





# Ma Nishma SYNAGOGUE





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IANUARY 6, 2024 / 5784 טבת 25

PARASHAT SHEMOT

SHABBAT MEVAREKHIM HAHODESH

### SHABBAT TORAH READINGS

# Torah:

Exodus 1:1 - 6:1 שמות Etz Hayim pg. 317

#### Haftarah:

Isaiah 27:6 - 28:13 ישעהו and 29:22-29:23 Etz Hayim pg. 343

# SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma'ariv 6:00 pm Candlelighting (January 5) 4:37 pm Shaharit 9:00 am Minha/Ma'ariv 4:30 pm Havdalah 5:38 pm

All services are In Person and LiveStreamed

# **WEEKDAY SERVICE TIMES**

# Morning Services @ Beth Tikvah:

Sunday 8:30 am Mon. to Wed. & Fri. 7:30 am Thursday (Rosh Hodesh) 7:15 am

**Evening Services @ Beth Tikvah:** 

Sunday to Thursday 7:00 pm All services are In Person and LiveStreamed

## Mazel Tov to:

Karyn Simon & Kevin Weagle on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Tanner Jack Simon Weagle. Grandmother is Suzanne Weagle. (Thursday service)

# **RESTORATIVE YOGA** & MEDITATION THERAPY WITH ORLI ZIV

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# Adath Israel **Beth Emeth Bais Yehuda** Congregation ARY 10th, 2024



# The Dual Responsibility by Rabbi Alisa Zilbershtein

In Parshat Shemot, we explore the actions of Moses, a figure who demonstrates a deep commitment to his community and a broader sense of ethical duty.

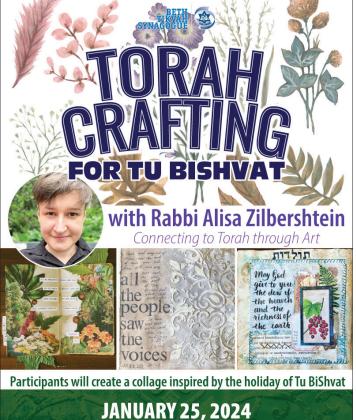
Moses' intervention when he witnesses an Egyptian oppressing a Hebrew (Exodus 2:11-12) is often discussed in the context of the Talmudic concept of "Rodfeh" (pursuer). The sages in the Talmud elaborate on the idea of intervening to save a victim from an aggressor. "And these are the ones whom one must save even with their lives [i.e., killing the wrongdoer]: one who pursues his fellow to kill him [rodef achar chavero le-horgo].(Sanhedrin 73a) This principle is deeply ingrained in Jewish law and ethics. Here, Moses acts as a protector, driven by a sense of justice and care for his people.

However, the subsequent episode where Moses defends the Midianite women at the well (Exodus 2:17) adds another dimension. It illustrates a broader sense of moral responsibility, transcending the limits of his immediate community and teaches us the value of compassion and fairness, regardless of someone's background or identity.

The story of Moses in Parshat Shemot thus presents a dual lesson. It emphasizes the importance of being actively involved and supportive within our own community. At the same time, it calls on us to extend our care and support to others, reflecting a broader sense of humanity. It inspires us to follow in the footsteps of Moses, who represents both committed national leadership and a broader dedication to justice and kindness.

# **COMING UP AT BETH TIKVAH**

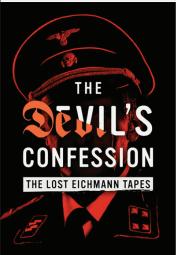




2:00 - 4:00 PM at Beth Tikvah







# **JANUARY 24** at 1:30 PM at Beth Tikvah Synagogue

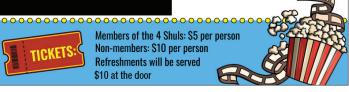
In Commemoration of International Holocaust Remembrance Day

Escaping from postwar Europe, Nazi criminal Adolf Eichmann establishes a new life in Argentina, where he meets fellow Nazi Willem Sassen. Together, they record a comprehensive account of his career.

Hebrew with English subtitles Running Time: 108 Minutes



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# **COMING UP AT BETH TIKVAH**



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January 30

February 6

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# **SUNDAY JANUARY 28TH**



Beth Tikvah, it's cold outside! Here's a Sunday morning activity that will warm you up inside and out!



