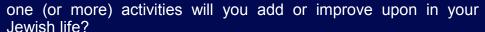
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# Cantor's Corner by Cantor Bruce Shapiro

As we have just completed the High Holiday season recently, we now go back to the task of refocusing our efforts on becoming our better selves in the coming year.

What have you committed to improving upon during the New Year 5782, and what





**Think about this**: You destroy the family business. Then you leave.

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## LEGACY AWARDS LUNCHEON HONOREES ANNOUNCED SAVE THE DATE—SUNDAY, MARCH 27, 2022

Congregation Beth Shalom (CBS) has been hosting its annual fundraiser – the Legacy Luncheon Awards event for 15 years! You can play a big part in this year's success. We welcome everyone's participation.

We are coming up on the six month "countdown" to CBS's 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Legacy Luncheon to be

held at 11:00 a.m. Sunday, March 27, 2022, at Eagle Glen Golf Club. The event honors those who make a difference in our community. We pay tribute to some special people and humanitarian one business who have given unconditional service and support to our Jewish community.

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\* = through June 2022

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What message does that send to others? How can you be trusted? Why the violence? Or was this an act of creating discomfort for the family? If so, why do it this way?

The answer is not so simple. If Abraham did not reject his father's faith, what would have been the direction of the future Israelite people?

For the Jewish people, human dignity is one of our greatest concerns. We faced this same issue in Egypt vears later when enslaved. Had Moses not challenged Pharaoh with the plagues ultimately allowing the Israelites to leave Egypt and effect change allowing the slaves to be treated fairly and be released from bondage, who knows what our fate would have been as a people?

We do not advocate violence, but we must create discomfort to provide justice and human dignity. Devontae Torriente, a young African American leader, explains: "It's time for us to do away with the idea that we must be respectful or courteous to be entitled to our rights... We are now charged with ushering in a new era of normalized discomfort in which people in positions of power that in this fight for humanity, we will not concede the raw power of our indignation."

As Jews, we must remember the smashing of the idols and the story of the plagues. These both remind us of the "role that discomfort plays in "social change" and to embrace the from discontent that comes vital and necessary transformation.

Out of our discomfort and out of the chaos in the world today, we hope that justice and human dignity are allowed a rebirth.

Adon Olam, Master of the Universe, our country and world seem chaotic and are in tumult. Please show us Your plan which will include the sharing of this world in peace, harmony, human dignity, and love amongst all peoples. Although we may not understand what Your master plan is now, we are painfully aware of the uncomfortable changes happening.

I am looking forward to seeing you all in person or on Zoom soon! Make a visit on any Friday evening for Shabbat or once per month on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Shabbat of the month for Torah Study and morning services. Please continue to stay healthy and wear a mask as required.

## President's Message

This message was read to the Congregation at Yom Kippur by Bruce Rouman, CBS President.

One of the many things at CBS that never stopped during the past 18 months of the COVID-19 Pandemic was our Religious School Education Program. Religious Services were held on Zoom and likewise our Religious School was held on Zoom, too. The Religious School program continued on Sundays with home projects and taking photos of the kids. We learned that a shift in educational delivery can be done quickly and that learning does take place on Zoom and that was gratifying to the entire Religious School staff.

During the first weeks of Religious School Zoom meetings, Shirli Driz came by the house to give Marci and Jessi Rouman lessons on breakout rooms, response icons and how to do polling. In a short time, the CBS education staff became expert Zoom teachers, thanks to Shirli's help. Additionally, they all learned to use the new technology without a user guide or a quick reference manual.

We kept at it, week after week, just as if we were studying Hebrew for a Bar or Bat Mitzvah. We taught and students learned, although they we never in the same physical room for 18 months.

To add interest to the Religious School Program, Marta Driz created monthly home project kits. Many times, the activity was "Cooking with Marta." Marta would pre-kit a bag of supplies for a cooking or a craft project for each student. The kits were dropped off at our home and parents would stop by to pick up the kits a few days before the class project was to take place. What a fun and interesting experience! Marci had some fun days with some of the kits that Marta prepared; we had liquid leaking or milk in bags for other projects. Overall, these kits were perfect and all home projects worked well. We had some kids that didn't like banana pudding and substituted chocolate; but that's OK since it was taking place in their own kitchens and so was the mess!

One of the holidays we celebrated on Zoom was Purim. We created a Purim Puppet Show. As the story of Purim came to life, each student held up decorated pictures of the characters on the backdrop of the ancient City of Shushan. As the

story unfolds. the characters were on paint sticks and were controlled the by students. Our Purim Spiel was acted out by the students and their puppets. Cantor Bruce helped to create a marvelous puppet show and it was a successful event on Zoom.



