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A 1980's Megillah Reading & Party

Come join your Beth Shalom Family for a rocking Megillah reading featuring great Megillah readers, parody songs and prizes for costumes. Stay after for a Purim Party. Both the Megillah Reading and the Purim Party feature The M80's. ALL AGES WELCOME!!! DON'T FORGET TO WEAR A COSTUME!!!

Purim Schedule

Wednesday, March 23

6:00 pm Minchah Service at Village Shalom

7:00 pm Mishloach Manot Basket Assembly for our younger congregants (per person cost, 5 + 1) 5 pays for three

baskets worth of goodies for you to give your friends, and \$1 for Mazon - The Jewish Response to Hunger.

7:30 pm Ma'ariv (Evening Service)

7:45 pm Rock the Megillah featuring Esther's story and the M80's

8:45 - 9:45 pmTotally Awesome Purim Party featuring your favorite hits from the 1980's and the M80's, snacks and adult

libations. No Charge.

Thursday Morning, March 24

7:00 am Morning services followed by morning Megillah reading at Village Shalom (around 7:45 am) 10:00 am The Rabbinic Association of Greater Kansas City will be having its second annual Purim Seudah

and Celebration at Village Shalom for Residents and quests. For more information see page 10.

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From the Rabbi's Study

Serve God with Joy



For the last three years our Purim celebrations have been getting better and better, with more energy, more participation and more fun. We are trying to live out the

teaching from Psalms: *Ivdu et HaShem b'Simcha* – Worship God with Joy!!!

Wednesday, March 23rd in the evening – get out your costume and come to Beth Shalom! Your presence is what will make this party great.

This year, we are thrilled to have a Totally Awesome Purim which will feature the M80s, a 1980's cover band, snacks and drinks. All ages are invited.

I know – it's a school night. I know – we have work the next day. I know – it's a Wednesday.

We all make time to stay up late for events that we know are important – it could be tickets to a band we've always wanted to see, it could be the Royals playing an important game, it could be out of town friends or relatives who come by.

Purim is one of those times to stay up late! This is the time for us to teach ourselves, teach our friends and teach our children, that celebrating life is worth staying up late for. The thriving of the Jewish people is worth staying up late for. Light conquering darkness is worth staying up late for. It's worth being silly for. It's worth drinking l'chaim for. It is worth cajoling our friends, relatives and strangers that we meet to come and celebrate.

So – pull out your parachute pants, your Members' Only Jacket, your Guess jeans, your Firenza sweater, put on one sequined glove, and buy an extra bottle of hairspray for our 1980's Totally Awesome Purim. (Yes, you can still dress up as Esther, Haman, superheroes and pirates too.....)

There are four mitvot on Purim. "Mikra Megillah" - hearing the reading of the megillah. "Mishloach Manot" - giving gifts of food to friends. "Matanot L'Evyonim" - giving gifts to the poor. "Mishteh v'Simcha" - drinking and celebrating. If you come early with youngsters at 7:00 pm, you can make 3 mishloach manot baskets for \$5 to give to friends, and bring an extra \$1 to give to Mazon: A Jewish Response to Hunger.

Dard M. Chillen

Rabbi David M. Glickman dglickman@bethshalomkc.org

Planned Givers' Kiddush

Fifty-one congregants who generously made planned gifts to our congregation will be honored on Shabbat morning, March 19, with a special Kiddush in their honor. While we may not be able to predict the future, we, as members of Congregation Beth Shalom, can help secure it financially with a planned gift to our synagogue. We have four additional families currently considering such a gift.

Since 2007, CBS has partnered with the Jewish Community Foundation and the Bushman Community Endowment program to secure these commitments, currently valued in excess of \$2.5 million dollars. *Todah rabah* to the fifty-one families who have helped us to reach the objective of securing our future, and we look forward to continuous growth in the

number of families willing to assist us. Help us celebrate these congregants and their commitment to CBS.

If you would like to invest in the future of CBS with a bequest or other planned gift, please contact Harold Kaseff, Planned Giving Committee Chair, at either 913-236-9923, ext. 204, or 913-859-0530. His email address is haroldk@transtitle.com.

In Memory of Elaine Polsky, z"l

With fondness we remember Elaine Polsky, the first woman president of our congregation, 1992-94. Friend, confidante, leader, wife, mother and grandmother are words that just begin to describe her wonderful personality and thoughtfulness. Elaine's favorite quotation was, "Whoever practices charity and justice

is as though that person fills the whole world with loving kindness". Elaine together with her devoted husband, Norman, established the Joel Polsky United Synagogue Youth Scholarship Fund and the Isadore and Rachel Polsky Jewish Enrichment Series at CBS. Their generosity to our congregation is never-ending and continues to live

on. In 2006 our Religious School was named in their honor. Numerous Polsky Religious School graduates carry the flame of Jewish knowledge into the community. Memories of Elaine and Norman will always be in the hearts of our congregants. We extend our deepest condolences to the entire Polsky family.

Executively Speaking

Beth Shalom Committees



CBS has several active committees, engaging many congregants and moving us forward. I'll tell you about four.

