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Congregation Beth Shalom

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Cantor's Corner *by Cantor Bruce Shapiro*

IT'S OVER ALREADY?



All that preparation for 40 days of self-review, the New Year and Day of Atonement, Shaking the Lulav and Etrog on Sukkot, and then dancing with the Torahs on Simchat Torah!

Seems like yesterday that all of that was going on and...poof! It's over. Here we are **Mar** ("bitter") **Cheshvan** (מר חשוון) because there are no Jewish holidays

during the month. What are we to do without holidays? The "Little Shul that can" has plenty going on so read the rest of the newsletter for details.

On November 5, please join us for the **Bar Mitzvah** of Jonah Fusco at 10 AM as he reads from the Torah and will be our teacher as he shares his thoughts about the Torah portion **Lech Lecha!**

In the Torah portion **Chayei Sarah** (the Life of Sarah), the one right after the Akeida (sacrificing of Isaac on Mt. Moriah)

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**Join Congregation Beth Shalom (CBS)
on Saturday November 5 at 10 AM as**

**Jonah Fusco
becomes a Bar Mitzvah**

**CBS—500 Harrington St, Suite A1,
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* = through June 2023

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which we discussed Yom Kippur morning, a **midrash** (story) tells us that Sarah was still alive once the ram was sacrificed. She however was told by the evil Satan that Isaac was sacrificed and upon hearing the good news that he was still alive, she was so full of joy, that "her soul went out of her".

Sarah was not perfect, but is any human? During her life, she had a great capacity for forgiveness as evidenced by her treatment of Hagar after Hagar repents for her behavior. However, Sarah did not act like a "normal" person and she showed us (the reader) the "true human condition where our vulnerabilities are challenged". Her relationship with Abraham also showed us that married life can be "unpredictable". She and Abraham went from stability to instability in a short period of time creating much stress on their relationship. In life, one does not know where the other's "job" might take you. It takes a "leap of faith" to be married and a great deal of communication and commitment with one another.

Ultimately, "marriage is a spiritual journey". It helps to "be on the same page" when working together to create a peaceful house and a home! It was not always that way for Abraham and Sarah, and in relationships, we can learn from them how not to make the same mistakes and align our faith in G-d as part of the plan!

Our next **Torah study** (about 45 minutes) will be changed, so it doesn't interfere with Jonah's Bar Mitzvah, to Saturday morning, November 19 at 9 AM on Zoom only. Looking to add one more item to your Jewish "To Do" list for 5783? This is an easy one and the discussions are lively regardless of the level of your current Torah understanding. It is amazing how we add our own "spark" to every conversation held and each question asked! (Join on Zoom or in person.)

We are hoping for a June 2024 Adult B'Nai Mitzvah right here at CBS. 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 Each Achieves More! Lastly, "alone we can do so little, together we can do so much!"

Adon Olam, Master of the Universe, may we find ways to achieve the goals/commitments/vows we set for ourselves during the High Holidays. **Remember, "any way is a way, if you make it a way!"** May this happen soon! Happy Thanksgiving and see you all soon on Zoom or in person.



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Join us for Erev Shabbat Service in the Round Friday, December 9, 2022 at 7:30 PM Inspired by Joan Zak

- Bring your questions and ideas
 - Less Standing, More Talking
 - Read and discuss parts of the service
- Discussions may lengthen the service.*



Photo credit: Dennis Brooks, photo was staged, and taken prior to the beginning of Shabbat

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 Bruce Rouman (951) 847-4632.



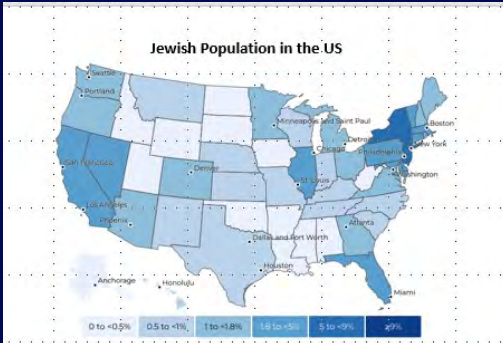
Our young students are very concerned about the planet we are leaving for them. They are learning and experimenting on ways they can contribute. One very important step they have taken is **RECYCLING**.

Our Oneg room, the room between the sanctuary and the kitchen, has **RECYCLING** containers for empty plastic bottles (and caps), glass bottles and cans. Please do not throw these items in the trash. They are brought to a recycling center. The money goes to our school.

President's Message

Jewish Population

As of 2022



One of the world's oldest monotheistic religions, Judaism first originated over 3,500 years ago in the Middle East and has since spread to nearly every corner of the globe. The Jewish people have had a profound impact on modern history, serving as the catalyst for many of modern society's predominant philosophies. As of late 2021 (Rosh Hashanah year 5782), there were **approximately 15.2 million Jews worldwide** (and rising).

The Jewish population was devastated by the Holocaust of World War II, which saw the global population fall from its peak of 16.7 million in 1939 to fewer than 11 million by the end of the war. Current totals can vary widely depending upon the specific definition of "Jewish" in use. If counting only Orthodox Jews, the total shrinks considerably—however, it expands greatly if the tally includes people of Jewish ethnicity who don't actively practice the religion.