**SANDWICH MAKING FOR VE'AHAVTA** 10:00 AM TO 11:00 AM

**ZUMBA WITH DINA** 11:00 AM TO 12:00 PM

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# YAHRZEITS

# This week, we commemorate the yahrzeits of the following people

## Friday, January 5

Sia Adelson z''l, father of Stanley Adelson Rose Apelowicz z''l, mother of Eddie Apelowicz Don Birenbaum z''l, father of Abraham & Isaac Birenbaum Max Crystal z''l, father of Larry Crystal Morris Demon z''l, father of Brian Demone Daniel David Dunkelman z''l, father of Beverley Breslow Ethel Raider z''l, mother of Joan Litovitz Elizabeth Schwartz z''l, sister of Barbara Hendelman Leon Somer z''l, father of Jerry Somer

# Saturday, January 6

Laurence Caplan z''l, father of Shani Mintzberg Millie Coleman z''l, mother of Harvey Coleman Israel (Sandu) Cusmariu z''l, father of Susan Argintaru Anne Rosenstein z''l, mother of Mervyn Rosenstein Benny Rusonik z''l, father of Milton Rusonik William Saltzman z''l, father of Stanley Saltzman, and father of Brenda Crangle Marcia Waverman z''l, mother of Jenny Roger Ruth Wiseman z''l, mother of Susan Rabovsky

# Sunday, January 7

Louis Druck z''l, brother of Samuel Druck Brenda Grossman z''l, wife of Murray Grossman Simon Harris z''l, father of Howard Harris Edith Hershorn z''l, sister of Georgia Dennis Sally Jacobs z''l, mother of Shirley Greenbaum Gerald Kirsh z''l, husband of Paula Kirsh Ida Orliffe z''l, mother of Annabel Turner Leah Topp z''l, mother of Aby Topp

### Monday, January 8

Theodore Greenberg z''l, brother of Vivian Greenberg Patricia Sigal z''l, wife of Norman Kelman Joseph Talsky z''l, brother of Simon Talsky Glenora Todd z''l, mother of Alice Roth

### Tuesday, January 9

Morris Gold z''l, father of Jackie Friedman Earl Grill z''l, brother of Norman Grill David Rakoff z''l, father of Riva Levick Shirley Resnick z''l, mother of Diane Miller Ezra Silverstein z''l, brother of Isaac Silverstein Charles Springer z''l, father of Marsha Klerer



# Is your child or grandchild turning 12 or 13 soon?

We are accepting member and nonmember Bar & Bat Mitzvah bookings for 2024 & 2025. We now can Live Stream your simha from both the Sanctuary and Chapel! Please contact Gayle to reserve your date: gayle@bethtikvahtoronto.org

# Wednesday, January 10

Hilda Cohen z''l, mother of Norman Cohen Albert Kochen z''l, father of Helene Talsky Rose Kroch Revich z''l, mother of Murray Kroach Florence Lokash z''l, mother of Nancy Wise Henry Silverstein z''l, brother of Isaac Silverstein Aaron Urman z''l, father of Helen Daniels

# Thursday, January 11

Arthur Baine z''l, father of Ina Lofsky Leona Feder z''l, mother of Bracha Feder Zelda Jonas z''l, sister of Lillian Benson Alan Stephen Ross z''l, brother of Shirley Anne Haber Sayre Weinerman z''l, mother of Robert Weinerman

### Friday, January 12

Annie Chastkofsky z''l, mother of Perry Chasson Frank Epstein z''l, father of Ian Epstein Sam Rimler z''l, father of Rona Arato Ida Freda Rubin z''l, mother of Gwen Orriell Walter Wagner z''l, father of Dorothy Wagner Your father z''l, father of Marsha Swirsky Daphne Zarenda z''l, mother of Marc Zarenda

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Mon.	Jan. 8	COMING UP AT BETH TIKVAH • Mah Jongg Lessons (Registration required) (at BT)	10:00 AM
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Mon.	Jan. 8	Mitzvah Knitters (at BT)	1:00 PM
Wed.	Jan. 10	• Mah Jongg Lessons (Registration required) (at BT)	10:00 AM
Thur.	Jan. 11	• Photography with Rick Bornstein (at BT)	10:00 AM
Thur.	Jan. 11	• Yoga & Meditation with Orli Ziv (at BT)	10:00 AM
Sat.	Jan. 13	• YYF: Shabbat Kids Club (at BT)	10:00 AM
Mon.	Jan. 15	• Mah Jongg Lessons (Registration required) (at BT)	10:00 AM
Mon.	Jan. 15	BT Women: Making Sandwiches for Ve'ahavta	10:30 AM
Tues.	Jan. 16	• Chaim Feder on Leonard Bernstein (on Zoom)	11:00 AM
Tues.	Jan. 16	• Bnai Mitzvah Program	6:00 PM
Wed.	Jan. 17	• Mah Jongg Lessons (Registration required) (at BT)	10:00 AM
Wed.	Jan. 17	• Grief, Loss & Bereavement: Gail Sandler (on Zoom	2) 7:30 PM
Thur.	Jan. 18	• Photography with Rick Bornstein (at BT)	10:00 AM
Thur.	Jan. 18	• Yoga & Meditation with Orli Ziv (at BT)	10:00 AM
Sat.	Jan. 20	• YYF: Shabbat Kids Club (at BT)	10:00 AM
Sat.	Jan. 20	• Tu Bishvat Family Havdalah & Board Games (at BT)	7:00 PM
Sat.	Jan. 20	• Board Game Night (at BT)	7:00 PM
A portion of funds raised at Bingo World			

TIKVAH YNAGOGUE

at Beth Tikvah Synagogue

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