



Ma Nishma

מה נשמע

15 ניסן, 5782 / APRIL 16, 2022

SHABBAT PESAH

HAG PESAH SAMEAH!



TORAH READINGS

SHABBAT, APRIL 16th
PESAH: FIRST DAY

Torah

Exodus 12:21 - 12:51 שמות
Etz Hayim pg. 385

Haftarah

Joshua 3:5 - 7, 5:2 - 6:1, 6:27 יהושע
Etz Hayim pg. 1300

SUNDAY, APRIL 17th
PESAH: SECOND DAY

Torah

Leviticus 22:26 - 23:44 יורקא
Etz Hayim pg. 723

Haftarah

2 Kings 23:1 - 9, 21 - 25 מלכים ב'
Etz Hayim pg. 1304

Sunday's Kiddush is co-sponsored by:

The Braverman Family in honour of
Ian Braverman's 50th Birthday.

PASSOVER SERVICE SCHEDULE

Friday, April 15

Shaharit and Siyyum Bekhorim (study session for the first born).....8:00 AM
Latest time for eating Hametz10:33 AM
Latest time for burning Hametz11:55 AM
Minha & Ma'ariv services for Shabbat and the first night of Passover6:15 PM
Candlelighting.....7:43 PM
The first Seder, according to tradition, starts about an hour after candlelighting.

Shabbat, April 16

Shaharit for Shabbat and the first day of Passover.....9:00 AM
Minha for Shabbat & the first day of Passover and Ma'ariv for the second
night of PassoverNO SERVICE
Candlelighting8:48 PM

Sunday, April 17

Shaharit for the second day of Passover.....9:00 AM
Minha for the second day of Passover, Ma'ariv for Hol Hamoed and Havdalah.....7:55 PM
Havdalah8:49 PM

Monday, April 18

Zoom Shaharit for Hol Hamoed8:00 AM
Minha & Ma'ariv for Hol Hamoed7:00 PM

Tuesday, April 19

Zoom Shaharit for Hol Hamoed8:00 AM
Minha & Ma'ariv for Hol Hamoed7:00 PM

Wednesday, April 20

Zoom Shaharit for Hol Hamoed8:00 AM
Minha & Ma'ariv for Hol Hamoed7:00 PM

Thursday, April 21

Zoom Shaharit for Hol Hamoed8:00 AM
Minha for Hol Hamoed and Ma'ariv for the seventh night of Passover6:30 PM
Candlelighting.....7:50 PM

Matzah, Freedom, and Plans

Sabbath Musings

WITH RABBI LOUIS SACHS



Each piece of the *seder* tells the story of the Exodus and our ancestors' journey to freedom. Each of these rituals also has a lesson to teach us, a message that our tradition wants us to hear.

Matzah, is perhaps the most central feature of Passover. Just as we are commanded to refrain from eating *hametz* throughout the holiday, it is actually a *mitzvah* to eat *matzah* during the seder. This act tells the story of how our ancestors didn't even have time to wait for the dough to rise before they left Egypt. Each of us is familiar with the story of *matzah*, but do we know the lesson? More importantly, do we believe it?

Redemption. Is. Never. Expected.

There was no time to plan for their journey; nobody saw it coming. When Moses first arrived, his fellow Israelites

didn't believe he would accomplish his task. Even after God performed miracles and joined the fight for freedom, nobody started to prepare because nobody thought it could happen.

The lesson of *matzah* is that when hope is lost and things seem impossible - that is when triumph happens. When the obstacles before you appear insurmountable - that is when you overcome them. To be a Jew is to know, that anything is possible when you least expect it.

Whatever challenges you may be facing in your life, no matter how difficult today is, remember that tomorrow always brings the possibility of salvation you didn't see coming. Redemption comes without warning.

Hag Sameah!

-RLS

PROGRAMMING AT BT

UPCOMING PROGRAMS



Shabbat Play and Pray

Drop off program for children 5 Years and Older

Register on the Beth Tikvah website

Please note, drop-off children's programming will only take place on Shabbat, April 16th and April 23rd. On other days of Yom Tov there will be a play space made available, but parents will be responsible for their own child's supervision.

