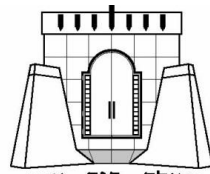


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Congregation Beth David

There's a Place for Me at CBD!

פרשת בראשית *Parashat B'reishit*

24 Tishrei, 5775 / October 18, 2014
Triennial Cycle Year II: Genesis 2:4-4:26
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1. (2:4-25) Another version of Creation. Adam and Eve are placed in the Garden of Eden “to till it and to tend it.”
2. (3:1-24) The woman listens to the snake, eats of the forbidden fruit, and persuades the man also to eat of it. All are punished. Adam and Eve are expelled from the Garden of Eden.
3. (4:1-15) The story of Cain and Abel.
4. (4:17-24) The descendants of Cain. The taunting song of Lamech.
5. (4:25-26) Seth, Adam and Eve’s third son, and his son Enosh.



Candle lighting time for Friday, October 17, 2014, 6:11pm



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Week at a Glance

Friday, October 17th *Simhat Torah*

Office Closed

- 9:30am Simhat Torah Service – honoring Dan Skilken and Bonnie Slavitt Moore
- 12:30pm Kiddush
- 6:11pm Candle Lighting
- 6:30pm Kabbalat Shabbat Service

Saturday, October 18th

- 9:00am Torah Trope Class
- 9:30am Haverim
- 9:30am JCore Shabbat School
- 9:30am Services
- 9:30am Youth Congregation
- 11:15am Family Education Hour
- 12:00pm Ruah Rally
- 12:30pm Kiddush
- 1:30pm Book Discussion Group

Sunday, October 19th

- 9:30am Minyan

Monday, October 20th

- 10:00am Intermediate Hebrew
- 11:45pm Beginning Hebrew
- 2:15pm Beginning Hebrew for FSU
- 7:00pm Minyan

Tuesday, October 21st

- 7:00pm Minyan

Wednesday, October 22nd

- 4:00pm Camp Ramah Information Meeting
- 4:00pm JEWEL
- 4:00pm JCore
- 6:00pm JET Dinner and Learn
- 7:00pm Minyan
- 7:30pm Morris Adler AZA Business Meetings
- 7:45pm General Board Meeting

Thursday, October 23rd

- 7:00pm Minyan
- 7:30pm Adult B'nei Mitzvah Class

Friday, October 24th

- 8:30am Friday Morning Talmud Study
- 10:00am Spiritual Ethics Discussion Group
- 6:02pm Candle Lighting
- 6:30pm Services

Thank You

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Thank you to donors to the Kiddush lunch fund for Sponsoring today's lunch.

Announcements

JFSSV Home Care Services

Jewish Family Services now offers a range of non-medical care for older or disabled adults and children in Santa Clara County including personal care, domestic duties, transportation, companionship and mobility. For more information, visit www.jfssv.org/home-care.html or call Jewish Family Services at (408) 556-0600 and ask for the Home Care Specialist.

Daytime Adult Hebrew Classes

with Chuck Taubman

Chuck Taubman teaches three Hebrew classes: Beginning Hebrew, Intermediate Hebrew, and a special class of Beginning Hebrew for FSU Émigrés. Contact Chuck at nambuat@comcast.net or (408) 257-3251 to discuss which class is appropriate for you and the class dates and times.

- ♦ **Beginning Hebrew for FSU Émigrés** – Held offsite at Moreland Apts.
- ♦ **Beginning Hebrew (non-FSU)** – Learn basic grammar and vocabulary.
- ♦ **Intermediate Hebrew** – Improve reading, vocalizing, and understanding.

Embrace-A-Family

with Jewish Family Services of Silicon Valley

November 13-December 18

Each year JFS makes Hanukkah brighter for those in need. You can help us make this year special! **Look for our dreidel boards at Congregation Beth David from November 13th through December 18th.** This year, for those that like to shop online, we will have additional dreidels on our website at jfssv.org. This is a way of involving family and friends from other geographic locations as well. For additional information and volunteer opportunities, contact Lori Cinnamon, Coordinator of Volunteer Engagement at 408.357.7467 or email Loric@jfssv.org.

