

The Buzz at BZ

News From B'nai Zion Congregation in Shreveport, LA

☆ JUNE ~ JULY 2014 / SIVAN ~ AV 5774 ☆



From Rabbi Jana

Technically Jewish

In the beginning of June we celebrate one of the most awesome moments in history. We are standing together at Mount Sinai, and Moses comes down with the Torah including two tablets with the kinds of laws that all of the world fights to preserve. The Torah describes the moment as one filled with “technical effects” like thunder and lightning and rumbling. God’s voice was so powerful that we could see it.

Many of you have probably seen a version of a comic strip that shows the two tablets as an iPad and a Kindle (or any other combination of electronic tablet devices). For many of us, our world is filled with technology - from computers to cell phones. Even people who say that they have no computers would be surprised how many commonly used objects rely on computer technology.

When I was young I was taught that the Rabbis from two thousand years ago define much of how we interpret the Torah, because they were closer to the original version. Like a very long running game of “Operator,” they probably heard a better version than we who are way further down the line of people whispering the messages in each other’s ears.

Today, however, we find that there are insights into our Torah and history that could only come out of having access to technology. Scanning the Torah and all of its commentaries takes seconds with a computer – or even world-wide internet – search.

B'nai Zion is using technology to help enhance our Jewish experiences. We post our news online, and send information via email. We store records in the computer, which helps keep them more accurate and helps us find the information quickly. Pictures we take of events are digital, giving us instant access (without waiting for things to develop), and instant ability to share. I now use computers to help teach students Hebrew—especially students who live far away.

On Saturday mornings and during classes we use the big screen to view Torah commentaries, including videos and texts. A number of people have been watching the services in our sanctuary either while it is happening (live stream) or whenever it is convenient (archived online) on their computers. Congregants are telling me that they couldn’t get off work early enough to get to services, but really enjoyed watching at home. I now am asked questions like, “if I say Kaddish for my parent while I am watching the congregation saying it on Friday night, does that count for appropriately honoring my parent?” More people are asking to buy their own copies of the Prayer Book so that they can read along while they watch.

It is a strange thing to see how much the world and Judaism change. It is difficult to know what the consequences are of these changes. People worry that maybe everyone would rather stay at home to “attend” services, and then being a “holy congregation” feels less like we are “congregating.”

I am hoping that we can continue to have the best of all of these. Those of us who come to services love to gather together to visit with each other at services when we can. Those of us who are not able to travel to services appreciate the spiritual contact and inspiration that they couldn’t get by being far from the sanctuary. Information like recent deaths and funeral plans can be disseminated instantaneously to hundreds of people at once. Teachers can send last minute reminders to students. Students can cooperate to make multi-media projects.

Hopefully you are checking www.BnaiZionCongregation.org often. Ideally you are texting or emailing me ideas of new things you want to see accessible on the website. If you haven’t yet, you can “like” the B’nai Zion Congregation and Religious School pages on Facebook.

Can you find ways to be “technically” Jewish? Use your summer time to expand your Jewish horizons, then share what you have found with us at B’nai Zion. We like to email, text, message...



Bivrakha, *Rabbi Dr. Jana L. De Benedetti*

From our President

First of all I would like to thank the board for allowing me to serve as president for the next two years. It is with great humility that I accept this responsibility and look forward to what's ahead.

I would like to give you a brief history of my background especially for those of you who may be new to the congregation. I was born and raised in Opelousas where there were approximately 10 Jewish families. Believe it or not we had a beautiful Temple that was mainly used for the High Holy Days. My Sunday School years were spent in Lafayette, where I studied for my Bar Mitzvah and was confirmed.



After attending LSU-BR, I married Connie Roos of Shreveport and moved here to attend LSU Medical School. After school and my internship and residency in Georgia we chose Shreveport as home and I have been practicing Dermatology for 29 years.

We have two grown children. Ben lives in Hong Kong and works for an on-line education company; Alan and his wife Valerie live in Baton Rouge and New Orleans where both are working on their Masters. When I'm not working, I'm either traveling, attending LSU football games or duck hunting.

FYI – our board meetings are the third Tuesday of the month and are open to members of the congregation. Please feel free to attend or to contact me or any member of YOUR board. We are open to suggestions for ways to enhance your time at YOUR synagogue.

