

Kislev, Tevet, Shevat, Adar 5784

December 2023, January, February 2024

Winter SCRIBE

BMH BJ

Where Judaism is celebrated and all are welcome

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BMH-BJ is a unique, independent congregation serving a diverse membership. We are united by our love for each other, a respect for all Jews, support for Israel and commitment to traditional Jewish values and authentic Jewish living. Our community includes a vibrant morning and evening service every day of the year with a mechitzah, a family seating experience on Shabbat and Holy Day mornings, a dynamic, award-winning and growing preschool program and a highly innovative religious school where parents learn along with their children. We also offer a variety of daily and weekly Torah and adult education classes and programs for lifelong learners. Our calendar is filled with a wide variety of religious, cultural and social events and activities created to meet the needs of people of every age.

We welcome all who want to connect, engage and journey with us at BMH-BJ. We aim to create a safe, inclusive community for all who enter our doors. Whether you are Jewish by birth or by choice, new to halachic observance or born into it, married, single, divorced or widowed, gay or straight, old or young, fluent in Hebrew or the slowest reader on the planet – all are invited to join with us in prayer, Torah study, tikkun olam, support for Israel and the sacred work of being a Jew.

We are an historic synagogue with a rich past and a bright future. Beth HaMedrosh HaGodol (BMH) was founded in 1897 while Beth Joseph (BJ) was founded in 1922 and merged together in 1996, creating the BMH-BJ we know and love today. Our community shares in an immense love of learning and growth, God and mitzvot, compassion and justice. To become part of our BMH-BJ community is to place yourself in a synagogue whose history stretches back more than 126 years and is alive with vibrancy, passion and inclusivity. We invite you to come and to experience one of our myriad offerings!

Visit our website at www.bmh-bj.org for the most up-to-date information.

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Rabbinical Corner



As I write these words, Israel is embroiled in a war against a relentless enemy who proved that they will stop at nothing to destroy Jewish lives and the Jewish State. I am not sure where Israel will be when you read these words. The campaign against Hamas figured to be a long and arduous one and there is much that needed to be done. If, by some miracle, the situation in Israel has improved dramatically, if Israel has secured the release of the hostages still in custody, if Hamas has been destroyed forever, then we all exclaim "*chasdei*

hashem – God's kindness truly is never ending." If, though, the battle against a most evil enemy is still being waged, then we must continue to daven, learn and, of course, support financially and morally our beloved Israel in any and every way we can.

We might wonder what effect we can have there from our homes here. I am not able to measure it empirically, but our tradition urges us, in addition to spiritual activities listed above, to upgrade our level of interpersonal *chessed* as much as possible. The central command of the Book of Vayikra, in parshat Kedoshim, 19:18, is "love your neighbor as yourself," or as the Ramban explains it, be loving to your neighbor because your neighbor is (usually) just like you. Psalm 89:3 teaches, *olam chessed yibaneh* – kindness can build entire worlds. Kindness to others, treating others with love and warmth, greeting others with a smile and a hello, among other acts, can be edifying.

All human activity is enhanced by mindfulness and intentionality. When it comes to mitzvot, we call that mindful intention *kavanah*. Indeed, many religious authorities hold that mitzvot REQUIRE intentionality and *kavanah*. I know we all want to be nice. I ask that we do our best to be the nicest people we can be. I ask that we elevate even the smallest kindness into a sacred and spiritual act by starting each day with the words we all learned and sang so beautifully on Yom Kippur at Neilah - "*hareini mekabel alai mitzvat aseh shel veahavta lereacha kamocha* – behold I accept upon myself the positive command of love your neighbor as yourself."

May Hashem keep Israel safe. May Hashem protect all who live there. May Hashem keep all Jews everywhere safe as well. May we live in a world where there are no hostages and where all are free. Am Yisrael Chai!

Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky

Cantor's Corner:



As I sit here writing my message to our beautiful family here at BMH-BJ, I am thinking about all the families in Israel who are mourning the loss of their loved ones. I remember when I was a young man and Holocaust survivors were much younger. In my own naive way, I would ask them to tell me what it was like in Europe before the war, if they had been in the camps, and how did they survive. At that point in my life, I could not understand the depth of their pain or the memories that were so deep, they could not speak them. My rational mind could hear the numbers and see the numbers tattooed on their arms but there was nothing rational about what was perpetrated by the Nazis.

Well, here we are again. Israel's very existence is challenged every day, parents must fear for their children every day and bombs can be hurled at us whenever and most of the world just "ho-hums" it as if it's just a fact of life in the Middle East. I never speak about politics because it's a very slippery slope. I'm only concerned about kindness (*chesed*). On one of the many tours I have taken people on to Israel, our bus drove near enough to Gaza that the bus driver spoke over the loudspeaker, "Over there is Gaza." Someone spoke up and asked, how do they get their power and water, it seems desolate. The driver answered, "We are Jews and it is our way to give even our enemies sustenance. It all comes from Israel." My people were amazed.

We have so much going on here at our wonderful synagogue that I would wish for more people to get involved. We need to go back to more volunteerism and finding ways to get right into helping to plan and implement programming. Our prayer services (*davening*) are incredible and inclusive. We have numerous committees that need diverse voices and ideas for us to thrive. Now more than ever we need to come close together as a family and tell the world, Am Israel Chai. We are here to stay.

Cantor Martin Goldstein

President's Message:

As we prepare to gather around the candles of the menorah, I think about all the miracles of the holiday and those of today as well. In a time of turmoil in Israel and rising antisemitism here, I do have to admit that finding joy and miracles in the world today is harder than usual, but when I think of our congregation, it becomes easier.

When the Jews returned to the Temple and found it in shambles, they lit the small amount of oil that they could find and began to pick up the pieces. The oil, as we all recall, was only to last one day but lasted eight, thus the eight days of Chanukah. This in and of itself was of course a miracle, but just think for a minute about what it must have taken to restore the Temple to its grandeur. I can only imagine how hard people worked and how much they had to coordinate and to cooperate to get the job done. The fact that this occurred to me, is also a miracle. People joined together for a common purpose, worked side by side to realize something that was important to all, and did not give up until it was complete. Not as obvious of a miracle as oil lasting longer than possible, yet an amazing feat.

