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BEHA'ALOTEKHA

TORAH: ANNUAL TRIENNIAL Numbers 8:1 - 12:16

Numbers 8:1 - 9:14

- 1: 8:1 - 8:4
- 2: 8:5 - 8:9
- 3: 8:10 - 8:14
- 4: 8:15 - 8:22
- 5: 8:23 - 8:26
- 6: 9:1 - 9:8
- 7: 9:9 - 9:14

Maftir: 9:12 - 9:14

HAFTARAH Zechariah 2:14 - 4:7

NEXT WEEK: SHELAH-LEKHA

TORAH: ANNUAL TRIENNIAL Numbers 13:1 - 15:41

Numbers 13:1 - 14:7

HAFTARAH Joshua 2:01 - 2:24

SOCIAL ACTION/SOCIAL JUSTICE OPPORTUNITY OF THE WEEK

Give the Gift of Life at the BJ Blood Drive

Wednesday, June 11, 3:00-9:00PM, 88th Street

Sanctuary: Twice a year we have the opportunity to provide a very important service to the community. Give the gift of life by signing up now for the BJ Blood Drive. Learn more about how you can prepare to donate and learn about any restrictions that may apply. R.S.V.P. to Trudi at trudi1531@aol.com or call x272 with the best time slot for you and with any questions.

TWO-PART AGING WISELY WORKSHOP SERIES: ANTICIPATING MEDICAL DECISIONS AT THE END OF LIFE

We will explore options available to patients and families when faced with serious illness or terminal conditions, and learn about the halakhic principles that guide Jewish traditions in this area. Co-sponsored by The Panim el Panim: Aging in NY Hevra and Hesed Committee. Register at www.bj.org or call x264.

Part 2: Anticipating End of Life Decisions for Ourselves or a Loved One

Wednesday, June 11, 7:00-8:30PM, 88th Street Frankel Hall: Join Rabbi Felicia Sol for learning and discussion, focusing on Jewish traditions as a foundation to our beliefs around end of life care.

June 6-13, 2014

8-15 Sivan, 5774

FRIDAY, JUNE 6

The 2014 BJ Women's Retreat (through Sunday, June 8)

Tot Shabbat and Dinner

5:15 PM - 89th St. Chapel, 88th St. Frankel Hall

Bo-i Kallah: A Monthly Kabbalat Shabbat Service

6:45 PM - 89th St. (SEE P.2)

Preparing for Shabbat With Song

6:45 PM - 88th St. Sanctuary

Kabbalat Shabbat Service

7:00 PM - 88th St. Sanctuary

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

Shabbat Morning Services

9:30 AM - 86th St. Sanctuary

Aliyah for Graduating High School and College Seniors

During Services

Bar Mitzvah

Myles Model

Shabbat Discovery and Children's Services

10:30 AM - 86th St. Parlor, Chapel, 2nd Floor

Young Families Kiddush

Following Services - 86th St. Chapel

Community Kiddush

Following Services - 86th St. Social Hall

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

Morning Minyan

9:30 AM - 88th St.

MONDAY, JUNE 9

Morning Minyan

9:30 AM - 88th St.

Shira with Shira

4:00 PM - 89th St. 3rd Floor (SEE P.2)

TUESDAY, JUNE 10

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM - 88th St.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM - 88th St.

BJ Blood Drive

3:00 PM - 88th St. (SEE SIDEBAR)

Anticipating End of Life Decisions for Ourselves or a Loved One

7:00 PM - 88th St. Frankel Hall (SEE SIDEBAR)

THURSDAY, JUNE 12

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM - 88th St.

Judith Bernstein Lunch Program

12:00 PM - 88th St. Frankel Hall

FRIDAY, JUNE 13

Morning Minyan

7:30 AM - 88th St.

Bim Bam

9:15 and 10:15 - 88th St. Frankel Hall (SEE P.2)

JOIN US AT THE BJ MORNING MINYAN: The morning minyan is an opportunity to experience BJ tefillah in a more intimate setting and a wonderful way to get to know one another better. Please make every effort to attend so our members are able to say kaddish with the required minyan and in a supportive environment. Learn more and find the current schedule at www.bj.org/minyan.

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

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BJ's Ner Tamid at 88th St. is powered by the light of the sun.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HA-MAKOM YENAHM

The Community of B'nai Jeshurun extends our sincere condolences to Peter Bokor, Jeannie Blaustein, Sophie and Livia Bokor, and their entire family on the death of Peter's brother, Bruce Stephen Bokor.

