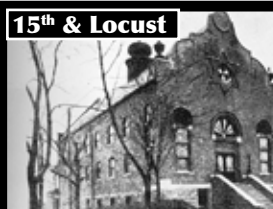




Beth Shalom: A New Beginning



15th & Locust



34th & Paseo



95th & Wornall



143rd & Lamar

Beth Shalom Through the Years and Into the Future...

At our congregational meeting on Monday, November 15 over 600 votes were cast both by attendees and proxy votes to overwhelmingly support (5 to 1) the recommendation of the Facilities Task Force.

THAT, the Wornall facility be closed at the earliest practical date;

THAT, Beth Shalom transfer all operations and activities, including regular religious services, to the Lamar facility in its current condition and configuration, utilizing other community facilities when deemed appropriate;

THAT, a Long-Range Planning Task Force be created to address and plan for the future needs of the congregation, including but not limited to, appropriate facilities.

Immediately following the counting of the votes, the Board of Directors voted unanimously to carry out the wishes of our membership and accept the recommendation of the Facilities Task Force.

The Facilities Task Force, chaired by Gary Cortés, spent many months of research and study and received much input from our congregational membership before coming to this important recommendation. As a result, work will begin immediately to lead our synagogue through this transition process. If you would like to volunteer to help in this process, please contact Kurt Kavanaugh at president@bethshalomkc.org. [Click here to view more information.](#)



Dr. Stephen M. Berk

Sisterhood Shabbat / Kaplan Scholar-In-Residence Weekend

Weekend Theme: **Struggles for Peace; Israel and Us**

Sisterhood Shabbat/Kaplan Scholar-in-Residence weekend is scheduled for its 27th year on **Friday-Sunday January 14-16**. Sisterhood Shabbat is celebrated nationally by all Sisterhoods affiliated with Women's League for Conservative Judaism. In conjunction with this observance, members of Sisterhood will lead prayers and blessings, and services throughout the weekend.

The Kaplan Scholar-In-Residence this year will be Dr. Stephen M. Berk. He is Professor of History at Union College in Schenectady, NY, former Chair of the Department of History, and Director of the Program in Russian and Eastern European Studies. Dr. Berk is an authority on the history of the Holocaust and has served as a consultant to the Wiesenthal Holocaust Center in LA. He has written articles on Russian and Russian-Jewish history, anti-Semitism, and American policy in the Middle East. His book, *Year of Crisis, Year of Hope: Russian Jewry and the Pogroms of 1881-1882*, was published in 1985. Dr. Berk is currently working on a book about Jewish involvement in the American Civil Rights movement from 1954-1965. Additionally, he has a reputation as an "amazing lecturer," and two college guidebooks call him the "best teacher at Union College."

Dr. Berk's topics for the weekend are: Friday evening—*The Road to '48: Early Zionism's Effect on the Establishment of the State of Israel*; Saturday morning—*Obama, Netanyahu, and the Search for Peace*; and Sunday morning—*"Our People are Your People;" Jewish Involvement in the Civil Rights Movement*. Chairs for this event are Sisterhood Education V-Ps, Charlotte Ruben and Berenice Haberman. Watch your mail for information and reservation details.

The weekend's events are sponsored by the Abe and Catherine Kaplan Fund and Beth Shalom Sisterhood.

from the rabbi's study



Congregation Beth Shalom, an egalitarian Conservative synagogue, is a welcoming community of individuals from diverse backgrounds, strengthening connections with God, Torah and the Jewish people through communal commitment to prayer, study and acts of loving kindness. *(CBS Mission Statement)*

Herman Wouk wrote in *The Will to Live On*, that "In Israel, the issue of survival is clear-cut. The Israelis have Land, Language, and Learning, and an amazing efflorescence of Torah writing and publishing is going on. Sacred study is not for everybody, but life for all is intensely Jewish... Under God, Israel will endure. The diaspora is another matter. Our task is to preserve those who will come after us as generations worth mentioning, and to accomplish that [which] we have been groping for: a new direction."

The demands of the future at this time in our congregation's history are intense. Regardless of the ultimate outcome, it will be "a new direction." As a whole community, we have had a remarkable process of transparency and conversation. As a result, we will close the Wornall building in the year ahead, because that is what well over 80% of our congregation believes must happen. And what can be done as one community in the Lamar Building will be done there "as is," for now.

We will hold true to the essence of our congregation's strategic plan, even though the two facility model is impossible. We will hold true to our mission, which declares our commitment to communal prayer, study and kindness.

To paraphrase Mr. Wouk, "*Under God, Congregation Beth Shalom will endure.*" All that is needed is "*the will to live on.*" *Ken Yehi Ratzon: May it be God's will.*

Rabbi Robert L. Tobin

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Parashah Class - Rabbi Stein-Wornall
Saturdays, Dec. 4, 18, Jan. 1, 9 a.m.

Learners' Minyan -Wornall
Saturday, Dec. 4, Jan.1, 10:30 a.m.

Adult Hebrew Classes -Lamar
Sundays, Dec. 5, 12
Wednesdays, Dec. 1, 8, 15, Jan. 5
(See web or school office for specific times)

Beth Shalom Adult Education **Opportunities**

Sarah Peltzman Classes -Lamar
Tuesdays, Dec. 7, 14, 21, Jan. 4, 10 a.m.

Eat & Educate -Village Shalom
Thursdays, Dec. 2, 9, 16, Jan. 6, 12 p.m.

