

Parashat Toldot—Mevarchim

November 18-24, 2017 — 29 Cheshvan - 6 Kislev 5778

Torah Reading — page 124, Baal Koreh — Jerry Rotenberg

Haftarat Machar Chodesh — I Samuel 20:18-42 page 1207 — Cantor Joel Lichterman

Junior Gabbaim—Jonathan Noam & Liam Ferszt, Anim Zmirot—Levi Engbar, Mizmor Shir—Liam Ferszt

PJ Shabbat in the Gallery at 10:30 am

Ten Minutes of Text with Rabbi Chaitovsky at Seudah Shlishit

Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky
Cantor Joel Lichterman

Ilene Rosen—Executive Director

Jeff Kline—President



The *Sidrah* tells of the birth of twins to Isaac and Rebecca. The eldest, Esau, becomes a roving hunter, always out for the kill. The younger, Jacob, is gentle, peaceful, and Torah loving. Isaac loved Esau and Rebecca favored Jacob. Because he was firstborn, Esau was entitled to the birthright according to the custom of his day, and was also charged with continuing the religious and spiritual traditions of his family. Feeling Esau was unfit for the job, Jacob asks Esau to relinquish his birthright to him for lentil soup, and receives Esau's pledge. Years later when Isaac is blind and nearing the end of his life, he gives over his last will and testament, and unknowingly blesses Jacob in Esau's place.

Please join us for Kiddush in the Social Hall.

If you are interested in sponsoring Kiddush or renting space in the synagogue please call us at 303-388-4203. Please respect the sanctity of our services by refraining from entering or leaving while the ark is open, Mourners Kaddish, Kedusha and Sermon.

Please note our services are cell free zones.

Service Times

Saturday—November 18 Daf Yomi 8:00 am

Shacharit, Sanctuary 9:00 am Shacharit, Chapel 9:15 am Taste of Torah 10:00 am Mincha, Chapel 4:20 pm Havdalah 5:24 pm

Sunday—November 19 Rosh Chodesh Kislev

Daf Yomi 7:30 am Shacharit, Chapel 8:30 am Mincha/Maariv 4:20 pm

Monday—November 20

Daf Yomi 5:30 am Shacharit, Chapel 6:30 am Mincha/Maariv 4:20 pm Sefer HaChinuch 8:00 pm

Tuesday—November 21

Daf Yomi 5:45 am Shacharit, Chapel 6:45 am Mincha/Maariv 4:20 pm

Wednesday—November 22

Daf Yomi 5:45 am Shacharit, Chapel 6:45 am Cantor's Class 7:30 am Mincha/Maariv 4:20 pm

Thursday—November 23 Thanksgiving Holiday

Daf Yomi 5:30 am Shacharit, Chapel 8:30 am Mincha/Maariv 4:20 pm

Friday—November 24

Daf Yomi 5:45 am Shacharit, Chapel 6:45 am Mincha 4:19 pm Candle Lighting 4:20 pm !שבת שלום ומבורך

Upcoming Events

Wednesday Wisdom Series with Rabbi Chaitovsky — Nov 29, and Dec 6, 13 at 10:00 am and 7:30 pm Give us five weeks and we'll give you 5000 years of Jewish Wisdom! The same class will be repeated each Wednesday morning and again in the evening. Learn about G-d, the two Torahs, Mashiach and Olam Haba. There is no charge for this class, but please RSVP via our website www.bmh-bj.org

South Africa Trip Planning Meeting — Wednesday, November 29 at 7:00 pm in the Library Informational meeting on an exiting trip to South Africa with a Jewish flavor. Final travel dates pending.

AIPAC Community Event: The Art of Listening Generously — Thursday, November 30, at 7:00 pm Gil Troy, distinguished scholar in North American History will speak about Zionism in America. RSVP online at <u>www.aipac.org/COsynagogue</u>

Ageless Adversity — Tuesday, December 5 • 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm at Temple Emanuel, 51 Grape Street Renowned writer and surgeon Atul Gawande, author of Being Mortal, explores the relationships doctors have with patients who are nearing the end of life. Film documentary will be followed by a facilitated discussion.

Chesed Group Meeting —Tuesday, December 5 at 7:15 pm in the Library

Please join us as we continue our efforts to help members of our shul community. Everyone is welcome. For information or to volunteer contact Karen Douglass at 303-324-7384 or karencashdouglass@gmail.com

Annual Mountain States Women for Israel Luncheon — Wednesday, December 6 ● 11:30 am - 1:00 pm Guest speaker Ethan Zohn, philanthropist, Israel advocate, former soccer player, and winner of the Survivor TV series. at Infinity Park Event Center. RSVP by November 30 at www.jnf.org/cowfi or 303-573-7095 x 968

BMH-BJ Senior Chavurah—Thursday, December 7 at 1:00 pm in the Gallery Stockbroker to Schemer to Jail. Mark Jackson tells his own true story about greed, survival, and redemption.



