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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 2022

Chol HaMoed (Intermediate Day)

#### FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 2022 **Erev Pesach**

7:00 AM Morning Minyan with Siyyum Bekhorim for Fast of the First Born and Breakfast	7:00 AM Hybrid Morning Minyan Goldsmith Hall/Zoom 6:00 PM Zoom Evening Minyan Zoom			
<ul> <li>11:05 AM Final time to eat Chametz</li> <li>12:00 PM Administrative Offices Close</li> <li>12:12 PM Final time to sell and burn Chametz</li> <li>6:00 PM Connect For Shabbat on Facebook Live</li> <li>7:38 PM Candle Lighting</li> </ul>	THURSDAY, APRIL 21 2022 Chol HaMoed (Intermediate Day)/Erev Yom Tov			
	7:00 AM Hybrid Morning Minyan			
SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 2022				
Pesach Day 1 Shabbat & Yom Tov           10:00 AM Morning Shabbat/Yom Tov Service				
No Library Minyan 8:38 PM Candle Lighting No Havdalah on Facebook Live	Administrative Offices Closed 10:00 AM Yom Tov Morning Service			
SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2022 Pesach Day 2 Yom Toy	No Connect For Shabbat on Facebook Live 7:44 PM Candle Lighting			
10:00 AM Morning Yom Tov Service	SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 2022 Shabbat & Yom Tov – Pesach Day 8 and Yizkor			
MONDAY, APRIL 18, 2022 Chol HaMoed (Intermediate Day)	<ul> <li>10:00 AM Yom Tov/Shabbat Morning Service</li></ul>			
7:00 AM Hybrid Morning Minyan Goldsmith Hall/Zoom 6:00 PM Zoom Evening Minyan				
TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 2022 Chol HaMoed (Intermediate Day)				
7:00 AM Hybrid Morning Minyan				

For the link to the Passover guide prepared by the Conservative Movement's Rabbinical Assembly: https://www.rabbinicalassembly.org/story/pesah-guide-5782

It is an ancient and widespread custom for the firstborn to fast on the day before Passover commemorating the miracle which spared them from the plague that struck down the Egyptian firstborn.

### This fast is treated leniently.

Thus, if there is a festive meal that relates to a mitzvah (for example the completion of a tractate of the Talmud), the firstborn participates in the meal rather than fasting.

With this in mind-all Beth Shalom firstborn are invited to join us for services and a siyyum (celebration) as we complete a tractate of Talmud.

> FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 2022, 7:00 AM **SERVICES & BREAKFAST**

For more information, visit our website at www.bethshalomkc.org.



# The Torah Begins and Ends with Lovingkindness A Reminder As We Move from Purim to Passover

Our Talmud (Sotah 14a) teaches that the Torah begins with lovingkindness ("Hesed" in Hebrew) and ends with lovingkindness. One of the first actions that God takes in Genesis is to clothe the naked Adam and Eve. One of God's final acts is to bury Moses. Hesed is more than just "being a good person." It is recognizing that there is a Divine trait of mercy that we, as humans made in God's image, can also emulate. We grow in this capacity through increased empathy toward the other. The more that we can truly understand the need and the pain of the other, the better equipped we can be to do acts of Hesed.

Unlike other mitzvot, acts of Hesed are more than only an obligation. The prophet Micah says that we are supposed to love doing Hesed. The Talmud says that, unlike other types of mitzvot, there is no limit to the amount of Hesed we can do.

Each holiday has its own unique acts of Hesed that are attached to it. On Purim we sent mishloach manot (gifts of food) to our neighbors and matanot l'evyonim (monetary gifts to the poor). On Pesach, we begin our Seder with the words "All who are hungry, come and eat," and we give maot hitin (money for wheat) as we sell our hametz (leavened food) before the holiday even begins. In the tenth chapter of the Mishnah that deals with the laws of Seder night, before the Mishnah even teaches us one rule about the Seder it says that we should take funds from communal charities to make sure that even the poorest Jew has four cups of wine.

As we think about our Passover celebrations ahead, which might include the first gathering in two years for the holiday, let us also think about organizations like JFS, Kosher Meals on Wheels, and others that help individuals get through the holidays. And, like the instruction from the Prophet Micah, let us try to bring out these acts of Hesed from the deepest places of love that we have within us.

