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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

"A judge who speaks angrily to the litigants may be sure that they will not tell the truth out of fear." – H. Heifetz

**26 Tishrei - 3 Cheshvan 5779**

**October 5-12, 2018**

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**Kabbalat Shabbat Services in the Beit Midrash**

Candlelighting on October 5 is at 6:22pm  
**Kabbalat Shabbat services from 6:00-7:00pm**

**Shabbat Services in the Sanctuary at 9:30am**

Genesis 1:1 - 6:8  
Haftarah: Isaiah 42:5-43:10

The Kiddush lunch is Sponsored by  
Dmitry & Rebecca Polyakovsky and Yury & Irina Polyakovsky  
in memory of their family members:  
Isaac Israelevich, z"l; Herman Horowitz, z"l; Jay Harvey z"l; and Peter Harvey, z"l  
and

Prepared by Shabbas Chefs and Thursday Connections Volunteers

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

**Prozdor** from 10:00am downstairs

**Kids Kehilla** with Brianna Sayres for ages 6-11 from 10:45 in Room 6

**Shulchan Yisraeli (Israel Current Events)** with Noam Rinit  
from 12:30pm - she will be available during Kiddush lunch  
for respectful conversation about politics and peace

**Ruach Update:**

The October Ruach will be slightly delayed. Marjie has been ill, so this month's Ruach will go out as soon as we are able. We appreciate your patience!

**Welcome New Guests on Shabbat**

Beth Shalom is expanding our Shabbat hospitality and hoping to offer Shabbat hospitality to new members, prospective members and guests from out of town seeking Shabbat dinner. Please be in touch with Nancy Simon at [nesimon@gmail.com](mailto:nesimon@gmail.com) if you are interested in hosting.



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.

Transliterations of services are available; speak to an usher to get a copy.  
Hearing Devices: There are hearing devices for all services. Please speak to an usher.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING PROGRAMS

## Thank you to all who made a High Holiday Pledge!

We hoped to raise \$85,000 in this year's High Holiday Campaign. We asked you to stretch farther because our needs are even greater than what we budgeted. We appreciate all of you for helping us raise over \$117,000!

We are still accepting High Holiday pledges. Any money raised will help us reduce this year's deficit. Thank you!

## Thursday Connections

Every Thursday from 10:00am-Noon  
A Daytime Program at Beth Shalom to Learn, Volunteer, and Socialize. Connect with Beth Shalom community for a variety of activities! Join us!

### 10am - 12pm: Volunteer & Socialize

- Bake challah, casseroles, or dessert for Shabbat lunch and Beth Shalom events
- Help CBS staff with an office or community volunteer project

## Missing Talit Bag and Talit with D'var Torah inside

Sam Wineburg is missing his black felt Talit bag with "Talit Yerushaliam" embroidered in gold in Hebrew on the bag and an embroidered crown above that. He left the D'var Torah in the bag which would identify it belonging to Sam. The Talit was large traditional black and white.

## Missing Artsroll Siddur

Nancy Geiger misplaced a personal siddur here on Yom Kippur. It's an Artsroll siddur/machzor for Yom Kippur, with an interlinear translation. Brown cover, gold lettering.

## Empty Nesters will discuss Bernard Malamud's "Talking Horse"

Sunday, October 7, 5:30pm (potluck) at the home of Shirah & Chauncey Bell.  
This humorous, 27-page story will be emailed to all attendees (or anyone who requests). Jeremy Alk will lead our discussion this Sunday. For further info (food, location, accessibility, who's coming, more food) and to RSVP, click <http://evite.me/4fs2kwCWPb>.

