

Shabbat Shalom

WELCOME TO CONGREGATION BETH YESHURUN

Rhona and Bruce Caress Family Campus

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May 21 - 22, 2021 11 Sivan 5781

Parshat Naso

Torah Reading: Numbers 5:11 - 6:27, EH p. 796

Haftarah: Judges 13:2 - 25, EH p. 813

Brian Strauss, *Senior Rabbi*
Meir Finkelstein, *Cantor*
Steven Morgen, *Associate Rabbi*
Sarah Fort, *Associate Rabbi*
David Rosen, *Rabbi Emeritus*
Jack Segal, *Rabbi Emeritus*
David Stein, *President*
Andy Burger, *Executive Director*



We're delighted to have you with us!

THIS WEEK

FRIDAY, MAY 21

5:00p Family Friday

6:00p Shabbat Renewal with the
Adult B'nai Mitzvah Class

CanCare Shabbat

6:30p J.B. Greenfield Chapel

SATURDAY, MAY 22

8:30a J.B. Greenfield Chapel

9:15a Museum Minyan

9:30a Main Sanctuary Service
Adult B'nai Mitzvah

7:45p Chapel Mincha/Ma'ariv

8:00p Havdalah Museum Minyan

NEXT WEEK

FRIDAY, MAY 28

6:00p Shabbat Renewal

6:30p J.B. Greenfield Chapel

SATURDAY, MAY 29

8:30a J.B. Greenfield Chapel

9:15a Museum Minyan

9:30a Main Sanctuary Service

6:00p Mincha/Ma'ariv
B'not Mitzvah: Abigail & Emily Brams

7:45p Chapel Mincha/Ma'ariv

8:00p Havdalah Museum Minyan

Daily Chapel Services for the Week of May 23rd

Mornings: Sun 8:00AM, Mon-Fri 7:00AM;

Afternoon/Evenings: Sun-Thu 6:30PM

All services are streamed via our website, social media and/or zoom

Shabbat Shalom from Beth Yeshurun!

Beth Yeshurun is a community institution with a vital mission: to educate children and adults, to offer spiritual experiences that inspire and uplift all ages, and to provide a setting in which Judaism can be joyously lived and experienced.

Mazel Tov to our Adult B'nai Mitzvah!

Aiden Bloomus, Lori Bloomus, Sandra Angeléca Ortiz Macias,
Ann Vise Nunes, Emilio Fernando Vallarta Ortiz,
Héctor Santiago Vallarta Ortiz, Hugo Mauricio Vallarta Ortiz,
Summer Rebienot, Rodolfo Vallarta Rendon,
Suzanne Rickles, Leah Schultz, and Lisa Trimarchi.

COVID UPDATE In light of the news from the CDC, our local officials, and our medical advisors, we are adjusting our COVID protocols in the synagogue and anticipate that these will be our synagogue protocols through the summer months:

- If you have been fully vaccinated, you now have the option to remove your mask in the synagogue building. If you have not been fully vaccinated and are in the synagogue building, we ask that you continue wearing a mask and encourage you to get vaccinated if eligible. We will continue to offer virtual programs and services.
- In our sanctuaries we will adjust our social distancing, sitting every other row and suggesting a distance of 3-feet between congregants that are not in the same pod.
- Registration for Chapel and Main Sanctuary services are no longer required.
- Any individual experiencing symptoms of illness, we ask you to stay home and return to the synagogue when you are free of symptoms.

Please note that these protocols apply only to the synagogue and not the Religious School or Day School, which will continue with their existing protocols. As guidelines from the CDC, local officials, and our medical advisors change we will continue updating our protocols. For latest information visit our website and subscribe to our weekly email.

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To make an appointment call them at 713.666.1881 and leave a message or email them directly GIFTSHOP@BETHYESHURUN.ORG



Tuesday, May 25: Chicken and Sausage Gumbo, Jasmine Rice, Cajun Slaw, and Bread Pudding

Friday, May 28: Sweet and Spicy Chipotle Chicken, Cilantro Rice, Black Bean and Corn Relish, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, and Mocha Chocolate Cake

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Donations

To make a donation please visit our website at www.bethyeshurun.org/donations. You may also mail your donation to the synagogue office. **A minimum donation of \$18 per listing is required to have your donation published in the weekly bulletin and a notification letter sent to the honoree or a deceased person's Family member. One such notification letter will be sent per donation. The deadline for donations to be published in the weekly bulletin is the previous Friday at noon. Donations are published upon submission and will not be "held" for future publication. Please be sure to provide all of the necessary information, if it's incomplete, we are unable to process your donation efficiently. Donations with no specific fund indicated will be credited to the Synagogue General Fund. Thank you for your continued generous support of the synagogue.**

