

CBS Staff at Work

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Editorial Comments



by Bev Newman, Scroll Editor

We are continuing to transition to our home at Lamar. As summer progresses we will see more and more of our art, the Simchah Tree and the Yahrtzeit plaques moved. Soon we will

be surrounded by many of the objects that are familiar to us as part of CBS. Many people, starting with those who chaired and were members of the various committees and those who worked to help on Mitzvah Day, have worked hard to make the transition happen. In addition to helping with the initial set up

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of chairs in Goldsmith Hall, Boy Scout Troop 61 helped with the moving of prayer books and Chumashim for services. Everyone needs to be thanked for a job well done. Each day the Lamar building looks more and more like our religious home.

Back to "Shul" Picnic

Join your Beth Shalom family for a "Back to Shul" picnic for members of all ages to kick off the Fall season on **Sunday, August 21**

at the Lamar campus. The evening will begin at 5 pm with Minchah in Goldsmith Hall. There will also be a regular Minyan at Village Shalom, 6 pm.

Bounce to the Moon will be at Lamar with a "bouncy house" which will include a water slide (wear swimsuits!) to entertain the youth! Hot dogs and hamburgers will be served. Please refer to the flyer in the *July Scroll* or on our website. Reservations are due by Monday, August 8. Please join the Men's Club to set up, cook and break down this event. Questions regarding Men's Club, contact Todd Hollander, thollander@jkv.org or Richard Simon, kcrufus@yahoo.com. Questions regarding the "Back to Shul" picnic, contact Norman Levitan at 913-647-7283 or nlevitan@bethshalomkc.org.

Scenes from our pool party in June.



From the Hazzan's Study The Spirituality of the Days of Awe



Judaism is a subtle religion. It is filled with gray areas and unanswered questions. There is ambiguity and paradox in our texts. Tensions between old and new, individual and community, God and mankind create the energy which we call spirituality. Spirituality is not the outpouring

of emotion for the universe expressed as loud clapping or sorrowful wailing. Rather it is the continued engagement in the conversation of why we are here and how we are meant to live. Spirituality is being in the struggle. You can choose to be in the struggle, or you can choose to wait for the struggle to be over.

Elul and the Days of Awe are exhausting because we are constantly challenged to be part of the struggle. We are challenged to make sense of what we do and why we do it. We are challenged to take our texts and reconcile the paradoxes and ambiguities with our experience on earth.

If we are lucky, we come out of the High Holy Days able to live another year - we write ourselves into that Book. And if we are not lucky, if we fail to make sense of our purpose and fail to accept the "not-knowing," then we languor in the dark place without hope and without the energy to perfect the world.

Israel was born out of struggle. Jacob wrestled with an angel and came away both injured and blessed. When we truly engage in the questions of our existence, we cannot escape unscathed. But that is our path to enlightenment, and that is our task in this season. Don't avoid the struggle. Question the text and question your life so that you may emerge from the confusion

and frustration clearer, stronger and, in short, blessed.



Hazzan Robert Menes

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Learning as a Community "Education is an unfinished symphony." - Aranne

The Morris B. Margolies Center for Adult Studies will begin its offerings **Thursday, August 25,** 7:30 pm with a *Minyan Leadership Workshop* where you can learn to lead daily or shivah minyanim. In September, join Hazzan Menes for the *Elul Institute* on **Thursdays, September 15 and 22**, 7:30 pm at Lamar. Elul Institute is an educational program helping us to prepare for the Days of Awe. In the first week we will delve into the nature of God for the High Holy Days: *Is God Just? How does God express Compassion and Mercy?* We will be exploring God's actions through the Torah and liturgy and together we will grapple with how we can ask for justice and mercy. The second session will be devoted to the music of the High Holy Days. The Hazzan will review some of the traditional melodies and teach a few new ones to which we will sing along on Rosh HaShanah and Yom Kippur. No musical background is needed. Please join us, be sure to contact Jill Goldstein to let her know you will attend the above sessions, 913-647-7281 or jgoldstein@bethshalomkc.org.

This Fall there will be many Adult Education opportunties. Watch for more information on our website, as well as in the adult education brochure which will be available during the High Holy Days. From Hebrew to Sarah Peltzman Classes to special offerings, there is something for everyone. Mark your calendar now for **Sunday, October 30**, 7:30 pm when you will have the opportuntity to hear a unique presentation by Dr. Carla Klausner and Rabbi Scott White on the Middle East. This promises to be an interesting, educational and thought-provoking evening. Join us for this special event. More details will follow.

Ritual Notes

from Rabbi Alan Cohen The Ritual Committee, on June 30, 2011, reached a decision to return to the previous policy regarding the use of *unhekhshered* cheeses at Beth Shalom. Based upon a study of the responsa of Rabbis Isaac Klein and Kassel Abelson, the Ritual Committee takes this opportunity to inform the congregation that any processed cheeses may be used (hekhshered or unhekhsered) within the synagogue and synagogue kitchen as long as no animal products are contained within those cheeses. (This statement refers to cheeses only and does not automatically sanction the use of other products that contain cheese (e.g. mac & cheese.) Regarding such products and in regard to all questions, please consult Rabbi Cohen, Hazzan Menes or the Ritual Committee.)