Dreidels and Donuts Preschool Event — Sunday, December 10 • 9:30 - 11:30 am



Teens and Chanukah? Contact Yoni@bmh-bj.org for more information on upcoming teen opportunities.

Hockey Jewish Heritage Night — Thursday, December 14 • 7:00 - 10:00 pm

Avalanche vs. Panthers, \$25 per ticket, at the Pepsi Center: 1000 Chopper Cir, Denver, CO 80204 For questions or to register by phone, reach out to at 303-951-8237 or yoni@bmh-bj.org Registration link: https://members.bmh-bj.org/event/hockey-night.html

Dedication Shabbat — Saturday, Shabbat Chanukah, December 16, 2017

Join us for a special Dvar Torah and Kiddush in honor of our many dedicated volunteers at BMH-BJ.

Family PJ Shabbat Service for Tots —Shabbat, December 16 at 10:30 am in the Gallery This is the opportunity for your little ones to have a Shabbat of fun. This is an interactive Shabbat experience with food, songs, art projects, and games. Kids may wear pajamas. Join us! RSVP requested.

Shul Chanukah Party! Jazz, Jews, and Booze — Tuesday, December 19 • 6:30 - 9:00 pm Chanukah fun for Adults with childcare and live music, stay tuned for registration information.

Daily/Weekly Torah Learning

- ▶ **Daf-Yomi** one hour before Shacharit
- Rabbi Fleischmann
- ► Law, Legend & Lore daily after Mincha
- Rabbi Chaitovsky
- ► Sefer HaChinuch Mondays at 8:00 pm
 - Rabbi Stern
- ► Sefer Shemot Wednesdays at 7:30 am
- Cantor Lichterman

- ► Women's Parasha Shiur Thursdays at 11:00 am
 - Ellyn Hutt (no class on November 23rd)
- ► Taste of Torah Shabbat at 10:00 am
 - Essie Fleischmann
- ► Ten Minutes of Text Shabbat at Seudah Shelishit
 - Rabbi Chaitovsky
- ► Wednesday Wisdom 10:00 am and 7:30 pm
 - -Rabbi Chaitovsky (Nov 8, 15, 29, and Dec 6, 13)

Mazal Tov Lindsey and Avery Levin-Salamon on the birth of a baby girl, November 13th, sister to Caleb. James & Ramona Harris on the birth of their third child, Reign Roman, born on October 30th, 2017.

Birthdays Dr. Michael Brittan, Dr. Barbara Brown, Parker Davis, Maytal Gaister, Romy Gavish-Ezra, Polina Gershovich, Robert Hirsekorn, Sean Investments, Sean Leventhal, Ellen Levinson, Eduardo Marcuschamer, Bonnee Oderberg, Benjamin Rosen, Karen Shapiro, Natanel Warren, Yosef Weiss, Rebecca Wiener, Robert Zirinsky, Charles Zwerdlinger

Anniversaries Ann & Kyle Davis (43) Evelyn & Richard Male (32) Susan & Mark Zalkin (44)

Refuah Sheleima/Speedy Recovery Gloria Abrams, Sara Behmoaras, Francine (Feige Esther bat Ita Liba) Greenberg, Linda Fox, Elisa Panser Garner, Koby Gruenwald, Eleanor Hailpern, Crystal Hickman, Paula Hutt, Burton Kaplan, Doniel Kaye, Jerry Neiman, Valerie Miller, Arlene Moss, Mark Reinhardt (Moshe b"Rachel Leah), Moishey Sandler, Lilian Schaeffer, Scott Smith, Robert Springer, David Weinstein, Cantor Maurice Weiss, Rosa Hilde Wolf

HaMakom Yenacheim Etchem

To the family of our long time member, Ruby Goldberg, z"l.

Bill Lipsitz, on the loss of his brother, Rabbi Josh Lipsitz, z"l. *Memorial service / minyan will be at the home of Bill Lipsitz, 8036 E. Fairmount Dr. Denver 80230, on Sunday, November 19, 2017 at 4:30 pm.*

Yahrzeits Shabbat, November 18, 2017 / 29 Cheshvan 5778 Irving Albert, Barry Bach, George Camins, Helen Cohen, Annette M. Davidson, Ethan Jacob Edelman, Emma Gardner, Cecelia Gingold, Dr. Marvin C. Goldberg, Sam Gordon, Carl Greenblatt, Dorothy Jurinsky, Rose C. Karden, Mildred Karsh, Sarra Lapina, Lena Leiser, Morton Margolin, Morris Milstein, Belle Pepper, Morton Perotin, Sophie Sapper Roitburd, William Rothstein, David Rubenstone, Alick Rubin, Jerome Silver, Meyer E. Smernoff, Noy Soblin, Fannie Green Vinnik, Bella Volskaya, Selma Winograd, Robin Zwerin