Looking forward to seeing you this year. Read the bulletin or check on-line to keep up with what's happening at BZ.

Shalom Y'all,

Donald



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From our Educator

“When I’m 64. . .” - just song lyrics – until now! It’s hard to reconcile the numbers, but indeed that’s the birthday coming up for me in July. I don’t really feel old, and I’m told that “a number is just a number,” but the number is high enough to make me reflect on where I’ve been and where I still want to go. Yes, that could cause me to list all the places I’ve visited and the places I still want to go, but my reflections of late have been more along the lines of what I’ve done with my life (family, career, hobbies and interests), and what I still want to do. This is not a self-help column, so I’m not going to provide you with my results and suggest that you take lessons from my achievements or my mistakes. I’m just going to suggest that whatever birthday is ahead of you, taking stock is always a good idea. Jewish life provides us with a whole month to take stock – the month of Elul – the month that precedes Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. In the same way that many of your Facebook friends are embracing “the 30 days of happiness” plan, perhaps you’ll want to join me not just in thinking about what makes you happy, but what life has taught you so far, and what you’re going to do with those lessons. There are questions that you can respond to each day, with pen and paper if that’s your style, with keystrokes on your iPad, if that’s your style. Maybe you’ll just want to read the questions and think about the answers, but I’ve found that I am more reflective – and more likely to act – if I write things down in a location that I can return to. Since Elul will begin this year on the evening of August 26 – right about the time that Bill and I will, God willing, welcome our seventh grandchild – and be very busy in San Francisco – I’m going to start early, on my birthday! If you’re interested in joining me on a reflective journey, email me at braunigw@aol.com, or leave a message for me in the office (861-2122). Perhaps we’ll have a start-up “party” in late June or early July.

“When I’m 64. . .” I’m going to celebrate with a special evening at B’nai Zion. How convenient that my birthday falls on Shabbat. Mark your calendar for July 11 and join me, ISJL Community Engagement chair Malkie Schwartz, Shalon Lewis, Director of the SPAR Valencia Center, and others as we have a lively discussion during or after services on the topic of “privilege” in our community. Here’s a chance to see how you enjoy “privilege” in a way that others in our community do not – and to see how you might reach out to mentor and to teach skills that will set children on a path to achievement. We will look back on our initial involvement with literacy at the Valencia Center, and we will look forward to see how we can expand. It’s another version of the Elul journal – only this time we will be doing it verbally – and welcoming two amazing young women to our synagogue.

My summer will also include travel to the ISJL Conference in Jackson, MS. Accompanying me will be Bethany Sorkey, Diane Dufilho, and Kathy Brodnax. We are already planning for the next “best” year of Religious School. A trip to Alaska is also on the July horizon. From Cuba to Alaska in just three months time! Bill and I learned much about the Cuban Jewish community. Now to see what we might discover about the Alaskan Jewish community – or the Vancouver community. It’s always interesting to visit synagogues, meet people, and find out what life is like for Jews in a different part of the world.

I hope your travels take you to new Jewish experiences this summer. You don’t have to travel far – there’s plenty of Jewish history right here in the South, plus anyplace else you might go. It’s just a matter of adding a bit of Jewish culture to the trips you’ve already planned. And if you’re staying right here, read a Jewish book – and join our People of the Book Club in the fall. We will all report on what we’ve read over summer vacation. Have a great one! See you at services.

L’shalom,

Helaine Braunig



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ISJL
Curriculum



Simcha Shabbat



Please join us each month when we bless and honor those who will be celebrating a **birthday** or **anniversary** during the month. If your birthday or anniversary is in **June** we will celebrate and honor you **June 6, 2014** during services. We will have a special Oneg Shabbat following services. If your birthday or anniversary is in **July** your Simcha Shabbat will be **July 4, 2014**.

It is a mitzvah for us to celebrate together.

Please make sure that the office knows your birthday and anniversary dates. If you are not on our birthday and anniversary list in the bulletin, it means we do not have your information.

Tot Shabbat

Children who are pre-readers and their families (and anyone who prefers not to sit still during services), please join us in the Sanctuary for Tot Shabbat, **9:00-9:30 Saturday, June 14, 2014 AM**. We will also be boinging and singing together **9:00-9:30 Saturday, July 5**.

