

Yahrzeits observed for the Week of 11 Adar 5783

March 4 thru March 10, 2023

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**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

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**March 4, 11 Adar**

Nettie Drexler  
Ceile Mandell  
Rebecca Meltzer  
Nettie Naiman  
Henry Schenk  
Sam Schneider  
Mordecai Wilensky  
**March 5, 12 Adar**  
Sharon Abramson  
Zelig Cutler  
Max Eisenberg  
Sophia Lillian Fleischer  
Nathan Fox  
Molly Garber  
Ben Goldbaum  
Esther Goldman  
Lloyd Gordon  
Ruth Lifshitz  
Lillian Meyers  
Charlotte Rapoport

**March 6, 13 Adar**

Abe J. Abrams  
Margaret Ernst  
Joshua Glick  
Perry Granof  
Shirley Mayer  
Max B. Oscherwitz  
Henry Schaye  
Sarah Stein  
Sam Zeitlin  
Sol M. Zenner

**March 7, 14 Adar**

Irwin Baron  
Esther Brenner  
Harry Glassenberg  
Morris Kayne  
Charles Levin  
Bella Rosman  
Mae Behr Wolfmark

**March 8, 15 Adar**

Ben Finkel  
Charlotte Primack  
Lottie Rovin  
Nathan Rozeen  
Betsy Stein Matek  
**March 9, 16 Adar**  
Dina Bernstein  
Gladys Bernstein  
Morris Cohen  
Benjamin Fisher  
Paula E. Freedman  
Emma Genson  
Dorothy Harris  
Milton Kensky  
Irving Plotnick  
Fred Roland  
Morrie L. Schragar  
Mollie Stempel  
Bernice Szuchmacher  
**March 10, 17 Adar**  
Rebecca Canner  
Gertrude Comar  
Anna Marbleston Come  
Simon Einhorn  
Hattie Fox  
Michael Genson  
Aaron Goldman  
Ruth Hibnick  
Sol Krom  
Rachel Schiffman Minkus  
Stuart Fred Osher  
Rebecca Sherman  
Lena Wortman

**Thank you to last week's Shabbat participants:**

Robin Smulson,  
Ray Glassenberg,  
Zvi Tannenbaum,  
The Rodin Family and  
Avi Buchbinder



**Shabbat Shalom**

**Torah Reading**  
*Exodus - Tetzaveh*  
**Parshat Zachor**

Aliyah 1 27:20-28:5 pages 503-505  
Aliyah 2 28:6-9 pages 505-506  
Aliyah 3 28:10-12 page 506  
Aliyah 4 28:13-17 pages 506-507  
Aliyah 5 28:18-21 page 507  
Aliyah 6 28:22-25 pages 507-508  
Aliyah 7 28:26-30 page 508

**Maftir**

Deuteronomy 25:17-19 pages 1135-1136

**Haftarah**

I Samuel 15:2-34 pages 1282-1285

**Mazel Tov to: Esther and David Galantowicz and Iva and Zelig**

**Falevits** on the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter and granddaughter, Chelsea Galantowicz

**Adrienne and Jeffrey Kriezelman and Robin and Paul Smulson** on their son and nephew Justin and Theresa Yafanaro's Auf Ruf and upcoming marriage  
**Percy Ferguson**, Maintenance Supervisor, who celebrated his 39th year this week, starting with Bnai Emunah and now BHBE  
**Marcie Eskin** on her 24th anniversary as BHBE Librarian

**Today's kiddush has been sponsored by Iva and Zelig Falevits** in honor of their granddaughter Chelsea Galantowicz's Bat Mitzvah. **Adrienne and Jeff Kriezelman** have made a donation to the kiddush in honor of the Auf Ruf of their son Justin and Theresa Yafanaro

**Condolences to: Jane Hornstein** on the passing of her husband and our long-time congregant, Jeff Hornstein

**Fast of Esther - Monday, March 6**, Fast Begins 4:51am, Shacharit in-person and Zoom 7am, Mincha on Zoom only 1pm, Maariv and Megillah Reading in-person and Zoom 6:30pm

**Thank you for the wonderful anonymous donation** which has provided us with the ability to hold our Purim Carnival and Littles programming for the Purim holiday!  
**Thank you to Mel F. Seidenberg and the Annette W. and Mel F. Seidenberg Family Youth Fund** for their sponsorship of one of the booths at this year's Purim Carnival

**Save these Dates:**

**Sunday, June 11, A Night in Old Havana. BHBE's 65th Annual Gala Invitation to follow.**  
**Friday, June 23, Shabbat at the Beach. More details to follow.**

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.

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. 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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***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 yoga every Sunday on Zoom, 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).

