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Welcome to Beth Shalom! Great to have you with us.
Please join us during Kiddush after services. B'ruchim Habaim (Welcome!)



Shavuon

A Beth Shalom Weekly

"Who lodges a scholar in his home is as one offering first-fruits [Shavuot] in the Temple."
~ Leviticus (Vayikra) R.

4-11 Sivan 5778

May 18-25, 2018

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Kabbalat Shabbat Services in the Beit Midrash

Candlelighting on May 18th is at 8:26pm
Kabbalat Shabbat services from 6:00-7:00pm

Shabbat Services in the Sanctuary at 9:30am

Bamidbar
Numbers 2:1-3:13
Haftarah: Hosea 2:1-22

The Kiddush lunch is Hosted by Janis White & Richard Silverstein

Shabbat Babysitting from 9:30am in Rm 4/5

Shabbat Morning Prozdor from 9:30am

Lego & Awards Kids Kehilla with Brianna Sayres for ages 6-11 from 10:45 in Room 6
For our final Kids Kehilla of the school, we will be celebrating with BOTH Lego Kids Kehilla and our annual Award Ceremony. Kids will be building with Legos and receiving their annual attendance awards. Hope you can join us for a fun-filled morning!

Young Family Tefillah / Torah & Tots for ages 2-5 from 11:30am in the Beit Midrash
This is the last event until next school year, except a special Summer edition on 7/7!

50 Day Religious Practice Challenge from 1:15pm in the Beit Midrash
(Read more on page 2)

Shavuot

Tikkun Leil Shavuot - Saturday night, 5/19 from 7:15pm
(See the full schedule on Page 3)

CBS Offices and ECC are closed on Monday, May 21st for Shavuot

Shavuot Day 1 services

Sunday, 5/19, 9:30am in the Sanctuary
Exodus 19:1-20:23
Maftir: Numbers 28:26-31
Haftarah: Ezekiel 1:1-28; 3:12
Join us at View Ridge Park and bring a picnic

Shavuot Day 2 services & Yizkor

Monday, 5/20, 9:30am in the Sanctuary
Deuteronomy 15:19 - 16:17
Maftir: Numbers 28:26-31
Haftarah: Habakkuk 3:1-19
Kiddush lunch following services

Weekday Minyanim in the Beit Midrash

Monday - Friday: 7:00AM • Monday Evening: 7:30 PM
• Sunday Morning: 9:30-10:15 AM

To honor the sanctity of Shabbat and High Holidays, we do not permit smoking, photography, writing, use of beepers, cell phones or other wireless equipment.
When congregants are standing in prayer please do not disturb their concentration by moving around the shul.
In consideration of other members, please minimize the use of scented body products. Thank you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING PROGRAMS

50 Day Religious Practice Challenge

Shabbat, 5/19 from 1:15pm in the Beit Midrash

This year, as part of our celebration of our 50th Anniversary, we challenged CBS members to try a new religious practice for the 50 day period from Pesach to Shavuot. Join us for a sharing of our experience trying a 50 day religious practice – both success and disappointments and a sharing of obstacles and aids we found to support this challenge. We encourage everyone who participated in this challenge to attend and welcome others who want to learn more to join as well.

Ahavat v'Avodat HaAdamah

Thursday, 5/31 from 7:30pm at Congregation Beth Shalom

Join in the Celebration of Beth Shalom's 50th Anniversary The Pleasure of Your Company:

Sign up for a dinner, wine tasting, dessert buffet, fascinating talk! You will have a lovely experience and support Beth Shalom at the same time. All the food and wine will be contributed by the hosts. Your reservation is a CBS contribution of \$18 or \$36 per person. With a \$100 per person contribution, you will become a "Pleasure Of Your Company Patron." Register on our website, or by contacting Lauren Fellows at 206-524-0075 or laurenfellows@bethshalomseattle.org.

The next event:

Paddleboard Yoga with a Rabbi Sunday, 6/24, 1:00-3:00pm

Host: Rabbi Rose

Location: Greenlake Boathouse

Number of guests: 9

We will have a professionally-taught yoga class atop paddleboards anchored on Greenlake. No yoga or paddleboarding experience necessary, but you should be a comfortable swimmer (just in case) and over the age of 18. All equipment will be provided. Afterwards, we'll relax picnic-style with some dairy and pareve snacks.