Save The Date

Sunday, Sept. 11, 2011, marks the 10th anniversary of the tragic events that struck our country. To mark this solemn and important date, the Rabbinical Association of KC in collaboration with the JCRB/AJC will host a Memorial Service at 7 pm at Lamar. Special words and prayers will be offered. Everyone is invited.

Stewart and Esther Stein upon the birth of their grandson, Gabriel Benjamin Wax on March 4. Parents are Jeffrey and Jessica Wax of University City, MO. Paternal grandparents are Dr. Sanford and Wendy Wax of Chesterfield, MO. Gabriel's sister is Eliana Lily Wax.

Eugene and Kate Lebovitz upon the birth of their great-grandson, Netanel on May 30. Natanel is the son of Dr. Yaron and Tzippora Lebovitz of Bet Shemesh, Israel. Grandparents are George and Aviva Lebovitz of Jerusalem, Israel and Rabbi Leonard and Marsha Barishansky, Teaneck, NJ.

Stewart and Esther Stein upon the birth of their granddaughter, Leora Sophie Stein on June 11. Parents are Sheryl and Joshua Stein of Portland, OR. Maternal grandparents are Marc and Marilyn Rosen of Long Island, NY. Leora's brother is Jonah Ethan.

Jeff and Arlene Misler upon the birth of their grandson, Joshua Isaac Confeld on July 5. Joshua's parents are Jill and Steven Confeld of Golden Valley, MN. Paternal grandparents are Carole and Mark Confeld, Minneapolis, MN.

Stewart and Esther Stein upon the engagement of their son Louis to Carly Brown. Carly's parents are

Mazal Tov to...

Arnie Brown of Buffalo Grove, IL and the late Sandee Brown. A 2012 wedding is planned in Madison, WI.

Adele Price Mushkin upon the graduation of her granddaughter, Brooke Price Harper, from the University of Missouri-Columbia College of Engineering, and is a Cum Laude honors scholar.

Ernie and Susan Rosenthal upon the graduation of their son, Dr. David Walter Rosenthal with a doctorate in philosophy in molecular medicine from the Elmezzi Graduate School of Molecular Medicine at the Feinstein Institute for Medical Research, NY.

David and Rosalyn Burnstein

upon the ordination of their son, Rabbi Steve Burnstein, from the Reconstructionist Rabbinical College in Philadelphia.

Ariel Bodker, daughter of Stuart and Tensy Marcos-Bodker and granddaughter of Stanley Bodker, who graduated from the University of Michigan and will begin medical school at Rush Medical College in Chicago this Fall.

Ben Shapiro, son of Debbie and Mike Shapiro and grandson of Marianne and Mason Kessler, who graduated Magna Cum Laude from Johnson and Wales University.

Shari Baellow, David Baellow and Eugene and Kate Lebovitz whose son/grandson Benjamin Baellow, has been sworn into the U.S. Navy Reserves as an officer in training for the Intelligence Corps.

Patti Friedman upon receiving the Hadassah Past Presidents' Leadership Award.

Jonathan Ruben, son of Steve and Lisa Ruben, upon receiving the Joseph Hartman B'nai B'rith Lodge Yagan Family Scholarship.

Adam Sitzmann, son of Jeff and Wendy Sitzmann, upon receiving the Joseph Hartman B'nai B'rith Lodge Harry Freeman Memorial Scholarship/ Laner-Spack-Phillips Scholarship.

Joan March upon the High School graduation of her granddaughter, Rachel Salle, with numerous honors.

Aaron Kruger, son of **Michael and Dao Kruger**, upon being awarded his Eagle Scout.

Rita Shapiro who has been elected President of Great Plains Region of Hadassah.

Submit your Mazal Tov to be published

Youth & Informal Education

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Get involved! Join KCUSY for a new and exciting season of youth programs. Check the web calendar and/or contact Stef Williams for details.

Beth Shalom Youth Events:

Wednesday Night Programs 6:15-8 pm -Lamar September 7, 14 & 21

Services & Special Programs September 9-11 LTI - Leadership Training

www.bethshalomkc.org | 913-647-7279

KCUSYers enjoying their summer on USY Pilramage in Israel and at Herzl Camp Pictured L-R: Jeremy Katz, Ally Grant, Daniel Goldberg, Lily Friedman, Deborah Klein, Jessica Schneider, Sam Abrams, Brian Gerson, Josh Eisemann & Noah Eisemann

Executively Speaking Thank you, Beth Shalom



Todah Rabah, we thank you very much... Todah Rabah, for all that you do! Todah Rabah, we thank you very much... Todah Rabah, we appreciate you!

My children and I learned this song years ago at Beth Shalom Nursery School. I can't help but smile as I hear Miss Judy's voice singing in my head. This song expresses what I want to write to each of you today.