Blanket and Coat Drive

The Social Action Committee of CBD asks you to bring warm clothing--coats, sweaters, socks (new or in very good condition) etc. to the CBD lobby **now through December 9th**. These will be distributed to the needy and homeless in our community. We are partnering with JCRC and a downtown church. Being cold is VERY painful so please participate in this mitzvah. Also you can also donate new or gently used blankets which will be used at the homeless shelters. For more information, please contact cbd.socialaction@beth-david.org.

Upcoming Events

Book Discussion Group

Zealot: The Life and Times of Jesus of Nazareth

by Reza Aslan, led by Herm Stern

Saturday, October 18, 2014, 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

A fascinating, provocative, and meticulously researched biography that challenges long-held assumptions about the man we know as Jesus of Nazareth. From Amazon: "Sifting through centuries of myth-making, Reza Aslan sheds new light on one of history's most influential and enigmatic characters by examining Jesus through the lens of the tumultuous era in which he lived: first century Palestine."

Camp Ramah Information Meeting

Wednesday, October 22, 2014, 4:00 - 4:20 p.m.

Camp Ramah representatives will be here to give a short presentation and Q&A about this great summer experience.

CBD General Board Meeting

Wednesday, October 22, 2014, 7:45 - 9:30 p.m.

All congregants are welcome and encouraged to attend monthly meetings of the Beth David Board of Directors.

Friday Morning Talmud Study Led by Reuben Levy

Fridays, 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. starting on October 24, 2014

Join us for a lively discussion, as we explore the basis for Jewish rituals and rules. Newcomers are encouraged to come. There is no registration fee, but donations to Adult Education are appreciated.

Judaism and Spiritual Ethics Discussion Group

Fridays, 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. starting on October 24, 2014

Explore Jewish wisdom dealing with ethics and morals in this participant-led discussion group. This discussion of ethical behavior starts with *Judaism and Spiritual Ethics* by Niles Goldstein and Steve Mason. Newcomers are encouraged to come. There is no registration fee, but donations to Adult Education are appreciated.

Hazak at Addison-Penzak JCC

Sunday, October 26, 2014, 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

The JCC's Theatre Chevruta is presenting the world premiere of a local playwright's hilarious take on Genesis and committee meetings. A comedic and (accidentally) poignant adaptation of the international bestseller, *The Bible, by God*. RSVP at Hazak@beth-david.org. Special discount pricing & reserved seating for Hazak.

Social Action Meeting

Tuesday, October 28, 2014, 7:30 pm

We need your input on current and future Social Action events. Contact Bryan at cbd.socialaction@beth-david.org.

Hot Topics in Halakhah Today with Rabbi Ohriner Sound and Video Recording on Shabbat and Festivals?

**Saturday, November 1, 2014 after Kiddush lunch
(about 1:30 p.m.)**

Is it permissible to record services on Shabbat? If so, how might this be done in a halakhically permissible way? Join **Rabbi Ohriner** to learn about and discuss this important halakhic issue facing our congregation.

JET at SVJFF Teen Screen

SVJCC, 14855 Oka Rd, Los Gatos

Sunday, November 2, 2014, 1:00 - 3:30pm

Join JET and other area teen organizations for the SVJFF screening of "Brave Miss World" followed by discussion and program. Directed by Cecilia Peck, it is about Israeli beauty queen Linor Abargil who was abducted and raped in Italy 2 months before being crowned Miss World in 1998. Sixteen years later she is ready to talk about it and encourage others to speak out against sexual violence.

Lean In Circle

Tuesday, November 4, 2014, 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.

Come join the Beth David Lean in Circle, a women's career networking and support group inspired by Sheryl Sandberg's book *Lean In*. Our mission is to help women lean into their ambitions, whatever they may be.

Painting the Soul - Making Visible our Experience of God

Tuesday, November 4, 2014 7:15 - 10:00 p.m.

A women's evening of exploring our personal relationship to God with paint and conversation...and a taste of wine and chocolate as well! Cost \$5 CBD members/ \$10 Community Members. Space is limited! Deadline October 30th or when event is filled. RSVP online at beth-david.org/RSVP or call the office at 408-257-3333 for assistance.

Shabbat Mishpaha Experience Includes Siddur Presentation to 3rd graders and new older students.

Friday, November 7, 2014, 6:30 - 9:00 p.m.

