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*The Voice of
Congregation Beth Shalom*

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Cantor's Corner *by* Cantor Bruce Shapiro



With our High Holy Days approaching, let us reflect and **REMEMBER!**

With Passover and **Shavuot** almost behind us (June 7), I look forward to the summer months as we begin our preparation for the High Holidays at the end of September.

Before we get to those months, I wanted to take a moment to pause to relive some moments from the year so far in our community and my own personal family.

As my family continues to grow and grow up, I am reminded of the days when I went to Hebrew School with 20 of my cousins in Oswego, NY. We lived a Jewish year and Life Cycle as did Jews around the world have done throughout time, celebrating each holiday as they came, along with a change of seasons!

On the weeks that I am not in Corona, my small family congregates at our home for Shabbat. Traditions of lighting candles, singing Shalom Aleichem, blessing our children, Kiddush, washing our hands, and Motzi remind us of the week gone by and how blessed we are to have each other. When I am in Corona, we follow a similar pattern. Wherever you celebrate the holidays and Shabbat, traditions can be done at home and are real memory makers. It is very cute when I see my granddaughter who is not quite three years old yet, cover her eyes like her Mommy and Savta during the lighting of the Shabbat candles. During Kiddush, I hold her in my arms as we share the blessing of the wine, we wash our hands together with my special cup for water made at Yad LaKashish in Israel, followed by her Daddy saying Motzi.

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We enjoy our time together and a tradition and foundation for the future is being set out before us without a huge amount of effort. You probably have similar traditions that you have followed with your family over the years and I highly recommend them! If you do not, try to make the time to create these memories as they will last a lifetime! They will make an impact on our children, their children, and even on us as parents and grandparents.

Adon Olam, Master of the Universe, on Shavuot you provided the Israelites with a set of instructions, The **Torah!** May we use the stories within to learn how to live a moral and ethical life, build good family character and traditions, and provide for those less fortunate than we are.

Starting on June 18 after our services around 12:30 PM, our next **Adult B’Nai Mitzvah** training will begin. We are hoping for a June 2024 Adult B’Nai Mitzvah. If you are interested in joining our group, being a teacher, or taking part in some way, please contact me via email, phone, or in person at services. Remember **TEAM...Together We Achieve More!** Lastly, “alone we can do so little, together we can do so much!”

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 3rd Shabbat morning of the month (June 18 at 9 AM) for Torah Study (for 45 minutes) with morning services following. Please continue to **stay healthy and wear a mask as required.**



President's Message A QUICK LOOK

at Reform, Conservative, Orthodox and Reconstructionist Judaism — and at other Jewish streams.



Bruce Rouman
President of CBS

While thinking of a topic for this month, I saw that Joan Zak had emailed me this article, basically it just fell on my lap... perfect timing!

Jewish denominations — also sometimes referred to as streams, movements or branches — are the principal categories of religious affiliation among American Jews. The denominations are mainly distinguished from one another on the basis of their philosophical approaches to Jewish tradition, and their degree of fidelity to and interpretation of traditional Jewish law, or halacha.

Outside North America, the non-Orthodox streams of Judaism play a less significant role, and in Israel the vast majority of synagogues and other Jewish religious institutions are Orthodox, even though most Israeli Jews do not identify as Orthodox.

Even within North America, the role of the movements has diminished somewhat in recent years, with growing numbers of American Jews and Jewish institutions identifying as “just Jewish,” nondenominational or trans-denominational.

The 3 Largest Jewish Movements

REFORM JUDAISM

The largest affiliation of American Jews, some 35 percent of Jews,

identify as Reform. The movement emphasizes the primacy of the Jewish ethical tradition over the obligations of Jewish law. The movement has traditionally sought to adapt Jewish tradition to modern sensibilities and sees itself as politically progressive and social-justice oriented while emphasizing personal choice in matters of ritual observance.

CONSERVATIVE JUDAISM

Known as Masorti (traditional) Judaism outside of North America, Conservative Judaism sees Jewish law as obligatory, though in practice there is an enormous range of observance among Conservative Jews. The movement has historically represented a midpoint on the spectrum of observance between Orthodox and Reform, adopting certain innovations like driving to synagogue (but nowhere else) on Shabbat and gender-egalitarian prayer (in most Conservative synagogues), but maintaining the traditional line on other matters, like keeping kosher and intermarriage. (While it continues to bar its rabbis from officiating at interfaith weddings, the movement has liberalized its approach to intermarriage somewhat in recent years.) About 18 percent of American Jews identify as Conservative.

