

Parashat Ki Tavo

September 21 - 27, 2019 — 21 - 27 Elul 5779

Torah reading — pg 1068, Baal Koreh — Jerry Rotenberg
Haftarah — Isaiah 60:1-22; pg 1201 — Cantor Goldstein
Taste of Torah parashah shiur with Essie Fleischman at 10:00 am in the Gallery
Cantor Goldstein will speak on "Ki Tavo: Reflections on my Trip to Israel."

We welcome a special presentation by Officer Mike Borquez on Security at Shul

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 in the Social Hall for Kiddush sponsored by BMH-BJ and enhanced by Martin and Ahouva Sicker on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary and by Lisa and Jacques Ruda on the Yahrzeits of Lisa's parents, Dr. Carl and Evelyn Flaxer, and her sisters, Susan Flaxer Zalkin and Lori Flaxer Kamlet.

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, Rabbi Chaitovsky, Andy Schwartz, Jeff Kline or Ilene Rosen.

The Week Ahead Saturday— September 21

Daf Yomi 8:00 am Sanctuary 9:00 am Chapel 9:15 am Mincha 6:35 pm Havdalah 7:41 pm Kumzitz & Convers. 9:00 pm Selichot (Chapel) 10:00 pm Midnight Selichot 12:00 am

Sunday — September 22

Daf Yomi 7:30 am Shacharit 8:30 am Mincha/Maariv 6:10 pm

Monday - September 23

Daf Yomi 5:10 am Shacharit 6:10 am Mincha/Maariv 6:10 pm Hebrew Convers. 7:00 pm Sefer HaChinuch 8:00 pm

Tuesday - September 24

Daf Yomi 5:25 am Shacharit 6:25 am Mincha/Maariv 6:10 pm

Wednesday - September 25

Daf Yomi 5:25 am Shacharit 6:25 am Rabbi's Class 7:30 am Mincha/Maariv 6:10 pm

Thursday— September 26

Daf Yomi 5:10 am Shacharit 6:10 am Ellyn Hutt Class 11:00 am Mincha/Maariv 6:10 pm

Friday - September 27

Daf Yomi 5:25 am Shacharit 6:25 am Mincha (Chapel) 6:15 pm Candle Lighting 6:29 pm

Parashat Ki Tavo (Ki Tavo — Devarim/Deuteronomy 26-29:8 pg 1068)

In the *sidrah*, 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 parashah 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.

In Today's Haftarah (Isaiah 60:1-22; pg 1201)

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.

Pre-Holy Day Announcements

Looking for 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 September 23, after which a \$10 late fee applies. Go online to bmh-bj.org/form/hhdchildcare5780 or call the main office.

High Holy Day Junior Congregation

Children from grades 3-6 are invited each day of the chaggim, 10:45 - 11:30 am, for a spiritual and educational program. Teacher Joel Rozansky will be leading a program focusing on the importance of each High Holy Day. No registration is necessary.

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 (in the Gallery)
- ► Verse by Verse through the Torah

Wednesdays at 7:30 am - Rabbi Chaitovsky

- ► Conversational Hebrew Class Mondays at 7:00 pm
 - Roberta Feinsmith (in the Library)
- ► Women's Parashah Shiur Thursdays at 11:00 am
- Ellyn Hutt (in the Gallery)
- ► Taste of Torah Shabbat at 10:00 am
- Essie Fleischmann (in the Gallery)
- ► Ten Minutes of Text Shabbat at Seudah Shelishit
- Rabbi Chaitovsky

Daily Minyan needs your support! We are proud that our synagogue has a minyan twice a day in the Chapel. It is not easy getting a minyan and we always need extra attendees. Please make a mitzvah and commit once a week or once a month to joining our morning or evening minyan. Consider it your "Jewry Duty"!



Mazal Tov to Martin and Ahouva Sicker on the occasion of their 60th Wedding Anniversary! To Jacqueline Elkins on the marriage of her son Noah this Sunday to Yitty Elizabeth Bitterman! To Jeff Kline, who was just appointed as the COO of Jewish Colorado!

Birthdays Lucas Smith, Rueben Mendelsberg, Vern Engbar, Bill Mackiernan, Maxwell Lipsitz, Stella Elizabeth Boscoe, Roberta Feinsmith, Cheri Goldstein, Elan Leftin, David Dym, Myles Hayutin, Avrah Golombek, Daisy Berl, Etai Mor, Vicki Eskanos, Eliana Schwartz

Anniversaries Shane & Jenny Menter (5) Morton & Toby Mower (54) Jerry & Beverly Pearl (49)

