

BMH BJ

Parashat Bamidbar, June 8 - 14, 2019 — 5 - 11 Sivan 5779

**Confirmation/Midrasha and IST Send-Off Shabbat, Shabbat Derech Eretz
Confirmation Class of 2019: Halley Mackiernan (daughter of Bill & Melissa)
and Sam Shoflick (daughter of Steven & Megan)**

**IST Participants 2019: Talia Williamson (daughter of Jason & Ronit),
Josh Rosen (son of Ted & Julie) and Sarah Tenenbaum (daughter of Todd & Janet)**

Torah reading — pg 726, Baal Koreh — Jerry Rotenberg, Haftarah — Hosea 2:1-22 pg 1180 — Rabbi Chaitovsky
Taste of Torah parashah shiur with Essie Fleischman at 10:00 am in the Gallery
Pirkei Avot : Genius of the Rabbis — 12:15 pm in the Sanctuary

Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky

Ilene Rosen—Executive Director

Jeff Kline— Shul President

Cantor Martin Goldstein

Cantor Emeritus Joel Lichterman

Cantor Emeritus Zachary Kutner

The Week Ahead

Saturday— June 8, Erev Shavuot

Daf Yomi 8:00 am

Sanctuary 9:00 am

Chapel 9:15 am

Mincha 7:50 pm

Candle Lighting 9:08 pm

Sunday— June 9, Shavuot Day 1

Shacharit, (S) 9:00 am (C) 9:15 am

Tikkun Yom Shavuot 11:30 am

Ice Cream Social 4:00 pm

Mincha/Maariv 6:35 pm

Candle Lighting 9:08

Monday— June 10, Shavuot Day 2

Daf Yomi 8:00 am

Shacharit, (S) 9:00 am (C) 9:15 am

Yizkor, approx. 10:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 8:15 pm

Havdalah 9:09 pm

Tuesday— June 11

Daf Yomi 5:45 am

Shacharit 6:45 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:35 pm

Wednesday— June 12

Daf Yomi 5:45 am

Shacharit 6:45 am

Rabbi's Class 7:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:35 pm

Thursday— June 13

Daf Yomi 5:30 am

Shacharit 6:30 am

Ellyn Hutt Class 11:00 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:35 pm

Friday— June 14

Daf Yomi 5:45 am

Shacharit 6:45 am

Mincha 6:30 pm

Candle Lighting 8:09 pm

שבת שלום ומבורך!

Sam and Halley holding their "Art of Interpretation"



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

Thank you to Karen Cash for sponsoring breakfast on June 13th in honor of the first yahrzeit of her father, Daniel Edwards, z"l.

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.

Parshah Summary (Bamidbar—Bamidbar/Numbers 1-4:20 pg 726)

In the *Sidrah*, God says to conduct a census of the twelve tribes of Israel in the Sinai Desert. Moses counts 603,550 men of draftable age (20 to 60 years); the tribe of Levi, numbering 22,300 males age one month and older is counted separately. The Levites are to serve in the Sanctuary, replacing the firstborn, whose number they approximated, who were disqualified when they participated in the worshipping of the Golden Calf. The 273 firstborn who lacked a Levite to replace them had to pay a five-shekel “ransom” to redeem themselves.

When the people broke camp, the three Levite clans dismantled and transported the Sanctuary and reassembled it at the center of the next encampment. They then erected their own tents around it: the Kohathites, who carried the Sanctuary’s vessels (the Ark, menorah, etc.) in their specially designed coverings on their shoulders, camped to its south; the Gershonites, in charge of its tapestries and roof coverings, to its west; and the families of Merari, who transported its wall panels and pillars, to its north. Before the Sanctuary’s entranceway, to its east, were the tents of Moses, Aaron and Aaron’s sons.

