



Congregation B'nai Jeshurun

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June 23 - 30, 2000

Friday, June 23

GAY PRIDE SHABBAT

Kabbalat Shabbat Service

6:00 PM - 86th Street

Singles Oneg Shabbat

After Kabbalat Shabbat Service - 86th Street

Stonewall Shabbat Seder with Congressman Barney Frank

After Kabbalat Shabbat Service - 88th Street

Saturday, June 24

GAY PRIDE SHABBAT

Shabbat Parashat Beha'alotekha

Silent Meditation

9:00 AM - 86th Street Chapel

Service

9:30 AM - 86th Street

Torah: Numbers 8:1 – 12:16, Pg. 1075

Triennial: Numbers 9:15 – 10:34, Pg. 1082

Haftarah: Zekharia 2:14 – 4:7, Pg. 1259

Adult B'not Torah

Amelia Korn

Susan Diane Resnick

Linda Diane Rosenberg

Lorraine Susan Korn

Denyse N. Dolny-Lipsy

Elenor Radzivilover

Lois F. Alexander

Fran Manushkin

Kiddush

After Shabbat morning service - 88th Street

Singles Picnic

After Shabbat morning service - Riverside Park

Senior Shabbat Luncheon

1:00 PM - 86th Street

BJ COTS Oof Gozal Havdalah and Film Screening

9:00 PM - 88th Street

Sunday, June 25

Morning Minyan

9:30 AM - 88th Street

Gay Pride March

Call x325 for information

Monday, June 26

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM - 88th Street

BJ/SPSA Homeless Shelter

7:00 PM - 88th Street

Tuesday, June 27

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM - 88th Street

BJ/SPSA Homeless Shelter

7:00 PM - 88th Street

BJ Softball

7:00 PM - North Meadow Field #4

(Central Park at 97th Street)

Wednesday, June 28

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM - 88th Street

Kesharim with guest speaker, Sharon Lachow,

"My Recent Trip to Israel"

2:00 PM - 88th Street

BJ/SPSA Homeless Shelter

7:00 PM - 86th Street

Singles Film Screening at Makor

7:30 PM - Makor

Thursday, June 29

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM - 88th Street

Judith Bernstein Lunch Program

12:00 PM - 88th Street

BJ/SPSA Homeless Shelter

7:00 PM - 86th Street

Friday, June 30

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM - 88th Street

Parashat Shelah M'varkhim Ha'Hodesh

Torah: Numbers 13:1 – 15:41, Pg. 1107

Triennial: Numbers 14:8 – 15:7, Pg. 1110

Haftarah: Joshua 2:1 – 24, Pg. 1262

Social Justice Opportunity of the Week

Within the last two weeks, two separate Palestinian house demolitions have been carried out in the Jerusalem area under the direction of Natan Sharansky's Interior Ministry. Please join our Israeli friends at Bat-Shalom and Rabbis for Human Rights in calling on Minister Sharansky to end this misguided policy. In the words of Bat Shalom, such demolitions plant in young Palestinian children "the seeds of hatred" and are "short sighted acts that will prove irreparably disastrous." Write to him at sar@moin.gov.il or fax him at #011-972-2-566-6376 and tell him to "stop the demolitions." A draft letter can be found at the back of the sanctuary, or on the social action page of the BJ website.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please call our office to let us know about family events such as births, celebrations, illness or death, so that we can inform the Rabbis and make the appropriate announcement to our community.

Mazal Tov To:

- Amelia Korn, Susan Diane Resnick, Linda Diane Rosenberg, Lorraine Susan Korn, Denyse N. Dolny-Lipsy, Elenor Radzivilover, Lois F. Alexander and Fran Manushkin on the occasion of their becoming B'not Torah.
- Andrea Stern and Adam Pelzman, Judy and Stephen Peck, Manny, Liz, Josie and Maxine Stern and Stephanie Rein, Eddie, Benjamin and Avery Stern on the birth of their son, grandson, nephew and cousin, Simon Stern Pelzman.

B'rukhim Ha'Baim To:

Members of Rabbi Joshua Levine Grater's new synagogue, Congregation Ahavath Israel of Kingston, NY.

Kiddush Sponsorship

This week's kiddush is sponsored by:

- Amelia Korn, Susan Diane Resnick, Linda Diane Rosenberg, Lorraine Susan Korn, Denyse N. Dolny-Lipsy, Elenor Radzivilover, Lois F. Alexander and Fran Manushkin on the occasion of their becoming B'not Torah.
- Mark Horn, Patty and Diane Goldstick, Ilene Sameth and Amy Lavine in honor of Gay Pride Shabbat.

Please note:

As of Tuesday, July 4th, Contemplative Meditation will only take place on the first Tuesday of the month from 6:00 - 7:00 PM at 88th Street.

Like to Cook? Want to Serve?

The Judith Bernstein Lunch Program is looking for additional monthly volunteers to prepare soup and salad on Wednesday evenings and volunteers to serve lunch on Thursdays to our many guests. For more details and to volunteer, contact Julie at x376.

