



Parashat Devarim, Shabbat Chazon

August 10 - 16, 2019 — 9 - 15 Av 5779

Shacharit — Rabbi Chaitovsky, Torah reading — pg 938, Baal Koreh — Jerry Rotenberg

Taste of Torah parashah shiur with Essie Fleischman at 10:00 am in the Gallery

Haftarah — Isaiah 1:1-27; pg 1195 — Rabbi Chaitovsky

Musaf — Scott Tene

Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky

Ilene Rosen—Executive Director

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Cantor Martin Goldstein

Cantor Emeritus Joel Lichterman

Cantor Emeritus Zachary Kutner



The Week Ahead

Saturday— August 10—9 Av

Daf Yomi 8:00 am

Sanctuary 9:00 am

Chapel 9:15 am

Mincha 6:45 pm

Fast Begins 8:02 pm

Shabbat Ends 8:45 pm

Maariv & Eicha 9:00 pm

Sunday— August 11—Fast

Daf Yomi 7:30 am

Shacharit & Kinnot 8:30 am

Art Project 10:15 am

Movie and Discussion 5:45 pm

Mincha/Maariv 7:30 pm

Havdalah/Fast Ends 8:43 pm

Monday— August 12

Daf Yomi 5:30 am

Shacharit, 6:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:25 pm

Movie Madness 6:30 pm

Sefer HaChinuch 8:00 pm

Tuesday— August 13

Daf Yomi 5:45 am

Shacharit 6:45 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:25 pm

Wednesday— August 14

Daf Yomi 5:45 am

Shacharit 6:45 am

Rabbi's Class 7:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:25 pm

Thursday— August 15

Daf Yomi 5:30 am

Shacharit 6:30 am

Senior Chavurah 1:00 pm

Mincha/Maariv 6:25 pm

Friday— August 16 —Tu b'Av

Daf Yomi 5:45 am

Shacharit 6:45 am

Mincha 6:25 pm

Candle Lighting 7:35 pm

Tisha B'Av, the ninth day of the month of Av, marks our commemoration of many Jewish tragedies and primarily the destruction of the Holy Temples in Jerusalem in 586 BCE and 70 CE. Similar to Yom Kippur, on Tisha B'Av we refrain from eating, drinking, bathing, anointing the body with oil, wearing leather shoes, and sexual intimacy. However, Tisha B'Av does not carry the same prohibitions as Shabbat, one is allowed to drive, use electricity, etc..

The day is observed by chanting the book of Lamentations and reciting mourners' prayers, while sitting on the ground or on stools. This historic day of mourning begins this year before Shabbat is over and extends through 45 minutes after sunset on Sunday.

Please join us for a "Kool Kiddush" in the Social Hall sponsored by BMH-BJ and enhanced by Harold and Elaine Feldman.

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.

Parshah Devarim (Devarim — Devarim/Deuteronomy 1:1-3:22 pg 938)

Devarim, which always falls before Tisha b'Av, is the first *Sidrah* in the fifth book of the Torah by the same name. The book consists of Moses' farewells to Israel at the end of his long assignment as their leader.

Moses begins his repetition of the Torah to the assembled children of Israel, reviewing the events that occurred and the laws that were given from Egypt to Sinai to the Promised Land, rebuking the people for their failings and iniquities and enjoining them to keep the Torah and observe its commandments in the land that God is giving them as an eternal heritage, into which they shall cross after his death.

Moses recalls his appointment of judges and magistrates to ease his burden of meting out justice to the people and teaching them the word of G-d; the journey from Sinai through the great and fearsome desert; the sending of the spies and the people's subsequent spurning of the Promised Land, so that God decreed that the entire generation of the Exodus would die out in the desert. "Also against me," says Moses, "was God angry for your sake, saying: You, too, shall not go in there."

Moses also recounts some more recent events including the refusal of the nations of Moab and Ammon to allow the Israelites to pass through their countries; and Moses' message to his successor, Joshua, who will take the people into the Land and lead them in the battles for its conquest: "Fear them not, for the Lord your God, He shall fight for you."

In Today's Haftarah (Isaiah 1:1-27; pg 1195)

This *Haftarah* is the third of the "haftarot of affliction" read during the Three Weeks of mourning for Jerusalem, between the fasts of 17 Tammuz and 9 Av. For nearly forty years, Isaiah chastises the residents of Judah and Jerusalem for having rebelled against God, repeating their errors time and again, even after being reprimanded. Isaiah implores them to be righteous and decent among themselves of their own free will lest God force them to repent through hardship and punishment. Then encourages the people to repent sincerely and to perform acts of justice and kindness towards the needy, orphans and widows and promising them the best of the land in return for obedience.

Announcements

Mazal Tov to Sandy and Joe Bean on the birth of their great granddaughter on Monday August 5, 2019. Everyone is doing well!