Beyond the Levite circle, the twelve tribes camped in four groups of three tribes each. To the east were Judah (pop. 74,600), Issachar (54,400) and Zebulun (57,400); to the south, Reuben (46,500), Simeon (59,300) and Gad (45,650); to the west, Ephraim (40,500), Manasseh (32,200) and Benjamin(35,400); and to the north, Dan (62,700), Asher (41,500) and Naphtali (53,400). This formation was kept also while traveling. Each tribe had its own *nassi* (prince or leader), and its own flag with its tribal color and emblem.

In Today’s Haftarah (Hosea 2:1-22 pg 1180)

The *Haftarah* begins with the words, "The number of the children of Israel shall be as the sand of the sea [shore], which can be neither measured nor counted." An appropriate reading for the first Torah reading of the Book of Numbers.

Hosea first prophesies about the eventual reunification of the houses of Judah and Israel. During the Messianic Era, these two perennial antagonists will make peace and appoint a single leader. Hosea then rebukes the Jewish people for their infidelity, abandoning their "husband," God, and engaging in adulterous affairs with pagan deities. He describes the punishments they will suffer because of this unfaithfulness.

Eventually, though, Hosea reassures the Jews that they will repent, and God will accept them back wholeheartedly. The haftarah concludes with the moving words: "And I will betroth you to Me forever, and I will betroth you to Me with righteousness and with justice and with loving-kindness and with mercy."

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
- ▶ **Conversational Hebrew Class** (*on break*)

- ▶ **Women’s Parashah Shiur** Thursdays 11:00 am
- Ellyn Hutt
- ▶ **Taste of Torah** Shabbat at 10:00 am
- Essie Fleischmann
- ▶ **Genius of the Rabbis /Pirkei Avot** Shabbat at 12:15 am
- Rabbi Chaitovsky
- ▶ **Ten Minutes of Text** Shabbat at Seudah Shelishit
- Rabbi Chaitovsky
- ▶ **30+30 Beit Midrash** Saturdays 1 hour prior to Mincha
- Rabbi Chaitovsky
- ▶ **Cantor’s Class** Sundays at 10:45 am
- Cantor Goldstein (*No class on June 9th*)

June 1-7, Birthdays & Anniversaries Erinn Bernstein, Linda Fogel, Jeffrey Goldstein, Amiel Golombek, Eitan Harari, Emunah Horowitz, Lisa Jultak-Samake, Jenny Karp, Deborah Karsh, Bradley Kraus, Mark Pells, Ken Romer, David Smith, Brian Story, Lindsay Vinnik, David Zirinsky

Herbert Buchwald & Arlene Buchwald (67)

Marvin & Jackie Cooper (63)

Gregory & Marina Kushnit (41)

Birthdays Kate Freiheiter, Batzion Goodman, Ziva Horowitz, Kirya Jultak, Benjamin Makovsky, Karyn Saliman, Carol Scheinblatt, Samantha Shoflick, Kay Shraiberg, Jerry Howard Streltzer, Janet Tenenbaum

Anniversaries Ken & Bonni Romer (33) Joel & Elaine Lichterman (46)
William & Roberta Fishman (60) Arden & Charlene Wandel (51) Jeffrey & Allyson Leszman (36)
H. Michael & Bobbi Miller (54) David & Gail Dym (61) Arnold & Cheri Goldstein (49)

Refuah Sheleima/Speedy Recovery Chaim Binyamin ben Sara, Esther bat Chana, Sara Behmoaras, Risa Shayna bat Batya, Paula Burger, Dr. Bernice Dinner, Roberta Feinsmith, Linda Fox, Pip Goldstein, Francine Greenberg (Feige Esther bat Ita Liba), Dr. Stuart Gottesfeld, Mordechai ben Leah (DH), Doniel Kaye, Jeff Lezman, Dona Mandell, Jerry Marcus (Hillel David Chaim ben Miryam), Mark Millenson, Toby Mower (Tova bat Liba), Mordechai ben Pauline, Barbara Oxman, John Peterson, 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

to Mel and Myrna Engbar on the loss of their sister-in-law, **Shirley Engbar, z"l**

to Lisa (Vern) Engbar; Harold Feiner; Malka Engbar and Levi Engbar; Steve (Dianna) Levine, on the loss of their mother, wife, grandmother and sister in Phoenix, AZ, **Ricki Feiner, z"l**

