

קול ישראל

KOL JESHURUN

B'nai
Jeshurun
בני ישראל

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SHELAH-LEKHA

TORAH: ANNUAL Numbers 13:1 - 15:41

TRIENNIAL Numbers 15:8 - 15:41

1: 15:8 - 115:10

2: 15:11 - 115:16

3: 15:17 - 115:21

4: 15:22 - 115:26

5: 15:27 - 115:31

6: 15:32 - 115:36

7: 15:37 - 115:41

Maftir: 15:37 - 115:41

HAFTARAH

Joshua 2:1 - 2:24

NEXT WEEK: **KORAH**

ROSH HODESH

TORAH: ANNUAL Numbers 16:1 - 18:32

TRIENNIAL Numbers 17:25 - 18:32

HAFTARAH Isaiah 66:1 - 24, 23

! SOCIAL ACTION/SOCIAL JUSTICE OPPORTUNITY OF THE WEEK

• Give the Gift of Life at the BJ Blood Drive

Wednesday, June 12, 3:00-9:00PM, 88th Street Sanctuary: Twice a year we have the opportunity to provide a very important service to the community. Sign up now for the BJ Blood Drive. Learn more about how you can prepare to donate and learn about any restrictions that may apply by visiting www.nybc.org. R.S.V.P. to Larissa at lwohl@bj.org or call x272 with the best time slot for you and with any questions.

May 31-June 7, 2013

22-29 Sivan, 5773

FRIDAY, MAY 31

Kabbalat Shabbat Service

7:00 PM – 88th St. Sanctuary

SATURDAY, JUNE 1

Hakhanah laTefillah—Preparing for Prayer Shabbat Morning Services

8:45 AM – 86th St. Chapel (SEE P.2)

9:30 AM – 86th St. Sanctuary

Bat Mitzvah

Ariella Greenberg

Junior Congregation

10:30 AM – 86th St. Social Hall

Children's Services

10:45 AM – 86th St. Chapel and Parlor

Community Kiddush

Following Services – 86th St. Social Hall

SUNDAY, JUNE 2

Morning Minyan

9:30 AM – 88th St.

BJ Walks as a Community at the Celebrate Israel Parade

11:00 AM – 54th Street between 5th Avenue and Madison Avenue (SEE BELOW)

MONDAY, JUNE 3

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM – 88th St.

TUESDAY, JUNE 4

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM – 88th St.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM – 88th St.

THURSDAY, JUNE 6

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM – 88th St.

Judith Bernstein Lunch Program

12:00 PM – 88th St. Frankel Hall

FRIDAY, JUNE 7

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM – 88th St.

Bim Bam

9:15, 10:15, and 11:15 AM – 88th St. Frankel Hall

ISRAEL

Visit www.bj.org/israel to find out about BJ's engagement with Israel and for up-to-date information on Israel Programs. To learn more, contact Orli Moss, Director of Israel Engagement, at omoss@bj.org or at x229.

• BJ Walks as a Community at the Celebrate Israel Parade

Sunday, June 2, 11:00AM, 54th Street between 5th Avenue and Madison Avenue: Get out your Israeli flag, bring an Instrument and join BJ community as we walk and sing in the Celebrate Israel Parade. Join us all, Rabbis, friends and families to show our love and support of Israel. Be there on time and prepare a special parade hat! Walkers should wear the official BJ parade t-shirt. For registration, to order a t-shirt, and for more information contact Orli Moss. Please refrain from bringing backpacks and strollers.

• Israeli National Soccer Team Comes to New York

Sunday, June 2, 5:30-7:00PM, Citi Field, New York: Come support Israel's national soccer team. For the first time in over 35 years, the Israeli national

soccer team is coming to New York and will challenge Honduras as it plays a friendly game at Citi Field in preparation for three World Cup qualifiers. (Gates open at 4:00PM.) For tickets go to www.tickets.com/se/jcrc/.

• Israel Study Trip—November, 2013

Please join Rabbi Roly Matalon in Jerusalem, November 3-9, for study on prayer and spirituality as well as to deepen our understanding of some core issues that Israel faces today. The cost, which includes hotel accommodations with breakfast, study sessions and shabbat meals, is \$2,205 per person double-occupancy, and \$3,130 single occupancy. Please note that the price does not include airfare, transportation in Israel and non-Shabbat meals. Space is limited. Please R.S.V.P. to Monique Rucker, mrucker@bj.org.

To register for classes and events, please visit www.bj.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HA-MAKOM YENAHM

The community of B'nai Jeshurun extends our sincere condolences to Jeremy and Sara Sokolic, their children Isaiah, Coby, and Arianna Sokolic and their entire family on the death of Jeremy's brother, Scott Sokolic.

MAZAL TOV

To the following members and their families:

- Ariella Greenberg, her parents Dara Schaefer and David Greenberg, and her brother Jonah Greenberg on Ariella becoming a Bat Mitzvah.
- Jerry Goldfeder on receiving the Tzedek Award from the Met Council on Jewish Poverty this Sunday, June 2.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

• Hakhanah laTefillah: Preparing for Prayer

2 Saturdays each month (June 1, 15), 8:45-9:20AM, 86th Street Chapel: Please join Rabbi Roly Matalon to prepare the soul and open the heart for Shabbat morning prayers through the singing of piyutim and reflections on kavannah.

