting from square one, this class is open to all who are interested in learning. We will start out learning the Haftarah trope mode, then transition into Torah. <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81011365486>

MISHABERAH

MATANA DVORAH BAT SARAH
DINA RIVKA BAT LEAH
GITTEL CHANA BAT ESTHER
YAKOV BEN MIRIAM
RONI BEN RACHEL
AVRUM REUVAIN BEN NAOMI
YAKOV BEN SARA
DANIEL BEN LEAH
ZALMAN SHMUEL DOV BEN
 RUVENA SHIFRA
EZRA SHAMIR BEN SIMCHA
BEN-TZION PESACH BEN
 SHAINDEL CHAYAH
MASAHIRO UENO
MICHAL VERED TOVA BAT SARAH GILA
SARAH GILA BAT LEAH
PINHAS SIMCHA BEN PNINA
ADIN RONEN BEN SARAH GILA
WAYNE EHRMAN
MASHA BAT HEINCHA
PEREL SARAH BAT DVORAH
MALKA BAT BATYA
MORDECHAI DOVID BEN LEAH
RAPHAEL BEN MASHA GOLDA
MARY ELIZABETH GREENE
DAVID SHIMON BEN RENAH
SARAH BAT ROIZA
HASKEL TZVI BEN MALKA
MARIE BAT MARIE
TZIVIA AVIVA BAT MINDEL HANA
MINDEL HANNA BAT RACHEL
GERSHON BEN HANA
HAYA DEVORA HANA BAT SORA BLUMA
MIRIAM ESTHER BAT MALKA LEBA
JONATHAN BEN RUCHEL LEAH
ESTHER BAT SARAH YA'CHET
SHEVA BAT EDYAH
REUVEN ZELIG BEN HESHA
ARLENE LESSER
HAYA BAT ESTHER
ELIEZER ZEV BEN RIVKA MINDEL
BILHAH BAT MIRIAM
MEIR BEN SPRINTZER
HERSHEL BEN PESHA LEAH
CHANNAH HINDE BAT HAYA BLUMA
HESIA HINDA BAT YAFFA
SHIFRA BAT RIVKA ZLATA

AYALA RACHEL BAT SHIFRA
Yael BAT BRAYNLEH
TVI BEN HAYA
LAURA MURPHY
EFRAIM BEN SARAH
ASHER REUVEN BEN LILA
MIRIAM MALKA BAT CHANA LEAH
ADAM MOSHE BEN MICHLEE
AVRUM WOLF BEN YAKOV
MOSHE BEN RIVKA
ASHER ZELIG BEN FEIGEL
AVRAHAM BEN SHOSHANAH
AVRAHAM SHMUEL BEN ZENDLE
LAZER BEN MATILDA
YECHIEL YITZHAK BEN FEIGLE
YAAKOV BEN AIDA
YAAKOV SIMCHA BEN
 CHANA ROCHEL
BENSION BEN ROCHEL
YISROAEL BEN GITTLE
LABEL DOVID BEN LIBBA
YAAKOV BEN FAIGA LEA
MOSHE BEN ANNA
NACHUM BEN SORKA
YONATON BEN SARA
LEAH RACHEL BAT SHAINTY
SARA RIVKA BAT FAYGE ELKE
DAVID BEN SARAH
RIVKAH BAT BAYLAH
YENTEL SURAH BAT
 MARIAM PESSSEL
MASHA BAT PESHKE
FISHEL MENDEL BEN
 FRAIDEL
IMI SCHNEIDER
SHIMON BEN SARAH
YONATON BEN SARA
AVRAHAM YEHESKEL BEN
 FRYDA BYLA
ELI MENACHEM BEN CHANA
SHOSHANA BAT RUSHKA
BAYLA BAT PEARL SHEINDEL
HENYA RACHEL BAT FRUMA
HINDA BAT BATSHEVA
MURIEL GLUCKMAN
MARIA THERESA TEJADA
AVRAHAM MOSHE BEN SARA ETYL
SHIFRAH BAT HASHALAH
DONIEL BEN ADINAH
RUTH BAT SARAH

ELANA CHANA BAT GILA
ELIT BAR RUT
CHANAH BAT MASHA
SOPHIE LEAH BAT KAREN
SHOSHANA BAT RIVKA NESHAMA
RACHAEL LEAH BAT DEVORAH
ELLEN BAT SHIRLEY
BETTY KELLY
BERNARD KELLY
PINCHAS BEN LIBA
WILLA SARDON
CHAYA FREIDEL BAT VITEL
JOSEPH AMBROSE
MOSHE TZVI BEN SARAH RUCHEL
MIRIAM LEAH BAT SHINDEL
MOSHE YOSEF HALEVI BEN CHANA
YEHUDIT BAT FAYGA
TSIPA SHRULIK
MALKA BAT HAYA SARAH
ADAM BEN SHOSHANAH
RONNA HARDY
PETER RUDOLPH
CAMERON MONESMITH
TZVIYAH YEHUDIT BAT SHULAMIT
AVRAHAM DOVID BAT SARA RIVE
ROCHEL YUTTA BAT BRACHA LEYA
IRENE BAT LIZA
CHANA BAT SARA
DOVID HAKOHEN BEN
MIRIAM RAISEL
ANTHONY GOTI
RACHEL HAVIVA BAT RUT
CHAIM AVRAHAM BEN BAYLA
AVRAM BEN LEAH
BRACHA LEAH BAT BATYA
ESTHER BAT MINUCHA
RIVKA BAT PESACH
YISRAEL GIDEON BEN SHULAMIT
SHLOMO DAVID BEN LAYA
SARAH LEAH BAT MIRIAM
GITTL PESSIE BAT HANNAH LEAH
SHOSHANA BAT SABINA
SAMARA CHAVA BAT SARAH
DAN-I-EL BEN YAFFA
YEHUDIT BAT MOSHE

