

# Welcome to B'nai Jeshurun

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

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Parashat Ki Tavo כִּי תָבוֹא  
September 1/2, 2023 - 16 Elul 5783

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Thank you to our Torah readers:  
Natan, Ari, Benjamin and Michael Milgrom.  
Thank you to Hedy & Michael Milgrom for  
chanting the Haftarah.

## Thank You!

Thank you to Hedy & Michael Milgrom for sponsoring the flowers, kiddush and congregational luncheon in honor of the aufruf of their children, Sydney Ungar & Ben Milgrom.

Thank you to our ushers and greeters: David Cohen, Maury Greenstein, Harriet Rosenberg Mann, Paula Schaffer-Polakof, Dan Umansky, Lynn Katz Danzig, Gabe Adler and Judy Dietz; Zoom moderators: Eric Schechtman and Shani Kadis and Board member on the bima Lee Jackson.



## Mazel Tov!

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



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Mazel tov to Sydney Ungar & Ben Milgrom on their aufruf, and to parents Marci & Daniel Ungar and Hedy & Michael Milgrom and grandmother Jan Katz.



## High Holiday Learning



### **Rosh Hashanah Cooking Demo** with Personal Chefs Eileen & David Brown Thursday, September 7 • 6:30 pm

The Browns will show us to prepare a simple, gourmet meal that will impress your guests. We will also have wine for pairing. Volunteers will be called upon to assist with the prep and samples of everything will be provided along with the recipes. Free; spaces are limited. Register by September 1 at <https://cutt.ly/hhd-cooking2023>. In-person only; members only.

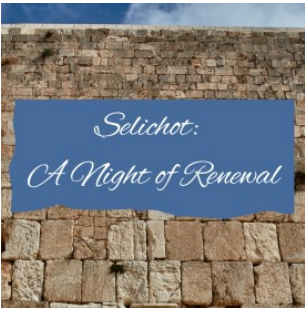


### **Mikvah and the *Yamim Noraim*: The Waters of Transformation** with Rabbi Alex Rosenbaum • in-person only Monday, September 11 • 7 pm Tuesday, September 12 • 5-8 pm

September 11: Join Rabbi Alex at the Charlotte Goldberg Community Mikvah to tour the facility and learn about the cleansing power of water in Judaism.  
September 12: Experience the power of the mikvah. Immerse yourself in our ancient tool for spiritual renewal to prepare yourself for the High Holidays. Sign up for your OWN 15-minute time slot between 5-8 pm at <https://cutt.ly/wwfJqanm>.

# Selichot

Saturday, September 9 • starting at 8:30 pm



We are a people of stories. From the harrowing and heartbreaking to the inspiring and triumphant. Join us for an evening of music, renewal, prayer and powerful storytelling as we learn from tales of change which can inspire our own transformation for the coming new year.

8:30 pm Musical Havdalah

8:45 pm Selichot Stories: Tales of Transformation

9:45 pm Refreshments

10:00 pm Selichot Services led by Cantor Rosenbaum and the BJC Choir

*This program is made possible through the generosity of the R.H Mohrman Cultural Foundation.*

## Zichronot: A Yom Kippur War Story Walk



This Yom Kippur, BJC commemorates the 50th anniversary of the 1973 Yom Kippur War with a “story walk” through history. Please join us in Gross Atrium beginning on Yom Kippur and throughout the week for an immersive exhibit that walks us through Egypt and Syria’s surprise attack on our holiest day of the year. Dive deeply into the war’s historical context, key figures and legacy. This exhibit is part of our Israel@75 programming.

If you have personal remembrances and/or photos, please share them with us. We are also looking for docents to greet and orient visitors. Submissions are due by September 11 at <https://cutt.ly/EwizV1EI>. Please contact Rabbi Jacobs for more information.

## Yizkor Garden

Who are you remembering this

Yizkor? As part of our new wellness initiative, in partnership with Sisterhood, we are creating a memory garden for Yom Kippur – a place for stories and spirits to take root and blossom, allowing our loved ones to live on in our lives and in our community in new ways. We ask that you send in a picture and a memory or story of your loved one to populate our garden (1-2 submissions per person maximum). The garden will be open in our building all day long on Yom Kippur – visit when you need a break from the service, or come in the afternoon during the downtime. May all these memories be a blessing. Submit your photos and stories by September 14 at <https://cutt.ly/YizkorGarden>.