Adult Trope Class -Lamar
Thursday, Jan. 6, 7:30 p.m.

Rabbi Margolies Lecture Series (Final Lecture) -Wornall
Thursday, Dec. 2, 7:30 p.m.

Mishnah Study Break
-Lathrop & Gage, 2345 Grand, #280, K.C.
Thursday, Dec. 9, 12 p.m.

Walking With the Jewish Calendar
Wednesday, Dec. 1, 11:30 a.m. -JCC

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Enhance Yourself, Take Part In Jewish Study



Sarah Peltzman participants engrossed in Rabbi Tobin's lecture.

December is a busy month for everyone. Decide now to take some time each week to take part in some Jewish study. Classes are offered at Beth Shalom and throughout the city on any given day at many different times. Each class can add to your understanding, knowledge and joy of being a Jew. At Beth Shalom in December, we offer the Parashah Class, Learners' Minyan, Eat and Educate, The Rabbi Morris B. Margolies Center of Adult Studies Lecture Series, Sisterhood's Book Club and Sarah Peltzman classes, Mishnah Study Break and Adult Hebrew. In addition, Rabbi Stein is teaching Walking With the Jewish

Calendar at the JCC. Check our website, www.bethshalomkc.org, for new and interesting classes or series. Make a commitment to read, study and learn at least once a week. The results are well worth the effort! *(See the box above for this month's offerings and page 5 for Sisterhood programs.)*



Beth Shalom Youth Events:

Wednesday Night Programs

6:15-8 p.m. -Lamar

December 1, 8, January 5

Services & Special Programs

Friday, Dec. 3 & Jan. 7 – 4 p.m.

Grand Court, 119th & Lamar –
Kabbalat Shabbat

Friday, December 17 – 4 p.m.

Village Shalom – Kabbalat Shabbat

December 25-31

USY International Convention,
Orlando, FL

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Polsky USY Scholarship Fund, A Legacy

The Joel Polsky United Synagogue Youth Scholarship Fund was established by friends and family of Joel Polsky, who died at age 26 in 1982. The fund is intended as a living tribute to Joel's memory and his dedication to the youth program at Beth Shalom. Joel was a committed and energetic member and alumnus of Beth Shalom USY who especially touched the lives of all who knew him. The Fund has awarded no less than twenty-five annual Scholarship awards for attendance at USY's annual International Convention, held over the winter break. The Scholarship fund has also provided substantial funds for various additional projects within Kansas City USY and its youth programming, with an overall mission of enhancing the Jewish lives of our teenagers. The Joel Polsky United Synagogue Youth Scholarship Fund has been such an important source of tzedakah and pride to the Polsky family that upon the recent death of Norman Polsky, the family felt it appropriate to recommend that contributions made in Norman's memory be directed towards the Joel Polsky USY Scholarship Fund.

KCUSY is an award-winning chapter of United Synagogue Youth. Through the guidance of Director of Youth and Informal Education, Stefanie Williams, the group successfully brings teenagers together around organized activities that promote learning, fellowship, leadership and responsibility. Members gain a better understanding of Conservative Judaism, opportunities for involvement in the synagogue and community at large, as well as skills for living a meaningful Jewish life in the secular world.



The recent Geshet and Atid program in the Youth Lounge was a huge hit. Pictured in the foreground: Jillian Hurst, Abby Flekier & Julia Parnes

Kadima Elects New Leaders

On Saturday, November 13th, Kadima elected the 2010-2011 Executive Board. Plans are being made for a KCUSY and Kadima Board Shabbat where these creative leaders will develop fun and fascinating programming!

2010-2011 Kadima Executive Board

President, Moriah Abrams

Executive VP, Adena Goldberg

Membership/Kadima VP, Eli Kahn

Religion/Education VP, Anna Kaseff

Social Action/Tikun Olam VPs,

Lindsey Paul and Sophie Shapiro

Communications VP, Morgan Krakow

Historian, Jacob Flekier

7th Grade Representative, Sam Matsil



Kadima Board, L-R: Emi Adler, Sophie Shapiro, Morgan Krakow, Adena Goldberg, Moriah Abrams, Lindsey Paul, Anna Kaseff, Jacob Flekier, Eli Kahn & Sam Matsil

Attention Parents: B'nei Mitzvah for 2014

Our records show that the following students will have a Bar or Bat Mitzvah in 2014. If you have an addition or correction, please contact Jill Goldstein in the ritual office, 913-647-7281 or jgoldstein@bethshalomkc.org.

Alla-Amin Abdullahi

Natalie Bell

Ashlyn Bielsker

Hannah Cole

Noah Davis

Ben Evans

Halle Hurst

Joshua Kreisler

Ethan Matsil

Ethan Newman

Daniel Rose

Kayla Scharf

Jared Schultz

Sylvia Shapiro

Nathan Turtledove

Simon Wolff

Sophie Zinman



Clip those box tops and bring them in! Deposit them in the box top container past the double doors of the religious school. With everyone's help we could make at least \$1000 for the PRS. Questions? Contact Cathy Newman at tootsle37@yahoo.com.

executively speaking



The deadline for this article was 9 days ago, but what I need to report on won't occur for 6 more days. I guess I will have to imagine.....

I imagine a room full of interested and concerned Beth Shalom members. There is the buzz of conversations throughout the Sanctuary in anticipation of our Congregational meeting. There

is tension in the air but we have all come together for a greater purpose than ourselves.

