



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

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April 1, 10 Nisan

Bruce Caplan
Florence Goldman
Helen Birnbaum
Leah Friedman
Leonard Nanus
Max Gold
Meite Isenstein
Rhoda Himmelblau
Solomon Spector

April 2, 11 Nisan

Bobby Borovoy
Doris Miller
Harold M. Blatt
John Gaertner
John Kurland
Mamie Werd
Norman Matthew
Ruth Pick

April 3, 12 Nisan

Eugene Usow
Henry Wineberg
Jeffrey Rosen
Lea Spevakow
Leo Himmelblau
Norma Manowitz
Ord Matek
Ottavio Landi
Pamela Shrock

April 4, 13 Nisan

Fannie Chorpash
Fanny Boshes
Hannah Levin
Harry Ross
Jacob Rothschild
Jean Wolf
Lillian Lerman
Max Pantowich
Mort Berson
Philip Gerber
Sarah L. Levin

April 5, 14 Nisan

Abe Levin
Arthur Redom
Chana Levit
Frank Smith
Jack Sloan
Philip Goren
Sam Zaban

April 6, 15 Nisan

Beverly Kupchan
Eva Ruttenberg
Leroy Levin
Max Neidorf
Michele Sue Colby
Samuel A. Gerber

April 7, 16 Nisan

Anna Salomon
Henry Addis
Joel Harvey Borak
Lorraine J. Greene
Marjorie Traisman
Sherman Feinstein
Trinidad Alvar
Yetta Africk

**Mincha services
will begin at 1:30pm.**

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
Leviticus - Tzav
Shabbat Hagadol

Aliyah 1 6:1-3 pages 613-614
Aliyah 2 6:4-6 page 614
Aliyah 3 6:7-11 pages 614-615
Aliyah 4 6:12-16 page 615
Aliyah 5 6:17-23 page 616
Aliyah 6 7:1-6 pages 616-617
Aliyah 7 7:7-10 page 617

Maftir

7:7-10 page 617

Haftarah

Malachi 3:4-24 pages 1296-1298

Mazel Tov to: Esther Chereck in honor of her 80th birthday
Ahouva and Isaac Hasbani on the birth of their granddaughter,
Soraya Rima Abramyan

Today's kiddush has been sponsored by: Beth Fraum, Cara Galper and Diana Martin in honor of their father and our longtime member, Sam Pfeffer's dedication. It has been enhanced by Esther Chereck in honor of her 80th birthday.

Save these Dates:

Sunday, June 11, A Night in Old Havana. BHBE's 65th Annual Gala. See your BHBE News for more information.
Friday, June 23, Shabbat at the Beach. More details to follow.
Friday, August 25, Shabbat in the Shade at BHBE

Thank you to last weeks Shabbat participants: Heidi Friedman, Zvi Tannenbaum Carole and Don Babendir, Shelly Reis, Eli Buchbinder, Eli Buchbinder, Jay Goldstein, Eliza Galvin, Marilyn Rubin, Carole Babendir, Joel Dryer, Martin Birnbaum and Liz Sokol

Many thanks to all who attended last Friday's Refugee Awareness Shabbat. Elana Boiskin, our Friday night speaker and Community Engagement Specialist, HIAS Immigration & Citizenship, would like to know if any BHBE congregants might be interested in helping a young couple from Afghanistan who will be arriving on April 10th. They are expecting a baby in July. Elana writes that any help would be greatly appreciated--either with co-sponsorship, or as individual volunteered. The couple will be living in the Rogers Park/West Ridge area. If you'd like to know more, please email Jessica Littmann at jessica@bhbe.org.

We have a lot going on at BHBE! Please visit us at 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 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.

“Brunch is Served” Lox Box offered by BHBE Sisterhood and Men’s Club. \$36 per box for pickup, \$40 for box to be delivered. Don’t forget to purchase lox boxes to support those who depend on the Ark for food. These are called “Ark Mitzvah boxes.” Purchase 1, 2 or as many as you can for \$36 each. Pickup in the BHBE Rotunda, Sunday, May 7, 10-11:30am.

BHBE JUDAICA SHOPPORTUNITIES – The Judaica Gift Shop Passover Sale will continue until Pesach begins. All items are 10% off. The Gift Shop will be open this Sunday, 9:30am to noon. If you need items this week, please contact Joan 847.602.2257 to setup an appointment.

Yellow Candle Distribution: Yellow Candles will be available outside the Sanctuary, after the Yom HaShoah service on April 17. Make a contribution to support Yellow Candle distribution at “BHBE.org | Community | Men’s Club”.

Breakfast on Sunday, April 23, Rabbi Bauman discusses “How to be a Mensch”. In person at BHBE, after morning minyan.

Men’s Club Shabbat, April 29. Come, pray, and enjoy a special Kiddish including cholent made by Dr. Gary Rubin.

Cubs Outing, May 31, 2023: Save the date, more information to come. Talk to Tom Ungar.

Adult Ed Classes:

Rabbi Crane - Wednesday mornings, 10am Talmud class, In-person and zoom. (Class will not meet on April 5 or April 12.)

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

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.

Hey Folks! We're coming to my favorite and most overwhelming time of the year. Passover 2023 (“P2023”) - Great seders and food and sooo much work! Anyways - we need your help to have kiddushim for all the chagim. Thursday, April 6 First Day, Friday, April 7 Second Day, Saturday, April 8 Shabbat, Wednesday, April 12 Seventh Day, Thursday, April 13 Eighth Day and Yizkor. So please help us out and contribute to P2023 . We get hungry after services. If that wasn't enough - we are also celebrating a birthday Shabbat on April 8 so if you have a birthday in April, please add your name to the list. We'd love to honor you! I'll try and find some good desserts and hopefully real food too with your donations. One more thingBHBE is turning 65! We are celebrating this milestone with all of our April birthdays.. So please contribute so we can continue to have robust kiddushim with our BHBE family.

“Donuts & Data” Day - Sunday, April 16, 9:30-11:00am in the Rotunda. BYOC (Bring Your Own Computer) BYOP (Bring Your Own Password) - or request one by emailing michael.kahn@bhbe@bhbe.org. During this drop-in opportunity learn about...*Our BHBE website, *Logging in to your BHBE account to check your personal information, see our calendar, view your yearzeits, access our member directory and more *Learn about our social media presence on Face Book.

It Didn’t Start With Gas Chambers - Join us at BHBE on Monday evening, April 17 at 7:30pm for a Yom Hashoah Commemoration and Educational Program. Yellow Candle Distribution
Yellow candles will be available outside the Sanctuary after the Yom HaShoah service.

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.

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 your 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 naming’s, birthdays, anniversaries and other special occasions. For more information, see the [BHBE website](http://www.bhbe.org).

The next BHBE News will be sent on 4/20, after Passover
The office will be closed April 5th, 6th, 7th, 12th, and 13th in observance of the Passover holiday