SUPPORT Beth Tikvah Women on Mother's Day

Buy a beautiful plant for that special person in your life! Proceeds will support BTW programming!

Deadline to order: Wednesday, April 20th
Limited supplies Order early

Available: Red or Yellow begonias

\$18 per plant
Maximum 2 plants per person

Pick up at Beth Tikvah: Thursday May 5th 1:00 to 4:00 pm and Friday May 6th 9:00 am to 12:00 noon

LEARNING WITH BRACHA FEDER



Contemporary Jewish Heroes and Holy Days

CONTEMPORARY JEWISH HEROES & HOLY DAYS

NEXT CLASS:

Wednesday, April 20th @ 1:00 PM

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Wednesday, April 20th
at 7:45 PM On Zoom



LIKE A LILY AMONG THORNS: WHY DO WE READ THE SONG OF SONGS ON PESAH?



Join us for a Passover Study Session where we will meet Rabbinical candidate for the position of Assistant Rabbi, Alisa Zilbershtein

Alisa "Tzipi" is a senior Rabbinical student at the Jewish Theological Seminary and will be graduating in May of 2022. She holds an M.A. degree in Jewish Civilizations from Hochschule für Jüdische Studien, Germany.

Before her studies at JTS, she taught History of Jewish Philosophy and Introduction to Jewish Studies at the National University of "Kyiv-Mohyla Academy" in Ukraine. Alisa holds a certificate in Clinical Pastoral Care from JTS.

She is passionate about Torah and the Jewish Tradition and strives to share this love with other people.

REGISTER TODAY

Restorative Yoga and Meditation Therapy

with Orli Ziv



Spring Session

NEW CLASS:

Thursday, April 21st @ 1:00 PM

Need something to watch during Hol Hamoed?



Catch up on missed classes, sermons lectures and other programs:

Tune in to the Beth Tikvah YouTube channel

www.youtube.com/c/BethTikvahSynagogueToronto
(or visit YouTube and search for Beth Tikvah Toronto)

PROGRAMMING AT BT

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

BETH DAVID **YOUTH & YOUNG FAMILIES** **BETH TIKVAH SYNAGOGUE**

YF Interfaith Connections: A Lesson in Storytelling
Sunday, April 24th
10:00 am - 11:30 am
Beth Tikvah Lower Foyer

PJ Library

Calling all young families!

Join Deanne Hupfield in a special Powwow Dance Class, where students will hear stories about Indigenous dances and learn how to respectfully participate in the powwow they attend.

See how storytelling has been an important facet in Jewish and Indigenous histories for generations. Geared for children in grade 1-6, but all are welcome!

Registration is required!
Deadline to Register:
Friday, April 22
Snacks will be provided

Deanne Hupfield

WALK WITH BETH TIKVAH

Monday, April 25th, at 1:30 PM
Location: G. Ross Lord Park
See the Beth Tikvah website for map and details.
Contact Merle Goldman with questions: 416-722-2151



UPCOMING PROGRAMS

PASSOVER 2022

Download this year's Passover Guide
Visit: the BT Website

PASS OVER
PDF
APRIL 15-23, 2022

Passover!

BETH TIKVAH SYNAGOGUE

Virtual LUNCH and LEARN

Spring Session

	April 26: ANDREW PORWANCHER: Was Alexander Hamilton Jewish?	A new virtual lunch & learn series of 6 sessions begins April 26th
	May 3: LEAH GARRETT: X Troop: The Secret Jewish Commandos of World War II	
	May 10: NAOR MENINGER: The Secret Bunker	Eat your lunch in a private virtual room with friends, and then re-join the full group at 12:30 PM for an hour lecture!
	May 17: JULIA NEWMAN: Beit Shearim: Ancient Jewish Necropolis	Advance RSVP required.
	May 24: DR. MARA COHEN IOANNIDES: North American Jewish Traders and their Native Wives	PRICE: 6 Pack: \$36 3 Pack: \$18
	May 31: RACHEL KOLSKY: Bagels to Bhajis: The Ever Changing London Jewish East End	ON DEMAND: \$30 Watch each lecture at your own leisure!