There will be no Shabbat Youth Classes on Saturday, August 17, 2019

This Tisha B'Av we are partnering, once again, with Fast for Feast

Founded by Rabbi Marc Gitler, Fast for Feast is an attempt to reclaim an ancient custom of taking the money saved due to fasting, and donating it to individuals who regularly face hunger. By doing so you will transform your fast into a feast for the hungry here and in Israel. Sign up at www.fastforfeast.org/bmhbj

Yizkor Book — If you would like to have an inscription in this year's book for the High Holy Days please contact Ann Davis at anndavis002@gmail.com. Submissions due by Monday, August 19th.

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*)
- Roberta Feinsmith
- **Women's Parashah Shiur** Thursdays 11:00 am
- Ellyn Hutt (*No classes August 1, 8, or 15. Classes will resume on Thursday, August 22*)
- **Taste of Torah** Shabbat at 10:00 am
- Essie Fleischmann
- **Ten Minutes of Text** Shabbat at Seudah Shelishit
- Rabbi Chaitovsky

Birthdays Allison Pells, Elizabeth Sher, Alana Kaufman, Jonathan Vinnik, Rochelle Nechama Levitt, Sheila Kramer-Lerner, Faye Gardenswartz, Jack Makovsky, Mira Barter, Jeff Warren, Bernard Spilka, Yonatan Bashari, Atai Ezra Gavish, Molly Zwerdinger, Galia Marcuschamer, Sadie Parris, Ariel Bashari, Jeffry Geller, Abraham Male, Evan Dechtman, Levi Peterson, Maxine Miller, Arthur Moss

Anniversaries

Alan & Deborah K. Karsh (30)	Harold & Joyce Koch (57)
Harold & Elaine Feldman (40)	Stuart & Judith Heller (58)
John & Marjorie Berman (47)	
Stephen & Maxine Miller (59)	Scott & Hydee Pringle (37)
David & Jacqui Beckett (27)	
Norman & Sunny Brownstein (50)	Ellice Goldberg & Michael Freiheiter (12)

Refuah Sheleima/Speedy Recovery Chaim Binyamin ben Sara, Esther bat Chana, Sara Behmoaras, Risa Shayna bat Batya, Jan Buckstein, Paula Burger, Hally Bregman (Tzvi Arye ben Devorah), Linda Fox, Max Furer, Pip Goldstein, Elaine Greenberg, Francine Greenberg (Feige Esther bat Ita Liba), Dr. Stuart Gottesfeld, Hilda Kass, Doniel Kaye, Isaak Ben Beile (Isaac Krajmalnick), Shagraka Fagal ben Sima (Fabian Krajmalnick), Dona Mandell, Jerry Marcus (Hillel David Chaim ben Miryam), Danney McReynolds (Dun ben Abraham), Mark Millenson, Toby Mower (Tova bat Liba), Mordechai ben Pauline, Barbara Oxman, Lilian Schaeffer, Shabbtai Yaakov ben Channah, Miriam Sisk (Miriam bat Batya), Tamar bat Phoebe, David Weinstein, Terry Wolf, Tziviya Trana bat Rivka, Bayla bat Chaya Feiga Yachnowitz, Dana Waldbaum

HaMakom Yenacheim Etchem to Penny (Shawn) Lustigman, Sara (Ian) Zucker, Judy Kawa; Alex (Marla) Levin and family on the loss of their mother, and sister, grandmother, and great-grandmother, **Sonia Kawa, z"l**

Yahrzeits

Shabbat, August 10, 2019 / 9 Av 5779 Jakob Bauer, Isadore Berger, Frances Bloom, David Brooks, Masha Cohen, Minnie Cohen, Harvey Dlin, Mollie Feder, Thelma Leah Feldhamer, Ruth Gardenswartz, Abraham Goldhirsch, Suzanne Y. Hassner, Herman Lewitt, Madeline Jaffee Marquisee, Philip Mobell, Marion Edith Nathan, Fannie Raizen, Yevsey Ratner, Yakov Rogoff, Jean Rosen, Lena C. Rosenthal, Solomon Schindel, Jean Schwartz, Darlene Shwartz, Yaacov Silver, William Singer, Ben Soble, David Winter

Sunday, August 11, 2019 / 10 Av 5779 Celia Behrman, Ann Felsen, Juliana Garam, Adolph F. Gold, Herbert Klubock, Benjamin Krasner, Goldie Laff, Jennie Leventhal, Samuel Levy, Paul Needler, Harris Raphael, Emma Rose, Hyman Saliman, Polina Savranskaya, Minnie Schneider, Dorothy Singer, Esther Strauss, Michael Weinberg, Morris Zauderer

Monday, August 12, 2019 / 11 Av 5779 Zelda Pearl Averch, Anna Mae Boscoe, David S. Day, Freddie J. Goldberg, Nathan Goldstein, Celia Goldstein, Harry Goldstein, Dora Gordon, Ellen Gordon, Joshua Hirsch, Bruce Hunter, Alan Lieberman, Melvin Mandel, Eleanor Nordhauser, Ruth Eleanor Radetsky, Lena Stein, Daniel Stein, Graham Susman, Marcie L. Weiner, Theodore Wittow