Bruce Rouman President of CBS

The students were unaware that I collected the puppets after the spiel and with the incredible talents of Renee Tieszen and myself, we recreated the ancient City of Shushan with the full cast of Purim characters in a large frame, including the most famous person. (Don't say his name.)

This piece of art work will hang in the sanctuary. It contains art work from all the classes of CBS students. Thanks to our teachers and educational staff for their help.

The school year concluded and the final day was a meeting for all the students and teachers in our back yard. We'll just add this amazing Religious School year to our "Little Shul that Could."

Many of you know that we operate the CBS Religious School on a budget that's mostly in the red. We always planned well, but with rising salaries and the cost of books, we have kept our tuition low for our families with children. For the past 53 years, CBS has always accepted families no matter their financial position. We always make it work financially so that children are given a Jewish education. Donations to the Religious School make it work, as does your purchase of scrip.

I thank everyone for your kind support this year, not only towards the Education Program, but for other areas of support to CBS.

Thank you and Chag Sameach.

# THANKFUL FOR ZOOM

#### Thank goodness for Zoom!

I have been ill since August 25th. I was in the hospital the weekend of August 27<sup>th</sup> and again from September 11<sup>th</sup> until a few days ago. I got three stents yesterday and am feeling much better. The week before being readmitted, I wasn't well enough to attend services in person and, of course, once I was in the hospital, it was out of the question (they wouldn't give me a holiday pass).

Because all our services were on Zoom, I was able to attend every High Holy Day service. I am grateful to HaShem that he gave people the wisdom to make this technology available and grateful to Bruce Rouman, Sam Miller, Bob Stone, and everyone involved in setting up our services on Zoom.

This is a wonderful feature we offer shut-ins and people out of town. Again, I can't tell you how much this meant to me.

Thanks, Joan Zak

# Join us in Celebrating Members of our Synagogue



#### **October**

- 06 Joel Notick
- 08 Brooklyn Notick
- 12 Sol Bilgrei
- 16 Pete D'Agostino
- 17 Leslie Lipovestky
- 20 Mark Fogel
- 24 Hudson Mornis
- 25 Arrianna Wolfe
- 26 Bobby Spiegel

#### **November**

- 03 MaKenna Spiegel
- 03 Danny Davis
- 08 Bryn Barkan
- 11 Oliver Fusco
- 11 Renee Miller
- 22 Zophia Lindenbaum
- 27 Isaac Spiegel
- 30 Shirli Driz



Nov 18

Michael & Stephanie Sachs

# CONGREGATION BETH SHALOM WAR ON TRASH OCTOBER 3, 2021 10-11:30 AM AT CBS



Tikkun Olam



Please come out and support our CBS community and Oliver Fusco as he is "cleaning up the neighborhood" for his mitzvah project and upcoming Bar Mitzvah. We will be picking up the trash around the synagogue neighborhood. Bags, gloves, water, snacks & fun will be provided!

For more information and to RSVP, call or text Brenda Fusco @ (310) 995-0173 or email: brendafusco@gmail.com

# RITUAL Report Jackie Williams, Ritual Chairperson

Thank you to Bob Stone for leading services on September 10 and to Zophia Lindenbaum for leading them on September 24. We are so grateful for your participation.

On Friday September 3 we had our much loved Shabbat Under the Stars; however it was not able to take place in our backyard as planned. Bruce hurt his back and was not able to prepare the yard. Bruce and Marci Rouman came to the rescue and it was held in their backyard. It was very successful. Thank you Bruce and Marci.

We had lots of participation from congregants for the High Holiday services. It was great to see everyone on the bima or on Zoom. There were many of our members who made our services so successful. The Ritual Committee and others worked very hard before, during, and after the holidays, and especially the Cantor, worked very hard before, during and after the holidays. Thank you everyone so much for your support.

Please stay healthy and stay safe.

## **DONATIONS**

#### **CHESED Fund**

Cindy & Joel Williams

In loving memory of Cindy's mother June Goldman

# YOUTH DEVELOPMENT Fund

Karen & Bobby Spiegel

In loving memory of Manfred (Freddie) Loeb

In loving memory of Bobby's grandfather Dr. Hermann Hirsch

### **EDUCATION Fund**

Lenny & Sharon Elkins

**Eileen Taks** 

In loving memory of Sam Fox

**Bob & Kathy Stone** 

In loving memory of Bob's mother Leah Sarah Stone

## TREES IN ISRAEL

Cantor Bruce and Marcy Shapiro
in Honor of the Congregation
Joel and Brooklyn Notick
Bobby & Karen Spiegel
In Honor of the Congregation

# CANTOR'S DISCRETIONARY Fund

**Stacy Pineiros** 

In loving memory of Stacy's mother June Goldman

# HIGH HOLY DAY APPEAL

- Sol & Myra Bilgrei
- Mark & Paula Fogel
- Joel & Cheryl Friedberg
- Dennis Itzkowitz
- Ken & Joan Jacobs
- Isaac & Debbie Maya
- Greg & Charlene

McKinley-Powell

- Sam & Renee Miller
- Bruce & Marci Rouman
- Dave & Joyce Severson
- Cantor Bruce & Marcy Shapiro
- Felix Smith
- Bobby & Karen Spiegel
- Tanya Spiegel

The donations listed were received by CBS before September 27, 2021.