Rabbi Jana will lead singing, dancing, marching, happy Shabbat services, and tell a story each month. See you there!

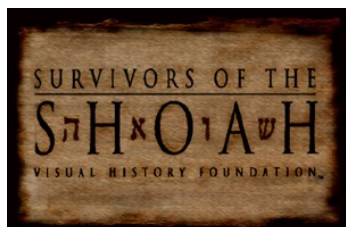


Jewish War Veterans—Post 581 of North Louisiana

Join us **5:00 PM Sunday, June 8** when regional officers will help us initiate the post, elect and install local officers. You do not have to be a member to attend this momentous occasion. It is not too late to become a charter member — either as veterans, active duty, or supportive Associate members. The B'nai Zion office has applications, if you would still like to join. If you live locally, but have joined a different post, now is the time to switch membership to our local post. The office can help make arrangements for you to take care of these things.



Honoring A Holocaust Survivor and the Family



As part of our **Friday, June 20**, Shabbat evening, Parisienne-born Denise Damensztein Schwarzbach, represented by her cousin Gigi Zelinsky, will pay homage to her Marshall, TX/Shreveport, LA relatives who gave her a new life after WWII. A special Oneg will follow services, including a showing of the Steven Spielberg Shoah taped interview with Denise. **Services begin 6:00 PM.**

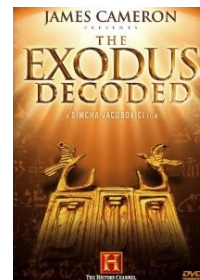
Shavuot

These are some traditions that we will observe as we celebrate the receiving of the Torah on Shavuot:

Tikkun Leil Shavuot: Learning all night to be ready and awake when the morning brings the awesome moment of *Hearing the Decalogue*. We also read the story of one of the most well-known people to choose Judaism, in the *Book of Ruth*; and appreciate how important food is to the Jewish people when we *Eat Dairy Foods* and appreciate the world around us and the miracle of Mount Sinai blossoming, by *Decorating with Greenery and Flowers*. Join us in keeping these Shavuot traditions at B'nai Zion:

6:00 PM Tuesday, June 3

We will nosh on dairy snacks and watch the controversial movie: **The Exodus Decoded** (92 min, not rated, suitable for any age). The movie provides insight and research in stunning virtual graphics determining the realities of the stories of the Exodus from Egypt, the Plagues, the Tabernacle, and the location of Mount Sinai. We can stay afterwards to discuss the movie, and share memories of standing at Sinai. We can try to stay awake all night (back at our own homes).



12:00 PM Wednesday, June 4

We will worship together for **Shavuot**, and remember together during the **Yizkor** service, when we will again use the Memorial Books that were printed for Yom Kippur. We will read the **Decalogue** and the **Book of Ruth**. We will celebrate the most awesome moment in history, as we stood at Sinai and received the Law.

Friday Film Fest

Watch movies after services on Friday evenings in June. We will provide pizza, popcorn, and drinks. Reservations are appreciated.

June 13

Arranged (92 min, not rated). Though others expect friction when Orthodox Jew Rochel and Muslim Nasira meet as teachers at a Brooklyn school, the women discover common ground.



June 27

Stolen Summer (91 min, PG): The touching story of a young Catholic boy, Peter O'Malley, who's on a quest to help a dying Jewish friend, Danny Jacobsen, get into heaven. On an unforgettable adventure marked by conflict and discovery, Pete and Danny will together learn the true meaning of hope and friendship!

Rabbi Jana at the Oaks

Everyone is invited to join Rabbi Jana when she will be at the Oaks of Louisiana:

-Wednesday June 11 in the Chapel, at **2:30 PM** for a Memorial Service for **Sylvia Rosenzweig** (and the other residents who died this past month).

-Thursday July 24 in the Tower at **4 PM** and at the Community Center at **6 PM** doing a presentation about *One Hundred Blessings a Day*.



North Louisiana Jewish Federation Annual Meeting



The North Louisiana Jewish Federation
invites you to attend our

Annual Meeting & Supper
Wednesday, July 16, 7 p.m.

B'nai Zion, Shreveport

- Come and enjoy salad and lasagna prepared by incoming Executive Director Kathy Plante.
- Thank retiring Board members Gary Abrams, David Brainis, Abry Cahn, and Berte Muslow; and give kudos to Outgoing President Joe Badt.
- Vote in new Board members; and support our new President: Curtis Joseph.
- Approve our 2014-15 budget.