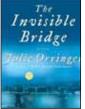
- → Thank you to each and every one of you who renewed your membership in Beth Shalom this year.
- → Thank you to the 66 families who donated at a Pillar level – and thanks to the family who increased their dues level to Pillar status this year.
- → Thank you to 4 of our congregants who told us that they have included CBS in their estate planning. This is since January 1 of this year!

Your financial support is critical and is much appreciated!

Sisterhood Linda Lessner, President sh

Sisterhood Book Club Sets Meeting Dates for 2011-2012

Ladies, mark your calendars! Sisterhood's Book Club will meet



on the evenings of **September 14**, **November 16, January 18, March 21 and May 16.** The books for September and November are *The*

Invisible Bridge by Julie Orringer and

Wherever You Go, by Joan Leegant. Book Club meetings are held at members' homes, and Sisterhood members and their guests are welcome. For more information,



please contact Rowena Turk at 913-649-7098 or at turk@kc.rr.com.

- → Thank you to the 18 families who are celebrating their child's B'nei Mitzvah with us this year.
- → Thank you to everyone who participated in Mitzvah Day, the 225 members who attended our June Congregational meeting and the 60 members who came to the pool party.
- → Thank you to all the volunteers. This ranges from our Sisterhood and Men's Club to committee members and Board members.

Your time and involvement makes us a community! You make a difference!

- → Thank you to our staff, our teachers, and our education directors for doing so much!
- ♂ Thank you to Hazzan Menes and Rabbi Cohen for caring.

Thank all of you for being my Beth Shalom family!!

Kurt K.

Kurt Kavanaugh, President

shpres@bethshalomkc.org Sisterhood Wants "You!"



Abrams & Meredith Nye at

a recent event

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Join or renew your Sisterhood membership today! If you have not received a statement

or would like additional information, please contact Dini Freed at 913-469-0021 or Renana Abrams at abrams3000@yahoo.com.



Beth Shalom Upcoming Events:

All programs will be held at Lamar unless otherwise noted.

Sarah Peltzman Classes Beginning October 11, watch for details Warm Up America

Wednesday, Sept. 7

PrayerWorks Wednesday, Aug. 24, 10 am

Mah Jongg, 9:30 am Wednesdays, Aug. 3, 17, 31

Community Service Ops. For details on the following, contact Carol Yarmo, ryarmo@kc.rr.com or 913-642-1199

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Friday, August 19, 11:45 am SafeHome: Talk & Tour

Programs & Meetings Tuesday, Aug. 30, 9:45 am Executive Board Meeting

Wednesday, Sept. 14 Book Club, "The Invisible Bridge" Watch for details



Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center Judy Jacks Berman, Director | jjb@bethshalomkc.org | 913-647-7287

Beth Shalom RFEC In The Loop...

RFEC Visiting Day Friday, August 26, 10 am

1st Day Preschool Monday, August 29

Extra Programs Begin Tuesday, August 30

Clip and Save

Welcome Coffee Wednesday, August 31, 9 am

Shabbat Music, 9 am Fridays, September 2 & 9

No School - Labor Day Monday, September 5



Friday morning Shabbat singing with the Hazzan

Send Your Child to a Jewish Preschool

Summer is drawing to a close and, it is time to think about the beginning of a new academic year. Research and studies have shown the advantages of a good preschool education. In addition to the



Family, child-friendly service for: Infants-Kindergarteners Parents & Siblings Celebrate with us on the 3rd Shabbat of each month at Lamar, with lively singing, tefillah and a story.

academic advantages, which include computers, music, Hebrew, listening, learning, and social skills, Beth Shalom offers a warm environment in which to learn about the celebration of Jewish holidays within both the family and the synagogue, Jewish values and the Jewish community, Israel and the world. To learn more about *The Rose Family Early Education Center* or to enroll your child, please contact Judy Jacks Berman. Get your child started on the right foot for a fulfilling and funfilled educational life.



Ben Pelofsky, Jonah Golder, Justin Pelofsky, Jordan Kuluva & Noah Kahn

Friendships formed in the RFEC are still going strong, as these five boys went to camp together this summer.

Polsky Religious School (PRS)

Patti Kroll, Director of Education | pkroll@bethshalomkc.org | 913-647-7290

Welcome Back Students

The halls of the Polsky Religious School have been quiet all summer without the sounds of children's voices and laughter. We look forward to our students' return and another successful academic year.

The talented and dedicated staff at PRS stress the importance of Hebrew mastery for all students. *Hebrew Jump Start*, for students in 3rd-6th grade, will take place at 4:30 pm on **Monday, August 29** and **Wednesday, August 31**. Hebrew High will be held on Tuesday evenings beginning **Tuesday, Sept. 13,** 7 pm and is open to any 8th-10th grader in the community.

The following is a list of recommended activities for students and parents to do to prepare for a smooth transition back into school:

- Get out those Hebrew books and spend some time reviewing
- Check out the school calendar, policies and supply list on the CBS website
- Complete and return your forms to the office, including medical and media release forms, 3-5th grade *Family Journeys* form, and selections for high school classes. Find additional details on the PRS link from the CBS website.

