



Parashat Ki Tavo

September 1-7, 2018 — 21-27 Elul 5778

Torah reading — pg 1068, Baal Koreh — Jerry Rotenberg

Haftarah — Isaiah 60:1-22 pg 1201 — Cantor Martin Goldstein

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

Ketivah v'Chatimah Tovah — May you be inscribed and sealed for a good year.

Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky

Ilene Rosen—Executive Director

Jeff Kline— Shul President

Cantor Martin Goldstein

Cantor Emeritus Joel Lichterman

Cantor Emeritus Zachary Kutner

Service Times

Saturday— September 1

Daf Yomi 8:00 am

Shacharit, Sanctuary 9:00 am

Shacharit, Chapel 9:15 am

Taste of Torah 10:00 am

Mincha, Chapel 7:10 pm

Havdalah 8:13 pm

Sunday— September 2

Daf Yomi 7:30 am

Shacharit, Chapel 8:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:15 pm

Monday— September 3

Labor Day (offices closed)

Daf Yomi 7:30 am

Shacharit, Chapel 8:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:15 pm

Tuesday— September 4

Daf Yomi 5:20 am

Shacharit, Chapel 6:20 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:15 pm

Wednesday— September 5

Daf Yomi 5:20 am

Shacharit, Chapel 6:20 am

Rabbi's Torah Class 7:30 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:15 pm

Thursday— September 6

Daf Yomi 5:10 am

Shacharit, Chapel 6:10 am

Ellyn Hutt Class 11:00 am

Mincha/Maariv 6:15 pm

Friday— September 7

Daf Yomi 5:20 am

Shacharit, Chapel 6:20 am

Mincha 6:15 pm

Candle Lighting 7:02 pm

שבת שלום ומבורך!



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.

Parashah Summary Moses instructs the people of Israel: When you enter the land that G-d is giving to you as your eternal heritage and you settle it and cultivate it, bring the first-ripened fruits (*bikkurim*) of your orchard to the Holy Temple, and declare your gratitude for all that G-d has done for you.

Our *parshah* also includes the laws of the tithes given to the Levites and to the poor, and detailed instructions on how to proclaim the blessings and the curses on Mount Gerizim and Mount Eival—as discussed in the beginning of the Parshah of Re'eh. Moses reminds the people that they are G-d's chosen people, and that they, in turn, have chosen G-d.

The latter part of Ki Tavo consists of the *Tochachah* ("Rebuke"). After listing the blessings with which G-d will reward the people when they follow the laws of the Torah, Moses gives a long, harsh account of the bad things—illness, famine, poverty and exile—that shall befall them if they abandon G-d's commandments.

Haftarah Summary This week's *haftarah* is the sixth of a series of seven "*Haftarot* of Consolation." These seven *haftarot* commence on the Shabbat following Tisha B'Av and continue until Rosh Hashanah.

In glowing terms the Prophet Isaiah recounts to the Babylonian exiles descriptions of what will unfold during the Redemption. Beginning with the resurrection of the dead and the ingathering of the exiles, continuing with the joy and abundance the Jewish people will then experience, as well as the gifts that will be brought to G-d from all of the nations of the world.

Israel shall be restored to Zion and its unhappiness shall be replaced with great joy. No longer will the Jewish nation be persecuted and despised by the powerful nations, there will no longer be violence nor mourning. Instead, there will be peace and decency. G-d will bring His promises to Israel to fulfillment and shine His everlasting light on His people.

Don't Worry, Be Happy! —Friday night, September 7 in the Chapel at 6:15 pm

It's the last Shabbat of the year. Let's really do it up! Join Rabbi Chai, Cantor Marty, Reb Noam, and others for a very special "Happy" Kabbalat Shabbat featuring spirited singing, divrei Torah, and a wonderful sense of community. Mark your calendars now! It will be a great way to end 5778.

שבת שלום
Shabbat Shalom!

Tell Me More... *A comprehensive and enlightening "next step" series of classes by Rabbi Chaitovsky that will build on the Jewish fundamentals you already know, evenings 7:15 pm in the Gallery*

Series #2 - weekly in October— The World According to God

- ◆ In the Beginning. Just One. Two Names. Does God Look Like Us. Male or Female.
- ◆ The Know-It-All and Free Will. God Has Partners.
- ◆ Why Noah Was Not the First Jew. Judaism on One Foot. Two Temples and Two Kinds of Commandments. Kingdom of Priests. The Messianic Vision.