Refuah Sheleima/Speedy Recovery Chaim Binyamin ben Sara, Daniel ben Batya, Paula Berger, Esther bat Chana, Sara Behmoaras, Hally Bregman (Tzvi Arye ben Devorah), Linda Fox, Shirley Franklin, Max Furer, Bobbie Furer, Myron (Moshe ben Elka) Goldstein, Pip Goldstein, Elaine Greenberg, Francine Greenberg (Feige Esther bat Ita Liba), Dr. Stuart Gottesfeld, Perry Jultak, Hilda Kass, Isaak ben Beile (Isaac Krajmalnick), Shagraka Fagal ben Sima (Fabian Krajmalnick), Dona Mandell, Jerry Marcus (Hillel David Chaim ben Miryam), Dr. Frederick Mechanik, Mark Millenson, Rabbi Larry Moldo (HaRav Tzvi Liev ben Nechama), Mordechai ben Pauline, Barbara Oxman, Lilian Schaeffer, Renee Shraiberg (Rivkah bat Ita), Shabbtai Yaakov ben Channah, Miriam Sisk (Miriam bat Batya), Jay Stark, Tamar bat Phoebe, Terry Wolf, Tziviya Trana bat Rivka, Bayla bat Chaya Feiga Yachnowitz, Clifford Weller

Yahrzeits

Shabbat, September 21, 2019 / 21 Elul 5779 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

<u>Sunday, September 22, 2019 / 22 Elul 5779</u> Sara Abramova, Sadie Appel, Irving Berlin, Abraham Birnbaum, Isaac Cohan, Reuben E. Forman, Abraham Louis Goldstein, Ida Goldstein, Isadore Gordon, Albert Groussman, Irvin Jacobs, Harvey Karsh, 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 23, 2019 / 23 Elul 5779 Asher Abraham, 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

<u>Tuesday, September 24, 2019 / 24 Elul 5779</u> Edward Alexander, Esther Austin, Shmul Beker, Jennie Berkowitz, Lena Berland, Gary Boyd, Moshe Dubehr Chaitman, Marlene Furer, Alice Greenberg, Emilie Gruber, Bertha Kerstein, Philip Levinson, Ruth Margulies, Annie Marinoff, Ruth Anne Richman, Yevgeny Rubinchik, Doris Shidler, George Simmonds, Minnie Stepsay, Hyman Suson, Ida Tepper, Manya Varshitskaya

<u>Wednesday, September 25, 2019 / 25 Elul 5779</u> Ruth Alpert, Pearl Altman, Kalman Axel, Sarra Belilovsky, Lena Burg, Jacob Cohen, Marvin Cohen, Frances Elster, Erna Falck, Henry H. Garbaty, Max Guzofsky, Arnold Heller, 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 26, 2019 / 26 Elul 5779 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

<u>Friday, September 27, 2019 / 27 Elul 5779</u> Josef Brandt, Lillian Drucker, Rose Feintech, Isadore Fishman, Ernest Grey, Jacob Heller, Adolph Israelske, Alex Kaplan, Julius Kohen, Max L. 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, Herbert Wittow, Leya Zak

Happenings @ BMH-BJ

Selichot Night — Motzei Shabbat, September 21 at 9:00 pm in the Chapel

Welcome the High Holy Day season by lifting your soul on Selichot night with Rabbi Chaitovsky and Cantor Goldstein. Starting with Kumzits and Conversation, our clergy will lead an interactive presentation featuring stories and spiritual melodies that are part and parcel of the Yamim Noraim/the Days of Awe. Then take part in a spiritually uplifting Selichot service. Thank you to Marie Peterson who has underwritten refreshments that will follow the service. Sha'arei Simcha will have selichot at midnight.

Jewish Genealogical Society of CO Annual Seminar — Sunday, September 22 from 8:00 am – 4:00 pm *Join researchers, writers and lecturers, who will share a wealth of information in presentations at the JCC. Kosher breakfast and lunch will be provided. More information at www.JGSCO.org or info@JGSCO.org*

Ellyn Hutt & Teena Slatkin Book Launching — Sunday, September 22 from 2:00 pm — 4:00 pm at The JE Our very own Ellyn Hutt with co-author Teena Slatkin are hosting a celebration to mark the launch of their new book "Living in the Present Moment: A Divine Design". Includes refreshments by Chef Cheryl Leban.

Joint Service — Shabbat, September 28 in the Chapel

The BMH-BJ staff is converting the Sanctuary for High Holy Day seating. To ensure everything is neat and ready for Rosh Hashanah, a joint Shabbat service will take place in the Adelman Chapel prior to the Chagim. This is a special opportunity for our congregation to pray together before the High Holy Days.

Holy Day Open House — 1st Day Rosh Hashanah from 3:50-4:50 pm Rabbi Chai and Cantor Marty and Eve Goldstein are hosting a holiday gathering for anyone who would like to stop by the Rabbi's home at 344 S. Niagra St. Come for a relaxing visit with our clergy then join them for a walk over to the Lex for Tashlich at 5:00 pm.

Kever Avot at Mount Nebo Cemetery - October 6 at 10:15 am **Kever Avot at Rose Hill Cemetery** - October 6 at 11:00 am





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