

# Parashat Beha'alotcha

June 2 - 8, 2018 — 19 - 25 Sivan 5778

## Mazal Tov to Simon J. Schwartz and Rachel Levin on today's Auf Ruf

Shacharit — Rabbi Chaitovsky, Torah reading — pg 774, Baal Koreh — Jerry Rotenberg Haftarah — Zechariah 2:14—4:7 pg 1182 — Neal Veta

Ashrei — Julie Veta, Musaf — Ethan Veta, Rabbi's Sermon "No Complaints, Thank You" Genius of the Rabbis / Pirkei Avot with Rabbi Chai, following Kiddush in the Sanctuary

## Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky Cantor Joel Lichterman

# Ilene Rosen—Executive Director Jeff Kline—President



Please join us for Kiddush in the Social Hall sponsored by Rob & Vicki Trachten Schwartz in honor of the Auf Ruf and the upcoming marriage of their son Simon to Rachel Levin.

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.

#### **Service Times**

#### Saturday — June 2

Daf Yomi 8:00 am Shacharit, Sanctuary 9:00 am Shacharit, Chapel 9:15 am Taste of Torah 10:00 am Pirkei Avot 12:15 pm Mincha, Chapel 8:00 pm Havdalah 9:04 pm

#### Sunday — June 3

Daf Yomi 7:30 am Shacharit, Chapel 8:30 am Mincha/Maariv 6:45 pm

#### Monday — June 4

Daf Yomi 5:30 am Shacharit, Chapel 6:30 am Mincha/Maariv 6:45 pm Sefer HaChinuch 8:00 pm

#### Tuesday — June 5

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

#### Wednesday - June 6

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

#### Thursday— June 7

Daf Yomi 5:30 am Shacharit, Chapel 6:30 am Ellyn Hutt's Class 11:00 am Mincha/Maariv 6:45 pm

#### Friday - June 8

Daf Yomi 5:45 am Shacharit, Chapel 6:45 am Mincha 6:45 pm Candle Lighting 8:01 pm שבת שלום ומבורך!

# **Parshah Summary**

In the Sidrah Aaron is commanded to raise light in the lamps of the menorah and the tribe of Levi is initiated into the service in the Sanctuary.

A "Second Passover" is instituted in response to the petition "Why should we be deprived?" by a group of Jews who were unable to bring the Passover offering in its appointed time because they were ritually impure. G-d instructs Moses on the procedures for Israel's journeys and encampments in the desert and the people journey in formation from Mount Sinai, where they had been camped for nearly a year.

The people are dissatisfied with their "bread from heaven" (the manna) and demand that Moses supply them with meat. Moses appoints 70 elders, to whom he imparts of his spirit, to assist him in the burden of governing the people. Miriam speaks negatively of Moses and is punished with leprosy; Moses prays for her healing and the entire community waits seven days for her recovery.

# **Haftarah Summary**

In the Haftarah, the Prophet Zechariah was among the Hebrew exiles to return to Zion when Cyrus the Great issued his decree of restoration in 537 B.C.E. Enthusiastic when they returned to their land, the people were soon disappointed. Enemy neighbors in Palestine made it difficult for them to lead a peaceful life and to rebuild the Temple in Jerusalem. The prophets Zechariah and Haggai begin to offer encouragement and hope to their fellow Hebrews to be strong in their faith in G-d. It was He Who had ordained their return to the Holy Land and He would enable them to rebuild the Temple and renew the priesthood.

The Prophet Zechariah's messages were brought by him to the people chiefly in the form of powerful visions.

The link between the *Haftarah* and the *Sidrah* is Zechariah's vision of the seven-branched Menorah spoken of in the Sidrah.

# Happenings at BMH-BJ

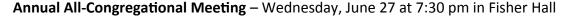
**Dead Sea Scrolls** – Monday, June 4 at 7:00 pm in Fisher Hall

70 Years after their discovery, Pnina Shor, Curator and Head of the Dead Sea Scrolls Projects of the Israel Antiquities Authority, gives a talk entitled: "Dead Sea Scrolls - 70 Years Later!" Free event, registration requested: https://www.bmh-bj.org/event/Dead-Sea-Scrolls



Meet & Greet with the President —Thursday, June 7 at 7:15pm in the Gallery. BMH-BJ President Jeff Kline invites you to an open discussion over wine and dessert to discuss anything shul-related that is on your mind.

