

# SHABBAT PARSHAT BESHALACH

## at Anshe Sholom B'nai Israel Congregation

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Hashkama Kiddush is co-sponsored by Alex Eidman in honor of Alex's Bar Mitzvah and Donald Borzak's 92nd birthday.

Welcome to our newest members, Joel, Avia & Itai Ickovics, who have joined our ASBI community.

### SCHEDULE FOR SHABBAT

#### Friday, January 26

Light Candles	4:40 PM
Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat & Ma'ariv	4:45 PM

#### Saturday, January 27

Hashkama Minyan	8:00 AM
Babysitting ( <i>Ages 2-7, in the ASBI Playroom</i> )	9:00 AM
Shacharit with D'var Torah by Sara Singer <i>"From Individualism to Faith and Fellowship"</i>	9:00 AM
Gan Shabbat ( <i>Ages 3-JK, in the JCC Lower Gym</i> )	10:15 AM
Yeladeinu ( <i>Kindergarten-1st Grade, in JCC Room 206</i> )	10:15 AM
Na'areinu ( <i>2nd-5th Grade, in JCC Room 206</i> )	10:15 AM
Tot Shabbat ( <i>Ages 2 &amp; under, in the Social Hall</i> )	10:30 AM
Kiddush in the JCC Upper/Lower Gym	11:15 AM
Parent-Child Learning	4:00 PM
Mincha, followed by Shalosh Seudot	4:30 PM
Ma'ariv & Havdalah	5:41 PM

Recite Evening Sh'ma: January 26, after 5:41 PM  
Latest time to recite Morning Sh'ma: January 27, 9:35 AM

### READINGS FOR PARSHAT BESHALACH

#### Torah:

*Exodus 13:17-17:16*

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#### Haftorah:

*Judges 4:4-5:31*

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Downstairs Kiddush:** There is a table available in the JCC Lower Gym during Kiddush every week for anyone who is unable to use the stairs in the JCC.

## **ANSHE SHOLOM TRIBUTES**

**Aliyah**

Stuart Sprague

**Yahrzeit**

Stuart & Denise Sprague in memory of Manley Sprague, a"n,  
grandfather of Stuart Sprague

## **YOUTH TEFILLAH GROUPS—THIS SHABBAT, 1/27**

**Tot Shabbat (2 & Under, with a parent)**

Led by Tamar Cytryn  
*10:30 AM in the Social Hall*

**Gan Shabbat (Age 3 - JK)**

Led by Talia Seidner & Perla Seidner  
*10:15 AM in the JCC Lower Gym*

**Yeladeinu (K - 1st Grade)**

Led by Devorah Kaplowitz, Ronit Kinar & Elisabeth Benson  
*10:15 AM in JCC Room 206*

**Na'areinu (2nd - 5th Grade)**

Led by Isaac Faier, Noah Ehrlich, Isaac Kaplowitz & Megill Hameiri  
*10:15 AM in JCC Room 206*

**Babysitting (Age 2 - 7)**

With Tania Davis  
*9:00 AM until the end of services in the ASBI Playroom*

## **PARENT-CHILD LEARNING**

**For grades 2 - 5**

**This Shabbat, January 27, at ASBI**

**\*UPDATED TIME\* 4:00 PM**

Parent-child learning is back at ASBI! Children, grades 2 through 5, with an accompanying parent or adult are invited to join Rabbi Daniel Atwood at shul for lively havruta learning and an engaging shiur. We hope to see you there!

## ***HAKARAT HATOV - RECOGNIZING THE GOOD***

**\*Sharing good news & gratitude\***

Mazal Tov to Ariel Warren who is making Aliyah! Thank you for your contributions as a leader of our Hashkama Minyan. You will be missed at ASBI!

## **ASBI CHOLENT COOK-OFF SHABBAT, FEBRUARY 3**

Get ready for a shul-wide cholent competition which will be judged at Kiddush on February 3rd. Mark your calendars to join us in shul that day and come ready to eat and cast your vote.