Bernie Fried chairs a new

Development Committee, exploring how CBS can meet its future financial needs. Committee members include Bob Grant, Rachel Krantz, Diane Azorsky and members of our professional staff in an advisory capacity. For the long-term health of our congregation, this committee's recommendations are eagerly anticipated.

Karen Cole and Victor Wishna co-chair the Dues Options Committee, whose goal is to explore and make a recommendation regarding the growing movement among Conservative kehillot to expand the process through which members may pledge a dues amount. Karen, Victor, Brian Brockman (Budget Chair), Malinda Kimmel, Allison Glickman, Liz Chopp, Peter Shapiro, Jeff Fromm and Alana Muller will let us know what they think. The committee is consulting with USCJ, as well as with several congregations around the country which have moved to various models.

Sheila Sonnenschein chairs the "Green Shul" Committee, which is helping CBS lower our energy footprint. Suzy Rieber, Milisa Flekier, Kim Matsil, Carla Oppenheimer and Mirra Klausner, with the help of Richard Simon, Chuck Gasser and Steve Feinstein have found a way to increase

recycling and save the congregation some money on a new trash contract. Three families have pledged to cover the expense of a recycling bin for the next 24 months.

Dana Schwartz continues her energetic leadership of the re-constituted Membership Committee, which seeks to assure that new members feel welcome. Our membership is stable between 690-695 family units, with quite a few new members – greet them warmly!

These committees welcome you to be part of the action. If you are interested, please let me or one of the Chairs know.

Morman bahn me

Norman Kahn, Jr.
President
nkahnmd@gmail.com

Synagogue Nominating Committee

In accordance with the Bylaws of Congregation Beth Shalom, the following members of the nominat-

ing committee for synagogue officers and board of directors is listed below: Chairman Michael Abrams, Susie Azorsky, Fred Bodker, Rita Cortés, Bernie Fried, Miriam Kaseff, Kurt Kavanaugh, Jen Paul, Rhea Salasche and Wendy Sitzmann.

From the Desk of the Director of Congregational Learning

Hazzan Tahl Ben-Yehuda, Director of Congregational Learning | hazzantby@bethshalomkc.org

All About Adar

Have you ever wondered why it is that sometimes the holidays are "early," and sometimes they're "late?" A few weeks ago, the fifth, sixth and seventh grade classes learned why this happens! It's because we have a lunar calendar with 12 or 13 months, and hundreds of years ago, the Rabbis solved the problem of keeping our lunar calendar in check with the seasons of the solar calendar, which is critical in Judaism, since so many of our holidays are season-specific.

Imagine celebrating Pesach, also called *Hag Ha'Aviv*, the holiday of spring, in deep summer. Try to find indian corn and gourds and pumpkins to decorate your sukkah in February! Or consider celebrating Hanukkah

in early March, as the days are finally getting longer, and the sun is up far later than in December! All this would be commonplace if it were not for the invention of intercalation – the working together of the solar and lunar calendars by way of the addition of an extra month seven years out of every 19. That extra month is inserted now, and is called Adar I.

If you have ever wondered which Adar, Adar I or Adar II, is the "leap month," let me solve that riddle for you now; it's Adar I. Adar I has no holidays in it at all, and Adar II still has Purim in it. So why do we insert the leap month of Adar before the Adar with Purim?

Here's where things get really

cool – every Jewish home-maker will tell you that Purim is the one-month snooze-alarm alert before Passover. It takes a month to prepare your kitchen, your house, and even your soul for Pesach. Less time and you won't be ready, more time and you can't stay focused.

Please remember to mark your calendars for our community celebration of Purim, and refer to page 1 of the Scroll for all times and places.

PRS Dates

March 27

March 6 11:30 am dismissal for USY Purim Carnival

March 13-20 No school—spring break
March 23 No formal PRS classes due
to special Purim programming

PRS classes resume

Sisterhood

Berenice Haberman, President | shpres@bethshalomkc.org |

Phyllis Abrams Receives Leadership Recognition Award



Phyllis Abrams was unanimously selected as the 2015-2016 Beth Shalom Sisterhood Past Presidents' Leadership Recognition Award

Honoree. The Past Presidents have inspired and motivated many women into assuming leadership responsibilities. The award was established in 1989.

Phyllis, originally from Minneapolis, returned to Kansas City in 2011, after living in the East for more

IntraContinental Convention

The IntraContinental Region's Spring Conference, with the theme "I Heard It Through the Grapevine", will be held in Minneapolis, April 2-5. This region, one of the largest in Women's League for Conservative Judaism, stretches from Saskatoon in the north to Mexico in the south, to Wichita in the west and to St. Louis in the east. The members are con-

than 35 years. Prior to relocating to Kansas City, Phyllis worked in the international travel industry for more than 18 years. She is a graduate of the University of Minnesota.

