



RABBI'S REFLECTIONS

Shalach Manot and Purim

Purim is a festival of joy and good fellowship. It commemorates the victory over Haman, the wicked official who is symbolic of all the persecutors of the Jewish people in every country and age. The story told in the Book of Esther, *Megillat Esther*, affirms the indestructibility of the Jewish people and directs our attention to the miracle of our eternal survival.

During cruel centuries of persecution, it was on this holiday that the Jew escaped from the grim realities of his environment by identifying himself with Mordecai of old, and by gleefully recalling the fate of Haman. Purim held out the promise that the Jewish tragedy would, once again, be relieved, and that it would be true, as the verse from the Book of Esther put it: "The Jews had light and joy and gladness and honor!"

We dress up in costumes, we make noise, and we enjoy eating hamentashen, and we have a festive meal. All these are ways in which we celebrate our hopes for the future while recalling the time when evil plans were defeated. Listening to the tale of Esther and Mordecai's bravery reminds us to be brave in the face of challenges and to do our share to insure Jewish survival and to increase the joy present in the world.

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BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Shabbat Prayers

March 4, 2011 – 7:30 pm

Those who celebrate birthdays and anniversaries during the month of March will be recognized at our service on March 4th. Our worship will begin at 7:30 pm and will conclude by 8:15 pm.

Children of every age are welcome!



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Our own happiness, therefore, is not all we think about on this holiday. In fact, in addition to hearing the reading of the megillah, there are two more mitzvot that we are to fulfill on Purim. We are commanded to distribute *mattanot le-eyyonim*, gifts of money and food to the poor, so that they too may be able to meet their needs and rejoice at this season; and to give shalach manot, sweets such as hamentaschen and candy, to our friends which increases our joy as we share these goodies with them and their joy is increased as they receive them.

To help fulfill the mitzvah of shalach manot, Congregation Beth Judea is once again sponsoring the Shalach Manot project. You will find details as to how you can share your joy with others in a very simple way while helping your own congregation. The process is simple and you and those to whom you send shalach manot will rejoice because of your participation. In this way you will be increasing joy and adding to the light and honor experienced by our community.

Hag Purim! Have a happy Purim!

Fondly,

Rabbi Howard Lifshitz

Due to the current economic crisis, the social action committee has collected grocery gift cards that are available to Beth Judea congregants who are in need of groceries. If you know of someone in the congregation who could benefit from this fund, please contact Rabbi Lifshitz or Lisa Neiman at 847-634-0777. If you would like to purchase gift cards to add to this fund, please contact Lisa by phone or by email at lneman@bethjudea.org.

Mishloach Manot for All

In the March issue of *The Word*, Rabbi Lifshitz will talk about the obligation of Jews to give gifts or *schlach manot* on the holiday of Purim. Gift giving adds to the joy of this wonderful holiday, and elevates the spirit of both the giver of the gift and the recipient of the gift.



- It's simple, easy, inexpensive, and best of all, WE DO ALL THE WORK!
- Attached to this form, you will find a list of family, friends, office staff, and clergy who make up our Congregation. For a donation of only \$5.00 per name, you will be included as a giver in the Purim gift box to that person.
- You can add others not listed, and they too will receive a Purim gift (see last page of form). You may pick up these boxes at the synagogue or include recipient's email address or phone number and we will contact them.
- If you check the "reciprocity" box, we will include your name as a giver to anyone who is sending you a box whom you may have forgotten. (For this option, you must pay by credit card, authorizing us for the additional charges)
- Turn in your forms to the Synagogue office by Sunday, March 6th. If you need additional forms (or misplace this one) you can download the form from our website at www.bethjudea.org.
- The gift boxes will be available for pickup at the Synagogue beginning Sunday March 13th, or you could pick up your boxes at the Megillah reading on Saturday March 19th, or at the Purim Carnival on Sunday March 20th.

"Make it a day of merry-making and feasting, and as a holiday and an occasion for *mishloach manot* (sending gifts) to one another." (Esther 9:19).

Chag Sameach, and thanks in advance for your participation in this exciting fund-raiser.
Ways and Means Committee

Name _____

Number of recipients (\$5 each) _____

Check # _____

Visa/Mastercard # _____ exp. date _____

Reciprocity – please add recipients who have sent me a box ___ (credit card orders only)

(We will notify you if this increases your order by more than \$25).

Make sure you include your list of checked-off names with this form.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As I began writing my article for the Word this month, I thought back on how busy we were at Beth Judea in February. For such a short month, it seems that we were packed with programming for all ages. (Even more interesting, I had the same observation last year as well!) We started off with a fantastic Cantors' Concert – great music, great voices, great food. It was a beautiful evening, even if I did lose a bidding war during the silent auction. A huge “yasher koach” to Bruce Arenson and his committee for planning an event that brought both some much needed enjoyment as well as funds to our congregation.

