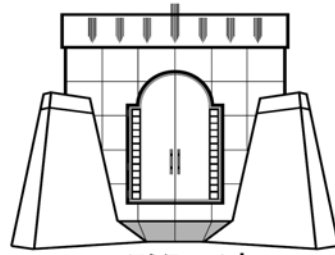


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Parashat Va-ethanan / Shabbat Nahamu

13 Av 5770 / July 24, 2010

Triennial Cycle III: Deut. 5:1-7:11

Humash Etz Hayim, page 1015

Haftarah: Isaiah 40:1-26, page 1033

1. (5:1-18) A recapitulation of the Ten Commandments.
2. (5:19-30) Moses reminds the people of how they begged him in terror to bring them the rest of God's words.
3. (6:1-3) A warning regarding the observance of the Mitzvot.
4. (6:4-9) The Shema.
5. (6:10-25) An exhortation to keep the words of the Torah coupled with a reminder of all the good things God has done for His people.



Candle lighting time for Friday, July 23, 8:06



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All submissions to Shabbat Bulletin are **due by 11:30 am on Wednesday** (bulletin@beth-david.org)

Drash

Steve Schlosser

Ve-etchanan is one of the richest Parshat in the Torah. Not only do we have a repetition – and expansion on – the Ten Commandments, we also have the declaration of the Shema, the central description of the Jewish belief system and the instruction set that governs much of our ritual life. Within this cornucopia, I want to focus on one of the Commandments because I've often asked why it is stated as it is; Commandment 8, "Thou Shalt not Steal". Why didn't G-d say, "Thou Shalt not Rob"?

Announcements

Hadashot Religious School

July 30: 2010-2011 Registration Deadline or current members (with no late fee)

August 6: Shabbat Mishpaha & Family Dinner (RSVP online)

August 27: Meet and Greet (5:00 pm -6:00pm) followed by BBQ and Bar'chu

September 12: Back to School (9:30 am -12:30 pm)

September 26: Ganon starts; Pizza & Prizes (12:30 pm -1:00 pm)

Zayin Presenters: If you're interested in teaching a mini-session to our Bnei Mitzvah class on an inspirational aspect of Judaism, let us know!

College Packets Already!

Is your son or daughter heading off to college or graduate school, medical school, or law school? The High Holidays are early this year (beginning Sept. 8), and we'd like to help ease their transition with a "Happy Holidays and Good Luck!" gift from Beth David.

The package will include a New Year's card, honey sticks, dried apple packets, and candy. Please let us know how to include your son or daughter in this program.

Contact Andrea Linder at alinder4@gmail.com or (408) 866-5340 with their information so we can add your son/daughter to our list. Flyers are in Beth David's lobby.

Summer Talmud Class Notice

The summer Talmud class is canceled for the next few weeks, due to personal commitments by Reuben Levy, who leads the class. Classes will resume Friday August 27, 8:30 am.

Pack 504 Needs New Cub Master

Our current Cub Master, Mike Rock, will be stepping down as his son will be moving on to Boy Scouts. Interested in taking over? Contact Mike: mrock@ehhomes.com.

Today Rabbah!

Our thanks to Rita and Steve Schlosser for sponsoring the Kiddush luncheon.

2010 Relay For Life of Saratoga

Saturday, July 24, 9:15 pm to Midnight
St. Andrew's Church & School on the Crestbrook

Join us as the Saratoga community draws together to honor & celebrate survivors, honor & remember those who have lost their fight to cancer and fight against this terrible disease! Join us again **Sunday, July 25, 9:30 am** for the FIGHT BACK ceremony. Donate to &/or join & donate to: **Team CBD:** http://main.acevents.org/site/TR/RelayForLife/RFLFY10CA?team_id=756161&pg=team&fr_id=20564

Buy a Luminaria (minimum \$10 donation) direct from Susan Gavens - if you want to decorate your own bag (otherwise they will do the decorations for you); Susan will get your bag to you so that you can decorate/personalize and pay tribute to those people whose lives have been touched by cancer. Contact Susan directly for more details or to purchase a bag: sgavens@sbcglobal.net or (408) 257-0321

Men's Club

San Jose Giants' 2nd Annual Jewish Appreciation Day
Sunday July 25, 5:00 pm

Watch the California League Champion San Jose Giants! Pre-Game Tailgate Kosher Meal (under supervision). \$5 per ticket. **Details and to buy tix:** www.jewishgiants.com. Bring the family, or donate tix to needy kids & families online. All proceeds benefit local synagogues & Jewish organizations.