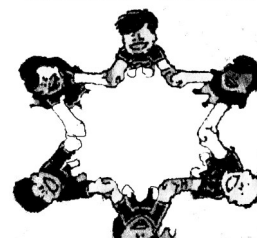
There is no cost to attend.

Reservations are not required but are appreciated at sgross@jewishnla.org.

Camp Chai 2014

Camp Chai is the annual Jewish Day Camp for the Jewish children of North Louisiana, sponsored by the Jewish Federation. Everyone has a fun time playing, doing crafts, singing, learning Hebrew, taking trips, swimming, playing, and much more. This summer it is scheduled to be held at B'nai Zion from July 21 through August 1. For more information about applications for campers or counselors, please contact the North Louisiana Jewish Federation at (318) 868-1200.

CAMP CHAI



NFTY at 75

UNION for REFORM JUDAISM



Many people who are active in Jewish congregational life were members of NFTY as teens. This year NFTY—the North American Federation of Temple Youth—is celebrating its 75th year. Festivities began at the biennial convention in December, and will continue through February.

If you were a member of NFTY, please sign up at www.nfty75.org. You can see or add to the collection of pictures, stories and memories. You can contribute to the future of the organization. You may even connect with old friends.

Daisy Kallenberg Bat Mitzvah: Save the Date



Daisy Kallenberg

Will be called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah

Friday, August 29, 2014

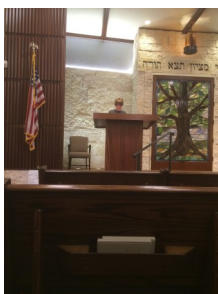
6:00 pm

Oneg Shabbat to follow

Heidi E Gregory Kallenberg



More May Moments at B'nai Zion



Putting notes in the Wall on the last day of class, practicing leading the service and reading from Torah, choosing Judaism, celebrating Mother's Day, and enjoying the Annual Meeting.

Third Annual Mitzvah Day

BIG THANK-YOU to Kathy Plante and her committee for preparing brunch.

Committee included: Tammy Courtney, Steven Levine, Francine Perlman, Barry Suckle

BIG THANK YOU TO Lauren Turner for initiating a fabulous art project for the residents of Holy Angels Residential Facility (a mural with 3 dimensional butterflies) ;

To Religious School teachers and families for working at the Leaps and Bounds playground, Holy Angels , and the Food Bank of Northwest Louisiana

To congregants for tying blankets for the Neonatal Unit at University Health

Here's what is sure to be an incomplete list:

Holy Angels

Nancy & Gary Abrams

Amy Brainis and Avery and Garrett

Rabbi Jana

Leigh Anne and Caroline Evensky

Laura Holman and Rachel and Steven

Daisy and Tobias Kallenberg

Susan & Charlton Meyer and Andrew

Jason Muslow & Mary Beth, Bella, and Stephen

Gil Platt

Maurie & Lane Rosen and Yale and Harrison

Leah Sorkey

Lauren Turner

Jennifer Walker and Morgan and Katie

Kathleen & Don Wiener and Sophie

Thomas Wiener

Food Bank

Barbara & Curtis Joseph and Caleb and Ivy

Breck and Maddy Myers

Gabrielle Miller

Christina Muslow and Ryan and Ragan

Bethany Sorkey

Mark Slutzky and Ro Myers

Leaps and Bounds Playground (Purple Park)

Laura & Dave Bares, Charlie

Diane Dufilho

Jodi Hyman

Marla & Perry Hyman

Lillian Miller

Maureen & Ricky Murov, Milena & Alexander

Anna Myers and Maddy and Kate

Amy & Brent Turner, Lauren & Cole

Blanket-Making

Nancy Abrams

Kathy Brodnax (and her class)