Phyllis is currently Sisterhood Vice President of Adult Education. She chaired the Jewels in the Crown award-winning Sisterhood Program, "The Trial of King David", which received special recognition from Women's League for Conservative Judaism, and "Lipstick & Lunch." She also volunteers weekly with the Beth Shalom Kiddush Corps and the

nected by our traditions and support for Conservative Judaism. This conference promises to NOT be a series of dull and dry meetings; rather it is a wonderful opportunity to meet new friends, expose oneself to interesting learning experiences and finding out more about WLCJ. The planning committee has developed new concepts concerning programming and membership. The tzedakah project for

Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy's Rams Café.

Phyllis, and her husband, Erwin, have children living in Overland Park, and in Tampa. Michael and Renana Abrams are members of Beth Shalom. Stephen and Mara Abrams reside in Tampa, FL. Erwin and Phyllis have five grandchildren.

Along with receiving a lovely certificate, Phyllis will attend the IntraContinental Conference to be held April 2-5 in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Phyllis' award will be presented to her at the May Open Board Meeting.

this year is collecting pencils, with a goal of 10,000 pencils to be donated to Minneapolis area children.

Berenice Haberman, Sisterhood President, will represent our Sisterhood along with Phyllis Abrams, our Leadership Recognition Award honoree. If anyone is interested in attending the Convention, please contact Berenice at rbhaberman@everestkc.net or 913-894-6657.

Celebrate Torah Fund

Please join us on Wednesday, April 27 in Goldsmith Hall to celebrate the success of our 73rd annual

Torah Fund campaign and enjoy a delicious Passover luncheon catered by Steve Ellenberg. Hors d'oeuvres begin at 11:00 am. The afternoon's entertainment will be provided by Coleen Dieker, Music Director at The Temple,

Congregation B'nai Jehudah. Invitations will be mailed soon. Guests

are welcome. Both reservations and donations (including previous pledges) are due by April 15 in order for con-

tributor names to be included in the program. Checks should be made out to Torah Fund. This beautiful Passover tradition was begun by Anne Hadas, beloved wife of Rabbi Gershon Hadas. Torah Fund luncheon chair is Joyce Shapiro For more information



Book Club Meets on April 6



SH Book Club will meet on Wednesday, April 6 at 1:30 pm at the home of Sunie Levin. The club will be discussing *Catch The Jew!* (nonfiction)

by Tuvia Tenenbom. The poignant, enraging and laugh-out-loud funny book describes the adventures of the author, Tuvia Tenenbom, who wanders around Israel and the Palestinian Authority for seven months in search of the untold truths in today's Holy Land. For more details or to attend, contact Linda Lessner at at lessner@kc.rr.com or 913-897-0122.

Pictured from Left to Right: Joyce Shapiro, Meg Adler,

Cathy Newman & Rickie Haith.

Sisterhood Continued

Berenice Haberman, President | shpres@bethshalomkc.org |

Sisterhood Calendar Campaign

The Sisterhood Calendar Campaign, our biggest fundraiser, begins soon. The calendar/directory is complimentary to all congregants, non-congregant sisterhood members and advertisers. An ad form will be mailed. We need your help to make the calendar a success. Each ad or tribute helps achieve that success. For a nominal fee we will place a tribute to your Bar/Bat Mitzvah, Confirmand,

High School or College Graduate. If you are not contacted, please contact us. When you support the calendar ad campaign, you are supporting RFE-CEC, PRS, USY, Sisterhood Shabbat, the Lechem and Chesed Committees, Jewish community programming and local and national Jewish charities.

For more information, contact Berenice Haberman at 913-894-6657 or rbhaberman@everestkc.net.

Intergeneratinal Women's Seder

Our sisterhood will be hosting an Intergenerational Woman's Seder on Thursday night, March 31, at 7:00 pm in Goldsmith Hall. We invite you

and your daughters, mothers, grandmothers, aunts and friends to celebrate Passover with Hazzan Tahl Ben-Yehuda. Musical accompaniment will be by Linda Salvay. This will be an evening of ceremony and remembrance led by women for women. The Passover narrative will be infused with women's voices and experiences. Guests are wel-

come. A dessert reception will follow. The price will be \$6.00 for Sisterhood members and \$7.00 for non-members. Volunteers will be needed to help

bake. If you are interested in helping in the kitchen, please call Milisa Flekier, 913-681-9298 or Staci Kahn, 913-681-0212.
Please bring worsted weight yarn for Warm Up

America! Invitations are on their way. Come help us celebrate a spiritual journey for women, miracles and the Prophetess Miriam.

Sisterhood Board Nominations

The Beth Shalom Sisterhood has nominated the following members for a three-year term on the Board of Directors: Annie Glickman, Nata Scharf, Judy Weinstein, Stephanie Kavanaugh & Celia Solomon for a one year term.

The nominating committee consisted of: Chairman Bev Newman, Renana Abrams, Riki Fein, Carol Goldstein, Evie Grant, Linda Schlozman, Carol Yarmo and Linda Lessner (Parlimentarian).

Election of these prospective board members will take place at the Torah Fund Luncheon, April 27 and they will be installed at the May Open Board Meeting.

ARTICLE IX Section 4 of the Sisterhood By-Laws: Nomination by Petition. Nominations may also be made in writing, by not less than five members in good standing, submitted to the Chairman of the Nominating committee, provided written consent of the person nominated is received not later than 15 days after notice of report of the nominating committee.