IN HONOR OF

■ Second Bar Mitzvah of

Bruce Stein by Sheri and Robert Fleishman; Mr. & Mrs. Michael Klaiman; Arnold and Candy Lipp

■ Wedding Anniversary of

Dr. & Mrs. Jonathan Hyman (50) by Dr. & Dr. David Bell

Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Sherzer (50) by Dr. & Dr. David Bell

David and Andrea Stein by Mark and Shirlee Rosenthal

■ Birthday of

Rabbi Jack Segal by Mr. & Mrs. Sol Sachs

Bruce Stein by Ann Plantowsky

Gary Stein by Mr. & Mrs. Eric Mayer

Rabbi Strauss by Bagel Shop Bakery

■ In Honor of

Bruce Stein by Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Kalmans; Mr. & Mrs. Barry Lewis

Cantor Diane Dorf by the Adult B'nai Mitzvah Class

Dora Lee Grinberg by Levi, Ethan, Katie and Ilan Grinberg

Rabbi Jack Segal by Dr. & Mrs. Samuel Gold

David Stein by Mrs. Ann Plantowsky

the Return of the Pushke by Mr. & Mrs. Dell Coleman

■ IN MEMORY OF

D'vorah Binstok Arbisser by Anonymous; Sharon and Dan Brener; Erica and Daniel Buchalter; Ellen and Jeffrey Gluskin; Dr. W. Kenneth Horwitz; Cantor Gail & Rabbi Henry Karp; Louise Kershman; Carla I. Klausner; Barbara and Geoffrey Koslov; Anita D. Leopold; Jay Lerner; Adam & Emily Levin; Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Levit; Paula and Irving Pozmantier; Sam and Judy Shapanka
Hyman Berg by Howard Berg

Jodi Braham by Mr. & Mrs. Denis Braham; Rhoda and Steven Saka

Dorothy Cheskes by Mr. & Mrs. Hertzal Aron

Pearl Z. Cohen by Gilbert Cohen

Cheryl Lynn Cotlar by Terry Gorosh
Ida Eisenbaum by Celine & Richard Stetzer
Jacob Eisenbaum by Celine & Richard Stetzer
Sam M. Field by Linda, Daniel, & Jeremy Rabinowitz
Abraham Frankfort by Ricki and Milton Frankfort
Tillie Winograd Frankfort by Ricki and Milton Frankfort
Max Frenkil by Helena Frenkil Schlam
Harry Galperin by Mr. & Mrs. Max Uzick
Jack Graber by Mr. & Mrs. Robert Altshuler
Winnie Isaacs by Rhonda & Ariel Bass; Susan and Steve Berdinis; The Breslauer Family Fund; Dr. & Mrs. Jordan Loftus; Rhoda and Steven Saka; Paula and Rick Stein; Jean Victor
Rochelle Liebling Kahan by Brenda Liebling-Goldberg
Marian Kaplan by Susan and Kenny Fenson, Denise and Steve Moore, Lisa Thurman and Families
Marlene Kaplan by Mr. & Mrs. Reid Friedman
Joseph Jesse Lewis by Herbert J. Lewis
Risa Gail Litt by Marilyn & Herman Litt
Melvin Palla by Randy and Susan Farber; Cliff Rudolph; Arlene and Joe Staller
Morton Rachofsky by Evelyn Wisenberg
Anne Abovitz Rattner by Sharon Levit Family, Stephen Rattner Family, and Nathan Rattner
Lorry Ray by Mr. & Mrs. Edward Bernstein
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Billy Schultz by Sandy Lusky; Ann Plantowsky
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Ann Gelman Shoss by Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Dotan
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Marvin Speer by Ann Plantowsky; Leah Schultz
Jennifer Sutton by Jeffrey, Jeremy, and Greg Sutton
Isaac Trakhtman by Shaya Trakhtman
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Merilee Weiner by Mr. & Mrs. Hertzel Aron
Ida White by Bayla White
Darryl Wiesenthal by Michael Wiesenthal
Jennifer Lee Zuber by Bobbie and Stanley Weinstein

A Notice About Bereavement Communications Bereavement notices for our synagogue Family are distributed with the permission of the deceased's Family, and the timing of these notices is dictated by the Family's request. Of course, each Family grieves in its own way, and we are grateful for our congregation's patience and understanding with different families' preferences about how their loss is publicized.

BRIAN A. STRAUSS
SENIOR RABBI
MEIR FINKELSTEIN
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May 9, 2021

Dear Congregant,

I am very pleased to inform you that the Board of Trustees reviewed and approved a tentative budget for the next fiscal year (2021-2022). Discussion and final vote on the budget will take place at the Board meeting on Tuesday, May 25, 2021 at 7:30 pm via Zoom.