Debbie Dlin

Sheila Lawrence

Laurie Levine

Margaret Rifkin

Jennifer Walker and Morgan and Katie

Marion Weiss

Flower Arranging

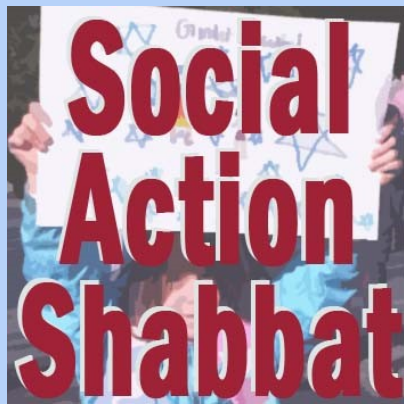
Taylor Badt

Savannah Badt

Sheila Lawrence

Mitzvah Goreret Mitzvah
One Mitzvah Leads to Another

Social Action Shabbat: Privilege and Literacy



Friday, July 11

we will have a special Social Action Shabbat featuring a panel that will speak to us about

Privilege and Literacy –

our past and future involvement with the Valencia Center.

Speakers will be

Malkie Schwartz,

Shalon Lewis,

and Curtis Joseph.

6 PM at B'nai Zion

Blood Drive “Superheroes”

Gary Abrams
Joe Badt
Amy Brainis
Kathy Brodnax
Debbie Caminker
Larry Evensky
Melissa Gillum
Ron Holman
Jodi Hyman
Marla Hyman
Stacy Hyman
Barbara Joseph



Ron Lepow
Tim Levin
Christina Muslow
Anna Myers
Breck Myers
Mitch Newstadt
Daphne Nierman
Steve Parker
Donald Posner
Bethany Sorkey
Laura Sorkey
Craig Toys



June Birthdays

1 Rochell Leff
 2 Matthew Muslow
 2 Nicholas Muslow
 3 Leon Abramson
 4 Julie Miller
 5 Michael Miller
 5 Ragan Muslow
 10 Carson Abrams
 10 Betty Goldman
 10 Steven Levine
 10 Milena Murov
 11 Bonnie Kesilman
 12 Emily Florsheim
 12 Vicki Marks
 13 Henry Brenner
 14 Hollie Nash
 15 Michael Rabinowitz



16 Kathryn Folse
 16 Caleb Joseph
 16 Max Mahler
 19 Sylvia Goodman
 20 Ron Holman
 24 Claire Meyer
 24 Rachel Stuart-Haas
 25 Pat Brooks
 25 Benjamin Rabinowitz
 26 Christopher Brown
 27 Spencer Blum
 27 Jennifer Walker
 29 Susan Murov
 30 Leigh Anne Evensky
 30 Ben Muslow
 30 Luke Muslow
 30 Austin Watkins

June Anniversaries

4 Connie and Donald Posner
 5 Sylvia and Carl Goodman
 10 Karen and Bob Gordon
 23 Nell and Abry Cahn, Jr.
 23 Sue and David Rubenstein
 24 Suzee and Ardis Robison II
 25 Mollie and Mitchel Newstadt
 25 Peggy and Leroy Nuckolls
 27 Alison and Brett Lake
 28 Lory and Larry Evensky



We give thanks for life, for health, for all that sustains us, and for this joyous day.

Wednesday Torah Study with Chaim & Shifra:



2nd Lt. Chaim Shmuel Stitzer and his wife Shifra will continue to teach simultaneous Torah lessons this summer **at 7:00 PM.** The location of the summer class is not yet determined. Please contact the office if you are interested in learning with them. These lively discussions each Wednesday will discuss the Torah portion of the week moving on to wherever the discussion leads. Chaim Shmuel will be leading the open or men only sessions and Shifra will teach a women-only class.

July Birthdays

4 Cliff Birchfield
6 Daniel Jones
9 John Meyer
11 Helaine Braunig
13 Kathryn Brodnax
14 Jon Black
14 Debbie Dlin
14 Richard Muslow
14 Michael Toys
15 Mark Slutsky
15 Leah Sorkey
15 Cole Turner
17 Carol Ginsburg
19 Jessica Maxey
20 Sabrina Frierson
20 Suzee Robison
21 Noah Sorkey



23 Barbara Just
23 Sylvia Katz
24 Brennan Hussey
24 Austin Toys
25 Pauline Murov
25 Floy Rabinowitz
26 Charles Kesilman
28 Jay Graff
28 Dorothy Kaplan
28 Jackie Nierman
28 Angie Noelani
29 Asher Frierson
29 Saadyiah Leff
29 Ann Nuckolls
29 Sophie Wiener
30 Stephen Muslow

