Shabbat Shalom!

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Welcome to B'nai Jeshurun Congregation David J. & Ruth A. Moskowitz Sanctuary

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



Parashat Yitro יְתְרוּ February 14/15, 2020 - 20 Shevat 5780



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Rishon	432	Ex. 18:1 - 18:12
Sheni	434	18:13 - 18:23
Shlishi	435	18:24 - 18:27
Revi'i	436	19:1 - 19:6
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Shishi	441	19:20 - 20:14
Shevi'i	449	20:15 - 20:23
Maftir	449	20:19 - 20:23
Haftarah	452	Isaiah 6:1 - 7:6;
		9:5 - 9:6



Thank you to our Torah readers: Michael Milgrom, Steve Wolotsky, Yossi Berkowitz, Murray Altose, Barry Shapiro, Alberto Sardon and Mark Freiman. Thank you to Murray Berkowitz 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

Pour presence adds to the joy of our service!

SATURDAY

Thank you to **Men's Club** for leading this morning's service. Everyone is welcome to join us after kiddush for the **21st Annual Sheila Radman Balk Cholent Cookoff!** If you did not pre-register and pre-pay, please remember to post-pay.

Our Starbucks, Bread & Torah teacher this week is Cantor Aaron Shifman. Thank you to Abraham Kay for preparing the refreshments.

Thank you to our members who prepare the kiddush refreshments: Moris Amon, Murray Berkowitz, Fay Blumenthal, Tova Cohen, Lynn Katz Danzig, Ruth Dobres, Faith Eisenberg, Arlene & Phil Fine, Shirley Haas, Lisa Bernd & Ed Horowitz, Laura Katzner, Harriet Rosenberg Mann, Cathy Randall, Rachel Schwarz, Cheryl Spira, Yaacov Taxer, Nikona Thomas, Natalie Titlebaum, Nancy Tresser Lipko and Pnina Wiesel.

Thank you to Marilyn Klein, our Board member on the bima, and to our greeters and ushers: David Cohen, Maury Greenstein, Dan Jacobs, Harriet Rosenberg Mann, Paula Schaffer-Polakof and Daniel Umansky.

The Special Reading of the Ten Commandments was dedicated in the New Torah Scroll by Estelle Rosenberg⁵ in memory of Dr. Milton Rosenberg⁵.

Following the Benediction, please join us in **Gross Atrium** for kiddush sponsored by Men's Club in honor of Men's Club Shabbat.

Board Game Shabbat - TODAY!

Please join us in Halpern Hall after the Cholent Cookoff to play your favorite board game and spend Shabbat afternoon together.





Guest Speaker Rabbi Mark Borovitz
Shabbat, February 22 • 9 am (during services)

We are pleased to welcome back Rabbi Mark Borovitz of Beit T'Shuvah in LA who will tell us about his life story and his work with addiction recovery. There will be a Q&A during kiddush in Nickman Chapel.





DAILY MINYAN

MONDAY - THURSDAY 7:00 am & 7:30 am & 6:00 pm

FRIDAY 7:00 am & 7:30 am & 6:00 pm (unless otherwise noted)

SATURDAY 9:00 am & 6:00 pm SUNDAY & HOLIDAYS 8:00 am & 6:00 pm

Men's Club presents A Legislative Update Sunday, February 23 • 7 - 9 pm

State Senators Kenny Yuko (Minority Leader) and Matt Dolan and Cuyahoga County Executive Armond Budish will be on hand to provide updates on State and County initiatives and answer your questions. Free and open to the community; no RSVP required.



Sisterhood Lunch & Learn: The Story of Cheesecake Tuesday, February 25 • noon

Bethany Salomon will guide us through this delicious talk. Park Synagogue Sisterhood will join us. RSVP by February 18 to Robin Rood (rroodrd@gmail.com or 440-666-7658). \$10 per person, payable at the door.

Transplant House Wednesday, February 26 • 5:30 pm

Provide a home-cooked meal for all of the residents. This involves preparing a meal for 20 people at home and bringing it to the Transplant House and then connecting



with the residents as they enjoy a family meal together. Volunteers can prepare different parts of the meal in their own home so it does not fall on just one person. Contact Nikona Thomas to help (216-536-8311). Located at 2007 E. 115th St., Cleveland.

GCC: A Thousand-Person Criminal Justice Action Thursday, February 27 • 7 pm • Olivet Institutional Baptist Church

The goal of this Action is to secure one or more off-site, pre-booking Mental Health and Addiction Diversion Centers in Cuyahoga County, giving police an alternative to jail for persons suffering a mental health or addiction crisis. Research clearly demonstrates their effectiveness. Diversion centers in Cleveland will save lives and public money while also reducing overcrowding in our County jail and help to level the judicial field for people of color. BJC has pledged to bring at least 50 people to the Action.