Come welcome the Shabbat Bride with a drum, shaker or tambourine during our lively Kabbalat Shabbat service for families. Great for kids 12 and under - they get to lead! Afterwards join us for a dairy potluck supper. RSVP/Sign up for potluck
JYEPAdmin@beth-david.org.

2010 - 2014 Bar/Bat Mitzvah Reunion Shabbat

November 8, 2014

During lunch, approximately Noon - 1:30 p.m.

Reunite with friends from your Bar/Bat Mitzvah days. Parents are invited, too. A special area in the Social Hall will be designated for this reunion. RSVP to Jeff Warwick at MembershipVP@Beth-David.org. Be sure to tell others from your Bar/Bat Mitzvah days about these reunions. If you would like to have an honor or an aliyah that morning, please contact Barbara Biran at Biran@beth-david.org. **NOTE: 2005- 2009 Bar/Bat Mitzvah Reunion Shabbat will take place on November 29th.**

Help Serve Meals to the Homeless

Sunday, November 9, 2014, 4:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Please join with CBD Social Action and the Abrahamic alliance to serve a dinner to the homeless at the InnVision Montgomery Street Shelter in San Jose. We need six volunteers for the dinner. Please contact Bryan Ferguson at Socialaction@beth-david.org, 408-832-3250 if you can volunteer.

CBD Jewish Artists Group

Saturday, November 15, 2014, 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

Corinne Sherman will do a presentation on teaching art. There will be discussion afterwards. Contact Jeff Warwick at cbd.artists@beth-david.org.

Shmittah: Are You In?

CBD is on a year-long journey to revive a 3,000 year old *mitzvah*. Occurring every seventh year, *Shmittah* is a Torah-mandated rebalancing of our relationship with the natural world and a dynamic tool to promote social justice and equity. Our goal: the modest actions of individual congregants communally impacting the world for good.



See how easy it is to make a difference.

Take the Shmittah Pledge

<http://goo.gl/xx2ahQ>

Our Goal: 100 CBD pledges by Chanukkah.

A Quick Idea To Help Planet Earth

Think about the severe impact buying IMPORTED bottled water has on the planet. Water from exotic locations - Fiji, Pellegrino, Perrier - is flown or shipped thousands of miles. That spews tons of pollutants into the air and the ocean. Drink locally. The planet and California's economy will appreciate it.

Mitzvah a Month

Congregation Beth David's Mission includes being a caring community and serving the larger community (tikkun olam – making the world a better place). The following are opportunities to help us serve God in this way.

Become a Mitzvah Driver

Noten Yad is organizing drivers to provide rides for our members who need help getting around. If you are interested, please contact CBD.NotenYad@Beth-David.org.

Million Coin Campaign

Our goal is to collect one million coins of any denomination by the ribbon-cutting ceremony for our remodeled and expanded building, near the end of 2015. All money raised will go toward creating new inviting and appealing spaces for our youth

Yahrzeits October 10/11, 2014

Sheina Guta Agroskin, Mother of Yakov Agroskin
Yakov Alshansky, relative of Hava Goldman
Gabriel Appleman, Husband of Alicia Appleman; Father of Daniel Appleman
Hy Bednoff, Uncle of Thelma Ramm
Avrum Belogolovsky, Grandfather of Alex Belogolovsky
Helen Berlin, Mother of Natalia Pogrebinsky
Sarah Golub Cohn, Mother of Sherman Golub
Henry Coleman, Grandfather of Lynne Kinsey
Haim Daniel, Father of Gerald Daniel
Candida de Choudens, Mother of Olga Farber
Sabine W. Finger, Mother of Herbert Finger
Stera Finkelberg, Grandmother of Liliya Popova
Ira Flaggberg, Friend of Tanya Lorien
Erna Frank, Mother of Lee Ghan
Robert Frieden, Brother of Stephen Frieden
Robert Ganeles, Father of Jerome Ganeles
Udo-Leb Geydelman, Father of Lisa Lipkind
Boris Genuchovich Gilman, Grandfather of Liliya Yunerman
Florence Graubart, Grandmother of Eric Lewis
Clement Harary, Father of Susan Raider
Stanley Hirsch, Father of Lee Hirsch
Charlotte Weiser Huchital, Grandmother of Alana Goodman
Sam Kertzman, Grandfather of Andrea Ammerman
Anne Kline, Mother of Rhoda Bress
Sol Lindenbaum, Father of Bonnie Ashkenazi
Etta Michaelson, of Blessed Memory
Keith Parmett, Son of Jeanette & Michael Parmett
James Plattner, of Blessed Memory
Sol Pollock, Uncle of Marshall Burak
Goldie Popper, Mother of Barry Popper
Alexander Rabinovich, Father of Ilana Baird
Gerte Rainish, Mother of Doris Katz
Domenico Ranieri, Uncle of Marc, Paula & Shoshana Levitt
Marie Ruebusch, Mother of Ronald Ruebusch
Bernhard Silberstein, Father of Sandra Levitt
Miriam Spivock, Mother of Aline Usim
Manya Vaynerman, Grandmother of Igor Yunerman
Sam Watnik, Grandfather of Marlene Bernstein
Fred Waxman, Father of Loretta Levin
Julia Weiner, Aunt of Susan Rojo
Ruth Wilson, Mother of Marlene Kass; Grandmother of Ian Kass
Polina Yunerman, Mother of Igor Yunerman
Lillian Zis, Mother of Jerome Zis

