

Shabbat Shekalim, Parashat Vayakhel — Mevarchim Chodesh

March 2 - 8, 2019 — 25 Adar I - 1 Adar II 5779

Torah reading — pg 516, Baal Koreh — Jerry Rotenberg Haftarah — I Kings 7:3-26 pg 1162 — Dick Miller

Taste of Torah parashah shiur with Essie Fleischman at 10:00 am in the Gallery Prayer Pearls: Connecting Tefilah with Reb Noam Horowitz at 11:00 am in the Gallery

Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky
Ilene Rosen—Executive Director
Jeff Kline— Shul President

Cantor Martin Goldstein
Cantor Emeritus Joel Lichterman
Cantor Emeritus Zachary Kutner



Please join us for Kiddush in the Social Hall sponsored by BMH-BJ.

If you wish to sponsor a Kiddush, breakfast, or rent 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 that our services are cell free zones.

Life & Legacy - Live On. Make a difference in your lifetime by making a difference in our future.

For more information or to learn how to be a part of Life & Legacy contact one of our committee members: Brian Story, Lisa Engbar, Mel Engbar, Rabbi Chaitovsky,

Andy Schwartz, Jeff Kline, or Ilene Rosen.

The Week Ahead Saturday— March 2

Daf Yomi 8:00 am Sanctuary 9:00 am Chapel 9:15 am Mincha 5:30 pm Havdalah 6:35 pm

Sunday - March 3

Daf Yomi 7:30 am Shacharit, Chapel 8:30 am Town Hall 11:00 am Mincha/Maariv 5:30 pm

Monday - March 4

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

Tuesday — March 5

Daf Yomi 5:45 am Shacharit 6:45 am Mincha/Maariv 5:30 pm

Wednesday - March 6

Daf Yomi 5:45 am Shacharit 6:45 am Rabbi's Class 7:30 am Weds Wisdom 10:15 am Mincha/Maariv 5:30 pm Convers. Hebrew 7:00 pm Weds Wisdom 7:15 pm

Thursday — March 7 Rosh Chodesh Adar II

Daf Yomi 5:30 am Shacharit 6:30 am Ellyn Hutt class 11:00 am Mincha/Maariv 5:30 pm

Friday— March 8 Rosh Chodesh Adar II

Daf Yomi 5:45 am Shacharit 6:45 am Candle Lighting 5:30 pm Mincha 5:30 pm

Parshah Summary

In the *Sidrah*, Moses assembles the people of Israel and reiterates to them the commandment to observe the Shabbat. He then conveys God's instructions regarding the making of the Mishkan (Tabernacle). The people donate the required materials in abundance, bringing gold, silver and copper; blue, purple and reddyed wool; goat hair, spun linen, animal skins, wood, olive oil, herbs and precious stones. Moses has to tell them to stop giving.

A team of wise-hearted artisans make the Mishkan and its furnishings (as detailed in the previous Torah readings of Terumah, Tetzaveh and Ki Tisa): three layers of roof coverings; 48 gold-plated wall panels, and 100 silver foundation sockets; the *parochet* (veil) that separates between the Sanctuary's two chambers, and the *masach* (screen) that fronts it; the ark and its cover with the cherubim; the table and its showbread; the seven-branched menorah with its specially prepared oil; the golden altar and the incense burned on it; the anointing oil; the outdoor altar for burnt offerings and all its implements; the hangings, posts and foundation sockets for the courtyard; and the basin and its pedestal, made out of copper mirrors.

In Today's Haftarah

Only once during the 347 years of its existence did the Kingdom of Judah suffer a revolution. Jehoram who was King of Judah from 849 to 842 B.C.E. died and his widow, Athaliah, took over the Judean throne. It was Athaliah, the daughter of Ahab and Jezebel, who prompted Baal worship in Judah. There was much opposition to this cruel queen's idolatrous ways and it led to a Judean revolt against her. Athaliah was removed from the throne by the people and she was succeeded by her grandson, Jehoash. Jehoash cleansed the Temple of all idol forms.

The Haftarah is read on Shabbat Shekalim when we are reminded of the half-shekel given to maintain the ancient Tabernacles of Israel. In the Haftarah we read of Jehoash instructing the Kohanim to gather money for the repair of the Jerusalem Temple.

Special Invitations

Responsibilities and Challenges—Rabbi Chaitovsky invites all to join him at the Jewish Colorado Israel Series on March 12, 7:00-9:00 pm, when the RMRC will discuss Israel as a Jewish Country with respect to Jewish pluralism. Location: Temple Sinai—3509 S. Glencoe St.