Learning Together at the PRS

Beth Shalom **PRS Blast**:

3^{rd-6th Grade JumpStart Monday, Aug. 29 & Wed., August 31, 4:30 pm}

Madrikhim Training Wednesday, August 31, 6 pm

PRS School Committee Mtg. Wednesday, August 31, 7:30 pm

1st **Day of Classes:** 2 & 7: Wednesday, Sept. 7, 4:30 pm PreK, K, 1, 8, 9, 10: Sunday, Sept. 11, 9:30 am

Confirmation Class Pancake Brkfst Sunday, September 11, 9 am

1st Quarter Monday Jouneys Monday, September 12, 4:15 pm

Hebrew High School Begins Tuesday, September 13, 7 pm



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CELEBRATING LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Submit your B'nei Mitzvah announcement to be published.

Ecclesiastes 3:1

Note: All B'nei Mitzvah will be held at 14200 Lamar

Mazal Tov to our B'nei Mitzvah Leslie Vera Liebenau



August 20, 2011 • 20 Av 5771

Leslie is the daughter of Karen and Ken Liebenau. She is the granddaughter of Ellen and Neil Stein of Rockville, MD and the late Catherine Rose Liebenau and Leslie Lajos Liebenau. A student at Oxford Middle School, Leslie enjoys figure skating, violin, reading, hanging with friends and attending Swayder Camp in the summer. Leslie has one sister, Cathy. For Leslie's community service project, she taught ice skating to special olympians and has participated in the Ma'asim Tovim program during the summer.

Please join Leslie and her family in worship and attend the Kiddush Luncheon following services.



Daniel Isaac Spertus August 20, 2011 • 20 Av 5771, Minchah

Daniel is the son of Sarah Hoffmann and John Spertus. He is the grandson of Rachel and John Hoffmann of Applegate, MI and Miriam and Edward Victor of Los Angeles, CA. A student at Pembroke Hill School, Daniel enjoys soccer, history and science. Daniel has two siblings, Eliza and Jacob.

Please join Daniel and his family in worship and attend the Kiddush following the service.



Ellie Hannah Schneider September 3, 2011 • 4 Elul 5771

Ellie is the daughter of Julie and Alan Schneider. She is the granddaughter of Dr. Jack Goldberg of Columbus, OH, the late Patricia Gurwin Segal and the late Estelle and Jerome Schneider. A student at Barstow School, Ellie enjoys playing soccer and basketball and is a competitive fencer. Ellie has one sister, Jessica.

Please join Ellie and her family in worship and attend the Kiddush Luncheon following services.

2012-2013 B'nei Mitzvah Parents' Meetings

Don't miss out on these important meetings for 2012-2013 B'nei Mitzvah parents. On Sunday, August 21, noon and Sunday, August 28, 7 pm, we will meet to

discuss your upcoming simchah. All matters pertaining to your B/BM weekend and the educational process will be addressed. RSVP to Jill Goldstein at 913-647-7281.

