

Shabbat Shalom



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

Kabbalat Shabbat 6:00 pm  
Shacharit 9:30 am  
Tot Shabbat 10:45 am  
Jr. Congregation 10:45 am  
Sunday morning 9:00 am  
Sunday–Thursday evenings 7:00 pm  
Monday–Friday mornings 7:00 am

**November 19, 25 Cheshvan**

Rebecca Goldman  
Rena Gruenberg  
Myron Horwitz  
Lena Leinwand  
Rose Micon  
Sadie Spevakow  
Sylvia Sanders Wilson

**November 20, 26 Cheshvan**

Cheryl Baim  
Morton Becker  
Allan Davis  
Elise Friedman  
Thomas Neil Kay  
Samuel K. Levin  
Dorothy Prober  
Rachel Sameh  
Abe Schnitzer  
Beatrice G. Shepp  
**November 21, 27 Cheshvan**  
Rebecca Chanin  
William Einhorn  
Mimi Kay Elpern  
Dora Kramer  
Florence Lawrence  
Bernard Pomerantz  
Harold Rappoport  
Eve Reitman  
Jack L. Schiffman

**November 22, 28 Cheshvan**

Belle Baime  
Sam Dubin  
Louis Mogul  
Steve Schnepfer  
Samuel Siegel  
Keith Allan Stein

**November 23, 29 Cheshvan**

Mollie Abt  
Joseph Helberg  
Muriel Lowinger  
Maxine Roth  
Benjamin Tepperman  
Dorothy Ann Wiener

**November 24, 30 Cheshvan**

Anna Eisenberg  
Shlomo Fisher  
Morton Gorchow  
Pola Mudrik  
David Nechamkin  
Morris Pekarsky  
Arthur A. Rubin  
Jonas Schonfeld  
**November 25, 1 Kislev**  
Steven Caplan  
Leo Fox  
Gordon Goldberg  
David Kaminsky  
Howard Samotny  
Rose Zalon

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**Thank you to last weeks Shabbat participants:**

Heidi Friedman, Deborah and Marion Meiselman,  
Marcia Lawrence, Louis King, Harriet Robbins Ost,  
Jessica-Ost Sloan, Maxwell Sloan, Irene Galvin,  
Eliza Galvin, Dan and Katie Galvin, Rachel Galvin,  
Daniel Borzutzky, Neal and Bunky Elyakin,  
Hannah Galvin, Sadie Galvin, Lorenzo Borzutzky,  
Tom Galvin, Felix Borzutzky and Charles Flum

**Dear Congregants,** As previously announced, some selected daily services will now take place **in-person** as well as on Zoom (Hybrid Services.) minyan. Please refer to your Thursday BHBE News for the schedule.

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.

**Torah Reading**  
**Genesis - Chaye Sarah**  
**Shabbat M'varekhim HaHodesh Kislev**

Aliyah 1 23:1-4 pages 127-128  
Aliyah 2 23:5-7 page 128  
Aliyah 3 23:8-12 pages 128-129  
Aliyah 4 23:13-16 page 129  
Aliyah 5 23:17-20 page 130  
Aliyah 6 24:1-4 pages 130-131  
Aliyah 7 24:5-9 pages 131-132

**Maftir**

24:5-9 pages 131-132

**Haftarah**

1 Kings 1:1-31 pages 143-145

**Mazel Tov to: Gail and Irwin Schneiderman** on their grandson, Avi Friedman's Bar Mitzvah

**Today's kiddush has been generously enhanced with protein by an anonymous donor.**

**The BHBE office will be closed Wednesday, November 23 thru Sunday, November 27 in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday**

**Siddur Lev Shalem for Purchase** - Inspired by the generosity of Ray Gilbert in memory of his wife, Sylvia, two anonymous donors are making it possible for us to sell congregants the *Siddur Lev Shalem* for \$18 each. Deadline is December 2.

**Shabbat Community Dinner @ BHBE on Friday, December 2, 6pm. Enjoy the wonderful music of the Octet. Please join us!**

\*Adult (13 and over) meals \$25 - chicken dinner, 2 sides and a salad (vegetarian option available)

\*Children's meals \$16 - chicken fingers and a side (ages 4-12) 3 and under free

\*Family option \$75 for family of 4 (2 adults, 2 children) can purchase additional meals if desired at costs above

\*5:30 meet/greet, 6:00pm service, dinner following service

**Register online: [bit.ly/bhbedinnerDec2022](http://bit.ly/bhbedinnerDec2022)**

**Make your reservation by Wednesday, November 23**

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 Thursday BHBE News 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 starting at a new time, 10am.*** 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).

***Help cement the future for years to come by contributing to the L'dor V'dor Brick Project.***  
Please call the office for more details.

### ***Sisterhood Fundraiser Information***

***Torah Fund Pins are here!*** You can get Torah Fund Pins in the office. Any questions, you can call or email Ida Ioffe - 847.814.5573, [idaioffe@comcast.net](mailto:idaioffe@comcast.net)

***Time to order your Mah Jongg cards.*** Checks should be made payable to: Sheri Offenbach, 3025 Lexington Lane, Highland Park, IL 60035. Regular cards \$14 each, Large print cards \$15.00 each. Deadline is January 20, 2023.