## Mindful Tashlikh

Tuesday, September 19 • 6 pm

Join us for a special Tashlikh program to begin the new year a new way. Through music, selfreflection, writing, mindfulness practice and prayer, we will focus on body, mind and soul in order to begin again in a holistic path to renewal. This program will take place in Solon and you will receive the location once you register at <https://cutt.ly/mindful-tashlikh2023>.



## Tashlikh at Shaker Lakes

Wednesday, September 20 • 6:45 pm

We will gather together to cast our sins away and earn God's forgiveness as we approach the Jewish new year. All ages are welcome and we will conclude with the hearing of the shofar. (To respect the wildlife, we will provide bird seed to cast in the waters.) Meet at Shaker Lakes Nature Center, 2600 S. Park Blvd., Shaker Heights parking lot. Please register by Tuesday, September 19 at <https://cutt.ly/tashlikh-at-shaker>. We will email everyone if we need to cancel due to inclement weather.

## Cemetery Memorial Services

Sunday, September 24

One of the customs of the High Holiday season is to visit the graves of our loved ones. Join our clergy for our annual memorial services.

9:30 am at Glenville Cemetery  
10:00 am at Bet Olam Cemetery  
11:00 am at Chesterland Memorial Park

## Personal Prayer before the Ark

Sign up for a time slot between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur to stand before the holy ark in the David J. & Ruth A. Moskowitz Sanctuary alone or with others in your home for personal prayer at <https://cutt.ly/PersonalPrayer5784>. Bring a note with you or write on one of our notes, which will be sent to the Kotel.

## Chesed Kosher Food Drive

During September, we ask each family to bring in one grocery bag of non-perishable food. Everything collected will be donated to JFSA. Please make sure everything is kosher and not expired. Collection bins are located in Gross Atrium. Everything will be delivered on October 9.



# BJC Israel Family ADVENTURE

June 16 - 28, 2024



Contact Diane Dronzek for more information.



## Upcoming Events



### Stop the Bleed Training

Tuesday, September 5 • 6:30 pm

Learn basic training in bleeding control principles so you are able to provide immediate, frontline aid until first responders arrive in the event of a manmade or natural casualty event. Free and open to all. RSVP at <https://cutt.ly/bwjE7mPf>. Learn more at [www.bleedingcontrol.org](http://www.bleedingcontrol.org). This program is presented in cooperation with the Jewish Federation of Cleveland.



### Sisterhood Lunch & Learn: Ultra-Processed Foods

Tuesday, September 19 • noon

Robin Rood will lead this talk on Ultra-Processed Foods: What are they and how does this affect my health? \$10/person. RSVP by September 14 to Robin Rood ([rroodrd@gmail.com](mailto:rroodrd@gmail.com) or 440-666-7658).



### Sisterhood Book Discussion

Wednesday, September 20 • 4 pm

September's book is *The Matchmaker's Gift* by Lynda Cohen Loigman. All are invited to join us at BJC or on Zoom. Contact Linda Schoenberg ([drcats2224@gmail.com](mailto:drcats2224@gmail.com)) or Sylvia Abrams ([sylvia.abrams@gmail.com](mailto:sylvia.abrams@gmail.com)) with questions. October's book is *The Sweetness of Forgetting* by Kristin Harmel. <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81885748539>

## **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 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 (no class September 14 & 21)**

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 Peter Haas teaches this week. Hybrid.

<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**

**High Holidays Service Schedule:**

<https://www.bnaijeshurun.org/high-holidays.html>

# Super Sunday

September 10 • 10 am - 5 pm • JFC



Join the Jewish Federation of Cleveland for an all-day community-wide fundraising event that will celebrate everything that makes Jewish Cleveland so special and showcase the impact we make together. Together, we can – and will be – HERE

FOR GOOD! All ages can join the fun! Learn more and register at <https://cutt.ly/super-sunday2023>.

## 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



**MISHABERAH**

HARAV TZVI AVRAHAM BEN YEHUDASIL  
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  
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  
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  
ELLEN BAT DISPENZA  
SUCHER BERYL BEN  
SCHPRINTZE LEAH  
BLUMA BASHA BAT FRAYDEL SURA  
TZADIK BEN NEZCHA

ASHER REUVEN BEN LILA  
BRACHA BENYAMINA BAT HAYA  
BLUMA ZISSEL BAT RACHEL  
AHARON MAYER BEN BAYLA  
DOV CHAIM BEN ESTHER  
YISRAEL BEN GITTEL  
NATAN BEN MIRIAM  
TZVI BEN GERSHON  
BENYAMIN YEHUDAH BEN DEVORAH  
YEHUDIT BAT CHANA  
RACHEL BAT SOREL LEAH  
FEIGE BLIMA BAT SHOSHANA  
VERED BAT SARA  
DAVID BEN SARAH  
MICHAL MENACHEN BEN ESTHER  
YEHUDA LEIB YISRAEL BEN LEAH  
PESHE BAT SARAH  
MEYER YITZHAK BEN ILANA  
ETEL SONIA BAT ESTHER