Refuah Sheleimah – A Complete Recovery as of 10/18/14

Syrel Raizel bat Rachel (other mother of Susan Raider)

Benyamin ben Dafna (son of member)
Bunna Henna bat Hanna Malka, Penny Levin (mother of Rachel Abramovitz)
Leah bat Frieda (cousin of Norm Abramovitz)
Tzivyah bat Esther, Cookie Addison (member)
Jacob Dayan (friend of Yael Alcheck)
Chayla Rivka bat Shoshana, Chila Chana (relative of Rabbi Leslie Alexander)
Sarah bat Tzila (friend of Ilana Baird)
Malka bat Raisel, Marlene Michaels (friend of Amy & Gary Ball)
Chaya bat Hena Liba, Maya Belagolovsky
Rebecca Serruya bat Esther
David Be'er ben Esther Sarah
Sima Yehudit bat Gital Sarah
Ya'akov ben Avraham, Jerry Blumenthal (father of Howard Blumenthal)
Nuchim Hesh ben Gershon, Howard Blumstein (member & husband of Rita Blumstein)
Baruch Shalom ben Fraddel
Sara Pela bat Katura, Barbara Davis (member)
Ze'ev Shamsha ben Sara Pela, Scott Evan Davis (son of Barbara Davis)
Kitty Arnone (aunt of Barbara Davis)
Seth Edlavitch (cousin of Barbara Davis)
Peter Lipman (friend of Eleanor & Lloyd Dickman)
Moshe ben Berta, Murray Dolmatch (member & husband of Sandra Dolmatch)
Ruth bat Leah, Ruth Kreitzman Goldensohn (cousin of Dorothy Dorsay)
Devorah bat Moshe v'Yehudit, Debra Eskinazi-Stockdale (member & wife of Gary Stockdale)
Nosson Tzvi ben Sarah Rivka Kashtia, Nossan Tzvi Felsen (son or Rabbi Joey Felsen)
Nachum ben Ze'ev, Nathan Fihn (brother of Melvin Fihn)
Eliezer ben Avrum (relative of Donna Frankel)
Alexander Urman (friend of Donna Frankel)
Elaina Michelle Jones (friend of Rosemary Frieden)
Mazel bat Sarah, Marina Gafni (CBD Kadima Youth Advisor)
Eliezer Yoel ben Tilly, Larry Zimmerman (cousin of Emily Gannes)
Rachel Yocheved bat Dvora Michal, Rachel Gild (member & wife of Eli Gild)
Allan Dalfen (friend of Eli & Rachel Gild)
Leah Malkah bat Chaya, Lu Gildenberg (member)
Sleuva bat Yosef, Selma Glasser (mother of Lance Glasser)
Donna Stone (cousin of Wendy Glasser)
Joseph Saponaro (brother-in-law of Wendy Glasser)
Joyce Jennings (sister of Denise Goldberg)
Zvi Leib ben Esther
Jack Keenan (friend of Cheryl Graubart)
Maura Keenan (friend of Cheryl Graubart)
Jayme Mueller (relative of Helaine Green)
Donald Schwartz (cousin of Steve Green)
Allyson Guggenheim (granddaughter of Karen & Allen Guggenheim)
Shamara Hannah bat Leah
Hinda Hannah bat Shaina Miriam, Heather Harris (member & wife of Michael Harris)
(Continued on separate page)

