

# Welcome to B'nai Jeshurun

*"Ensuring the flourishing of Jewish life through educational and Conservative religious experiences in a warm and dynamic environment."*

*Your presence adds to the joy of our service!*

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Parashat Terumah  
February 24/25, 2023  
4 Adar 5783

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Thank you to our Torah readers: Jon Steiger, Meryl Brown, Ruth Dobres, Tom Sudow, Shoshana Hyer, Gabriella Krivis and Benjamin Brown. Thank you to Benjamin Brown for chanting the Haftarah.

## Thank You!

The kiddush is sponsored by Ellen Kowit-Potter & Steven Potter in memory of his father, Marvin Potter<sup>ב"ר</sup>.

Thank you to our ushers and greeters: David Cohen, Maury Greenstein, Harriet Rosenberg Mann, Paula Schaffer-Polakof and Dan Umansky; Zoom moderators: Eric Schechtman and Shani Kadis; Board member on the bima Michelle Goldstein; and oneg/kiddush team: Rafi Simon, Ron Fersky and Nancy Tresser Lipko.



# Purim!

Carnival & Purim Spiels - Sunday, March 5

## Kids Spiel at 1 pm

Our talented youth take you under the sea to perform "The Little Mermaideleh" to the story of Purim.

## Carnival from 1:30 - 3:00 pm

Join us for the Happiest Place on Earth...our annual Purim Carnival! Play games, ride the go racers, visit the Animal Kingdom and eat lots of HAMENTASHEN! A game board will let you enjoy all the fun & games that will be spread out around our synagogue. Once your game board is complete, you will receive a prize, a hamentashen, cotton candy and popcorn AND be entered in our Grand Purim Raffle! Please eat lunch prior to attending. Adults may purchase food separately. Purchase your game board at <https://cutt.ly/Carnival2023> (\$12/member; \$24/guest).



## Animal Show with Party Pals Petting Zoo at 3 pm

Get up close with the animals! You can also visit the Animal Kingdom during the carnival (some will be held back for the show). This is ALL INCLUDED with your carnival fee.

## Adult Spiel at 7 pm

Our adult spiel, "Purim According to Disney," will share the real story of Purim according to Disney that will have you singing along! A dessert reception will follow.

## Megillah Readings - Monday, March 6

### Young Families Magic Show & Dinner at 5:30 pm

Come in costume and get ready to have fun. This program is free; register at <https://cutt.ly/MagicOfPurim>.



## Family Megillah Reading at 6:30 pm

Join us as our BJC teens read part of the megillah. We'll have a costume parade and hear a few songs from our kids' spiel. Hamentashen and drinks will be provided afterwards.

## Adult Megillah Reading at 7 pm

Come in costume and hear the megillah. You are guaranteed to have fun and we'll even provide the graggers. Hamentashen and beverages will be provided afterwards.

## Teen Party at 8 pm

Continue the celebration with Makom after the megillah reading ends.

## Minyan, Megillah Reading & Breakfast

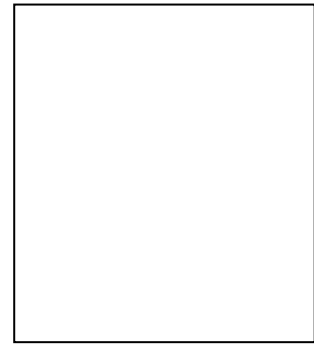
Tuesday, March 7 • 7 am



# Upcoming Events

## Shir Shabbat

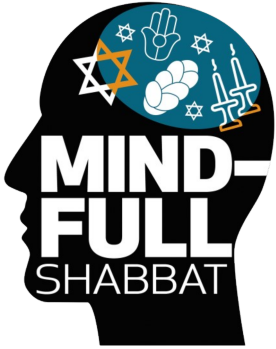
Friday, February 24 • 6 pm



Inspiration, contemplation and sheer joy! Join Cantor Rosenbaum and Rabbi Rudin-Luria for our new monthly, uplifting, creative musical service designed to integrate new melodies into our prayer experience and reinvigorate our souls in preparation for Shabbat.

## Mind-Full Shabbat

Friday, February 24 • 7 pm Dinner; 7:45 pm Program



Eat and engage at Mind-Full Shabbat, an exciting way to connect with congregants, the community and meaningful Jewish and community topics. Shabbat services are followed by a catered dinner, fine wine and interactive adult conversation with a dynamic speaker. This month's speaker is **Scott Simon**, founder and author of *Scare Your Soul*. The program is free; dinner reservations are now closed. Supported in part by the Rabbi Rudolph M. Rosenthal Memorial Fund.

## TORAH IN OUR HANDS

A Dive Into Scribal Arts  
@ Makom



## Makom: The Place for Teens

Mondays • 6:30 pm

Join us for Torah in Our Hands: a three-part series with Rabbi Bec Richman, a local *soferet* (scribe), who will introduce us to the world of scribal arts, offer a chance to do some hands-on Torah maintenance and repair and facilitate Hebrew calligraphy learning. February 27, March 13 & 20. Open to all students in grades 7-12. Contact Sydney Ungar with questions or to RSVP if you aren't a Makom regular.



