



Friday, March 8 - Saturday, March 9, 2019
Shabbat Pekudei 2 Adar II, 5779

Book of Exodus: Donated by Jerome and Jacqueline Bodin*

Friday - March Birthday and Anniversary Shabbat

Saturday - HaZaK Shabbat
Shabbat B'Yachad - 10:30 a.m.

REGULAR SERVICES

Friday: 6 p.m. **Saturday:** 9 a.m. **Sunday Minyan:** 8:45 a.m.
Mincha: Ninety minutes after the conclusion of the Saturday morning service.
¹**Monday and Wednesday Minyanim:** 8 p.m.

Names of those who are asked to help make the Minyan are listed in the Shalom.

Junior Congregation: Saturday mornings, 10:30 a.m. **Junior Congregation** will not meet this Saturday, **March 9**.

Beginners Jr. Congregation, Saturday, **March 16**, 10:30 a.m.

Gan Yeladim, The Children's Garden (Babysitting), for toddlers through preschool age children, Saturdays, **March 16 and 23**, 10:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

Tot Shabbat, for young children through kindergarten and their parents, Saturdays, **March 16 and 30**, 10:30 a.m.

Shabbat Study Group, following Kiddush. We are studying Tractate Avodah Zarah using both traditional and newer texts as we learn how to live Jewishly in a non-Jewish environment. Join us; texts provided, no previous attendance required. All are welcome to come and learn.

March Birthday and Anniversary Shabbat, Saturday, **March 23**.

THANK YOU

Seniors Group for sponsoring the **Kiddush** on **Saturday**.

MAZEL TOV

Martin and Harriet Lazarus on the **marriage** of their daughter, **Rachel**, to **Stephen Solomon**, on Saturday evening, **February 23**.

CONDOLENCES

The Steckman Family on the **death** of our member, **Evelyn Steckman**, on Friday, **March 8**. **Funeral** will be held this Sunday, **March 10**, 12 p.m., at Perrineville Memorial Chapel, 755 Perrineville Rd, Perrineville. **Interment** to follow at Beth El-Perrineville Cemetery. **Shiva** begins following the interment and continues through Tuesday, **March 12**. **Minyanim:** Sunday, **March 10**, 8 p.m.; ¹Monday, **March 11**, 8 p.m. (*moved from the Synagogue*); Tuesday, **March 12**, 8 p.m., at the home of Cary and Susan Berman, 15 Kerwin Court, Manalapan.

BETH EL BOUTIQUE

Please contact Rebecca Harris for your Boutique needs at 223-0593 or rebjharris@optonline.net.



This week we observe the Yahrzeits of:

Edith Eisner	Eva Pepper	Charles Rosenberg
Harriet Kamen	Motta Barkan	Ruth Appel
Elaine Siskin	Francine Gang	Abraham Baranowitz
Jack Stern	Gertrude Resnick	

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

Please set your clocks ahead one hour this Saturday evening, March 9, for Daylight Saving Time.

Freedom Riders to Freedom Summer, this Saturday, **March 9**, 8 p.m., Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, Hightstown. Please join us for this panel discussion. Please see flyer on Literature Table for more information. Sponsored by the Faith Community Partnership of Beth El and Mt. Olivet Baptist Church.

Beth El Book Club, this Sunday, **March 10**, 9:45 a.m. Any questions, please contact Roberta Chopp at (609) 750-0571.

Purim Spiel, this Sunday, **March 10**, 10 a.m. Join us for a fun-filled morning as our students present the story of Purim in a unique and exciting way.

Pre-Kadima "Pre-Purim Prep", this Sunday, **March 10**, 12 p.m. - 2 p.m. Have lunch, then help assemble Mishloach Manot Bags, Yellow Candle Packages and make posters for the Purim Palooza.

Freedom Riders to Freedom Summer, this Sunday, **March 10**, 2 p.m. Please join us for this movie and discussion. Movie: *Freedom Riders*. Sponsored by the Faith Community Partnership of Beth El and Mt. Olivet Baptist Church.

Beth El Genealogy Club, this Sunday, **March 10**, 7:30 p.m. Topic: "What's New and Exciting at the LDS Site Familysearch.org, MyHeritage.com and Some Other Great Genealogy Sites". Speaker: Lew Meixler. For additional information, please contact Lew Meixler at lmeixler@verizon.net.

Purim Storytime, this Tuesday, **March 12**, 4:45 p.m., Robbinsville Branch Mercer County Library System. Celebrate Purim with a craft, a story and a snack. Open to all ages, with an adult. Register at mcl.org or call (609) 259-2150.

Beth El Seniors and JFCS, this Thursday, **March 14**, 1 p.m. Topic: "When to Call 911". Speaker: Barbara Vaning, MHA, EMT Instructor, Penn Medicine.