Shabbas Chef

Part of what makes Beth Shalom such a great community is our amazing lunch every Shabbat. You can be part of the magic by becoming a Shabbas Chefs captain. No need to have culinary experience to be a Shabbas Chef captain. It's fun, easy and there's help available! If you want to learn more about being a captain, email Wendy Friedman at wendynbeck@gmail.com or Michelle Geller at maelace@hotmail.com. We have open weeks coming up June 16, June 23 and June 30. Sign up now!

JEBMISS Book Club at Beth Shalom

Last Thursday of the Month, Tuesday, 5/31 from 10:00-11:30am in the Beit Midrash

We are reading and will be discussing, "*Running the Palestine Blockade; The last voyage of the Paducah*", by Capt. R. Patzert. The book deals with the pre-and post-WWII "illegal" immigration to Palestine. One of the young volunteers helping with this dangerous project at that time, now of advanced age, will be at our meeting and telling of his experiences. The Book Club welcomes new members. For more information, please contact Ulla Rychter at (206) 546-3053.

Play Some Games on Shabbat June 23 & July 28

Shabbat is long over the summer, so stay at shul after lunch to hang out and play board games! We'll gather on June 23 and July 28 in the social hall after lunch (about 1:30ish). Open to kids and adults; bring your favorite board game, and Beth Shalom will bring popsicles! Questions? Contact Rabbi Rose at rabbirose@bethshalomseattle.org



Congregation Beth Shalom Family Camp

JUNE 8-10, 2018

Info and registration:

<https://bethshalomseattle.org/calendar/cbs-family-camp-2018/>

Come along on Beth Shalom's annual family retreat. Kids and parents will get to learn, eat delicious food, boat, swim in the lake, play games, and more. Middle school and high school students have the opportunity to join us as junior CITS and CITS. Parents will also enjoy adult only wine and trivia evenings!

Our weekend begins at 3pm on Friday, June 8th and runs through lunch on Sunday, June 10th.

Final Kabbalat Shabbat until September Friday, 5/25

Coming up next week, is the final Kabbalat Shabbat service until the Fall. The good news is that there will be two Shabbatot in the Park!

SAVE THE DATES—Shabbat in the Park July 6 & August 10

CBS Blood Drive

Sunday, 6/3 from 10:00am–4:00pm (closed from 12:30-1:30 pm for lunch), in the bus in front of the North End Library across the street from CBS

We recommend that you make an appointment at <https://schedule.bloodworksnw.org> to avoid a line. Blood Donors Save Lives. Sign up today and make a world of difference. Photo ID required Walk-ins Welcome. Questions? Contact Bloodworks NW: bloodworksnw.org or 1-800-398-7888.

Milestones

- ✧ Mazel tov to Rabbi Jodie Futornick, who received her Doctor of Bioethics (DBe) degree this month from Loyola University of Chicago
- ✧ Mazel Tov to Marianne Tatom, on being accepted into the inaugural Yiddish Pedagogy Program - she is one of nine Pedagogy Fellows, and when completed she will be able to teach Yiddish!
- ✧ Mazel Tov to Erin & Aviad Benzikry, on the birth of their daughter, Mayah Arielle

Toddah Rabah

- ✧ To Janis White & Richard Silverstein, for Catering this week's Kiddush lunch
- ✧ To Ariel Goldberg for cleaning the annex and annex kitchen
- ✧ To all the Cheesecake bakers: Rabbi Rose - for the dairy-free cheesecake, Sarah Harel, Janet Zepel, Liz Caldera, and Michele Yanow, and last but not least, Sara Lee
- ✧ To Debbie Gordon, for the herculean task of organizing Rabbi Borodin's files

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Tikkun Leil Shavuot 5778: Back to the Future Saturday, 5/19, 7:00pm to Dawn 5/20

Come for part or all. Complete with all-night learning, dawn minyan, and lots of cheesecake!

In celebration of Beth Shalom's 50th anniversary, we've done a lot of reflecting on the past. For Shavuot this year, join us for a night of learning and imagining on the theme of the Jewish future.

Hear from several generations, including our teens, college students and millennials of Jewish leaders about their hopes, dreams, concerns, and visions of what Conservative Jewish life might look like in 50 years.

What is on the horizon, and how should our past inform our future?

Situations the Rabbis Could Never Have Imagined: The Next 50 Years of Technology through a Jewish Lens.

As technology develops more rapidly than ever before, the Jewish community must try to keep up. How will these developments affect Jewish life? What are the potential ethical concerns we foresee with various kinds of technology and biomedical developments? How will halakhah respond to a world that previous generations could never have imagined?