Of the five major world religions—Hinduism, Buddhism, Judaism, Christianity, and Islam—Judaism is by far the smallest, accounting for just 0.19% of the world's total population. In comparison,

Christianity and Islam—both of which splintered off from Judaism, which predates them by millennia, respectively—account for 31.1% and 24.9% of the total world population respectively. Put another way, this equates to 173 Christians and 138 Muslims for every one Jew. According to a Pew Research data projection for 2020, Judaism was estimated to have 14.7 million followers worldwide (updated 2021 data did not yet exist at the time of the project's completion), while Christianity had 2,382 million, Islam had 1,907 million, Hinduism had 1,161 million, and Buddhism had 506 million.

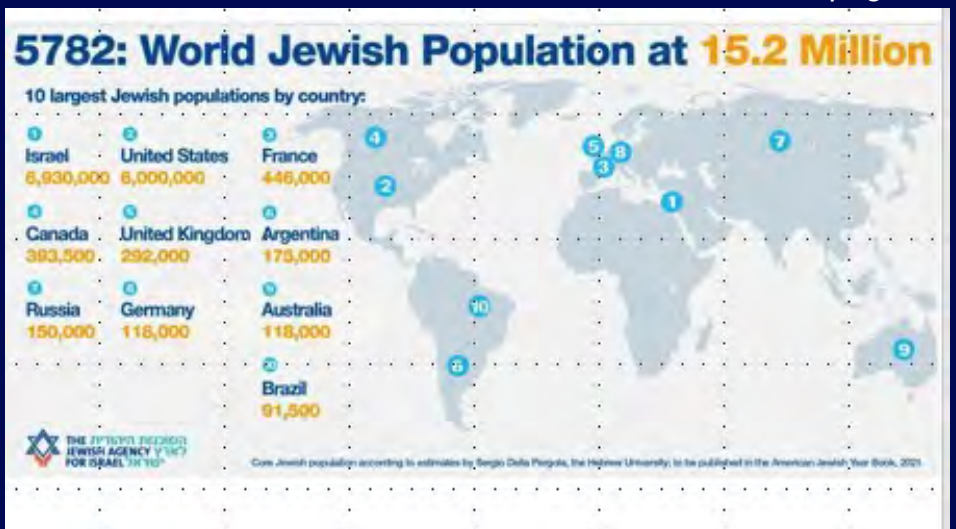
Distribution of Jews throughout the world

Although Jews exist in most every country in the world, the vast majority are concentrated in two countries: Israel and the United States. With more than 6.9 million Jewish citizens (2021 estimate), Israel is home to more Jews than any other country in the world. 74.2% of Israel's population is Jewish.

The historic homeland of the Jews, Israel is home to the Holy City of Jerusalem, which is of great importance to those of the Jewish faith. The United States has the world's second-largest Jewish population, with around 6 million Jews. More Jews live in New York City than in any other city in the world. The New York Metropolitan area is home to 1,728,000 Jews, roughly 10% of its total population. The borough of Brooklyn alone has nearly 800,000 Jews, which accounts for more than a third of its population.

The next eight countries with the largest Jewish populations were estimated to have between 446,000 and 91,500 Jews in 2021. First comes France with 446,000, followed by Canada with 393,500, and the United Kingdom with 292,000. Argentina, Russia, Germany, Australia, and Brazil all have significant Jewish populations as well.

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JEWISH POPULATION cont'd from page 5 (President's Message)

Jewish ethnic divisions: The Ashkenazi, Mizrahi, and Sephardi

Because the term "Jew" is often used as a blanket category covering anyone of Jewish descent, it can be reductive and understate the diversity of cultures and ethnicities that have evolved since the "Jewish diaspora." The Jewish diaspora is the historic dispersion of Jews throughout the world due to exile and persecution, originally from their homeland in Israel. Upon their exile, Jews spread out across Afro-Eurasia, settling in an array of different areas and developing into new sub-groups with their own evolving cultures. Although most sub-groups retain many shared Jewish traditions from the time before the original exile from Israel, they have also diversified (and undergone many additional instances of bigotry and persecution) since.

Ashkenazi — Descendants of Jews who traveled north and settled in France, Germany, and Eastern Europe at the time of their exile, the roughly 10 million Ashkenazi are often classified as being of European descent. Most of the Jews in the United States are Ashkenazi, and there are many people of Ashkenazi descent who do not identify as Jewish, but for their ancestry.

Mizrahi — The 4.6 million Mizrahi are descended from Jews who settled not far from Israel in Southwest Asia and parts of Northern Africa. Approximately 3.2 million of the roughly 6.9 million Jews in Israel are Mizrahi.