The Gift Shop Features the Work of Gary Rosenthal

Gary Rosenthal is a gifted artist whose works are not only popular at the Sisterhood Gift Shop, but across the United States. Gary has been sculpting in welded metals since the early 1970's. Together with a team of talented craftspeople, he creates one of the most popular and unique

lines of Judaic art in the country. Combining copper, brass, and steel with brilliant fused glass, the Gary Rosenthal Collection has a contemporary style rooted in tradition. His inspiration comes from the rich history of the Jewish people which tells us it's a blessing - a mitzvah - to make beautiful, functional, art. His collection at our gift shop includes wedding shard keepers, menorahs, dreidels and hamsas. Add a piece of Rosenthal art to your own Judaica collection.

We Are Selling Homemade Mandel Bread

Do you miss your Bubbie's homemade mandel bread? You don't have to wait any longer. Sisterhood is selling mandel bread baked by Bill Shapiro, husband of our sisterhood member Joyce Shapiro, using an old family recipe. It is packaged in a quantity of 2 dozen for \$10.00, with or without nuts. It is parve but made in the CBS dairy kitchen. Order forms will be available in the Sisterhood Gift Shop. Questions? Email or call Milisa Flekier at mflekier@gmail.com or 913-681-9298.



CELEBRATING LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Bat Mitzvah

Nina Gabrielle Schultz April 2 / 23 Adar II



Nina's parents are Eric & Amy Schultz. Grandparents are Nancy & Shelton Gallas and Drs. Bella & Joseph Schultz of Brookline, Mass. Great-grandmother is Shirley Bernstein. She has one brother, Jared.

Nina attends Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy and her hobbies

include dance, basketball and working with animals.

For her Mitzvah Project, Nina is a Young Heroes for Pets volunteer at the Great Plains SPCA. She helps by doing laundry, cleaning, walking and playing with the dogs. Relatives and friends are invited to worship with the family and attend the Kiddush Luncheon following services.

Tot Shabbat & Shabbat Kids' Club, March 19



Tot Shabbat and Shabbat Kids' Club will meet March 19. Join us for a fun-filled Shabbat with songs, prayers and a story. Prior to services there will

be a snack for both groups near the Youth Lounge. Tot Shabbat meets in Room 111-112 and Kids' Club meets in Room 114. Would you like to sponsor an upcoming Kids' Kiddush? Tot Shabbat and Shabbat Kids' Club still have months available this year for sponsorship! Contact Baree Nottberg at bnottberg@yahoo.com or Shira Zigler at shiramichele@yahoo.com. This program is underwritten by the Eugene and Shirley Novorr Tots for Torah Fund.

Happy Anniversary

March Anniversaries will be celebrated on March 19. To sponsor a Kiddush contact Martha, 913-647-7283.

Day	Year	
6	Alan & Allison Myers	33
6	Allen & Linda Schick	50
8	Matt & Michelle Daniels	2
11	Norman & Alison Heisler	32
11	Harold & Linda House	43
13	Sol & Nora Dubin	40
14	Joshua & Laura Galler	12
15	Geoff & Ann Holmes	14
16	Derek & Amy Gale	8
18	Michael & Gabrielle Handler	27
19	Steven & Jennifer Paul	22
21	Donald & Betty Kopin	65
23	Alan & Eleanor Hoffmann	47
23	Neal & Dana Schwartz	20
24	Warner & Esther Bergh	59
24	Jerry & Sandra Fogel	15
24	Maurice & Ellen Soltz	48
25	Bruce & Devra Lerner	38
26	Thomas & Pamela Glickman	16
26	John Goldberg & Marla Brockman	27
27	Bradley & Jennifer Jerwick	12
28	Jeffrey & Jamie Wordsworth	23
29	Craig & Amy Both	24
31	Louis & Joyce Pack	31

Mazal Tov to...

Neil and Blanche Sosland who have been named the Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy 2016 Civic Award Honorees.

Allen and Susan Lebovitz upon the birth of their granddaughter, Diane Burke Lebovitz. Diane's parents are Melinda Curley and Aaron Lebovitz, Oakton, VA. Her great-grandmother is Kate Lebovitz.

Arlene Shalinsky upon the recent Bar Mitzvah of her grandson, Yosef Stein, in Jerusalem, Israel. Yosef's parents are Gideon and Marla Shalinsky Stein of Jerusalem.

Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center

Judy Jacks Berman, Director | <mark>jjb@bethshalomkc.org</mark> | 913-647-7287



Preschool and Camp Enrollment

The Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center has opened enrollment for the fall of 2016 nursery school and Camp 2016. If you have a child, grandchild, niece or nephew between the ages of 1-5 or a friend who has a child of these ages, it is time to sign up for PRESCHOOL!

Camp 2016 sign up is also open. Camp sessions are June 6- July 1 and July 11- 29 on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 8:45 am -11:45 am. Don't let your child, grand-child, niece or nephew or friend's child miss out on this great camp experience!

Please call Judy Jacks Berman, Director of Early Childhood Education at 913-647-7287 to tour our school or for camp information.