ROCHEL CHAYAH BAT DVORAH
ELLEN BAT DISPENZA
SUCHER BERYL BEN SCHPRINTZE LEAH
BLUMA BASHA BAT FRAYDEL SURA
LIBA RUCHEL BAT BAYLA
TZADIK BEN NEZCHA
ASHER REUVEN BEN LILA
NECHAMA SHIRA BAT RIVKA
BRACHA BENYAMINA BAT HAYA
BLUMA ZISSEL BAT RACHEL
CHAYIM MEIR BEN RIVKA
AHARON MAYER BEN BAYLA
AVIYAM BEN SARAH
DOV CHAIM BEN ESTHER
YISRAEL BEN GITTEL
NATAN BEN MIRIAM
DINA BAT RIFKA
TZVI BEN GERSHON
BENYAMIN YEHUDAH BEN DEVORAH

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

On this Shabbat, we pray that they be spared further pain. May G-d 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 (216-831-6555 ext. 104 or dianedronzek@bnaijeshurun.org) 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.

What's Coming Up

Friday, August 4

10:30 am Kinder Shabbat

6:30 pm Service; Tu B'Av Shabbat; Birthday Shabbat

Saturday, August 5

9:00 am Service; Shabbat in the Sun

9:00 am Torah Café with Rabbi Joshua Jacobs

Sunday, August 6

3:00 pm Cantor's Trope Class

4:00 - 7:00 pm Pool & Pizza Party at the Beachwood Pool

Monday, August 7

11:00 am Staying Fit with Linda

There will be no
Mahj Meetups
in August.

Tuesday, August 8

7:30 pm Board of Trustees Meeting

Wednesday, August 9

10:30 am Mishnah class with Rabbi Alan Lettofsky

Thursday, August 10

1:30 pm Yiddish Club

Friday, August 11

10:30 am Kinder Shabbat

6:30 pm Service

Saturday, August 12

9:00 am Service

9:00 am Torah Café with Rabbi Alex Rosenbaum

Sunday, August 13

10:00 am Hike at Squire's Castle

3:00 pm Cantor's Trope Class

Monday, August 14

11:00 am Staying Fit with Linda

Tuesday, August 15

10:30 am Bible Study with Susan Wyner

Wednesday, August 16

10:30 am Mishnah class with Rabbi Alan Lettofsky

1:30 pm Sisterhood Book Discussion

Thursday, August 17 - Rosh Hodesh Elul

12:00 pm Midrash class with Rabbi Jacobs

1:30 pm Yiddish Club

7:30 pm High Holiday Learning

Yahrzeits: August 5 - 11, 2023

Sanford Adelstein	Kenneth Gerdy	Eva Polar
Sara Rose Allenick	Ivan Gertman	Manya Pole
Paul Amper	Janet H. Gold	Joseph Polonski
Renee Barrish	Lily Gold	Bernard Potash
David R. Baskind	William Goldstein	Morris Rabinowitz
Henry Baumoel	Philip Golub	Peter M. Reif
Julius Berger	Seymour Graff	Joe Robbins
Julia Berger	Isidor Greenberg	Irene Rosenthal
Beva Polster Berkowitz	Fannie Greenfield	David Roth
Harry Birrer	Eliyahu Gutterman	William Rudnick
Carl Bisk	Estelle Gutworth	David Ryb
Zelda Bisk	James Leonard Herman	Edith Salkin
Minnie Bluman	Sam Herman	Fannie Schmayer
Maurice J. Bobier	Phyllis June Hersch	Joel L. Schwarz
Sam Bohm	David M. Isquick	Stuart B. Shafron
Arthur Bram	Steven G. Jacobson	Ruth Shwab
Lillian Buckholtz	Sam Klausner	Sam Siegel
John Close	Morris Klein	Sarah Siegel
Anne F. Cohen	Melville Klein	Sam Silver
Ruth Cohen	Milton Kohl	Myron Silver
Fredericka Cohn	Rebecca Kronenberg	Isadore S. Silverman
Alvin Cronig	Morris Kroos	Ann Frankel Belkin Simon
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Israel Ehrenwerth	Florence Levin	Sophie F. Ullman
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Dolores S. Feldman	Minna Mager	Theodore "Tibor" Weil
Shirley Fenton	Albert Mayerson	Julius Weinberg
Max Feuer	Judy Wald McConnell	Ethel Kass Weinstein
Bill Finger	Shirley F. Miller	Ida Weiss
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Sam A. Friedrich	Bronka Austrian Orfus	Robert I. Wertheimer
David Gamburg	Frieda Ornstein	Miriam Young
Sara Geller	Esther Pearlman	Charles Shy Zamok

Service Schedule:

Mondays - Thursdays: 7:15 am, 6:00 pm

Fridays: 7:15 am, 6:30 pm

Saturdays: 9:00 am, 6:00 pm

Sundays & Holidays: 8:00 am, 6:00 pm