Population of Countries As of 2020		Totals
Countries		Core Total
1	Israel ^[a]	6,340,600
2	United States	5,700,000
3	France ^[b]	448,000
4	West Bank ^[c]	432,800
5	Canada	393,000
6	United Kingdom ^[d]	292,000
7	Argentina	175,000
8	Russia	155,000
9	Australia	118,000
10	Germany	118,000
11	Brazil	92,000
12	South Africa	52,300
13	Hungary	47,200
14	Ukraine	45,000
15	Mexico	40,000
16	Netherlands	29,800
17	Belgium	29,000
18	Italy	27,000
19	Switzerland	18,500
20	Uruguay	16,000
21	Chile	16,000
22	Sweden	15,000
23	Turkey	14,500
24	Spain	13,000
25	Austria	10,300
26	Panama	10,000
27	Iran	9,500
28	Romania	8,900
29	Belarus	8,500
30	New Zealand	7,500
31	Azerbaijan	7,200
32	Venezuela	6,000
33	Denmark	6,400
34	India	4,800
35	Latvia	4,500
36	Poland	4,500
37	Greece	4,100
38	Czech Republic	3,900

Population of Countries As of 2020		Totals
39	Portugal	3,100
40	China ^[e]	3,000
41	Uzbekistan	2,900
42	Ireland	2,700
43	Slovakia	2,600
44	Kazakhstan	2,500
45	Costa Rica	2,500
46	Lithuania	2,400
47	Colombia	2,100
48	Morocco	2,100
49	Bulgaria	2,000
50	Moldova	1,900
51	Estonia	1,900
52	Peru	1,900
53	Croatia	1,700
54	Georgia	1,500
55	Puerto Rico	1,500
56	Serbia	1,400
57	Finland	1,300
58	Norway	1,300
59	Tunisia	1,000
60	Japan	1,000
61	Paraguay	1,100
62	Guatemala	900
63	Singapore	900
64	Ecuador	600
65	Gibraltar	800
66	Luxembourg	700
67	Bolivia	500
68	Bosnia and Herzegovina	500
69	Cuba	500
70	U.S. Virgin Islands	500
71	Kyrgyzstan	400
72	Bahamas	200
73	Kenya	300
74	Netherlands Antilles	400
75	Jamaica	500
76	Suriname	200
77	Thailand	200
78	Turkmenistan	200
79	Zimbabwe	200
80	Armenia	100
81	Bermuda	100
82	Botswana	100
83	DR Congo	100
84	Cyprus	500
85	Barbados	100
86	Dominican Republic	100
87	Egypt	100
88	El Salvador	100

Population of Countries As of 2020		Totals
89	Ethiopia	100
90	Indonesia	100
91	Malta	500
92	Namibia	100
93	Nigeria	100
94	North Macedonia	100
95	Madagascar	100
96	Philippines	100
97	Slovenia	100
98	South Korea	100
99	Syria ^[f]	100
100	Taiwan	100
101	Uganda	—
102	Aruba	—
103	Nicaragua	—
104	Mauritius	—
105	Tajikistan	—
106	Anguilla	—
107	Faroe Islands	—
108	Montenegro	—
109	British Virgin Islands	—
110	Liechtenstein	—
111	Falkland Islands	—
	World	14,787,200

Sephardi — The ancestors of today's 900,000 Sephardic Jews originally settled in Iberia (Spain and Portugal) . During the 15th century, the Sephardic Jews were expelled from their new homeland and resettled in

North Africa, Southern Europe, and Western Asia on the periphery of the Mediterranean Sea.

Info from <https://worldpopulationreview.com> and <https://en.wikipedia.org/>

Submitted by Bruce Rouman



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BAR MITZVAH

Please join us as Jonah is called to the Torah

Congregation Beth Shalom 500 Harrington Street Corona, CA 92880
Saturday, November 5 at 10:00 AM PT

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?
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SHAKING IT in the SUKKAH

The Little Shul that Could continues to bring traditions alive for our next generation (and those of us who want to relive those years!!) Recently, the Rouman family hosted the CBS families at the synagogue's Sukkot celebration, including building the Sukkah and shaking the Lulav and Etrog.

We are grateful to Cantor Shapiro. He had a busy two weeks: High Holy Days, the birth, then bris of his Grandson, Easton Shapiro. He returned to celebrate Sukkot with us all!

We also held our Simchat Torah celebration, though because of the Chag, the only pictures captured will be those beautiful memories we witnessed, as every attendee was able to dance with the Torahs, receive an Aliyah and embrace that Holy Day!



Above are those who were able to come early, kibbitz and shake the lulav, enjoy relaxing just prior to Sukkot services with dinner at the Rouman's home.

To the left is the crew that built and decorated the Sukkah—many thanks to each of them!

SHAKE, SHAKE, SHAKE



SHAKING IT in the SUKKAH



EDUCATION *Report*

Marci Rouman, Education Director

The CBS Religious School is actively teaching our youth about many facets of Judaism. Each month, I will be highlighting a teacher from our team.

Back by popular demand is *Cooking with Marta*. Marta Driz is a wonderful woman who uses her special talents, including cooking, to teach our students a variety of historical and traditional things about our faith. Marta originally lived in Israel and now calls the greater Corona area her home. Our hands-on classes enable our students to comprehend and absorb the teachings. Recently, Marta assisted the students' making decorations for our Sukkah, and each of the students cooked an apple turnover (which was delicious!!)

Part of our Religious School's focus is to assist those members who want their students to become a Bar or Bat Mitzvah. This is the Little Shul that Could....and though we might be small in numbers, we excel in many great accomplishments.

