

Refuah Sheleimah – A Complete Recovery

Chaim ben Dina
Annabel Rubin, (relative of Dina Yevelev)
Arkadi Nisenzon (brother of Zoya Lazer)
Roe ben Yaacov, Bob Eppinger (friend of Dorothy & Richard Dorsay)
Craig Howlett (friend of Michael & Felicia Schaffer)
Madelene Teifeld (member and mother of Barbara Green and Jan Krum)
Robin Davis (daughter-in-law of Barbara Davis)
Sara Pela bat Katura, Barbara Davis (member)
Ze'ev Shamsha ben Sara Pela, Scott Evan Davis (son of Barbara Davis)
Mark Schaengold (friend of Andrea & Steve Linder)
Cathy Hebert (friend of Michael Schaffer)
Ruth Diamond Levinson (aunt of Davida Adelberg)
Lucille Janofsky (mother of Eric Janofsky)
Lauren Phillips (sister of Janet Witkin)
Julie Rubin (friend of Sandi Diamond)
Gary Kipnis (member)
Aaron Yaakov ben Yitzhak, Al Kass (member)
Yosef ben Dreiza, Joseph Evans (father of Maureen Schneider)
Daniel & Patricia Williamson (friends of Christel Sanders)
Fraddel bat Devorah
D'vera Riva bat Fraddel
Chaya Leah bat D'vera Riva
Baruch Shalom ben Fraddel
Berlam ben Moshe Mordechai, B. Lee Skilken (uncle of Dan Skilken)
Wolf Lev ben Hannah (father of Jane Blumenthal)
Rivka bat Chaya Ettl (member)
Yisrael ben Perel, Irwin Solomon (member)
Allyson Guggenheim (granddaughter of Karen & Allen Guggenheim)
Shimrona Chava bat Yendel Nucha
Shoshana bat Eita (niece of Hy Burdman)
Zelda Yudit bat Shena Fayag, Carol Gergis (cousin of Lawren Farber)
Shlomo ben Chaya (father of Ricki Gafter)
Rich Carlson (friend of Dori Jaroslow)
Avraham ben Yehudit (father of congregant)
Judy Trigger (cousin of Wendy Glasser)
Zipporah bat Etki, Phyllis Maus (cousin of Lance Glasser)
Arlene Nodleman (friend of Dina Yevelev)
Ofira Avirit bat Sarah, Aurelia Nelson (member)
Lauren Flato (wife of Steve Labovitz)
Esther bay Fayge (mother of Neil Gafter)
Luba Pasumansky (relative of Yulia Shvarts)
Julie Seltzer-Firsty (friend of the Labovitz's)
Hannah bat Miriam, Hannie Isaac (sister-in-law of Myrtle & Joel Schwartz and Eli & Lorraine Isaac)
Michael Acevedo (son-in-law of Ron & Alison Ruebusch)
Harvey Stone (cousin of Wendy Glasser)
Miriam bat Sarah, Miriam Molecke (grandmother of Ricki Gafter)
Susan Dresser (friend of Myrtle & Joel Schwartz)
Diane Fornwalt (relative of Helaine Green)
Yehudit bat Eitah (niece of Hy Burdman)
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Ruth bat Rahel, Ruth Harary (mother of Susan Murai-Raider)
Hiroko Caster (friend of Barbara Davis)
Meir ben Ze'ev, Milton Wiener (father of Barbara Davis)
Leah Esther bat Leibisch, Laura Sharpe (member)
Ruth Karpman (friend of Andrea Ammerman)
Leib ben Chaya, Leib Nodelman (brother of Doysa Markova)
Donna Stone (cousin of Wendy Glasser)
Yitzhak ben Aron (father of Phyllis Newman)
Yitzhak Rahamim, Ike Isaac (brother of Myrtle Schwartz & Eli Isaac; brother-in-law of Joel Schwartz & Lorraine Isaac)
Jerry Boyajian (friend of Wendy Glasser)
Ephraim ben Chayyim, Philip Lempert (brother of Dennis Lempert)
Walter Fulde (friend of Leonard & Sylvia Metz)
Miriam Shoshana bat Bracha, Meredith Israel (friend of Jack Moore & Bonnie Slavitt-Moore)