Mazal Tov to Dana and Brian Friedman who are being honored at the DJDS annual dinner on Thursday, March 14 at the Grand Hyatt Denver. Dana's involvement with the school began with PTO. She also served on the Finance Committee, the Helping Hands committee, and has been a room parent for her kids' grades. Since 2013, Dana also has taught an honors psychology class to DJDS twelfth graders. For more information about the dinner or to RSVP visit https://DJDS2019Dinner.eventbrite.com

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
- ► Verse by Verse through the Torah Wednesdays at 7:30 am - Rabbi Chaitovsky
- ► Wednesday Wisdom Wednesdays at 10:15 am and again at 7:15 pm Rabbi Chaitovsky

► Conversational Hebrew Class

Wednesdays at 7:00 pm - Roberta Feinsmith

- ► Women's Parashah Shiur Thursdays at 11:00 am
 - Ellyn Hutt
- ► Taste of Torah Shabbat at 10:00 am
- Essie Fleischmann
- ▶ Prayer Pearls Shabbat at 11:00 am
- Reb Noam Horowitz
- ► Ten Minutes of Text Shabbat at Seudah Shelishit
 - Rabbi Chaitovsky
- ► Kabbalah & Jewish History Sundays at 10:45 am
 - Cantor Goldstein (no meeting on March 3rd)

Birthdays Yakov Aleynikov (82), Jenny Banker (64), Allan Bernstein (76), Avi Brown (80), Herbert Buchwald (88), Dr. Bernice Dinner (72), Neil Gardenswartz (67), Dr. Jerome Greene (89), Anna Hemd (92), Beverly Pearl (77), Alex Raizman (45), Andor Schwartz (60), L. Rick Shecter (74), Yaakov Sisk (4), Leon Tulper (94), Ahuva Zalesch (8)

Anniversaries Joe & Sandy Bean (35) Daniel & Aziel Noy (11)

Refuah Sheleima/Speedy Recovery Gayle Boxer, Chaim Binyamin ben Sara, Esther bat Chana, Sara Behmoaras, Rachel Bat Esther, Linda Fox, Dr. Stuart Gottesfeld, Mordechai ben Leah (DH), Crystal Hickman, Doniel Kaye, Dona Mandell, Jerry Marcus (Hillel David Chaim ben Miryam), Aileen Marcus (Amalia Ester bat Chana), Mark Millenson, Moshe ben Feiga Rochel (Mark Perlmutter), Toby Mower, Barbara Oxman, John Peterson, Helen Pringle, Lionel Richman, Beth Rosen (Shifra bat Ethel Brindel), Harriet Saliman, Lilian Schaeffer, Shabbtai Yaakov ben Channah, Tamar bat Phoebe, David Weinstein, Terry Wolf, Tziviya Trana bat Rivka, Bayla bat Chaya Feliga Yachnowitz

HaMakom Yenacheim Etchem

Connie Mankoff Suson, Rabbi Steven (Rachel z"l) Suson, Jonathan (Kristin) Suson and Adrienne Suson, on the loss of their husband and father, our long-time member and past president, **David Suson**, z"l Joyce Steinhardt, on the loss of her husband, our long-time member, **Dr. Kasey Steinhardt**, z"l

Yahrzeits

<u>Shabbat, March 2, 2019 / 25 Adar I 5779</u> Bessie Asarch, Maria Aylyarova, Piotr Bulgakov, Joe Coffee, Elizaveta Feldman, Vernis Mack Franklin, Edward Goalstone, Lester Goldstein, William Klaiman, Edwin Howard Kornfeld, Abraham D. Laff, Sadie Moskovitz, Mina Mostsinsker, Fannie Peninsky, Pearl E. Sneider, Herbert Weiner, Leib Zelig

Sunday, March 3, 2019 / 26 Adar I 5779

Sam Badis, Charles C. Bauer, Rose Berman, Michael Cohen, Ann Cronenberg, Vladimir Estrin, Morris Fried, Dayse Q. Garlett, Homer Goodman, Ari Nevin Greenberg, Hans Guggenheimer, Rose Hoffman, Fred Kahn, Max Kaplan, Terry Katz, Mollie Kramer, Manuel Kramer, Klara Chaika Ladizhenskaya, Klara Ladyzhenskaya, Andrew Makowitz, Minnye Margolis, Julia Markman, Isaak Mayer, Joseph Miller, Sadelle Richman, Sara Roth, Julius Rothstein, Louis S. Rubin, Yefim Saltanovich, Ted Shaffer, Nesya Shut, Gertrude Singer, David Steinberg, Aimee Tawil, Gregory Alan Tepper, Jack Wagner, Tess Zeligman Monday, March 4, 2019 / 27 Adar I 5779