CELEBRATING LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

August Anniversaries

Ecclesiastes 3:1

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| Day | | Years | Day | | Years |
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| 1 | Jeremy & Debra Sandler | 7 | 19 | Clifford & Paula Cohen | 39 |
| 2 | Howard & Debra Cohen | 30 | | William & Betty Elic | 60 |
| _ | Lee & Bryna Sorkin | 47 | | Edward & Alicia Klein | 21 |
| 4 | Barton & Suellen Blond | 22 | | Isac & Elaine Rosenberg | 38 |
| - | Stephen & Riki Fein | 48 | | David & Gail Wainstock | 21 |
| | Eugene & Kate Lebovitz | 67 | 20 | Adam & Mia Feldman | 5 |
| 5 | Steven & Deborah Agron | 38 | | Melvin & Elaine Glazer | 44 |
| - | Gustav & Flora Faverman | 36 | | Dennis & Michelle Kelly | 29 |
| | John & Arlene Rubenstein | 32 | 21 | Alvin & Sharon Cohen | 51 |
| | Lloyd & Jacqueline Stahl | 32 | | Lon & Cathy Lowenstein | 28 |
| 7 | Yakov & Betya Altman | 62 | 22 | Alan & Joan Jacobson | 40 |
| ' | Phillip & Jacklyn Hermanson | 28 | 23 | Michael & Laurel Rogovein | 52 |
| 8 | Gary Mass & Cynthia Jacobsen | 35 | -0 | David & Frances Sternberg | 41 |
| 10 | Lawrence & Nancy Carl | 31 | 24 | Myron & Susan Gersh | 36 |
| 10 | William & Marjorie Schlosberg | 42 | | Blaine & Meredith Nye | 15 |
| 11 | Irving & Shirley Epsten | 43 | | Les & Beth Schwartz | 31 |
| | Elliott & Nancy Franks | 38 | 25 | Erwin & Phyllis Abrams | 48 |
| | Allan & Marilyn Kaufman | 37 | | Scott Evans & Limor Katz-Evans | 16 |
| | Melvyn & Janet Kogan | 48 | | Harold & Carolyn Glazer | 48 |
| 12 | Steven Berman & Judy Jacks Berman | 36 | | Arnold & Joan Kort | 48 |
| | Norman & Donna Joseph | 27 | 26 | Alexander & Peggy Davis | 38 |
| 13 | Arthur & Diane Federman | 39 | | Stanley & Emily House | 49 |
| -0 | Todd & Stacy Hollander | 16 | | Arthur & Salli Katz | 21 |
| | Jay & Katharine Levine | 16 | | David & Jennifer Podor | 32 |
| 14 | Al & Barbara Beitchman | 51 | 27 | Richard & Charlotte Brockman | 50 |
| | Stanley & Marjorie Brand | 45 | | Arthur & Maxine Frank | 61 |
| | Thomas & Barbara Jacobs | 17 | | Roger & Berenice Haberman | 16 |
| 15 | Roger & Nancy Klein | 40 | | Howard & Gerry Trilling | 44 |
| - / | Jerald & Rochelle Pelofsky | 46 | 28 | Lawrence & Harriet Almaleh | 28 |
| | Michael & Beth Sherry | 7 | | Scott & Carla Oppenheimer | 23 |
| | Stewart & Esther Stein | 40 | | Daniel & Vivien Schlozman | 51 |
| 16 | Robert & Susan Greenberg | 25 | 29 | Stephen & Ellen Kort | 40 |
| | David & Judy Jacobs | 54 | 30 | Robert & Evie Grant | 24 |
| | Eric Poe & Helaine Cohn | 13 | • | Arnold & Dorene Manvitz | 47 |
| | James & Nathalie Scharf | 20 | | David & Gerri Ruben | 19 |
| 17 | Jeremy & Danielle Antes | 3 | 31 | Jeffrey & Corrine Blackman | 26 |
| - / | David & Rosalyn Burnstein | 53 | | Marc Hammer & Alana Muller | 14 |
| | Byron & Gerri Ginsburg | 25 | | Barry Kaseff & Jessica Rudnick-Kaseff | 25 |
| | Stephen & Toba Maslan | 36 | | Michael & Julie Levine | 14 |
| 18 | Alan & Tina Chapman | 48 | | Harold & Janet Price | 36 |
| 10 | Robert & Nita Levy | 43 | | | - |
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| | Robert & Aletha Simon | 48 | V | , www.jiww.jiww.jiwiiw | |

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Kiddush Korner

Barbara M. Katz will be guiding Kiddush Corps into its To volunteer or for more information, contact: ninth year of serving Kiddush lunches on the Shabbatot that are not holidays, do not have B'nei Mitzvah, or are not sponsored. Volunteers are needed to help before services to arrange food and help clean up after lunch.

Dayan HaEmet

Of Blessed Memory We express condolences to our Beth Shalom Members,

their Families and Friends.

Joan Helene Kaufman Napshin, z"í, June 25 / 23 Sivan Jerome L. Finkelstein, z", July 1 / 29 Sivan Sam Tilzer, z", July 1 / 29 Sivan Sam Levy, z", July 12 / 10 Tammuz Jack Blackman, z", July 13 / 11 Tammuz

Yahrtzeits

Join us for morning or evening minyan at Village Shalom to say Kaddish for your loved one. See service schedule, page 11.

1 Av-Aug 1 Dorothy Botwin Jacob Greenstein Gittel Hadas Betty Heymann Birdie Josephson Gertrude Pasmanik Jacob Selichonok Minnie Werby

2 Av-Aug 2 Morris Boolkin

Simon Choikhit Helen Cohn Luba Dean Leon Gelphman Dorothy Glober Dora Hellman Edward Lefkovits Sarah Moskowitz Benjamin Schoen Harold Waxman

3 Av-Aug 3 Saul Brams Sidney Devins Sammy Devins Rebecca Eisen Isadore Fleschman Aileen Forman Minnie Garfinkle Harry Ginsberg Rose Keen Isie Krockover Abraham Rogers Meyer Rosenberg Bronia Roslawowski Bernard Seiden

4 Av-Aug 4 Sadie Bell

Ann Elick Bernard Greenberg Fannie Lerner

Edith Mendy Harry Turock

5 Av-Aug 5 Rahel

Bloomgarten Don Finestone Sadie Gumowitz Rachel Hurwitz David Kanter Freda Lipsitz Carl Minkin Jacob Poizner Phillip Samuelson Charles Schoen

6 Av-Aug 6

Morris Bigus Anna Cohen Samuel Dunn Rose Gastman Samuel Katz Leo Levinson Bela Lipszyc Anna Naron Sam Rosga Morris Schoen Abraham Vinick Sarah Weinstein Sarah Wolfberg

7 Av-Aug 7

Barry Aronson Joseph Chambers Gussie Kaufman Samuel Kaufman Lynn Kisluk Betty Koralchik Reltz Lenet Morris Levin Anna Peltzman Sam Samberg Jacob Siegelbaum Dora Walker