Saturday, 5/19 thru 5/20

7:00pm—See the Torah up close as the 6th Graders share their Maftir with us.

8:15pm—Trends in Emerging Judaism: a panel of emerging Jewish Leaders discussing hopes, concerns and visions of what Jewish life might look like in the future.

For Youth

- ◆ Elementary-age program with Tal until 9:40pm in Beit Midrash, then will join adults for Havdallah
- ◆ Teens participate in adult panel followed by Havdallah in the Annex at 9:30pm
- ◆ Middle schoolers can choose between the two options

9:30pm—Ma'ariv and Havdallah

9:50pm—Cheesecake!

10:15pm—The next 50 Years of Technology through a Jewish Lens. How will halakhah respond to the world that no one in the past could have imagined?

11:30pm - Rabbi David Fine: Last but not least: What's the big deal about coveting?

12:30am - Rabbi Jill Borodin: What Do We Believe Will Ultimately Happen to Us When We Pray for Tehiat Hametim (the resurrection of the dead) in the Amidah?

SHAVUOT SCHEDULE

Sunday, 5/20 thru 5/21

1:30am - Rabbinical Student Adam Gillman:

What did we receive at Mt. Sinai? What would we like to receive this Shavuot?

2:30am - Rabbi Emily Kapor-Mater: *What will Halacha look like when the Messiah comes?*

3:30am - Rabbi Paula Rose: *Did the Rabbis Really Want the Temple Rebuilt? And Other Rabbinic Fantasies about the Future.*

4:15am—Dawn shacharit in the Beit Midrash

5/20

9:30am, Yom Tov services in the Sanctuary

11:30am-12:30pm - Kids programming K-5th grade with Tal Bronstain in Room 1

11:30am-12:30pm - open classroom with Shavuot activities for young families in Room 4/5

1:00pm—Picnic in the Park: Bring a picnic to View Ridge Park

5/21 - 9:30am, Yom Tov services & Yizkor in the Sanctuary with Kiddush lunch following

Youth Events

USY (8-12th Grade) Regional Convention-May 25-27

It's time for USY (8-12th Grade) Regional Convention 2018! Get ready for a convention unlike any other! This year, we are teaming up for the first time ever for a joint regional event with New USY in Salem, Oregon. This means even bigger and better programs with tons more friends to meet and memories to make.

More details and information about how to register on the CBS Website: <https://bethshalomseattle.org/calendar/regional-usy-convention/>

Kadima Goes to Menchies

Thursday, 5/31 from 5:00-6:30pm at Menchies in U Village

Bring some money to purchase your sweet treat

As our year together comes to a close, we invite all 6th-8th graders to come say goodbye to Tal and celebrate the end of the school year and start of summer. What better way to celebrate summer than with frozen yogurt! Meet Tal and Noah at Menchies in the U Village- May 31st from 5pm-6:30pm. You can stop by or plan to stay for the whole time. Remember to bring some money to purchase your sweet treat!

Final Kadima (6th-8th grade) Cooking Program with Tal Bronstain

Tuesday, 5/29 from 4:30-6:30pm

Tal's leaving in a few short weeks; join her for this one last class of Kadima (6th-8th grade) Cooking! We'll be making Bait lazait, or "house for an olive" – a kosher, Israeli version of pigs in a blanket. There is no Prozdor, so this will meet in its place!

Please sign up online in advance (below) so that we can purchase the right amount of food!

\$8 <https://bethshalomseattle.org/calendar/final-kadima-cooking-program-with-tal/>

Shomrei Atid

For more information on joining Shomrei Atid and Legacy giving, please contact Carol Benedick (carolbenedick@bethshalomseattle.org), or call 206-524-0075 ext 2502.

Please remember Congregation Beth Shalom with a gift in your will, trust, retirement account or life insurance policy.



REFUAH SHLEMAH

The Refuah ShlemaH list is for the seriously ill and names need to be re-submitted monthly.
Each entry is dated. The listing expires one month from the listing date.
To renew names on the list call Marjie at 206-524-0075.
Thank you for understanding our policy to make room for names in the future.

If your loved one's name is not listed, you may announce them during the prayer for the sick, after the reading of the Torah.