Youth & Informal Education

Stefanie Williams, Director | swilliams@bethshalomkc.org | 913-647-7292

Kadima Kinnus

Jonah Kahn, 8th grade Kadimanik, says, "Kadima Kinnus was awesome! It was fun to visit with my camp friends and make new friends! There were a lot of fun activities, including Karaoke, Minute to Win It, and of course, playing in the snow covered fields of Ogden, Iowa! The Neon Dance Party was way too short, but really cool! The bus ride was fun and we got to create friendships with new members joining us from Denver, Colorado! I can't wait for the next convention"!



Praised is the True Judge

Of Blessed Memory

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

Charlotte Nadlman, z"l, February 5 - 26 Shevat Irene Landy, z"l, February 12 - 3 Adar I Herman F. Mondschein, Lt. Col. USAF (Ret.), z"l, February 13 - 4 Adar I Patty Ann Krieis, z'l, February 14 - 5 Adar I

Elaine Polsky, z"l, February 14 - 5 Adar I

Yahrtzeits

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

21 Adar I - March 1

Harry Agron Mary Aronson Julius Bridges Robert Moris Coleman Betty Edwards Donald Ellis Milton Firestone Paul Goodman Ronald Goodman Dora Harrison Gittel Levine Jack Irving Poizner Anna Salvay Rose Singmon

22 Adar I - March 2

Edward Stein

Evelyn S. Alster Clarence Cohen Rebecca Cohen Beckie Cohn Abraham Davis Samuel G. Eisen Simon Frank Minnie Golinsky Gussie Ida Goodman Harry Herowitz Sam Karosen Leah Koffman William M. Leff Samuel Levitt Rosa Lippman Julius Markowitz Barney Oppenheimer Lillie Peltzman Tillie C. Plotkin Emma Sternberg

23 Adar I - March 3

Isidore Bernstein Herman Copaken Charles L. Finkelstein Anne Kay Fishman Pearl Fleider Jennie Gershon Anna Gross

Sadie Katzman Jacob Kramer Meyer Present William P. Rothschild Clara Sheftel Harriett A. Tilzer

24 Adar I - March 4

Dora Brenner Sarah Carroll Samuel Diamant Sarah Gerber Rebecca Goldberg Iacob Goodman Jack Himmelstein Etta Katzman David Kramer Sarah M. Krantz Vrem D. Levens Mildred Eaglstein Levinson Henry Zinn

25 Adar I - March 5

Martha Fleider Abe Gordon Pearl Jacobs Rose Levy David Moses Rogovein Esther Shapiro Sol Stolov Ned Weiss

26 Adar I - March 6

Louis Brown David Epstein Jacob Epstein Minnie M. Friedson Frances Rabicoff Haith Joseph Katzeff Harry Markowitz Charles Rosenthal Harriett A. Rosenthal

Joseph Silverman 27 Adar I - March 7

Isadore Becker Doris Bush

Nathan Siegel

Saul Siegel

Stanley Goodman Fannie Gordon Sam Greenberg Phillip Levine Julius Levitch Adolf Pucker Zlotta Schnider Ben Sosland Fannie Davis Stevens

28 Adar I - March 8

Jette Bergmann Ruth Davis Dave Gardesky Lillian Leibson Reva Lindman Goldie Mallin Jacob N. Myron Reda Lilv Noah Susie Rosenbloom Parelman Helen Shapiro

Joseph Wolf 29 Adar I - March 9

Joshua Waxenberg

Jack Brams Harry Chaikin Sophie Fein Dora Fox Rea L. Fried Esther Galitzky Sidney Ryweck Ethel Silberman Anne Singer Jacob Singer Fannie Sloan William Sosnow Rose B. Weiss

30 Adar I - March 10

Rose Broudy Maynard Gordon Minnie Markowitz Simons

1 Adar II - March 11

Minnie Skoler Harry Lewis Small

2 Adar II - March 12

Louis Peltzman

3 Adar II - March 13

Slava Kantor Joseph Kopin Ben Mays Ann Radetsky Toltz

4 Adar II - March 14

Edna Fisher Sophie Gordon

5 Adar II - March 15

Solomon S. Chambers Rose Frohlichman Minnie Harris Charles Lewin Isadore Nathanson

6 Adar II - March 16

David M. Ginsberg Hershel Goodman Anna Pelzerman

7 Adar II - March 17

Robert L. Hoffman Sheldon Sandler Samuel Tranin

8 Adar II - March 18

Sophie S. Levin Hannah Markowitz Mollie Samuelson Morris Shlensky

9 Adar II - March 19

Esther Litman

10 Adar II- March 20

Rudy Baruch Marga Joseph Annie Levin Frieda Potashner

11 Adar II- March 21

Rose Agron David Stanley Hochberg Jacob H. Levine Henrietta Navran

12 Adar II- March 22

Sol Blum

Marilyn Bressel Benjamin Deitchman Sam Goldberg Alice Goldsmith Avrohom Laib Kuzecki Rachel Lieberman

13 Adar II- March 23

Fannie Epstein

14 Adar II- March 24

Leo Blonsky David Litwack Myer C. Shapiro

15 Adar II- March 25

Sol Fox

16 Adar II- March 26

Samuel Baron Sidney Berman Annie Bobrecker Morris Dobrowski Anna Glazer Alexander Mallon Nancy Lynn Singer Stanley Yukon

17 Adar II- March 27

Louis Horowitz

18 Adar II- March 28

Bess Kopin Isadore Shafton

19 Adar II- March 29

Morris P. Gordon Tillie Schnider

20 Adar II- March 30

Emanuel Copeland Sol Junsberg Mollie Shapiro Harry Shefrin Morley Steinberg

21 Adar II- March 31

Issie Bernbaum Mary Brenner

Todah Rabbah!