8 Av-Aug 8 Fannie Eisen Barney Gershon Naomi Goldstein Nathan Keen Morris Rapschutz Abraham Robinson Sarah Rocher

Fannie Shapiro 9 Av-Aug 9

Alvin Arenson Allan Birman Betty Birman Bessie Bordman Mary Chernikoff Mordecai Crosner Rosa Crosner Rebecca Furman Bessie Goldberg Jennie Himmel Anna Hoffman Henshen Keller David Leibtag Siegfried Loeffler Emma Loeffler William Peltzman Mitchel Rose Anna Tempofsky Pauline Yaskolka

10 Av-Aug 10

Melvin Beyer Sarah Golding Neil F. Miller Jennie Millman Mendel Oshry Clara Rothblatt Esther Shapiro

11 Av-Aug 11 Alfred Aron Morris Balot Ida Baron

Barney Cinnamon Abraham Cohen Sophia Cohn Rae Dloogoff Iacob Goldstein Ída Joseph Richard Josephson Louis Kiansky Esther Lesser Charlotte Margolin Meyer Peltzman Sarah Scrinopskie Ethel Seider Philip Wang

12 Av-Aug 12 Toby Chemel Ida Frank Dorothy Glass Dora Gold Nathan Goldberg Serena Hammer Anna Horowitz Samuel Isaak Phillip Katz Hyman Levi Hyman Rosen Ben Solomon

13 Av-Aug 13 Rebecca Barash Bessie Brenner Samuel Brown Sigmund Dollman Rose Gould Jack Kahn Harry Levy Jennie Marks Isaac Sackin Harris Segelbohm Samuel Spector Ruth Unger Evelyn Yodler

14 Av-Aug 14 Norma Bush Abraham Dorfman Rebecca Greenstein Abe Kaplan Minnie[®]Rafiel Kreine Shankman Henry Sosland

15 Av-Aug 15 Robert Bernstein Sarah Freshman Samuel Greenberg Rose Hyman Benjamin Katz Frieda Shanberg David Steinberg Sadie Tonopolsky

16 Av-Aug 16 Annette Glaser Sigmund Gundle

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Freida Mendell 21 Av-Aug 21 Pesyl Brand Abraham Sidlev I.J. Cohen Mollie Dashiell Benjamin Silverman Roni Smith Louis Weintraub Jack Denowitz Anna Godock

17 Av-Aug 17

Rebecca Berman Ethel Cohn Abe Eisen Louis Forman Jacob Jagoda Bess Merser Lena Morris Rubin Moskovitz Joel Polsky Lewis Sofnas Sarah Wang

18 Av-Aug 18

Daniel Aranoff Pola Baum Marie Bell Aaron Bloustine Hyman Brand Sylvia Bromberg Benjamin Gastman Kathleen C Gelphman Peltzman Lillie Lefkovits Gladys Normand Sidney Osur Jacob Taxman Sarah Waxenberg Alex Wedlansky Aaron Ziman

19 Av-Aug 19 Samuel Baum Joshua Cinnamon Maurice Dubinsky Ruth Milgram Eisberg Meyer Gordon Anna Halle Jack Kay Rachel Levinson Sarah Rose

20 Av-Aug 20 Bernadine Benjamin

Donna Cohen Frank Coleman Esther Dubinsky Esther Duni Bess Ginsberg Essie Goodman Max Hecht Joseph Klein Sam Lustig Simon Navran Sam Pasmanik Sarah Schere Abe Schuman Goldy Siegel

ברוך דין האמת

Praised is the True Judge

27 Av-Aug 27 Ida Cohen Samuel Cohen Nathan Dreiseszun Abraham Goodman Louis Grace Louis Karosen Joe Lipsky Beatrice Wilk Anna Winett

28 Av-Aug 28

Etta Bayzman Philip Cohen Fannie Friedman Rebecca Glassman Moishe Kamar Paulina Muller Fanny Shlemovitz

29 Av-Aug 29

George Deiboch Harry Dubinsky Ben Goldstein Israel Kamber Ada Karosen Rebecca Lieberman Abe Markus Abe Radetsky Pro Sherman Charles Smith Mollie Spector Samuel Summers

30 Av-Aug 30

Reline Eisemann Anna Greenberg Sam Horwitz Theodore Kort Jake Lazarus Philip Lieberman Joe Posner Stanley Rostov William Schoen Sol Segal Celia Spicer Harry Teiblum

1 Elul-Aug 31

Louis Blond Rose Denowitz Fred Einhorn Fannie Fish Kenneth Fox Albert Garfinkel Jack Gersh Tiby Gilbert Esther Gilgus A Jacobson Henrietta Katzman Jacob Langner Eva Naman Israel Rocher David Schikevitz Jacob Tulchinsky Sharon Weinstein Brain Yodler