Reut bat Nehama (friend of Strod Family)
Izabella Letskin (friend of Yulia Shvarts)
Tzivya bat Shandel, Harriette Kirschen, (mother of Sandy Mayer)
Mia Rose Nusbaum (daughter of friend's of Stephen & Lynne Kinsey)
Shayna Rochal bat Yehudit (sister of Lynne Kinsey)
Michael ben Sarah (Michael Applesmith)
Ellen Efron (friend of Susan Murai-Raider)
Gary Heit (friend of Michael Schaffer)
Chaye Reizel bat Ruchel
HaRav Avraham ben Miriam (friend of Krongold family)
David ben Hasya (friend of Yulia Shvarts)
Elisheva bat Yehudit (friend of Sue Maltiel)
Eliana bat Malka, Eliana Green (daughter of Steve & Helaine Green)
Harriet Gluck (cousin of Dave Hoffman)
Sivia bat Chava, Sylvia Gilvarg (aunt of Rachel Schwab)
Ilene Mason (friend of Rhonda & Naomi Raider)
Chaim ben Faegle, Herman Stone (brother of Henry Stone, Uncle of Linda Weiss)
Yosef ben Esther, Jeff Sohn (friend of Rosa & Izak Bencuya)
Moshe Chaim ben Zev haKohen (member)
Fae Melmon (member)
Irit Shirah bat Rivka, Irene Bricker (member)
Ruben Abraham Moses Ben' Moshe (friend of Myrtle Schwartz)
Rachmiel ben Yoheved
Karen Carp (friend of Gafter family)
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Dan Winkler (friend of Scott Knaster)
Steve Wilson (friend of Tanya Lorien)
Yehudit bat Eshke, Eunice Coleman (mother of Lynne Kinsey)
C. Vincenzo de Sepio (friend of Tanya Lorien)
Joe Sorger (member)
Louis Halper (brother of Bill Halper)
David Pinhas ben Breindal (member)
Monya Riva bat Sheva, Marilyn Auerbach (sister of Sondra Goldberger)
John Hirschberg (father of Donna Klein)
Stanley Rojo (father of Susan Rojo)
Frank Lanctot (father of Chet Lanctot)
Frank Amara
Davida bat Genja Liba (member)
Adam Yavim ben Avraham v'Sarah, George Steres (member)
Noach ben Sprinzah, Neil Schwab (cousin of Rachel Schwab)
Joseph Saponaro (brother-in-law of Wendy Glasser)
Andy Gafter (brother of Neil Gafter)
Aharon ben Shlomo, Adma Cintz (member)
Ronit bat Shoshana, Georgina Levy (wife of Cantor Andres Levy)
Isser ben Hannah, Isadore Kertzman (member)
Ronee bat Moshe haLevi v'Ruth, Ronee Nassi (member)
Zelda bat Miriam, Stephanie Lewis (friend of Ben Leitner)
Michal bat Bluma, Michal Strutin (member)

We extend our condolences to David Mayer and the entire Mayer family on the passing of his father, Arie Mayer.

We extend our condolences to Tova Friedman and the entire Friedman family on the passing of Tova's daughter, Natalie Rottersmann



There's a Place for Me at CBD!

פרשת תזריע-מצרע

Parashat Tazria-Metzora

3 Iyar, 5770 / April 17, 2010

Triennial Cycle III: Lev. 14:33-15:33

Humash Etz Hayim, page 663

Haftarah: 2 Kings 7:3-20, p. 676

1. (14:33-53) The law of tzara'at on a house.
2. (14:53-57) A summary of chapters 13-14.
3. (15:1-33) This chapter describes the rules governing discharges of various bodily fluids and their effect on the ritual purity of the individual.