Please join the CBS family as Jonah Fusco is called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on November 5, 2022. We will be at our synagogue for the 10:00 AM service. Do not miss it.

Then it will be time for final preparations for the annual Holiday Bazaar and Brunch. This event is always a favorite. The date of the Bazaar is November 20, 2022. If you know of a vendor or craft person, please have them connect with me right away. Tickets for the brunch will be offered by each student in the religious school. If you want extra tickets, see them, or call me. I look forward to seeing all of you at the Bazaar!

Proud Husband!

The traditional break the fast hosted at Congregation Beth Shalom was simply short of nothing! A typical trend for this annual event is to ensure there is enough food for everyone, and then some (just in case 15 to 20 more people show up!!) There were lots of people who helped (another common thread with CBS of Corona). Caught in the moment, Mark Fogel ensuring everyone had a chance to try one (of many types) of Paula Fogel's delicious (almost no calories) cookies. Paula bakes from her home kitchen, and you can see a variety of options available on page 16. If you don't see an option, ask, Paula is most accommodating.



RITUAL *Report*

Jackie Williams, Ritual Chairperson

Thank you to the following wonderful congregants who led services during the month of October: Joan Zak on October 14 and RJ Spiegel on October 28. In November it will be Zophia Lindenbaum on November 11 and Joan Zak on November 25. Thank you all very much.

Shabbat Under the Stars was held on October 7. All who attended were thrilled with the beautiful musical service led by Cantor Bruce. We had a wonderful oneg. Thank you to all who helped set up and clean up.

The Sukkot service and dinner at the. Rouman's home was enjoyed by everyone. There was good food and good company.

Sadly Mel Goldman, father of Cindy Williams and Stacy Pineiros passed away on September 28. The funeral was on October 3 and Chesed Committee members Cheryl and Joel Freidberg, Joan Jacobs, Gail and Mark Koren, Marci and Bruce Rouman, Paula Fogel, and Jackie and Bruce Williams hosted the Meal of Condolence. In the evening of October 3 we had a Shiva service at our home led by Tanya Spiegel. It was a very moving service.

Our Break the Fast was attended by more than 40 people. It was a great meal with plenty of delicious food organized by Renee Miller with lots of help.

Join us in Celebrating Members CBS Family



NOVEMBER

Nov 18 Michael & Stephanie Sachs
 Dec 24 Dennis Brooks / Joan Zak
 Dec 26 Ken & Joan Jacobs
 Dec 29 Ethan & Ada Whittemore

3 Danny Davis
 3 MaKenna Spiegel
 8 Bryn Barkan
 11 Oliver Fusco
 11 Renee Miller
 22 Zophia Lindenbaum
 27 Isaac Spiegel
 30 Shirli Driz

DECEMBER

5 Renée Tieszen
 6 Katelynn Spiegel
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 15 Dennis Brooks
 20 Joyce Severson
 26 Molly Shapiro
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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.



SAVE THE DATE

SUNDAY, APRIL 23, 2023
Legacy AWARDS LUNCHEON

Legacy

Congregation Beth Shalom is pleased to honor Mark and Paula Fogel and Joan Zak and Dennis Brooks with the coveted Legacy Award. This recognition will take place on Sunday, April 23, 2023, as part of the synagogue's annual Legacy Awards Recognition event. Additional honorees are The Silver Dollar Pancake House; owners Robert and Diana Hernandez who will receive the Shatuf Tzedek Award (Business Partner) and Katie Moore of ABC Hopes who will receive the Shomer Tzedek Award (Guardian of Righteousness). What follows is a short "bio" of Mark and Paula Fogel where you will read about their contributions to the synagogue and the community.



Mark Fogel was born and raised in Anaheim where he attended and had his Bar Mitzvah at Temple Beth Shalom in Santa Ana. Mark invited both Elvis Presley and President Nixon to his Bar Mitzvah. President Nixon was gracious enough to send his regrets, but unfortunately Elvis did not respond. Mark graduated from Loara High School and went on to attend Los Angeles Trade-Technical College and earn a degree in Printing Technology. Mark worked in the printing field for several years before moving on to a career in sales and closeouts.

Paula was born in Omaha, Nebraska and spent her childhood in various Midwest cities but considers Omaha her home. Paula married soon after graduating from high school and had three sons. Paula owned a pawn shop and then went on to work in her family's closeout business.

Mark and Paula met at a trade show in Las Vegas. Mark was living in Orange County at the time, and Paula was living in Nebraska. It was not long before Mark and Paula married, joining their families, and re-locating to Corona. Mark had a daughter, Jessica, and Paula had three sons: Christopher, Craig, and Jordan. Within a few short years, Mark and Paula bought a local gift shop, Pepper Tree Lane, located in Corona and gave the shop a "go" for several years. Mark was growing his sales business and beginning to travel extensively. Paula worked in sales, marketing and management and ran a busy household with children and their active schedules.