I imagine myself calling the meeting to order. I can picture Board members and synagogue staff working hard to ensure a smooth meeting. There are Task Force members sharing important information that is vital to our decisions as a community. I can see everyone listening intently to the presentation, taking notes while they hold their ballot in their hand.

I imagine congregants coming to the microphone to share their thoughts and to ask their questions. I can feel their emotions. Your Beth Shalom officers and committee

chairs answer the questions but there will still be some questions that don't have answers...yet. I imagine that we all come to an understanding of our reality. I am proud that our Board made this event as transparent as possible. Each of us will cast our vote and wait for the answer. And yes, I know there will be pain -- but there will be clarity.

I imagine announcing the result of the vote. And then our work begins again. I can see our Beth Shalom community moving forward – one step at a time – to a brighter future.

By the time you read this article, we all will know what happened. You may believe that I am an optimist, but time will tell. In the meantime, I want you to imagine.....

Editor's note: The Congregation overwhelmingly passed the resolution. See page 1 for more information.

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Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center

Judy Jacks Berman, Director | jjb@bethshalomkc.org | 913-647-7287



Spend "A Special Time" With Your Child

December is a month filled with many different types of activities. As Chanukah comes very early in the month, think of giving your child a very special gift during the winter break: a special time. A special time, by definition, is a time spent one on one with you and your child with no interruption. The child gets to choose how to spend that "special time" with

you. This is *not* time spent reading bed-time stories, brushing teeth, or any other regular activities of the day, but a special time of the child's own choosing. Set the timer for 20 minutes and tell your child that this is his/her own special time and give that child your undivided attention until the timer goes off. What a special gift you will be giving to both you and your child.

HAVDALAH LAMISHPACHAH PJ CONCERT

Families, join us for this yearly event on **Saturday, December 11, 6:30 p.m.**

Children, wear your pajamas and bring your favorite blanket to sit on and cuddle with your **parents** as you listen to a concert performed by Emily Aronoff. Emily is a gifted and talented musician from West Palm Beach, FL. It is a real treat to bring her to Kansas!

This concert is sponsored by Paul Flam, Tibor and Carla Klausner and their families through the Rose S. Levine and Doris L. Flam Arts and Education Fund.

Beth Shalom RFEC *In The Loop...*

Shabbat Music, 9 a.m.

Fridays, Dec. 3, 10, 17, Jan. 7

Dec. 3, Chanukah Candle lighting

Peek-a-boo Toddler & You, 9:15 a.m.

Tuesdays, Dec. 7, 14

Way to Grow, Baby, 11:15 a.m.

Tuesdays, Dec. 7, 14

Ruach & Roll, 11:15 a.m.

Wednesdays, Dec. 1, 8, 15

Special Events:

Jim Cosgrove Concert, 11 a.m.

Thursday, Dec. 16

Havdalah LaMishpachah

PJ Concert, 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 11

No School - Winter Break

Dec. 20-31 Resumes: Mon., Jan. 3

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Polsky Religious School

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Plan A Summer Program For Your Kids, Already?!

As you read this, Chanukah is upon us. Nevertheless, it's time to begin planning a summer program for your child. It is not an easy decision, because many choices are available.

As parents and educators, we look for and recommend experiences that will help develop and instill positive Jewish values and a clear Jewish identity in our children. These experiences include a Jewish home and family, a quality Jewish education through high school, a youth trip to Israel, and a summer program at a Jewish camp. All of these activities can have a lasting impact on our children.

Summer camp planning needs to begin now. While many choices are available, we encourage parents to consider Camp Ramah in Wisconsin. This camp has programs for children entering 5th-11th grade that provide a fun camping experience in a Jewish atmosphere. For details go to www.ramahwisconsin.com.

There are several former Camp Ramah campers on our staff and in our congregation. We encourage you to speak with one of them about their experiences at camp. After returning home, many campers say this was the best summer of their lives.

Scholarships are available. Forms can be found on the CBS website on the Religious School page. Remember to get your completed forms to the school office by the submission deadline **Wednesday, January 19, 2011.**

Confirmation Class 5771 in New York



L-R, B-F: Patti Kroll, Ethan Lofspring, Brian Gerson, Jeremy Katz, Josh Azorsky, Kyle Wordsworth, Harrison Rosenthal, Brandon Parnes, Ben Simon, Ashley Ruben, Jessica Schneider, Ally Grant, Kayla Kahn, Deborah Klein & Rabbi Adam Stein

Beth Shalom PRS Blast:

7th Grade Class, 9 a.m. -Wornall
Saturdays, Dec. 4, 11, Jan. 8

Adult Hebrew Classes -Lamar
Sundays, Dec. 5, 12
Wednesdays, Dec. 1, 8, 15, Jan. 5
(See web or school office for specific times)

Monday Journeys, 4:15 p.m.
Mondays, Dec. 6 (Chanukah Pgm), 13

PRS High School, 7 p.m.
Tuesday, Dec. 7

Trope Class, 4:30 p.m.
Mondays, Dec. 6, 13

Special Programs:

Kindergarten Consecration, 6:30 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 4

Emily Aronoff Concert, 11 a.m.
Sunday, Dec. 12
Stay for lunch! We will be serving pizza by the slice for \$2 at noon.