ORTHODOX JUDAISM

Orthodox Jews are defined by their adherence to a traditional understanding of Jewish law as interpreted by rabbinic authorities over the centuries. Hallmarks of Orthodox religious life include strict observance of Shabbat (no driving, working, turning electricity on or off, or handling money) and of kosher laws. Though numerically the smallest of the big three — some 10 percent of American Jews identify as Orthodox— Orthodox Jews have larger than average families and their offspring are statistically more likely to remain observant Jews.

Unlike the Reform and Conservative movements, which have a recognized leadership that sets policy for movement-affiliated institutions, Orthodox Judaism is a looser category that can be further subdivided as follows:

Modern Orthodox

Also known as centrist Orthodoxy, this movement was an effort to harmonize traditional observance of

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Jewish law with secular modernity. Its ideal is summed up in the motto of its flagship institution, New York's Yeshiva University: Torah Umadda (literally, Torah and secular knowledge).

Haredi (or Ultra) Orthodox

Typically marked by their distinctive black hats (for men) and modest attire (for women), Haredi Orthodox Jews are the most stringent in their commitment to Jewish law and tend to have the lowest levels of interaction with the wider non-Jewish society. One major exception is Hasidic Judaism's Chabad-Lubavitch sect, which is known for its outreach to the wider Jewish community. Haredi Orthodox Jews, who are represented in the United States by Agudath Israel of America, can be further subdivided into two principal groups:

Hasidic

Hasidic Jews are heirs of the spiritual revivalist movement that began in Eastern Europe in the 18th century and, drawing on the Jewish mystical tradition, emphasized direct communion with the divine through ecstatic prayer and joy in worship. There are a number of distinct sects, most headed by a charismatic rabbi, or rebbe, including Chabad, Satmar, Ger and Skver.

Yeshivish

Sometimes also known as Litvish, these Haredi Jews are heirs of the mitnagdim (literally "opponents") who rejected the rise of Hasidic Judaism in Europe. These Jews traditionally emphasized the intellectual aspects of Jewish life, particularly rigorous Talmud study for men. Yeshivish derives from the word yeshiva, or religious seminary.

Open Orthodox

The newest subset of Orthodoxy, Open Orthodox was founded in the 1990s by the New York Rabbi Avi Weiss. Its adherents, who consider the movement a reaction to a perceived shift to the right among the Modern Orthodox, generally support expanded roles for women in spiritual leadership and more openness to non-Orthodox Jews.

Smaller Denominations

Reconstructionist Judaism

Following the thinking of its founder, Mordecai Kaplan, Reconstructionism holds that Judaism is the evolving civilization of the Jewish people. Its adherents hold varying opinions about the extent to which Jewish law, particularly the mitzvot, are obligatory. The movement is quite religiously progressive: Kaplan was the first American rabbi to preside over a

public bat mitzvah celebration — for his daughter, Judith, in 1922 — and the movement's rabbinical seminary was the first to accept openly gay students.

Jewish Renewal

Jewish Renewal combines the ecstatic prayer of Hasidic Judaism with a contemporary ethos of gender egalitarianism, environmental consciousness, progressive politics and appreciation of religious diversity. Its spiritual father was the late Rabbi Zalman Schachter-Shalomi, who was born into a Hasidic family in Europe but dabbled freely in the 1960s counterculture.

Humanistic Judaism

Founded in 1963 by Rabbi Sherwin Wine, this movement offers a "nontheistic" Judaism that is not based on divine revelation. Humanistic Jews celebrate Jewish culture, history and holidays without reference to God and emphasize a rationalist, human-centered ethics.

Story called The Jewish Denominations by My Jewish Learning

Submitted by Bruce Rouman

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EDUCATION *Report*

Marci Rouman
Education Director

It takes a village to make our Religious School program work. We have a flexible, talented team of teachers: Jessi Rouman, Renee Tieszen, Marta Driz, Amanda Williams, Arrianna Wolfe. Joan Zak and Melissa Lindenbaum are resident substitute teachers and have filled-in as needed.

A big "Thank You" to my advisors Jackie Williams and Renee Tieszen. They always give great input and advice. Special thanks to Joan Jacobs for assistance on special projects. Appreciation goes to Paula and Mark Fogel for their generosity.

Cantor Shapiro is in a class of his own. I always appreciate all your help and advice. You have shared many valuable lessons with our students. It is a wonderful addition to our program having you work with our students during Religious School hours.