• Voices of Jerusalem with the Nava Tehila Ensemble

Saturday, June 8, 5:30-7:00PM, 88th Street Sanctuary: Join the musical prayer leaders of Nava Tehila, Jerusalem, for an afternoon of delight as they invite us to travel into the landscape of holiness and joy. Through chanting Psalms and Song of Songs with original melodies and guided intentions, we will connect to the spirit of Shabbat and allow it to fill our hearts and uplift our spirits. Open to all. Free, register at www.bj.org. For more information contact Ari Priven at apriven@bj.org.

• Spring Hike with Yozma

Sunday, June 9, 10:30AM, Van Cortlandt Park, The Bronx: Join Yozma for a 5-6 mile hike (no hills) in beautiful Van Cortlandt Park and Tibbetts Brook Park. Bring your own lunch. A group will meet at 9:45AM at BJ on 88th Street

CREATING KEHILLAH

SOCIAL ACTION/SOCIAL JUSTICE

• The Shelter Needs Summer Volunteers

Help keep the BJ/SPSA Homeless Shelter open this summer. While many regular volunteers are away, the shelter needs people who can set up (7:00-9:00PM), sleep over (9:00PM-7:00AM) or prepare light meals for our guests. For details, please contact Larissa at lwohl@bj.org or x272.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EDUCATION

• Bim Bam Summer Session

Fridays, June 7-August 16, 9:15-10:00AM; 10:15-11:00AM; 11:15AM-12:00PM, 88th Street Frankel Hall: Bim Bam is a pre-Shabbat class for children ages 3 and under to sing Hebrew and Shabbat-related songs, hear stories, and give tzedakah. Each class is led by an experienced songleader/educator, and we end every class with Shabbat blessings. Registration for the summer session is now open at www.bj.org. The cost is \$150 for members and \$200 for non-members per family (new members can register for free, contact Emily Walsh at ewalsh@bj.org). Register by June 6; space is limited.

• June Tot Shabbat

Friday, June 7, 5:15PM, 88th Street Sanctuary: Families will enjoy a musical, kid-friendly Kabbalat Shabbat service, followed by dinner at 5:45PM with Shabbat blessings and songs. Dinner includes delicious choices for adults and children, with vegetarian options available. While adults finish their meal, teen volunteers will engage children in games and more songs! Register by Wednesday, June 5 at www.bj.org. Contact Kristen at kkersey@bj.org with questions or dietary requests. Cost is \$25/adult

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• Achshav Guibbory and Tony Kaufman, Gabe and Susie Kaufman on the birth of their granddaughter and daughter, Alyssa Hannah Kaufman.

TODAH RABBAH

This week's Community Kiddush is sponsored by Dara Schaefer and David Greenberg in honor of Ariella becoming a Bat Mitzvah.

B'RUKHIM HABA-IM

- Charles Leselbaum and tour group, Commission of Jewish Culture, Paris Ben Gourion Lodge, B'nai B'rith, Paris, France.
- Sharon Paz and Graduation and Confirmation class, West End Synagogue and Congregation Micah, Nashville, Tennessee.

to travel to the Bronx together or take the #1 subway to the last stop (242nd Street). R.S.V.P. by Sunday, June 2 to coordinator and hike leader Craig Rosenberg at crosenberg6@optonline.net. Event will be canceled if it rains.

• Yozma In-home Shabbat Dinners

Friday, June 28, 8:30PM, R.S.V.P. for location: Yozma is gearing up for summer! Our group for singles and couples, 35 to 55, is forming community through B'nai Jeshurun. Everyone is welcome to our social, active and Jewish learning events. We hope you'll join us for our first home-hosted Shabbat dinners in late June. Please email Debbie Leiderman at debbie.leiderman@gmail.com by June 3 if you are interested in hosting a dinner. Stay tuned for more information about being a guest.

• Help us Tell the BJ Story! Take the Kol Hadash Survey.

We want your opinion about the *Kol Hadash*, BJ's quarterly magazine. Specifically, we want your input to help us make decisions about the scope of the content, and the best way to distribute it. Your responses are completely confidential and much valued. Please take three minutes to answer 8 short questions at www.bj.org/khsurvey. Thank you for your time!

members, and \$32/adult non-members; thanks to a generous donation, all children eat free.

TZE'IRIM: 20s/30s

• Tze'irim Summer Happy Hour

Thursday, June 6, 7:30PM, The Delancey (168 Delancey Street): Looking for something to do on a Thursday night outdoors? Join Tze'irim for our first Summer rooftop Happy Hour. With The Delancey's retractable roof, we will be there rain or shine. There is no cover, just say "Tze'irim" at the door. Sign up at www.bj.org.

• Tze'irim Serving Sunday Lunch to Seniors

Sunday, June 30, 12:00-2:30PM, Metropolitan Council on Jewish Poverty (80 Maiden Lane): Join us as we make an inter-generational impact brightening up the lives of low-income seniors. We will be serving a hot kosher lunch and socializing. This is a really great way to help those in need and to have a lot of fun while doing it. After we finish, we can always get some food ourselves. Register by Thursday, June 27 at www.bj.org.

EVENTS OF INTEREST

• The Last Cyclist

Saturday, May 25-Sunday, June 9, 86th Street: *The Last Cyclist*, based on a cabaret written and rehearsed, but never performed, in the Terezin Ghetto in 1944, is playing at SPSA's West End Theatre Saturday, May 25 through Sunday, June 9. Tickets are \$18 and are available at www.thelastcyclist.com or 212-352-3101.