Yahrzeits

Shabbat, June 8, 2019 / 5 Sivan 5779 Deborah Bregman, Ben Debber, Irene Flax, Joseph Samuel Friedman, Joseph F. Goodman, Martin Gould, William Haskel, Kurt Heimann, John E. Hendrich, Harry Kafka, Herman Kahn, Libbie Londer, Hyman Makowka, Myrtle Nieder, Rose D. Perotin, Anatoliy Rabinkov, Bernard Rosenberg, Max L. Rosenthal, Dr. Alan Martin Sar, Alice Esther Shaffer, Rose Cohen Simon, Alan Waxman, Isaak Wier, Alfred Wiseman

Sunday, June 9, 2019 / 6 Sivan 5779 Anna Berger Allen, Norma Bemel, Gitel Brand, Eli Bricker, Lyuba Engelson, Abraham Fistell, Dorine Fogel, Yette Gattman, Celia Guber, Carl Jacobs, Kitty Kopolovic, Bernard Liss, Jacob N Rachofsky, Louis E. Rosenstein, Yitzchak Shlomo Ruda, Basie Smolack, Joe Susman, Rachel Adisy Suson, Batsheva Yitzchak, Freda Zelinger, Henry A. Zelinger

Monday, June 10, 2019 / 7 Sivan 5779 Esfira Abramova, Sophie Asarch, Rose Raizel Baird, Frances Banner, Harvey Block, Mira Bukahvsky, Ann Chemer, Avraham Zev Farkas, Tillie Weinstein Feldman, Oskar Finger, Ethel (Babe) Galemba, Alvin Arnold Goldberg, Sam Kaplan, Marvin Klein, Janice Rae Lapin, Fred Maier, Harry Miller, Benjamin Milmon, Albert Mokrauer, Minnie Pinchick, Abraham J. Roger, Henry Roth, Celia Rothberg, Rose Rothstein, Toby Ruby, Fradel Miriam Ruda, Blanka Dannenberg Scharlack, Zesil Stern, Albert L. Tannenbaum, Solomon Toubin, Shmuel Elimelech Wechler, Alfred Winters, Bella Zhivilik

Tuesday, June 11, 2019 / 8 Sivan 5779 Abraham Ashkenas, Julius Farkas, Belle Fellers, Minnie Flaks, Anne Gibbs, Shirley Goldman, Rose Ann Gorshow, Rose Gross, Lee Grossman, Feige Horowitz, Siegfried Katzenstein, Jerome Jay Kippur, Ida Livshits, Gertrude Mozer, Howard Lewis Myers, Miriam Neiman, Ethel Printz, Alexander Rabinovich, Myron Rubin, Charles Sachs, William Sonkin, David Vad, Oscar Waxman, Bennett M. Wayne

Wednesday, June 12, 2019 / 9 Sivan 5779 Lorelle Joyce Alexander, Dean Baden, Jacob Bascowitz, Cecilia Boinard, Jacob Ely Bronstein, Eliezer Edelstein, Esther Edelstein, Josef Mordecai Edelstein, Julia Eisenfeld, Esther Heller, Minnie Jacobs, Louise Kazzaz, Mildred Kominsky, Tevya Lerner, Harry Lieb, Joe Litvak, Bessie Loup, Bryna Markin, Bertha Miller, Rita Morris, Jenny Neihauser, Mendell Rabicoff, Saul Rosen, Robert Harold Roth, Lina Sadun, Nelson Schachet, Rose Schockett, Pauline Schwartz, Ruth Shapiro, Esther Snyder, Gerald Sugarman, Hyman Tavel, Grace Weinstein, Aleksandra Zhadan