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RABBI DAVID M. GLICKMAN dglickman@bethshalomkc.org

# PJ Library Junk Food Seder with Rabbi Glickman and Judy Jacks Berman

Your family is invited to join us to learn the story of Passover at this year's Junk Food Seder! This event is free and open to the community and is for children of all ages.

Rabbis David Glickman, Josh Leighton, Monica Kleinman, along with Judy Jacks Berman, Director of Early Childhood Education at Beth Shalom, Ruthy Glass from BIAV, and Adam Tilove, HBHA Head of School, will lead us through the Haggadah as we enjoy a Seder plate filled with yummy sweets.

The Seder will be held outdoors in the enclosed turf area outside of The J's Child Development Center. Please bring a blanket so that we can be socially distanced while celebrating. (This event is rain or shine - if it rains, we will go virtual.)

You have the option to purchase kosher, nut-free treat bags (for ages 3 and up) filled with everything you'll need for your Seder plates for \$3. If you are purchasing a treat bag, please register by Sunday, April 3, at this link - https://www.jewishkansascity.org/events/pjlibrary-junk-food-seder



# FROM THE Executive Director

# Purim

A few major themes have woven through the past two years. Building for Tomorrow, Today; Better Together; and Believe. Each was used for a particular event but, morphed into so much more. They have built upon each other and become a bit of our mantra.

Purim was about Believing. Wow. Every year, as we debrief what we accomplished, I ask the question, "But how are we going to top this next year". We always manage to pull it off! Purim celebrations at Congregation Beth Shalom have always been exciting, fun, crowd-producing events. Purim has become our benchmark. Whether the KCUSY Purim Carnival, the Marching Cobras' surprise drumline, live music and talent shows, or fireworks at our first back to in-person event at the Boulevard Drive-In, we know how to throw a party! And when you have a great party, you want to invite all your friends! Under Rabbi Glickman's vision, we created the framework, and invited everyone to join us in the fun! Congregation Beth Shalom, Jewish Federation of Greater Kansas City, the Temple, Congregation B'nai Jehudah, Congregation Beth Torah, the J, Jewish Experiences, Josef Loeffler, Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy, New Reform Temple, Ohev Sholom, and the Vaad HaKashruth all signed on to join in our celebration!

As a community, we all came to together to fulfill all four mitzvot of Purim. We had two megillah readings, the making of mishloach manot (gift baskets of food), matanot l'evyonim (gifts to needy people), and the Purim seudah (meal). We had over 700 people come out to our Believe in Purim event at Children's Mercy Park. It was multigenerational, pluralistic, and spectacular. I'm still in awe of this event. The imagination, the dreaming, the actualizing. Yet again, the Beth Shalom staff shown brightly as we had all our staff members



volunteering and making sure every detail was attended to. All the happy faces. All the people who got to see each other after 2 years of small gatherings.

I truly believe that together, we will continue to outdo ourselves and excel at building for tomorrow, today.



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# Sanctuary Update

#### by GINA KAISER, CHAIRPERSON, STEERING COMMITTEE

I am excited to update you on the progress of our new sanctuary. The architects are working on the final construction

drawings, and we plan to submit those drawings to the City of Overland Park in late Spring. The City will then issue a building permit. We hope to begin actual construction in late Summer or early Fall. We anticipate completion of the sanctuary in the Fall of 2023, depending on the availability of materials and labor, both of which fluctuate.

We have raised over \$13 million for this project thanks to the generosity of so many congregants. We are still fundraising, however, to ensure that our endowment has enough funds to

cover future maintenance expenses for the new building. If you have not made a pledge to the fundraising campaign, we welcome your participation. If you have given, we thank you and hope that you will consider an increase to your pledge. If you want to discuss a pledge or an increase, please contact Rabbi Glickman at dglickman@bethshalomkc.org, Stef Williams at swilliams@bethshalomkc.org, Ron Coppaken at roncoppaken@aol.com, or me at gkaiser447@gmail.com.

I wish all of you and your families a joyous Pesach and I thank you for your generous support of this project. I look forward to worshipping with you in our beautiful sanctuary in 2023.