Candle lighting time for Friday, April 16, 7:25



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All submissions to Shabbat Bulletin are **due by 11:30 am on Wednesday**

Prepared by Rabbi Avram Kogen

Most of our reading this week deals with the human body. Although the human body is familiar to us, the approach to the body reflected in these chapters may be foreign to the twenty-first-century mind.

The Torah tells us that a woman is to undergo a period of ritual impurity after childbirth. Surprisingly, the prescribed period differs depending on whether a boy or a girl was born. A great deal of attention is paid to tzara'at, a leprosy-like skin disease. Specific procedures are set forth for diagnosis and for quarantine. A sacrifice is to be offered upon remission. We learn that tzara'at may afflict not only people but also garments and even houses.

The Torah also directs our attention to the discharge of body fluids, those from males, those from females, and the rituals of purification available for such circumstances.

Announcements

The Mitzvah of Making a Minyan

Come one, come all and join us every Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. and Monday – Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. for daily minyan. Our success, thus far, has been outstanding. We are looking to include as many members of our Beth David family as possible in this wonderful tradition that brings comfort to our mourners and gives each of us a daily opportunity to connect with our soul, our community and our God. To help ensure the future vibrancy of our minyan, our captains have created the following schedule organized alphabetically by last name. When it is your week, we invite you to look at your schedules and commit to at least one night to attend this important endeavor. We look forward to having you join us and thank you in advance! If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Sandy Mayer at (408) 257-6129 or fammayer@aol.com.

- A-D: First Week of the Month
- L-R: Third Week of the Month
- E-K: Second Week of the Month
- S-Z: Fourth Week of the Month

A Simple Act of Kindness

If you like to be added to the shomrim list or want to learn about shemirah, please email: educationvp@beth-david.org

Save the Date



B' Hatzlihg!

A celebration in honor of Rabbi Schonbrun will be held on June 19. Save the date and plan on attending this very special farewell event. Details to follow.

Join in a loving tribute to Bev Pressman

Sisterhood is creating a wonderful new cookbook as a loving tribute to Bev Pressman.

We invite **all** members of CBD to submit recipes for consideration. Details for submissions (and forms) may be found in the Sisterhood section of life@CBD on the website.

Be sure to tell us what this recipe means to you and your family!

- All ingredients must be kosher--this will be a kosher cookbook!
- If you have questions, please contact Susan Raider at bdcookbook@gmail.com or (408) 358-1580. **Deadline April 30th!**

Please note: A Green Fair with a Jewish Flair has been cancelled.

Adult Education Programs

Yom HaZikaron/HaAtzmaut

Sunday, April 18, 7:30 pm

Sunday Night at the Movies

Cast a Giant Shadow

Cast a Giant Shadow has engrossing non-stop action, adventure, and a star-studded, Academy Award-winning cast, including Kirk Douglas, Yul Brynner, John Wayne, and Frank Sinatra. Colonel Mickey Marcus (Kirk Douglas), Brooklyn-born Jewish graduate of West Point, helped develop WW II surrender terms for Italy and Germany. A few years later, he volunteered to serve the nascent State of Israel, still under British mandate, as a Haganah advisor. He designed the IDF command and control structure and then commanded the Jerusalem front in 1948 as a Brigadier General. Marcus risked everything to change the course of history.

Lunch and Learn

Sunday, April 25, 12:30 pm

Mystery and History in the Dead Sea Scrolls

Dr. Steven Weitzman, Prof. of Jewish & Religious Studies, Stanford

The Dead Sea Scrolls have been hailed as the greatest discovery of ancient manuscripts in modern times, but what makes these scrolls so important? What do the Dead Sea Scrolls tell us about the Bible and about the origins of Judaism that was not known before their discovery? Why are these scrolls so controversial? What does this controversy reveal about the challenges of studying ancient texts? Stripping away the sensationalism, this presentation will introduce the Dead Sea Scrolls, explore their significance for understanding ancient Judaism, and address these areas of controversy.

