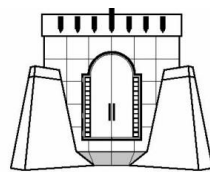


# בְּרֵאשִׁית



קהילת בית דוד  
Congregation Beth David

*There's a Place for Me at CBD!*

## פרשת נח

### *Parashat Noah*

4 Heshvan, 5776/October 17, 2015  
Triennial Cycle III: Genesis 11:1-11:32  
Humash Etz Hayim, page 58  
Haftarah, Isaiah 54:1-55:5, page 64

1. (11:1-9) The story of the Tower of Babel and the dispersion of humankind.
2. (11:10-32) The ten generations from Noah to Abraham.

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*Candle lighting time for Friday, October 16, 2015, 6:13pm*

# Week at a Glance

## Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup>

- 10:00am Talmud Study (P-3A)
- 11:15am Jewish Ethics Discussion Group (P-3A)
- 6:00pm PJ Shabbat (Social Hall)
- 6:13pm Candle lighting
- 6:30pm Services (Sanctuary)

## Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30am Services/Jerry Bloom 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Bar Mitzvah (Sanctuary)
- 10:30am Youth Congregation (P-3A)
- 10:30am Netivot Haneshama – Approachable Torah with Rabbi Berkowitz (Seminar rooms)
- 12:00pm Ruah Rally (Sanctuary)
- 12:30pm Kiddush (Social Hall)
- 1:30pm CBD Jewish Artist Group (P-3A)

## Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00am Sukkah Take Down (Parking lot)
- 9:30am Minyan (Sanctuary)
- 9:30am JCORE Sunday School (Portables)
- 10:00am YOM Theme Park for Teens (offsite)
- 1:00pm Pack 504 Boy Scout Meeting (P-3A)

## Monday, October 19<sup>th</sup>

- 10:00am Intermediate Hebrew (P-3A)
- 11:45am Beginning Hebrew (P-3A)
- 2:15pm Beginning Hebrew for FSU (offsite)
- 7:00pm Minyan (Sanctuary)

## Tuesday, October 20<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00pm Minyan (Sanctuary)
- 7:00pm Silicon Valley Intro to Judaism (P-3A)
- 7:30pm Beyond the Silk Mills (Sanctuary)

## Wednesday, October 21<sup>st</sup>

- 4:00pm JEWEL (Portables)
- 6:15pm JET Dinner and Learn (P-4A)
- 7:00pm Minyan (Sanctuary)
- 7:30pm Neshikot BBG Meeting (P-4A)

## Thursday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

- 7:00pm Minyan (Sanctuary)
- 7:30pm Jewish Values at the End of Life (P-3A)

## Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>

- 10:00am Talmud Study (P-3A)
- 11:15am Jewish Ethics Discussion Group (P-3A)
- 6:03pm Candle lighting
- 6:30pm Services (Sanctuary)

## Thank You/ תודה רבה

Thank you to donors to the Kiddush Oneg fund and Roberta and Jerry Bloom for co-sponsoring today's lunch in honor of the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Jerry's Bar Mitzvah.



**REMINDER:** Please refrain from using cell phones, cameras and other electronic devices on Shabbat.

## Need a Ride to a Beth David Service or Event?



Email: [Rides@beth-david.org](mailto:Rides@beth-david.org)  
Please give 3 days advanced notice

**For the comfort of our members and guests,**  
please avoid wearing perfume or cologne  
when attending services.

## Announcements

### Candle Fundraiser

**Deadline Extended: October 22nd**  
**Double Mitzvah Benefits Our Myuhad (Special Needs) Program and Israeli Artisans**

Order your beautiful Safed Hanukkah, Shabbat and Havdallah candles today! These candles not only brighten your own Shabbat and Hanukkah but also make a great hostess gift. Download order form at [Beth-David.org/Candles](http://Beth-David.org/Candles). Email [JET@beth-david.org](mailto:JET@beth-david.org) or call Irene 408-446-5885 with questions. We know you will enjoy your beautiful candles! **TODAH RABAH** in advance for your support!

### Abrahamic Alliance Dinner for Homeless

The Social Action Committee needs YOUR assistance to make and bring dinner to the Men's Recovery Center as part of the Abrahamic Alliance Dinner for Homeless program. Please sign up by October 22<sup>nd</sup> at <http://tinyurl.com/onkdzng>. The entrée is A simple vegan-tofu lasagna. There are four ingredients (which we are asking you to purchase) and a packet of spices that will be provided. Triple the recipe shown at: <http://tinyurl.com/qjz3lqo>. Please deliver the lasagna to Saratoga Federated Church between 1:30 and 2:30pm on Sunday October 25 - you are welcome to stay for the program! Contact Carol Cassell at [CBD.SocialAction@Beth-David.org](mailto:CBD.SocialAction@Beth-David.org) with any questions.

