

**January 20, 10 Shevat**

Jeanette Schapiro

**January 21, 11 Shevat**

Myrna Rae Madanick

Alvin Ralph Spector

Natan Zekel

**January 22, 12 Shevat**

Lillian Greenberg

Rose Moss

Harry M. Offenbach

**January 23, 13 Shevat**

Lena Einhorn

Martha Fleischman

Rhea Gefter

Lena Greene

Pauline V. Herskovitz

Joanne Johnson

Jack Moline

Bessie Odzer

Mary Bernstein Schneider

David Strauss

Sheldon Wolfmark

**January 24, 14 Shevat**

Herbert Hadesman

Barry A. Levison

Ida Pollack

Colman Rosenstein

Dora Stopek

Shirley Teter Sulzer

**January 25, 15 Shevat**

Benjamin Glass

Jeanette Hoffberg

I. Archer Levin

Bella Rabin

Betty Rosen

Albert Rosenfeld

Elissa Hope Strom

**January 26, 16 Shevat**

Rochelle Iczkovitz

Jan Levin

Herbert Mahler

Mae Nabedrick

Note that we expect the sanctuary and Spak to be approximately 68 degrees in the winter months and 72 degrees in the summer months - please dress accordingly. Questions? Contact Michael Kahn: michael.kahn@bhbe.org

**Help Us Plan the Purim Carnival March 17, 2024**

**Email Jessica @bhbe.org for more information**



**Introduction to Judaism Class Sundays, 10:45 - 11:45am.** Rabbi Crane will continue teaching a bi-weekly series of active and accessible classes on Sunday mornings for parents, covering Judaism's most significant and inspiring ideas and the nuts and bolts of daily Jewish living. New participants are welcome!

**Prayer—Who Needs It?** Rabbi Barry Friedman will be teaching on Mondays thru 3/4 at 11am. **Class will not meet on 2/26.** This is zoom only.

Mark your calendars for Sisterhood Shabbat, March 30. Would you like to read a Torah portion? Act as a gabbai? Wrap the Torah? Read a prayer in English or Hebrew? Open the Ark? Just let Marcy Kreiter ([marcykreiter@gmail.com](mailto:marcykreiter@gmail.com)) or Carol Gopman ([cgopman@gmail.com](mailto:cgopman@gmail.com)) know. Here's your chance to participate!

**BHBE Retreat**

September 13-15, 2024 - Camp Chi's Perlstein Retreat Center, Lake Delton, WI. Please mark your calendars and stay tuned for more details. For questions or to get involved, contact Lia Goldfarb [lia.goldfarb@gmail.com](mailto:lia.goldfarb@gmail.com)

Please note that all credit card payments **(including donations)** carry a 3% fee. You can use an eCheck with no fee at any time. If you have any questions, please contact our office at: [information@bhbe.org](mailto:information@bhbe.org) or 847-256-1213. Thank you!

Thank you to Hillel Furlager for providing us with wonderful reading material relating to Israel! To read the Israel Corner article, please go to: <https://www.bhbe.org/israel-corner/>



**Shabbat Shalom Camp Shabbat**

**Torah Reading Exodus - Bo**

- Aliyah 1 11:4-10 pages 379-380
- Aliyah 2 12:1-10 pages 380-382
- Aliyah 3 12:11-13 pages 382-383
- Aliyah 4 12:14-16 pages 383-384
- Aliyah 5 12:17-20 page 385
- Aliyah 6 12:21-24 pages 385-386
- Aliyah 7 12:25-28 page 386

**Maftir**

12:25-28 page 386

**Haftarah**

Jeremiah 46:13-28 pages 395-398

*Today's kiddush has been hosted by BHBE*

**Mazel Tov to: Marcie and Rick Eskin** on the birth of their granddaughter, Tziporah Liba Eskin

**Condolences to: Ken Zoline and family** on the passing of his mother, Barbara Zoline

Join Rochelle Zell Jewish High School for Curriculum Night on February 6 from 6:00-8:00 pm! Curriculum Night will focus on 9th Grade academics at RZJHS. Learn about the freshman curriculum, daily schedule, and course placement guidelines, attend model lessons from a variety of subject areas to get a glimpse into the RZJHS student experience, and enjoy dairy & pareve hors d'oeuvres. RSVP now: <https://forms.gle/CCLdU7j4uTxE1ds69>