## ADULT EDUCATION FOR THE FALL

For more information and to register, check out our webpage: [bethshalomseattle.org/community-and-adult-learning/lifelong-learning/](http://bethshalomseattle.org/community-and-adult-learning/lifelong-learning/)

## The Zohar Confronts Communal Crisis with Beth Huppin

In this class we'll examine a story in the Zohar in which the community is facing an unnamed, but obviously serious crisis. Spiritual leaders of the time are called together for a special gathering. What can we learn from them? The Zohar is a foundational Jewish mystical text. Drop-ins welcome. No prior knowledge necessary. (3 sessions)

**Time:** Tuesday mornings, 9:30-10:45am

**Dates:** October 9- October 23

## Jewish Values and Contemporary Society with Rabbi Borodin

Exploration of a few key Jewish values and what their expression looks like today in contemporary society, especially when they are counter to popular practice. We will explore these questions through learning about the values of being created in the image of God, caring for yourself,

## Shabbat Afternoon

### Saturdays, 1:15pm following Kiddush Lunch

*No Charge for Shabbat Learning*

## Sikh Community Connection: Sikh Beliefs and Immigration

Shabbat, 10/13 from 1:15pm in the Beit Midrash  
We will hear from **Satwinder Kaur, a Kent City Councilwoman and Sikh**. She is one of two Sikh elected officials in Washington and will speak about Sikhism as well as Sikh immigrants.

## Project DVORA, October 27th

**Critical Conversations- Important Thought Pieces Reading and Discussion Group**, with Rabbi Borodin  
*November 10th*

caring for others, pursuing justice, compassion. This class is designed for both learners wanting to learn for themselves and for parents wanting these resources to help with their parenting. No charge.

**Time:** Wednesday Nights, 8:00pm - 9:00 pm

**Dates:** October 10-24

## The following classes are starting on October 9, 25 sessions:

- Hebrew I - Alef Bet basics with Talya McCurdy, 7-8pm
- Hebrew II with Sharon Greenberg, 7-8pm
- Beginning Modern Hebrew with Beth Broadway, 7-8pm
- Intermediate Modern Hebrew with Beth Broadway, 8-9pm

## The following classes are starting October 10, 6 sessions:

- Learn to Leyn: An Introduction to Torah Trope with Shira Orzech, 7-8pm
- Jewish Values and Contemporary Society with Rabbi Borodin, 8-9pm. (Only 3 sessions)
- Thinking In Nusach: Understanding the Music of Prayer with Carl Sayres, 8-9pm

## Adult Ed Meet and Greet:

Many Adult Education classes start on Tuesday, October 9. Join us at 6:30pm in the lobby for an Adult Education Meet and Greet before class. We'll have desserts and tea, and a chance to talk with other students and hear more about Adult Ed class offerings.

## Todah Rabah

- ☆ Thank you to Dmitry & Rebecca Polyakovsky and to Yury & Irina Polyakovsky for sponsoring Kiddush.
- ☆ To the Shabbas Chefs, Michelle Geller, and Wendy Friedman, for helping to prepare the meal
- ☆ To the Thursday Connections Volunteers: Susan Monas, Gloria Goldstein, Janet Zepel, Liz Caldera,

Linda Berg, Jettie Person, and Nancy Coomer for helping to prepare the meal

- ☆ To the volunteers who helped deconstruct the CBS Sukkah: Rob Snyder, Debbie Gordon & Don Kronenberg from the B&G committee, Guenter Mannhalt, Rebecca Moxley, Thearath So and Ed Brewer.

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS

### **Chaverim (4th and 5th Graders) Sunday, October 14th, 3pm-5pm U Village Scavenger Hunt**

Join us to compete with your fellow 4th and 5th graders in a giant scavenger hunt in U Village. Drop off and pick up at Menchies.

Questions or to RSVP, contact Rachel at [rachelwachtel@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto:rachelwachtel@bethshalomseattle.org)

*\*If your child would like to purchase frozen yogurt at Menchies, please send them with cash*

### **Kadima (6th-8th Graders) Sports Round Robin Sunday, October 14th 12:30-2:30**

We'll meet in the social hall at CBS for some fun games then, around 1:00pm, head over to View Ridge Park to play sports and compete in a series of round-robin style team challenges. At around 2:00pm we'll head back to CBS for more games, snacks, and hanging out. (Note that in the case of nasty weather, the event will still go on, just all at CBS instead of View Ridge.) This will be a great way for our middle schoolers to have a blast, make friends, and take a break on the weekend.