As specified in our Constitution, the portion of this Board meeting relating to the budget is open to all members in good standing of the Congregation. You are welcome and encouraged to join us at the beginning of the Board meeting which will be dedicated to the budget discussion. This portion of the meeting usually lasts 15 to 20 minutes. After the Board considers the budget, the meeting will continue for Board members only.

A summary of the proposed budget is presented on the reverse side of this letter. I am pleased to report that we have been able to balance the budget with only a 3% global dues increase for the 2021-2022 fiscal year. Every expense line and every opportunity for revenues has been thoroughly reviewed.

I want to express our gratitude to the hard-working members of the Budget Committee, especially committee chair Jon Feiwel, each of whom worked many, many hours to achieve this balanced budget. I would also like to thank all the members of our Board of Trustees, Controller Neil DeLoach, and Executive Director Andy Burger.

If you have any questions or comments about the proposed budget, please feel free to contact me at president@bethyeshurun.org or Jon Feiwel, Budget Chair, at budgetchair@bethyeshurun.org.

Most sincerely,

David Stein



The meeting is open to all members in good standing.
Please register to receive the Zoom link to participate in the meeting.

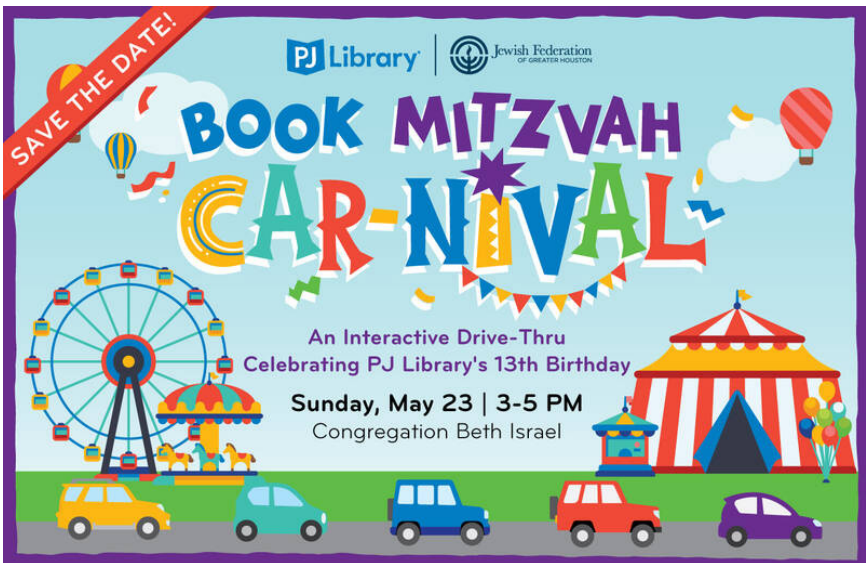
A copy of the proposed budget and registration can be found:

[BETHYESHURUN.ORG/EVENT/OPENBOARDMEETING2021](https://bethyeshurun.org/event/openboardmeeting2021)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jewish Learning Project SUN, MAY 23RD 9:00A
Book Mitzvah Car-nival for PJ Library SUN, MAY 23RD 11A
Open Board Meeting for Budget Review TUE, MAY 25TH 7:30P
Jewish Meditation Group WED, MAY 26TH 7:00P
Parsha Study with Rabbi Horwitz THU, MAY 27TH 8:00P
Jewish Learning Project SUN, MAY 30TH 9:00A
Memorial Day - Admin Offices Closed MON, MAY 31ST 9:00A

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FOR THE FULL LISTINGS OF TIMES AND EVENTS AND TO REGISTER



SAVE THE DATE!

PJ Library | Jewish Federation OF GREATER HOUSTON

BOOK MITZVAH CAR-NIVAL

An Interactive Drive-Thru
Celebrating PJ Library's 13th Birthday

Sunday, May 23 | 3-5 PM
Congregation Beth Israel

The poster features a vibrant, colorful illustration of a carnival scene. In the foreground, five cars (yellow, teal, blue, red, and purple) are driving on a road. Behind them, there's a Ferris wheel, a carousel, a hot air balloon, and a large red and white striped tent. The background is a light blue sky with clouds and a hot air balloon. The text is in various colors and fonts, with 'BOOK MITZVAH' in blue and purple, and 'CAR-NIVAL' in large, colorful letters. A red banner in the top left corner says 'SAVE THE DATE!'. Logos for PJ Library and Jewish Federation of Greater Houston are in the top right.

Family member or friend in the hospital or nursing care?