To make a donation, contact: Bob Stone at (562) 818-9137

## EDUCATON Report SUKKOT 2021

Marci Rouman, Education Director











Sukkot is а week-long holiday that begins five days after Yom Kippur. It celebrates the gathering of the harvest and commemorates the miraculous protection that G-d provided for the children of Israel when they left Egypt. We celebrate by dwelling in а foliage covered booth called a Sukkah and by shaking the four species vegetation.

Our religious school had a fun time celebrating our own Sukkah. We had sukkah celebration in with person Cantor Bruce present to lead us in song and learning. It was so great to be able to celebrate together! Enjoy the photos from our celebration.



## **SUKKOT 2021**















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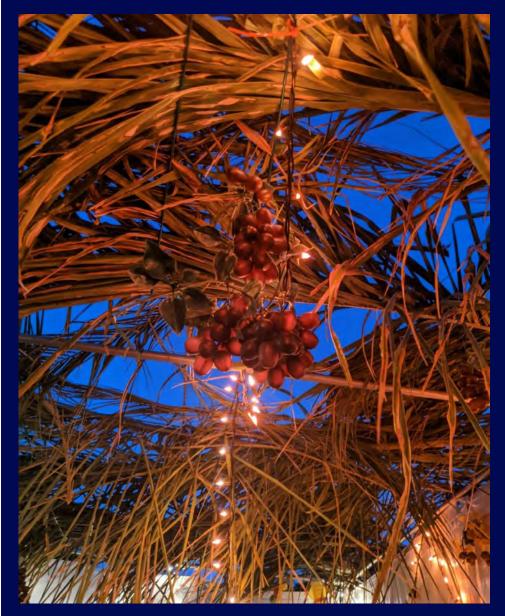








## **SUKKOT 2021**















# SAVETHEDATE

March 27, 2022

Contact Renee Miller (909) 228-5945

## CBS LEGACY EVENT

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The **Legacy Award** this year will be awarded to **Sol Shapiro**, longtime Corona



resident and CBS member. Sol has demonstrated hiah level commitment to the **CBS** community and has been involved in many volunteer efforts with the greater Corona community on behalf of CBS. Read more about Sol on page 17.

The Business Partner Award (Shatuf Tzedek Award) is being presented to Marta Cortez of Eduardo's Mexican Restaurant.

Eduardo's restaurant continues to donate and support many organizations in our region. They

have been offering authentic Mexican cuisine since 1994; truly a success

in the restaurant world and the Corona community.





The Guardian of Righteousness

Award
(Shomer
Tzedek Award)
is being awarded to
MaryAnn
Sherman, a
former Citizen of the
Year in Corona, who
is a community
volunteer. MaryAnn
gives of herself to
many area

organizations.



The Legacy Luncheon is the yearly fundraiser of CBS with all monies raised being used toward our annual community education (i.e., Holocaust Program, Interfaith seminars, etc.) as well as needed operating expenses. Because we were unable to hold the luncheon in 2021 due to the pandemic, a successful Legacy 2022 will be crucial for Congregation Beth Shalom.

We look to our members to help secure donations for our popular Silent Auction as well as becoming table sponsors for the event.

For more information and answers to your questions about the luncheon please call Event Chairpersons:

Renee Miller (909) 228-5945 or

Marci Rouman at (951) 733-3980

## From the 'HOODS'

The HOODS - CBS's Brotherhood/Sisterhood, would like to have some events for the "sisters" of the congregation. Some ideas include 2 buck blackjack with 2 buck chuck- for \$2 get \$100 worth of chips and play blackjack and drink wine- the last 3 left standing will win money from the pot (nothing will be taken out for the hoods), painting and wine - bring back an old favorite -all supplies will be provided—cost determined from provider.

All activities of the Brother/SisterHOODS are open to all members including poker on the first Thursday and 3rd Wednesdays of each month.

Any other ideas - contact Joel Friedberg at (951) 733-9683.