## Mandel JCC Book Festival: *The Thread Collectors*

Thursday, March 2 • 7:30 pm • Virtual Event

Enjoy a **FREE** virtual talk with authors Alyson Richman and Shaunna J. Edwards. Inspired by the authors' own family histories, *The Thread Collectors* is a rich historical novel set during the Civil War about two women - one Black and yearning for freedom in New Orleans, the other a Jewish abolitionist in New York - whose resourceful sewing to support their communities leads them on unexpected, dangerous journeys as they fight to bring their beloveds home from the front. Free; register at <https://cutt.ly/ThreadCollectors>. This is part of the Mandel JCC Cleveland Jewish Book Festival and sponsored by The Norma and Albert Geller Social Justice Endowment Fund at B'nai Jeshurun Congregation.

# Upcoming Events



## Beyond Borders: The Art of Siona Benjamin

Thursday, March 9 • 6:30 pm

Samantha Baskind, Professor of Art History at CSU, will provide us with an hour long private tour of the exhibit. This show features over 40 pieces that consider and challenge the perception of immigration, gender, race, religion, global politics and the concept of home. RSVP to Shani Kadis by March 5 and advise if you are interested in carpooling. Free. Located at The Galleries at CSU – 1307 Euclid Ave.

## Synagogue Shabbat Security Training

Shabbat morning, March 11 • after services (11:30 am)

JFC Security, in partnership with the Pepper Pike police department, will conduct a building lockdown followed by a slow walk evacuation drill. This drill will have the active participation of clergy, staff, BHRS students and members/guests. This type of live training drill with congregants' participation has great value in identifying security gaps and preparing community members on how to react when facing a critical incident. If you have any questions please contact Executive Director, Jay Ross.



## Volunteer with Chesed at the Kosher Food Pantry

Sunday, March 12 • 9:30 am

We will sort and pack food that will be delivered to families in the community. Everyone volunteering should be over the age of 7 and ready to work. You must contact Shani Kadis to volunteer so we know you are helping. KFP is located at 2004 S. Green Rd., S. Euclid.



## Sisterhood Book Discussion

Wednesday, March 15 • 4 pm

We will discuss *The Netanyahus* by Joshua Cohen. All are invited to join us at BJC or on Zoom

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

Contact Sylvia Abrams ([sylvia.abrams@gmail.com](mailto:sylvia.abrams@gmail.com)) or Linda Schoenberg ([drcats2224@gmail.com](mailto:drcats2224@gmail.com)) with questions.

## Thursday Monthly Series: Spotlight Educator

### Jews and Judaism of Seinfeld

March 16 • 7:30 pm

Andre Ivory is a Jewish educator and motivator from Scottsdale, AZ. This session will be hybrid.

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



# BJC Learning Institute

*These classes are brought to you through the generosity of the Fersky Fund for Adult Learning, Rabbi Michael and Sheila Hecht Limmud Fund and Nelson Pole & Betsy Greene.*

**What's NU? with Rabbi Hal Rudin-Luria - Mondays at 10 am**  
(no class February 28)

Topical text study and discussion on the most relevant Jewish topics of the day. <https://zoom.us/j/91220079234>

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

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**

Join in for a close reading of the Bible as we make our way through our most central text. We are currently studying The Book of Judges.

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

**Mishnah: The Best Book You've Never Read with Rabbi Alan Lettofsky**  
**Wednesdays at 10:30 am - Resuming March 8 – note change of day**

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>

**Talmud: Disputes for the Sake of Heaven with Rabbi Jeremy Markiz**  
**Thursdays at noon**

Talmud is one of the foundational sources of Judaism. By unpacking the discussions of the rabbis, we can uncover powerful wisdom to guide and inspire us. Join in on this journey as we closely read the text, learn how the Talmud works, and make it relevant for our lives today.

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

**Torah Café - IN PERSON & VIRTUAL Saturdays at 9 am**

Gain fresh insights into the Torah and study with great teachers! Rabbi Rachel Brown teaches this week.