Sisterhood

Gift Shop Open House

Sunday, April 18, 9:30 am - 2:00 pm

We have a nice variety of holiday items and Judaica gifts, perfect for your home or as a hostess gift. If you can spare an hour to help at the Gift Shop please contact Susan Ehrlich, amfehrllich@yahoo.com or call (408) 866-5638.

Sip-N-Stitch

Sunday, April 18, 7:00- 8:30 pm

Held at the home of Shannon Wells. Bring any project you are working on! Enjoy the camaraderie and light refreshments. RSVP to Shannon, thesqueedler@gmail.com or call (650) 954-5671.

Women's League Training Seminar

Sunday, April 25, 2:30 - 5:30 pm at Beth David

Calling all members of Sisterhood! Your attendance and support are needed for an important event! Find your hidden skills and renew your rusty ones, as you learn from professionally-trained WLCJ trainer, Aliza Goland. **Participants will gain a better knowledge and understanding of themselves and others with an in-depth focus on communication, membership, problem solving, leadership development, goal setting/strategic planning, and team building.** The Seminar has been *custom designed* to help us make our Sisterhood the best Sisterhood possible. RSVP by April 18, to Davida Adelberg at adelbergfam@me.com or call (408) 892-3691. Refreshments and babysitting offered. An exceptional, beneficial, & free offering for us!



Mazel Tov to Addy Zadkovsky and Igal Zadkovsky on the Bar Mitzvah of their son Nathan!
Our thanks to Addy and Igal for sponsoring the Kiddush Luncheon

Hadashot Religious School

Passover Break: **March 28 - April 17**

Next Youth Congregation: **April 24 - 10:00 am**

Next Haverim: **April 24 - 10:30 am**

Holocaust Museum

April 10 - April 21

Congregation Beth David, Multi-Purpose Room D

Please stop in and browse anytime the shul is open.

A museum style exhibit featuring pictures, stories, artwork and video.

Religious School Song Festival

May 2, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

"Sherei Yerushalyim"

Parents and CBD Community is invited to celebrate Yom Yerushalyim featuring Zimriya. Support our students as they sing songs of Jerusalem.

Wander our Wiki for all announcements, photos, Hodsheets newsletter, and Youth Group info (see education|religious school on website).

Pajama Shabbat!

Friday, April 30, 6:00 pm



Join us for a mini Kabbalat Shabbat service that is geared towards tots (ages 0 -5) and features songs, puppets, felt, story time, plus a kid-friendly Shabbat dinner!! RSVPs are requested! Please respond by April 28th to RSVP@beth-david.org or call the CBD office at 257-3333.

Beth David Major Donor Appreciation

Sunday, May 2, 11:00 am

Join us for a Japanese-style Lag B'Omer picnic. We'll attend a Japanese tea ceremony with Wendy Glasser, then picnic at Hakone Gardens, 21000 Big Basin Way, Saratoga CA. Please RSVP by Friday, April 23 to Joanne Cornbleet at pjacmail-2008@yahoo.com, 408-255-6572.

Note: Major donors who have pledged or contributed \$1800 or more to Beth David since July 1, 2009 have received mailed invitations. If you need more information about becoming a major donor for 2009-10, please contact Tanya Lorien at 408-257-3333.

The Jewish Book Discussion Group

The next book discussion will be held on May 8 at Congregation Beth David. The May selection is "My Jesus Year: A Rabbi's Son Wanders the Bible Belt in Search of His Own Faith" by Binyamin Cohen, led by Michael Sinensky. All adults and teens are welcome.

Shabbat Mishpaha Family Services and Supper

Celebrating May Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Friday, May 7, 7:30 - 9:30 pm

Join us for a fun, energetic Shabbat experience - a service filled with song, story and dance. Something for everyone!

Continue the experience by joining us for supper as we celebrate Shabbat and the monthly birthdays & anniversaries!