As the kids were growing up, cancer came "calling" in Paula's family with Paula's mom and shortly thereafter her dad having cancer diagnoses resulting in

Paula going back to Omaha to take care of her parents. Shortly after the passing of Paula's parents, Paula's son, Christopher passed away. Several months later, Paula was diagnosed with breast cancer. Being a cancer survivor has nurtured a passion in Paula for "giving back" to the cancer community and helping those in need. Paula gives of her time as a volunteer for the Corona library and local hospital. She has volunteered for the American Cancer Society's "Road to Recovery" which is an organization which assists cancer patients with transportation to medical appointments. Additionally, Paula has partnered for more than twenty years with a friend and her church to

Legacy **AWARDS LUNCHEON**

put on a special Christmas party for underprivileged children, complete with gifts for the children and their families. Paula volunteers at CBS whenever she is needed in addition to being the “baker extraordinaire” for all events at CBS. Paula is an active participant in the Annual Holiday Bazaar and an integral member of the Legacy Luncheon Committee.

Mark plays poker with the Men’s Club regularly, and volunteers to help with set up at many CBS events. He also belongs to the Corona Elks Lodge. Mark’s passion is playing Poker, Three Card and being a generous supporter of CBS’ Legacy Luncheon.

Mark’s daughter Jessica is grown, married, has four children, runs a successful business, and lives in Menifee. Both Paula’s sons live in Corona. Craig is married with a son and a stepson and Jordan is a successful salesperson.

Mark and Paula have been married for thirty-three years. They love to entertain in their home, are boating enthusiasts and enjoy traveling.

Join us now in planning this great annual event for CBS. Contact Renee Miller at (909) 228-5945 or Marci Rouman at (951) 733-3980.

Outside the **SYNAGOGUE**

SAFETY FIRST



We are always looking at SAFETY FIRST issues for the security and well-being of our congregants and visitors. Recently, the Corona Fire Department made an inspection of our property. In Corona, there is an ordinance which requires building addresses be illuminated. Our location needed upgraded lighting. The Fire Department’s Inspector wrote a correction notice, and the landlord had this light installed. We have new brighter lights that illuminate our entryway.

Fresh Challahs Mini Challahs and Rye Bread!

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

**Choose a date, for your Oneg Shabbat, that is meaningful to you.
Call Gail Koren (951) 204-4757
to find out how simple and easy it is.**

Nov	4	CBS Friends of the Fusco Family —celebrating Jonah Fusco's Bar Mitzvah weekend!
Nov	11	Renee & Sam Miller —in honor of Renee's Birthday
Nov	18	Melissa & Mitch Lindenbaum —in honor of Zophia's Birthday
Nov	25	Gil & Amanda (and Ari) Kenan —Yahrzeit
Dec	2	Renée Tieszen —celebrating her birthday
Dec	9	Marci & Bruce Rouman —A Mitzvah
Dec	16	Shirli Driz —in memory of her father, Joseph Driz
Dec	23	Joyce & Dav Severson —in honor of Joyce's Birthday
Dec	30	Joan & Ken Jacobs —in honor of their anniversary

Congregation Beth Shalom

ADULT EDUCATION

Sunday November 6, 2022 at 9:30 AM



The Ten Sefirot - continued

Review of the meaning
What does each symbolize
What do they teach us about God
Sefirot, body parts, planets and color

Zoom will be Joan's Zoom

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4420163247?pwd=c1NCUkFtRTBQeDUrdDIKNGMzZXRCdz09>

Meeting ID: 442 016 3247

Passcode: 06841197

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.

DONATIONS

CANTOR'S DISCRETIONARY Fund

Bobby & Karen Spiegel
In honor of newest congregants, Ari Kenan and Easton Shapiro

EDUCATION Fund

Lenny & Sharon Elkins

Eileen Taks
In loving memory of Sam Fox

Bobby & Karen Spiegel
In memory of Dr. Hermann Hirsch Mathilda Hirsch Roselene Hirsch Werner Hirsch And all who perished in the Holocaust.

GENERAL Fund

Bob Stone
In loving memory of Bob's Mother, Leah S. Stone

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT Fund

Sandra Shulman
In loving memory of Sandra's Mother, Lois Gelb

Eileen & Brian Cohen
In loving memory of Erika Schwartz Peter Schwartz And Esther Kass

HIGH HOLY DAY APPEAL

Mark & Paula Fogel
 Joel & Cheryl Friedberg
 Ken & Joan Jacobs
 Renee & Sam Miller
 Bruce & Marci Rouman
 Cantor Bruce & Marcy Shapiro
 Sol Shapiro
 Bobby & Karen Spiegel
 Rebecca Spiegel
 Bob & Kathy Stone
 Felix Smith
 Bruce & Jackie Williams
 Deborah Wutzke
 Joan Zak

CHESED Fund

Cheryl & Joel Friedberg
in loving memory of Karen Kurtz

The donations listed were received before October 20, 2022.

Please note a change in credit card processing fees that will be in effect as of August 1, 2022.