BJ member and volunteer Gary Guttman has been offering computer coaching to guests at the BJ/SPSA Homeless Shelter. To facilitate this endeavor we need another lap-top computer. If you would like to donate a lap-top for use in the Shelter, please contact Carol Dikman at 737-1840.

Summer Service Schedule

From **Friday June 30th - Friday September 1st**, all Shabbat services will be held at 88th Street:

- Kabbalat Shabbat service:
6:45 PM in the sanctuary
- Shabbat morning service:
9:30 AM in the sanctuary
- Children's morning service:
10:45 AM in Frankel Hall

Reminder: Reading the Kol Jeshurun is a great way to remind yourself of upcoming events you've read about in the Kol Hadash or on the web site as well as to monitor new information or program changes.

Further information on events can be found in the Kol Hadash (mailed to members only), on our web site (www.bj.org) and in the back of the sanctuary at 86th and 88th Streets.

Please note: All announcements or registration forms for the next Kol Jeshurun are due at the BJ office on the Tuesday before printing at 12:00 noon.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Shabbat Senior Luncheon

Saturday, June 24th at 1:00 PM after services at 86th Street.

Oof Gozal Ceremony

Saturday, June 24th at 9:00 PM at 88th Street: Join with the Rabbis and the BJ COTS Seniors for havdalah and a special premiere screening of "The Homeless: A Teen Point of View," written and directed by BJ COTS.

BJ in El Salvador: From Liberation Theology to a Theology of Peace

Thursday, July 6th at 7:30 PM at 88th Street: Join us for a viewing of the newly released video of Rabbis Matalon and Bronstein on their recent trip to El Salvador. A roundtable discussion will follow, featuring Rabbi Bronstein, Father Jose "Chencho"

Alas, Aristides Valencia, Rabbi Joshua Saltzman, students from NYU Hillel who participated on the trip and the filmmaker. The forum will be followed by refreshments and a musical tribute to social activists in the New York area and worldwide.

SINGLES ACTIVITIES

Summer's In the Air!

Tonight, June 23rd after Kabbalat Shabbat service at 86th Street: Welcome in the warm nights ahead with an Oneg Shabbat...Join us for lite fare, beverages and schmoozing. Please bring a business card with your e-mail address.

Picnic in the Park

Saturday, June 24th after Shabbat morning service in Riverside Park: We invite you to our annual Summer Shabbat Picnic in the park. Meet us in front of 86th Street and bring your favorite vegetarian lunch and drink. We'll bring the challah, wine, and song sheets and together, under the shade of a leafy tree, we'll share the joys of Shabbat in Riverside Park.

Film Screening at Makor

Wednesday, June 28th at 7:30 PM at Makor (5 West 67th Street): Join us for a film screening of "The Life and Times of Hank Greenberg" (1999). As Hitler was invading Europe, a handsome, young Jewish baseball player was challenging Babe Ruth's home run record. Aviva Kempner's award-winning documentary reveals how Detroit Tiger Hank Greenberg transcended American religious prejudice, shattered stereotypes, and became an American hero. Cost: \$6 BJ members; \$8 non-members. For information and to reserve your space (seating is limited) call Makor at 601-1000.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Special Needs/Reserved Seating

If you have special needs (physical, hearing, or visual) and would like reserved seating for Shabbat services (aisle, close to the front, etc.), please call x320.

Hebrew but still want to join in the singing and chanting, we have inserted transliterations in our siddurim.

Transliterations

For those of you attending Shabbat services who are not completely comfortable reading the

New to BJ?

If you are unfamiliar with our services and would like to sit with someone who can help orient you, our ushers will be happy to direct you to such a person.

MEMBER/AFFILIATE ACTIVITIES

A Celebration of Jewish Heritage

Tuesday, June 27th from 6:00-8:00 PM at B'nai Jeshurun: Manhattan Borough President C. Virginia Fields invites you to join her in honoring BJ members, E.M. Broner and Peninnah

Schram and Dr. Diane Steinman. Israeli entertainment will be sponsored by The Consulate General of Israel in New York. RSVP 669-4451.

Ecological Suggestion of the Week

Return button batteries. Ask jewelry stores, watch repair shop, camera stores and other retailers to recycle your button batteries.

This message was brought to you by the Environment Committee at x313.

Pasuk of the Week

**“.’v-otb l fu, c h, bfau tc-hbbv hf iuhm-, c hj nau hbr”
(sh:c vhrfz)**

“Shout for joy, Fair Zion! For lo, I come, and I will dwell in your midst – declares ADONAI.”
(Zecharia 2:14)

Please see the back of the sanctuary for flyers and registration forms for the following events and opportunities:

Sample letter to Israeli Minister of Interior Natan Sharansky
July 6th “BJ in El Salvador: From Liberation Theology to a Theology of Peace”
Havurot Applications
Employment Bank Listings
Upcoming Singles Events