### Calling All Writers!

*There are so many exciting events at Beth David we want the world to know!*

Are you a writer! Do you love telling about the events you have attended at Beth David? Well...tell everyone! We are looking to build a small group of members with the desire to write about events they have attended at Beth David so that we may publish them in various venues. Interested? Send an email to [Crocker@beth-david.org](mailto:Crocker@beth-david.org)

### Volunteers Needed

We need volunteers to help transport materials and equipment to History San Jose on Friday November 13th at noon. Contact Stephen Kinsey at [kinsey.stephen@gmail.com](mailto:kinsey.stephen@gmail.com)

*Are you, a family member, or a CBD friend in the hospital or rehab? Do you know of someone in our kehillah who might like a call or visit?*



Please contact our ritual director, Barbara Biran at [biran@beth-david.org](mailto:biran@beth-david.org) so our Pastoral Care Team can follow up. But go one step further! Our tradition teaches that visiting the sick (bikkur cholim) removes 1/160th of a patient's suffering. Consider picking up the phone or arranging a visit with someone in need of physical or spiritual well-being. They will feel better and so will you!

# Upcoming

## Netivot Haneshamah Pathways of the Soul

New Sessions Continue October 17<sup>th</sup> with:

**Approachable Torah** with Rabbi Berkowitz  
10/17, 11/21, 12/19, 1/16, 2/20, 3/19 - 10:30am

Rabbi Berkowitz makes the Torah accessible to all and helps learners connect Torah lessons to their lives. Participants discover that all of us can spin *drash* (a lesson of meaning).

### Upcoming Sessions:

**A Learning Minyan: Shabbat Prayer Beyond  
Standing, Sitting and Bowing** with Rabbi Alexander  
10/31, 11/28, 1/23, 2/27, 3/26 - 10:30am

This session is for those who want to understand the prayers, psalms and choreography of the Shabbat service so that it can begin to be a meaningful personal and communal experience.

**Mindfulness and Meditation through the  
Hassidic Lens** with Rabbi Greene  
11/7 & 12/5 - 10:30am

Using Hassidic texts and stories, participants will have the opportunity to find personal meaning in Jewish prayer and discover that these current spiritual tools are rooted in the Jewish experience.

### For Russian Speakers:

**Know Before Whom you Stand** with Rabbi Baird  
11/14, 12/12, 1/9, 2/13, 3/12 - 9:30am

An exploration of the content and historical background of the prayers **in Russian**.

**21st Century Torah** with Doug Brook  
11/14, 12/12, 1/9, 2/13, 3/12 - 10:30am

Think the Torah can't possibly say anything useful to your life? Think again. Join in on discussions that you'd never expect on a Saturday morning, led by someone who respects the clergy too much to let himself be a member of it.

## USCJ Solomon Schechter Award Winning Program

## CBD Artists Group

Saturday, October 17, 2015, 1:30 – 3:00 p.m.

Presentations and Discussions on Judaica. Join us for a presentation on Yod Art & History presented by Jeff Warwick. Everyone is welcome, whether member of CBD or visitor, including non-artists, too. Contact [CBD.Artists@beth-david.org](mailto:CBD.Artists@beth-david.org) for more information.

## Sukkah Takedown

Sunday, October 18, 2015, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Help take down CBD's sukkah. Please bring drills, gloves, ladders.

## Yom Theme Park

Sunday, October 18, 2015, 10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Meet at Kol Emeth, 4175 Manuela Ave, Palo Alto

New Frontier is kicking off the year with our first Yom Theme Park event! Take a day to hang out and have fun with friends at Six Flags. Beth David attendees will be meeting at Kol Emeth at 10:00am to ride the bus and arrive at Six Flags by noon. We will be leaving the park at 7:00pm and arrive back at Kol Emeth at 9:00pm. Cost is \$45.00 per person.

## Conversations in Jewish Learning

### Beyond the Silk Mills with Leslie Rupley

Tuesday October 20, 2015, 7:30 – 9:00 p.m.

