

Friday, June 7
Cande Lighting
8:39 p.m.

Shabbat Services
Saturday, June 8
9:00 a.m. (GCC)

Beit Rayim
Triennial Reading
Numbers 2:1 - 3:13
(*Etz Haim p. 774*)

Haftarah
Hosea 2:1 - 22
(*Etz Haim p.787*)

Havdalah
after 9:53 p.m.

Shavuot I
Sunday, June 9
9:00 a.m. (GCC)

Torah Reading
Exodus 19:1 - 20:22
(*Etz Hayim p.436*)

Maftir
Numbers 28:26 - 31
(*Etz Hayim p.932*)

Haftarah
Ezekiel 1:1 - 28, 3:12
(*Etz Hayim p.1321*)

Shavuot 2
including **Yizkor**
Monday, June 10
9:00 a.m. (GCC)

Torah Reading
Deuteronomy 15:9 -16:17
(*Etz Hayim p.1080*)

Maftir
Numbers 28:26 - 31
(*Etz Hayim p. 932*)

Haftarah
Habukuk 3:1 - 19
(*Etz Hayim p.1326*)

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June 7 – 8 , 2019
4 – 5 Sivan 5779

Erev Shavuot

Parshat Bemidbar
פרשת במדבר

Bat Mitzvah
of
Daniela Greenwald



Welcome to Beit Rayim
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Rabbi's Spotlight

Rabbi Corber is out of the spotlight this week. Today's message comes from Lawrence Fox:

The Torah lists three "pilgrimage festivals"—Pesach, Shavu'ot and Sukkot—when we ascended to Jerusalem to offer sacrifices. These festivals were also known as the *shalosh regalim*, the "Three Festivals of Foot". When I was in high school, my teachers always stressed that all of the *chagim* stood on two feet—all had historical/religious and agricultural roots. Pesach celebrates our exodus from Egypt and the barley harvest. Sukkot commemorates our time travelling through the desert after the Exodus and the fall harvest in *Eretz Yisrael*. Shavu'ot is definitely the festival of the first fruits – but what historical event does the TORAH ascribe to Shavu'ot? What was special about Shavu'ot that would excite the amateur historian in us? What is the great story of Shavu'ot?

Nothing.

As important as the Ten Commandments are to us, the Torah is loudly, almost thunderously silent as to the exact date on which the Event at Sinai took place. This connection was established by our sages following the destruction of the Second Temple. During this time, our rabbis began to transform Judaism from a sacrificial, Temple-based set of observances to one based on prayer, observance of the laws of the Torah, and centred about communal life and the synagogue.

But Shavu'ot had only one leg – a sacrifice and the harvest. It needed a second leg to stand on. To ensure that we made the transition from the People of the Temple to the People of the Book, we needed a fixed date for when we received that Book, and they gave that honour to Shavu'ot. They also connected Shavu'ot with Pesach, saying that Shavu'ot completes the story of the Exodus, for you cannot have freedom without rules; that way lies anarchy.

And so, Shavu'ot gained the role of *z'man matan torateinu*, the season of receiving the Torah. Once we were exiled from our land, this became the focus of the *chag*, and it gained the strength to stay with us a festival.

With the establishment of the State of Israel, Shavu'ot has reclaimed its agricultural side, and once again, stands proudly on two feet, connecting us to history and the natural world.

Chag Same'ach!

Lawrence Fox

HONOURS:

If you are receiving an honour/*aliyah*, please introduce yourself to the *Gabbai* at the door.
Please arrive early to ensure a *minyan* for *kaddish* at the beginning of the service.



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רפואה שלמה / We wish a *Refuah Shlemah*, a complete and speedy recovery:

Yita Rochel bat Feiga
Mordechai ben Shoshana
Shmuel ben Reizel
Yerachmeel Pinchas ben Tzipora
Yeched bat Sura
Arlene Sivakoff
Yaacov Leib ben Chana
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Eliahu ben Luba - Eli Bard
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Chaya bat Tupsha - Charlotte Grad

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To add a name to this list, please call the shul office or email admin@beitrayim.org

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Announcements

Mazal tov to parents Eric & Eva, siblings Charlie and Julia and grandparents Berta Kogan, Leon Kogan and Cipora & Ted Greenwald on Daniela's Bat Mitzvah

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Today's Congregational Kiddush has been sponsored by Eva Kogan & Eric Greenwald in honour of Daniela's Bat Mitzvah

This week June 8 - 14, 2019 we remember the following *yahrzeits*:

Ida Barnoff z"l, mother of Philip Barnoff

Jack Elie z"l, husband of Marilyn Elie

Jonas Horowitz z"l, son of Adam & Amanda Horowitz,
grandson of Claire Horowitz and Andrew & Sandi Vajda

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תהא נשמתם צרורה בצרור החיים - May their souls be bound up in the bonds of eternal life

It's more than just whiskey!

Hungry? Enjoy delicious food from Chef Eric

Thirsty? GTA's #1 bartender will be in the house!

Meet the Mojito King!
Try one ... you'll want more!

Oui B Jamon Band
is back!

The Whiskey Corner
taste and learn!

SINGLE TICKET: \$150
GROUP OF 4: \$540

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June 13 | 6:30PM

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WHEN HEROES FLY

ADMIT ONE

09/17/00

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12 | 7:00PM
FRC ROOM (LOCATED ON MAIN FLOOR)

Join us for the first episode of this dramatic Israeli series followed by a discussion with our Shinshinim
Please RSVP to Cheryl at brhood@beitrayim.org

POPCORN

Please do not engage in conversation in the kiddush area immediately outside our sanctuary. Any noise in this area disturbs the service. If necessary, please feel free to step out to the atrium.

Shabbat and Yom Tov Parking

Parking for Beit Rayim congregants is free on Shabbat and Yom Tov. If you require assistance with your parking, please contact the information desk at the Schwartz Reisman Centre.

Membership Renewal 2019/20

is here,
check your inboxes!

Join us for another amazing year of meaningful, spiritual services with Rabbi Corber and Cantor Edwards, exciting Adult, Family and Kids' Programming and celebrating your most important lifecycle events in our House of Friends.

NO FEE INCREASE
for the third year in a row we have frozen dues for members not on introductory rates.

SENIOR DISCOUNT
10% off for our 65+ members paying our full rate

EARLYBIRD DISCOUNT
is now in effect for members paying our full rate. Register before July 2nd to receive the discount!

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Shavuot Services

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SUNDAY JUNE 9 | 9:00 AM (GCC)

as our Shinshinit
Kohav Nutovich
becomes a
Bat Mitzvah

**LIGHT KIDDUSH FOLLOWING
WITH
ICE CREAM FOR THE KIDS**

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MONDAY JUNE 10 | 9:00AM (GCC)

including *Yizkor*

LIGHT KIDDUSH FOLLOWING



MAZAL TOV TO
KOHAV NUTOVICH
on becoming a
BAT MITZVAH



Beit Rayim is so excited to be co-sponsoring the Peace of Mind Program with Temple Har Zion this fall. This powerful initiative brings a unit of combat soldiers from Israel to Canada as part of a year-long rehabilitation process. We have proudly dedicated a portion of the proceeds of our Mishloach Manot campaign and WOW XI to this meaningful program.

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