School Committee Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 15

B'nei Mitzvah Program, 9:30 a.m.
Sunday, Dec. 19

No Classes, Winter Break
Dec. 19-Jan.3 Resume: Wed., Jan. 5

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sisterhood

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At the Oct. brunch SH collected and donated 91 pairs of children's sweatpants and \$131 to The Children's Place. Pictured Roxane Hill, Children's Place & Carol Yarmo, SH V-P Community Svc.

Bams for Mams, A Huge Success!

Beth Shalom Sisterhood raised \$810 for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation at their recent Bams for Mams Breakfast and Mah Jongg event. Cindy Bodker and Rhonda Fromm are Sisterhood's Vice Presidents for Programming and Cathy Newman and Stephanie Kavanaugh were chairs of the event.



Beth Shalom Sisterhood Upcoming Events:

Sarah Peltzman Classes - Lamar
Tuesdays, Dec. 7, 14, 21, Jan. 4, 10 a.m.

Warm Up America - Lamar
Wednesdays, Dec. 1, Jan. 5, 10 a.m.

PrayerWorks - Lamar
Wednesday, Dec. 22, 10 a.m.

Programs & Meetings

Tuesday, Dec. 14, 6:30 p.m.
Book Club at the home of Judy Esrig
"My Father's Paradise" by Ariel Sabar

Wednesday, Jan. 12, 9:45 a.m.
SH Board Meeting - Lamar

Friday-Sunday, Jan 14-16
Sisterhood Shabbat/Kaplan Weekend
See page 1 for more information

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CELEBRATING LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Ecclesiastes 3:1

Submit your B'nei Mitzvah announcement to be published.

Mazal Tov to our B'nei Mitzvah

Jacob Mitchell Katz

December 11, 2010 • 4 Tevet 5771



Jacob is the son of Gary and Vicki Katz. He is the grandson of Barbara Katz, Arthur and Salli Katz, and Morton and Helene Singer. A student at Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy, Jacob enjoys reading, technology, cartooning and video games. Jacob has one sister, Brianna. For Jacob's community service project, he has developed a website for the Kansas City Vaad HaKashrut.

Please join Jacob and his family in worship and attend the Kiddush Luncheon following services.

Daniel Leonid Jezmir

December 18, 2010

11 Tevet 5771

Daniel is the son of Leonid and Larisa Jezmir. He is the grandson of Bella Jezmir and the late Mikhail Jezmir and Mikhail Lapidus and the late Dora Lapidus. A student at Prairie Star Middle School, Daniel enjoys playing sports, video games, traveling and spending time with friends and his sisters. Daniel has three sisters, Alla, Julia and Dori.

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

Please Help! Paper Drive! We are collecting paper goods to assist area agencies. Bins will be placed at the Lamar campus for your donations of plates, bowls, napkins, plastic-ware, etc.

Mazal Tov to our 2nd Bar Mitzvah Celebrants

Marvin Dunn • George Lieberman

January 1, 2011 • 25 Tevet 5771



Marvin Dunn

Marvin Dunn and George Lieberman will be called to the Torah to mark the 70th anniversary of their B'nei Mitzvah which were held at Beth Shalom in December, 1940. Marvin is the son of Ida and Louis Dunn and the great-nephew of CBS Past-Presidents, Benjamin Feinberg (1932) and Hyman Gordon (1937). Marvin has two children, Jonathan Louis Dunn and Marilyn Paulette Dunn, and two grandchildren. George is the son of Myer and Ella Lieberman and the grandson



George Lieberman

of CBS's Rabbi Max Lieberman and Past-President, I.J. Cohen (1907). George has been married to Floriene for 61 years. Together they are the parents of Craig and Beth Lieberman, Marti and Tony Oppenheimer, Amy and Hal Pollack. They have 8 grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Marvin and George grew up together and have been the best of friends since they were four years old. Both men attended religious school at Beth Shalom and earned their Eagle Scout award from Troop 61. They have led remarkable lives impacting the Jewish and secular Kansas City community. As a physician, Marvin has held the position of Dean of the KU School of Medicine while being active in the Jewish community. George spent his professional life in real estate while being entrenched in the Jewish community and raising funds for cancer research. George was one of the founding fathers of our JC Campus.

George and Marvin's families will sponsor the Kiddush Luncheon following services.

Please join them in worship and attend the Kiddush Luncheon in celebration of this momentous occasion.

CELEBRATING LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Ecclesiastes 3:1



December Anniversaries

December Anniversaries will be honored during services on Shabbat morning, December 18. January Anniversaries will be honored on January 22. To sponsor Kiddush contact Norman, 913-647-7283.

Day		Years
1	Saul & Irene Ellis	47
	Steve & Jan Shulkind	36
4	Bernard & Helene Fried	33
5	Stewart & Linda Langer	23
13	Eric & Amy Schultz	12
15	Joel & Donna Krichiver	42
17	Michael Kaye & Susana Valdovinos	21
18	Vitaly & Elina Kobzantsev	30
	Cary & Sherry Lieberman	45
	Ernie & Susan Rosenthal	44
	Louis & Janet Zwillenberg	37
19	Louis & Marilyn Kessler	28
21	Robert & Beth Klein	35
	Marshall & Sylvia LaVine	55
	Richard & Rae Rubins	52
22	Edward & Merry Prostic	42
25	Eugene & Shirley Novorr	60
26	David & Karen Berger	28
27	Ken & Sheila Sonnenschein	23
28	Steve & Judy Weinberg	41
29	Brad & Amy Cohn	9
	Bradley & Linda Finkle	37
	Theodore & Jill Goldstein	42
	Andrew & Zeldia Reiz	64
	Maurry & Eva Rydell	53
30	Mark Fishman & Linda Gibian	37
	Jerry & Sharon Lindenbaum	32
	Howard & Dion Lutzk	26
31	Norman Kahn, Jr. & Diana Winyard	36

Welcome New Members

Jeremy and Danielle Antes
 Micah Charyn and Najahe Sherman
 Benjamin Gary and Gara Feldman-Gary

Mazal Tov to...