Let's revisit our school year. As the 2021/2022-year ends, we will look at the highlights. August is where the year began, and we were able to return to in-person classes. We returned to a clean and organized school, thanks to Zophia and her Mitzvah project. We all were so very grateful!

We celebrated the opening of school in September at the Rouman's home. It was nice enjoying Sukkot in our sukkah with Cantor Bruce. We were fortunate to continue our cooking and arts and crafts sessions with Marta.



In October many people participated in Oliver Fusco's Mitzvah project. That was the "War on Trash". Everyone worked together and picked up over 50 pounds of trash! Then Oliver Fusco had his Bar Mitzvah. I think everyone will agree it was wonderful!

Let's focus now on our famous Bagel Brunch and Holiday Bazaar. Thank you to all our parents who helped to make this event successful. Thank you, Renee Miller and Kathy Stone, for helping with the food. It was great to see so many congregants and friends supporting this event.

February brought us the B'not Mitzvah of the Lindenbaum ladies, that would be our famous daughter and mother duo. Zophia and Melissa were fabulous. We are all so proud of their accomplishments.

If its March, then it is Purim time. We were able to upgrade our Zoom puppet show play to a live performance in the

synagogue. Special thanks to Renée Tieszen, who wrote and directed the performance. Our Mishloach Manot fundraiser was delicious and very profitable for the Religious School. "Thank you", supportive members of CBS!

Thank you to Renee Miller for the extra goodies for the Purim Carnival. Special shout out to Rebecca Spiegel, who planned and "did" the Purim Carnival. You guys are amazing!

Our students proved to be wonderful artists and cooks all year long with Marta Driz' help and guidance.

The students' enjoyed a late afternoon bowling party to celebrate the conclusion of Religious School.

As I shared during our Erev Shabbat Service, where we appreciated our teachers, we are so grateful for each of them, and for the many congregants, parents and friends who work together, it does take a village...Thank you!

CBS RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Year End Party



RITUAL *Report*

**Jackie Williams,
Ritual Chairperson**

Thank you Joan Zak for leading services on May 13 and Bob Stone for leading them on May 27. Mazel Tov to Arrianna Wolfe for leading services with Cantor Shapiro on May 20 in honor of her Confirmation.

The World Wide Wrap took place on May 15, with many members participating in the mitzvah. This year's wrap was postponed from February due to COVID. True to our mantra, CBS continues to be 'the little Shul that could / DOES'. The program was held with good participation. A huge thank you to Cantor Bruce Shapiro, Matt Shapiro and RJ Spiegel for assisting our members with laying Tefillin. Mazel Tov to all who participated! See photos beginning on page 7.

A big shout out to the CBS Brotherhood for preparing and hosting the breakfast for everyone to enjoy!

With the Seder behind us the Ritual Committee has had a small break.

Very soon we will be working on plans for the High Holy Day services.

If you are interested in reading Torah during the holiday, or having a part in one of the services, please let me know soon so we can get the materials to you.

You can reach me at:

sirdots@yahoo.com

or at (714) 296-4079

Join us in Celebrating Synagogue Members



June

- 2 Stephanie Sachs
- 6 Mark Koren
- 7 Joan Jacobs
- 22 Jonah Fusco
- 25 Danielle Shapiro

July

- 14 Deborah Wutzke
- 19 Bruce Williams
- 28 Ronnie Armstrong
- 31 Cindy Williams



- June 1** Bruce & Marci Rouman
- June 2** Bobby & Karen Spiegel
- June 9** Isaac & Katelynn Spiegel
- June 23** Danny & Jan Davis
- June 25** Mark & Gail Koren
- June 26** Lenny & Sharon Elkins
- June 26** Sol & Terri Shapiro
- June 29** Joel & Cindy Williams

- July 3** Joel & Cheryl Friedberg
- July 18** Brenda & Daniel Fusco
- July 25** Bruce & Jackie Williams

NOTICE TO ALL CBS MEMBERS

All CBS members should be receiving Yahrzeit reminder letters / notices of the anniversary of your loved ones.

If you are not receiving notices, please contact
Jackie Williams (714) 296-4079,
so we can make the corrections.

Fresh Challahs and Mini Challahs

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

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

Please order by Tuesday for Friday availability.

Call Gail Koren at (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 reach out to Gail and reserve the date(s) you wish to sponsor.