Purim Palooza Volunteers Needed, Sunday, **March 17**, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. We need volunteers to help with set up, clean up, sell food, etc. If you can spare some time, it would be appreciated. Please contact Helaine Chairnoff at hkchairnoff@comcast.net or (609) 936-1096.

Mitzvah Mall, Sunday, **March 17**, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Purim Palooza, Sunday, **March 17**, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Fun, games, great prizes and food for everyone! Pre-purchase admission by sending in a check to the Synagogue Office by this Wednesday, **March 13**. See Literature Table for pricing.

Purim Pajama Party / Tzedakah Sundae, Sunday, **March 17**, 6:30 p.m. Please join us for a fun activity and ice cream in your pajamas. Sponsored by the Greater Princeton Tikvat Ha'atid Hadassah. Please RSVP to Andrea Genek at (609) 902-3446 or genekfamily@verizon.net by this Monday, **March 11**.

SCHEDULED MEETING - MARCH 13 - MARCH 14

Synagogue Board - Wednesday, **March 13**, 8:30 p.m.
Education Committee - Thursday, **March 14**, 7:30 p.m.

**Honor a loved one by donating a book or portion of the Torah.
Please call the Synagogue Office for more information.*

Religious School on Wednesday, **March 20**, will begin at 5:30 p.m. not at the regularly scheduled time of 4:30 p.m.

Purim Pizza Picnic Party with Torah and Friends, Wednesday, **March 20**, 5:30 p.m. An early childhood experience for families with children (18 months - 2nd grade) to learn about the Jewish holidays during the year. Cost: Children - free; Adults - \$5 per person. RSVP to Sara Stopek at stopek.sara@gmail.com by Friday, **March 15**.

Purim Services, Wednesday, **March 20**, 6:45 p.m. and Thursday, **March 21**, 9 a.m., followed by a Purim Seudah and breakfast.

Men's Club Passover Wine Sale and Tasting, Wednesday, **March 20**, 7:40 p.m.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nefesh B'Nefesh Mega Event, this Sunday, **March 10**, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Glenpointe Marriott, Teaneck, NJ. Join us for informative Aliyah sessions by Nefesh B'Nefesh staff and special guests. Please see flyer on Literature Rack for more information.

We are looking for a USY Advisor for the 2019-2020 school year. Duties include oversight, advising and facilitating youth programming for our 9th-12th graders. Activities are generally twice a month (local and regional) along with USY Board meetings throughout the year. Other responsibilities include coordinating transportation to regional events and logistical tasks. Prior youth group leadership is preferred.

We are looking for a Kadima Advisor for the 2019-2020 school year. Duties include planning, facilitating and overseeing youth programming for our 6th -8th graders. Activities are generally twice a month (local and regional). Prior youth group leadership is preferred.

If interested in either of the positions, please contact Helaine Chairnoff at hkchairnoff@comcast.net or (609) 936-1096.

Kiddush and Mincha on Shabbat. Please join us on Saturdays for the Mincha service which takes place 90 minutes after the end of the morning service. If you find yourself waking up late on Shabbat consider joining your community for a delicious Kiddush lunch and then fulfilling the Mitzvah of praying the Mincha service.

Beth El's "Essential Home Products" Program. We are collecting personal and household products to complement our Food Bank donations as well as items to help mothers with infants. Local food banks need deodorant, soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, dishwashing and laundry detergents - everything families need that are NOT purchasable with Food Stamps. Donations of unopened formula, diapers, wipes, baby lotion and cleaners, new baby bottles, pacifiers, etc. are all welcome.

Yvette Sarah Clayman Kosher Food Pantry needs food NOW more than ever! Please drop donations in our collection box located in the coatroom or donate gift cards in the Synagogue Office. Please check expiration dates before dropping off items.

Yad B'Yad Volunteers Needed. We are in need of people to volunteer their time to help those in need. This committee is here to assure that every member receives help and assistance when a need arises. Please contact Barbara Kurlan at (609) 448-8783 or bhk52@aol.com or Paul Stollman at (609) 448-3520 or pstollman1@aol.com.

Join the Bikkur Cholim Society. Perform the Mitzvah of visiting those in the hospital who are ill. Please contact Beth Ando-Brenman at (609) 490-0408 or babrenman@gmail.com.

In the spirit of Shabbat, please keep your Kippah on and refrain from using cell phones, cameras, and other electronic devices on the Synagogue premises. In addition, please do not applaud during the service. Please do not allow children to run in the hallways.

SAFETY FIRST PLEASE

When going up or down from the Bimah, please use the railings on the side of the steps near the wall.

YOUTH INFORMATION

USY (9th-12th grades) and Kadima (6th-8th grades),
Samantha Brandspiegel, Youth Advisor (609) 577-4300.

Pre-Kadima (3rd-5th grades), Danna Livstone, Youth Advisor (551) 265-0088.

SHABBAT SHALOM



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