Submit your Mazal Tov to be published

Dawn Gale and Doug McNay on the birth of their son, Logan Philip McNay on September 29. Grandparents are **Marshall Gale** and Barbi and Bob McNay. Logan's sister is Nina McNay.

Lori and Bruce Hertzfield on the birth of their son, Daniel Alan Hertzfield on October 20. Grandparents are Norman and Clara Levine and **Harriet Hertzfield**. Great-Grandfather is Leon Katzberg. Daniel's siblings are: Rachel Pires, Louie Pires, Melanie Hertzfield and Sammy Hertzfield.

Ellen Dorshow-Gordon and Charles Gordon upon the birth of their grandson, Benjamin Elijah Remner on October 24. Benjamin's parents are Gayle and Justin Remner, Oak Park, MI. He is also the grandson of Leslie and George Remner, Glenn Allen, VA.

Judy Wasserman, who has been honored with the 2010 Local Hero Award from Bank of America for her 17 years of volunteering at The Children's Place.

John Spertus, M.D. who has been named the Daniel J. Lauer, M.D./Missouri Endowed Chair in Metabolism and Vascular Disease Research. In this position, he will expand research within the St. Luke's Heart and Vascular Institute.

Kiddush Korner



Do you want to say thank you, honor a friend or relative, commemorate a simchah or memorialize a loved one? A great way to do this is to sponsor a "Kiddush Luncheon." For date availability and more information, contact Norman Levitan, nlevitan@bethshalomkc.org or call 913-647-7283. The following kiddushim are being sponsored:

December 4—**Lei Kaufman** in honor of Beth Shalom's kindness both before and after his accident.

January 1 - **Lieberman and Dunn Families** in honor of the 2nd Bar Mitzvah of George Lieberman and Marvin Dunn.

Of Blessed Memory

We express condolences to our Beth Shalom Members, their Families and Friends.

Pearl Dulsky, October 21

Evelyn A. Schikevitz, October 26

Zeldene Seidenfeld Lipsman, November 15

Irwin Kotelov, November 20

Marlene Gasser, November 21

Yahrtzeits

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

24 Kislev-Dec 1

Rosalie Alpert
David Ellis
Anna Epstein
Kasiel Galler
Marilyn Graubart
Seth Jaben
Gertrude Magazine
Rose Minkin
Philip Moskovitz
David Rittmaster
Irving Searles
Carrie Silverman

25 Kislev-Dec 2

Sarah Bernstein
Sarah Fredman
Sarah Gersh
Rose Halperin
Deborah Jacobson
Morris Kivovitch
Yetta Manne
Ernest Peiser
Fannie Polsky
Ruth Rose
Max Rotman
Nathan Silverforb
Joseph Steinberg
Mary Wolf
Hattie Wolff

26 Kislev-Dec 3

Max Cohen
Sedelle Glass
Fischel Greenbaum
Eugene Kopitnik
Sol Kupperstein
Mendel Mendelsohn
Jerome Naron
Samuel Rosenstein
Bertha Untrif
Julius Wishna

27 Kislev-Dec 4

Samuel Aaronson
Sam Bell
Toba Corwin
Sarah Davis
Louis Feinberg
Louis Feld
Hyman Gordon
Jacob Koppel
Isadore Rich
Israel Rubin
Minna Seelig
Hyman Shlensky
Harold Unger

28 Kislev-Dec 5

Rose Bayzman
Leebert Glass
Minnie Hipsh
Frances Karpin
Gittel Kushner
Mark Lindy
Jacob Maizenberg
Lillian Weiner

29 Kislev-Dec 6

Simon Fox
Frank Greenbaum
Aaron Hyman
Mollie Kern
Dora Kulvin
Isadore Penner
Barbara Shapiro
Sam Temsen

30 Kislev-Dec 7

Marvin Azorsky
Marvin Bordy
George Bush
Morton Cohn
Harry Donovitz
Ida Gumowitz
Sophie Kelner
Mary Krashin
Joseph Kurtz
Harry Rosenstein
Sarah Shlensky
Leonard Shopmaker
Leon Silverman
Anna Swartz
Joseph Woskow

1 Tevet-Dec 8

Louis Durbin
Henry Goldblatt
Louis Kahn
Herschel Kaufman
Abraham Kitrick
Lena Kleinstein
Sol Levine
Herman Maling
Max Mendell
Mildred Michelson
Ruby Shanberg

2 Tevet-Dec 9

Sophia Barr
Robert Benjamin

Berry Dantzig
Rose Fried
Birdie Intrater
Sadie Kanter
Henry Markowitz
Rebecca Pack
Pearl Pfefer
Abe Rabinowitz
Isadore Rosenberg
Albert Satz
Abraham Seiffer
Bessie Seigel
Fred Waldner
Rose Yarmo

3 Tevet-Dec 10

Leah Boresow
Meyer Cohen
David Denebeim
Minnie Epstein
Edith Glaser
Jeannette Herowitz
Harry Hipsh
Jacob Karol
Edna Kort
Charles Lasky
Louis Rose
Sophie Taylor
Olga Wertheim