RSVP and indicate if you want to carpool to Deby Auerbach-Brown (cabdab4@sbcglobal.net). Carpools will leave BJC at 6 pm. Questions? Contact Theresa Markowitz (tmarkowitz1@aol.com) or Rabbi Weiss. Olivet Church is located at 8712 Quincy Ave, Cleveland.

Mind-Full Shabbat Friday, February 28 • 6 pm Service; 7 pm Dinner; 8 pm Dialogue



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.

Our guest speaker is **Rachel Weiser** who will speak on *The Legal Battle Against Terrorism and Anti-Semitism.*Rachel joined the legal team of Shurat-HaDin - The Israel

Law Center, where she works on U.S. anti-terror cases and advocacy matters.

Cost for dinner: \$25/person (Free to ATID and everyone in their 20s and 30s); the dialogue is free. Register by February 24 through the synagogue website or office.

This program is subsidized by the Dobres-Berkowitz Israel Programming Fund and the Rabbi Rudolph M. Rosenthal Fund.

Frozen Kids' Spiel
Sunday, March 8 • 11 am

Our talented youth will retell the story of Purim with a twist from the movie *Frozen*. Free and open to the community.





MISHABERAH SARAH BAT ROIZA JAYDEN BARBER ARIELLA CHANA BAT SARAH FRUMA BAT JANETTE HARAV YITZHAK MICHAEL BEN DINA MATANA DVORAH BAT SARAH AARON ELI BEN TOIBA LEAH DINA RIVKA BAT LEAH RIFKAH BAT BASYA GITTEL CHANA BAT ESTHER SHALOM MENASHE BEN NECHA MASHA TSIRIL BAT BASHA YAKOV BEN HANA SORA YAKOV BEN MIRIAM ZEV YITZCHAK BEN RISYA MEIR FEIVEL BEN SARAH DEVORAH RONI BEN RACHEL RAISEL MALKA BAT FREDA **BLUMA ZISSEL BAT RACHEL** TOVA BAT SARAH GITTEL HASKEL TZVI BEN MALKA AVRUM REUVAIN BEN NAOMI MARIE BAT MARIE YAKOV BEN SARA TZIVIA AVIVA BAT MINDEL HANA DANIEL BEN LEAH MINDEL HANNA BAT RACHEL ZELDA BRACHA BAT MINA WAYNE EHRMAN ZALMAN SHMUEL DOV BEN CHAYA RAZEL BAT LEAH **RUVENA SHIFRA** CHAIM BEN PNINA MESHELEM BEN RACHEL **GERSHON BEN HANA** ADIRA BAT RUCHEL CHANAH BAT SARAH AVRAHAM BEN SARAH HANOCH YITZHAK BEN SARA EZRA SHAMIR BEN SIMCHA ADAM DEAL SURA TOBA BAT JOSEF ZWI MASHA BAT PESHKE RACHEL LEAH BAT DEVORAH HAYA DEVORA HANA BAT SORA BLUMA REUVEN BEN ADELINE EPHRAIM CHAYIM BEN ITA CHANA MALKA BAT RAISA AVRAHAM BEN SHOSHANAH MORT YUSSEL BEN RIVKA REUVEN BEN HELAYNE AVRAM DAVID BEN DINAH AVRAHAM SHMUEL BEN ZENDEL BEN-TZION PESACH BEN LAZER BEN MATILDA SHAINDEL CHAYAH LEAH BAT RUCHEL SHANDEL BRACHA BAT ESTHER YECHIEL YITZHAK BEN FEIGEL MASAHIRO UENO YAKOV BEN AIDA HADAR MIRIAM BAT ESTHER SHALOM BEN GOLDA MICHAL VERED TOVA BAT SARAH GILA DAVE PERKINS SARAH GILA BAT LEAH NOAH BEN ZELDA PINHAS SIMCHA BEN PNINA ASHER REUVEN BEN LILA ADIN RONEN BEN SARAH GILA REUVEN LEIB HAKOHEN BEN HAYA TZIPPORAH BAT ITTA **ESTHER MIRIEL** MASHA BAT HEINCHA FAYGIE ELKE BAT RUCHEL PEREL SARAH BAT DVORAH MALKA LEBA BAT MINDEL SURA MALKA BAT BATYA HARAV SHIMON YEHOSHUA BEN SARAH MORDECHAI DOVID BEN LEAH **BRIAN VALENTINO** MIRIAM ESTHER BAT MALKA LEBA MIMI DORF SHAINA LIEBE BAT CHAVA MIRYAM HALLEL ADINA BAT HARAV RIVKA GITTEL ZLATE FEIGA BAT CHAYA SHEINDEL PEREL BAS VIVIAN YENTEL SURAH BAT MARIAM PESSEL FRUMA MINDA BAT SIMCHA RAPHAEL BEN MASHA GOLDA JEFFREY WYNBRANDT MARY ELIZABETH GREENE SARAH LEAH BAT MIRIAM YONKEL MOSHE BEN LEAH SHULAMIT BAT FEIGE ITA HAYA SORA BAT LEAH **DOVID LEIB BEN SHIFRA** LIBBY GOLDIE BAT SHAINA MALKA DENISE BAT ROSEMARY