Charlene Bratman

Louis & Marilyn

Contributions through February 18, 2016 are listed below. Thank you for thinking of us.



Ada Hoffman Camp Ramah Scholarship Fund

In memory of **Morris Hoffman** Gary & Debby Cortés

Benjamin Ryweck Torah Fund

In memory of

Lewis Bratt Edward & Rickie Haith Walter March Elaine Polsky Sidney Ryweck Joan March **Judith Mark** Herman Mondshein Elly Zalusky Susan Zale Helen Weinstein Edward & Rickie

Beth Shalom Chesed Committee Fund

Haith

In honor of Debby Cortés' Speedy Recovery Hanan Hammer, **Kovod Award** Jerry & Barbara Cosner

Carla Oppenheimer's Speedy Recovery Kurt & Stephanie

Kavanaugh

Beth Shalom General Fund

In honor of

Addison Brand's Bar Mitzvah

Dolores Sosnow

David & Rosalyn Burnstein's New

Home Stanley Katz's 90th

Birthday

Shirley Malashock

Hanan Hammer,

Kovod Award Florence Pack

In memory of

Abraham Alexander Edward & Cheryl

Alexander Pauline Blonsky Marilyn Blonsky

Anna Chaikin Jeffrey Chaiken

Kessler

Helen Coomres Paul & Amanda Bachmuth

Sam Eisberg Geraldine Salvay Samuel Epstein Debra Faigen

Stuart & Sharon Pase Rubin Fried Barbara Elaine Bograd

Stan Goldberg John Goldberg Tom Goldenberg

Helen Kaufman Allan & Marilvn Kaufman

Kalman Grollman Meyer Grollman Paul Grollman

Sarah Hammer Hanan & Natalie Hammer

Morris L. Hertzfield Harriet Hertzfield Marga Kretschmerz

Marian Kaplan Lena Levin Leon & Sunie Levin

Morris Levine Stephen & Rebecca Levine

Charles Malcy Arthur & Donna

Malcy Maxine Margolin Donna Limbaugh Estelle Minkin

John Goldberg Charlotte Nadlman

Stanley & Marjorie Brand Sadie Ozar

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Elaine Polsky Jav Pack N. Joseph Price Cynthia Harper

Phyllis Krigel Rips Anna Kiansky Salvay Israel David Salvay Geraldine Salvay Ralph Schultz

Joseph Markley & Kristin Schultz Sylvester Sher Scott Sher

Joseph Shure Walter & Helaine Reed

Lillian Silverman David & Lynne Bock **Ruth Silverstein**

Hanan & Natalie Hammer

Celia Steinberg Donna Seymour Wolf Turec

Ben Turec Rowena Turk Joel & Sue Vile Nathan Turtledove

Robert & Stacie Turtledove Sam Wengrover

Leslie Schultz **Edith Yaskolka** Audrey Spivak Bert Zeldin

Marvin & Adelle

Goldstein

Beth Shalom Library Fund

In memory of Gertrude Mitz Melvin & Elaine Glazer Rochelle Mitz

Beverly & Harvey Bodker Endowment **Fund**

In honor of Joel & Hildy Goldman's Anniversary Hanan Hammer, **Kovod Award** Ruth Margolies' 90th Birthday

Harvey Bodker In memory of

Leonard Judd Harvey Bodker

Cemetery Maintenance **Fund**

In memory of Yetta Barsky Bernard Barsky Sol Baum Estella Gold **Beatrice Gershon** Paul Gershon Irene Landy Larry Cohen Stan Goldberg Estelle Minkin Geraldine Goldberg **Beverly Hoffman** Bruce & Susan

Winston

Rose Katzeff Herbert & Alice Stein

Esther Lichtor Jeffrey Levine & Reed Fletcher

Anna Sorka Samuel & Marion Rosen

Gale & Maxine Grossman Religious School Fund

In honor of Marty and Carol Bass' Birthdays Maxine Grossman's Special Birthday

Stuart Newberg In memory of Paul Mann Morton Mann

George B & Marian Durbin **Prayer Book** Fund

In honor of Stanley Katz's 90th Birthday Alan & Linda Cohen

Green **Initiatives**

In honor of Anna Clauer's Bat Mitzvah

Ken & Sheila Sonnenschein

Hazzan Ben-Yehuda's **Discretionary** Fund

In appreciation of Hazzan Tahl

Ben-Yehuda Jeffrey & Corrine Blackman

In memory of Leonard Judd David & Shelley Fishbach

Ronald Goldsmith David & Carol Porter William & Jodi Rosenthal

Jacob H & Rose **Levine Teacher Development Fund**

In honor of Hanan Hammer.