4 Tevet-Dec 11

Anne Bender
Abe Blond
Nathan Funk
Harry Gorman
Joe Levine
Chaim Litwin
Wolf Peltzman
Ruth Planzer
Oscar Schaffer
Shale Waldman

5 Tevet-Dec 12

Helen Cohen
Jennie Denebeim
Max Goodman
Gershon Hadas
Harry Kanter
Harvey Klein
Della Lerner
Annie Levine
Jacob Lewin
Adele Lipoff
Ida Loeffler

6 Tevet-Dec 13

Judy Barash
Joseph Bernstein
Solomon Bortnick
Rebecca Friedman
Lillian Katz
Meyer Kornblum
Roy Kort
Joseph Peltzman
Simon Shankman
Lena Silverman
Esther Silverstein
Hinda Waldman
Hanan Wedlan

7 Tevet-Dec 14

Rebecca Greenblot
Flo Harris
Jennie Hoffman
Dora Levi
Fannea Lewis
Israel Linsitz
Sam Miller
Louis Peltzman
Hyman Rappaport
Rose Silverberg
Sara Weinberg

8 Tevet-Dec 15

Lena Baranor
Charmaine Fredman
Clarence Gershon
Lily Ginsberg
Jeffrey Greenberg
Ben Jacobson
Hyman Junsberg
Ruth Lerner
Minnie Levine
Ruth Litvien
Edna Milens
Morris Rich
Joe Rutlader

9 Tevet-Dec 16

Mary Adelman
Marjory Bergson
Helen Cohen
Rosa Dollman
Betty Ginsberg
Louis Goldfinger
Bessie Greenberg
Paul Hoffman
Joseph Horovitz
Lester Kahn
Sarah Levin
Helene Present
Esther Salvay
Chana Sander
Ida Shure
Louis Walter

10 Tevet-Dec 17

Morris Cohen
Simon Ginsburg
Fannie Goodman
William Greenberg
Gazella Gulinson
Eddie Jacobs
Anna Klein
Theodore Mack

Rachel Mesuse
Max Pollock
Sam Price
Anna Rubin
Leah Weber

11 Tevet-Dec 18

Meyer Eichenberg
Louis Ellis
Fanny Feingold
Hannah Funk
Louis Horovitz
Jack Jacobsen
Bessie Kars
Nathan Katz
Samuel Katzman
Pauline Klein
Celia Lieberman
Sam Nelkin
Ida Statland
Mordecai Taxman

12 Tevet-Dec 19

Alvin Capito
Etta Kur
Henny Meyerhoff
Rose Ribakoff
Bella Sarno

13 Tevet-Dec 20

Nathan Block
Isaac Chocron
Sidney Feinberg
Lillian Fox
Arthur Funk
Max Gordon
Harry Jacobs
Goldie Koden
Isreal Kosovitz
Dorothy Levy
Abe Rogell
Rose Singer
Sally Stolzoff
Minnie Zaluskay

14 Tevet-Dec 21

Louis Barash
William Copaken
Elimelech Gordon
Harry Horovitz
Zissel Kamar
Jules Kohn
Fanny Krasne
Irving Malashock
Kate Meltzer
Harold Riss
Joseph Rittmaster
Cyd Sandelman
Morris Schneider
Sophia Walter
Isaac Zale

15 Tevet-Dec 22

Sophia G Adelman
Jacob Bernstein
Blanche Bloch
Louis Bronstein
Bessie Cohen
Simon Dubinsky
Jeanette Gidinsky

Mary Greenstein
Clara Gumowitz
Joseph Gutovitz
Sam Hipsh
Frank Katz
Max Klein
Abraham LaBow
Sarah Lesky
Frances Levitch
Samuel Lichter
Sol Morris
Michael Rafiel
Bessie Rubenstein
Fannie Schick

16 Tevet-Dec 23

Marvin Copeland
Herman Fabian
Rahle Gelhaar
Ike Grossman
Edward Kanter
Harry Levin
Elsa Levin
Rose Levine
Minnie Levy
Jacob Pfeffer
Israel Schlozman
Barney Stevens

17 Tevet-Dec 24

Charles Berger
Lena Bergman
Rhonda DeLong
David Dolginow
Milton Franks
Ely Freed
Rose Geller
Ada Gershon
Betty Helfand
Rose Hershon
Emanuel Joffee
Samuel LaPort
Harry Levine
Marie Millstein
Harold Nicholas
Selma Reingenheim
Harry Yukon

18 Tevet-Dec 25

Micah Bratt
Harry Byers
Anna Feld
Nathan Haith
Seena Kaufman
Charlotte Kline
Mamie Krigel
Bessie Rogozenski
Barney Stone

19 Tevet-Dec 26

Harry Baier
Frances Berger
Freda Block
Jacob Cohen
Florence Denebeim
Sidney Glaser
Melvin Greenberg
Simon Kulvin
Frank Levin
Steve Pack

Michael Rosenbloom
Lena Smith
David Spellman

20 Tevet-Dec 27

Albert Ball
Hayman Barewin
Sam Baum
Morris Brown
Boris Galitzky
Sarah Ginsberg
Harry Gitterman
Dorothy Gottlieb
Livie Halperin
Seymour Traxler
Morris Wolfson