# Things to Know About Zoom

Zoom was introduced in a rapid manner to enable our CBS members and friends to continue their Jewish observances, education and participation in activities during the Pandemic. Our use of the Zoom program was the entry into CBS using computers to bring our services into the homes of our members and friends. Little did we know this would be around for almost 2 years. The system we assembled was a gently used Canon camera that was donated along with a used iMac computer - another donated item and some purchased cables. We made the best system we could possibly assemble on our budget and in-house talent.

We have used our Zoom system for meetings and services, but sometimes things don't go as planned. Our volunteers are just that. And the folks using Zoom are not pros using the program –we just expect little mishaps along the way, therefore please pardon our inexperience.



#### Via Zoom EXPECT:

- Expect occasional technical problems with audio, video, shutting down, losing connections, windows not displaying correctly, or moving from one spot to another, etc.
- 2. Thanks to Josh Spiegel and Tanya Spiegel and Bruce Rouman, we have hard-wired the Zoom camera and computer. This should lessen interference with the Zoom feeds to everyone's computer, iPad or phone!
- 3. If things don't appear right on your Zoom screen, please let someone know who can help. Bruce Rouman (951) 847-4632 and Joan Zak (760) 803-5451 are good resources for help.
- 4. We can't all talk at the same time, please be patient for your turn to speak.
- 5. Please <u>extend patience</u> to all participants, everyone is doing their best, but may occasionally make unintentional mistakes.





## Safety and Security Update by Joan K. Jacobs

CBS continues to be open for services, activities and events for all members and guests both in the synagogue and simultaneously on Zoom.

- 1. We will continue to sit socially distanced in the sanctuary.
- 2. Face masks are encouraged indoors because of the increasing number of new COVID-19 cases in or near our community.
- 3. The front door is locked 15 minutes after services begin. If you arrive when the door is locked, please ring the bell for admittance.
- 4. Remember that MOST, but not ALL, of our congregants have been fully vaccinated for COVID-19. Continue to take precautions, as needed, for your own personal health.
- 5. There is a possibility that some or all scheduled events listed in this Newsletter may be cancelled or postponed due the Delta Variant of Coronavirus. We are monitoring local health conditions daily and will decide to go ahead or cancel events on an individual basis to ensure the health and safety of our members.

## Fresh and Mini Challahs

Mark Koren bakes fresh Challah, Challah Rolls and Rye Bread for purchase.

NEW: Mini Challah, individually packaged for Covid-friendly Oneg!

Please order by Tuesday for Friday availability.

Call Gail Koren (951) 204-4757



## Oneg / Kiddush Schedule

As you think about special occasions, birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, or in memory of a loved one, please consider sponsoring an Oneg or Kiddush!

## Please connect with Gail Koren at (951) 204-4757.

Those individuals who host an Oneg or Kiddush will be acknowledged by having their names on the CBS calendar as an Oneg or Kiddush Sponsor.

Please outreach to Gail and reserve the date(s) you wish to sponsor.

Oct	1	Hosted by Stephanie Shapiro in honor and celebration of Sol Shapiro and Rachel Spiegel's birthdays!
Oct	8	OPEN and AVAILABLE—call Gail (951) 204-4757
		Hosted by Cheryl & Joel Friedberg in honor and
Oct	15	celebration of Cheryl's birthday!
Oct	22	OPEN and AVAILABLE—call Gail (951) 204-4757
Oct	29	OPEN and AVAILABLE—call Gail (951) 204-4757

# Reconnect, Rediscover and Celebrate... Come Home to Conservative Judaism



## Refuah Shlema

Our Community Prayer for Healing

- MYRA BILGREI
- SOL BILGREI
- JACQUELINE FOGEL
- MARK FOGEL
- PAULA FOGEL
- SANDY KAYE
- EILEEN NOTICK
- JOYCE SEVERSON
- SANDRA SHULMAN
- RABBI MEL YOUNG
- BRUCE WILLIAMS
- JOAN ZAK

## Recommended items for a Basic Emergency Supply Kit



Water, one gallon of water per person per day for at least three days, for drinking and sanitation

Food, at least a three-day supply of non-perishable food

Battery-powered or hand crank radio and a NOAA Weather Radio with tone alert and extra batteries for both

Flashlight and extra batteries

First aid kit

Whistle to signal for help

Dust mask, to help filter contaminated air and plastic sheeting and duct tape to shelter-in-place

Moist towelettes, garbage bags and plastic ties for personal sanitation

Wrench or pliers to turn off utilities

Can opener for food (if kit contains canned food)

Local maps





# Simcha Board Tree of Life

**Congregation Beth Shalom** has a beautiful **Simcha Board**, called the *Tree of Life*, on display as you enter the synagogue lobby.

This Simcha Board allows families and individuals to purchase leaves for \$180 each for:

- Simchas
- Milestones
- · Birth of a child/grandchild
- Graduations
- Promotions
- Engagements
- Accomplishments and more!