Kovod Award Peter & Beverly

Newman In memory of Elaine Polsky

Peter & Beverly Newman

Joel Polsky USY Fund

In memory of **Elaine Polsky**

Todd Clauer & Mirra Klausner Tiberius & Carla Klausner Miriam Krantz Edward Goldstein & Rachel Krantz

KCUSY Fund

In memory of **Elaine Polsky** Mark & Diane Davidner

Kiddush Fund

In honor of Stanley Katz's 90th **Birthday**

Marvin & Carol Goldstein In memory of Leonard Judd

Harold Kaseff & Rhea Salasche Kaseff

Rachel Posner Norma Teiber

Marvin & Carol Goldstein

Mallin Childhood **Enrichment** Fund

In memory of Solomon Mendelson Larry & Beverly Mallin

Marcia Eveloff **Lechem Fund**

In honor of Birth of Mila Bratt Dolores Sosnow

In memory of Francis Greenberg Jeffrey & Wendy Sitzmann

Frederick Marshock Marshall & Hope Talbot

Herman Mondschein Chuck & Pam Fite Alexis Penny

Charlotte Nadlman Herbert & Barbara Simon

Ann Schifman Alan & Tina Chapman **Arnold Weintrub** Stephen & Ellen Katz

Marcus Brand Scholarship Fund

In memory of Sadie Ozar Milton & Marilyn Ozar

Meyer J Pachter Video Library

In memory of **Emmanuel Entin** Minnie Pachter Regina Pachter

Naman, Pollack, Block Youth Fund

In honor of Gus Eisemann's 90th Birthday **Jill Goldstein's** Speedy Recovery Hanan Hammer, **Kovod Award** Victor Wishna, Brand Leadership Award Randall & Elyse Block In memory of **Beverly Calvin**

Randall & Elyse Block Rabbi Glickman's **Discretionary Fund**

Persephone Gales' **Baby Naming** Maxine Grossman In honor of

In appreciation of

Mila Bratt's Baby Naming

Anne Bratt In memory of Herman Hershman Vera Hershman Leonard & Elizabeth Hershman

Romotsky, Price, Cortés **Genetic Testing** Fund

In honor of Debby Cortés' Speedy Recovery David & Rosalyn Burnstein

Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center

In memory of Leonard Judd Steven & Judy Berman

Rose S Levine & Doris L Flam Arts & **Education Fund**

In memory of Herman Mondschein Tiberius & Carla Klausner

Sam & Esther **Daniels Prayer Book Fund**

In memory of Rubin Fried Donald & Ruthann Zurovsky

Sanford **Dunn Merit Scholarship Fund For Study** in Israel

In memory of Pauline Barnard Patsy Shanberg

Sylvan Siegler Scholarship **Fund For Jewish Camping**

In memory of Leonard Judd Rabbi Moti Rieber & Suzy Siegler Rieber **Cindy Polger** Rowena Turk Merna Siegler



Community-wide Purim Day Seudah March 24, 10:00 am at Village Shalom

The Jewish community of all ages will join together, costumes optional, for a Purim "Seudah" (a festive meal on Purim day). The Purim celebration will include a Purimsing-along, an interactive Purim study, continental brunch, assembling Shalach Manot gift bags and an optional Megillah reading. The program will be led by members of the Rabbinical Association of Greater Kansas City.

The Seudah is sponsored by the Rabbinical Association in collaboration with Village Shalom and by the Flo Harris Supporting Foundation of the Jewish Community Foundation of Greater Kansas City.

Advance reservations are required by March 21. Please send an email to <u>afprogram@aol.com</u> or call 913-327-4622. Indicate the number of people attending and the name of each person. There is no charge for the event, but please bring a canned food for the JFS Pantry.

Passover Food Drive

The Haggadah tells us: "let all who are hungry come and eat," but many in our community will have difficulty fulfilling this injunction for themselves much less for others this holiday season without the help of Jewish Family Services. Each of us can make a difference, however, by contributing to the Passover Food Drive sponsored by JFS, the Rabbinical Association and area congregations, including Beth Shalom. More than 160 families will be helped through this drive.

Grape juice, matzah and matzah meal, cake meal, baking mixes and soup labeled "kosher for Passover" can be dropped off at CBS between now and April 15. Monetary donations toward purchasing needed items are also being accepted by check and online.

If you are able to volunteer to help on the food drive, please call 913-730-1410 or email volunteer@jfskc.org.

Let Us Know Your Veterans and Active Duty Military in your Family.

This Memorial Day, we are honoring our CBS military. Please use our online form to tell us who wore our nation's colors in the Armed Services. Deadline is May 20. There is an online link.