If you are interested in participating either as a competitor or as a sponsor of this event, please make your contribution or register at [asbi.org/event/cholent-cook-off](https://asbi.org/event/cholent-cook-off).

*Registration is not required to attend on 2/3 and cast your vote!*

## **MUSICAL FAMILY HAVDALAH SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 5:30 PM**

ASBI kids - put on your PJs and join us at ASBI for a special glow-in-the-dark, musical Havdalah! We'll gather in the Social Hall and enjoy music by Ari Rosenberg and yummy breakfast for dinner. Register at [asbi.org/event/family-havdalah](https://asbi.org/event/family-havdalah).

*This event is sponsored by Naomi Kruger in memory of her mother, Liz Kruger, a"h.*

## **NA'AREINU FAMILY DINNER FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9**

Na'areinu kids (2nd - 5th Grade) and their families are invited to join us at ASBI for davening and Shabbat dinner. We hope you'll join us! Services begin at 5:05 PM - dinner to follow.

Cost Per Person: \$15/adult, \$12/child 2+, free for under 2  
OR Cost Per Family: \$60 flat family rate

**Sign up now at [asbi.org/event/naareinu-dinner](https://asbi.org/event/naareinu-dinner).**

*Registration closes at 12:00 PM on Tuesday, February 6.*

## **OPEN GYM FOR ASBI FAMILIES Shabbat Afternoons, 3:00 - 5:00 PM February 10 & March 9**

With colder temps and shorter days, join us inside at the JCC for open gym time on Shabbat afternoon! We'll have two more sessions through March, all from 3 to 5 PM. Kids attending must be accompanied by an adult.

**The cost is \$5 per family per session.**  
**Please sign up at [asbi.org/event/gym](https://asbi.org/event/gym)**

## **ROSH CHODESH ADAR I WOMEN'S PAINT NIGHT**

***\*NEW DATE\****

**Wednesday, February 7, 7:00 - 9:00 PM  
in the ASBI Social Hall**

Join us for our next Rosh Chodesh women's paint night! No skills or supplies required.

Please register at [asbi.org/event/paint-night-adar](https://asbi.org/event/paint-night-adar).

## **SHIUR WITH RABBI SHOSHANA COHEN THURSDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 8, TIME TBD, AT ASBI**

Rabbi Shoshana Cohen is a Senior Faculty member at the Hartman Institute and serves as teacher and mentor for North American gap-year students studying in Israel. Prior to coming to Hartman Shoshana was a senior faculty member at the Conservative Yeshiva in Jerusalem for over a decade where she taught Talmud, Midrash and Gender Studies.

She has completed advanced studies at Hebrew University, Matan and the Hartman Institute and has rabbinic ordination from Rabbi Daniel Landes. She is a founding member of Reshut haRabim, the Jerusalem Forum for Jewish Renewal Organizations. Lecturing in Hebrew and in English she has been on the faculty of the Drisha Institute, the Hartman Girl's High School, Yeshivat Talpiot, and Yeshivat Hadar.

## **ONEG AT THE FINKELSTEIN/SUGAR HOME FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 8:30—10:30 PM**

Join us for an oneg at the home of Rabbi Finkelstein and Julie Sugar. All are welcome! Address will be sent upon registration.

Sign up at [asbi.org/event/february-oneg](https://asbi.org/event/february-oneg).

## **SHARSHERET PINK SHABBAT AT ASBI FEBRUARY 10TH**

ASBI is hosting a special Pink Shabbat with Sharsheret on February 10th (stay tuned for details on special speakers & more). Sharsheret, Hebrew for chain, is the only national organization supporting Jewish women and families, of all backgrounds, facing breast and ovarian cancer—those who are diagnosed and those at high risk.

**Here are ways to get involved leading up to February 10th:**

### **1. TOY DRIVE FOR SHARSHERET**

As part of this event, we are collecting brand new unopened small toys which will be added to "Busy Boxes" sent to children of women going through treatment for breast or ovarian cancer. There is a box in the ASBI lobby to drop off toys.

