

Yahrzeits observed for the Week of 6 Shevat 5782  
January 8 thru January 14, 2022

Schedule of Services  
Services are in-person and  
virtual at this time

Kabbalat Shabbat 6:00 pm  
Shacharit 9:30 am  
Tot Shabbat 10:00 am  
Jr. Congregation 10:00 am  
**(There will be no Jr. Cong. or  
Tot Shabbat the month of January)**  
Sunday morning 9:00 am  
Sunday–Thursday evenings 7:00 pm  
Monday–Friday mornings 7:00 am

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**January 8  
6 Shevat**

Julius Comitor  
Irving Freeman  
Lillian Dubin Katz  
Debra Kaufman  
Genya Sloloduik  
Bertha Wolff

**January 9  
7 Shevat**

Henry Axelrod  
Bernard Cedarbaum  
Jack H. Goldberg  
Morris Lamitz  
Samuel Linderman  
George Slan  
Sonia M. Wiener

**January 10  
8 Shevat**

Hyme Cohen  
Lawrence E. Gould  
Essi Katz  
Abraham Lecker  
**January 11  
9 Shevat**  
Sue Chunowitz  
Amy Ebstein  
Sidney Kahn  
Annette Primack  
Marshall H. Smulson  
Buddy Sodikoff  
Iris Sturt  
Harry Wasserman  
Meir Wiener



**January 12  
10 Shevat**

Inda Arber  
Laura Ruth Lichter  
Philip Aron Postol  
Ralph Reed  
Dorothy Sax  
Jeanette Schapiro  
Eva Tepperman

**January 13  
11 Shevat**

Myrna Rae Madanick  
Alvin Ralph Spector  
Oren Stern  
Natan Zekel

**January 14  
12 Shevat**

Florence Burak  
Lillian Greenberg  
Pauline Hacker  
Herman Marsh  
Rose Moss  
Harry M. Offenbach

The yahrzeit candle should  
be lit the evening prior to  
the date indicated above.  
You are encouraged to  
attend minyan the evening  
before and the day of the  
yahrzeit. It is customary  
when observing a yahrzeit  
to perform an act of  
tzedakah in memory of  
your loved ones.



January 8, 2022

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**Shabbat Shalom**

**Torah Reading**

**Exodus - Bo**

Aliyah 1 12:29-32 page 387  
Aliyah 2 12:33-36 pages 387-388  
Aliyah 3 12:37-42 pages 388-389  
Aliyah 4 12:43-51 pages 389-390  
Aliyah 5 13:1-4 pages 391-392  
Aliyah 6 13:5-10 page 392  
Aliyah 7 13:11-16 page 393

**Maftir**

13:14-16 page 393

**Haftarah**

Jeremiah 46:13-28 pages 395-398

**Mazel Tov to:**

Don Babendir on his 90th birthday

**Today's Kiddush To Go Bags have been enhanced by  
Carole and Don Babendir** in honor of Don's 90th birthday

Out of an abundance of caution, for now, we are only going  
to offer a kiddush bag to go on Shabbat mornings. Given the  
situation with COVID right now, we ask that you do not  
congregate in the synagogue after services.

**Thank you for your cooperation.  
Michael Kahn, Executive Director**

**Thank you to last weeks Shabbat participants:**  
Greer Braun, Heidi Friedman, Cantor Menahem Kohl and  
Zvi Tannenbaum

At BHBE we take every precaution to ensure everyone's health  
and safety. Please, if you contract COVID-19 and were in the syn-  
agogue, confidentially let us know by reaching out to me. I can be  
reached at [michael.kahn@bhbe.org](mailto:michael.kahn@bhbe.org) or 847.256.6494. Thank you!

**Please remember, masks and  
vaccination verification are required  
before entering our building.**

We have a lot going on at BHBE! Please visit us at [www.bhbe.org](http://www.bhbe.org) for information about our events, classes, service times, and other engaging opportunities! For security purposes, links to all virtual programming are private. If you are a BHBE member, please check your daily email for access information. Please do not share this information with those outside of our organization. If you have questions, please reach out to us at [information@bhbe.org](mailto:information@bhbe.org) or 847.256.1213. Thank you!

***If you have any other questions, you can contact any one of us via email:***

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**Sisterhood yoga every Sunday on Zoom at 11:00am.** Stretch and strengthen in the privacy of your own home. Marcy Kreiter leads this weekly, all-levels class on zoom. Contact Marcy for details: [marcykreiter@gmail.com](mailto:marcykreiter@gmail.com).