Refuah Sheleimah (Continued)

Shoshana Masha bat Shaina (close friend of David & Debby Hoffman)
Debbie LeCover (close friend of David & Debby Hoffman)
Talia Eliana bat D'vorah Miriam (niece of Dave Hoffman)
Chava bat Ruth (mother of Dave Hoffman)
Breindl bat Chaya Malka (mother of Debby Hoffman)
Kora Olivo (friend of Debby, David and Kira Hoffman)
Shmuel ben Tzipporah (member)
Lucille Janofsky (mother of Eric Janofsky)
Don Purus (uncle of Ilene Janofsky)
Carolyn Karel (mother of Steve Karel)
Diane Lill (cousin of Jackie Klein)
Eliezer ben Yetta, Les Malkin (friend of Judith Krongold)
Lauren Flato (member & wife of Steve Labovitz)
Arkadi Nisenzon (brother of Zoya Lazer)
Ditza Recht (friend of Andrea Linder)
John Quesada (friend of Andrea Linder)
Pamela Ambrose (friend of Tanya Lorien)
Vered bat Itzhak v'Yehudit, Vered Marash (member)
Moshe ben Roza, Morris Kirschen (father of Sandy Mayer)
Yisroel Michael ben Ida, Michael Meltzer (husband of Sylvia Meltzer)
Walter Fulde (friend of Sylvia Metz)
Max Greenberg (friend of Sylvia Metz)
Lizzie Sommer (friend of Jack Moore & Bonnie Slavitt- Moore)
Cohava bat Rivka, Cohava Mor (member & wife of Jacob Mor)
Tessa Joy Davis (friend of Ruth Murai)
Sheindel bat Devora, Shirley Nankin (mother of Gary Nankin)
Yitzhak ben Sheindel, Gary Nankin (member & husband of Susan Nankin)
Miriam Shirah bat Brachah Bayla (mother of Shoshana Ohriner)
Khaim ben Nachman Lev, Khaim Pesin (member)
Rebecca bat Rut, Linda Detmers (sister of Judy Powers)
Emma Prokter (member & wife of Gregory Prokter)
Sharon Baila bat Chaya Golda (cousin-in-law of Thelma Ramm)
Jean Mason (sister-in-law of Thelma Ramm)
Linda Salata (cousin of Susan Rojo)
Riva bat Rachel, Riva Rubnitz (member)
Cindy Parks (friend of Michael Schaffer)
David Hong (friend of Michael Schaffer)
Rosario Alvarez (mother of friend and co-worker of Felicia Schaffer)
Sharon Weiner (friend of Steve Schlosser)
Yitzhak Schraga ben Chana Tippa (friend of Natalie Schriger)
Alvin Gross (friend of Natalie Schriger)
Vicki Shrager (daughter of close friend of Steve Schlosser)
Shlomo Zalman ben Sprintza, Stan Marder (relative of Rachel Schwab)
Roy Rocklin (friend of Rachel Schwab)
Matana bat Rahma, Myrtle Schwartz (member & wife of Joel Schwartz)
Ruben Abraham Moses Ben' Moshe (friend of Myrtle Schwartz)
Shlomo ben Matanah, Bryan Schwartz (son of Myrtle Schwartz)
David ben Asya, David Chernomordik (friend of Yulia Shvarts)
Luba Pasumansky (relative of Yulia Shvarts)
Izabella Letskin (friend of Yulia Shvarts)
Elena Falkova (relative of Yulia Shvarts)
Yona bat Sabina, Yona Sternheim (mother of Israela Sternheim)
Ruthi Kahana (friend of Rama & ArieH Strod)
Gila bat Zipora (friend of Rama & ArieH Strod)
Leibush Motel ben Ruchel
Yakov David ben Chaia Reizel
Chaye Reizel bat Ruchel (member)
Haya bat Sheina, Evelyn Tavan (mother of Rick Tavan)

Chaim ben Davida
Rosa bat Riva (friend of Dina Yevelev)
Annabel Rubin (relative of Dina Yevelev)
Fayga Zishe Leah bat Sura Rachel, Phyllis Zis (member & wife of Jerry Zis)
Yossel ben Shir, Joel Zussman (member & husband of Marianne Zussman)