For more information, contact President Bruce Rouman (951) 847-4632.



## **CBS LEGACY AWARDEE SOL SHAPIRO**

Congregation Beth Shalom is pleased to honor Solomon "Sol" Shapiro with the coveted Legacy Award. This recognition will take Sunday, place on March 27, 2022, as of the part synagogue's annual Legacy Awards Recognition event. Additional honorees are Marta Cortez with Eduardo's Mexican Restaurant who will receive the Shatuf **Award** Tzedek (Business Partner) and MaryAnn Sherman will receive the Shomer Tzedek Award (Guardian of Righteous). To the right, vou will read about Sol and his contributions to the synagogue and our community. **Future** articles will highlight each of these honorees. The location of the event is at Eagle Glen Golf Club. It is a beautiful setting in south Corona where the golf course and Cleveland National Forest merge. We will offer a hvbrid option (enabling people connect through Zoom as well). If you are interested in serving on the Legacy event committee, please call Co-Chairs Renee Miller (909) 228-5945 Marci Rouman (951) 733-3980.

Sol Shapiro has lived and worked in Corona since the 1980s, when Sol and his family made Corona their home. He and his wife, Terri, were married in 1983 and have three children: Stephanie, Adam, and Danielle. Sol is a business owner who can frequently be found in the community helping others, with past involvement including: current or Community Services Network; Congregation Beth Shalom; Corona Chamber of Commerce; Corona-Norco Unified School District; Corona-Norco United Way; Dads Club, Inc.; DREAMS Corp.; Food Runners Club, Inc.; Healthy Corona; La Sierra Business Academy; Your Own Community Foundation; and other charitable causes. He served on the Corona Parks and Recreation Commission from 2015 to 2019, including as Chairman in 2017.

Sol is a credit and solutions expert with Liberate Debt! and Living Better 101, which he joined because of his passion to serve others. He saw tremendous value in allowing others to shed the burden of credit/debt/financial crises, and step into their own power. Sol is a student of the massive credit and debt challenge nationwide, and the "bully tactics" some industry giants appear to hold over their customers. With the education and tools Living Better 101 provides, Sol's motto is "Better Call Sol," and he will light the path for a successful outcome.

His genuine smile matches his personality, and Sol is a friend to many. Even those individuals that meet him for the first time find his companionship refreshing and special. He is a tremendous connector, where he tries to 'match up' people with various services or products they are seeking. Sol's early career of 29 years was with The Press-Enterprise newspaper, where he was responsible for sale and customer service for much of Inland Empire during his career. Sol was recognized for his outstanding achievements in customer satisfaction, distribution, safe transportation, and superior sales growth.

Community outreach and making a difference fits Sol's mantra. Over the years Sol has worked for the Census (2009—2010), and in showing ways to improve on their methods, was asked to consider being "more thorough"



which they translated that he was going too fast and the team would run out of work! Sol has also worked for the County Registrar in many elections since the 1990s. A past Registrar implemented his ideas to count ballots more quickly & efficiently.

On weekends, you can often find Sol at his favorite hobby, setting up casino style parties and teaching people how to play or deal blackjack, craps, poker and roulette.

Sol has taken an active role in fundraising during many years of Passover Candy sales to benefit the CBS Religious School. He raise actively works to money for CBS at Corona's 4th Annual of July celebrations. Sol has always been supportive of CBS's Brotherhood events and was always "there" for the synagogue when he was needed. Sol is receiving the Legacy Award for dedication and involvement with CBS as well as his involvement with the greater Corona community.

## **Congregation Beth Shalom**

**Adult Education** 

## Jews and the Internet

Sunday, October 17, 2021 at 9:30 A.M. On-Line

If you have an idea for a study session, please contact

Joan Zak

(760) 803-5451

JoanZak92027@gmail.com

- How do Jews tend to use the Internet
- How do Jews influence others on the Internet
- . What types of Jewish chat groups are there
- . What Jewish activities are available?

Joan Zak is inviting you to a scheduled **Zoom** meeting.

Topic: Joan Zak's Personal Zoom Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4420163247?pwd=c1NCUkFtRTBQeDUrdDlKNGMzZXRCdz09

We'll use Zoom.

Note, this is not Bruce Rouman's link.

For more information or help using Zoom,

contact Joan Zak (760) 803-5451 or JoanZak92027@gmail.com

## GIFT SHOPPE UPDATE



The Gift Shoppe has many new gift and home décor items which are reasonably priced, in addition to special sale items. Celebration, special occasions, birthdays or anniversaries — your CBS Gift Shoppe has meaningful gifts that are readily available. Don't forget to take a look at the wonderful jewelry that we have on display!