### **2. CONTRIBUTE TO KIDDUSH ON FEBRUARY 10th**

Make a contribution towards our Kiddush on 2/10 in memory or in honor of a loved one who has been affected by breast or ovarian cancer at [asbi.org/form/Sharsheret](https://asbi.org/form/Sharsheret).

**REFLECTIONS FROM ISRAEL &  
HALAKHA SINCE OCTOBER 7TH  
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 7:00 – 9:15 PM, AT ASBI**

Join us for an evening of reflection and learning at ASBI. From 7-8, ASBI Members Stuart Sprague, Ruth Lipman, and Sharon Katz will discuss their experiences on recent volunteer trips to Israel in the Social Hall, followed by a shiur with Rabbi Finkelstein from 8:15-9:15 in the Beit Midrash. Pizza and salad will be served.

Please register and learn more about this event  
at [asbi.org/event/reflections](https://asbi.org/event/reflections).

**ASBI 20s & 30s SHABBAT DINNER  
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 6:15 PM**

Join the ASBI 20s & 30s committee for a Shabbat dinner at ASBI on February 16th! There is an option to sign up to volunteer when you register - you can help with cooking, set-up, or clean-up.

EARLY-BIRD COST (until 11:59 PM on 2/9/24):

ASBI Members: \$15 per person

Non-Members: \$20 per person

*The cost is \$25 for all registrants after early-bird pricing ends.*

**Register at [asbi.org/event/tnt-dinner-february](https://asbi.org/event/tnt-dinner-february).**

**KIDS MOVIE NIGHT: "LEO"  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 6:15 PM**

Please join us at ASBI for Havdalah followed by a viewing of "Leo"! Snacks will be served. All family members are welcome. Please note - drop-off is available for kids 2nd grade and up (kids 1st grade and under must be accompanied by a parent or guardian).

Register at [asbi.org/event/leo-movie](https://asbi.org/event/leo-movie).

**EMPOWERING HEALTHY AGING  
FEBRUARY 20, 7:00 PM, ON ZOOM**

Join ASBI, JCFS, CJE SeniorLife, and other area synagogues for this event featuring a variety of panelists who will offer various perspectives on the legal, spiritual, and economic consideration for older adults and their families. This information is helpful when making choices about senior living and your plans for the future.

Register to get the link at [asbi.org/event/healthy-aging](https://asbi.org/event/healthy-aging).

## **"WHAT MAKES A JEWISH MUSEUM JEWISH?" WITH ISABEL SINGER**

**SHABBAT, FEBRUARY 24, 11:45 AM**

Join us for a post-Kiddush shiur with ASBI Member Isabel Singer! Is a museum Jewish if it talks primarily about Jews? How much does it have to talk about their Jewish identities to be a Jewish museum? What if the people who funded, designed, built, and maintain the Jewish museum aren't Jewish? Can a museum be Jewish if only non-Jews visit it? Is a Holocaust museum a Jewish museum? What about an art museum that shows artworks made by Jews? What if the artworks don't have Jewish content?

During this conversation, we'll look at a few prominent museums that describe themselves as "Jewish museums." We'll discuss their mission statements, dissect their logos, and read about their exhibits. Then, we'll consider, debate, and question the Jewishness of these museums.

## **SHABBAT TABLE LUNCH**

**Shabbat, February 24, 12:30 PM**

Join ASBI's ShabbatTable: a Shabbat lunch cooked in the shul on Thursday night, eaten in the shul on Shabbat, and open to everyone. Volunteer to help cook, set up, or clean up, or just come and enjoy the food and company! Please note that the menu for this lunch will be 100% vegan (but still promises a delicious menu for all!)

**Please register by Monday, February 19th.**

[asbi.org/event/shabbat-table-february](https://asbi.org/event/shabbat-table-february)

## **MIDRASH ON THE PARSHA WITH RABBI FINKELSTEIN**

**Thursday mornings, 7:45 - 8:15 AM**

Join Rabbi Finkelstein at ASBI after Shacharit on Thursday mornings for a quick parsha-related midrash.