# Rising Song Returns! by HAZZAN TAHL BEN-YEHUDA hazzantby@bethshalomkc.org

A story is told of the Baal Shem Tov, the 17th century Ukranian founder of Hassidic Judaism: The Baal Shem Tov was traveling from one small town in Ukraine to another with his students, and every evening they would hope to sleep the night in a small shul in whatever town they were in that night. One particularly cold late afternoon, they came upon a small village and found its simple synagogue. Standing in the snow outside the door of the shul, the Baal Shem Tov hesitated, focusing on the building as his students shivered. Finally, one of them approached him and asked, Master, can we enter? The Baal Shem Tov turned to his students and said to them, I am sorry, but we cannot enter here - this shul is full of prayers. His students looked at him puzzled - but if this place is full of prayers, is it not the perfect place for us to stay the night? No, their teacher replied - in this place, the prayers of the people do not ascend to God's throne. They are stuck here. This is not a place for us to stay.

We want to elevate our prayers so that our shul never resembles that sad shul in the story. There are so many wonderful melodies, from the Old Country as well as from Israel and from America, written in the last 100 years as well as written in the last 10 years. The Hadar Institute in New York created a program called Rising Song, led by Joey Weisenberg, that promotes and helps to teach new melodies so that congregations like ours can continue to enliven and deepen our prayers. Last year, I led a small group in learning a dozen or so new melodies that we now use in Friday night and Shabbat morning services. In the next few weeks, we will resume learning new melodies, as our Rising Song group resumes.

If you are a regular shul-goer and you'd like to learn some wonderful new melodies, or if you love to sing and to pray and you would consider coming to shul more often since you'll know some wonderful tunes to our prayers, I hope you will join us in Rising Song. Please see the Beth Shalom Connect for dates/times!

# Minyan

#### by NORM KAHN, JR. , PAST PRESIDENT

Daily minyan serves as bookends to the daily spiritual life of Jewish congregations. As a place for mourners to remember their loved ones by saying Kaddish in their memory, daily minyan serves as a vehicle to help mourners emerge from grief and re-engage with the world of our Jewish community. Minyan also serves to help all of us start and end the day with prayer, helping to "center" us as we face the challenges of daily life.

But only if we have ten Jewish adults participating... The number ten can be traced all the way back to the "Assembly" to which God refers in Numbers 14:27. Since then, a minyan has served to strengthen our sense of connection to the prayers, and thus to God, through communal cohesion.

During Covid, Zoom has made it easier to achieve a minyan each morning and evening, but ... recently, with the completion of the period of mourning of several mourners, we have struggled to achieve a daily minyan each morning, even on Zoom. Many people have stepped up, increasing the number of days they attend, but we are still short many days. An ad hoc planning group was empaneled consisting of two members each from the Board, Ritual Committee, Sisterhood, Men's Club, Ohev Sholom and morning minyan regulars. The group brainstormed ideas to help our congregation achieve a daily minyan each morning.

We will each receive a personal invitation – watch for it. There will be periodic announcements – watch for them. Someone may call you – respond to them. There will be congregational recognition events – participate in them. Choose one day to experience minyan and you will be helping mourners manage their grief that day. See for yourself the value of morning meditation through Hebrew prayer and how it can help center you by refocusing ... even one day a week.

There are some things that can only be done together. We need you right now. You can be a valued part of morning minyan. Once a year (on your birthday, and/or on the anniversary of the yahrtzeit of a family member?), once a month, once a week ... Together we can fulfill this mitzvah for our congregation, and specifically for others who depend on us so that they may say Kaddish.

# Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center

Petting Zoo

























# Berenice Haberman Receives Leadership Recognition Award



Congregation Beth Shalom Sisterhood is proud to honor Berenice Haberman for her many contributions to Congregation Beth Shalom and the greater Kansas City Jewish Community. She will be the honoree at our Torah Fund event, raising funds for

#### the Jewish Theological Seminary.

Berenice was born and raised in Oklahoma City, and graduated from the University of Oklahoma with a BS in Education. She grew up in a home that valued and celebrated Jewish life. Her parents instilled in Berenice and her brother, Howard Fagia, who lives in Atlanta, a deep love for Judaism, our people and our traditions. Both Berenice and her brother are very active in their Jewish communities.