Call Renee Miller at (909) 228-5945 for further information.

# CBS Holiday Bazaar & Brunch

Sunday November 7, 2021 Event - 11AM-3PM

**BRUNCH.....11AM-1PM** \*

\* RSVP: Renee Miller 909-228-5945

Adults (10 & up): \$10

Children (3-9): \$5

Kids under 3: Free

Adults - \$12 at the Door

Box Brunch, Beverages & Desserts

Congregation Beth Shalom 500 Harrington St. STE A1
Corona

All Proceeds support the CBS
Education Program
For Info call 951-733-3980



# **Breads & Options**

- Pumpkin Bread
- Orange Cranberry Bread with or w/o Nuts
   \*\*\*\*\* Seasonal\*\*\*\*\* Only when Fresh cranberries are in Season Lemon Cranberry \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*
- Lemon Bread Lemon Poppyseed- Lemon Blueberry
- Vanilla Oatmeal Applesauce Bread with Nuts & or Raisins or w/o Poppyseed Bread
- Zucchini bread with or w/o Nuts
- Brown Sugar Crumble Zucchini
- Death by Chocolate Zucchini with or w/o Nuts & or Coconut
- Banana Nut or w/o Nuts
- Chocolate Marbled Banana with or w/o Nuts
- Blueberry Bread or Raspberry Bread
- Cinnamon Swirl Bread
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For orders or questions, please contact our Scrip Coordinator: Shirli Driz at (951) 201-9779 or monypwr@yahoo.com or Backup Rep: Renee Miller at (909)228-5945 or renee.miller.slp@verizon.net

## Friday Night Services with CBS are Interesting

Join us for In Person and Via Zoom Services and experience a rich spirituality.

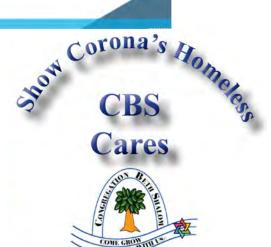
- The first Friday night of the month is a 6:30 PM Family Service.
  - Cantor Shapiro will lead services and celebrate birthdays and anniversaries during the first Friday Services in person and via Zoom.
- All other services are at 7:30 PM.
- The First, Third and Fifth Fridays and Third Saturday of the month are Cantor-led services
  - The Cantor adds a professional touch: the services are very interactive with participation from those in attendance.
- The Second and Fourth Friday Services may be led by:
  - Religious School and Confirmation students and teachers
  - Regular Lay Leaders (Bob Stone and Joan Zak)
  - YOU!!!!!!!!!!!
- Onegs comply with CDC guidelines, call Gail Koren for information (951) 688-1709
- Special Occasion Services
  - Shabbat Under the Stars— is held in September each year
  - Shabbat Across America—A special service honored all over our country





#### **Toilet Articles**

- **⇒ Tooth Brushes**
- ⇒ Tooth Paste
- ⇒ Soap
- ⇒ Shampoo
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# Food for Thought: A TIME FOR GIVING THANKS

by Renée Ryan-Tieszen

As autumn approaches quickly, we look forward to cooler weather, the brilliant colors and spicy smells of nature getting ready for a nice, winter's sleep. Even though Sukkot has recently passed, the traditional American holiday of Thanksgiving will be here soon. Did you realize the Pilgrims modeled Thanksgiving after Sukkot because of their experiences living with the Sephardic Jews in Holland?

While the Pilgrims were settled in Holland, a religiously tolerant nation, they lived among the Sephardic Jews who had also suffered religious persecution. Together these two religious groups lived in the same community for a decade until the Pilgrims began their trek to America. The Pilgrims witnessed the significance of Sukkot, and most likely, participated in Sukkot. The Pilgrims definitely

understood Sukkot as the Christian story known as of Tabernacles. Upon Feast Sukkot and examination of Thanksgiving, consider their similarities. Both holidays are harvest festivals and the foods eaten are inspired seasonal foods. Furthermore, Thanksgiving meal was eaten outdoors as Jews also eat in the sukkah. The Pilgrims made certain to welcome and share their meal with extended family and the Indians, again as the Jews do for meals in the sukkah. The cornucopia, a symbol of Thanksgiving, is also in the shape of a shofar, which is of great significance to the High Holy Days prior to Sukkot. Centuries later, we can only imagine what the first Thanksgiving was like, but it makes you wonder how much the Jewish celebration of Sukkot influenced Thanksgiving then and even today. Just some food for thought.

## ROASTED ROSEMARY BALSAMIC TZIMMES

Tzimmes is a Yiddish word meaning "to make a fuss over." Traditionally, tzimmes is made from root vegetables harvested in the fall and stored in a cool, dark place throughout the winter months. You may choose to use all the listed vegetables or replace them with your favorites. Make a fuss and enjoy!