***Sisterhood Daytime Series, Thursday, March 9, 12:30pm light lunch followed by the speaker Ronald Balson at 1pm. Book Release: An Affair of Spies.*** The author of *Once We Were Brothers*, *Saving Sophie*, *Karolina's Twins*, *The Trust*, *The Girl From Berlin*, *Eli's Promise*, and *Defending Britta Stein*, will speak about his most recent novel.

***The BHBE Judaica Shop*** With Purim just around the corner, please stop by the BHBE Judaica Gift Shop to peruse and purchase items for the kiddies! See the books in the window for Purim along with some fun masks and fun Purim items. The Gift Shop will be open Sunday from 9:30am until noon during the Purim carnival and Monday, 5:15pm - 7:15pm, before Littles and Family Megillah Readings. Contact Joan 847.602.2257 or Robin 847.287.1233.

***Men's Club Breakfast, Sunday, 03/12, "Jewish grandparents talking to their grandchildren by Deanna Schoss & Jerry Witaovsky.*** In person breakfast at BHBE after morning minyan. Sponsorships can be purchased at BHBE.org | Community | Men's Club

***Tequila and Taco Party, Sunday 03/12.*** Doors open at 5:00pm. Learn about and sample a range of tequilas. A Men's Club party at BHBE. Last day to buy tickets is March 7, 2023. Purchase tickets at the office or at BHBE.org | Community | Men's Club

***Sheldon Reis is BHBE Men's Club Man of the Year.*** Presentation on Sunday 03/26, 3pm to 5pm at Beth Judea 5304 RFD, Long Grove, IL. Support Sheldon by purchasing tickets.

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

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

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

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***The Shabbat Squad invites you to join us for a Refugee Awareness Shabbat program Friday, March 24th at 5:30 pm.*** Featuring Elana Boiskin, HIAS Community Engagement Specialist, and a panel of BHBE clergy and congregants. Family-friendly Kabbalat Shabbat service, activities for little and big kids, and a delicious kosher dinner with kid-friendly food options. RSVP by Thursday, March 16.

***Saturday Night, March 4th 8pm - BHBE Purim Spiel ...nothing but the truth-ish.*** Is artificial intelligence the secret to determining truth? The "true" story of Purim will be presented through song and skit by your talented and creative fellow congregants. Join Rabbi Crane, Cantor Roytman and your shul friends for a great evening of "sophisticated" humor. **In Person Only** - Tickets \$36, includes light refreshments. Tickets \$36, includes refreshments

#### ***Purim Youth and Family Programming and BHBE Megillah Reading***

***BHBE Purim Carnival - Sunday, March 5, 11am to 1pm in SPAK.*** No charge thanks to a generous anonymous donor. Inflatables, Games, Gaga, Face Painting, Prizes, Contests, Videos and more! Hot dogs, chips and hamantaschen will available for purchase. Purim Pep rally in the Sanctuary at 10:30am.

***Families with Littles Purim Party - Monday, March 6, 5:30pm.*** Pizza Dinner, Hamantaschen, Costumes, Purim Songs and Israeli/Purim Dance Party with Sarah Rodin. RSVP: [bhbe.org/littles](http://bhbe.org/littles). No charge, thanks to a generous anonymous donor. Followed at 6:30pm by BHBE's Megillah Reading.

***BHBE Megillah Reading, Monday, March 6, 6:30pm-8:30pm.*** Projections, Klezmer, Hamantaschen and Fun!

***Legacy Circle: The Legacy Circle*** was established to ensure that we continue to maintain and support our religious and community sustaining activities for the next generation and generations to come. By including BHBE in you Estate Planning, you can demonstrate your support for our future. Contact Shelly Reis or Jay Goldstein for info. on how you can participate.

***In the spirit of environmental sustainability, we have established a fund to cover the cost of composting our food and paper waste at BHBE events.*** You can find more information or make a donation to support this effort at <https://www.bhbe.org/zero-waste/>

Coming to services and having kiddush with your BHBE friends is a really nice way to spend Shabbat. And you know if you have the right cookie or muffin or bagel and schmear, you just sit around and schmooze a little longer. Please consider enhancing a kiddush in honor of B-Mitzvahs, Auf Rufs and weddings, baby namings, birthdays, anniversaries and other special occasions. For more information, see the [BHBE website](http://BHBE website).

Be sure to check our BHBE Facebook page, located at: <https://www.facebook.com/BethHillelBnaiEmunah>, for regular updates from the congregation, program information, and news from the Academy.

***Please note our annual meeting will now be on May 31 at 7:30pm.*** This was originally scheduled for May 24. Our board meeting will also be moved to May 31 and will follow the annual meeting.

As you know, we have started in-person Shabbat Mincha services at 1pm. We look forward to you joining us at Shabbat Mincha at 1pm or the morning minyan on Sunday mornings, 9am.