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3 - 10 Sivan, 5765

NASSO

TORAH: ANNUAL Numbers 4:21 - 7:89
TRIENNIAL Numbers 4:21 - 1:54
HAFTARA Judges 13:2-25

NEXT WEEK: BEHA'ALOTKHA

TORAH: ANNUAL Numbers 8:1 - 12:16
TRIENNIAL Numbers 8:1 - 9:14
HAFTARA Zekhariah 2:14 - 4:7

Meeting, greeting, seating. This summer, we're counting on you to help.

Summer is coming, along with only one Friday night service at 7PM and our regular Shabbat morning service at 9:30AM at 88th St.

If you can commit to two Fridays and/or Saturdays this summer, we urgently need your help ushering. Many of our "regulars" are away on vacation for part of the summer. Come meet and greet your community and fulfill the mitzvah of hakhnasat orhim (welcoming our guests).

Please contact Helen Radin at hradin@bj.org or x233. See Friday 88th St. Head Usher Jeff Yablonka or Saturday Head Usher Glenda Frank after services.

Summer Service Schedule

Please note that as of *Friday, June 24* there will be one Friday night service at 88th St beginning at 7PM. Shabbat morning service begins at 9:30AM at 88th St.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

Kabbalat Shabbat Service
 Kabbalat Shabbat Service
 Hakhnasat Orhim's Community Shabbat Dinner
 Tze'irim Shabbat Potluck Dinner
***OMER COUNT: DAY 48 BEGINS THIS EVENING**

6:00 PM – 88th St.
 7:00 PM – 86th St.
 Following 6PM service – Frankel Hall
 Following 7PM service – 86th St. Social Hall
YESOD SHEBEMALKUT

SATURDAY, JUNE 11

Shabbat Service
 Children's Service
 Bar Mitzvah
 Aliyat Hatan VeKallah
 Bat Mitzvah
***OMER COUNT: DAY 49 BEGINS THIS EVENING**

9:30 AM – 86th St.
 10:45 AM – 86th St.
 Samuel Lieberman
 Tom Reiner and Susan Viuker Landau
 Ayala Mansky 5:00PM – 88th St
MALKHUT SHEBEMALKUT

SUNDAY, JUNE 12

Morning Minyan
 First Evening Service
 Tikkun Leil Shavuot

EREV SHAVUOT
 9:30 AM – 88th St.
 8:30 PM – 88th St.
 All night study follows evening service

MONDAY, JUNE 13

Sunrise Service
 Shavuot Morning Service
 Children's Services
 Shavuot Community Picnic
 Second Evening Service

SHAVUOT FIRST DAY / BJ OFFICE CLOSED
 5:30 AM – following Tikkun, Riverside Park
 10:00 AM – 88th St.
 11:15 AM – 88th St. Frankel Hall
 Following services at Riverside Park
 9:00PM – 88th St.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14

Shavuot Second Day Services (Yizkor)
 Children's Services

SHAVUOT SECOND DAY / BJ OFFICE CLOSED
 9:30 AM – 88th St.
 10:45 AM – 88th St. Frankel Hall

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15

Morning Minyan
 Kesharim

7:30 AM – 88th St.
 2:00 PM – 88th St.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16

Morning Minyan
 Judith Bernstein Lunch Program

ROSH HODESH SIVAN
 7:30 AM – 88th St.
 12:00 PM – 88th St. Frankel Hall

FRIDAY, JUNE 17

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM – 88th St.

SHAVUOT SERVICES

Sunday, June 12: Service at 8:30PM at 88th St., After services, we will continue with the traditional Tikkun Leil Shavuot, a night of communal study. The learning throughout the whole night will focus on the new translation of Heschel's book, *Torah Min Hashamayim*, "Heavenly Torah." Prof. Susannah Heschel will teach the first session. Study will continue throughout the night, concluding with a sunrise Shahrarit service at Riverside Park.

Monday, June 13: First Day Service at 88th St. beginning at 10 AM (11:15 AM for children). Toward the end of services, all children will be invited to decorate the bimah with bikkurim (baskets of fruits, flowers and greens) for later donation to the homeless. Please bring a basket, fruit and nuts; we will provide flowers. After services, we will gather (weather permitting) for our annual Shavuot picnic at 90th St. in Riverside Park. Please bring your lunch; drinks will be provided. **Second night services** will take place at 9PM at 88th St.

Tuesday, June 14: Second Day Services (Yizkor), 88th Street - 9:30AM, Children's Services at 10:45AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HAMAKOM YENAHM

Please note: Any condolences will be acknowledged in next week's Kol Jeshurun.

MAZAL TOV

To the following members and their families:

- Samuel, Richard Lieberman and Susan Farkas on Samuel becoming a Bar Mitzvah.
- Ayala, Oren, Liad, Leeron, Jolie and Gabriel Mansky on Ayala becoming a Bat Mitzvah.
- Susan Viuker Landau and Tom Reiner on their upcoming wedding.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

• Membership Renewal & High Holy Day Information

Our new membership year begins on July 1st. Membership renewal information was mailed in early June. Please remember that all applications must be received by August 12 in order to process them before the High Holy Days. You may choose to attend holiday services at 86th Street (SPSA), 88th Street or Symphony Space. You may also renew online at www.bj.org under 'Membership' or contact Belinda Lasky, Director of Membership x224, for an application. Entrance cards will be mailed in late August.