21 Tevet-Dec 28

Harriet Azorsky
Baila Baellow
Kelman Bovos
Arvie Goldstein
Henry Hakan
Daniel Hollub
Earl Katz
Isadore Marks
Esther Morris
Shirley Moskovitz
Benjamin Portman
Betty Shenker

22 Tevet-Dec 29

Paul Bayzman
Max Benjamin
Gustav Einhorn
Jacob Grinpas
Arthur Harris
Sherry Kaplan
Isadore Levine
Mildred Lipsey
Badannah Silverman
Sidney Simon
Sarah Smith
Rita Tilzer
Bessie Turock

23 Tevet-Dec 30

Martin Brenner
Morris Dunn
Bertha Dworkowitz
Bessie Ellis
Helen Feingold
Anna Grossman
Thelma House
Rose Jacobson
Daniel Markel
Solomon Rubinfire
Rachel Schere
Irving Schoenwald
Rebecca Schreiber
Mollie Schwartz

24 Tevet-Dec 31

Roy Bisman
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The newly-restructured Vaad of K.C. seeks to increase its presence throughout the metropolitan area and therefore is seeking, for a new position, a part-time Executive Director.

Additional information regarding the Vaad and a copy of the job listing can be obtained at www.vaadkc.org. Resumes should be emailed to: Vaad Search Committee at afprogram@aol.com.



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Don't have a computer? Join us by contacting Blanche at 913-488-1116 or Marlene at 913-522-2278, they will "sign you up." **Join us!**

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Joel Goldman
Marlene Katz
Miriam Krantz
Inge Silverman
Blanche Sosland

Minyan Mavens

Track attendees each day

Sunday:
Ron Coppaken

Monday:
Joel Goldman

Tuesday:
Debra Rubin

Wednesday:
Beryl Silberg

Thursday:
Steve Israelite

Friday:
Aletha Simon

Shabbat

Minchah:

Jeff Blackman

Service Leaders

Mourners, those observing yahrzeit and volunteers lead minyan throughout the week along with Hazzan Rob Menes

Monday:

Jimmy Rosenbloom
Hazzan Rob Menes
Harold Schlozman

Tuesday:

Jimmy Rosenbloom

Wednesday:
Steve Flekier

Thursday:
Stan Samberg

Friday:

Alan Edelman
Various Days:
Jeff Blackman

Attend 5 or More Times Each Week

Alan Edelman
David Feingold
Marvin Goldstein
Alan Jacobson
Lei Kaufman
Hazzan Rob Menes
Larry Polsky

Attend 2-4 Times Each Week

Arthur Berger
Michael Diamond
Ted Goldstein
Jimmy Rosenbloom
Rabbi Adam Stein
Rabbi Rob Tobin

Pinch Hitters

Fill in at the last minute

Ted Goldstein
Norman Kahn, Jr.
Michael Abrams
Randy Block
Gary Cortés
Bernie Fried
Rickie Haith
Rod Minkin
Richard Silberg
Elaine Singer
Sandy Suffian
Gerry Trilling
Sue Vile
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Ricardo Zepeda

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Joel Vile
Gene Wolowski

Today Rabbah to everyone who attends daily minyan! You make it happen!

We apologize for any attendees whose names may have been inadvertently omitted.

A special remembrance of Sylvan Siegler, z"l, who led Friday morning minyan for many decades. He is truly missed.

Minyan Attendees

Cathy Alpert
Jeff Alpert
Bryan Azorsky
Mike Azorsky
David Baellow
Al Beitchman
Fred Bodker
Betty Brand
Stan Brand
Aleck Bratt
Anne Bratt
Avery Bratt
Edith Bratt
Hanah Bratt
Laura Bratt
Seth Bratt

Alice Capson
Marcia Cooper
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Judy Esrig
Gus Faverman
Buzzah Feingold
David Feingold
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Jack Forman
Elliot Franks

Floyd Frieden
Harold Fuchs
Renée Fuchs
Howard Gerson
Charlotte Gilbert
Howard Gilbert
Clint Gillom
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Jeff Goldenberg
Sam Goldenberg
Hildy Goldman
Anita Goldsmith
Elanie Gordon
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Ed Haber
Magda Haber
Ben Harding

Hannah Harris
Kathy Hollub
Stan House
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Morton Hurst
Shirley Hurst
Joan Jacobson
Nan Kanter
Stanley Katz
Mike Katzman
Allan Kaufman
Stephanie Kavanaugh
Leonard Kay
Marianne Kessler
Mason Kessler
Yuli Khalemsky
Oleg Kheyfets

Joe Killencreek
Tiberius Klausner
Abe Kopec
Carol Kusenezky
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Larry Lessner
Linda Lessner
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Gertie Millstein
Joan Napshin
Joseph Oshiver
Sharon Pase
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Shevie Winitz
Sheldon Wishna
Jean Zeldin
Janet Zwillenberg
Joe Zwillenberg
Louis Zwillenberg
Morris Zwillenberg