Tuesday, August 13, 2019 / 12 Av 5779 Max W. Berger, Barbara Burstein, Fannie Chorney, Simon Chubby Cohen, Marion Detrick, Morris R. Furie, Helen Gelfand, Annie Henrich, Jack Kahn, Semen Kaykov, Abe Kerstein, Eunice M. Klein, Roberta Kline, Flora Levy, Jack Lutz, Morris Mastrofsky, Fred Pasternack, Betsy L. Rayor, Rose Rollnick, Herbert Schiff, Samuel Shoor, Donald Silver

Wednesday, August 14, 2019 / 13 Av 5779 Max Berenstein, Harry Bernstein, Daniel Cohn, Robert Deutsch, Arthur Dorin, Marilyn Elkins, Pauline Fishman, Herbert S. Glick, Rose Hayutin, Edgar Kern, Helene Klausner, Louis Levand, Harry Levy, Goodman Lifschitz, Barry Melnick, Samuel Shoor, Lillian Sisk, Ruth Springer, Dena Tulper, Dr. Irwin Vinnik, Oscar Weinreich, Milton Wieseltier, Irene Wolach, Elaine Wolf, Susan Zalkin

Thursday, August 15, 2019 / 14 Av 5779 Jonathan Benezra, Lillian Leah Davis, David Disler, Samuel Duman, I da L. Eber, Martin Eichberg, Roy Ettelman, Fannie Feld, Marcia Freeman, Bessie Goldberg, Hugo Holz, Louis Horwitz, Mannie Karsh, Pamela Fine Pickard, Annie Radetsky, Chaim Schanker, Erna Segal, Jerome Shaffer, Gustav Stern, Leon Strick

Friday, August 16, 2019 / 15 Av 5779 Lena Berman, Gladys Marcove Bronstein, Leah Carson, Esther Charney, Zelda Cohen, Abe "Pine" Cohen, Sylvia Simi Fleisher, Ida Goldberg, Helene Joseph, Yelisey Khait, Abe Lutz, Betsie Miller, Sophie Mandel Neiman, Yevgeniya Nemirovskaya, Elka Rozendorf, Leo Rubinowitz, Naftule Sachter, Gladys Samuelson, Louis Schatz, Irma Schon, Berneice D. Sherman, Harriet Silver, Joe Aaron Sobel, Isadore Sunshine, Justin Weinberg, Helen Sobol Wolin, Ruth Yoches, Benjamin Zeppelin

Happenings @ BMH-BJ

Fast of Av 2019 — Fast begins at 8:02pm on Saturday, August 10, and ends at 8:43pm on Sunday, August 11.

Tisha B'Av at BMH-BJ — Motzei Shabbat, August 10 — Sunday, August 11

Maariv & Eicha — Motzei Shabbat at 9:00 pm

Shacharit & Kinnot — Sunday at 8:30 am

Tisha B'Av Family Art Project — Sunday, August 11 at 10:15 am

A meaningful event for families with children ages 5-12. Families will work together to make a "Im Eshkachech Yerushalalyim" wall hanging. As families are creating their art work Rabbi Chaitovsky will lead a discussion on the importance of remembering Jerusalem and the suffering of our ancestors.

Tisha B'Av Film and Discussion — Sunday, August 11 at 5:45 pm

Join Rabbi Chai for a viewing of "Nicky's Family" followed by a discussion. "Nicky's Family" tells the story of Nicholas Winton, who organized the rescue of 669 children just before the outbreak of WWII.

Monday Movie Madness at Infinity Park — Monday, August 12 at 6:30 pm at 950 S. Birch Street

BMH-BJ invites our community to join us for an outdoor viewing of The Princess Bride. Enjoy a classic movie while spending time with fellow congregants. We will meet inside the park - register online so we know to look for you! www.bmh-bj.org/event/MovieMadness

Chesed Group Meeting — Tuesday, August 13 at 11:00 am in the Library

Join us as we continue our efforts to help members of our shul community. Everyone is welcome.

For information or to volunteer contact Bobbie at bparrisece@msn.com

Senior Chavurah, Tales in and out of Shul — Thursday, August 15 at 1:00 pm in the Gallery

Discover more about Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky and his journeys as a Rabbi in different communities.

Movies on Monaco — Thursday, August 25 at 7:00 pm in the Fisher/Blitt Hall

"Train de Vie" - in this tragicomedy film, we get a thought-provoking and subversively entertaining look at how an eastern European Jewish village plans to escape the Holocaust.

Shalom Salaam Sisterhood Meeting — Sunday, August 25, 3:00-5:00 pm

We have a HATE problem in America. There has been a 50% increase in white nationalist groups from 1999-2018, come and hear three of our Sisters, of different races and different faiths, share their stories.

Location: Mosaic Foundation 10855 E. Bethany Dr. Aurora 80014, RSVP to Bobbi, light2u@comcast.net



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