Fast forward to today. Right here, in our own congregation, we are coming together and building a strong, vibrant community. I hope you all can feel the warmth as it grows from week to week. I hope you will look at the list of wonderful programs coming up (all listed in this Scribe), pick what interests you, and come enjoy being with other congregants. You may consider inviting others to join you. I hope you have had a chance to attend a small gathering, meet more members and share your ideas about our congregation. I hope you will consider rolling up your sleeves by joining a committee, dedicating a little bit of your time to help build our community, and sharing what you can to make our shul even better. When you come, share your ideas and help work to make them a reality. I am sure you will understand how very special our congregation is, what a wonderful community we have, and how the sky is the limit on where we as a group can and will go. This will be our modern day BMH-BJ miracle and you all are an integral part of it.

When I light my menorah and put it in the window for the world to see, I will be thinking of the whole BMH-BJ community coming together to continue making our shul a special place where everyone feels welcome and knows they are a part of something fantastic. I will be thinking of the community we have and how much we all care about each other, our future, and those in the world who need us. I will be thinking of all the new memories we will be making together over the next few months.

In short, I will be thinking of our BMH-BJ modern day miracle. Happy Chanukah! I hope to see you at shul soon.

Fondly,

Jacqui Beckett, President



Acknowledgements

Thank you to Jerry.



Throughout the years, no matter when or why you come to shul, you are likely to have seen Jerry Rotenberg. Whether davening, helping out, meeting with people, or enjoying a program, Jerry is here. Jerry has throughout the years been a significant part of all that BMH-BJ does. He cares deeply for our congregation and every one of its members. We have all been touched in a special way by Jerry. Most recently, he led us as President of the congregation. Although his term has come to an end, we know Jerry is still here for all of us and for BMH-BJ. Jerry, we all thank you from the bottom of our hearts for all you have done as President, for all your dedication to the shul throughout your term and, always, and for how much you truly care about our congregation. We look forward to continuing to see you regularly. Thank you so much! Toda Rabah!

To the BMH-BJ Facilities Team,

We wanted to take a moment to express our deepest gratitude for the incredible work you all do day in and day out. Your dedication to ensuring that our building runs smoothly and our events and functions are a success does not go unnoticed.

You arrive early and stay late, working tirelessly to set up for and break down from various events. You are here from the dark and early hours of weekday services to the spirited excitement of Shabbat services and kiddush.

The Shabbat Party, especially, is a highlight for our Preschool kids, and it wouldn't be possible without your hard work and dedication.

In addition to maintaining our building's cleanliness and ensuring it functions at its best, you're also our go-to team when something requires repair, whether it's within the building or out on the premises.

You are the unsung heroes that we can always rely on for whatever we need. Your role may not be the most glamorous at times, but it is unquestionably integral to the smooth functioning of our facility.

Thank you for your commitment, your tireless efforts, and your unwavering support. We appreciate you more than words can express, and we're incredibly fortunate to have such a dedicated team looking after our facilities. Your work makes a significant difference in the lives of our members and, for that, we are truly grateful.

With heartfelt appreciation,

The BMH-BJ Community



Winter 2023

Mount Nebo News

The Mount Nebo Board of Trustees, Office of the Administrator and our talented ground crews, contractors, and volunteers wish the entire community a happy, healthy and successful 5784.

The goal of all these dedicated companies and individuals is to make and to keep Mount Nebo one of the crown jewels of our community. Now and into the future it should be a benchmark of memorial park operations that preserves and enhances our individual and institutional memories.

We also extend our deep thanks to the community for your support and continue to encourage you to contact our Administrator, Jay A. Siegel, with any comments on matters that need attention and pre-planning questions.



A BIT OF HISTORY

The photo above, circa 1922, shows members of the Zohn family at a Mount Nebo gathering and possibly an unveiling for a family member, William Zohn, who tragically lost his life in an automobile accident. Photos of the early years of Mount Nebo are rare. Mount Nebo extends its gratitude to Arthur Zohn and family for their permission to share this photo with the community.

John A. Berman, Chair, Mount Nebo Memorial Park Board of Trustees

Jay A. Siegel, Administrator

Please contact Jay for pre-planning, questions or comments.

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Clubs & Activities

Registration for all clubs, activities and events will be on BMH-BJ.org closer to the time of the event. Please check your weekly TouchPoints for more information.

Knitting Club:

Each month, starting Tuesday, December 5, 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the Miller Library is the return of "Stitch & Kvetch."

This friendly gathering is perfect for those who love to casually stitch, knit, crochet, and more. All skill levels are welcomed, from beginner to expert. Light refreshments will be provided. Come for the yarn, stay for the conversation.



BMH-BJ Shred-a-Thon

Thursday, December 7

9:00 - 11:00 am

North Parking Lot

If you've been accumulating stacks of documents and need a secure way to dispose of them, this event is just what you need. Bring your documents – we'll accept up to three boxes or bags per

person. The cost for this secure service is only \$5 per box or bag load, offering you peace of mind and a way to securely de-clutter. Please note, first come, first served. We will continue shredding until the shredding truck is filled.

Shabbat Board Games

Join us for Shabbat afternoon for board games, with over 100 games to choose from, including Catan, Pandemic and Exploding Kittens. Gather in the Miller Library two hours before Mincha on December 2, January 6, and February 3. Remember to use the east entrance. Fun and friendly competition awaits!



Mahjong Tournament

Sunday, January 7, 2024

Show off your Mahjong skills. BMH-BJ will be partnering with **Hadassah** to host a long-awaited Mahjong Tournament. More details to be announced soon.

Puzzle Palooza

Sunday, February 11, 2024

11:00 - 2:00 pm

Get ready for a thrilling test of your puzzling skills with our first ever Puzzle Palooza! Teams will race against the clock to complete puzzles, with the fastest advancing to the next round. Champions will take home an exciting prize. Enjoy a light lunch as you strategize and socialize. This event is open to the community and completely free! More details will be announced soon.



Shabbat Shira

January 27, 2024

BMH-BJ will be bringing in a surprise guest to accompany us for this year's Shabbat Shira. Keep an eye out in the weekly Touchpoints for more details.



A Caboodle of Crafts

Sunday, January 21 at 1:00-3:00 pm

Are you intrigued by arts and crafts but think, "I'm not very crafty," we've got you covered!

Join us for a creative and enjoyable winter day filled with five exciting craft activities. It's a bit like a craft round-robin, where you can rotate between stations and choose

two activities to start with, but feel free to explore more if your creative spirit soars.