The CBY Clergy and/or Hospital Visiting Group members are happy to reach out to them with spiritual comfort.

Please contact Lisa Unsell at LUNSELL@BETHYESHURUN.ORG
or 713.255.8017 to request a phone call
(or visit in person, if possible) for your loved one.

SUMMER KICKOFF DRIVE THROUGH

SUNDAY, JUNE 6TH 11:00AM - 1:00PM
CBY CIRCLE DRIVE

From your car:

Pick up goodies and swag to kick off your summer fun!

Enjoy some tasty frozen treats!

Say hi to your Beth Yeshurun clergy and staff!

Drop off donations of 100% Juice Boxes for Kids' Meals!

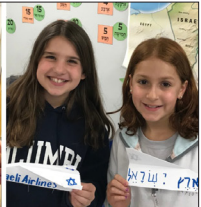
Open to all Beth Yeshurun Members and BYDS Families

Please register at

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"It has been important for our boys to have something "normal" to look forward to during this unique time in our lives. They enjoy both the individualized attention provided by small classes as well as the opportunity to see their friends at Religious School every week."

-Melanie and Dan Spelkin

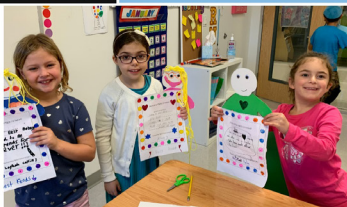


Registration for the
2021 - 2022
school year has begun!

Early Registration: Register for Religious School and Sulam by JUNE 1 to receive a discount.
Register for Kehillah High (8th - 12th grades) by JULY 1 to receive a discount.



KEHILLAH
High



This Week's Yahrzeits

11 Sivan, Sat.

I. S. Deutser
W. Kyle Drennan
Abraham Frankfort
Marlene Friedman
Irving Horvitz
Manuel Kaplan
Aaron Karolinski
Norma Kessler
Gale Haas La Fleur
Jean Leibman
Elizabeth Michel Meister
William Rosenberg
Rae Schoendorf
Jacob Shlyapobersky
Louis J. Stein
Ida J. White
Theodore Tom Wolf
Jewell Zimmerman

12 Sivan, Sun.

Herman Adler
Paul Belkin
Joe Berzak
Brandon Maxwell
Edelstein
Harry Goldberg
Louis Greenfield
Becky W. Meyer
Lillian Lilling Neuman
Gilbert Peck
Louis Schnider
Alton Henry Tew
Isaac Traiber
Isaac Trakhtman
Emanuel B. Zarin

13 Sivan, Mon.

Ann Taibel Borochowitz
Yisrael "Igo" Enav
Ilya Gandler
William Moldovan
Benjamin Joseph Peters
Sylvia Provada

13 Sivan, Mon., cont.

Sol Reichstein
Norma Rosenstein
Rebecca Roth
Phillip Mendel Shafer
Ann Gelman Shoss
Samuel Siegel
Ira Van Vollenhoven
Max Zelen

14 Sivan, Tues.

Harold Israel Bergman
Fayga Bixorn
Moses Ditch
Manya Efros
Louis Fallas
Sam M. Field
Elizabeth Goldberg
Jack Goldsobel
Robert L. Hersh
Albert Kalmin
Miriam Kaplan
Harry Kutchinsky
Diane Lamm
Benjamin Edward Lazar
Risa Gail Litt
Benny Nalick
Udis Shapiro
Abraham Sussman
Sarah Oshman Werner

15 Sivan, Wed.

Morris David Finkel
Ted Fischer
Debra Kay Stein Goldberg
Chaim Grossman
Eti Holtman
Joseph Arthur Lavetter
Sadie Trifon Leder
Nechama Michoel
Nudelman
Celia Tobin
Moisey Tonkonogy
Louis Weingart

16 Sivan, Thu.

George David Abrahams
Jack Avery
Rae Cohen
Cilia Molly Landsberg
Fannie Levine
Gary Luskey
Isabel Maislos
Sam Plantowsky
Ray Platt
Lorraine Ray
Abe Reichstein
Joe Sachs
Agnes Schonbrunn
Ben Silverstein
Bertha Balk Skibell
Seymour Tolman
Gertrude Wachsberg
Herbert Zieben

17 Sivan, Fri.

Max Aboulafia
Sarah Abramson
Morris Batagower
Ester Lea Frenkel
Rose Ginsberg
Leanore Goldberg
Sarah Lee Greenberg
Bertha Vise Kaufman
Dr. Leo Landau
Ralph P. Levey
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Herman Nathan
Louis Pulaski
Ernest A. Rudder
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Isadore Smith
Anne Glass Smoller
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