Author Leslie Rupley will discuss her compelling saga of the Epstein family, Jewish immigrants to Paterson, New Jersey at the turn of the 20th century. Emma craves wealth and status, but her socialist husband Meyer has a passion only for workers' rights. Her novel is rich with vivid historical details, including the Paterson Silk Strike of 1913.

## Women in your 20's, 30's, 40's or thereabouts...

Fall kickoff meeting for Z'havah

Sunday, October 25, 2015, 10:15 a.m. (after minyan)

At Coffee Society, The Oaks, 21265 Stevens Creek Blvd.

Z'havah is a division of Sisterhood specifically for women in this age group. Come find out what we're all about and enjoy some coffee with old and new friends. For information, contact Cheryl at [cbdzhavah@gmail.com](mailto:cbdzhavah@gmail.com).

## The Great Chair Roundup Kickoff

Sunday, November 1, 2015, 11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Brand a chair (or even a small herd of your own) at CBD with a special plaque. Branding plaques are a great way to recognize and honor family, friends, loved ones, and special occasions.

- ▶ In your name of for a family member
- ▶ As a unique gift for someone special
- ▶ In memory or honor of a loved one
- ▶ To celebrate a special milestone or anniversary
- ▶ For birthdays, bris, baby naming, bar/bat mitzvah

No charge to attend. T.U.Y.C., that's cowboy French for "tell us you're coming" at [Beth-David.org/RSVP](http://Beth-David.org/RSVP).



## The Yitzhak Rabin Memorial Project Exhibition

Wednesday, November 4, 2015, 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

This exhibition Chronicles the life of Yitzhak Rabin, Israeli Prime Minister, war hero, and Nobel Peace Prize recipient. Using an interactive exhibit, two educators of the Dror Yisrael movement, will lead participants through a journey that asks what it means for Israel to be a democracy.

## TGI Shabbat - SIGD Ethiopian Shabbat

Friday, November 6, 2015. 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Join in with our tradition of observing the Ethiopian Jewish holiday of SIGD. Participate in a special Kabbalat Shabbat service to welcome the day of rest that includes a procession with colorful umbrellas. Sign up online at [Beth-David.org/RSVP](http://Beth-David.org/RSVP) or call 408-257-3333 to bring a dairy or pareve (vegan) Ethiopian-influenced appetizer, main course, side dish or dessert.

## Jewish Time Travel: An 1800s Saturday Night

Saturday, November 14, 2014, 7:00 – 9:30 p.m.

Experience Jewish life in the 1800s at History Park, a 14-acre site featuring homes, businesses, and landmarks that highlight Santa Clara Valley's past.

**Enjoy the charm and ambience of times gone by with activities for all ages throughout the park.**

The evening begins with Havdalah under a replica of San Jose's first electric light tower and continues with a variety of fun and educational activities for adults and kids. Explore History Park and its many historic buildings.

- › Come in 1800s period costume
- › Live music and dance in the park's town square
- › Teen saloon
- › Historic movies
- › Panning for gold
- › The art of making Tallit (prayer shawl)
- › Kippah (head covering) crocheting
- › And more!

**Early Bird Pricing:** Adults \$15; Kids \$7; Under 3 FREE. RSVP online at [Beth-David.org/RSVP](http://Beth-David.org/RSVP) or call the office at 408-257-3333.

