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NOVEMBER 11, 2023 / 27 חשוון 5784

PARASHAT HAYYEI SARAH

SHABBAT MEVAREKHIM HAHOODESH

Rosh Hodesh Kislev
is Tuesday,
November 14th

SHABBAT TORAH READINGS

Torah

Genesis 23:1 - 25:18 בראשית
Etz Hayim pg. 127

Haftarah

1 Kings 1:1 - 1:31 מלכים א'
Etz Hayim pg. 143

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv 6:00 pm
Candlelighting (November 10) 4:39 pm
Shaharit 9:00 am
Remembrance Day Sermon 11:00 am
Shabbat Kids Club 10:00 am
Minha/Ma'ariv 4:30 pm
Havdalah 5:38 pm
All services are In Person and LiveStreamed

WEEKDAY SERVICE TIMES

Morning Services @ Adath Israel:

Sunday 8:30 am
Monday to Friday 7:30 am

Evening Services @ Beth Tikvah:

Sunday to Thursday 7:00 pm

All services are In Person and LiveStreamed



Remembrance Day Shabbat:

Services will end at 11:00 am with a moment of silence.

This will be followed by a Q&A with our guest about his experience in the Canadian military. Kiddush will follow at noon.

Kiddush is co-sponsored by:

The VanDelmans in honour of Anna's 89th Birthday.



SOLIDARITY RALLY FOR THE HOSTAGES

Sunday, November 12, 2023 | 1:30 PM
Downtown Toronto



Eternal Legacy by Rabbi Alisa Zilbershtein

In Parshat Chayei Sarah, we explore the events surrounding Abraham's purchase of the Machpelah cave after Sarah's death. The parsha, named for Sarah's life, paradoxically begins with her passing and transitions to Abraham's securing of her burial site, subtly communicating the theme of life's continuity through inheritance and connection to the land.

The process of acquiring the Machpelah is intricate and layered. The Torah methodically recounts the interaction, emphasizing the legal and communal aspects of the agreement. Abraham's

determination to pay Ephron the Hittite the full price serves a dual purpose: to honour his wife with dignity and to solidify an indisputable claim to the land for his offspring. This act of securing a burial place within the promised land conveys a deep reverence for family continuity and the values Abraham and Sarah stood for.

This transaction is more than a mere purchase; it is the divine assurance that his seed will populate the land. Thus, the Machpelah transcends its role as a tomb and stands as a concrete point of connection between the past promises

and their future realization. It reminds us about the enduring nature of life and the profound connection to the land that defines Jewish existence.

In our times, the story of Machpelah asks us to reflect on how we establish our claims to the things we hold dear, not just in material terms but in the values we live by and the heritage we pass on. Chayei Sarah encourages us to live lives that are deeply rooted in our traditions and to create enduring bonds that will anchor future generations in their Jewish identity.

COMING UP AT BETH TIKVAH

INTRODUCTORY GRIEF, LOSS & BEREAVEMENT WORKSHOP

Wednesday, November 15th, 10:30 am-12:00 pm

Taking a closer look at our Jewish collective grief after the October 7th terrorist attack in Israel



FACILITATOR:
Gail Sandler, Certified Bereavement Educator

OBJECTIVES:

To educate, explore, and acquire a basic knowledge and understanding of the grief process as it applies to:

- One's own grief history
- Collective grief
- Other losses
- How to support those who are grieving
- Personal grief work and moving forward



In addition to being a Beth Tikvah member, Gail is a Certified Bereavement Educator who has given presentations and workshops at various conferences and meetings. She has also practiced and taught Therapeutic Touch workshops in the Holistic Health Program at Seneca College, at hospices, hospitals, nursing homes and taught complementary therapies in the York Region Palliative Care volunteer training program.

IN-PERSON AT BETH TIKVAH SYNAGOGUE



ALL MEMBERS ARE INVITED
to the Annual General Meeting:
Thursday, November 23, 2023
IN PERSON & ON ZOOM

COMMUNITY CHALLAH BAKE

In support of Chai Lifeline Canada
and humanitarian efforts in Israel

Wednesday, November 22, 7:00 pm

\$54 per adult • \$36 per teen (ages 12-18)

At Beth Sholom Synagogue, 1445 Eglinton Avenue West

With Suzanne Kaye and Chaya Pamensky from Eventz4you
Light refreshments will be served

Bring a new, unwrapped toy
for Chai Lifeline Canada's Toy Drive

Register by 12:00 pm on November 17:
[www.bethsholom.net/event/
community-challah-bake.html](http://www.bethsholom.net/event/community-challah-bake.html)



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SHABBAT KIDS CLUB

Kids Club will meet this Shabbat
in the KULANU ROOM at 10AM



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FAMILY SHABBAT SERVICE

SHABBAT, NOVEMBER 18TH
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Join Mark Weinstock
and Nadia
for a warm and interactive
Family Shabbat Service



Followed by a Communal Kiddush



Monday Morning Learning
with Rabbi Grover

9:45 AM

TALMUDIC PASSAGES
Every Jew Should Know

Gain a deeper understanding of Judaism's approach to the world
IN PERSON & LIVESTREAMED



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WOMEN

HELP FEED THE HOMELESS

NEXT SESSION IS THIS MONDAY:
NOVEMBER 13 AT 11AM @ BETH TIKVAH

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BOARD GAME NIGHT AT BETH TIKVAH

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25
7:30PM - 9:30PM

NO COST TO PLAY!