SFBAJGS Discussion and Meeting

IAJGS Post Conference Discussion
Sunday, July 25, 2010

Doors open 1:00 pm, program begins 1:30 pm
Congregation Beth Israel Judea
625 Brotherhood Way, San Francisco

The San Francisco Bay Area Jewish Genealogical Society is featuring speakers from its membership to showcase the breadth of knowledge and resources in our group.

Light refreshments will be served.

Social Action Committee Potluck!

July 29, 6:30 pm Thursday
in Saratoga-right near CBD

It will be a great time to schmooze and suggest/ contribute/ share any of your ideas for Social Action and Social Justice projects at CBD.

Please contact Dorothy Dorsay (ddorsay@pacbell.net) or Committee Chair Bryan Ferguson (darcy@pacbell.net, 408-832-3250) to sign up or get more information.

Shabbat Family Service & Supper
Friday, August 6, 7:30 pm following the service

Welcome back Rabbi Pressman!

Meet Rabbi Ohriner and his family!

Adults \$10; Youth (5-12) \$5; Child (0-4) Free; Family maximum \$30. Click **RSVP Now** on our Beth David home page to sign up by August 3.

Jr. Kadima
Golfland and Waterslides Event!!
at Golfland in SJ

Sunday, Aug. 15th, 2:00 - 4:00 pm
\$10 for Kadima members, \$15 for non-members
For more info. and to RSVP, contact
Rachel Schultz at racheleschultz@gmail.com
or at (925) 286-5759. Also looking for chaperones!!

Sr. Kadima

Raging Waters Event (SJ)

Sunday, Aug. 22, 2:00 - 4:00 pm
\$30 for Kadima members s, \$33 for non-members
For more info. and to RSVP, contact
Rachel Schultz at racheleschultz@gmail.com
or at (925) 286-5759. Looking for chaperones too!!

BBQ & Bar'chu

Friday, August 27, 6:00 pm

Join us for a Kosher barbeque, followed by Shabbat services.
Adults & Teens \$18; Youth (6-12) \$10; Child (0-5) Free
Family maximum: \$60. Click **RSVP Now** on our Beth David
home page to sign up by August 20.

Sisterhood

Creative Judaic Arts

Make Your Own Earrings - 2nd Offering!
Sunday, August 29, 2:00 - 5:00 pm, Beth David,
Rooms 1 & 2, limit: 5 people

We are offering a 2nd Earrings craft session! Make pierced-ear earrings from a 2,000-year-old gold earring design!

We will be making a simple version of these pierced-ear earrings from gold-plated wire, freshwater pearls and semi-precious stone. Come and create a piece of history for you or a special friend or loved one.

Tools will be provided, kit cost is \$15.00.
RSVP to Shannon Wells (650) 954-5671 or
thesqueedler@gmail.com by August 26th.

Take Me Out to the Ballgame!

Jewish Heritage Night

SF Giants vs. Colorado Rockies!
Tuesday, August 31, 7:15 pm, AT&T Park

Come for a great night at the ballpark! Seats in Jewish Heritage section, Pre-Game Celebration in Scoreboard Plaza, featuring a Klezmer Band.



Tickets: \$25/person, includes fundraiser for Sisterhood.

For tickets, contact Carol Weiss,
carollweiss@yahoo.com, (408) 735-7946
or Eve Kedar, evek@aol.com, (408) 646-6145

IMPORTANT MINYANIM
ANNOUNCEMENT

Due to the deaths that have sadly occurred in our community this past week, we are asking for everyone's help in making minyan this week.

SUNDAY MORNING: 9:30am - CBD

SHIVA MINYANIM 7:00pm:

Sunday:

LIPSON (at the Lipson home)

LEWIS (at the Lewis home)

AMMERMAN (at the Ammerman home)

Monday thru Wednesday:

LEWIS & AMMERMAN

THURSDAY EVENING: 7:00pm - CBD

We also know that many people are away especially in July so after consultation with Rabbi Pressman, Sandy Mayer and Norm Abramovitz, the minyan captain for this week, we have decided to not have minyan here at Beth David on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday - rather we ask that you choose to attend a shiva minyan at either the Lewis home or the Ammerman home. Maps & directions are available on a separate flyer outside the sanctuary. Thank you very much for your support of our community.