Fourth Friday Dinner – Friday, June 22, 2018 • 7:45 - 9:15 pm in Fisher Hall Honor Jewish War Veterans from the USA. The dinner will feature American grill cuisine and guest speaker and community member, Michael Shapiro, to share his personal story with us.





# **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 Vayikrah Wednesdays at 7:30 am
- Cantor Lichterman / Rabbi Chaitovsky

- ► Women's Parasha Shiur Thursdays at 11:00 am
- Ellyn Hutt (no class June 7th & 14th)
- ► Taste of Torah Shabbat at 10:00 am
- Essie Fleischmann
- ▶ Pirkei Avot Shabbat following Kiddush
- Rabbi Chaitovsky
- ► Ten Minutes of Text Shabbat at Seudah Shelishit
  - Rabbi Chaitovsky





Mazal Tov A special happy birthday to Norman Veta, who just celebrated his 95th birthday this week!!

**Birthdays** Erinn Bernstein, Ron Edelman, Linda Fogel, Jeffrey Goldstein, Amiel Golombek, Teddy Hahn, Eitan Harari, Lisa Jultak-Samake, Deborah K. Karsh, Bradley Kraus, Greg Metzel, Molly Nieder, Mark Pells, Ken Romer, Ramon Saenz, Brian Story, Lindsay Vinnik, David Zirinsky

**Anniversaries** Marvin & Jackie Cooper (62) Brian & Sarina Kopinsky (39)

Gregory & Marina Kushnir (40) Ken & Bonni Romer (32)

**Refuah Sheleima/Speedy Recovery** Sara Behmoaras, Debbie Dunn (Devorah Leah bat Ita Liba), David Engleberg, Emmanuela Sara bat Yael, Fay Finkelstein, Linda Fox, Elaine Greenberg, Crystal Hickman, Robert Hochstadt, Doniel Kaye, Judy Levin, Howard Marcove, Jerry Marcus (Hillel David Chaim ben Miryam), Aileen Marcus (Amalia Ester bat Chana), Mark Millenson, Toby Mower, John Peterson, Ron Saliman, Lilian Schaeffer, Phylis Solnick, Anna Story, Jeff Warren (Yaakov ben Freidel), David Weinstein, Terry Wolf, Yaakova bat Sara, Susan Zalkin (Batsheva bat Esther)

## HaMakom Yenacheim Etchem

Condolences to the family of Judy Levin, z"l, on her passing.

## **Yahrzeits**

Shabbat, June 2, 2018 / 19 Sivan 5778 Minnie R. Bem, Clara Eisen, Oscar Fenchel, Sophie Lesser Fischman, Louis Garlett, Max J. Goldberg, George Katz, Anna Lieberman, Rose A. Litvak, Freida Marcus, Norman Markman, Esther Nathenson, Abe Olshansky, Gustav Pincuss, Alvan Rosenthal, Isabel Simons, Sherri Lynn Weber, Abe Weiner, Solomon Wolf

<u>Sunday, June 3, 2018 / 20 Sivan 5778</u> Dorothy Agron, Mendel Band, Lena Brenhard, Irma Eichberg, Harry Epstein, Reta Heller, Mary Komar, Anna Melamud, Max Neuman, Harry Pashel, Esther Polse, Helen Rashbaum, Marlene Replin, Edith Sachs, Louis J. Simon, Dave Steinberg, Khaya Klara Tokarskaya, Elly Valas, Becky Wiener

Monday, June 4, 2018 / 21 Sivan 5778 Norman E. Arent, J. Edward Fein, Ilse Fenchel, Morton Fisher, Albert Hayutin, Natan Ioffe, Erna Israel, Albert L. Kolitz, Lucille Korklin, Viktoryia Mazina, Kurt Ochs, Ben T. Rollnick, Edward L. Rosenfeldt, Jerry Shore, Rigina Sofiya, Anna Ruth Stein, Esrul Ulman, Isador Wexler