### *Yahrzeits Week of October 16/17, 2015*

Estelle Adelberg, Grandmother of Charles Adelberg  
Bernard Alter, Father of Jack Alter  
Jacklyn Arata, Sister of Ellen Karel  
Kathleen Arata, Sister of Ellen Karel  
Marshall Berger, Cousin of Maxie Baer  
Gerry Bernhard, of Blessed Memory  
Beatrice Bischoff, Sister-in-Law of Marjorie Bischoff  
Rinaldo Candau, Uncle of Barbara Green & Jan Krum  
David Diamond, Grandfather of Davida Adelberg  
Celia Dickman, Great aunt of Lloyd Dickman  
Sam Estreicher, Uncle of Deborah Estreicher  
Sura Fleischman, Mother of Clara Imas  
Arlene Greenberg, Mother of Laurie Himelstein  
Anna Kats, Daughter of Leonid Kats & Gita Gilgur  
Ida Klibansky, Mother of Lu Gildenberg  
Abner Kolberg, of Blessed Memory  
Phillip Lapidus, Grandfather of Ilene Janofsky  
Giselle Marr, Mother of Charles Marr  
Lazarus Morris, of Blessed Memory  
Arnold Moss, Brother of Janet Silberman  
Elsie Mostowitz, Mother of Vivian Golub  
Sophie Odliis, Aunt of Natalia Pogrebinsky  
Ruth Ganeles Peck, Cousin of Jerome Ganeles  
Mikhail Rohinson, Uncle of Roza Levina  
Golda Rosenberg, Grandmother of Irene Swedroe  
Melvyn Rosenstein, Father of Tracy Robinson  
Polina Sidorovsky, Mother of Marina Kuperman  
Harry Silver, Father-in-Law of Sandra Silver  
Robert Silver, Husband of Sandra Silver  
Hyman Silverstein, Father of David Silverstein  
Mary Solomon, Aunt of David Silverstein  
Samuel Strozer, Grandfather of Stephanie Kass  
Frances Tavan, Grandmother of Richard Tavan  
Charlotte Teifeld, Aunt of Jan Krum  
Eugene Wald, Father of Alice Wald  
Honey Weiner, Mother of Corinne Sherman  
Dorothy Weisberg, Sister of Martin Weisberg  
Jean Wright, Mother of Marcia Hunter  
Lillian Yelowitz, Mother of Larry Yelowitz  
Sylvia Zeidell, Aunt of Brett Borah

## *Refuah Sheleimah – A Complete Recovery – as of 10/17/15*

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*HaRav Yoshua Yosef ben Freyda (father of Moshe Preil)  
Rafael ben Essel, Richard Lakin (friend of Richard & Dorothy Dorsay)*

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Gail Wishnow (cousin of Davida Adelberg)  
Ruth Carpenter (great-niece of Davida Adelberg)  
Jacob "Kobi" Dayan (friend of Yael & Elie Alcheck)  
Raffi ben Ruth, Raffi Reiser (brother of Yael Alcheck)  
Michal Bracha bat Nechama  
Sarah bat Tzila (friend of Ilana Baird)  
Lia bat Esther, Fira Vugmeister (co-worker of Rabbi Ilana Baird)  
Yosel Aron ben Cecil, Jeff Manheimer (relative of Ruth Baret)  
Zahava Malka bat Hannah (sister of Betty Becker)  
Chaya bat Hena Liba, Maya Belogolovsky  
Vladmir Gelman (friend of Alex & Galina Belogolovsky)  
Rebecca Serruya bat Esther  
David Be'er ben Esther Sarah  
Sima Yehudit bat Gital Sarah  
Sandra Bauman (mother of Joel Bauman)  
Ellen Berger  
Ya'akov ben Hannah, Jack Hartstein (uncle of Barbara Biran)  
Ya'akov ben Avraham, Jerry Blumenthal (father of Howard Blumenthal)  
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)  
Moshe ben Berta, Murray Dolmatch (member & husband of Sandra Dolmatch)  
Joyce Mulligan (friend of Dorothy & Richard Dorsay)  
Yonah ben Arie, Herb Dreifuss (member)  
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 haKohen, Nathan Fihn (brother of Melvin Fihn)  
Michael ben Ze'ev haKohen, Melvin Fihn (member & husband of Karen Fihn)  
Alexander Urman (friend of Donna Frankel)  
Barry Bendel (father of Sandi Gaertner)  
Barbara Cohen (grandfather of Jadon Gaertner)  
Eliezer Yoel ben Tilly, Larry Zimmerman (cousin of Emily Gannes)  
Yosefa Rut bat Meira Batya (friend of Emily and Howard Gannes)  
Doivid Yosef ben Miriam haLevi (friend of Emily & Howard Gannes)  
Linda Hanson (friend of Susan & Lee Gavens)  
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)  
Zvi Leib ben Esther  
Jayme Mueller (relative of Helaine Green)  
Donald Schwartz (cousin of Steve Green)  
Allyson Guggenheim (daughter of Scott & Shannon Guggenheim, granddaughter of Karen & Allen Guggenheim)  
Hinda Hannah bat Shaina Miriam, Heather Harris (member & wife of Michael Harris)  
Hava bat Rut  
*(continued on separate page)*