Craft Stations:

Jewelry Station: Create your own unique bracelets, pins, and necklaces.

Felt Cord Holders: Craft stylish cord holders from soft and colorful felt.

Trivets: Surprisingly, you can make trivets using clothespins, adding a practical touch to your home decor.

Coasters: Craft coasters using maps or other paper pictures, giving a personalized touch to your coffee table.

Stencil, Paint, Iron-on: Customize grocery bags, kitchen towels, and wine bags with stencils, paint, and iron-on transfers.

Pick your favorites, get your creative juices flowing, and discover the artist within.

Reserve your spot today for a delightful crafting experience. The cost is \$20, for two activities and if you'd like to explore additional activities, it's just an extra \$8. We can't wait to see your artistic talents shine!

Let's Get Together

Let's Get together is an adult social group at BMH-BJ, dedicated to fostering friendships in the community through learning, living, and laughter. The group welcomes individuals of all ages to participate in our diverse range of activities, spanning from entertainment and education to social meetings.

The next gathering is scheduled for December 10 at 2 pm in the Gallery.

Keep an eye out for January and February dates, which will be announced pending the Broncos schedule, and you'll find all the details in your Touchpoints.

Scribe Special Edition of Bagel Bites: Fall at the BMH-BJ Preschool

We had a special time this fall celebrating
Sukkot, Simchat Torah, and Israel!



 **BMH-BJ
PRESCHOOL**
Play ★ Connect ★ Grow

Dreidels and Donuts

Sunday, December 10, 2023

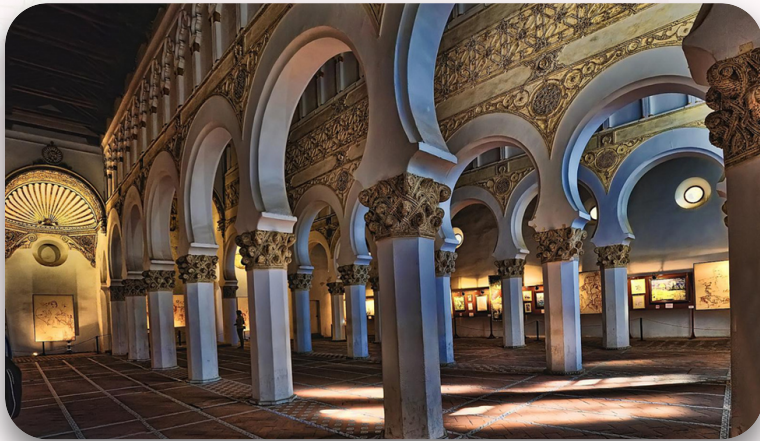
Join us as we celebrate the season and raise money to benefit the preschool! There will be a Chanukah recital, art auction, brunch, & more!

Cost: \$25 per adult | \$15 ages 12-18 |
\$10 ages 2-11 | Free ages 1 and under

For more info or to register, go to
www.bmhbjpreschool.org/chanukah



Classes & Programs



Sephardic Jews: Before and After the Expulsion

Join us for a captivating three-part lecture series presented by Van-Troi Perozo. For just \$45, you'll have access to three enlightening classes, and all proceeds will go to

BMH-BJ. The lectures will take place on three consecutive **Mondays, December 4, 11, and 18, starting at 7:15 pm.**

The first evening will be extra special with a buffet-style dinner featuring Sephardi/Israeli cuisine. On the subsequent evenings, we'll provide light refreshments for your enjoyment. Don't miss this opportunity to enrich your knowledge and support a good cause!

Dr. Herzl Melmed Presents:

Renown speaker Dr. Herzl Melmed returns with his ever popular and captivating classes discussing topics of importance for the Jewish people and the state of Israel.

His three lectures are:

Dec. 20, 2023- Fighting Media Bias Against Israel.

Jan. 10, 2024- Is a Two State Solution Possible?

Feb. 14, 2024- Israel's Contribution to America.

All lectures will be held in the Chapel and take place at 7:00 pm.



Exploring the Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky

Recitation of Tehillim/Psalms is where the Jewish people turn for encouragement, comfort and inspiration during difficult times. Many communities are currently adding Psalms to daily services in response to the crisis in Israel.

With the help of traditional and contemporary commentary, we will examine selected Psalms to learn the background of each and the circumstances behind them. We will also try to find personal meaning in these special poems.

7:15 pm on Tuesdays starting November 21 via Zoom.

Torah – Science Fiction / Science Fact with Cantor Goldstein

Each class in this four-part series will follow the Torah parsha of the week and include historical commentary and a science fiction / science fact conversation. 7:00 pm on Thursday nights via Zoom. January 11 & 18, February 8 & 15

Practical Parsha with Sara Wolfe

This open forum Parsha class explores the deeper meanings of each weekly Torah portion and how to relate thousands-year-old teachings to modern daily life. This class is held on Shabbat at 10:30 am and is open to men and women. Please check weekly Touchpoints for class location.



CARING HEARTS

BMH-BJ's Caring Hearts will be gathering items for our community throughout the month of December. A collection bin will be placed by the security desk by the main office.

We will be collecting:

● new packages of men's and women's socks and underwear to distribute as well as ● baby diapers and hygiene wipes for families.

But What if I Love the Greeks?!

Chanukah for Philosophers

A virtual presentation by Rabbanit Leah Sarna

December 14, 2023 @ 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm MST

On Chanukah we light candles and commemorate a time “when the evil Greek kingdom rose up against Your people Israel.” Those of us who love studying Greek philosophy and literature must ask ourselves some big questions on this holiday. Fortunately, the Jewish tradition has a great deal to offer us as we try to make sense of it.

Introduction to Dreams and Kabbalah

January 4, 2024 @ 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm MST

“A dream not interpreted is like a letter not read.” This quote is not from Freud or Jung but from the Zohar, the classic medieval Kabbalah text connecting dreams and our spiritual growth. We spend an average of 9 years dreaming. What do our dreams reflect to us of our experience? How are dreams guides for our emotional and spiritual development? Come and see the significance of dreams. Journaling and sharing your dreams helps you apply the Kabbalah dream framework.

Jews, Judaism, and anti-Judaism in the Gospel of John

A virtual presentation by Dr. Adele Reinhartz

February 1, 2024 @ 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm MST

This talk will explore some of the issues pertaining to the portrayal of Jews and Judaism in the Fourth Gospel. In analyzing this very important topic, it is always necessary to have a dual focus, with one eye on what the Gospel itself actually says and the other on what scholars have said.