Join Daniel for some quick and fun party games with less thinking and more action! And we'll have some light strategy games for those who are ready for a different kind of challenge.

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RESTORATIVE YOGA & MEDITATION THERAPY
WITH ORLI ZIV

THURSDAYS AT 10AM

LEARNING WITH BRACHA FEDER

BETH TIKVAH SYNAGOGUE

THE LAST WORDS OF MOSES
by Micah Goodman
Moses' Final Address to his People Then & Now

November 15, 2023 at 1PM on Zoom

UKRAINIAN CONSUL GENERAL OLEKSANDR SHEVCHENKO IN CONVERSATION WITH RABBIS CUTLER & ZILBERSHTEIN

November 29, 2023 at 7PM @ Adath Israel IN PERSON & ON ZOOM

Adath Israel Congregation

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ALL AGES WELCOME
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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3
10AM - 12PM

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Hanukkah of Hope

Saturday, December 9th
STARTING AT 5:45 PM

\$18 PER PERSON
AGE 13 AND UNDER ARE FREE!
ALL AGES WELCOME!

- Havdalah
- Menorah Lighting
- Hanukkah Food Stations
- Sing Along with Hazzan Kovari
- Crafts for Kids & Dreidel Games
- Messages from Israel

REGISTER BY DEC. 4

SPONSORED BY: **BINGO WORLD GAMING**

Yahrzeits

This week, we commemorate the yahrzeits of the following people

Friday, November 10

Sylvia Segalowitz z"l, mother of Harold Segalowitz
Beatrice Snitman z"l, mother of Joel Snitman

Saturday, November 11

Harry Nathan Ebedes z"l, father of Allan Ebedes
Ruthe Rosenbaum z"l, mother of David Rosenbaum
Harry Snitman z"l, father of Toby Zarnett
Jacob Harry Storfer z"l, father of Irving Storfer
Harry (Herschel) Vandelman z"l, brother of Louis VanDelman
Itic Vorona z"l, father of Schura Vorona
Bill Zalai z"l, husband of Susan Zalai

Sunday, November 12

Iida Hershon z"l, mother of Gayle De Bloeme
Boris Landis z"l, father of Debby Solomon
Max Levine z"l, father of Jerry Levine
Esther Perlman z"l, mother of Naomi Fruitman
George Szigeti z"l, father of Howard Szigeti
Albert Wales z"l, father of Lorraine Langer

Monday, November 13

Michael Benjamin Rosen z"l, father of Ann Gayle Kwinter
Marilyn Birenbaum z"l, wife of Isaac Birenbaum
Allen Gertsman z"l, brother of Cynthia Wyman
Milton Houtp z"l, brother of Blossom & Joseph Snitman
Zalman Kwinter z"l, father of Alfred Kwinter
Faigie Meissner z"l, sister of Etty Danzig
Bert Narvey z"l, father of Allan Narvey
Harry Resnick z"l, father of Arthur Resnick
Carol Gerson z"l, mother of Howard Gerson
Esther Fish z"l, mother of Susan Flam

Tuesday, November 14

Annie Levinson z"l, mother of Norma Weingarten
Bernard Nightingale z"l, brother of Paul Nightingale
Rae Sherkin z"l, mother of Cheryl Gewurtz
Cornelia Ungar z"l, mother of Stanley Ungar

Wednesday, November 15

Abe Miller z"l, father of Anne Perlman
Sam Sheps z"l, father of Pauline Sheps
Florence Kurtz z"l, mother of John Kurtz

Thursday, November 16

Shirley Armel z"l, wife of Sol Armel
Ida Daniels z"l, mother of Judith Rosen
Rebecca Hurwitz z"l, mother of Fiona Hurwitz-Cohen
Kaila Mirkin z"l, mother of Shirley Greenbaum
Sarah Rice z"l, mother of Edward Rice
Jerry Vengroff z"l, father of Eric Vengroff

Friday, November 17

Lillie Cornfield z"l, mother of Joel Cornfield
Louis Haber z"l, father of Harvey Haber
Irwin Sheldon Rose z"l, father of Mitchell Rose
and husband of Clara Rose



MARCH FOR ISRAEL
MARCH TO FREE HOSTAGES
MARCH AGAINST ANTISEMITISM

Tuesday, November 14, 2023
National Mall, Washington, DC
1:00pm – 3:00pm
Gates open 10:00am
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COMING UP AT BETH TIKVAH

Sat.	Nov. 11	• Shabbat Kids Club (at BT)	10:00 AM
Sat.	Nov. 11	• Special Guest for Remembrance Day (at BT)	11:00 AM
Mon.	Nov 13	• Monday Morning Learning with Rabbi Grover Talmudic Passages Every Jew Should Know (at BT)	9:45 AM
Mon.	Nov 13	• BT Women: Sandwich Making for the Homeless	11:00 AM
Tues.	Nov. 14	• Lunch & Learn Session #4 (at BT)	12:00 PM
Tues.	Nov. 14	• Bnai Mitzvah Program (at BT)	6:00 PM
Wed.	Nov. 15	• Introductory Grief, Loss & Bereavement Workshop with Gail Sandler (at BT)	10:30AM
Wed.	Nov. 15	• Learning with Bracha Feder (on Zoom)	1:00 PM
Thur.	Nov. 16	• Yoga & Meditation with Orli Ziv (at BT)	10:00 AM
Sat.	Nov. 18	• Family Shabbat Service (at BT)	10:30 AM

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