Jun	3	Marci & Bruce Rouman in honor of Marci's birthday Karen & Bobby Spiegel in honor their Anniversary and RJ's promotion to Intermediate School
Jun	10	Gail & Mark Koren in honor of Mark's birthday and their Anniversary and Father's Day
Jun	17	Currently available —contact Gail at (951) 204-4757
Jun	24	Sharon & Lenny Elkins in honor their 57th Anniversary
Jul	1	Currently available —contact Gail at (951) 204-4757
Jul	8	Currently available —contact Gail at (951) 204-4757
Jul	15	Amanda & Gil Kenan in honor of their Anniversary
Jul	22	Jackie & Bruce Williams in honor of their 58th Anniversary
Jul	29	Currently available —contact Gail at (951) 204-4757

IT'S A WRAP, FROM BREAKFAST TO WORLD WIDE WRAP—CBS DOES IT AGAIN!

Words alone cannot begin to express our thanks for all who worked so hard to bring a great mitzvah to our Shul. On Sunday, May 15, after being delayed due to COVID, our little Shul participated in the World Wide Wrap. To lay tefillin, a mitzvah on its own, was accomplished by the selflessness of Cantor Bruce Shapiro, his son Matt Shapiro and Cantor's new recruit, RJ Spiegel.

Each worked with dozens of congregants who were present to be part of this mitzvah.

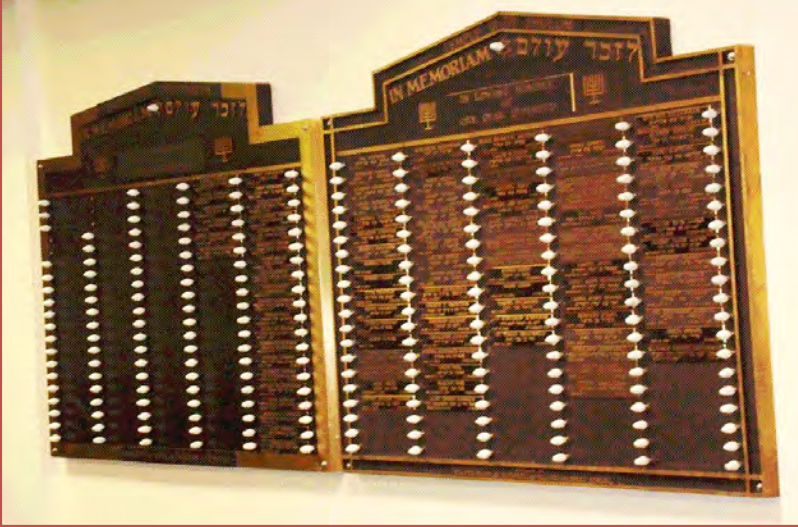
A huge shout out to the CBS Brotherhood who graciously hosted a full breakfast for our members. Chefs and helpers included Pete D'Agostino, Sam Miller, Joel Friedberg, Bruce Rouman and Dennis Itzkowitz. Many thanks!

Here are few pictures of the day's event....





MEMORIALIZE YOUR DEAR ONES!



Memorial Plaques are available
through CBS for only \$360 each

For more information call Bruce Rouman
(951) 847-4632

Plaque forms are available at the Synagogue.

Refuah Shlema

*Our Community
Prayer for Healing*

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- SOL BILGREI
- JACQUELINE FOGEL
- SANDY KAYE
- EILEEN NOTICK
- JOYCE SEVERSON
- SANDRA SHULMAN
- RABBI MEL YOUNG

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.



Congregation Beth Shalom

Adult Education

Cheryl Friedberg, Joan Jacobs and Bob Stone

Present

Sunday, June 5, 2022 at 6:15 PM

As part of our Shavuot evening

Join us for 45 minutes of stimulating discussion
about several topics

Zoom will be the normal service url

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Meeting ID: 584 849 5878

Password: 989345

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.

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Cantor Bruce & Marcy Shapiro

In memory of Lael Lubing

In memory of Patty & Abel Gomez

To Corina Reiche In honor of becoming a Bat Mitzvah

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Bryn Barkan
In memory of Dr. Elliot Barkan

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Joel & Cheryl Friedberg

Yahrzeit Observances

May their memories be a blessing

JUNE

2 Arthur "Art" Gelb *	3 Sivan
2 Margot Antonetty *	3 Sivan
4 Henry Feller	5 Sivan
5 Dorothy R. Miller *	6 Sivan
7 Yosef Berggrun	8 Sivan
7 Lalie Eisen *	8 Sivan
10 Morris Shulman	11 Sivan
12 Harry Agins *	13 Sivan
12 Mortimer L. Medrich *	13 Sivan
15 Elliot Robert Barkan	16 Sivan
21 Carl Barkan	22 Sivan
22 Allen Leopold	23 Sivan
24 Aaron Severson	25 Sivan
24 Milton Werby	25 Sivan
26 Hannah Weinstein *	27 Sivan