Questions or to RSVP contact Noah at [Tashbook@uw.edu](mailto:Tashbook@uw.edu)

### **Teen and USY**

**October 9th-** First night of teen learning! Join us in the

annex for dinner and class from 6:30pm-8pm.

### **October 20th- First Youth Minyan of the year!**

This amazing monthly youth led service (no adults allowed! Only post B'nai Mitzvah teens!) is an incredible place to make new friends, enjoy delicious food, and practice your service leading and Torah skills! Youth lead every aspect of the service from Shacharit to our Power Musaf! Then, we join together for lunch and some socializing. Youth Minyan meets 6-8 Shabbat mornings per year from 10:15am to Noonish in the Beit Midrash (Library) at Beth Shalom. No sign up required, just mark your calendar for the 2018-2019 dates: 10/20/18, 12/15/18, 1/12/19, 2/9/19, 3/16/19, 4/13/19, 5/11/19 (Graduation Shabbat), 6/8/19. Questions? Want to sign up to lead or read? Contact Jeremy Rose.

### **October 27th- USY Havdallah and Movie Night-**

More info to come

## Social Action—Ahavat v'Avodat HaAdamah

### **Wildlife in Jerusalem: How Nature Brings Diverse Communities Together,**

**Sunday, 10/7 from 11:00am-12:30pm at Beth Shalom** - during religious school

with Alena Kacal, Director of the Jerusalem Bird Observatory (of the Society for the Protection of Nature in Israel). For almost 25 years the Jerusalem Bird Observatory has been working to preserve the rich natural history of the Holy City. Alena will introduce us to the secret wild corners of Jerusalem and the wildlife that make their homes there, as well as highlight some of the unique research, conservation and community building programs of the JBO. RSVPs are encouraged. Please email [sarahgreenberg@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto:sarahgreenberg@bethshalomseattle.org)

### **American Jewish World Service (AJWS)**

**Sunday, 10/14 from 11:00am-12:30pm at Beth Shalom** - during religious school

AJWS will be hosting two of their grantee partners, Amber Munger and Nixon Boumba from Haiti, in Seattle. In Haiti, AJWS works to promote human rights and protect Haitian land as the country recovers from Hurricane Matthew, the 2010 devastating earthquake and decades of coups, dictatorships, occupations and invasion. AJWS is right there in the intersection of social justice and climate justice. We will learn about their many projects in Haiti. Amber is AJWS Senior Program Officer for Haiti and the Dominican Republic. Boumba is native Haitian and as AJWS In-Country Consultant, leads our work with 29 grantee partners. RSVPs are encouraged. Please email [sarahgreenberg@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto:sarahgreenberg@bethshalomseattle.org)

**Voting and Vino Event (co-sponsored by CBS):  
Sunday, October 14, 2018 from 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm at Hillel UW**

Join the Jewish Federation and Hillel UW for food, drinks, and learning! The 2018 mid-term elections are almost upon us, and it's time to get informed. This fall's ballot includes congressional, legislative, and judicial leaders. Additionally, there will be several significant statewide initiatives on issues ranging from gun violence prevention to carbon fees. Join us for a fun evening of appetizers and drinks and learn about the most pressing issues from a Jewish perspective. Hear pro and con arguments on each of the statewide ballot initiatives from experts; meet the legislative, congressional and statewide candidates seeking your vote; and most importantly, bring your questions!

**Location:** Hillel UW, 4745 17th Ave NE, Seattle, 98105

**Cost:** General Admission, \$18; Student (18+ with valid student ID), \$10; Pay it forward to provide assistance for someone else to attend, \$18

**Food:** Dietary Laws Observed

Visit [www.jewishinseattle.org/voting-vino](http://www.jewishinseattle.org/voting-vino) to register.