At Beth Shalom, Berenice has served in multiple capacities. A Board member of the congregation, she has served the Sisterhood continuously since relocation and retirement to Kansas City. Among the many offices she has held are president, vice president of Membership, Calendar Chair, Torah Fund Chair and co-vice president of the Gift Shop. She has been honored for Sisterhood Leadership Development and Simchat Torah Kallat Beresihit.

Berenice is sought out for guidance and inspiration wherever she serves. Her quiet strength is a hallmark of the leadership she gives to all her endeavors.

Berenice has a deep passion for the National Council of Jewish Women (NCJW), where she has served as President,

co-President and Board member. She is a life member of NCJW.

Berenice is the wife of Roger, and mother of Marcy Simon, Milisa (Steve) Flekier, and Richard (Connie) Simon. She also has four stepchildren and she and Roger have 10 grandchildren.

The Torah Fund theme for 2021-2022 is B'Yachad, which means 'Together'. This theme signifies the joy of sisterhood members working together year round to make important contributions to the Jewish community through their volunteer efforts at synagogues across the United States and Canada.

This is Torah Fund's 80th year. Contributions of thousands of individuals to our grassroots fundraising effort have helped to educate and train generations of rabbis, cantors, scholars, educators, summer camp directors, campus Jewish life staff, and committed lay leaders.

These are the people who guide, teach, console and uplift our people whether in person or remotely, during these challenging times.

On Wednesday, April 27th, at 11:30 am there will be a festive luncheon in Berenice's honor in Goldsmith Hall.

The event will also feature Entertainment by Michelle Cox, music director at The Temple Congregation B'nai Jehudah

To make donations to Torah Fund go on the following link.

https://sisterhood.bethshalomkc.org/about/membership/ fundraisers/torah-fund/

We make this happen together. Join us!

#### SARAH PELTZMAN EDUCATIONAL SERIES

# by JILL GOLDSTEIN | EDUCATION VP, SISTERHOOD jgoldstein0127@gmail.com | 913-636-9725

The Sarah Peltzman Educational Series, Unit Three, begins Thursday, April 28, 2022. Classes will be held 10:00-11:30 a.m. in person and via Zoom. The cost is \$20.00 for new students who are not already participating in Peltzman classes. Registration is available online at bethshalomkc.org or checks are payable to Beth Shalom Sisterhood and may be sent to Congregation Beth Shalom

#### Unit Three Instructor: Rabbi David Glickman

Topic: "Great Arguments: How the Jewish Methods of Disagreement are What the World Needs Now."

Dates: April 28, May 5, 12 & 19, 2022.

Guest speaker: To be determined - May 26

To RSVP or for more information, contact Jill Goldstein, Sisterhood Education V.P. at 913–636– 9725 or jgoldstein0127@gmail.com



### **Baruch Dayan HaEmet**

UNVEILING ANNOUNCEMENT AT MT. CARMEL CEMETERY:

Marcia Adelman Cooper April 24, 2022 | 1: 00 PM

Praised is the True Judge

# Of Blessed Memory We express condolences to our Beth Shalom Members, their Families and Friends. Uriel Seiden, z"l FEB 22 - 21 ADAR 1 Rosalyn "Rosie" Pearl Lerner, z"

Rosalyn "Rosie" Pearl Lerner, z"l MARCH 5 - 2 ADAR 2

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#### PLAQUES HAVE BEEN DEDICATED In Memory Of ...