JULY

1 Marcia Abraham *	2 Tammuz
2 Rosalie Schulman	3 Tammuz
2 Eva Dawe	3 Tammuz
2 Emily Jacobs *	3 Tammuz
2 Philip Tarshis *	3 Tammuz
4 Obby Agins *	5 Tammuz
5 Abraham Kmiotek *	6 Tammuz
10 Lisa Schulman Schneider *	11 Tammuz
12 Theodore Schnee	13 Tammuz
12 Mary Greenstone	13 Tammuz
13 Jeffrey Schwimmer	14 Tammuz
15 Joseph Koren *	16 Tammuz
18 Craig Williams	19 Tammuz
19 Gilda Fink	20 Tammuz
22 Sally Taks	23 Tammuz
22 Saul Cooper	23 Tammuz
24 Henri Sinasohn *	25 Tammuz
27 Mitchell Izenman *	28 Tammuz
28 Anne Brandt	29 Tammuz
31 Samuel Martin	3 Av
31 Heinz S. F. Borchardt	3 Av

* = denotes Memorial Board Plaque

For questions or corrections, please contact

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(with or without nuts)



Brown Sugar Crumble Zucchini



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- Banana Nut (or without nuts) Bread
- Chocolate Marbled Banana (with or without nuts)
- Blueberry Bread or Raspberry Bread
- Cinnamon Swirl Bread
- Muffins & Cookies on Special Request



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- Lemon Blueberry Bread



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Annual Membership Meeting & Elections

We will present the

- State of the synagogue
- Review of Financial Status
- Thank the current Board of Directors
- Have elections for board positions
- View our Annual Year-In-Review Video
- AND there will be food & drinks

**Sunday
June 12
Time
10AM**

Breakfast Lox Boxes

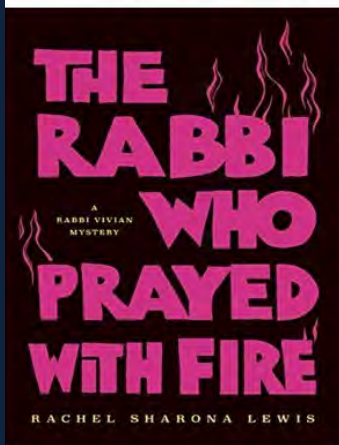
will be available - Just \$10 per box or \$18 for 2 boxes. Includes Bagel, Cream Cheese, Lox, Fruit, Desert, Beverages. Plus much more. Please RSVP to Marci for how many people attending to enjoy breakfast.

Contact Marci at 951-733-3980

CBS BOOK Club



*Congregation
Beth
Shalom*



Congregation Beth Abraham expected their newest rabbi to "sing some songs and go to an environmental rally." But Vivian Green has other ideas. She wants her flock to engage meaningfully with their city-special mayoral elections, interfaith breakfasts, fights for affordable housing and all. Also, she would like just one night off to go dancing in the leather boots that make her look like her finest gay self.

Taking on the city's old boys' club is already proving difficult...but then Beth Abraham bursts into flames. Fingers get pointed, and everyone's biases rise to the surface. It turns out that wasn't the only fire burning in town.

Vivian sticks to her instincts, raising tensions with her boss, her community, and a certain hottie in a power suit. And she learns that knowing whodunnit is only half the battle.

All book lovers are invited to join the discussion on zoom

June 13, 2022 at 5:30 PM

Shavuot – 2nd night, Sunday, June 5th at 6:00 PM

Shavuot Study Session
Yizkor Service,
Maariv Service
and, of course – Dairy Desserts



We would like as many participants as possible to share an idea that's important to them. If it helps, you can send your idea to Joan Zak – joanzak92027@gmail.com and she will send you 10 questions about it. We look forward to studying, davening and noshing with you.

HELP THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE!

JOIN CANTOR BRUCE SHAPIRO ON 7AM SUNDAY, JUNE 12

“Please take advantage of this opportunity to help! Thank you for your support. Please put this important date and time on your calendars today. We have a congregational meeting later that morning and I know it is a Sunday, but please do your best to support our brothers and sisters who in the Ukraine. No registration is necessary.

We at CBS are just one of the many Sponsors of this program. If you would like to provide additional support, you may donate to CBS of Corona, and notate Mivtza Ukraine (Operation Ukraine) or donate directly using the site noted on the flyer/picture to the right!”