Cyrus Abrams, Philip Badis, Nettie Boxer, Clara Coopersmith, Harry A. Feder, Morris Finer, Allan Forbes, Chassie Rose Greenberg, Boris Grinberg, Ernest Guldman, Henry Kahn, Isadore Katz, Meyer Koscove, Gertude Bass Kravitz, Isaac Levenson, Melvin H. Levin, Clara Lopata - Cohen, Jacob Mandelbaum, Richard Myers, Alfred Rosenfeld, Adolph Rubinsal, Irene Saliman, Eliezer Sanders, Golda Seletskaya, Morris Sigman, Morris Tenenbaum, Barbara Ann Tobias, Rose Yaker, Toby Zelinger, Gerald H. Zuckerman

<u>Tuesday, March 5, 2019 / 28 Adar I 5779</u> Sarah Bender, Phillip Brown, Rosalie Burnstein, Dorota Drexler, Robert Engel, Nekhama Estrina, Abraham Goldman, Edith Gottlieb, Esther Halpern, Phillip Patrick Horenstein, Kate Isaacman, Rose (Naomi) Miller Kaplan, Louis J. Keinon, Rachel Markovits, Jonathan Meyers, Rachel Saper, Ida Sarah Finkelberg Sesskin, Hyman Sheftel, Esther Shupe

<u>Wednesday, March 6, 2019 / 29 Adar I 5779</u> Meyer Abramovitz, Anna B. Axel, Ben Bronstein, Ida Cook, Daniel Epstein, Dora Fox, Minnie Goldman, Pauline Haser, Siegismund Kalischer, Harry Kartus, Rose Manassee, Gertrude Fertman Mann, Morey Miller, Jane S. Nathanson, Bronya Rayzberg, R. Betty Romer, Adrea Rosenberg, Lucy Sawyer, Morris D. Shapiro, Abe Isaac Siegel, Ida D. Singer, Marion Slavsky, Esther Weingart, Samuel Zuber <a href="https://doi.org/10.1016/j.com/rh.1016/j.com

<u>Friday, March 8, 2019 / 1 Adar II 5779</u> Abraham Aaron, Cory Dulberg, Ethel Hayutin Engbar, Sofiya Golub, Fritz Kahn, Harris Sheldon Levine, Hannah Sher Licht, Jack Lubowitz, Ben Piehl, Gertrude Richman, Benjamin Shapiro, Manuel Spector

Happenings @ BMH-BJ

Town Hall Meeting —Sunday, March 3, 2019 at 11:00 am & Tuesday, March 5, 2019 at 7:00 pm Where are we going? An open and frank conversation about the direction and vision to grow our shul.

Annual Event —We have a few congregants who need a ride to our event. If you can assist us, please call Ilene Rosen at 303-951-8232. Thank you!

Wednesday Wisdom—Wednesdays March 6—May 8 at 10:15 am and 7:15 pm in the Gallery Rabbi Chaitovsky leads a survey of the concepts and controversies behind six particular and well-known prayers as well as a look at non-Orthodox prayer books.

Chesed Group Meeting —Tuesday, March 12, 4:30 - 6:30 pm in the Gallery *Light refreshments will be served for all kind-hearts who wish to serve our community in Chesed.*

Women's League is collecting gently used items for their Purim Mish Mash sale

If you are clearing anything out feel free to drop items off at the Gift Shop during business hours.

Women's League will be selling hamentashen in the Gift Shop beginning on March 10.

Flavors include Poppy, Prune, Cherry Chocolate, Raspberry Chocolate (Dairy), Apricot and Nutella (Dairy). \$6 per package of six. Hamentashen will also be available for sale at the Carnival on March 17th.

Under The Big Top Purim Carnival — March 17, 2019 at 10:00 am

Join us for dozens of games for all ages, music, goldfish, a velcro wall, costume contest, TWO bouncy castles, a delicious lunch, cotton candy, popcorn, puppy adoption, Scholastic book fair, and more! Buy your tickets at www.bmh-bj.org/event/PurimCarnival19

Family Purim Party — March 20, 2019 at 5:30 pm

Young families will enjoy a lively evening where kids can hear the story of Purim. The evening will kick off with a dairy dinner. Following, Cantor Marty and the teachers will perform a short spiel. The evening will end with a costume parade featuring all children. Register Now! www.bmh-bj.org/event/FamilyPurim

Purim Seudah — March 21, 2019 at 5:00 pm



Purim Carnival Volunteers Needed!

The Purim Carnival is one our preschool's and Women' League biggest fundraisers of the year. We need volunteers to help run games and activities, assist with food stations, and manage setup and take down.

Reach out to Programs@BMH-BJ.org to sign up.

Annual Event

Sunday, March 10, 2019 5:30 pm in the Social Hall

Celebrate our synagogue and it's congregation with a fun night of music, food, and comedy.

Congratulate Jerry and Shelley Rotenberg, recipients of the first Joe Silver Spirit Award.

Register at <u>www.bmh-bj.org/event/</u> <u>AnnualEvent2019</u>