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

APRIL 1- 29 ADAR 2 Stephanie Bordy Lipman Helen Rudner Marie Traxler APRIL 2- 1 NISAN Morris Brooks Louis Cohen Maier Eisemann Pamela Gale Lawrence Haskell Pelofsky Abraham Peltzman Harry Tabolsky APRIL 3- 2 NISAN Isidore H. Cohen Fannie Glass Harry Harding Vera Levy Hershman Louis Levy Jeanette Wishna APRIL 4- 3 NISAN Arthur Chapman Sam Fried Anna Lee Grossman Marjorie Jacobs Sarah Kahn Shirley B Polterock Wolf Leib Schlozman Anna Shaoul	APRIL 5- 4 NISAN Sophie Levine Carl Nusbaum Thomas Parness Alvin J Pelofsky Mirah Rostov Morris Webber APRIL 6- 5 NISAN Ben Bloom Sadie Goodrich Abraham Lerner Etta Price Charles Solsky Gabriel Spector Jerome Novorr Stolzoff Ruth Blonsky Zimmerman APRIL 7- 6 NISAN Ruth Baker Walter I March Louis Rabicoff APRIL 8- 7 NISAN Judy Chaikin Ruben Kern Ednah Sheskin Ike Steinzeig APRIL 9- 8 NISAN Ernestine Benjamin Paul E. Berman Pat (A.H.) Novorr Ruth Rosenberg Carl Schwartz APRIL 10- 9 NISAN Cecil Levin Minnie Novorr	APRIL 11- 10 NISAN Minnie Achtenberg Irvin Lee Gasser Elizabeth Goodman Arthur William Hoffman Leslie Jacobson Caroline Lore Rosenthal Simon Tonopolsky APRIL 12- 11 NISAN Hannah Steinzeig APRIL 13- 12 NISAN Gerta Baruch Anna Baum Hanna Bernstein Rose Mallin Bortnick Morris J Ellis Fannie Karbank Harry Lipsky Helen Parness Bessie Rosengarten Arnold Schoolman David Singer Minnie Solomon Phyllis Wainstock Morris J Weinberg	APRIL 14- 13 NISAN Ann Brotsky Louis Chaiken R. Robert Cohn Alan Gould Kenneth Simon Helen Faye Winer APRIL 15- 14 NISAN Mindel Burstein Phillip Magazine Sylvia Shopmaker APRIL 16- 15 NISAN Dora Gaba Jack Geller Ben Gibian Bela Kent William Meyer Nowick Jennie Siegelbaum APRIL 17- 16 NISAN Sandra Bock Arthur Braverman Sam Dubinsky Doris Flam Kurt Gerson Leah Ray Grollman Frances R Gross Stanley Katz Roberta Schlozman Ferne Searles Toby Waldner	APRIL18- 17 NISAN Sam A Cohn Eric Dollman Rebecca Kleiman Richard Earl Krigel Madeleine Markowitz Ida Miller Ann Phillips Nathan Price Shirley Seiden Herbert Swartz Rosie Tabolsky Sheldon Wishna APRIL 19- 18 NISAN Phillip Bretton Sydney Ginsberg Lawrence Kalender Edith Schwartz APRIL 20- 19 NISAN Joseph Adelman Shirley Epsten Eve Fichman Samuel Ginden Rose Katz Elias Koralchik Joseph William Pucker APRIL 21- 20 NISAN Annie Glaser Esther Himmelstein Ben Kaufman Theodore Silverman Morton Sosland	APRIL 22- 21 NISAN Marian Durbin Hannah Freed Isadore Gale Samuel I. Goldstein APRIL 23- 22 NISAN Ethel Cohn Sarah Forman Harry Kaplan Rose Karbank Charles Schere APRIL 24- 23 NISAN Florence Friedson David Goodrich Sol Koralchik Shirley Leibson APRIL 25- 24 NISAN David Burnstein Zachary Glass Gertrude Greenberg William A Kaiser Max Loeb APRIL 26- 25 NISAN Shirley Goller Slava Baraban Hershman APRIL 27- 26 NISAN Shirley Goller Slava Baraban Hershman APRIL 27- 26 NISAN	Anna Mann APRIL 28- 27 NISAN Judith Rae Bell Harold S Gordon Lawrence Jaben Audree Lynn Penner-Bell Joseph Polsky Morris Schlozman Rosalie Siegel Evelyn Epstein Simons Samuel Weneck APRIL 29- 28 NISAN Meyer Fish Sam A. House Mr Harold Katz Abraham (Abe) Shapiro Hyman Widlansky APRIL 30- 29 NISAN Harry Aronson Sophie Chaitman Shirley Gish Jacob Hyman Joseph Landman Rose M. Laner
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# Todah Rabbah!

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Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center Passover with your child or grandchild

#### by JUDY JACKS BERMAN | DIRECTOR jjb@bethshalomkc.org | 913-647-7287

Think back to your favorite childhood memories.

Do they include holiday celebrations?

Mine do!

I loved having all the extended family and friends for Pesach.

Our house was filled with great smells, lots of preparation of favorite foods, laughter, singing and the adults talking in Yiddish!

I am smiling and tears are streaming down my cheeks as I write this article! Such happy memories!

Now that we are the adults, it is our responsibility as well as a gift to create these memories with our children and grandchildren.