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

Yahrzeit Observances

May their memories be a blessing

NOVEMBER

5 Bella Baer Elkins	11 Heshvan
6 Harry Schulman	12 Heshvan
7 Ida Wissner *	13 Heshvan
11 Betty Agins Hoffman *	17 Heshvan
11 Eugene Miller *	17 Heshvan
11 Sue Kaufmann	17 Heshvan
13 Freida Tarshis	19 Heshvan
14 Gilbert Rouman *	20 Heshvan
15 Theresa B. Jacobs	21 Heshvan
16 Cecilia Schwatz *	22 Heshvan
18 Bertha Smith	24 Heshvan
19 Dr. Hermann Hirsch *	25 Heshvan
20 Henny Bendix Pels *	26 Heshvan
22 Mathilda Hirsch *	28 Heshvan
22 Roselene Hirsch *	28 Heshvan
22 Werner Hirsch *	28 Heshvan
23 George Smith	29 Heshvan
25 Dorothy Itzkowitz *	1 Kislev
27 Jack Sachs *	3 Kislev
27 Sol Karl *	3 Kislev
28 Bennett Oberstein	4 Kislev
28 Rachel Miriam Friedman *	4 Kislev

DECEMBER

3 Charles Lich	9 Kislev
3 Roberto Maya *	9 Kislev
5 Merton Jacobs	11 Kislev
8 Fred S. Sack	14 Kislev
8 Susan Bossel	14 Kislev
9 David Berggrun	15 Kislev
9 Ethel Scharfman *	15 Kislev
11 Rudolfo Hirschfield	17 Kislev
12 Herman "Rocky" Stone	18 Kislev
12 Sandy Rubin	18 Kislev
14 Margo Weil *	20 Kislev
15 Hermann Schwartz *	21 Kislev
16 Herbert Guber *	22 Kislev
17 Joseph Driz *	23 Kislev
18 Bela Koren *	24 Kislev
18 Herbert Spiegel *	24 Kislev
20 Kay Goldstein *	26 Kislev
25 George Williams	2 Tevet
26 Mindel Eisen *	2 Tevet
27 Pauline Fiardo *	3 Tevet
30 Bryan Jay Newman *	6 Tevet
31 Kenneth Dawe	7 Tevet
31 Gertrude Cooper	7 Tevet

*** = denotes Memorial Board Plaque**

For questions or corrections, please contact Joan Zak (760) 803-5451



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7-Up Cake (with frosting)	\$28.00
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Banana Bread Coffee Cake	\$28.00
Banana Pound Cake	\$28.00
Carrot Cake (2 layer with frosting & pecans)	\$28.00
Texas Chocolate Cake (with fudge & walnut frosting)	\$22.00

COOKIES

\$22.00 per dozen
\$3.00 per cookie

Chocolate Chip (with or without nuts)
White Chocolate Macadamia Nut
Lemon
White Chocolate Chip
Cowboy Cookies (coconut, pecans, & chocolate chips)
Oatmeal (with or without raisins)
Oatmeal Scotchies
Peanut Butter
Peanut Butter Chip
Red Velvet Crinkle
Chocolate Crinkle
Lemon Crinkle
Snickerdoodle

BREADS

\$15.00 per loaf
3 loaves for \$40.00

Pumpkin Bread
Orange Cranberry Bread (with or without nuts)
Lemon Cranberry (seasonal)
Lemon, Lemon Poppyseed or Lemon Blueberry
Vanilla Oatmeal Applesauce Bread (nuts or raisins can be added)
Poppyseed Bread
Zucchini Bread (with or without nuts)
Brown Sugar Crumble Zucchini
Death by Chocolate (nuts or coconut can be added)
Banana Bread (with or without nuts)
Chocolate Marbled Banana Bread (with or without nuts)
Blueberry or Raspberry Bread
Cinnamon Swirl Bread

text your order to Paula @ 951-203-1275

Credit Card & PayPal Policy!!

The CBS Board of Directors passed a resolution, effective August 1, 2022, there will be a 3% service charge added to payments received by credit card. The CBS website will automatically add the 3% fee to your donation when using a credit card when it goes through the PayPal site. Also, calling in a credit card payment, we will inform you of the 3% fee prior to running your card.



CONDOLENCES

It is with sadness we share the loss of Marilyn Weil who had been a member of CBS for years. She passed on October 28 peacefully, surrounded by family members.

Marilyn is survived by her two sons Eric and Mitchell Watnik.

May the memories shared be a blessing to her family and our community.



CBS BOOK *Club*

*Congregation
Beth
Shalom*

DECEMBER BOOK SELECTION

DINNERS WITH RUTH

A MEMOIR *on the* POWER
of FRIENDSHIPS

READ BY
THE AUTHOR



NINA TOTENBERG
NPR Legal Affairs Correspondent

*D*inners with Ruth is an extraordinary account of two women who paved the way for future generations by tearing down professional and legal barriers. It is also an intimate memoir of the power of friendships as women began to pry open career doors and transform the workplace. At the story's heart is one, special relationship: Ruth Bader Ginsburg and Nina Totenberg saw each other not only through personal joys, but also illness, loss, and widowhood. During the devastating illness and eventual death of Nina's first husband, Ruth drew her out of grief; twelve years later, Nina would reciprocate when Ruth's beloved husband died. They shared not only a love of opera, but also of shopping, as they instinctively understood that clothes were armor for women who wanted to be taken seriously in a workplace dominated by men.