This talk will have three main parts:

1. Jesus as a Jew in the Gospel of John
2. Jesus and the “Jews” in the Gospel of John
3. Is John Jewish, anti-Jewish, or both?

All programs are on Zoom. To register, visit www.valleybeitmidrash.org



SENIOR CHAVURAH PROGRAMS

In partnership with Kavod on the Road, BMH-BJ's Senior Chavurah puts on exciting programs one Thursday of every month in the BMH-BJ Gallery. To RSVP for events, contact Rebecca Gershten at 720.382.7848 or rgershten@kavodseniorlife.org.

Chanukah - a celebration of the triumph of unity over discord through music

Thursday, December 7
1:00-2:00 pm

Dr. Matthew Goldwasser will share examples from his radio show. This Chanukah program features Jewish music: Gypsy, Klezmer, and Jazz artists from the U.S., Eastern Europe and Israel. Sit back, close your eyes and listen to the music with Dr. Goldwasser's expertise to guide you. \$5

A Bissel Yiddish with Malka Amster

Thursday, January 11
1:00-2:00 pm

Everyone has used a Yiddish word or phrase from time to time and truthfully, you know more Yiddish than you think. Join Malka Amster, a fluent Yiddish speaker, for conversation in mixed Yiddish and English. This lively group delves into Yiddish culture, and language through the lens of its participants, and through handouts, music, food, and humor. This spirited gathering will help you use more words and phrases incorporated in English. No experience speaking Yiddish is necessary, but having fun is! \$5

Chamber Music Concert

Thursday, February 8
1:00-2:00 pm

Since the 1700s, the term chamber music defines music written for and performed by a small instrumental ensemble with one player per part. Join Friends of Chamber Music for an hour of the world's finest classical music. Colorado's premier presenter, they have been bringing chamber music to the Denver metropolitan area since 1954. \$5

MAZAL TOV!

Grand-Births:



Mazal Tov to Mark and Krista Boscoe on the birth of a granddaughter **Gilat (Gili) Iris Entin** (Hebrew name Gilat Chaya) on August 8, 2023. Parents are Drs. Libby Boscoe & Jake Entin. She is their first child and was named after her great-grandmothers, Grace & Ida. Other proud grandparents are Renee & Dr. Howie Entin. Gili is an easy going, smiley little girl who loves hanging out with all her family in town!

Ye simekh Elohim

k'Sarah, Rivka, Rachel, v'Leah

May you be like

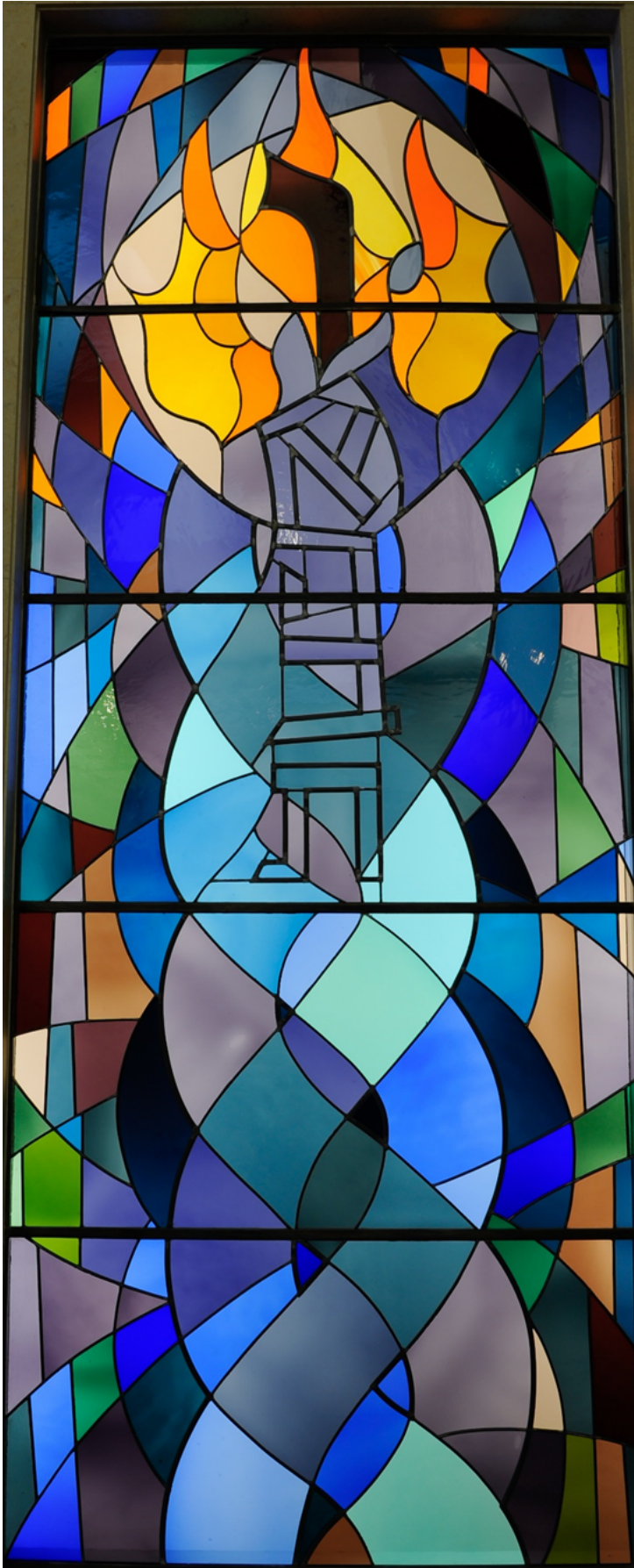
Sarah, Rebecca, Rachel, and Leah.

ישימך אלהים כשרה רבקה רחל ולאה.

Mazal Tov to Myron Goldstein on the birth of his granddaughter, **Eloise De Luma** born on September 10, 2023. Parents are Alison and William De Luma who live in California. Eloise is Myron's second grandchild! She joins her

cousin Caleb who was born February 2, 2022 and lives with his parents in Pennsylvania. Eloise was given the Hebrew name Elka after Myron's mother.