I don't think my mother thought about this when she was preparing, but I did think about this as I prepared my seders with my children.

Think about ways to have your kids help in the preparations leading up to the seder.

Even 2 year olds can help color name place cards, wash and tear apart parsley.

Most preschoolers can help break off the bottom of the asparagus and help make salt water.

Finally, they can help set the tables.

At the seder sing songs your kids and grandkids know. There are cute Passover kids cds available to help!

The more your children/grandchildren are involved, the more they will get out of this experience.

Wishing you a Chag Pesach Sameach, a Happy, Joyful Pesach filled with wonderful experiences and great people around you!

# **April Anniversaries**

To sponsor a Kiddush visit - <u>https://bethshalomkc.org/donate/sponsor-a-kiddush/</u>

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3	Steven & Elizabeth Levy	11	22	Sic
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5	Robert & Bette Grossman	41		

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6	Joshua & Allison Glickman
7	Harold & Natalie Klopper
7	Joe & Fran Wolf
8	David & Anya Kricsfeld
8	David & Carol Porter
8	Steven & Marcia Schorr
21	David & Kathryn Flanders
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# Mt. Carmel Volunteer Day, Sunday, May 1, 12-2 PM

Paint, clean, weed, rake and more at Mt. Carmel Cemetery, 5529 Ditzler Road. We will spend the day beautifying the cemetery. This would be a good opportunity for groups or individuals to earn community service credits. Will be announced if masks will be required at site during the pandemic. For more information or to sign up, contact Bruce Luchen at 913-220-7518 or bluchen0731@gmail.com.

# Sisterhood Gift Shop

Pesach: the Festival of Freedom! One of the hallmarks of Jewish life for millennia can be enriched with some of our wonderful items! Lead the Seder with wisdom, confidence, and fun that guests will remember. We carry Haggadot that burst alive with insight and opportunities for questions and challenges. Dress up your Seder table with a new Seder plate, Elijah's cup, matzah plate, matzah cover, serving pieces, or hand towels. Keep the kids happy by adding playfulness to your traditional Passover table with our creative Make Your Own 10 Plague Puppet Kit, Passover Guessing Game, "Who Stole My Matzah" bib, Passover dominoes, squishy frogs, and so much more. We have most of our Passover items on our website for your convenience.

Take a look and then email Connie Simon at stltokc@gmail.com to make arrangements. Website: sisterhood. bethshalomkc.org then click on Gift Shop



Morning Minyan.....7:00 AM

FRIDAY

April 1

#### Congregation Events - See each department for its activities.

RFECEC = Rose Family Early Childhood Education Center PRS = Polsky Religious School