<u>Sunday, November 19, 2017 / 1 Kislev 5778</u> Rose Barach, Golda Felsen, Samuel Friedman, Louis Hellerstein, Ida Hellerstein, Maria Hemd, Joyce Heyman, Bessie Hirsh, Kenneth Holzberg, Ellen Jackson, Klara Kapustina, Paul Karet, Benjamin Klotz, Lois Miller, Rose Perlman, Morris Rubin, Jeannette W. Schiffer, Solomon Segal, Rae Shendelman, Mary Rose Sunshine, Marilyn Tobin, Sam Tipley Tobin

Monday, November 20, 2017 / 2 Kislev 5778

David Abosch, Gussie Smith Asarch, Harold Blitt, Stuart Cholfin, Khaya Dolgina, Jack Finkelstein, Zachary Adam Karsh, Celia Manassee, Irene Miller, Max Pepper, Mendel (Max) Perotin, Michael Schaffer, Dr. Sydney A. Waldman, Riva Wechter, Joseph Wenner, Max Wiessenberger, Sol Zuckerman

Tuesday, November 21, 2017 / 3 Kislev 5778

Dr. Eli Bard, Ann Cornfield, Lena Geller, Samuel Goldfarb, Bernard Greenberg, Jeanne Kauvar, John Lissauer, Aaron Lutz, Rebecca Mandel, Tzegar Rabinovich, Dr. Elaine Rechter, Gertrude Schreiber, Joseph A. Shidler, Ida Slatkin, Sadie Veta

<u>Wednesday, November 22, 2017 / 4 Kislev 5778</u> Mollie Berman, Benjamin H. Brown, Sheila Rachel Bugdanowitz, Jacob Burnstein, Rebbetzin Jennie Burstein, Sylvia Gold, Yocheved Howard, Norma Katz, Devora Ladmer, Dora Lonstein, Esfira Mendeleva, Robert Perlman, Abe Saliman, Abraham Selig, Geraldine Strear, Eric Treidel, Stanley Wandel, Louis Witkin, Theodore Wolf, Dina Ben Yitzchak, Florence Turner Young

Thursday, November 23, 2017 / 5 Kislev 5778 Morris Bankirer, Ida Canges, Miriam Chotin, Edward Cohen, Dave Cohen, Esther Corske, Edith Edelstein, Rubin Eskanos, Rose Lee Ficks, Rose Flaxer, Dora Gegenberg, David Glikman, Abraham Goldberg, Irving Gordon, Harlene Selma Hatch, William "Vilu" Hochstadt, Steven Kamlet, Joseph Kosin, Moses Lackner, Sherle Ruth Leaman, Sarra Lerner, Robert Levin, Raisa Leyferas, Samuel E. Liss, Maurice (Morey) Safer, Martha Sherman, Razel Silverberg, Stephen Steinberg, Shirley (Shirk) Steinberg, Abe Tockman, Fira Tselolikhina, Rozaliya Vaysbrod, Jack Wiener

<u>Friday, November 24, 2017 / 6 Kislev 5778</u> Ida Berger, Nate Bobb, Sarah Buchwald, Goldye Fenster, Shirley Jean Folsom, Jacqueline Goodstein Friedman, Meyer Hellerstein, Sam Levine, Harry Marcove, Amelia Meyer, Joe Rubin, Ruth Soltz, Bessie F. Stahl, Abraham Tannenbaum, Erna Tessler

WEDNESDAY WISDOM SERIES WITH RABBI CHAITOVSKY

10:00 AM & 7:30 PM IN THE GALLERY

5000 YEARS OF WISDOM IN JUST FIVE WEEKS



November 8 All About God

November 15 What? There Are Two Torahs?

November 29 Shabbat, Kashrut, and Mitzvot

> December 6 Sexuality

December 13

Mashiach, Resurrection, and the World to Come



The Bocky Mountain Rabbinical Council & The American Israel Public Affairs Committee cordially invite you to a community event

THE ART OF **LISTENING GENEROUSLY**

Featuring

Gil Troy Distinguished Scholar in North American History, McGill University

Thursday, November 30, 2017 7:00 PM

BMH-BJ Congregation 560 S Monaco Pkwy • Denver, CO

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About Gil Troy



History at McGill University and a Visiting Professo this year at the Ruderman Program in American Jewish Studies at Haifa University. He has written nine books on the American presidency, including his latest, "The Age of Clinton: America in the 1990s." He is also the author of "Why I Am a Zionist, and Moynihan's Moment: America's Fight Against Zionism as Racism." A regular columnist for The Jerusalem Post, the Daily Beast, the Canadian Jewish News and the Jewish Week, he is currently working on an update of Arthur Hertzberg's classic "The Zionist





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INFORMATIONAL MEETING

Date: Wednesday, November 29 Time: 7:00 pm Venue: The Gallery

BMH-BJ Congregation Light refreshments provided

To register contact: Rachael Neustadt Clergyassist@bmh-bj.org / 303-951-8231



For more information please contact Paula Samet at 720.897.4945 or psamet@aipac.org







Hours

Monday-Thursday 10 am - 4 pm Friday 10 am - 1 pm Sunday 9:30 am - 1 pm

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