With no apparent end in sight, and amidst daily revelations of new atrocities by Vladimir Putin's forces, the ongoing war in Ukraine concerns each and every one of us. Since the outbreak of hostilities, we have been, and continue to be, in close contact with our Masorti/Conservative communities in Kyiv, Chernivtsi, Odessa, Kharkiv and Dnipro – who are spending unimaginable nights in bomb shelters and are trying to find refuge in the west of Ukraine and in other countries.

Masorti Olami, together with our partners at The Schechter Institutes, have been responding to the needs of our communities, providing care packages to children in Kharkiv, securing shelter and medical supplies for those in need, and organizing transport and accommodation for those fleeing their homes. To date, we have helped hundreds of individuals and families evacuate to safety, thanks to the help of Movement-wide fundraising efforts



With Ukraine in ruins, when Russia withdraws, what then?

Masorti Olami
Midrashot Schechter and
The Cantors Assembly
present

**מבצע
אוקראינה**
**MIVTZA UKRAINE
OPERATION UKRAINE**

Music, Inspiration and hope
for the people of Ukraine

**Live on Facebook
and YouTube**

Sunday, June 12

Kyiv 5:00 PM
Jerusalem 5:00 PM
Budapest 4:00 PM
London 3:00 PM
Buenos Aires 11:00 AM
New York 10:00 AM
Los Angeles 7:00 AM

**To support our Ukraine Emergency Campaign
visit <https://www.cantors.org/mivtzaukraine/>**

and other Jewish organizations, including UJA, JDC and IsraAid, and are working to assist many more. But our work has only just begun.

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HELP THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE!

The question we must ask is: when the Russians leave, what then?

Huge swathes of Ukraine already lie in ruins, along with the lives of millions of refugees who have lost their homes, families and livelihoods. Rebuilding will take years. We need to be there for them now, in the midst of the crisis, and in the aftermath, to help put the pieces back together.

That's why we have partnered together with the Cantors Assembly to present a Facebook and YouTube premiere: Mivtza Ukraine (Operation Ukraine), music, inspiration and hope for the people of Ukraine. We will hear beautiful music from world-class instrumentalists and some of the Masorti/Conservative Movement's top voices. We will meet refugees—both within Ukraine and those who have fled—listen to their stories, share prayers and messages of solidarity and inspiration from leaders of the Masorti/Conservative movement from around the world, and learn about the critical work Masorti Olami and Schechter are doing to bring relief to refugees and to lay the groundwork for rebuilding when the conflict has ended. Our goal is to unite all corners of the Masorti/Conservative Jewish world for a single hour with one purpose: to help the people of Ukraine.

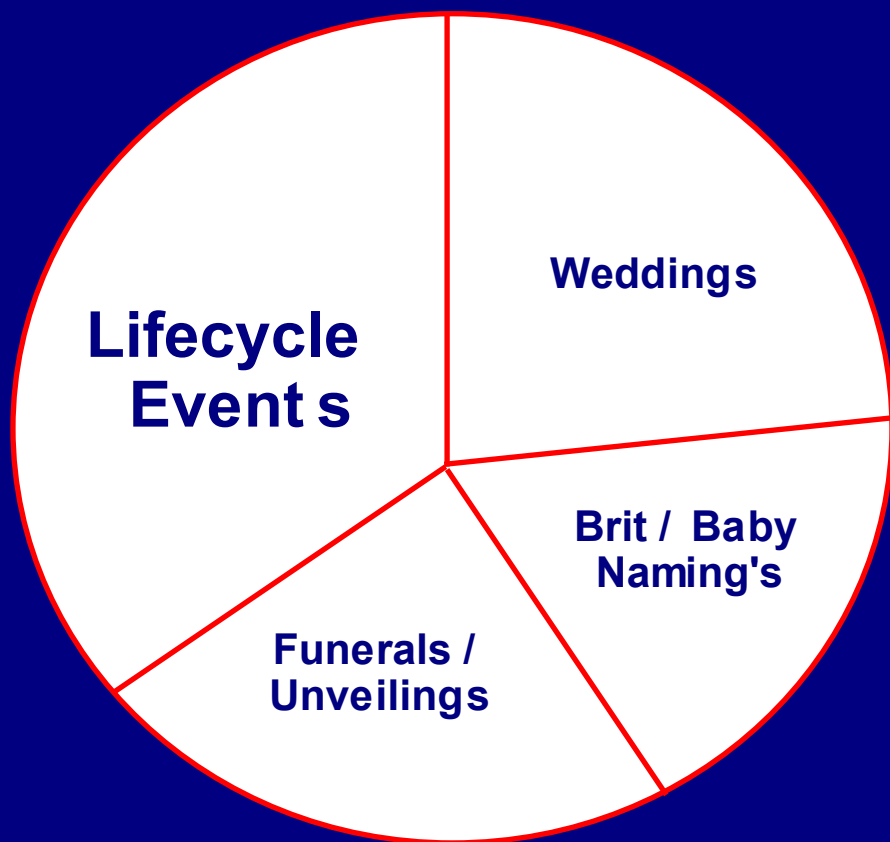
All funds raised will go directly to our Ukraine Emergency Campaign.