During Ruth's last year, they shared so many small dinners that Saturdays were "reserved for Ruth" in Nina's house.

Dinners with Ruth also weaves together compelling, personal portraits of other fascinating women and men from Nina's life, including her cherished NPR colleagues Cokie Roberts and Linda Wertheimer; her beloved husbands; her friendships with multiple Supreme Court Justices, including Lewis Powell, William Brennan, and Antonin Scalia, and Nina's own family—her father, the legendary violinist Roman Totenberg, and her "best friends," her sisters. Inspiring and revelatory, *Dinners with Ruth* is a moving story of the joy and true meaning of friendship.

Join your CBS book club friends on

Monday, December 12, 2022

5:30 PM on Zoom

No Book Club Meeting in November.

CANTOR BRUCE IS AVAILABLE TO
SUPPORT YOUR LIFECYCLE EVENTS

**Life Cycle
Events**



**Brit / Baby
Naming's**



Weddings

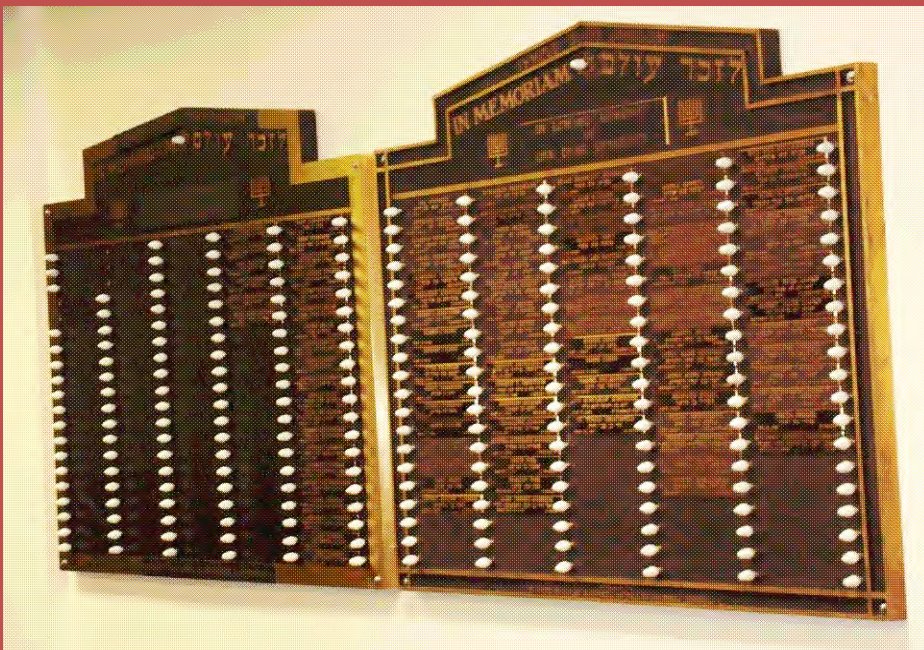


**Funerals &
Unveilings**



Not just for CBS members but for others in the community.
Please share with your friends and extended family.
CALL: 951-734-4033

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**Honor their
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**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.*

All CBS Erev Shabbat Services

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

- ◆ The first Friday, starts at 6:30 PM 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 7:30 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
 - ◆ YOU!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
- ◆ Onegs comply with Kosher dairy guidelines, call Gail Koren (951) 204-4757
- ◆ Special Occasion Services
 - ◆ **Shabbat Under the Stars is held in September or October. It is a fun and special night outside to enjoy Shabbat.**
 - ◆ Shabbat Across America—A special service honored all over our country



**THE STRENGTH OF A PEOPLE.
THE POWER OF COMMUNITY.**

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



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Beyond the SYNAGOGUE

VACATION MEMORIES

Recently Sam, Renee and Rebecca Miller toured Arcadia Nation Park (Maine), Boston, then abroad to Sydney (Nova Scotia) The Citadel, Old Quebec, Charlottetown (Prince Edward Island), and here are some of their photos—it almost seemed as if we traveled with them.

Sam loves history and he was found answering questions to (other) tourists on the USS Constitution.



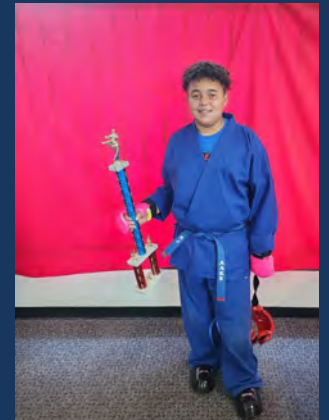
REUNITED IN NYC



Best friends growing up, Rebecca Miller (left) and Michele Schulman (right) recently reunited in-person in NYC. Both ladies attended CBS religious school.

One, Two , Three

Last month, RJ Spiegel entered his first Karate Competition...and success was accomplished because of his hard work and focus...and lots of practice. RJ finished 1st place in Kata, Weapons, and Sparring. Congratulations RJ your CBS family is proud of you!