Pesach Day 7 Yom Tov

FRIDAY

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29 Adar 2	Connect for Shabbat6:00 PM	April 13 12 Nisan	Polsky Religious School 4:15 PM	April 22	Admin Offices closed
April 2	SATURDAY Library Minyan9:15 AM		Evening Minyan6:00 PM	21 Nisan	Yom Tov Service10:00 AM No Connect for Shabbat on Facebook Live Candle Lighting
1 Nisan	Shabbat Morning Service10:00 AM 8:23 PM Havdalah on FB Live	April14 13 Nisan			SATURDAY Pesach Day 8 Yom Tov
April 3 2 Nisan April 4	SUNDAY Morning Minyan8:00 AM Polsky Religious School9:30 AM Evening Minyan6:00 PM MONDAY	 April 15	FRIDAY Erev Pesach Morning Minyan with Siyyum Bechorim for Fast of the First Born7:00 AM Final time to eat Chametz10:00 AM	April 23 22 Nisan	No Library Minyan Morning Shabbat & Yom Tov Service10:00 AM Havdalah8:46 AM Eat Chametz sold through the synagogue9:00 PM
3 Nisan April 5 4 Nisan	Morning Minyan7:00 AM Evening Minyan6:00 PM TUESDAY Morning Minyan7:00 AM Evening Minyan6:00 PM	14 Nisan	Admin Offices close at Noon Final time to sell & burn Chametz12:12 PM Connect for Shabbat6:00 PM Candle Lighting7:38 PM	April 24 23 Nisan	SUNDAY Morning Minyan8:00 AM Polsky Religious School9:30 AM Marcia Adelman Unveiling1:00 PM Evening Minyan6:00 PM
April 6 5 Nisan	WEDNESDAY Morning Minyan	April 16	SATURDAY Pesach Day 1 Yom Tov & Shabbat No Library Minyan Morning Shabbat &	April 25 24 Nisan	MONDAY Morning Minyan7:00 AM Evening Minyan6:00 PM
April 7 6 Nisan	THURSDAY Morning Minyan7:00 AM Connect for Shabbat4:00 PM	15 Nisan	Yom Tov Service10:00 AM Candle Lighting	April 26 25 Nisan	TUESDAY Morning Minyan7:00 AM Evening Minyan6:00 PM
April 8 7 Nisan	FRIDAY Morning Minyan7:00 AM Connect for Shabbat6:00 PM	April 17 16 Nisan	SUNDAY Pesach Day 2 Yom Tov Yom Tov Service10:00 AM MONDAY	April 27 26 Nisan	WEDNESDAY Morning Minyan7:00 AM Torah Fun Luncheon11:00 AM Evening Minyan6:00 PM
April 9 8 Nisan	SATURDAY Library Minyan9:15 AM Shabbat Morning Service10:00 AM 8:40 PM Havdalah on FB Live	April 18 17 Nisan April 19 18 Nisan	Hybrid Morning Minyan7:00 AM Zoom Evening Minyan6:00 PM TUESDAY Hybrid Morning Minyan7:00 AM	April 28 27 Nisan	THURSDAY Morning Minyan7:00 AM Peltzman Unit 3 with Rabbi Glickman10:00 AM
April 10 9 Nisan	SUNDAY Morning Minyan8:00 AM Evening Minyan6:00 PM	April 20	Zoom Evening Minyan 6:00 PM WEDNESDAY Hybrid Morning Minyan7:00 AM	April 29 28 Nisan	Evening Minyan6:00 PM FRIDAY Morning Minyan7:00 AM Connect for Shabbat6:00 PM
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April 12 11 Nisan	TUESDAY Morning Minyan	April 21 20 Nisan	Hybrid Morning Minyan7:00 AM Admin Offices close at Noon		8:46 PM Havdalah

WEDNESDAY

Morning Minyan.....7:00 AM

# Candle Lighting Blessing

Evening Minyan.....6:00 PM

בּרוּך אַתָּה ה׳ אֶלֹקֵינוּ מֶלֶך הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר קִדְּשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצוּנוּ לְהַרְלִיק וֵר שֶׁל שֵׁבָּת.

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

Shabbat Services will be held at CBS, 14200 Lamar and virtually

Weekday Minyan will be held virtually via Zoom

To request a Zoom link:

https://www.bethshalomkc.org/request-a-zoom-link/

Zoom Evening Minyan.....6:00 PM Candle Lighting.....7:43 PM בית שלום



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# April Highlights

Scroll Deadline Submit articles to the Administrative office. April 7 for May

Schorr Celebration at Shabbat - April 9

Erev Pesach/Fast of the First Born - April 15 Admin Offices close at Noon/Final Day to sell Chametz

Pesach Day 1 Yom Tov - April 16

Chol HaMoed - April 18-21

Erev Yom Tov - April 21 Admin Offices Close at Noon

Pesach Day 7 Yom Tov - April 22

Pesach Day 8 Yom Tov /Yizkor- April 23

Torah Fund Luncheon: April 27

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MONDAY-THURSDAY 8:30 AM - 5 PM FRIDAY 8:30 AM - 3 PM Closed on Federal Holidays

Mt. Carmel Cemetery Hours 913-647-7279

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM - 4:30 PM
TUESDAY & THURSDAY	CLOSED
FRIDAY & SUNDAY	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
SATURDAY	CLOSED
NATIONAL HOLIDAYS	9:00 am - 4:00 pm
JEWISH HOLIDAYS	CLOSED
Exceptions: Thanksgiving, Christmas D	ay, New Year's Day & Easter

Sisterhood Gift Shop Hours

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MONDAY & FRIDAY	BY APPOINTMENT			
	ONLY			
TUESDAY	12:30 PM - 2:30 PM			
WEDNESDAY	11:30 AM - 2:30 PM			
THURSDAY	12:30 PM - 2:30 PM			
Other Hours				
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