## **BECOME A MIKVAH ATTENDANT!**

The Adam R. Straus Memorial Mikvah is seeking new mikvah attendants for our beautiful and welcoming communal mikvah. We will be running a training session in the coming weeks (time TBD based on the availability of those interested).

If you are a married woman who can volunteer at least one night a month to give back to our community in this way, please email Rabbanit Sara Wolkenfeld at [sarawolkenfeld@gmail.com](mailto:sarawolkenfeld@gmail.com).

## **5784 PURIM SHPIEL**

Want to help bring back the annual ASBI Shpiel for Purim this year? If you are interested in participating—writing, acting, singing, set design or in whatever capacity you can contribute—please reach out to Nissim Said at [nissimsaid1@gmail.com](mailto:nissimsaid1@gmail.com). Everyone is invited to participate!

## WEEKDAY TEFILLAH AT ASBI

Visit [asbi.org/minyan](http://asbi.org/minyan) to sign up for an upcoming minyan. All are welcome and encouraged to join us at weekday tefillah this week.

### JANUARY 28 - FEBRUARY 2:

Sun. Shacharit at 8:30 AM & Mincha/Ma'ariv at 4:50 PM  
Mon. Shacharit at 6:45 AM & Mincha/Ma'ariv at 4:50 PM  
Tues. Shacharit at 7:00 AM & Mincha/Ma'ariv at 4:50 PM  
Wed. Shacharit at 7:00 AM & Mincha/Ma'ariv at 4:50 PM  
Thur. Shacharit at 6:45 AM & Mincha/Ma'ariv at 4:50 PM  
Fri. Shacharit at 7:00 AM & Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat & Ma'ariv at 4:55 PM

Thank you to the individuals listed below\* who attended weekday tefillot at ASBI during the past week:

Aaron Levine  
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*\*If you have been inadvertently left off the list, we apologize!*

## SPONSOR OR CO-SPONSOR AN UPCOMING KIDDUSH OR SHALOSH SEUDOT!

Sponsorship or co-sponsorship is a great way to celebrate and honor special events and commemorations happening in your life with the whole ASBI community.

Many menu and pricing options are available. Email [Kiddush@asbi.org](mailto:Kiddush@asbi.org) at least one week prior to the date you are interested in for details. You can learn more about pricing at [asbi.org/kiddush](http://asbi.org/kiddush).

DATE	KIDDUSH	SHALOSH SEUDOT	HASHKAMA
<b>February 3</b> <i>Yitro</i>	<i>Sponsorships Available: Cholent Cook-off</i>	<i>Available</i>	<i>Reserved Buchbinder/Rischall</i>
<b>February 10</b> <i>Mishpatim</i>	<i>Sponsorships Available: Sharsheret Pink Shabbat</i>	<i>Available</i>	<i>Reserved Aaron Kaiser-Chen</i>
<b>February 17</b> <i>Terumah</i>	<i>Available</i>	<i>Available</i>	<i>Available</i>

## REMEMBRANCE & DEDICATION OPPORTUNITIES

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### **Dedications and Donations**

Anshe Sholom B'nai Israel Congregation is indebted to Judge Abraham Lincoln Marovitz, a"h, for his generosity to the synagogue and to the Marovitz Scholarship Fund.

The George Kranzler Library of Judaic Classics is donated in loving memory of Mr. George Kranzler by the Kranzler and Saltzman families.

The Learning Center was dedicated on 29 Av 5761 in memory of Rose and Dr. Abe Aaronson who inspired us in learning and charity.

There is a sense of wholeness and artistic integrity in our sanctuary, thanks to our beautiful stained-glass windows on the east wall, dedicated in memory of Bernard Preis, a"h.

The windows on the south wall are dedicated in memory of George Friedman, a"h.

The Louis A. Lerner Institute of Torah Texts sponsors all of the Torah text classes at ASBI.

The Shabbat HaGadol Shiur is endowed in memory of Dr. Leonard Kranzler, a"h.