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

## Service Schedule:

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

Saturdays: 9:00 am, 6:00 pm

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

Condolences to

Eric Rosenblatt & family on the death of his grandfather, Jacob Braunstein

Viktor Kitsis & family on the death of his grandfather, Ika Berkov

Michele Torch, Alec Torch & families on the death of their father and grandfather, Norman Roth

The family of our member, David “Taffy” Wakser

Yahrzeits: February 25 - March 3, 2023

David J. Abromowitz	Ethyl Faigin	Larry Hutner
Emilio Mordechai Amon	Dr. David I. Falk	Sarah Jacob
Martin Azoff	Fannie Fant	Emanuel Jacobs
Shirley N. Bain	Belle June Federman	Lucille Kammen
Martha Miller Bauer	Charles (Buddy) Feigelson	Saul Kammen
Morris Bayer	Maurice L. Finberg	Silvia Kaplan
Blanche Belaga	Golda Franklin	Bessie Katz
Diane Bell	Eli Freilich	Sarah Kessler
David Bennett	Feivel Friedman	Marie Kleiman
Leona Berkowitz	William Friedman	Jennie Kleiman
Louis Bernstein	Max Friedman	Bernard H. "Buddy" Klein
Hortense Bittker	Hedwig Fuldauer	David Klineman
Michael Bobovik	Ralph Fuldauer	Jeremiah "Jerry" Koen
Sarah Bohm	Dr. Harry Gabelman	Ben Kohn
Marvin Braun	Anna Garber	Lawrence A. Kohn
Leonard Bregman	Gertrude Gerber	Louis Kohn
Mary Bresin	Rose Glaser	Phyllis Kohn
Sophia Brick	Herman Glick	Celia Koplow
Florence Brown	Marvin Gold	David Jacob Koppelman
Betty M. Bunin	Lois Goldfarb	Dr. Albert J. Kudysh
Bertha Clayman	Sarah Goldfarb	Harry Kupersmith
David Cohen	Benjamin A. Goldman	Benjamin J. Kushner
Rita Newman Cohen	Ben I. Goss	Robert P. Kutler
Max Cohen	Belle Gosset	Isidore Levine
Rose Cohen	Helen Green	Phillip Levine
Faye Comet	Sally Greenberg	Stella Lichtig
Sol Comet	Alexander Greene	Susan Lipman
David Conant	Sophie Greenwald	Solomon Lurie
Sharon N. Delman	Dr. Martin C. Gross	Bertha Luxenburg
Jerry Delson	Irene Gross	Mollie Rose Macknin
*Sam Delson	Eugene M. Gross	Randy Blake Malik
Charlotte Perry Diamond	Elaine Gross	Charles Mansky
Sophie Dollinger	Marilyn Gwartzman	Anna Marcus
Jerome Dorris	Florence Halpert	Henrietta Mart
Raymond Dozetos	Celia Gordon Harris	Dora Mednik
Beatrice Dubal	*Leon A. Harris	Rose L. Morgenstern
Harold Eisenberg	*William J. Himmel	
Abraham Elowitz	Ilene Silverman Hogarth	

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# Yahrzeits: February 25 - March 3, 2023 continued

Lena Moss	Ben Scheinberg	Elizavetta Torpusman
Wu Yun Na	Joseph Schermer	Bertha Tucker
Sonia Narcys	Hugo Schlachet	Esther Ulmer
Aaron Neiditz	Gilmore Schwartz	Albert E. Varnick
Edith Neiditz	Irwin Schwarz	Tillie Volk
Morris B. Neuberger	Eva Rose Shapiro	David Weinberg
Mor Neumann	Minerva Shapiro	Tone Weinberger
Rudolph J. Orgler	Beatrice Sheperd	Lillian R. Weisblat
Brenda Zimm Oscar	Gertrude Sherr	Harold Weiss
Kim K. Penn	Stella Shifrin	Joseph A. Weiss
*A. Bernard Peters	Louise Shultz	Bertha Wertheimer
Bessie Pickus	Tony Shultz	Ralph Williams
Louis R. Polster	Alexander Sicherman	Molly Witt Glazer
Marvin S. Potter	Albert Simon	Wilma Yahr
Jacobo Rosenberg	Harry L. Solwitz	George J. Yarus
Dr. Milton Rosenberg	Nettie Stern	Edythe Zamok
Ann Rosenfield	Leona Sudak	Gerald M. Zashin
Harry Rotgerber	Max Tabak	Sharolta Zeigerman
Ruth Rothstein	Mortimer N. Tannenbaum	Sam Zelvy
Lawrence Russell	Celia Thaw	
Benjamin J. Rzepka	Estelle (Estee) Timbers	<i>*past president</i>

## What’s Coming Up

### Friday, February 24

- 10:30 am Kinder Shabbat
- 6:00 pm Service; Shir Shabbat
- 7:00 pm Mind-Full Shabbat Dinner & Speaker

### Saturday, February 25

- 9:00 am Service
- 9:00 am Torah Café with Rabbi Rachel Brown

### Sunday, February 26

- 4:00 pm Mishpachot Kids in the Kitchen
- 5:30 pm Sisterhood Middle Eastern Dinner

### Monday, February 27

- 11:00 am Staying Fit with Linda Schoenberg
- 6:30 pm Makom with Rabbi Bec Richman

### Tuesday, February 28

- 10:30 am Bible Study with Susan Wyner

### Thursday, March 2

- 12:00 pm Talmud class with Rabbi Jeremy Markiz
- 1:30 pm Yiddish Club
- 7:30 pm Mandell JCC Virtual Book Festival Authors Talk