July Anniversaries



7 Sabrina and Robert Frierson
8 Bonnie and Charles Kesilman
13 Lisa and Herbert Miller
14 Cindy and Ronald Marrus
21 Betty and Leonard Goldman
25 Paula and Ben Sour, Jr.
27 Marla and Perry Hyman
27 Katie and Matthew Muslow
31 Berte and Ike Muslow

***If you are not on the above list for current birthdays or anniversaries
it means that the office does not have your information.
Please provide the office with the appropriate month, date, and year to complete our data.***

May God Comfort:



Family and Friends of

☆ ***Sylvia Rosenzweig***

May Her Memory Be A Blessing

Tributes

CEMETERY FUND

In Memory of:

Fannie Chapman Handel
Edwin S. Handel
Carolyn Hirsch
Rachelle & Marcus Hirsch

DISCRETIONARY FUND

In Honor of:

Rabbi Jana De Benedetti
Catherine Susman
& Steven Prince

In Memory of:

Nell Ellis
Melinda & Fred Kent
Betty Grant
Melinda & Fred Kent
Seymour Van Os
Herman Van Os

ENDOWMENT FUND

In Honor of the 2014 Board Members:

Rabbi Jana De Benedetti

In Honor of the 60th Anniversary:

Harriett & Imy Marcus
Rachel & Mandel Selber

ONEG SHABBAT FUND

In Honor of the Bar Mitzvah:

Josh Hecker
Rhesa Williams Hecker



GENERAL FUND

Hoping for the Complete Recovery of:

Mandel Selber, Jr.
Dorothy & Bernard Lobel

In Honor of:

Donald Posner
Leslie & Jack Resneck

In Memory of:

Donna Dunn
Forrest Dunn
Betty Grant
Susie Miller
Mary & Stephen Muslow
Mimi & John Hussey
Carolyn Hirsch
Marjorie Hirsch Meyer
Albert Katzenstein
Robert Peterson
Sylvia Rosenzweig
Greg Cofer
Sylvia & Carl Goodman
Marcia Katzenstein
Kathy Plante
Stanley L. Sugar
Brian Alan Sugar

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND

In Honor of the Graduation of:

Spencer Blum
Cole Evensky
Eliot Haas
Yale Rosen
Dani Watkins
Kathy Plante

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND

In Honor of the Ordination of:

Jordan Braunig
Tammy Greenburg-Duble
Kathy Plante

RENOVATION FUND

For the Sanctuary Renovation:

Laura & David Bares
Judith & Rodney Grunes
Eric & Jeff Grunes
Elenrae Joyner
David Saphier

In Memory of:

Sylvia Rosenzweig
Joe Badt, Sr.
Connie & Donald Posner

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In Memory of:

Ivan Lustberg
Sandra & David Ginsburg
Bob Susman
Sandra & David Ginsburg

In Honor of:

Gloria Rosen
Francine Rosen & Family

In Honor of the Graduation of:

Cole Evensky
Francine Rosen & Family
Yale Rosen
Francine Rosen & Family

Yarzheits continued

July 27-August 2

Helen Badt *
Alfred E. Bailey
Leo Friedman
Rosina Willer Gamm
Alisa Ginsburg
August Goldstein
Bessie Nossek Herold
Kate Kahan *

July 27-August 2 (continued)

David Kessler
Irene K. Kessler
Ned Michael Lazarus
Lillian Levy
Rogelio Medina
Anita Ott
Abraham Schlinsky



Yahrzeits

June 1-7

Bessie W. Friedenthal
Walter L. Gerson *
H. Louis Heilperin *
Zena Heiman *
Abe J. Katz
Emmanuel Lerner
Marcae Manasseh
Lewis A. Moss
A.M. Rosen
Fannie Katz Rosenfield
Milton Rosenzweig
Julia E. Rutman
Mayme Selber *
Hilda W. Wolpert *

June 8-14

Leroy Bailey
Randolph Charles Bailey
Eve Baskowitz
Lewis Block, Sr.
Barbara Lane Bronner *
Leonard Burakoff
Erzsi Nagy Deutsch *
Ethel Willer Eltis
Sadie Friedman *
Richard Goulder
Alfred Hyman
Alexander Benjamin Maisel *
Oscar Manasseh *
Helene Rabe Meyer *
Lawrence Joseph Planchard