Adults: \$10; Youth (5-12): \$5; Child (0-4): Free; Maximum: \$30/family. RSVP by Tuesday, May 4 to rsvp@beth-david.org.

Yom Ha-Atzmaut-Silicon Valley Celebrates Israel

Sunday, May 9, 1:00 - 3:30 pm Levy Family Campus

Join us as Israel's most celebrated cities come to life in celebration of Yom Ha'atzmaut! Like to sing? Be part of a Jewish Idol contest - All ages!! How about cooking? Be a part of Mensch Chef! Enter your favorite challah recipe & participate in a "Quick Fire" challenge! A full day of fun and festivity in honor of Israel's big day. To sign up for the contests, please visit www.jvalley.org as soon as possible.

Shavu'ot Schedule

Tuesday, May 18: 9:00 pm - Midnight

Tikkun Leil Shavu'ot (Night of Study)

Experience the spirituality of Shavuot with members and clergy from Beth David as we study until midnight!

Wednesday, May 19: Services at 9:30 am

Thursday, May 20: Services at 9:30 - includes Yizkor

Hillel Silicon Valley

"Pillars of the Community" Lunch

Sunday, April 18, 11:30 am APJCC Auditorium

Hillel's major fundraising event of the year will honor community members Allen Guggenheim, Dr. Victoria Harrison, Susan Levine, David Meir-Levi; as well as outstanding student leaders Diana Buck, Ilana Eydus, Hagar Memlis, Michelle Salinsky, and Bella Yashayev. A silent auction and delicious meal will round out the festivities. Cost is \$75 per person. For tickets, tributes, or sponsorship opportunities, please visit Hillel's website www.hillelsv.org or call 408-286-6669 by March 29th.

Yahrzeit

Morris Adelstein, Uncle of Susan Ehrlich;

Great Uncle of Diane Rock

Evgeny Altshuler, Brother of Sara Dashevsky

Rebecca Azuina, Mother of Yevgeniya Kochevrina

Albert Balk, Relative of Melvina Balk

Rose Bauman, Grandmother of William Halper

Rivka Bejarano, Mother of Jacob Barron

Faina Belogolovsky, Mother of Alex Belogolovsky

Max Bricker, Father of Alan Bricker

Tasya Burdo, relative of Hava Goldman

Sarah Cohen, Mother of John Cohen

Jud Flato, Father of Lauren Flato

Louis Fox, Grandfather of Jeff Fox

Max Genzer, Grandfather of Iris Bendahan

Martin Greenberg, Father of Harriet Weiss

Hermine Gruber, Grandmother of Israella Sternheim

Regina Hoffman, Mother of Helen Baer

Simon Kaplan, Father of Georgette Silver

Fannie Kass, Mother of Alfred Kass

David Knaster, Father of Scott Knaster

Aron Kukuyev, Father of Vladimir Kukuyev

Ethel Liebowitz, Grandmother of Eric Lewis

Frank Linder, Father of Marvin Linder

Haim Mazlumian, Grandfather of Ruben Yomtoubian

Estelle Mehler, Mother of Robert Mehler

Irina Moshishvili, Cousin of Vladimir Gorlovetsky

Elaine Myers, Sister of Elizabeth Menkin

Tamara Petrunina, Aunt of Sofia Filshinsky

Rebecca Polidi, Mother-in-law of Lydia Polidi

Esther G. Postman, Mother of Monroe Postman

Sarah Rasnack, Mother-in-law of Donald Fernandez

Jacob Rosker, Grandfather of Lee Gavens

David Tavan, Grandfather of Richard Tavan

Shmil Waisman, Grandfather of Alex Belogolovsky

Harry Weisberg, Father of Martin Weisberg

Charles Weiser, Brother of Anita Salsberg

Evelyn Diamond Wittman, Mother of Davida Adelberg

Bella Ziegler, Mother of Ruth Shapiro

Yecheil Zinger, Father of Ron Zinger