Prep time: 25 minutes

Cook time: 1 hr., 15 minutes Serving size – 3/4 cup each

Servings – 6

## Ingredients

- 1 lb. yams or sweet potatoes, peeled and cubed into 1 ½" pieces
- 1 lb. carrots, peeled and sliced into 1 ½" pieces
- 1 lb. parsnips, peeled and sliced into 1 ½" pieces\*
- 1½ tbsp. molasses or maple syrup
- 1 tsp. kosher salt
- 4 sprigs fresh rosemary, plus more for garnish if desired
- ½ c. balsamic vinegar
- ½ c. chopped walnuts, pecans, or almonds

\*Note: Russet or red potatoes may be substituted since parsnips are sometimes hard to find in this area. If using red potatoes, do not peel; simply wash thoroughly and cube. Also, you may wish to add a sprinkling of fresh

parsley when adding potatoes to parsnips are not being used.

#### Directio ns

- 1. Preheat oven to 400°F. Combine the chopped root vegetables in a mixing bowl. In a smaller bowl, whisk together olive oil and molasses/maple syrup. Pour over vegetables; sprinkle on kosher salt and stir to coat vegetables evenly.
- Spread vegetables evenly in a single layer on a parchment lined baking sheet. Place the rosemary sprigs across the top of the vegetables. Roast vegetables in oven, undisturbed, for 25 minutes.
- 3. Meanwhile, in a small saucepan, bring the balsamic vinegar to a boil. Reduce heat to medium and simmer for 5-8 minutes, or until liquid has reduced by half and balsamic vinegar has thickened enough to coat the back of a spoon. Remove from heat. Pour into a cool, heat-safe container. Set aside. The syrup will continue to thicken as it cools.
- 4. Once the vegetables have roasted for 25 minutes, remove the tray from the oven. Sprinkle with the chopped nuts. Stir the vegetables until the nuts are slightly coated with the molasses/ maple syrup mixture. Return to the oven and continue to roast for 10 25 minutes longer, until the largest vegetable pieces are tender.
- 5. Remove the vegetables from the oven and discard the roasted rosemary sprigs. Drizzle the roasted vegetables with the balsamic reduction. You may wish to set aside some for Kol individuals: to add additional balsamic sauce as desired. Serve warm or at room temperature.

# Beyond the SYNAGOGUE

## **CBS Member Coordinates 9/11 Event**

Those of you who know Bobby Spiegel, know he is one of the most patriotic people!! It is no surprise that he was the mastermind behind the BEAUTIFUL Commemoration of the 20th Anniversary of 9-11. In 2020, Bobby coordinated a small gathering on 9-11, with anticipation of doing a large 20th celebration in 2021.

In August, Bobby approached the elected officials of the City of Corona, asking about any plans for the 20th Anniversary of 9-11, and he was shocked to find their answer was..."nothing formal." Bobby got to work to make his vision a reality, making this 20th Anniversary one to remember. As President and CEO of the CORONA Chamber, Bobby presented this idea to the Board of Directors who jumped alongside with an outpour of support from the community.

Spiegel's vision was to honor ALL 2,977 who perished that fateful Tuesday morning, in 2001. The Chamber purchased 3,000 American Flags, and with many volunteers, placed a placard below the American Flag that was personalized listing each person's name, age and where they perished, including small flags for the various countries of the non-Americans. Additionally, the program included representation of the Corona Fire, Corona Police, City of Corona Council, and some young singers to make this a true commemoration.

This "small town" commemoration made national news and was on display for a week at Corona City Hall Lawn. Also on display were 13 large flags to honor the 13 service members who lost their lives on August 26th in Afghanistan.

The community truly came together to honor and remember all those who lost their lives. Thank you Bobby for orchestrating this amazing program and we look forward to this being an annual event.