**BHBE Adult Ed Film Festival—Tomorrow night, 7:30pm, The Levys of Monticello.** The Levys of Monticello is a fascinating documentary film that tells the little-known story of the Levy family, who not only owned Monticello for 90 years, but saved it from ruin on two different occasions. The remarkable story of the Levy family also intersects with the rise of antisemitism that runs throughout the course of American history **Mark your calendars for the third and final film date: Saturday, February 10th.**

**BHBE Sisterhood Girls Night Out - Paper Quilling** for beginners, \$18 per person, Tuesday, January 23, 7:30pm at BHBE, in person only. **BHBE Sisterhood is going to the Downton Abbey Exhibit at Old Orchard**, \$36 per person, Thursday, February 22, 10:30am.

**JUDAICA SHOPPORTUNITIES - All items in the Judaica Shop window are 40% off. Just in time to enter your name on our Super Bowl grid.** For every \$10 spent, you choose one square on the Super Bowl grid. Super Bowl is on February 11. Come see our terrific window items! For additional information or to purchase contact: Robin 847.287.1233 or Joan 847.602.2257.

**Kol Yisrael Arevim Zeh Ba'Zeh Campaign - All the people of Israel are responsible for one another.** Please consider giving to Torah Fund. Contact Ida Ioffe for more details: 847.814.5573 or [idaioffe@comcast.net](mailto:idaioffe@comcast.net)

**Digital Torah Fund eCards for every occasion. New Beautiful design. Please use this link. <https://torahfundecards.jtsa.edu>**

**It's time to order your new Mah-Jong cards.** Checks made out to BHBE Sisterhood and send to Sheri Offenbach, 3025 Lexington Lane, Highland Park, IL 60035. Regular card is \$14, large card is \$15. Deadline to order is tomorrow, January 21, 2024. Contact Sheri Offenbach: [mrsoff1@aol.com](mailto:mrsoff1@aol.com)

**Men's Club Food for Thought Breakfast tomorrow morning after minyan:** Creating a Safer World -- Our speakers will be Dr. Emily Lieberman and Ivy Domont. morning minyan.  
**Rituals in Transition**  
Jan. 21, 2024, Sunday, make Havdalah candle and spice box.  
Jan. 27, 2024, Saturday evening Havdalah service. Want 100  
Jan. 28, 2024, Build a pair tefillin with Academy.  
Feb. 11, 2024, World Wide Wrap event.

**Thank you to everyone who has contributed to our BHBE kiddush on Shabbat over the past year.** We really could not have done it without you. YOU have brought our community back. Back to services, back to kiddush and back to hanging out with our friends. We want it to continue. Please consider making a contribution to the kiddush fund even when it's not birthday kiddush. We want you there. Help us out. Thanks, Marsha

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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**Saturday, January 20**  
9:30am Camp Shabbat  
5:45pm Littles Program  
7:30pm BHBE Film Festival

#### **Adult Ed Classes**

**Psalms Class with Rabbi Nate Crane** - First Thursday of each month at 7:30am in-person and on Zoom - right after minyan

**Talmud Class with Rabbi Nate Crane** - Wednesdays at 10am in-person and on Zoom

**Introduction to Judaism Class with Rabbi Nate Crane** - Bi-weekly, Sundays at 11am in-person

**Prayer—Who Needs It? Rabbi Barry Friedman will be teaching on**

**Mondays at 11am** beginning January 8, 2024. Most of the Jewish prayers we use today are almost 2,000 years old and, let's admit, some may feel stale. Can we revive our interest in the prayers of our ancestors and in the endeavor of prayer itself if we examine what the authors of the prayers were trying to express? What needs were these particular prayers designed to fulfill? What needs do we ourselves bring to worship? How can we interpret these ancient prayers to find them personally fulfilling in our modern world? This is zoom only. **You can register online or call the office, 847.256.1213:** <https://bhbe.shulcloud.com/form/Learning%20Curve%20Adult%20Education%202023-2024>

BHBE is proud to offer scholarships for congregants' children who will attend a program in Israel or at a Jewish camp. For more information, and to apply, please follow the link below. Thank you to the BHBE Next Gen Fund for the generous support of our families!

**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.