שכת Shabbat Shalom שבת שלוםשלום Cathy Newman: cnewman0923@yahoo.com

August 13, in honor of the Kiddush Corps August 27, by The Havurah

Edith Goldstein

Reuben Kantor

Jacob Levinson

22 Av-Aug 22

Louis Donovitz

Robert Fichman

Maurice Loeffler

Esther Millstein

Harriet Schoket

Samuel Sukon

Rosa Witschner

23 Av-Aug 23

Sherman Cohen

Harry Robinson

Morris Ruback

Hortense Stern

24 Av-Aug 24

Frances Franks

Libbie Goldberg

Rena Rosenberg

Philip Rosenblatt

Abraham Snyder

Hymie Sosland

John Spitcaufsky Gedaliah Vigder

25 Av-Aug 25

Yoheved Flekier

Emanuel Reichman

Marilyn Wasserman

Frances Sandler

Samuel Shapiro

Allen Yukon

Edith Bell

Abe Sander

26 Av-Aug 26

Nathan Peltzman

Max Gluck Emilie Isaak

Max Lerer

Philip Levi

Reuben Josephson

Joseph Schlosberg

Ed Michelson

Alana Morris

Louis Pinsky

Sam Rosen

Jacob Rubin

Richard Biederman

Ommerman-Gilgus

Charles Bass

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Sarah Siegel

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Sponsored Kiddushim in August:

Todah Rabbah!

<u>תודה רבה</u>

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5772 High Holy Day Preparation Updates

Send a Greeting for the High Holy Days

Congregants will have the opportunity to send greetings *gratis* to our CBS Community in the *September Scroll*. Examples: *Bev and Peter Newman and Family send New Year's greetings to the clergy, the officers and board and entire CBS Community* or *Berenice and Roger Haberman wish a Happy Healthy New Year for their sons, daughters and grandchildren*. You may send more than one greeting. Please keep them brief, and send your greetings to Andi Wildman at askw@bethshalomkc.org. The deadline is **Thursday, August 5**.

Elul Institute

Prepare for the High Holy Days by attending Elul Institute on **Thursdays**, **Sept. 15 and 22**, 7:30 pm. See page 2 for details.

High Holy Day Information Packet

New this year, the informational packet for the High Holy Days 5772 will be available online by **Thursday, August 25**. All congregants with a valid email address on file will receive an email notifying them that the information is available along with directions to access the information. This packet will contain schedules, babysitting information, youth programming, guest ticket information, and your lulav & etrog order form. For those who do not use email, we are planning to mail the hard copy packets by August 25. Tickets and parking passes will be mailed to the entire congregation around September 14. Please contact Norman Levitan at 913-647-7283 or **nlevitan@bethshalmkc.org** by September 23, if you do not receive your tickets or informaiton packet.

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High Holy Day Appeal

It's time for our High Holy Day Appeal. Our goal this year is to raise \$75,000 and to have 100% membership participation. The High Holy Day Appeal is a vital part of our financial plan. We need your support. High Holy Day pledge cards will be mailed at the end of the month, then donations may be made online, by mailing in your pledge card, speaking to a board member on the phone or indicating your pledge on your High Holy Day ticket and giving it to an usher during Yom Kippur services at the JCC. The success of this year's campaign depends on your pledge! For more information, contact the High Holy Day Appeal Chair Jen Paul at **jpaul@kcpaul.com**.

Do A Mitzvah... Join the Lechem Committee and Feed the Hungry!

Lechem 2011 Serving Dates Wednesday, August 31 Monday, October 31 Sunday, December 25 The Lechem Committee serves hot lunches seven times a year to the innercity community in Kansas City, Kansas. Over the past 28 years, our congregation has prepared

over 78,000 meals. Volunteers are needed to both cook

meat in their homes prior to the serving date and to help prepare and serve in the kitchen the day of the lunch.



Lechem Committee Chair, Marcia Eveloff and her administrative assistant, Sandi Lerner have retired after 28 years

on the job. *Todah Rabbah* to Marcia and Sandy for their years of service. Welcome to our new committee co-chairs Cindy Daniels and Marcy Rydell.

Funding for this project comes from donations to the *Beth Shalom Lechem Fund*. For more information or to volunteer, contact Marcy Rydell at scorpiomr@juno.com or Cindy Daniels at 913-451-5852.

Community Opportunities Vocalists Wanted for Selichot

A community choir is being formed for this year's Selichot service, **Saturday, Sept. 24**, at Congregation Beth Torah. If you are interested in participating in the community choir, please contact Linda Sweenie, Music Director, CBT, at 913-498-2212 or **Isweenie@beth-torah.org**.

Donations Sought for High Holy Day Food Drive

For the new year, Jewish Family Services is planning to provide holiday food packages for those in need. Needed food items include: egg noodles, raisins, sugar and honey. Cash donations are also welcome to help pay for meat and additional items. Donations may be sent or brought to the JFS Office, JCC, 5801 W. 115th St., Suite 103, Overland Park, KS 66211. Please make checks payable to JFS/Holiday Food Project. Questions, please contact Sondra Levy-Atherly, 913-327-8265.

Community Healing Service

Prepare for the High Holy Days by attending the Jewish Community Healing service at Village Shalom, **Thursday, Sept. 8**, 6:30-8 pm. As a program of the Jewish Community Chaplaincy at JFS, the service will be facilitated by Rabbi Jonathan Rudnick and Linda Sweenie of CBT. Rabbi Jacques Cukierkorn will be a guest facilitator. For more information and to RSVP call 913-327-8250 or email, healing@jfskc.org.