As you know, we continue to see the extremely rapid spread of COVID-19, both locally and nationally. Now especially, we appreciate everyone's assistance in keeping one another safe.

To protect our community and allow us to continue in-person activities during this surge, **starting Saturday, January 29**, BHBE will require everyone ages 5 years and older attending in-person events to be fully up-to-date on recommended COVID-19 vaccinations. This will take two forms:

- Boosters for those eligible: Effective January 29, BHBE will require everyone ages 16 years or older who is six months past their Pfizer or Moderna second dose or anyone who is two months past their single Johnson and Johnson dose to have received their booster or additional vaccine dose.
- Vaccines for children 5-11 years old: Also effective January 29, BHBE will require children ages 5-11 years old to be two weeks past the completion of their primary (two dose) vaccine series in order to attend in-person events, including the Academy, Tot Shabbat and Junior Congregation, and Families with Littles ] programming. This is consistent with the new requirements in Cook County and Chicago restaurants and entertainment venues in effect as of January 3.

To have you or your child marked in our system as up-to-date on COVID-19 vaccines for future events, please email a picture of your updated card or vaccine record to [jackie.ernest@bhbe.org](mailto:jackie.ernest@bhbe.org) during January. ***If you last sent in your vaccine information to the office at the time of the High Holidays, prior to your booster, we ask that you now send your updated vaccine record. If you prefer, you may bring a copy of your card or vaccine record with you to each event (please note on Shabbat and holidays we will not look on an electronic device to verify your vaccine status - please bring a paper copy with you).***

If you or your household members are not up-to-date on recommended COVID-19 vaccines, visit <http://vaccines.gov>, text your zip code to 438829, or call 1-800-232-0233 for more information.

Consistent with state law, we will continue to also require masks to be worn by everyone over age two at all times inside the synagogue. Masks must be worn properly - covering both the mouth and nose. We encourage you to consider upgrading your mask to a high-quality, tighter fitting mask such as a N95, KN95, or KF94. We are grateful for everyone's cooperation in keeping one another safe. If you have any questions, please contact Michael at [michael.kahn@bhbe.org](mailto:michael.kahn@bhbe.org)

**Rabbi Crane's Talmud Class** - Wednesdays at 10:00am on Zoom.

**Psalms Class with Rabbi Crane** - First Thursday of each month, 7:30am on Zoom - right after minyan.

***Save the Dates for the next Sisterhood Daytime Series***

***January 20 - Hedy Weiss, Adventures of a Freelance Journalist:*** Hedy is a free lance journalist currently associated with WTTW and frequently contributes to the JUF News.

***March 31 - Author Lisa Barr*** will speak about her third and latest book, *A Woman on Fire*. Lisa is the author of the award-winning *Fugitive Colors* and *The Unbreakables*. Her new book will be released on March 1 and will be available for purchase at the event.

**If you want to purchase your 2022 Mah Jongg cards, please contact Sheri Offenbach: [mrsoff1@aol.com](mailto:mrsoff1@aol.com) or call 847.917.6868.**

***Judaica Shopopportunities - Hopefully, the New Year 2022 will bring celebration, fun and enjoyment... and will put a smile on your face! We hope the Judaica Shop can help.*** Please call Robin Smulson 847.287.1233 or Joan Meyers 847.602.2257 if you have any questions.

We always value and appreciate the generosity of our community in supporting BHBE and all of our initiatives! Sometimes, congregants like to donate stock to the synagogue. This is absolutely wonderful and appreciated as well! If you choose to donate securities, please reach out to our office in advance so we can give you our specific account information.

**If you have donated stock, especially recently**, please contact Jackie Ernest, [jackie.ernest@bhbe.org](mailto:jackie.ernest@bhbe.org) or Michael Kahn, [michael.kahn@bhbe.org](mailto:michael.kahn@bhbe.org) to let us know the details. Unfortunately, when stock is donated to BHBE we do not receive the donor's information. Thank you for your help and ongoing support!

***Michael Lehrer, BHBE Treasurer***

**Thursday, March 31, 2022, 7:30-9:30pm.** Maxwell Street Klezmer Band, featuring Cantor Pavel Roytman, at the Metropolis Performing Arts Centre in Arlington Heights. To purchase tickets, go to: <https://metropolisarts.com/event/maxwell-street-klezmer-band-featuring-cantor-pavel-roytman/>