AVROHOM BEN HENNEL

MELANIE HORST

ROD FOLLUM

ITTA BAT ESTHER

SHLOMO FEIVEL BEN KAYLA

DAVID SHIMON BEN RENAH

CHRIS NEELEY
CLAIRE DOELGER
RIVKA YETTA BAT ZELDA
PINCUS DOVID BEN SARAH
SARA LEAH BAT SARA
DAVID NOVINC
REUVEN BEN HENOCH
MIREILLE BAT FRIEDA
LEONA LADEN
JONATHAN BEN RUCHEL LEAH
HASKEL MOSHE BEN GITL

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 (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 from their seats.

Purim!!!

Chesed Mishloach Manot Deliveries Sunday, March 1 • 10 am • Menorah Park

Deliver Purim bags to our BJC family and friends. Meet at Menorah Park.

Do you live on the Menorah Park Campus, Montefiore or the Weils or have a family member or friend that does? We would love to deliver *mishloach manot* to you and your family & friends. Please send **names** and location to Shani Kadis.

ATID Bake, Schmooze and Eat Hamentashen Tuesday, March 3 • 5:30 - 9:00 pm

We will bake A LOT of hamentashen for the synagogue's Purim celebrations. Everyone will be able to take a few home, too! Pizza and drinks will also be provided. Free. RSVP to Shani Kadis.

Carnival!

Sunday, March 8 • 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Carnival games, inflatables, prizes and food for purchase. Wristbands offer unlimited play and may be purchased on the synagogue website.

Purimpalooza Monday, March 9 • 6 pm

Enjoy a fun variety of circus acts and a free dinner. Registration required.

Megillah Readings

Monday, March 9 • 7 pm Family; 7:15 pm Traditional Hear the story of Esther and then nosh on hamentashen and be entertained with a variety of strolling circus performers.

What's Coming Up

Tuesdays 10:30 am Torah Study with Susan Wyner

Thursdays 12:10 pm Lunch & Learn @Commerce Park IV (23240 Chagrin)

Fridays 10:15 am Kinder Shabbat & Open Playroom

Saturdays 9:00 am Starbucks, Bread & Torah

Saturday, February 15

9:00 am Service; Men's Club Shabbat

12:00 pm Cholent Cookoff

Sunday, February 16

2:00 pm Tu Bishvat Community Celebration, Mandel JCC, RSVP to jnf.org/nohtubishvat; free

Monday, February 17 - Presidents' Day; office closed (minyans held)

Wednesday, February 19

4:00 pm Hebrew Storytime with Zehava Galun @CCPL Beachwood

Friday, February 21

6:00 pm Service; Anniversary Shabbat

Saturday, February 22

9:00 am Service; Rabbi Mark Borovitz Guest Speaker

Sunday, February 23

7:00 pm Men's Club Legislative Update

Tuesday, February 25 - Rosh Hodesh Adar

12:00 pm Sisterhood Lunch & Learn

Wednesday, February 26 - Rosh Hodesh Adar

5:30 pm Chesed @Transplant House

Thursday, February 27

7:00 pm GCC Action Event @Olivet Church

Friday, February 28

6:00 pm Service

7:00 pm Mind-Full Shabbat with ATID

Saturday, February 29

9:00 am Service; Jake Leeson Bar Mitzvah

Sunday, March 1

10:00 am Chesed delivering Mishloah Manot

6:00 pm Purim Meal & Spiel

Please respect the sanctity of our services and those around you by turning off your mobile devices.

Condolences to:

Neil Waxman & family on the death of his wife, our member, Connie Waxman Cindy Chaiten & family on the death of her father, Edward Testa Mark LeVine, Eliana LeVine, Reuben LeVine & families on the death of their mother and grandmother, Pearl LeVine Jerry Brodsky & family on the death of his mother, Helen Brodsky The family of Evelyn Rabinowitz Eder

Yahrzeits: February 8 - 14, 2020

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Barnet Adler
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