June 15-21

Helen S. Atlas *
Sadie Blumberg
Dr. Jacob M. Bodenheimer
Daniel Sinclair Bugg
Janice Cahn *
Henry Clark
Dora W. Fane *
Gregory Glover
Mrs. Gertrude Goldman
Ansel Harris
Marcia Heiman *
Lee Herzberg, Jr.
Lewis E. Kern
Ruth Vedlitz Krause
Thomas Langford
Woodrow Levin
Milton Levine
Etta Levy
Louis Lobel *
Yetta Lieber Marcus
Jean Muslow *
Donald Paul Weiss
Friedler J. Zuzak *

June 22-28

Warner E. Berg
Harold Feigelson
Fritz Glazer
H. Leo Greengus *
Albert "Dick" Gugenheim
Sam Handel
Rosa Sour Katzenstein *
Leah Leibo
Ben Levy, Sr. *
Rose Murov
Mitchel Newstadt
Corinne Roos *
Max William Roth *
Morris Rubin
Judy Sklar Silberstein
Vernon Wesley Sinclair
Sig Spitzer *
Joseph Paul Stuart, Sr.

June 29-July 5

Randolph C. Bailey, Jr.
Lena G. Baron
Julius Baskind
Dora Bluestein *
Marx Bluestein
Rubin Burakoff
Orville Dupree
Gertrude Feiner
Matthew Gold
Mrs. Gladys Gugenheim
Lester Haas
Augustus Hirsch *
Harry Lipson
Wayne McKelvey
Gerald Emile Posner
Sam Ruben
Ofie T. Rubin
Eva Silberblatt
Juliet Perlstein Simon *
Marion D. Sorkin *

July 6-12

Elinor Abramson
Mary T Wile Badt *
J.R. Dawson
Johanna Newstadt Horn
Morris Hyman
Morris Leff
W. Zolley Lerner
Rose Mandel
Israel Meisel *
Harvey Miller
Dorn Morris
Irvin Nierman
Babette G. Rabe
Valerie Roos *

July 13-19

Paul D. Abramson Sr.
Robert Baskowitz
Virginia E. Bergman
Regina Braunig *
M. Leslie Cruvant *
Norman Dlin
Mildred Gamm
Allen 'Remi' Gold
Sandra Eileen Goldberg *
Albert Goldsholl
Ivan Lewis Lustberg
Anna Kest Mantinband
Rosa Morris
Charles Murov *
Joe M. Murov *
Sylvia Muslow
Fane Phelps
Max Rosenbloom
Dave Spitzer *
Louis Weiss
Ed Wile

July 20-26

Mary Goldstein Abramson *
Arthur Anisman
Philip A. Bergman
Florence Goldberg *
Carrie Heidengsfield
Fannie B. Heilperin *
A. Adler Hirsch *
Marshall C. Keith *
Minnie P. Manasseh *
Hyman J. Manhein
Henry T. Meyer *
Bertha Ober Miller
Ida B. Rosen *
Sam Rubenstein *
Mrs. Neta Murphy Shaw
Lisa Weber Shields
Barbara Simon
Horace Simon
Wilhelmena Sour
Elaine Toys
Miss Doris Zwick