### ***JUDAICA SHOPPORTUNITIES - JUDAICA SHOPPORTUNITIES FOR HANUKKAH***

(Sung to the tune of "I Have a Little Dreidel")

"We have dreidels and menorahs, Hanukkah candles too.

Latke trays and latke tongs, And Chocolate pizzas, just for you  
Chorus

Our Judaica Shop is open, Buy your gifts galore

Crafts and Hanukkah singing dogs, Who can ask for anything more!

New Hanukkah items and gifts will be Featured at our Sisterhood Holiday Boutique on November 20. The Judaica Shop is open every Sunday. Contact Joan 847.602.2257 or Robin 847.287.1233 for more info.

***BHBE Sisterhood Annual Holiday Boutique - Tomorrow, 10:30am-4:30pm.*** Shop here for all your Holiday needs Unique & Affordable Merchandise for All Ages Items available will include Clothing, Handbags, Jewelry, Accessories, Personalized Gifts, Art Work and Toys

***Sisterhood Daytime Series - Thursdays, 12:30pm light lunch followed by the speaker at 1pm.***  
3/9/2023 - Ronald Balson - Book Release: An Affair of Spies, 5/11/2023 - Susan Lieberman and Friends These events are free to congregants and all BHBE Sisterhood and Men's Club members. Guests, \$5.

***Our High Holiday Appeal is growing.*** We are now at almost 92% of our goal of \$125,000, with over 185 families participating. We only have a few weeks left. Won't you join them to help sustain and strengthen our synagogue? Please email Michael Kahn: [michael.kahn@bhbe.org](mailto:michael.kahn@bhbe.org) ***Larry Plawsky, VP, Ways & Means***

***The New Trier Multifaith Alliance will sponsor an Interfaith Thanksgiving service on Tuesday evening, November 22, at 7:30 pm, at Winnetka Congregational Church, 725 Pine Street, Winnetka.*** The keynote speaker will be Rev. Stephen Avino, Executive Director, Parliament of the World's Religions. Rabbi Crane will also be participating in the service. Contributions will be given to the New Trier Food Pantry. The livestream information is available on Winnetka Congregational Church YouTube channel.

***On Shabbat morning December 17, we are pleased to announce that we will be dedicating our Legacy Circle Donor Plaque outside of the Spak Auditorium.*** This plaque will recognize and honor our fellow congregants and friends who have made a commitment to the prosperous future of BHBE. Following services, a short ceremony will be followed by a celebratory kiddush. We look forward to having you join us to recognize our fellow congregants. Moreover, we still have time for people who are considering joining the Legacy Circle to participate in this inaugural event and have their name included on the plaque. Please contact Shelly Reis or Jay Goldstein if you would like to learn more.

***The next Men's Club Breakfast is Sunday, Dec 4 at 10:00am.*** We have a special panel discussion from various anti-violence groups discussing the fantastic work that they are doing to address violence in at-risk communities in Chicago. Speakers will include top thinkers and workers in Chicago on this issue who work for Institute for Nonviolence Chicago, READI Chicago, Metropolitan Peace Academy (CP4P), Strategic Partnerships and Chicago CRED. The event will be moderated by Teny Gross, Executive Director of Institute for Nonviolence Chicago. If you have any questions, please contact Jeff Roth at [rothkauf386@gmail.com](mailto:rothkauf386@gmail.com)

***Introduction to Judaism Class -*** BHBE, in partnership with other Conservative congregations in the area, we will be offering this class beginning Wednesday evenings, (7-8:15pm on Zoom, once monthly in person). This 18-week course is designed for anyone interested in learning more about Judaism. Please refer to the BHBE News for more information including cost and scholarship opportunities. Contact Rabbi Reni Dickman, [rabbidickman@bhbe.org](mailto:rabbidickman@bhbe.org) with any questions or call her at 847.256.1213.

### ***Adult Ed Classes:***

***Rabbi Friedman - Monday's 11am -11/21, 11/28, 12/5/2022,*** Strangers in a Strange Land, zoom only

***Rabbi Crane - Wednesday mornings, 10am*** Talmud class, In-person and zoom

***Rabbi Crane - The first Thursday of each month,*** Psalms Class on Zoom, right after minyan

***Sandy Goldberg - Thursday evenings at BHBE, 7:30pm, thru 12/15/2022, Contemporary Jewish Thought.*** The course readings will all be taken from AMERICAN JEWISH THOUGHT SINCE 1934: WRITINGS ON IDENTITY, ENGAGEMENT, AND BELIEF, eds. M. Marmor and D. Ellenson (2020: Brandeis University Press.) For the first day of class, we will be discussing the introduction, pp. xvii-xxx. This should be read before coming to class, if possible. There will be no class on November 24. In-person only.