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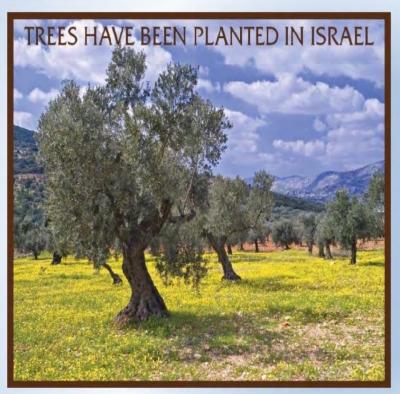
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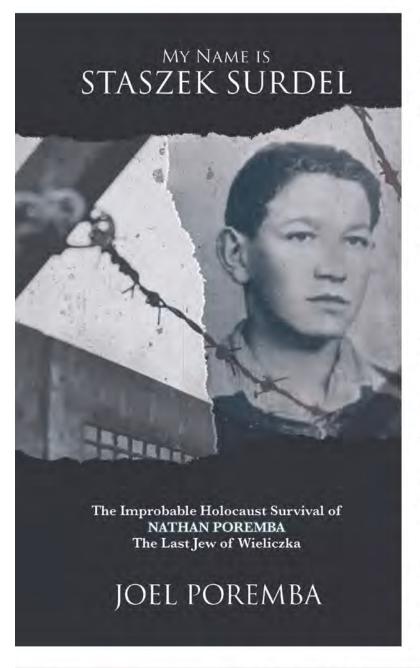
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This is the story of Holocaust survivor, Nathan Poremba, a story that explores survival, tragedy and hope against the backdrop of the resilience of a nine year old Polish Jew between 1939 and 1945. Alone and without help for most of the Holocaust, Nathan's six-year survival necessitated avoiding detection while maintaining an unflinching resolve to live despite the threats that enveloped his every move. His unmatched resilience is a testament to his will to live. Throughout, Nathan never acquiesced to antisemitism and he consistently resisted his tormentors as his father did before the Holocaust.



His son, Joel Poremba, now tells his father's heroic story of Nathan Poremba's six-year survival.

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## Yahrzeit Observances May their memories be a blessing

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25 Tishrei	Oct 31 Dr. Hermann Hirsch*	25 Cheshvan
	Nov 01 Harry Schulman	26 Cheshvan
	Nov 01 Henny Bendix Pels*	26 Cheshvan
	Nov 03 Mathilda Hirsch*	28 Cheshvan
	Nov 03 Roselene Hirsch*	28 Cheshvan
	Nov 03 Werner Hirsch*	28 Cheshvan
	Nov 04 George Smith	29 Cheshvan
	Nov 05 Dorothy Itzkowitz*	1 Kislev
	Nov 07 Jack Sachs	3 Kislev
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## **Dates to Remember**

ACTIVITIES & SERVICES WILL BE IN PERSON UNLESS NOTED— MANY ARE OFFERED VIA INTERNET

IN PERSON EVENTS ARE AT 500 HARRINGTON ST. STE. A1 CORONA, CA 92878 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED with an asterisk (\*)

## **OCTOBER 2021**

## **NOVEMBER 2021**

1	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, ONEG SPONSORED BY STEPHANIE SHAPIRO	6:30 PM	
3	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM	
3	WAR ON TRASH (MITZVAH PROJECT) LED BY OLIVER FUSCO AT CBS	10:00 AM	_
4	RITUAL MEETING ON ZOOM	6:30 PM	
7	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM	
8	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY JESSI ROUMAN	7:30 PM	
10	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM	
10	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM	
10	LEGACY MEETING	11:00 AM	
11	CBS BOOK CLUB—DISCUSSING JOEL POREMBA'S BOOK "MY NAME IS STASZEK SURDEL—ON ZOOM ONLY	5:30 PM	
15	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO ONEG SPONSORED BY CHERYL & JOEL FRIEDBERG	7:30 PM	
16	TORAH STUDY WITH JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM	١٢.
16	SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	10:00 AM	
17	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM	
17	CONFIRMATION CLASS LED BY RENEE TIESZEN	8:30 AM	  -   :
17	ADULT EDUCATION LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:30 AM	
20	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM	
22	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY JOAN ZAK	7:30 PM	L
24	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM	
24	CONFIRMATION CLASS LED BY RENEE TIESZEN	8:30 AM	
29	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	7:30 PM	
31	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM	

3	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
5	FAMILY EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	6:30 PM
7	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
7	CONFIRMATION CLASS LED BY RENEE TIESZEN	8:30 AM
8	KRISTALLNACHT—THE NIGHT OF THE BROKEN GLASS—HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE— CORONA'S HISTORIC CIVIC CENTER AUDITORIUM	6:00 PM
12	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE	7:30 PM
14	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
14	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
14	LEGACY MEETING	11:00 AM
15	CBS BOOK CLUB—DISCUSSING "FRIENDS FIRST" BY GARY GINSBERG—ON ZOOM ONLY	5:30 PM
15	RITUAL MEETING ON ZOOM	6:30 PM
19	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY OLIVER FUSCO and CANTOR SHAPIRO	7:30 PM
20	TORAH STUDY WITH JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM
20	SHABBAT SERVICE LED BAR MITZVAH OLIVER FUSCO and CANTOR SHAPIRO	10:00 AM
21	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
21	CONFIRMATION CLASS LED BY RENEE TIESZEN	8:30 AM
22	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
25	THANKSGIVING	
26	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE	7:30 PM
28	NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	****