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* Memorial Plaque

June 2014/Sivan~Tamuz 5774

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 3rd of Sivan <i>47th day of the Omer</i>	2 4th of Sivan <i>48th day of the Omer</i>	3 5th of Sivan <i>49th day of the Omer</i> Erev Shavuot  6 PM Film "Exodus Decoded" 8:00 🕯️	4 6th of Sivan Shavuot Yizkor 12 pm 	5 7th of Sivan	6 8th of Sivan  SIMCHA SHABBAT <i>Service 6 PM</i> 8:02 🕯️	7 9th of Sivan B'haalot'cha Num 8:1-12:16 Zech 2:14-4:7 <i>Torah Study 9:45 AM</i> <i>Service 11 AM</i> 8:38 🕯️
8 10th of Sivan JWV Meeting & Installation 5 PM 	9 11th of Sivan	10 12th of Sivan	11 13th of Sivan Rabbi Conducting Memorial Service Sylvia Rosenzweig 2:30 pm The Oaks Chapel	12 14th of Sivan H.S. Jacobs Camp begins <i>Play, Learn and Grow... Together!</i> 	13 15th of Sivan "Arranged" Movie After Services  <i>Service 6 PM</i> 8:05 🕯️	14 16th of Sivan Sh'lach L'cha Num 13:1-16:41 Josh 2:1-24  TOT SHABBAT 9-9:30 AM <i>Torah Study 9:45 AM</i> <i>Service 11 AM</i> 8:41 🕯️
15 17th of Sivan 	16 18th of Sivan	17 19th of Sivan BZ BOARD MEETING 7 PM 	18 20th of Sivan	19 21st of Sivan	20 22nd of Sivan Shoah Survivor Presentation & Oneg Gigi Zelinsky <i>Service 6 PM</i> 8:07 🕯️	21 23rd of Sivan Korach Num 16:1-18:32 I Sam 1:14-12:22  First Day of Summer <i>Torah Study 9:45 AM</i> <i>Service 11 AM</i> 8:43 🕯️
22 24th of Sivan	23 25th of Sivan	24 26th of Sivan	25 27th of Sivan	26 28th of Sivan	27 29th of Sivan "Stolen Summer" Movie After Services  <i>Service 6 PM</i> 8:08 🕯️	28 30th of Sivan ROSH CHODESH TAMUZ Chukat Num 19:1-22:1 Judges 11:1-23 <i>Torah Study 9:45 AM</i> <i>Service 11 AM</i> 8:44 🕯️
29 1st of Tamuz ROSH CHODESH TAMUZ	30 2nd of Tamuz					

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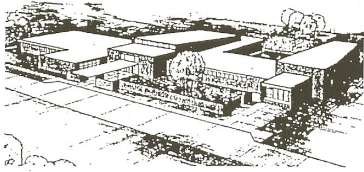
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 3rd of Tamuz	2 4th of Tamuz	3 5th of Tamuz	4 6th of Tamuz Independence Day  OFFICE CLOSED SIMCHA SHABBAT  Service 6 PM 8:07 	5 7th of Tamuz Balak Num. 22:2-25:9 Micah 5:6-6:8  TOT Shabbat 9-9:30 AM Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 8:43 
6 8th of Tamuz	7 9th of Tamuz	8 10th of Tamuz	9 11th of Tamuz	10 12th of Tamuz	11 13th of Tamuz Social Action Shabbat  Service 6 PM 8:06 	12 14th of Tamuz Pinchas Num. 25:10-30:1 I Kings 18:46-19:21 Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 8:41 
13 15th of Tamuz	14 16th of Tamuz	15 17th of Tamuz BULLETIN DEADLINE  NO BOARD MEETING	16 18th of Tamuz NLJF ANNUAL DINNER & MEETING 7:00 PM 	17 19th of Tamuz	18 20th of Tamuz Service 6 PM 8:03 	19 21st of Tamuz Matot Num. 30:2-32:34 Jerem. 1:1-2:3 Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 8:38 
20 22nd of Tamuz	21 23rd of Tamuz CAMP CHAI 	22 24th of Tamuz CAMP CHAI 	23 25th of Tamuz CAMP CHAI 	24 26th of Tamuz CAMP CHAI  100 BLESSINGS 4 PM / 6 PM THE OAKS	25 27th of Tamuz CAMP CHAI  Service 6 PM 7:59 	26 28th of Tamuz Mas'ei Num. 33:1-36:13 Jer. 2:4-28; 3:4; 4:1-2 Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 8:34 
27 29th of Tamuz	28 1st of Av ROSH CHODESH AV CAMP CHAI 	29 2nd of Av CAMP CHAI 	30 3rd of Av CAMP CHAI 	31 4th of Av CAMP CHAI 	AUG 1 5th of Av CAMP CHAI  SIMCHA SHABBAT Service 6 PM 7:56 	AUG 2 6th of Av Shabbat Hazon D'varim Deut. 1:1-3:22 Isaiah 1:1-27 Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 8:31 

Dates to Remember: August 5 = Tisha B'Av August 11 Caddo Schools start

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B'nai Zion Summer Schedules

Shabbat Schedule

Friday Evening Service - 6:00 PM
Saturday Torah Study - 9:45 AM
Saturday Morning Service - 11:00 AM



Summer Office Hours

Monday through Friday 9 AM-noon
No Business on Shabbat or Holidays
Call for appointment to meet with the Rabbi

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