Thank you to those who have made a commitment to the future of BMH-BJ



Come be among friends and join us as we separate ourselves from just our thoughts of today to look to the hopes of the future. Just as we observe Havdalah as the transition from Shabbat to the new week, so may you join us in naming BMH-BJ in a will/trust, retirement plan or life insurance policy to ensure BMH-BJ's transition from today into tomorrow.

Gloria Abrams z"l
Anonymous
Kathy and Rem Bashari
Jacqui Beckett
Marjorie K. and John A. Berman
Saul "Bob" Berger z"l
Krista and Mark Boscoe
Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky
Sara and Jason Cooper
Bruce Dinner and Bernice Dinner z"l
Lisa and Vern Engbar
Myrna and Mel Engbar
Robin and Michael Engleberg
Debbie and Rob Friedman
Max Furer z"l
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Cantor Joel Lichterman
Roberta and Aaron Linkow
Gil Lobel
Hazel and Herzl Melmed
Bobbie and H. Michael Miller
Maxine and Stephen Miller
Otto Van-Troi Perozo
John Peterson z"l
Ella Peterson
Ilene and Mike Rosen
Julie and Ted Rosen
Chandra and Gil Rosenthal
Andy Schwartz
Jay Siegel
Marlene Siegel
Arnold Siegel z"l
Barbara Snyder
Alana and Brian Story
Ben Streltzer
Walter Vasen z"l
Ronit and Jason Williamson
Pamel Wolf

Please contact Ilene Rosen, Executive Director, to help ensure the spiritual and financial future of BMH-BJ.



BMHBJ
Women's League
 Gift Shop
Chanukah 2023
 Begins Thursday, December 7

Hours:
 Sunday - Friday
 10:00 am - 1:00 pm
 303-951-8238

We stock gift items for every occasion!

End of the Year Giving

The end of the year is fast approaching. Please consider giving a year-end donation to help your shul and to benefit all.

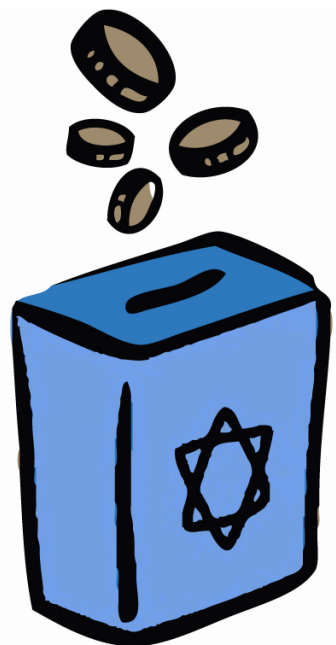
There are many ways to make your donation. Check, cash and credit cards all work. No amount is too small or too large. You can also use stocks. This is a double win! When gifting stock, you earn a charitable income tax deduction for the fair market value of the stocks while avoiding any capital gains tax that you might otherwise incur when selling the shares. Colorado Child Tax Credit does not apply to stock donations.

Your monetary donation may qualify for the Colorado Child Tax Credit. This applies to donations of \$500 or over. Your tax consultant can help you with any of these options.

If you have any questions, please contact our Executive Director, Ilene Rosen, at 303-388-4203.

Thank you in advance for your gift and continued support of our shul. It would be impossible without you!

We wish for 2024 to be a happy, healthy and wonderful year for all.



**COHEN'S CUISINE AND BMH-BJ
PRESENT TAKE-OUT
CHINESE SHABBAT DINNER
DECEMBER 22, 2023**



Package includes:

Spicy Asian Bean Dip (GF & parve)

(homemade bean dip with sesame oil, soy sauce and Asian spices)

Chopped Asian Salad with Sesame Ginger Dressing (GF)

(shredded cabbage with carrots, peas and mandarin oranges in a tangy sesame ginger dressing)

Sesame Chicken (GF)

(bite-sized chicken dredged in gluten free flour with sautéed green and red peppers in an orange glaze)

Beef Stir Fry

(tender beef strips and Asian vegetables marinated in a teriyaki sauce)

Eggrolls with Dipping Sauce (2 per person - vegetarian & parve)

(homemade eggrolls with shredded cabbage and carrots marinated in a teriyaki sauce and fried)

Steamed White and Brown Rice (GF & parve)

2 Plain small Challahs per family order

Fortune Cookies

ORDERS ONLY FOR COMPLETE DINNERS: \$39.25 per person

Orders are due by December 12th.

Pick up will be Friday, December 22 between 11 am - 1 pm outside the BMH-BJ kitchen on Center Ave

Under VAAD supervision

Order online at BMH-BJ.org



Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed
<p>*Note earlier start time on Shabbat 12/9 due to Hallel and Chanukah</p>			
3 (20 Kislev) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	4 (21 Kislev) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 6:00pm Siddur Savvy with Sarina Kopinsky 7:15pm Sephardic Exile Class with Van Troi Perozo 8:00pm Sefer HaChinuch	5 (22 Kislev) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 6:30pm Knitting Club (Library) 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	6 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse b... with Rabbi Cha...
10 (27 Kislev) Chanukah 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit 9:30am Dreidels & Donuts 2:00pm Let's Get Together!	11 Chanukah (28 Kislev) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 6:00pm Siddur Savvy with Sarina Kopinsky 7:15pm Sephardic Exile Class with Van Troi Perozo 8:00pm Sefer HaChinuch	12 Chanukah (29 Kislev) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom) Order deadline for Chinese Shabbat Dinner	13 Chanukah 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse b... with Rabbi Cha...
17 (5 Tevet) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	18 (6 Tevet) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 6:00pm Siddur Savvy with Sarina Kopinsky 7:15pm Sephardic Exile Class with Van Troi Perozo 8:00pm Sefer HaChinuch	19 (7 Tevet) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	20 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse b... Rabbi Chai (Zoc... 7:00pm Dr. Her... Presents on Me...
24 (12 Tevet) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	25 (13 Tevet) Shul Offices & Preschool Closed 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	26 (14 Tevet) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	27 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi
31 (19 Tevet) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit			