## ***Refuah Sheleimah (continued)***

Mordechai ben Chaya Gittel  
Breindl bat Chaya Malka (mother of Debby Hoffman)  
Shet ben Esther, Seth Hoffman (cousin of David Hoffman)  
Shmuel ben Tzipporah (member)  
Eliahu ben Rama, Eli Isaac (member & husband of Lorraine Isaac;  
brother of Myrtle Schwartz)  
Yosef ben Leah, Joseph Isaac (son of Eli & Lorraine Isaac)  
Lucille Janofsky (mother of Eric Janofsky)  
Aharon ben Penina  
Malka Frimma bat Liba  
Carolyn Karel (mother of Steve Karel)  
Leah bat Yaffa, Laurie Kline (friend of Barbara Knaster)  
Sharon Ruth bat Chana (friend of Judith Krongold)  
Lauren Flato (member & wife of Steve Labovitz)  
Arkadi Nisenzon (brother of Zoya Lazer)  
Shmuel Sholom Reuven ben Chaya, Samuel Lif (member)  
Ditza Recht (friend of Andrea Linder)  
John Quesada (friend of Andrea Linder)  
Bill Schneider (friend of Andrea & Steven Linder)  
Herschel ben Bella, Howard Greyber (father of Elizabeth Lichy)  
Daronit Esther bat Leah  
Vered bat Yehudit, Vered Marash (member)  
Moshe ben Roza, Morris Kirschen (member & father of Sandy  
Mayer)  
Max Greenberg (cousin of Len & Sylvia Metz)  
Richard Greenberg (cousin of Len & Sylvia Metz)  
Leibl Yehuda ben Sheindl, Leonard Metz (member & husband of  
Sylvia Metz)  
Phyllis LaVine (friend of Sylvia Metz)  
Lizzie Sommer (friend of Jack Moore & Bonnie Slavitt- Moore)  
Cohava bat Rivka, Cohava Mor (member & wife of Jacob Mor)  
Yitzhak ben Sheindel, Gary Nankin (member & husband of Susan  
Nankin)  
Miriam Shirah bat Brachah Bayla (mother of Shoshana Ohriner)  
Miriam bat Ruth, Mary Subin Helfer (cousin of Margie Pomerantz)  
Beryl ben Golda, Barry Popper (member & husband of Marilyn  
Popper)  
Rebecca bat Rut, Linda Detmers (sister of Judy Powers)  
Emma Prokter (member & wife of Gregory Prokter)  
Syrel Raizel bat Rachel (other mother of Susan Murai Raider)  
Farid Mojtahedi (friend of Susan Murai Raider)  
Rachamim Natanel ben Shoshana, Clement Murai (son of Susan  
Murai-Raider)  
Neeta Maharaj (friend of Susan Murai-Raider)  
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)  
Yetta Frieda bat Chayala (friend of Susan Rojo)  
Tevya ben Gitel Hinda, Ted Rosenblume (member & husband of  
Gloria Rosenblume; father of Cathy Beyda)  
Eliezer ben Label, Allen Rosenzweig (member & husband of  
Susan Rosenzweig)  
Riva bat Rachel, Riva Rubnitz (member)  
Cindy Parks (friend of Michael Schaffer)  
Rosario Alvarez (mother of friend and co-worker of Felicia  
Schaffer)  
Henderson Family (friends of Felicia Schaffer)  
Alvin Gross (friend of Natalie Schriger)  
Roy Rocklin (friend of Rachel Schwab)  
Robert Douglas Gordon (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 Joel & Myrtle  
Schwartz)  
Scott Shultz (brother of Shmuel Shultz)  
Vikki Pople (aunt of Shmuel Shultz)  
Aare Ilves (friend of Shmuel Shultz)  
David ben Asya, David Chernomordik (friend of Yulia Shvarts)  
Luba Pasumansky (relative of Yulia Shvarts)  
Izabella Letskin (friend of Yulia Shvarts)  
Yonah Benjamin ben Daniel Zvi v'Liba Shifra, Aaron Skilken (son  
of Dan & Nancy Skilken)  
Malka bat Feiga, Marcia Spector (mother of Walter Spector)  
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  
Chaya Reizel bat Ruchel (member)  
Haya bat Sheina, Evelyn Tavan (mother of Rick Tavan)  
Reuven ben Goel, Richard Timmins  
Hudel bat Sheindel (member)  
Janice Torczyner (member & wife of Robert Torczyner)  
Dolores Turk  
Channa Rivka bat Sarah, Nancy Wiener (member & wife of Ken  
Wiener)  
Yitzhak ben Krisztina, Irving Goodman (grand-nephew of Nancy  
Wiener)  
Chaim ben Davida  
Rosa bat Riva (friend of Dina Yevelev)  
Annabel Rubin (relative of Dina Yevelev)  
Yossel ben Shir, Joel Zussman (member & husband of Marianne  
Zussman)