**Questions? Contact Cassie Garvin**

**at [CassieG@jewishinseattle.org](mailto:CassieG@jewishinseattle.org)**

*Note: This is a non-partisan event. The Jewish Federation of Greater Seattle and Hillel UW are 501(c)(3) organizations. They are unable to endorse or oppose candidates for office.*

### **Shomrei Atid**

For more information on joining Shomrei Atid and Legacy giving, please contact Carol Benedick ([carolbenedick@bethshalomseattle.org](mailto: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 Shlema 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

- ★ Ma'ayan bat Maya (Tatyana Globerman)
- ★ Shprintza bat Lev v'Shoshana
- ★ Gavriela bat David (Gena Shapiro)
- ★ Gideon ben Sarah Imenu v'Avraham Avinu (Mickey Balderas)
- ★ 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'Shmu'el (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 Raisel (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 9/6)
- ★ Joan Siewart, aunt of Carrie Horwitch (re-listed 9/6)
- ★ Janice Portney, cousin of Linda Portnoy (re-listed 9/12)
- ★ Yakov David Ben Shaindel (Jeffrey David Pachter), brother of Mihal Bat-Or (re-listed 9/12)
- ★ Jay Richards, step-father of Shelly Crocker (re-listed\*\* 9/12)
- ★ Justine Benedick, mother of Carol Benedick (re-listed 9/12)
- ★ Ezra Zimmerman, nephew of Nadine Cadesky-Zimmerman (re-listed 8/6)
- ★ Rivka Gittle bat Zipora (Marta Kaplan), relative of Carolyn Cohen (\*\*re-listed 9/12)
- ★ Eliyahu ben Yeitchak Daveed halevi (Dr. Elliott Perlin), father of Sam Perlin (listed 9/4)
- ★ David Simcha ben Leah, brother of Lori Safer (listed 9/13)
- ★ Leah Zlota bat Chana Richel, sister of Cynthia Green-Alk (listed 9/14)
- ★ Tzivia Richel bat Malka, cousin of Cynthia Green-Alk (listed 9/14)
- ★ Mariam bat Yetta, mother of Gail Coskey (listed 9/14)

### FRIENDS of Members

- ★ Raisa bat Elka (Raisa Vilkevitch), friend of Emma Shusterman, Marina Kiselev, Svetlana Burke and Marina Nagel (re-listed 9/12)
- ★ Daniel ben Shlomo, friend of the Orlick Salka Family (re-listed 9/12)
- ★ John Lewis ben Julia, friend of Patti Kieval (re-listed\*\*9/12)
- ★ Avery Rosen, friend of Kayla Weiner (re-listed\*\*9/12)
- ★ Jeff Rommel, friend of Sharon Greenberg (listed\*\* 9/12)
- ★ Ruth Aisner, friend of Patti Kieval (re-listed 9/12)
- ★ Hava bat Shendyl (Eve Grossman Bukowski), friend of Dina Tanners and many ex-Spokaneites (re-listed 9/12)
- ★ Laura Isenberg, friend of Amy Stephson (re-listed 9/12\*\*)
- ★ Mary Fetterly, friend of Cynthia Green-Alk (listed 9/14)
- ★ Ian Earle, friend of Lauren Fellows (listed 10/6)