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		1 (18 Kislev) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 4:16pm Candle Lighting 4:20pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat	2 Vayishlach (19 Kislev) 9:00am Shaarei Simcha-Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 2:00pm Board Game Meet-up 4:05pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 5:18pm Havdalah 6:35pm Daf Yomi (online)
(23 Kislev) Shacharit Daf Yomi Study by Verse Chai (Zoom)	7 (24 Kislev) Eruv Chanukah 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 9:00am Shred-a-thon (North Parking Lot) 1:00pm Music with Dr. Matthew Goldwasser (Gallery)	8 (25 Kislev) Chanukah 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 4:15pm Candle Lighting 4:20pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat	9 Chanukah (26 Kislev) Shabbat Mevarchim Vayeshev 9:00am Shaarei Simcha-Chapel 9:30am Sanctuary* 4:05pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 5:17pm Havdalah 6:35pm Daf Yomi (online)
(1 Tevet) Shacharit Daf Yomi Study by Verse Chai (Zoom)	14 (2 Tevet) Chanukah 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 1:00pm VBM - Love of Greeks & Chanukah for Philosophers (virtual)	15 (3 Tevet) Chanukah 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 4:16pm Candle Lighting 4:20pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat	16 Miketz (4 Tevet) 9:00am Shaarei Simcha-Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 4:05pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 5:18pm Havdalah 6:35pm Daf Yomi (online)
(8 Tevet) Shacharit Daf Yomi Study by Verse with Herzl Melmed No Media Bias	21 (9 Tevet) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	22 Fast Of Tevet (10 Tevet) 5:48am Fast Begins 6:20am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 4:00pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Oneg Shabbat 4:19pm Candle Lighting 5:11pm Fast Ends	23 Vayigash (11 Tevet) 9:00am Shaarei Simcha-Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 4:05pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 5:22pm Havdalah 6:35pm Daf Yomi (online)
(15 Tevet) Shacharit Daf Yomi	28 (16 Tevet) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	29 (17 Tevet) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 4:23pm Candle Lighting 4:25pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat	30 Vayeichi (18 Tevet) 9:00am Shaarei Simcha-Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 4:10pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 5:26pm Havdalah 6:40pm Daf Yomi (online)

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed
	1 (20 Tevet) New Years Day Shul Offices & Preschool Closed 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	2 (21 Tevet) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	3 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi
7 (26 Tevet) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit TBA Mahjong	8 (27 Tevet)	9 (28 Tevet) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	10 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse by Rabbi Chai (Zoom) 7:00pm Dr. Herz Presents on the solution
14 (4 Shevat) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	15 (5 Shevat) Martin Luther King Day 7:30am Shacharit 8:30am Daf Yomi	16 (6 Shevat) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	17 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse by Rabbi Chai (Zoom)
21 (11 Shevat) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit 1:00pm Caboodle of Crafts	22 (12 Shevat) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	23 (13 Shevat) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	24 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse by Rabbi Chai (Zoom)
28 (18 Shevat) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	29 (19 Shevat) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	30 (20 Shevat) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	31 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse by Rabbi Chai (Zoom)

	Thurs	Fri	Sat
(22 Tevet) Shacharit Daf Yomi	4 (23 Tevet) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 1:00pm VBM - Introduction to Dreams and Kabbalah (virtual)	5 (24 Tevet) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 4:30pm Candle Lighting 4:30pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat	6 (25 Tevet) Shabbat Mevarchim Shemot 9:00am Shaarei Simcha-Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 2:15pm Board Game Meet-up 4:20pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 5:33pm Havdalah 6:50pm Daf Yomi (online)
(29 Tevet) Shacharit Daf Yomi by Verse with Zoom) Herzl Melmed the two state	11 (1 Shevat) Rosh Chodesh Shevat 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 1:00pm A Bissel Yiddish with Malka Amster 7:00pm Torah and Science with Cantor Goldstein (Zoom)	12 (2 Shevat) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 4:36pm Candle Lighting 4:40pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat	13 (3 Shevat) Vaera 9:00am Shaarei Simcha-Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 4:25pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 5:40pm Havdalah 6:55pm Daf Yomi (online)
(7 Shevat) Shacharit Daf Yomi by Verse with Zoom)	18 (8 Shevat) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:00pm Torah and Science with Cantor Goldstein (Zoom)	19 (9 Shevat) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 4:44pm Candle Lighting 4:45pm Mincha/Kabbalat	20 (10 Shevat) Bo 9:00am Shaarei Simcha-Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 4:35pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 5:47pm Havdalah 7:05pm Daf Yomi (online)
(14 Shevat) Shacharit Daf Yomi by Verse with Zoom)	25 (15 Shevat) Tu B'Shvat 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	26 (16 Shevat) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 4:52pm Mincha/Kabbalat 4:55pm Candle Lighting	27 Shabbat Shira (17 Shevat) Beshalach 9:00am Shaarei Simcha-Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary Special 4:40pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 5:55pm Havdalah 7:10pm Daf Yomi (online)
(21 Shevat) Shacharit Daf Yomi by Verse with Zoom)			

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<p>*Note earlier start time on Shabbat 2/10 due to Hallel and Rosh Chodesh</p>			
4 (25 Shevat) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	5 (26 Shevat) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	6 (27 Shevat) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	7 (28 Shevat) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse by V... with Rabbi Chai (Z...)
11 (2 Adar 1) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit 11:00am Puzzle Palooza	12 (3 Adar 1) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	13 (4 Adar 1) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	14 (5 Adar 1) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse by V... with Rabbi Chai (Z...) 7:00pm Dr. Herzl M... Presents on Israel's Contribution to A...
18 (9 Adar 1) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	19 (10 Adar 1) Presidents Day 7:30am Shacharit 8:30am Daf Yomi	20 (11 Adar 1) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	21 (12 Adar 1) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse by V... with Rabbi Chai (Z...)
25 (16 Adar 1) 7:30am Daf Yomi 8:30am Shacharit	26 (17 Adar 1) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	27 (18 Adar 1) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:15pm The Book of Psalms with Rabbi Chaitovsky (Zoom)	28 (19 Adar 1) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:45am Verse by V... with Rabbi Chai (Z...)