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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
| Service Locations: VS Village Shalom Appleman Synagogue (5500 W. 123") G Goldsmith Hall LM Library Minyan- Rms: 108-109 | 1 1 Av September Scroll Deadline | 2 _{2 Av} | 3 3 Av 9:30 am Mah Jongg | 4 _{4 Av} | 5 5 Av | 6 6 Av |
| 7 7 Av | 8 8 Av | 9 9 Av Tīsha B'Av | 10 10 Av | 11 11 Av | Shabbat Shabon 12 12 Av | 13 13 Av Special kiddush to honor <i>Kiddush Corp</i> . |
| 14 <i>14 Av</i> 6 pm Steppin' Out | 15 <i>15 Av</i> 7:30 pm Board of Directors' Meeting | 16 16 Av | 17 <i>17 Av</i> 9:30 am Mah Jongg | 18 18 Av | 19 Av | Birthday Shabbat 20 20 Av Bat Mitzvah Leslie Liebenau Bar Mitzvah (Minchak) Daniel Spertus |
| 21 21 AV 12 pm 2012-13 B/BM Parents' Meeting 5 pm "Back to Shul" Picnic | 22 22 Av | 23 23 Av | 24 24 Av 10 am Prayerworks | 25 25 Av 7:30 pm Minyan Leadership Wkshp. | 26 26 Av | Anniversary Shabbat 27 27 Av |
| (5 pm Minchah & 6 pm Minchah-VS) 28 28 Av 8:45 am Day of Discovery Comm Op. 7 pm 2012-13 B/BM Parents' Meeting | 29 29 Av 9 am RFEC 1 st Day 4:30 pm PRS Jumpstart 3 rd -6 th | 30 30 Av Rosh Chodesh Elul | 31 1 Elul Rosh Chodesh Elul 9 am RFEC Wel. Coffee 9:30 am Mah Jongg 9:45 am Lechem | 1 2 Elul | 2 3 Elul | 3 4 Elul Bat Mitzvah Ellie Schneider |
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Candle Lighting Blessing

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| August service scher Shabbat Services and Sunday morning S Weekday Minyan will be held at: Apple | Tisha B'Av Service Schedule Combined commemoration with | |
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| Weekday Minyan | B'nai Jehudah and Ohev Sholor | |
| Minchah: Sunday, July 31, 6 pm Shacharit: Monday, August 1, 7 am Minchah: Monday, August 1, 6 pm Shacharit: Tuesday, August 2, 7 am Minchah: Tuesday, August 2, 6 pm (and so on) | Kabbalat Shabbat: Friday, August 5, 6 pm Main Service:: Saturday, August 6, 9:30 am Library Minyan: Saturday, August 6, 9:30 am Tots for Torah: Saturday, August 6, 9:30 am B'Yachad: Saturday, August 6, 10 am Minchah: Saturday, August 6, 6 pm Shacharit: Sunday August 6, 8:30 am (and so on) | Monday, Aug. 8, 8 pm -L Ma'ariv and recitation of Eikhah |
| <i>Time Change: Labor Day</i> Shacharit: Monday, Sept. 5, 8 am | Special Events: Main Service:: Saturday, August 13, 9:30 am Honoring Kiddush Corps & D'var Torah deliveried by: Reverend Jack Price of the Crossroads Church Minchah/Ma'ariv: Saturday, September 10, 5:30 pm | Tuesday, Aug. 9, 7 am -VS Shacharit, Torah Reading, Eikhah Tuesday, Aug. 9, 6 pm -VS Minchah |

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Looking Ahead: The following programs will take place at: 14200 Lamar

Steppin' Out

Sunday, August 14, 6 pm RSVP to llessner@kc.rr.com by July 31

Minyan Leadership Workshop *Thursday, August 25,* 7:30 pm RSVP to Jill, 913-647-7271

Tot Shabbat (for young families) Saturday, September 17, 10:30 am Men's Club Poker Night *Thursday, August 25,* 7 pm Join the Men's Club as we practice for the *World Series of Poker*, or just enjoy a night out with the *Guys.* We'll start at 7pm on Thursday, August 25th. Dinner will be provided. A \$20 recommended donation includes poker and dinner. Newcomers are always welcome. RSVP to mensclub@bethshalomkc.org.





Tickets go on sale **Thursday, September 1 Earlybird** special **Sept. 1-15** only. Check the CBS website for details or contact Andrea Ellis, 816-820-9778.

High Holy Days 5772

Selichot: Saturday, Sept. 25 Erev Rosh HaShanah: Wednesday, Sept. 28 Rosh HaShanah-1: Thursday, Sept. 29 Rosh HaShanah-2: Friday, Sept. 30 Kol Nidrei: Friday, October 7 Yom Kippur: Saturday, Oct. 8 Erev Sukkot: Wednesday, Oct. 12 Sukkot-1,2: Thursday-Friday, Oct. 13-14 Shemini Atzeret: Wed.^{Erev}-Thurs., Oct. 19-20 Simchat Torah: Thursday^{Erev}-Friday, Oct. 20-21