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 (*not Labor Day or Chagim*)
- ▶ **Verse by Verse through the Torah**
Wednesdays at 7:30 am - Rabbi Chaitovsky

- ▶ **Women's Parasha 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 (*not Sept 1st*)
- ▶ **Ten Minutes of Text** Shabbat at Seudah Shelishit
- Rabbi Chaitovsky
- ▶ **Kabbalah & Jewish History** Sundays at 10:30 am
- Cantor Goldstein (*beginning Oct 7th*)

Birthdays

Shauna Ruda, Alisa Zapiler, Baruch Noam, Wendy Pomeranz, Jeffrey Waldman, Matthew Mulverhill, Joshua Rotenberg, Anat Grinberg, Kevin Molk, Manuel Nash

Anniversaries

David & Charlene Engleberg (46)

Stuart & Marilyn Gottesfeld (57)

Kevin & Nina Molk (40)

Joe & Melissa Schweid (28)

Adam Boscoe & Natalie Drucker Boscoe (8)

Dennis & Lynn Blum (36)

Lee & Melanie Siegel (25)

Refuah Sheleima/Speedy Recovery Chaya bat Sara Feige, Chaim Binyamin ben Sara, Sara Behmoaras, Sherman Burry, Rabbi Yaakov Chaitovsky (HaRav Yaakov Kalman ben Baila Faige), Deborah Dunn (Devorah Leah bat Ita Liba), Linda Fox, Crystal Hickman, Leland Huttner, Doniel Kaye, Beverly Marcove, Gary Marcove, Howard Marcove, Jerry Marcus (Hillel David Chaim ben Miryam), Aileen Marcus (Amalia Ester bat Chana), Andrea Meyers, Mark Millenson, Toby Mower, John Peterson, Ron Saliman, Lilian Schaeffer, Joseph Silver, Ann Story, Jeff Warren (Yaakov ben Freidel), David Weinstein, Terry Wolf, Charles Zwerdinger

Yahrzeits

Shabbat, September 1, 2018 / 21 Elul 5778

William Bagully, Ann S. Cohan, Fannie Fink, Dr. Carl Flaxer, Harry Fraitag, Lawrence Lorry Goldberg, Louis Inger, Joel Keith Jacobs, William H. Kahn, Kaufman Katz, Sidney Langsam, Nadya Lapidoos, Martha Methner, Leon Parnes, Morris Salzer

Sunday, September 2, 2018 / 22 Elul 5778

Sara Abramova, Sadie Appel, Irving Berlin, Abraham Birnbaum, Isaac Cohan, Reuben E. Forman, Ida Goldstein, Abraham Louis Goldstein, Isadore Gordon, Albert Groussman, Irvin Jacobs, Marie T. Katzenstein, Adolph O. Levy, Leah Faye Mandell, Dr. Maurice Marcove, Susan Markus, Eli Oxman, Maurice Mike Primock, Max Reiff, Chaya Rosenbaum, Carolyn R. Shupe, Gertrude Sigman, Kimberly Thomas, Minnie Tyor, Betty Veta

Monday, September 3, 2018 / 23 Elul 5778

Dave Abramson, Alma Augenblick, Julian Cohen, Malka Dumbrouvner, Ginda Firshteyn, Jack Franklin, Jordan Irwin Heller, Dora May Karmel, Michael Kean, Jerry Kupetz, Albert A. Light, Sophie Miroff, Arthur A. Morris, Louis Novicoff, Eva Orenstein, Pauline Quiat, Anna Sack, Jacob Silverman, Ann D. Simon, Bernard Waldman, Fannie Weinberg

Tuesday, September 4, 2018 / 24 Elul 5778

Edward Alexander, Esther Austin, Shmul Beker, Jennie Berkowitz, Lena Berland, Moshe Dubehr Chaitman, Marlene Furer, Alice Greenberg, Emilie Gruber, Bertha Kerstein, Philip Levinson, Ruth Margulies, Annie Marinoff, Ruth Anne Richman, Doris Shidler, George Simmonds, Minnie Stepsay, Hyman Suson, Ida Tepper, Manya Varshitskaya, Abraham I. Zuckerman