<u>Tuesday, June 5, 2018 / 22 Sivan 5778</u>
Bernice Brown - Lopata, Toby Cohen, Joseph Albert Corske, Rebecca Ely, Ben Feiner, Harry Harris, Gregg Mitchell Heller, Max Hoffberg, Louis Katchen, Igor Klyachko, Frances Lakin, Carol Lifsey, Ted Thaddeus Majcherek, Mary Mankoff, Miguel Mendelsohn, Dr. Leslie D. Miller, Ruth Sharoff Mozer, Bluma Bas Toviah Zev Resnick, Chester Salzer, Jerome Samuels, Harold J. Spitzer, Harold "Red" Stein, Joseph Steinberg, Irving Strear, Grant Wine, Judit Zaterman

<u>Wednesday, June 6, 2018 / 23 Sivan 5778</u> Goldie Aronoff, Laurence Eskanos, Sadye Meyer Fisher, Rebecca Ginsburg, Samuel Greenberg, Ethel M. Hirsh, Minette Kleinberg, Sylvia Kornfield, Hilda Fistell Kushnir, Fannie Leiser, Rakhil Levina, Michael M. Mayer, Sofya Miller, Gertrude I. Reichman, Anna Shapiro, Louis Shatsoff, Dora Tavel, Ester Wolff, Sarah Zinn

<u>Thursday, June 7, 2018 / 24 Sivan 5778</u> Albert Barmatz, Bessie Bilker, Rae Dean Boxer, Zev Halevy Bregman, Rosalie DiPiazza, Morris Dock, Bartley David Elkins, Markovits Family, Sunny Greenberg, Jack Heselson, Bess Lewis, Mary Minzer, Yetta E. Price, Samuel Z. Rubin, Ferne Sandler, Jennie Silverman, George S. Toltz, Minnie Viders, Belle Winter, Jack Zwerdlinger

<u>Friday, June 8, 2018 / 25 Sivan 5778</u> Konrad Berg, Lawrence Bernstein, Jerome Bernstein, Barbara Cook, Wilfred S. Dubnick, Dorothy Fleischman, Lilian Dolly Greenstein, Fannie Grossman, Annie Hayutin, Ernestina Iosub, Celia Katz, Richard Alan Landman, Theodore Lang, Ida Levinson, Rose Newberger, Myrtle Nieder, Margie Rosen, J. A. Sharoff, Nathan Smagler, Rose Sontag, Abraham S. Wainhouse, Kalman Zeff

## Happenings at BMH-BJ, cont.

**Pirkei Avot with Rabbi Chai** — Shabbat afternoons following Kiddush in the Sanctuary *Join Rabbi Chaitovksy throughout the summer for his spectacular class on Pirkei Avot: Genius of the Rabbis.* 

**Chesed Group Meeting** —Tuesday, June 12 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.

**BMH-BJ Senior Chavurah, Immigration Part 2** —Thursday, June 14 at 1:00 pm in the Gallery Marilyn Kopelman will present Part II on the Jewish immigrant experience to the USA, this time focusing on the 1960s. What was it really like? She will share how stereotyping was problematic and far from the truth.

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## Keshet of the Rockies opens Sandie's Closet on June 11th

Keshet of the Rockies is delighted to announce the opening of "Sandie's Closet". Located at 4990 Leetsdale Drive (between Elm Street and Cherry Street and across from the JCC). "Sandie's Closet" features new, nearly new and gently used clothing, purses and accessories for men, women, children and infants. Hours are Sunday through Thursday 11 am to 7 pm and Fridays 11 am to 2 pm. All proceeds go to support programs for special needs students and young adults in the Jewish community. Keshet asks you to donate any of your family's clothing in good condition that you are ready to discard to "Sandie's Closet". Keshet is also seeking volunteers to help in the store. For further information please call Lola Zussman at (303) 961-4186.





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