CBS Members

- ★ Yehudit bat Adell v'Yizchak
- ★ Tzvi Dov ben Fagela v'Yakov
- ★ Even Mordechai ben Natalie Hannah
- ★ Hanoch ben Miriam Zelda v'Balin Chunah
- ★ Shoshana bat Miryam v'Shmuel (Shoshi Bilavsky)
- ★ Esther Rachel bat David (Emily Freedman)
- ★ Chaya Esther bat Sheina Leiba v'Mordechai
- ★ Shlomo Menachem ben Sarah (Solomon Michaels)
- ★ Meira bat Yenta Hadassah v'Asher (Meira Shupack)
- ★ Sara bat Leah v'Nachman
- ★ Bezalel ben Miriam v'Avraham (Eugene Huppim)
- ★ Leah Rachel bat Sarah (Lynette Brodsky)
- ★ Eleazar Aharon ben Miriam
- ★ Aviella Bara bat Shlomo v'Nechama Raisal (Susan Aylesworth)
- ★ Orli bat Sofia
- ★ David Henached shel Goldja (Elric Wolfsbruder McCurdy)
- ★ Chizkiyahu Yitzchok Yehoshuah ben Rachel v'Eliezer
- ★ Ita bat Taube (Inna Lacker)

RELATIVES of Members

- ★ Ira Weiner, cousin of Kayla Weiner (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ Joan Siewart, aunt of Carrie Horwitch (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ Janice Portney, cousin of Linda Portnoy (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ Reuven ben Yetta (Reuben Feldman), father of Rhona Feldman (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ Yakov David Ben Shaindel (Jeffrey David Pachter), brother of Mihal Bat-Or (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ Jay Richards, step-father of Shelly Crocker (re-listed** 5/2)
- ★ Justine Benedick, mother of Carol Benedick (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ Ezra Zimmerman, nephew of Nadine Cadesky-Zimmerman (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ David ben Golda v'Yaakov, father of Rabbi Jodie Futornick (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ Rivka Gittle bat Zipora (Marta Kaplan), relative of Carolyn Cohen (**re-listed 5/12)
- ★ Yenta Hadassah bat Rachel, mother of Meira Shupack (re-listed 5/3)
- ★ Masha bat Rivka v'Hillel, mother of Jodie Futornick (listed 4/17)
- ★ Natan ben Tirtzah v'Isaak (Nathan Kalet), son of Terry Steele-Kalet (listed 4/24)
- ★ Chaya Chana bat Devora v'Abba (Amy Gerber), aunt of Alexa Kapor-Mater (listed 4/24)
- ★ Hannah Bat Eliyahu v'Chava (Anita Honey Baron), mother of Jody Mizrahi (listed 4/30)
- ★ Nahman bat Brana (Nicolay Faynberg), father of Margaret Ita Royzen (listed 5/3)
- ★ Atya Gaupman, mother of Marina Nagel (listed 5/7)
- ★ Rose Portnoy, mother of Linda Portnoy (listed 5/15)

FRIENDS of Members

- ★ Raisa bat Elka (Raisa Vilkevitch), friends of Emma Shusterman, Marina Kiselev, Svetlana Burke and Marina Nagel (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ Daniel ben Shlomo, friend of the Orlick Salka Family (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ John Lewis ben Julia, friend of Patti Kieval (re-listed**5/2)
- ★ Rachel Nagorsky, friend of CBS, and the ECC (re-listed 5/2)
- ★ Avery Rosen, friend of Kayla Weiner (re-listed**5/2)
- ★ Kevin Kramer, friend of Carolyn Cohen & Scott Cline (re-listed** 5/2)
- ★ Jeff Rommel, friend of Sharon Greenberg (listed** 5/4)
- ★ Ruth Aisner, friend of Patti Kieval (listed 4/26)
- ★ Alyssa Wolf, friend of Kayla Weiner (listed 4/19)
- ★ Richard Hardt, friend of Harvey Niebelski and Marianne Tatom (listed 4/25)
- ★ Elizabeth Chauffe, friend of Marianne Tatom (listed 4/26)