Wednesday, September 5, 2018 / 25 Elul 5778

Ruth Alpert, Pearl Altman, Kalman Axel, Sarra Belilovsky, Lena Burg, Jacob (Jake) Cohen, Marvin Cohen, Frances Elster, Erna Falck, Henry H. Garbaty, Max Guzofsky, Max Katchen, Nekhama Kertsburd, Isaak Lekhter, Dr. Joel Mosko, Goldena Myers, Morris H. Robinson, Betty Elizabeth Siegel, Harold Solin, Edith Tannenbaum, Harry Tucker, William Weissberg, James Weissman

Thursday, September 6, 2018 / 26 Elul 5778

Shirley Barocas, Goldie Miller Berman, Samuel Boris, Beverly Coffee, Marcus Davidson, Henry Ely, Meri Blumeh Epstein, Rabbi Henry R. Goldberger, William Gordon, Sarah Greenstein, Joseph Grinblum, Yehudis Kessler, Ida Koltz, Ben Koppel, Anna B. Loup, Benjamin Marcus, Miriam Mathless, Flora Milstein, Shirley Rose Pinchick, Barbara Pluss, Meyer Saltzman, Dr. Rueben Schachet, Gary Sneider, Ida Harris Sobol, Eve West

Friday, September 7, 2018 / 27 Elul 5778

Josef Brandt, Lillian Drucker, Rose Feintech, Isadore Fishman, Ernest Grey, Jacob Heller, Adolph Israelske, Alex Kaplan, Julius Kohen, Max Mozer, Hosea Naiman, Harry Pitter, Frank Pluss, Fannie Bloom Pohly, Max Joe Roth, Florence Rubinstein, Rosa Shapiro, Gitel Shimanoff, Joseph Silver, Lillian Singerman, Elia Vaksman, Leya Zak

Announcements

Moving Traditions 8th and 9th grader boys and girls

Community-wide cross-denominational Jewish social network initiative which provides mentors and friends in a supportive and interactive group to help teens mature together. Meetings once a month for 2-hours. For more information, please view this 3.23 minute [video](#) to learn more, and/or check out the [website](#).

Kohelet Club 8th-9th grader boys and girls

Stay connected to tradition with this multi-synagogue initiative for post-b'nei mitzvah. We encourage all teens to join in this program! Please contact Rachael at clergyassist@bmh-bj.org

Looking for Holiday Hosts

If you are able to host guests for a holiday meal, please contact Rachael at clergyassist@bmh-bj.org

HHD Children's Programing

Sign up for all five sessions at a discounted rate of \$100. Please reserve your space by August 29, a \$10 late fee applies thereafter. Return the form to Nora in the Main Office or send to Njamieson@bmh-bj.org.

Lulav, Etrog & Schach

Order yours today online at www.bmh-bj.org/high-holy-days or contact Rachael at 303-951-8231. Orders due by Monday, September 3rd. Prepayment required! Collection post-Yom Kippur.

Greater Denver Jewish Community Study

A 20-minute phone survey will begin in the last week of August and continue through end October. How big are we? Where do we live? How do we connect with community? What does Jewish life look like here? The study findings, released in early 2019, will inform how we create inclusive, vibrant, and meaningful Jewish life for all. Your information will be confidential and invaluable to our community. For more information: [Facebook](#) /GreaterDenverJewishCommunityStudy, [Email info@jewishcommunitystudy.org](mailto:info@jewishcommunitystudy.org). If you have questions, please feel free to contact shere@sskahnconsulting.com. We encourage all to participate.

BMH-BJ Preschool Playground Fund

We are even closer to breaking ground on a brand new, much-needed playground. Thanks to the generosity of several members of our community, we now only have \$10,000 left to raise to break ground in the fall! Please help us reach our goal - any amount makes a difference.

Donate, share the link, and help us reach our goal to renovate this vital part of our preschool. Find out more about the larger project and donate at BMHBJPreschool.org/Playground

BMH-BJ Women's Interfaith Group to resume —Monday, September 17, 7:00 - 9:00 pm in the Library Begun by Rabbi Wagner c. 30 years ago and hosts people from every background. The group meets monthly. For info contact Marilyn Kopelman at marilynsdesk@aol.com. Schedule is always posted outside the Library.

Women's League Gift Shop High holiday 25% off Sale

Shofars
Shofar Stands
Apple & Honey Dishes

Cards
Bagel Platters



Hours:
Monday - Thursday 10 am - 4 pm
Friday 10 am - 1 pm
Sunday 9:30 am - 1:00 pm
303-951-8238

Lulav Bags
Etrog Boxes
Sukkot Decorations
Hostess Gifts
Calendars

We stock gift items for every occasion!