Yahrzeit

Gertrude Abramson, Aunt of Rachel Abramovitz
Minnie Balaban, Mother of Jason Balaban
Tatiana (Tuba) Berlin, Aunt of Natalia Pogrebinsky
Bessie Checkman, Grandmother of Harvey Checkman
Barbara Cohen, Sister-in-law of Paul Cohen
Faye Cohen, Aunt of Laurel Perelman-Cohen
Helen Cohen, Mother of Arthur Cohen
Ben Davis, Grandfather of Ricki Gafter
Hannah Entin, Mother of Bruce & Kenneth Entin
Bertha Feldman, of Blessed Memory
Nellie Goldstein, Mother of Stephen Goldstein
Miriam Gumpel, Mother of Susan Leitner
Sarah Harte, Aunt of Myrna Gluck
Ted Hirschklau, of Blessed Memory
Rosie Hyman, Best Friend of Janet Goldstein
Freyda Kalmanash, Grandmother of Freyda Ravitz
Judy Katz, Sister of Sheila Weisberg
Shirley Knaster, Mother of Scott Knaster
Minna Krawatsky, Grandmother of Cyndi Sherman
Sandra Elise Lerner, Mother of Stuart Lerner
Gladys Levin, Mother of Marilyn Sefchovich
Pauline Levine, Mother of Cheryl Bordy
Michael Mendelsohn, Cousin of Linda Weiss & Joan Stone
Victor Mizrahi, of Blessed Memory
Albert Myers, of Blessed Memory
Ada Novack, Sister of Nathan Kallman
Leon Polidi, Father-in-law of Lydia Polidi
Betty Rock, of Blessed Memory
William Rodman, Uncle of Susan Gavens
Pinchas Moshe Rosner, Grandfather of Emily Gannes
Riva Rudikov, Mother of Raisa Shenderovich
Yankel Rudikov, Father of Raisa Shenderovich
Morris Shore, Father of Sima Shore
Yakov Pinhasovich Tsesin, Grandfather of Liliya Yunerman
Semyon Yunerman, Father of Igor Yunerman
Louis Zeitman, Father of Harold Zeitman

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)
Madeline 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)
Lauren Phillips (sister of Janet Witkin)
Julie Rubin (friend of Sandi Diamond)
Gary Kipnis (member)
Aaron Yaakov ben Yitzchak, 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
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)
Luba Pasumansky (relative of Yulia Shvarts)
Julie Seltzer-Firsty (friend of the Labovitz's)
Michael Acevedo (son-in-law of Ron & Alison Ruebusch)
Harvey Stone (cousin of Wendy Glasser)
Susan Dresser (friend of Myrtle & Joel Schwartz)
Diane Fornwalt (relative of Helaine Green)
Yehudit bat Eitah (niece of Hy Burdman)
Faiga bat Ruth, Phyllis Zis (member)
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)
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)
Tzivia bat Shandel, Harriette Kirschen, (mother of Sandy Mayer)
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)
Sivia bat Chava, Sylvia Gilvarg (aunt of Rachel Schwab)
Yosef ben Esther, Jeff Sohn (friend of Rosa & Izak Bencuya)
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)
Hodel bat Bracha, Helen Schulman (mother of Barbara Knaster)
Dan Winkler (friend of Scott Knaster)
Steve Wilson (friend of Tanya Lorien)
Yehudit bat Eshke, Eunice Coleman (mother of Lynne Kinsey)
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 Sarah, George Steres (member)
Noach ben Sprinzah, Neil Schwab (cousin of Rachel Schwab)
Joseph Saponaro (brother-in-law of Wendy Glasser)
Ronit bat Shoshana, Georgina Levy (wife of Cantor Andres Levy)
Ronee bat Moshe haLevi v' Ruth, Ronee Nassi (member)
Zelda bat Miriam, Stephanie Lewis (friend of Ben Leitner)
Rosa bat Riva (friend of Dina Yevelev)
Rivka bat Y'hudit, June Cohen (mother of Alison Ruebusch)
Devorah bat Mordechai haLevi, Dori Jaroslow (member)
Rita Bourgault (friend of Rachel Schwab)
Asher ben El Chanan, Joel Schwartz (husband of Myrtle Schwartz)
Simcha Avram ben Sheindel (close friend of Debby and David Hoffman)
Lorraine Howell (close friend of David Hoffman)
Zev ben Shlomo Yehuda (friend of Paula & Marc Levitt)
Masha bat Lina (mother of Sharon Joseph)
Sue Glettig
Alex Solis (friend of the Raider/Murai Family)
Shoshana bat Rut
Tom Foley (brother-in-law of Jackie Klein)
Shayna Hannah bat Menuha Leah, Joyce Barman (member)
Ira Irvy ben Mindy (cousin of Eve Kedar)
Miriam Shirah bat Brachah Bayla (mother of Rabbi Shoshana
Ohriner)
Jack Goodman (member)
Joe Stern
Svetlana Goldman, friend of Donna Frankel
Vickie Rothchild, friend of Donna Frankel

We extend our condolences to Janyce Lipson on the passing of her husband, Jan Lipson

We extend our condolences to Sheryl Lewis on the passing of her father and Beth David member Abraham Eisenstein.

We extend our condolences to Andrea Ammerman on the passing of her father & Beth David member Isadore Kertzman.