MAZAL TOV

To the following members and their families:
• Myles Model, his parents Kimberley and Brian Model, and his brother, Michael Model on Myles becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

TODAH RABBAH

• This week's Community Kiddush is sponsored by Brian and Kim Model in honor of Myles becoming a Bar Mitzvah.
• This week's Young Families kiddush is sponsored by the Katz family in honor of all things summer, including Reuben and Levi's birthdays.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

• **Bo-i Kallah — A Monthly Kabbalat Shabbat Service**
Friday, June 6, 6:45PM, 89th Street Reception Room: Rabbi Roly Matalon and musician Dan Nadel will lead an alternative Kabbalat Shabbat service on the first Friday evening of each month. With the help of soulful melodies, verses of Shir haShirim (Song of Songs), liturgical poems and Psalms we will transition gently and with full kavannah from hol to kodesh — leaving the ordinary work-week consciousness in order to enter holy time and welcome Shabbat.

• **Mindfulness Kabbalat Shabbat and Dinner**
Friday, June 13, 6:45PM, 89th Street Reception Room: Led by Rabbi Marcelo Bronstein, this service involves meditation, reflection, deep listening and personal engagement with the parashah. The service will be followed by dinner in the 89th Street Middle Room. Register online for the dinner or contact Sandra at sghiorzo@bj.org with questions.

• **Hakhanah laTefillah: Preparing for Prayer**
Every other Saturday (last session June 14), 8:45-9:25AM, 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.

• **Mindfulness Minḥa and Movement**
Saturday, June 21, 6:30-9:30PM, 88th St. Sanctuary: BJ members who participated in the Costa Rica retreat have formed a Mindfulness Hevra and would like to invite the BJ community to gather for an evening of mindful practice and movement. The event will be facilitated by Rabbi Marcelo Bronstein, Rabbi Rachel Cowan and Sol Gonzalez, our movement facilitator from Costa Rica. Light refreshments will be served. Please wear comfortable clothing. Register online, space is limited. If you need additional information, please contact Sandra at sghiorzo@bj.org

• **Play Softball With BJ**
Thursdays through August 28, Central Park: Join us for friendly co-ed softball. Contact Craig Rosenberg at crosenberg6@optonline.net for further information.

CREATING KEHILLAH

SOCIAL ACTION/SOCIAL JUSTICE

• **Special Volunteer Opportunity — Additional June Lunch Program Days**
Sundays, June 1, 15, and 22, 2:00-5:00PM, 88th Street Kitchen, and **Mondays, June 2, 16, and 23**, 11:30-1:15PM, 88th Street Frankel Hall: The Judith Bernstein Lunch program is a wonderful, friendly, intergenerational effort serving a lunchtime meal to guests who may need a little extra food and companionship. We are adding three additional meals in June and are looking for 7 volunteers for each of the cooking opportunities on Sunday and volunteers to serve on Monday. If you are interested in getting involved, contact Larissa at lwohl@bj.org or call x272 to learn more and sign up.

• **Relationships: Community Building and Community Organizing**
Tuesday, June 17, 6:30-8:45PM, 89th Street Middle Room: Join us for the second skills training session hosted by Panim el Panim and led by Michael Stanley, lead organizer of Manhattan Together. This session will be focused on effective ways to build connections with other people with whom you share common interests, in order to take action together. Specifically we will discuss the relational meeting, a technique used to help find new leaders or potential leaders with whom you can work. Register at www.bj.org. Contact Larissa at x272 to learn more.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EDUCATION

• **Bim Bam Summer Session**
Fridays, June 6 – August 15, 9:15-10:00AM or 10:15-11:00AM, 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. Registration for the summer session is now open for the 9:15AM and 10:15AM classes. Cost is \$200/members and \$250/non-members per family. 5-Class Passes are also available, \$125/members and \$175/non-members. Register at www.bj.org/events; space is limited.

• **Shira with Shira: Hebrew Song Session for Children 6 Years and Younger**
Mondays through June 16 4:00-4:45PM, 89th Street Community House, 3rd Floor: Join us for a new Hebrew immersion class welcoming both English and Hebrew speakers. At the center of every session will be a classic Israeli children's book. Sign up at www.bj.org/israelevents. Cost: \$10 members, \$15 non-members.

EVENTS OF INTEREST

• **The Israel Film Center Festival**
Thursday, June 12 – Thursday, June 19, JCC Manhattan 334 Amsterdam Avenue and other locations around the city: A unique opportunity to view new top quality current Israeli cinema. Meet producers and directors for discussions before and after screenings. More information is available online at www.israelfilmcenter.org/festival. Special price for BJ members, enter code: IFCFBJ.

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