## MEMBERS OBSERVING YAHRZEITS

- ★ Ruth Abers, for her father, Jacob Abers, z"l
- ★ David Bennett, for his uncle, Royal Friedlander, z"l
- ★ Svetlana Burke, Marina Kiselev, Bella Korshin, and Emma Shusterman, for their grandfather, Chayim Byk, z"l
- ★ Stephanie Butow, for her father, Robert J.C. Butow, z"l
- ★ Wimsey Cherrington, for her father, Irwin Cherrington, z"l
- ★ Carolyn Friedkin, for her father, Herman Scherr, z"l
- ★ Cindy Hirsch, for her grandfather, Harry Penner, z"l, and for her grandmother, Elizabeth Penner, z"l
- ★ Martin Joseph, for his grandmother, Chana Silberstein, z"l
- ★ Yonah Karp, for her mother, Laenu Greenberg Karp, z"l, and for her aunt, Shelma Angel, z"l
- ★ Lynn Katz, for her father, Joseph Fainsilber, z"l
- ★ Ronnie Katz & David Springer, for their son, Joshua Katz-Springer, z"l
- ★ Bernice Kegel, for her mother, Freda Israch, z"l
- ★ Inna Lacker, for her grandfather, Anatole Buchman, z"l
- ★ Linda Levy-Kanter, for her mother, Blanche Levy, z"l
- ★ Joan Lite Miller, for her father, Seymour Lite, z"l
- ★ Rimma Lobas, for her mother, Eugenia Koltman, z"l
- ★ Karin Madwed, for her father, Bernie Feldman, z"l
- ★ Ellen Marx, for her mother, Althea Bush, z"l
- ★ Karen McGonigle, for her aunt, Minna Mendelsohn O'Brien, z"l
- ★ Danielle Meir, for her great aunt, Jean Candres, z"l
- ★ Liora Minkin, for her father, Norman Minkin, z"l
- ★ Edna Oberman, for her mother, Nettie Segal, z"l
- ★ Dmitry Polyakovsky, for his grandfather, Isaac Israelevich, z"l
- ★ Alison Robinson, for her grandfather, Melvin Jackson, z"l
- ★ Betsy Schneier, for her aunt, Adell Harden Alpern, z"l
- ★ Carol Slosberg, for her mother, Judy Shiekman, z"l
- ★ Brad Spear, for his father, Abe Spear, z"l
- ★ Carol Starin, for her husband, Joel Starin, z"l
- ★ Bob Strauss, for his grandmother, Dina Laband, z"l
- ★ Kayla Weiner, for her grandfather, Benjamin Weiner, z"l

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**CBS' advertising of an event does not imply that CBS endorses the content of the event.**

### **WSJHS Exhibit: Agents of Change: 20 Remarkable Jewish Women of Washington State Sunday, 10/7**

In celebration of its 50th Anniversary, the Washington State Jewish Historical Society is proud to announce *Agents of Change: 20 Remarkable Jewish Women of Washington State*, a landmark exhibit that will premiere at a major community event on October 7, 2018.

Featuring women who have made their mark in a wide array of fields including arts, activism, athletics, education, business, diplomacy, law, politics, religion, and philanthropy, *Agents of Change* shows the breadth and depth of the contributions Jewish women are making every day in our state and our world.

### **Walk With Friendship**

**Sunday, 10/14 from 9:30am at Luther Burbank Park, 2040 84th Ave SE, Mercer Island**

The Friendship Circle of Washington invites you to be a part of the seventh annual Walk With Friendship supporting children and families with special needs. Rain or shine. <https://www.walkwithfriendship.com/>

### **HEAR OUR STORY NOW: A new documentary film chronicling MOR's first twenty years**

**Sunday, 10/14 from 5:00pm at The Frye Art Museum, 704 Terry Street, Seattle**

From Emmy Award-winning filmmaker and journalist John Sharify, HEAR OUR STORY NOW chronicles MOR's two decades of musical witness. Join us at the Frye Art Museum for the premiere screening, and mingle afterward at a wine and hors d'oeuvres reception. For twenty years MOR has told stories for those who were silenced and for those living today. Stories of courage and hope. Stories that shatter the silence. Stories that the world needs to know. Stories told through the voices of people who lived through events that changed the world.

Tickets: \$20 (includes film and reception) - Seating is limited, so order now. <https://www.musicofremembrance.org/concert/hear-our-story-now>

### **Traditionally Radical Talmud**

**Tuesdays, October 16-March 12, 7:00pm, at Herzl-Ner Tamid, 3700 E. Mercer Way, Mercer Island**

As part of an initiative to make Talmud accessible to all, this class will equip learners with *svara* (moral intuition) and *gemara* (learning) to be changemakers for good. With Rabbi Miriam Green.

<https://hnt.wufoo.com/forms/s1vmmhl0fo25ck/>