Again, please take advantage of this opportunity to help! Thank you for your support.

Cantor Bruce Shapiro

Hello there!

It's Cantor Bruce



CALL (951) 734-4033

Cantor Shapiro would be available to support these Lifecycle Events not only for CBS members but for others in the community. Please share with your friends and extended family.

All CBS Erev Shabbat Services

Join us for in-person and via Zoom and experience a rich spirituality

- ◆ The first Friday, starts at 6:30PM Cantor Shapiro will lead services and celebrate birthdays and anniversaries with a special blessing. Congregants, regardless of age, are welcome to participate in any CBS service. Please let the Cantor know that you will be attending and which prayer(s) you would like to lead.
- ◆ All other Erev Shabbat Services begin at 7:30PM
- ◆ 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 (Dennis Itzkowitz, 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



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- ⇒ Tooth Brushes
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- ⇒ Cotton Swabs
- ⇒ Facial Tissue



Beyond the SYNAGOGUE

High School Grads moving on to College!

Congratulations to Ilana D'Agostino and Amanda Williams for their graduation from high school.

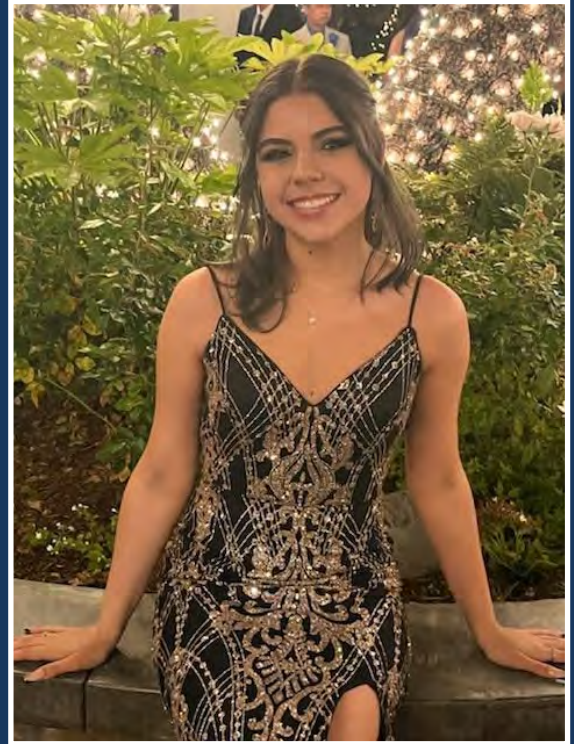
Ilana graduated from Centennial High School and will attend Long Beach State.

Amanda graduated from Santiago High School and will attend San Diego State University.

Both Ilana and Amanda have been so involved in our shul. They attended religious school, studied and became a Bat Mitzvah, continued in our educational program through our Confirmation Classes and now both assist in teaching religious school.

We will miss seeing them so regularly, however, we are so incredibly proud of them. We know great things are about to happen and each of them will be leaving their footprints on many successful ventures!

ILANA D'AGOSTINO



AMANDA WILLIAMS



PHOTOS WANTED

We are always seeking photos of our members, and their relatives, for inclusion in this section. Submissions for the Beyond the Synagogue are welcomed. Please submit to BJRouman@SBCglobal.net and Bobby@MyChamber.org prior to the 15th of each month. Space limitations may prevent your submission to be included.

Beyond the SYNAGOGUE

Rhona Halpern Honored!



Congratulations to Rhona Halpern on her recent Leader of Distinction Award at the Central West Adult Recognition Dinner!

Mazel Tov Rhona!