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, September 1

10:30 am Kinder Shabbat

6:00 pm Service; Birthday Shabbat

## Saturday, September 2

9:00 am Service; Ungar/Milgrom Aufruf

9:00 am Torah Café with Rabbi Peter Haas

## Monday, September 4 - Labor Day; office closed

## Tuesday, September 5

10:30 am Bible Study with Susan Wyner

6:30 pm Stop the Bleed Training

## Wednesday, September 6

10:30 am Mishnah class with Rabbi Alan Lettovsky

## Thursday, September 7

12:00 pm Midrash class with Rabbi Joshua Jacobs

1:30 pm Yiddish Club

6:30 pm Rosh Hashanah Cooking Demo w/the Browns

## Friday, September 8

10:30 am Kinder Shabbat

6:00 pm Service

## Saturday, September 9

9:00 am Service; Jordan Polikoff Bat Mitzvah

9:00 am Torah Café with Rabbi Carnie Rose

8:30 pm Selichot

## Sunday, September 10 - Super Sunday

10:00 am Men's Club Lake View Cemetery Tour

## Monday, September 11

11:00 am Staying Fit with Linda Schoenberg

7:00 pm Mikvah & Yamim Noraim with Rabbi Alex Rosenbaum

## Tuesday, September 12

10:30 am Bible Study with Susan Wyner

5:00 - 8:00 pm Mikvah Opportunity

7:30 pm Board of Trustees Meeting

## Wednesday, September 13

10:30 am Mishnah class with Rabbi Alan Lettovsky

## Thursday, September 14

1:30 pm Yiddish Club

# Condolences to

The family of our member, Diane Friedman

## Yahrzeits: September 2 - 8, 2023

Herman M. Adelstein  
Marian Moss Amster  
Lloyd J. Amster  
Esther Arnold  
Ann Bauman  
Ernest Berg  
I. Joseph Berger  
Morris Berger  
Henry J. Berusch  
John Blank  
Hilda Bleiweiss  
Edward C. Bloomberg  
Gennadi Bykhovskiy  
Nathan Cadkin  
Hyman Cadkin  
Ruth C. Candela  
Andrea B. Canowitz  
Maurice Chaim  
Esther Coe  
Rose Cohen  
Charles Cohen  
Gayle Cohen  
William Cohen  
Alfred Corman  
Nelson Cutler  
Henry S. Dennis  
Celia R. Englander  
Bertha Farber  
Anna Fisher  
Joseph Frank  
Dennis Fried  
Albert Galan  
Manya Gelfand  
Delphine Gelfman  
Philip Gerson  
Pauline Gertman  
Louis Gilden  
Meyer Ginsburg

Frank S. Glueck  
Robert Golden  
David Grossman  
Lillian Gutterman  
Samuel Herzlinger  
William Hibshman  
Helmut Isaak  
Aaron Jacob  
Jacob Jacobs  
Hyman Kaplan  
Sam T. Katz  
Max Katz  
Phyllis "Boots" Kertesz  
Sam W. Kleinman  
Joseph Koppelman  
Joseph Krislov  
Dina M. Krukovskaya  
Nathan "Edward" Kurtz  
Freda Leeper  
Edward Leikin  
Ethel Linden  
Morris Littman  
Betty Madden  
Harry Maeroff  
Harry Malik  
Jack Markowitz  
Joseph D. Marks  
Jodi L. Marton  
Lillian G. Mason  
Peter M. Mathews  
Janet Mednik  
\*Hazzan Saul Meisels  
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Joseph Mocnik  
David Neiger  
Marvin Newman  
Simon Newman  
Emanuel Pasternak  
Joseph Paul Payner

Alex Pearl  
Dave Pearlman  
Albert Perahya  
Lillian Peskind  
Samuel Pintchuk  
Barbara Polar  
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Gus Rosen  
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Max Rosenblum  
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Gertrude R. Rutsky  
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Delores Schnur  
Esther Schoenberg  
Emil Schoenbrun  
Lee Loeb Scott  
Harry Shafron  
Bernard Sherman  
Dora Shultz  
Milton Skorman  
Augusta Cohn Sobol  
Gitta Stein  
Kate Suid  
Lieb Swartz  
Eleanor Tenenbaum  
Ruth K. Terkel  
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