Congregational-Wide Events - See each department for their activities

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 24 Kislev <i>Erev Chanukah</i> 9:30 a.m. Mah Jongg January Scroll Deadline	2 25 Kislev 	3 26 Kislev 4:38 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i>	4 27 Kislev 9 a.m. Parashah Class 10:30 a.m. Learners' Min. 6:30 p.m. K-Consecration 5:38 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i>
5 28 Kislev 12 p.m. Mens' Club Chanukah Tailgate 	6 29 Kislev 7 p.m. <i>A Jew Grows in Brooklyn - JCC</i> 	7 30 Kislev <i>Rosh Chodesh Tevet</i> 10 a.m. Sarah Peltzman 	8 1 Tevet <i>Rosh Chodesh Tevet</i> 	9 2 Tevet	10 3 Tevet 4:38 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i>	11 4 Tevet <i>Bar Mitzvah Jacob Katz</i> 6:30 p.m. RFEC PJ <i>Havdalah Concert</i> Birthday Shabbat 5:38 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i>
12 1 Tevet 11 a.m. PRS -Emily Aronoff Concert 12 p.m. Lunch Pizza by the Slice	13 1 Tevet 7:30 p.m. Board of Directors' Meeting	14 1 Tevet 10 a.m. Sarah Peltzman	15 2 Tevet 9:30 a.m. Mah Jongg	16 3 Tevet	17 4 Tevet 4:39 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i>	18 5 Tevet <i>Bar Mitzvah Daniel Jezmir</i> 9 a.m. Parashah Class Anniversary Shabbat 5:40 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i>
19 12 Tevet PRS - School Closed thru Jan. 5 9:30 a.m. 6 th grade B'nei Mitzvah Program	20 13 Tevet RFEC-School Closed thru - Jan. 3	21 14 Tevet 10 a.m. Sarah Peltzman	22 15 Tevet 10 a.m. Prayerworks	23 16 Tevet	24 17 Tevet 8 a.m. Shacharit Offices Closed 7 p.m. Cong Shabbat Dinner 4:42 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i>	25 18 Tevet 5:43 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i>
26 19 Tevet	27 20 Tevet	28 21 Tevet	29 22 Tevet	30 23 Tevet	31 24 Tevet 8 a.m. Shacharit Offices Closed 4:47 <i>Shabbat Shalom</i>	1 25 Tevet <i>New Year's Day</i> <i>2nd Bar Mitzvah Marvin Dunn</i> <i>George Lieberman</i> 9 a.m. Parashah 10:30 a.m. Learners' Min 5:49 <i>Havdalah Shavuah Tov!</i>

Candle Lighting Blessing

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Barukh ata Adonai Eloheinu melekh ha'olam, asher kiddeshanu b'mitzvotav vetzivanu lehadlik ner shel Shabbat.

December service schedule

Shabbat Services will be held at the: *Wornall Campus*, 9400 Wornall Road
 Sunday morning Shacharit will be held at the: *Lamar Campus*, 14200 Lamar

Daily & Sunday	Shabbat
Shacharit: Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. -Wornall Sunday, 8:30 a.m. -Lamar 8 a.m. Friday, December 24 8 a.m. Friday, December 31	Main Sanctuary , 9:30 a.m. Library Minyan , 9:30 a.m. Tots For Torah , 9:30 a.m. B'Yachad , 9:30 a.m.
Minchah: Sunday-Friday, 6 p.m.	Minchah , 5 p.m. December 4, 11, 18, 25 January 1
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Peace Walk, to benefit "Let the Children Play for Peace"

This organization is collecting toys for the children living in Sderot, Israel and Gaza. Approximately 140 people participated in the event. Pictured L-R: Rabbi Adam Stein, Pearl Sonnenschein, Marilyn Brewster, Shabeen Ahmed, Nasreen Talib, Faisal Jafri, Iftakhar Ahmed, Ken Sonnenschein



Bev Newman, Peter Newman & Evie Lowenthal at the Kotel in Jerusalem on a recent visit to Israel



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Looking Ahead:

Men's Club Poker Night - Lamar
Thursday, January 13, 6:30 p.m.

Sisterhood/Kaplan Weekend
Friday-Saturday, January 14-15 - Wornall
Sunday, January 16 - Lamar

LaMishpachah Intergenerational Program Wings of Love, -Village Shalom
Sunday, January 23, 10 a.m.

Steppin' Out - Lamar, Goldsmith Hall
Sunday, January 23, 6 p.m.
"Elvis will be here!"



Friday, Dec. 24
6 p.m. Service
7 p.m. Dinner

Our "4th Friday" Shabbat Dinners will continue on **Friday, December 24**, 6 p.m. with a service led by Rabbi Adam Stein at Wornall. A delicious "Chinese Food" dinner (by reservation) catered by *Princess Gardens* will follow the service.

See the insert for details and a reservation form. **Reservations are due Dec. 13.**

This dinner is being subsidized by an anonymous donor.

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	Tuesday, Thursday, Closed
	Saturday, Closed
	Friday & Sunday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
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	Thursday: 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
	Friday: 10 a.m.-12 p.m.
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"A Comedy Tonight" Fun-Raiser
Sunday, January 30
5:45 p.m. or 7:30 p.m.
6:30 Hors D'oeuvres Buffet

Something familiar, something peculiar, something for everyone at "A Comedy Tonight" Fun-Raiser at *The Westport Flea Market and Comedy Club*. General admission by January 26 requires a minimum donation of \$30 per person and reserved seating is \$50 per person. [To purchase tickets go to www.bethshalomkc.org](http://www.bethshalomkc.org). For information, contact Andrea Ellis at 816-820-9778 or aellis@kc.surewest.net.

The event is being generously sponsored by Westport Flea Market, US Toy and Gottlieb, Flekier & Company. All proceeds benefit Congregation Beth Shalom.



Rose Family ECEC students singing and dancing with the Hazzan as they celebrate Shabbat every Friday morning.