PROMOTIONS & AWARDS

Congratulations to RJ Spiegel for his Year-Long A/B Honor Roll, Athlete of the Year—Skills & Sportsmanship; Presidential Award—Outstanding Academic Achievement. This was at Garretson Elementary School, where he promotes on June 2.

RJ will advance to Auburndale Intermediate School.

The CBS Family is so proud of his accomplishments! We wish you Mazel Tov RJ!!



COAST GUARD HONORS KENNETH JACOBS



CBS member Kenneth (Ken) Jacobs received an award for 15 years of service to the US Coast Guard, National Maritime Center, from Lt. Commander William Fitzgerald in May 2022.

Our entire synagogue family is so very proud of Ken's commitment and dedication to serve our US Military. Ken's service to our nation is respected and admired by his CBS family.

Mazel Tov Ken on a job well done!

Congregation Beth Shalom Funds to Donate Towards

To make a donation in honor or in memory of a loved one or friend, select the Fund that you prefer and fill in the Donor card below. Send the bottom portion of this form to the CBS office with your donation.

We appreciate your support very much.

- ◆ **Youth Development Fund** (to provide scholarships for various programs including our religious school students to attend residence camps with significant Jewish programming and other programs)
- ◆ **General Fund** (to support the synagogue's daily operations)
- ◆ **Facility Fund** (to enhance, maintain and make improvement to our facility)
- ◆ **Cantor Discretionary Fund** (for charitable, hardship and educational purposes at Cantor's discretion)
- ◆ **Prayer Book Fund** (for purchasing, repairing, updating prayer books)
- ◆ **Adult Education Fund** (to support Adult Education programs)
- ◆ **Chesed Fund** (for the work of the Chesed Committee which responds in times of need for a birth, illness, emergency, or death in the family)
- ◆ **Torah Fund** (for the repair and/or purchase of the Torah Scrolls, Torah Commentaries, and other Bimah needs)
- ◆ **CBS Education Fund** (for materials, field trips, and other educational needs)

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I would like to make a donation of \$ _____ to the _____ Fund.

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Thank you for mailing this form and your check to:
Congregation Beth Shalom, PO Box 2737, Corona, CA 92878

ATTN: Donations



CONSIDER JOINING OUR HOODS

Join the Brotherhood/Sisterhood for \$10 a year. Membership will give members a discount on all Hood brunches

Special member pricing will be in effect for all Hood events, from breakfasts, to brunches and others throughout the fiscal year.

Come join the HOOD of your choice!!

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 (all funds raised will be presented, 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 (951) 733-9683



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Dates to Remember

**ACTIVITIES & SERVICES ARE IN PERSON UNLESS NOTED
 SOME ARE OFFERED VIA INTERNET**

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

JUNE 2022

2	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
3	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, <i>ONEG: Sponsored by Marci & Bruce Rouman and Karen & Bobby Spiegel</i>	6:30 PM
5	NO SCHOOL	*****
5	NO ADULT EDUCATION	*****
5	SHAVUOT YIZKOR SERVICE LED BY TANYA SPIEGEL	6:00 PM
5	TORAH STUDY LED BY CONGREGANTS	6:15 PM
5	SHAVUOT SERVICE	7:00 PM
5	DAIRY DESSERTS	7:45 PM
6	RITUAL COMMITTEE MEETING	6:30 PM
10	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY JOAN ZAK, <i>ONEG: Sponsored by Gail & Mark Koren</i>	7:30 PM
12	HELP THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE	7:00 AM
12	CBS ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING	10:00 AM
15	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
17	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR BRUCE SHAPIRO	7:30 PM
18	TORAH STUDY LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM
18	COMMUNITY SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR BRUCE SHAPIRO	10:00 AM
19	FATHER'S DAY	****
24	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE, <i>ONEG: Sponsored by Sharon & Lenny Elkins</i>	7:30 PM

JULY 2022

1	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE	6:30 PM
4	INDEPENDENCE DAY	****
7	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
8	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE	7:30 PM
15	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE <i>ONEG: GIL & AMANDA KENAN ANNIVERSARY</i>	7:30 PM
16	TORAH STUDY LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM
16	SHABBAT SERVICE	10:00 AM
20	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
22	SHABBAT SERVICE, <i>ONEG: JACKIE & BRUCE WILLIAMS</i>	7:30 PM
29	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE	7:30 PM

Annual Membership Meeting & Elections

We will present the

- State of the synagogue
- Review of Financial Status
- Thank the current Board of Directors
- Have elections for board positions
- View our Annual Year-In-Review Video
- AND there will be food & drinks

**Sunday
June 12
Time
10AM**