Gluten-Free, Dairy-Free Hamantaschen Ingredients: 2 large eggs

2/3 cup sugar

1 teaspoon vanilla

2 1/4 cups gluten-free all-purpose flour

1/4 cup canola oil

1 teaspoon baking powder

1/4 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon orange zest

Jam, chocolate, or whatever filling you prefer



Directions:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

In a medium bowl whisk together eggs, sugar, vanilla, oil and orange zest.

Using a sifter, pour flour, baking powder and salt inside and sift on top of liquid mixture. Using a wooden spoon, mix together until crumbly. Add water a small amount at a time if mixture is too dry.

Knead dough until smooth, then transfer ball to gluten-free floured surface. Flour rolling pin and roll out dough to 1/4-inch thick.

Using a 3 inch round cookie cutter, cut circles in dough and transfer to lightly greased cookie sheet.

Using a teaspoon, place one teaspoon of preferred filling (I used chocolate almond butter and pomegranate jelly) in the center of dough round

Fold left edge of circle until it almost hits the center. Fold right edge over to create a pyramid. Fold the bottom edge up to meet the other sides, folding one side under the right and over the left. Pinch the ends.

Place on a cookie sheet and bake for 18-20 minutes until golden. Check the Hamantaschen after 18 minutes.



March 2016

Congregational-Wide Events - See each department for their activities

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
			Warm Up America!	Peltzman Class		
		21 Adar I	22 Adar I	23 Adar I	5:57 Candle 24 Adar I Lighting	6:59 Havdala Shavual 25 Adar I Tovi
6	7	8	9	10	11	Birthday Shabbat 12
KCUSY Purim Carnival				Peltzman Class		
PRS Early Dismissal 26 Adar I	27 Adar I	28 Adar I	29 Adar I	30 Adar I	6:04 Candle Cighting	7:06 Havdalah Shavuah 2 Adar II Tovi
Daylight Savings 13	14	15	16	17	18	Anniversary Shabbat Planned Givers' Shabba
No PRS, Spring Break	Board Meeting			Peltzman Class		Tot Shabbat & Shabbat Kids' Club
3 Adar II	4 Adar II	5 Adar II	6 Adar II	7 Adar II	7:11 Candle 2 8 Adar II Cighting	Parashat Hashavuah 9 Adar II 8:13 Havdala Shavual Tovi
20	21	22	Ta'anit Esther Erev Purim No PRS Classes	Purim 24	Shushan Purim 25	26
No PRS, Spring Break			Erev Purim Festivities			å 8:19
10 Adar II	11 Adar II	12 Adar II	PrayerWorks at VS 13 Adar II	14 Adar II	7:17 Candle 15 Adar II Cighting	Havdala Shavala 16 Adar II Tovi
27	28	29	30	31		
PRS Classes Resume				Peltzman Class		
17 Adar II	18 Adar II	19 Adar II	20 Adar II	21 Adar II		

Candle Lighting Blessing

בּרוּךְ אַתָּה ה' אֱלֹקִינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר קּדְשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתִיו וְצִוְּנוּ לְהַרְלִּיק גֵר שֶׁל שַׁבָּת.

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

March Service Schedule

Shabbat CBS

Library Minyan: Satt	urday 9:30 am
Minchah: March 5	urday 9:30 am
Minchah: March 12	5:57 pm
Minchah: March 19	2 6:04 pm
Minchah: March 20	9 7:11 pm
	Main Service: Sate Library Minyan: Sate Minchah: March 5 Minchah: March 12 Minchah: March 19 Minchah: March 20

March 2016

Shabbat Services and Sunday morning Shacharit will be held at CBS, 14200 Lamar. Weekday Minyan will be held at Appleman Synagogue, Village Shalom, 5500 W. 123rd St.

^{*}Please Note: On Tuesday, Wednesday and Fridays, Ohev Sholom will join us for the Morning Minyan.



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Looking Ahead:

Scroll Deadline:

March 1 for April

Steppin¹ Out

April 3

Friday Night Lights

April 8

Warm Up America!

April 13

Passover, Offices Close at Noon

April 22, 28

First & Last Day of Passover

April 23, 30

Monday - Thursday 8:30 am-5 pm

Friday 8:30 am-3 pm Closed on Federal Holidays

Closed

Closed

Monday, Wednesday 8 am - 5 pm Tuesday, Thursday Saturday

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Steppin' Out Welcomes Ken Page



Steppin' Out will be held on Sunday, April 3 (Note: Date Change) Congregants, Sisterhood members, singles and couples and friends 60 and older are invited.

The evening begins at 6:00 pm with dinner in Goldsmith Hall followed by entertainment from Ken Page, singer and electronic keyboard musician.

Ken has performed with Jazz, Rock and Pop groups in numerous venues from Florida to Vegas and toured in Japan. Some of the popular big name acts he has performed with are Sly Stone, The Drifters, The Coasters, Bo Diddley and many more.

Your check made payable to Steppin' Out is your reservation. Please mail your check for \$15 per person, along with your contact information, to CBS, Attn.: Steppin' Out, 14200 Lamar, Overland Park, KS 66223. Deadline for reservations is March 21. For further information, contact Linda Lessner at llessner@ kc.rr.com or 913-897-0122.

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