MEMBERS OBSERVING YAHRZEITS

- ★ John Bernhard, for his father, Lazare Bernhard, z"l
- ★ Kevin Coskey, for his father, Richard Coskey, z"l
- ★ Cindy Strauss and Warren Fein, for their father, Sherwood Fein, z"l
- ★ Mark Slosberg, for his grandfather, Benjamin Slosberg, z"l
- ★ Diana Steeble, for her grandfather, Milton Kahan, z"l
- ★ Rik Katz, for Jill's friend, Charisse Kranes, z"l
- ★ Joani Diskin Saran, for her mother, Helen Rosenfield, z"l
- ★ Betsy Deutsch, for her grandmother, Meta Schechter, z"l
- ★ Isabella Chapman, for her sister-in-law, Norma Chapman, z"l
- ★ Laurie Almoslino, for her mother, Beverly Levy Slatin, z"l
- ★ Dorothy Becker, for her grandmother, Anna Berman, z"l
- ★ Bob Center, for his mother, Hilde Center, z"l
- ★ Chuck Kolb, for his mother, Laure Kolb, z"l
- ★ Julie Margulies, for her mother, Goldie Brounstein, z"l
- ★ Alan Baumgarten, for his grandmother, Gussie Baumgarten, z"l
- ★ Hilary Bernstein, for her grandmother, Yetta Cogen, z"l
- ★ Judith Robin, for her uncle, Abraham Semmelman, z"l
- ★ Lynette Brodsky, for her father, Herbert Temkin, z"l
- ★ Stacey Fisher, for her mother, Joyce Fisher, z"l
- ★ Yonah Karp, for her uncle, David Karp, z"l
- ★ Ted Stern, for his uncle, Morris Milgrom, z"l
- ★ Kayla Weiner, for her mother, Josephine Weiner, z"l
- ★ Nancy Zeitz, for her mother, Sylvia Rotheim, z"l
- ★ Nancy Goldov, for her grandmother, Rose Stolov, z"l

COMMUNITY NEWS

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GENTLEMAN'S AGREEMENT: Hollywood's Stand Against Anti-Semitism Sunday, 5/20 from 4:00pm SJCC \$15 | \$12

Cecilia Peck, daughter of the film's star, Gregory Peck, shares her father's personal story behind making GENTLEMAN'S AGREEMENT, and his social justice calling throughout his career. Historian Claudine Stevens analyzes the impact of the groundbreaking book and movie through a riveting presentation of clips and research about novelist Laura Z. Hobson and all those involved with the film, and how it paved the way for more hard-hitting films to follow.
https://sjcc.org/cultural-arts/talks/?utm_source=All+Subscribers&utm_campaign=37679c2cb4-arts_ideas_jan3_2018&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_6741713cf2-37679c2cb4-112686181#ehud-barak

Pots and Pans Drive

Daily through 5/18 from 9:00am to 5:00pm - Mail to or drop off at Jewish Family Service, 1601 16th Ave., Seattle
Donate **new** kitchen items to help individuals and families. Donate pots holding 8 quarts or more and pans 12 inches wide with lids.
http://www.jfsseattle.org/event/pots-pans-drive?instance_id=2949

Gaman - MOR's Spring Concert

Sunday, 5/20 from 5:00pm at Illsley Ball Nordstrom Recital Hall, Benaroya Hall

Christophe Chagnard's Gaman focuses on the experience of Japanese Americans forced to incarceration camps. The work's title refers to the struggle to endure the unbearable with patience and dignity.

<https://www.musicofremembrance.org/concert/spring-concert-gaman>
20th Season Gala Dinner & Silent Auction

Following the concert

<https://www.musicofremembrance.org/concert/20th-season-gala-dinner-silent-auction>

Mohammed Al Samawi - To Save the World: A Harrowing Escape, an Unexpected Hero and the Power of Friendship Thursday, 5/24 from 7:00pm at Congregation Ezra Bessaroth, 5217 S Brandon St, Seattle

Born in Yemen, Mohammed Al Samawi was a devout Muslim raised to think of Christians and Jews as his enemy. After connecting with Jews and Christians on social media, and at various international interfaith conferences, Mohammed became an activist, making it his mission to promote dialogue and cooperation in Yemen. Then came the death threats: first on Facebook, then through terrifying anonymous phone calls. To protect himself and his family, Mohammed fled to the southern port city of Aden. As gunfire and grenades exploded throughout the city, Mohammed hid in the bathroom of his apartment and desperately appealed to his contacts on Facebook. Miraculously, a handful of people he barely knew responded. Over thirteen days, four ordinary young people worked to save this innocent young man trapped between deadly forces— rebel fighters from the north and Al Qaeda operatives from the south. Questions? Contact us at seattle@ajc.org or 206-622-6315.

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/an-evening-with-mohammed-al-samawi-tickets-44160589512?ms=wb_evt_20180502_AJCSSeattle&ms=wb_evt_20180502_AJCSSeattle