	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	1 (22 Shevat) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 1:00pm VBM - Judaism and anti-Judaism in the Gospel of John (virtual)	2 (23 Shevat) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 5:01pm Candle Lighting 5:05pm Mincha/Kabbalat	3 Shabat Mevarchim (24 Shevat) Yitro 9:00am Shaarei Simcha- Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 2:45pm Board Game Meet-up 4:50pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 6:04pm Havdalah 7:20pm Daf Yomi (online)
(28 Shevat) arrit mi by Verse ai (Zoom)	8 (29 Shevat) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 1:00pm Friends of Chamber Music Concert 7:00pm Torah and Science with Cantor Goldstein (Zoom)	9 (30 Shevat) Rosh Chodesh Adar 1 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 5:09pm Candle Lighting 5:10pm Mincha/Kabbalat	10 Rosh Chodesh Adar 1 (1 Adar 1) Mishpatim 9:00am Shaarei Simcha- Chapel 9:30am Sanctuary* 5:00pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 6:12pm Havdalah 7:30pm Daf Yomi (online)
(5 Adar 1) arrit mi by Verse ai (Zoom) rzi Melmed rael's o America	15 (6 Adar 1) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 7:00pm Torah and Science with Cantor Goldstein (Zoom)	16 (7 Adar 1) 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 5:17pm Candle Lighting 5:20pm Mincha/Kabbalat	17 (8 Adar 1) Terumah 9:00am Shaarei Simcha- Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 5:05pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 6:20pm Havdalah 7:35pm Daf Yomi (online)
(12 Adar 1) arrit mi by Verse ai (Zoom)	22 (13 Adar 1) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi	23 (14 Adar 1) Purim Katan 6:45am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi 5:25pm Candle Lighting 5:30pm Mincha/Kabbalat	24 (15 Adar 1) Tetzaveh 9:00am Shaarei Simcha- Chapel 9:45am Sanctuary 5:15pm Mincha/Torah Learning/ Maariv (Chapel) 6:28pm Havdalah 7:45pm Daf Yomi (online)
(19 Adar 1) arrit mi by Verse ai (Zoom)	29 (20 Adar 1) 6:30am Shacharit 7:30am Daf Yomi		

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Joann & Larry Cohen	memory of Dr. Alexander Jacobs
Annjill & David Drucker	memory of Harriet Levy
Annjill & David Drucker	in honor of the birth of Jay Siegel's grandson
Annjill & David Drucker	in honor of Andy Schwartz
Jay Dworkin	yahrzeit of Joseph Dworkin
Yaakov Ehrlich	yahrzeit of Roberta Steinhardt-Ehrlich
Rosanne & Stephen Elkins	general donation
Harley Ellensweig	yahrzeit of Goldie Ellensweig
Joan & Iran Emeson	memory of Harriet Levy
Barbara Engel	memory of Phyllis Solnick
Galina Esterby	yahrzeits of Leya Tokarskaya & Yosef Tokarsky
Libby Feld	yahrzeit of Ita furer
Libby Feld	yahrzeit of Max Furer

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Eileen & Rick Fiedelman	yahrzeit of Irene Fiedelman
Susan & Paul Fishman	yahrzeit of Gary Sneider
Khasia Frenkel	yahrzeit of Boris Baranov
Norman Friedman	yahrzeit of Hyman Goodstein
Debbie & Robert Friedman	memory of Dennis Spector
Debbie & Robert Friedman	memory of Joe Moeller's mother
Debbie & Robert Friedman	memory of Harriet Levy
Debbie & Robert Friedman	memory of Phyllis Solnick
Debbie & Robert Friedman	memory of Vera Berkman
Debbie & Robert Friedman	memory of Dr. Alexander Jacobs
Zelda Friednash	memory of Dennis Spector
Zelda Freidnash	yahrzeit of David Friednash
Debbie Ginsburg	memory of Phyllis Solnick
Phyllis Goldberg	yahrzeit of Bessie Goldberg
Marion Goldhirsch	yahrzeit of Ruth Alpert
Henry Goldstein	yahrzeit of Carol Goldstein
Renee Goldstein	yahrzeits of Sarah Makovsky & Annette Mankoff
Zelda Goldstein	yahrzeits of Agnes Badion & Sarah Alterman
Andrew Greene	yahrzeit of Zelda Greene
Phyllis Hayutin	memory of Phyllis Solnick
Phyllis Hayutin	memory of Dr. Alexander Jacobs

DONATIONS

Dan Hirschfeld	yahrzeit of David Hirschfeld
Cathy Holleb	in honor of Robin Morris' birthday
Lisa & Ed Huttner	yahrzeit of Harry Shapiro
Andrea Hyatt	memory of Harriet Levy
Andrea Hyatt	memory of Dennis Spector
Andrea Hyatt	in honor of the birth of Joe & Sandy Bean's grandchild
Paul Jeffrey	yahrzeit of Norma Jeffrey & Alex Englander
Natalie Joshua	memory of Cathy Hyams' mother
Natalie Joshua	memory of Chaim Rubinovich
Natalie Joshua	in honor of Gus Joshua's graduation
Natalie Joshua	memory of Dr. Alexander Jacobs
Natalie Joshua	in honor of Sarah Fishman's Bat Mitzvah
Natalie Joshua	in honor of Yaneev & Sarah Golombek's daughter's Bat Mitzvah
Natalie Joshua	memory of Renee LaZar's mother
Natalie Joshua	memory of Rifky Sher's father
Natalie Joshua	get well wishes to Bob Damashek
Rhoda Kaplan	general donation
Susan Karsh	yahrzeits of Randall Karsh & Judith Katchen
Dr. Kenneth Kauvar	yahrzeits of Abe Kauvar & Rabbi C.E.H Kauvar
Linda Kernis	yahrzeit of Miriam Neuman

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Mari & Jack Kimel	memory of Harriet Levy
Tracy & Arie Kimel	honor of Andy & Sandi Schwartz on the birth of a grandson & engagement of daughter Shira
Tracy & Arie Kimel	birth of Eliana & Merrick Hiron's son
Amy & Ron Korn	yahrzeit of Sidney Korn
John Kregarman	yahrzeits of Samuel Kregarman & Uri Wolff
Paul Kullback	yahrzeit of Leon Kullback
Allyson & Jeff Kupetz-Ehr	memory of Sheldon Spector
Eudice Lewkowitz	yahrzeits of Milton Lewkowitz & Freda Ginsberg
Debra Lustig	yahrzeit of Gloria Cook
Anna Lutsky	yahrzeit of Irina Familyan
Florence Melnick	yahrzeit of Barry Melnick
Florence Melnick	yahrzeit of William Boxer
Toby Meyer	yahrzeit of Naftule Sachter
Toby Meyer	yahrzeit of Rebecca Sachter Susman
Louann & Myron Miller	yahrzeit of Charles Rosenbaum
Maxine & Steve Miller	memory of Phylis Solnick
Maxine & Steve Miller	memory of Teresa Lynn Hayutin
Albert Milstein	yahrzeit of Sam Milstein
Joyce & Jay Moskowitz	yahrzeit of Chava Devora Altmejd
Joyce & Jay Moskowitz	general donation
Cathy Neistat	yahrzeit of Scott Pepper
Sherman Oppen	yahrzeit of Jake Oppen
Inna Osovskaya	yahrzeit of Mariya Bolotina