By reservation only: 416-221-3433 or renee@bethtikvahtoronto.org

This series has been generously sponsored by Helen Stollar

Register on the Beth Tikvah website
www.bethtikvahtoronto.org

APRIL 26th SESSION:

Was Alexander Hamilton Jewish?

The life of Alexander Hamilton has captivated theater audiences the world over. But for all the attention thrust on this founding father, a key facet of his upbringing has escaped notice for centuries: he was probably a Jew. Join Professor Porwancher as he shares fresh evidence of Hamilton's Jewish identity and explores Hamilton's alliance with Jewry at the dawn of the American republic.



Sponsored by:



YAHREZEITS

The following members are observing Yahrzeits this week:

Friday, April 15

Roger Chaplin, Rosalie Nepom, Fred Rosen, Shelley Rothberg

Saturday, April 16

Marilyn Berger, Lynne Czutrin, Linda Kirshenblat, Susan Steinberg

Sunday, April 17

Hannah Bellack, Renee Birnbaum, Lorraine Dicker, Marsha Feldberg, Dinah Kutner, David Meranda, David Newman, Marcia Sugar

Monday, April 18

Ted Batchler, Marsha Goldstein, Esther Hersh, Andrea Koven, Gordon Laiken, Ronald Morris, Irvin Sherman, Marilyn Weisz

Tuesday, April 19

Stephen Cappe, Arlene Chelin, Sylvia Cooper, Marlene Flicht, Manny Manis, Rochelle Norris, Ellen Smith, Marshall Spiegel, Victor Zuck

Wednesday, April 20

Barbara Brown, Helene Jacobs, Brenda Merrick, Morris Norman, Belle Steinberg, Helen Stollar

Thursday, April 21

Arlene Anthony, Lillian Benson, Marsha Feldberg, Abraham Gelbloom, Stephen Goldman, Harvey Kestenber, Peter Kunz, Nurith Safir, Julian Segal, Irvin Suchall

Friday, April 22

Shelly Altman, Gloria Clamen, Lynne Czutrin, Shimon Felsen, Norma Gelade, Sasha Schaeffer



Circle of Care
Sinai Health

Every Wednesday at Beth Tikvah Synagogue: 1:30pm - 3:30pm

Join us in person for a fun weekly program! There will be board games, Scrabble, cards, jigsaw puzzles, colouring activities and more! Feel free to bring one of your favourite games, such as Mahjong, and set up a game with fellow players. Participants are also welcome to play with what we have available.

For more information, contact
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Senior Rabbi: Jarrod Grover
Associate Rabbi: Louis J. Sachs
Hazzan: Tibor Kovari
Ritual Director: Irv Kirshenblat
Executive Director: Rivka Campbell
President: Douglas Millstone

TO HONOUR THE SANCTITY OF THE SYNAGOGUE

We ask that everyone coming up to the bimah cover their head and shoulders and be dressed respectfully. We do not permit smoking, photography, writing, use of beepers, cell phones or other wireless equipment in the synagogue throughout Shabbat and Yom Tov. At any time in the service when the congregation is standing in prayer, please refrain from moving about. Applause is not appropriate at any time during the service.

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**YOM
HASHVACH
V'HAGVURAH**

**COMMEMORATION
OF THE HOLOCAUST**
APRIL 27, 2022 / 6:30 PM EDT
EARL BALES PARK, TORONTO
IN PERSON / LIVE STREAM

THIS WEEK AT BETH TIKVAH

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Sun.	Apr. 24 • YYF Interfaith Connections: A Lesson in Storytelling	10:00 AM
Mon.	Apr. 25 • Walk with Beth Tikvah: G. Ross Lord Park	1:30 PM

A portion of funds raised at Bingo World Richmond Hill helps to support programs at Beth Tikvah Synagogue



We no longer require vaccine certificates to enter the building,
but we are maintaining social distancing in the Sanctuary.
There are no longer capacity limits in place

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