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

VACATION CRUISE INCLUDES GREECE, ISRAEL

Bruce & Marci Rouman and Bob & Kathy Stone recently took a cruise that included many great sites and various countries. These photos are only a snapshot of their experiences. Marci was 'in heaven' as the cruise ship stopped twice in Israel allowing her to shop at her new favorite city, Zefat.



Tombs of the Kings in Cyprus



CBS president Bruce Rouman takes time while in Zefat Israel to visit with Miriam Botzer founder of Livnot U'Lehibanot (To Build and To Be Built). Miriam is Bobby Spiegel's cousin.



CUTENESS OVERLOAD!

Elijah Ramirez born on October 23, 2022 at Corona Regional Medical Center. Happy parents are Krystal Reiche and Rafael Ramirez. Elijah is the grandson of Corina Reiche. Congratulations to all!!



Beyond the SYNAGOGUE

Country Artist Coffey Anderson Meets RJ Spiegel!

As many members supported RJ Spiegel in his Mitzvah project, Honoring the Fallen 13, Country Artist, Coffey Anderson was so moved by RJ's project and his video request for Mr. Anderson to perform, he created a special recording to honor all 13 Fallen on the one year anniversary of this tragedy in Kabul, Afghanistan. To surprise RJ, his aunt Tanya secured tickets to a concert that Coffey Anderson was performing at. Upon hearing RJ was attending, Mr. Anderson made it a point to find RJ and meet for the first time. Needless to say, this will be a lifelong friendship between the two.



OUR NEWEST MEMBER



Last month we shared the news about the new baby born to Amanda and Matt Shapiro, and this month we are pleased to introduce you to him....Easton Shapiro.

Many synagogue members joined parents, Auntie Molly and grandparents Cantor Bruce and Marcy Shapiro at the beautiful bris ceremony where Easton received his name. Matt emotionally shared the various people who he was named after. The event was simply Hamish and we look forward to seeing Easton and big sister Addy at many synagogue events in the near future.



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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Form of Payment: Credit Card Check Cash

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Thank you for mailing this form and your check to:
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CBS **Holiday Bazaar** **& Brunch**

Sunday November 20, 2022
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
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For Info call 951-733-3980





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Dates to Remember

ACTIVITIES & SERVICES ARE IN PERSON UNLESS NOTED
SOME ARE OFFERED BY INTERNET
 IN PERSON EVENTS ARE AT 500 HARRINGTON ST. STE. A1 CORONA, CA 92878
 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED with an asterisk (*)

NOVEMBER 2022

3	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
4	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO AND JONAH FUSCO, <i>ONEG: FRIENDS OF FUSCO FAMILY</i>	7:30 PM
5	BAR MITZVAH OF JONAH FUSCO LED BY JONAH & CANTOR SHAPIRO	10:00 AM
6	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
6	ADULT EDUCATION ON ZOOM	9:30 AM
6	CONFIRMATION CLASS LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	10:00 AM
7	RITUAL MEETING	6:30 PM
10	KRISTALNACHT PROGRAM CORONA PUBLIC LIBRARY *	7:00 PM
11	SHABBAT DINNER AT SYNAGOGUE WITH SPECIAL GUESTS FAIGLA FISCHEL MONCZNIK and PENNY LINDENBAUM; <i>RSVP BY NOV 8: TANYA SPIEGEL (951) 751-9841</i>	6:00 PM
11	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY ZOPHIA LINDENBAUM, <i>ONEG: RENEE & SAM MILLER</i>	7:30 PM
13	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
13	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
13	CONFIRMATION CLASS LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	10:00 AM
13	LEGACY MEETING	11:00 AM
16	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
18	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, <i>ONEG: MITCH & MELISSA LINDENBAUM</i>	7:30 PM
19	TORAH STUDY ON ZOOM	9:00 AM
20	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
20	HOLIDAY BAZAAR	11:00 AM
25	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE <i>ONEG: GIL & AMANDA KENAN</i>	7:30 PM
27	NO SCHOOL	****

DECEMBER 2022

1	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
2	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, <i>ONEG: RENÉE TIESZEN</i>	6:30 PM
4	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 PM
4	CONFIRMATION CLASS LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	10:00 AM
5	RITUAL MEETING	6:30 PM
9	EREV SHABBAT IN THE ROUND LED BY JOAN ZAK, <i>ONEG: MARCI & BRUCE ROUMAN</i>	7:30 PM
11	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
11	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
11	LEGACY MEETING	11:00 AM
16	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, <i>ONEG: SHIRLI DRIZ</i>	7:30 PM
17	TORAH STUDY LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM
17	SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	10:00 AM
18	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
18	CONFIRMATION CLASS LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	10:00 AM
19	CHANUKAH CELEBRATION IN RIVERSIDE, AT HISTORIC	6:00 PM
21	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
23	SPECIAL CHANUKAH PRE SERVICE EVENT—BRING YOUR HANNUKIYOT SO WE CAN HAVE A COMMUNITY MENORAH LIGHTING	6:15 PM
23	EREV SHABBAT/CHANUKAH SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, <i>ONEG: JOYCE & DAVE SEVERSON</i>	6:40 PM
25	NO SCHOOL	****
30	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE, <i>ONEG: JOAN & KEN JACOBS</i>	7:30 PM