DONATIONS

Alex Radetsky	general donation
Ilene & Michael Rosen	memory of Sheldon Spector
Ilene & Michael Rosen	memory of Dennis Spector
Ilene & Michael Rosen	honor of Andy & Sandi Schwartz on the birth of a grandson & engagement of daughter Shira
Ilene & Michael Rosen	memory of Alexander Jacobs
Ilene & Michael Rosen	in honor of the birth of Mark & Krista Boscoe's granddaughter
Ilene & Michael Rosen	in honor of the birth of Jay Siegel's grandson
Ilene & Michael Rosen	in honor of the birth of Libby Boscoe & Jake Entin's daughter
Ilene & Michael Rosen	memory of Harriet Levy
Ilene & Michael Rosen	honor of Andy & Sandi Schwartz on the birth of a grandson & engagement of daughter Shira
Jean Rosen	memory of Teresa Hayutin
Jean Rosen	get well wishes to Paula Karsh
Shelley & Jerry Rotenberg	honor of Andy & Sandi Schwartz on the birth of a grandson & engagement of daughter Shira
Shelley & Jerry Rotenberg	memory of Sheldon Spector
Shelley & Jerry Rotenberg	memory of Dennis Spector
Shelley & Jerry Rotenberg	memory of Phylis Solnick
Shelley & Jerry Rotenberg	in honor of the birth of Jay Siegel's grandson
Shelley & Jerry Rotenberg	in honor of the birth of Mark & Krista Boscoe's granddaughter

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Shelley & Jerry Rotenberg	memory of Harriet Levy
Shelley & Jerry Rotenberg	memory of Vera Berkman
Sherry Lynn Rubin	yahrzeit of Alfred Fertman
Trudy Rubinson	yahrzeit of Sarah Rubinson
Evelyn Savitz	yahrzeit of Margot Goldman
Denise & Steve Schweid	yahrzeit of Marvin Schweid
Charles Seals	memory of Harriet Levy
Georgette Segal	yahrzeit of Erna Segal
Dr. Joseph Serota	yahrzeit of Julius Serota
Charlene Wandel	yahrzeit of Jack Shaffer
Martin Sicker	yahrzeit of Eugenie Fixman
Bobbi & Gary Siegel	yahrzeit of Simon Spiegleman
Norma & Phil Sierota	yahrzeit of Marlene Furer
Bud Slatkin	yahrzeit of Ellen Slatkin
Marcia Snyder	memory of Barbara Altman
Marcia Snyder	yahrzeits of Minnie Snyder & Pearl Altman
Dysia Sonenreich	yahrzeit of Shmul Beker
Hanna Sperber	memory of Harriet Levy
Judge Joyce Steinhardt	yahrzeit of Roberta Steinhardt-Ehrlich
Ben Streltzer	memory of Teresa Lynn Hayutin
Ben Streltzer	memory of Sheldon Spector
Ben Streltzer	memory of Harriet Levy
Ben Streltzer	memory of Phylis Solnick
Ben Streltzer	in honor of the birth of Jay Siegel's grandson

Ben Streltzer get well wishes to Jacqui Beckett

Ben Streltzer get well wishes to Phil Sierota

Nina & Boris Vilner in honor of New Year

Jonathan Vinnik yahrzeit of Dr. Irwin Vinnik

Debbie & Randall Weiner get well wishes to Michael Boxer

Debbie & Randall Weiner memory of Paul Goldstein

Diane Weinman yahrzeit of Steve Boxer

Diane Weinman yahrzeit of Mildred Boxer

Sharron & Harold Weinstein yahrzeits of Fanny Zweig & Murray Debora

Karen White yahrzeit of Anita White

Cindy & Michael Wolfe yahrzeit of Irwin Keinon

Marion Wulfsohn yahrzeit of Ruth Tannenbaum

Women's Issues

Pesia Lenczner yahrzeit of Bella Lenczner

Women's League Yiskor Book Fund

Lina Zaychik in memory of Yakov Entin, Ita Entin, Lilly Entin, Nina Zaychik & Ed Isle

Youth Programming Fund

LouAnn & Manuel Nash yahrzeit of Frank Nash

Marlene Siegel yahrzeit of Ida Cohen

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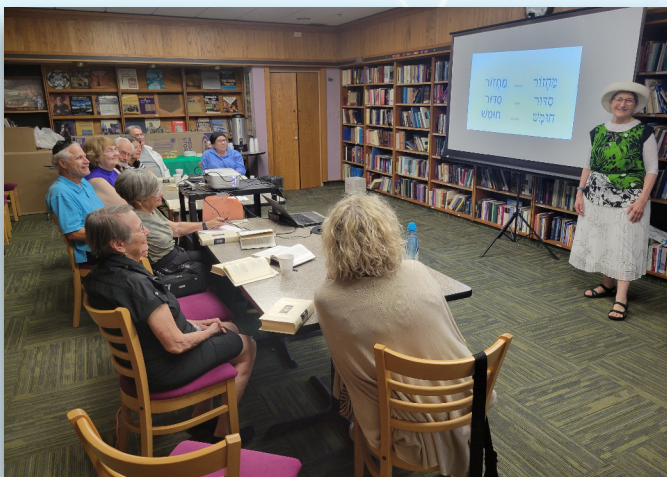
BMH☆BJ Highlights



Rabbi Chaitovsky discusses Shofar customs from around the world with Let's Get Together.



Cantor Goldstein presents Liturgy of the Holy Days.



Siddur Savvy class with Sarina Kopinsky.



Nelly Ben Tal, Jewish Colorado Shlichah visits BMH-BJ.



The Daffodil Project

Members of the congregation as well as our Sunday school children helped plant daffodil bulbs on November 5th by our west entrance.

1.5 million bulbs will be planted nationwide to create a living memorial to the 1.5 million children who were killed in the Holocaust.

Know how to garden? We are looking for people to help us maintain our flowerbed in the spring and summer. If interested, please contact Ilene Rosen.

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