Thursday, June 13, 2019 / 10 Sivan 5779 Jacob A. Albert, Herman Appel, Annetta Appelman, Samuel Bobrick, Joseph Bookman, Sofya Dyskina, Frieda Edelman, Daniel Alexander Edwards, Avram Eliezer, Simon Fishman, Bessie Franks, Morris B. Gelfond, Etta Goldman, Label Gordon, Max Hellerstein, Herman Kahn, Viola Kaufman, Yan Kaufman, David Klausner, Johanna Sacks Krause, Anna Mintz Levine, Blima Levy, Belle Leyh, Ben Mandel, Yaakov Melech, James Morris, Bayla Naimark, Clara Rosenberg, Uda Rosenberg, Michael Shames, Anatoly Vyortkin, Sarah Brown Wanger, Jules White, Marcel Yadgar

Friday, June 14, 2019 / 11 Sivan 5779 Morton Beck, Blima Eisen, Benjamin Friedman, Morris Goldman, Leah Greenspoon, Joanie Hartman, Jacquelynn Paige Katz, Belle Gittel Kauvar, Philip Milstein, Felix Moses, Harriet Norkin, Catherine E. Platt, Chaim Eleazar Rushnevksy, Harry Sapper, Julia Siegel, Noah Siegel, Dave Singer, Harriette Sklar, Rose Sobel, Susie Strait, Jennie Waldman, Bernard Wolpa, Isaac Zekman

Happenings @ BMH-BJ

Shavuot 2019 —June 8 - 10, *Let's celebrate the Torah in love and in community!*
Join us for Shavuot featuring davening, dairy meals, classes and workshops, Torah study into the wee hours, lots of cheesecake and plenty of coffee!

**Pick up a schedule at the lobby table.*



Mt. Sinai Creamery Ice Cream Social —June 9 at 4:00 pm in the Social Hall

Keep enjoying dairy foods by visiting the Mt. Sinai Creamery. There will be a sundae bar with multiple toppings and flavors. We will also be providing fun child friendly activities, like cookie decorating and games. The event is free of charge.

Chesed Group Meeting —Tuesday, June 11, at 11:00 am in the Library

Join us as we continue our efforts to help members of our shul community. Jeff Kline will review past successes and new leader Bobbie Parris will discuss visions for the future. Everyone is welcome, tea and snacks will be provided. For information or to volunteer contact Bobbie at bparrisece@msn.com

Shaarei Simcha Meeting —Wednesday, June 12, after Maariv

We will discuss our dwindling summer week-day attendance and how to better serve our mourners and daveners and keep our tradition of having two minyanim a day as a resource to the Denver community.

Rhythm 'N' Ruach Tot Shabbat —Friday, June 21 at 5:15 pm

Introducing Rhythm 'n' Ruach with Reb 'n' Deb! Rhythm 'n' Ruach is a fun interactive child-friendly service. The service will be lead by our very own Rabbi Chaitovsky and Debbie Foster. Rhythm 'n' Ruach will provide an engaging musical Shabbat experience for the whole family! Following R'n'R a pasta dinner will be available for those who register. Sign up at www.bmh-bj.org/event/rhythmnruachshabbat

Broadway comes to BMH-BJ —Sunday, June 23, 2019 at 2:00 pm in the Sanctuary

Spend a fun afternoon at this musical community event. This fantastic show with some of Denver's finest musicians, features an array of musical hits from shows present and past. Sign up today by visiting www.bmh-bj.org/event/BroadwayConcert or call the main office at 303-388-4203. Tickets are \$25 pre-ordered, \$35 at the door, and includes refreshments following the show. Doors open at 1:30 pm, show starts at 2:00 pm.

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Friday 10 am - 1 pm
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Annual Meeting

Tuesday, June 25, 2019
at 7:00 pm
in Blitt/Fisher Hall