• Be a Teacher of Torah, Write a D'var Torah

As the summer season approaches, our summer Parashiot are waiting for commentary! Available parashiot for 5765 are: Korah, Hukat, Pinhas, Devarim, Vaethanan, Ekev, Re'eh, Shoftim, Ki Tetze, Ki Tavo, Nitzavim/Vayelekh and Ha'azinu.

If you are a BJ member and would be interested in writing a D'var Torah, please e-mail Miya at mrotstein@bj.org for guidelines and deadlines.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

• WANTED: People Who Love to Knit and Crochet

This past winter we distributed 150 holiday gift packages for our lunch program guests. Each package included a warm hat, scarf, or gloves, many of them hand-made and contributed by BJ members and friends. If you like to knit or crochet, we hope you'll make hats and scarves for our holiday packages. It's a great opportunity to use up your left over yarn and do a most appreciated mitzvah. Get started now! Finished items should be brought to the Ansonia BJ Office at 2109 Broadway. For more information, please e-mail Susan Samuels at sssamuels@aol.com or x338.

• On-the-Road Mitzvah

When you travel, we encourage you to collect the complimentary trial-sized toiletries provided by your hotel and donate them to the Judith Bernstein Lunch Program: colognes and perfumes, mouthwash, shampoo and conditioner, shower caps, soap, toothpaste and toothbrushes. All items will be distributed to our guests at the Thursday Judith Bernstein Lunch Program. Please drop off donations at the BJ office at 2109 Broadway - Suite 203 during business hours, 9AM - 5PM Monday - Thursday.

• Judith Bernstein Lunch Program

Judith Bernstein Lunch Program helps hundreds of hungry adults and children each month. We need YOUR help to make it possible. We are looking for a strong volunteer to help with preparations on Wednesdays from 5:30-7:30 PM. This job requires strong arms and a big heart! If you can assist us, contact Susan Samuels at sssamuels@aol.com or x338.

• Volunteers Needed at the BJ/SPSA Homeless Shelter this Summer!

Many shelters close their doors during the summer when volunteers leave for vacation. But the BJ/SPSA Homeless Shelter continues on its normal schedule throughout the summer, feeding and housing up to 10 guests, Monday -Thursday. We need volunteers to replace the

regulars; people to commit to one night each month to sleep over from 9PM – 6AM, or set up meals and beds from 7-9PM, or prepare or donate food. We hope that you will come forward at this time of need. For info, contact Robert Imershein, shelter co-chair, at rimershein@capstarny.com, or (212)339-4250.

LEDOR VADOR

• Ledor Vador Legacy Shabbat Luncheon

Saturday, June 18, 88th St. Frankel Hall following Shabbat services: Join us for our final intergenerational luncheon before the summer hiatus. BJ member Barbara Goldman will share her story of how she brought her 94-year-old mother back to Poland to find the house where she grew up and the cemetery where some of her family was buried. Many years after fleeing Nazi and Communist Hungary, BJ social worker Susan Kalev and her mother made the long trip back to reconnect with their roots and memories. RSVP at x334, leaving the names of those who will be attending. Send a check for \$15/member or \$18/non-member with "Ledor Vador 6/18" on the memo line. Children are welcome to attend free of charge.

HAVUROT

• Young Women's Havurah Formation

Friday, June 17 after 7PM service: Join us for our first potluck Shabbat at-home dinner located on the Upper West Side (walking distance from BJ.) If you can join, please e-mail Cynthia Epstein, cynthia_beth@yahoo.com or Stacey Shubitz, shubey@gmail.com Please bring a kosher dairy/parve side and/or a main dish. If you cannot attend the dinner, but would like to join the Young Women's Havurah, contact Cynthia or Stacey.

SINGLES

• Singles' Comedy Night

Saturday, June 18 at 9PM at 88th St: Join us for Club Comedy, a great night out to laugh and mingle. Doors open at 9PM. Hors d'oeuvres and drinks will kick off the night, followed by four great comedienne (TBA). To register online: www.BJ.org With a credit card, call Michael at x260. Checks can be sent to the BJ office marked "Singles' Comedy Night - 6/18," but you must confirm check was received by Michael to be registered. COST: \$25/members; \$35/non-members. DEADLINE: Wednesday, June 13. \$10 late fee after the deadline or at the door if space is available.

YOUTH & FAMILY EDUCATION

• Shavuot Children's Services

Monday, June 13, 11:15AM: As you know, it is our annual Shavout tradition to make bikkurim baskets during children's services. The children will bring the baskets into the sanctuary at the end of services on the first day of Shavout. Please bring baskets of fruit for your children. We will provide flowers.