The following morning, the World Wide Wrap found congregants, adults and students alike, “wrapping and rolling” their t'fillin to the beat of “master wrapper” Orin Rotman and the Men's Club. Who says prayer can't be fun!

Our Focus on Families group also had some fun with prayer at their annual *Magical Havdalah* where they gathered together to end Shabbat, then wrap up the evening being astounded by “The Magic of Randy”.

Our Men's Club honored one of their own, Bob Weisman, at their annual *Man of the Year Dinner*.

Not to be outdone by the men and the young families, the Sisterhood gathered for their annual *Nosh-a-Night*, eating and socializing their way through the evening. (We sure do a lot of eating, don't we!)

By the time you are reading this month's Word our second annual Family Funfest will be a wonderful memory. I'm sure everyone will have had a great time, whether playing hoops or cards. Another “yasher koach” goes to Jeff Kostis, Steve Greenberg, Allen Harris, and Gary Ernsteen for all their hard work on this event. Who knows, maybe I won't be outbid this time!

What will March bring? *Shabbat Across America* and *Youth Shabbat*, the *Road Rally*, visiting rabbis, wine tasting, and of course, *Purim* – who says Beth Judea isn't the happening place? And maybe, just maybe, March will bring the last of the winter snow.

B'shalom

Bonnie

MISSION STATEMENT

Congregation Beth Judea is an accepting egalitarian synagogue whose mission is to create a warm and inviting home that serves the lifelong spiritual, educational and fellowship needs of our members. Consistent with the principles of the Conservative/Masorti Movement, we embrace our responsibility to serve and support the greater Jewish community, the community at large, and the State of Israel.

It's Here Our New BETH JUDEA WEBSITE

Dear Congregants,

Our Congregation Beth Judea's new website is here. Visit us at www.bethjudea.org. On our website you can now make online donations, register for events, view calendars and schedules and now as you shop you can help support Beth Judea 3 ways:

1. Amazon.com – Just click on the link and you will be taken to the Amazon website. You need to access Amazon through this link so that Beth Judea receives a percentage of your sales.



2. Escript – Just click on the link on the home page of our website, click on sign up and type in “Congregation Beth Judea” under Group Name. The rest of the on-screen instructions are easy to follow.



3. Purchase gift cards through Beth Judea. On the home page of the website there is a link to download a copy of the gift card order form. Simply print the form, order your cards and send back to the synagogue. We will call you when the gift cards arrive.



(see the bottom of page 5 of this edition of *The Word* for more information)

CLUB CBJ?



What is Club CBJ?

Club CBJ is looking for members to join your fellow congregants and friends in participating in activities you enjoy doing. It is very simple; if you like scrap booking and would like to do it with other people, please contact Brian Gurin, VP Programming, to let me know of your club interests.

Additional Clubs

If there are additional areas of interest please let me know.

How to Get My Club Started

Contact the synagogue office of your interest or contact Brian by email at nb0630@AOI.com.

Twenties & Thirties Upcoming Events

CBJ (Congregation Beth Judea) wants to connect with you whether you live in the suburbs or the city. We would like to work with you to arrange both social and social action events. Please contact synagogue office to leave a message for Bruce Darin or Brian Gurin or contact us by phone or email

Shabbat Across America - March 4th
Road Rally - March 5th
"Scavenger Hunt on Wheels"
CBJ Programming is Here For YOU!

We want you to be involved whether it is for services, social action, learning, giving, and of course having fun.

We are open for ideas and always open for you to help plan.

Shalom
 Brian Gurin

CBJ CALENDAR

You can now access our calendar with up to date information on our website at www.bethjudea.org



RABBI SEARCH UPDATE

Dear Congregants,



You should have received in your weekly email information on upcoming candidate visits. If you have not received this information, please contact the synagogue.

PURIM

Congregation Beth Judea

PURIM



SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 2011

7:30 PM - Purim Spiel

7:45 PM - Havdallah & Family Abbreviated Megillah Reading

8:15 PM - Traditional Megillah Reading

PLEASE COME IN COSTUME

As a Mitzvah project, please bring boxes of dry pasta/rice or vitamins to be used as groggers and then donate to a food shelter.

Beth Judea
Purim Carnival

Sunday, March 20, 2011
 11 am - 2 pm

In the Congregation Beth Judea social hall.



Games, Prizes,
 and much much
 more!!!!!!!



Lunch will be
 available for
 purchase.

Tickets are 25 cents
 each. Games range
 from 2 - 5 tickets.

Basketball Moonwalk Inflatables
 Hamman Toss Bozo Buckets Lollipops
 Tic Tac Toe Prizes and more!!!!!!!

Sponsorships of games are available contact Marc Sender for details



Questions?? Contact Marc Sender @ 847-634-0777 ext. 114 or
 YouthDirector@bethjudea.org

B'nai Mitzvah Bios



David Jonathon Movitz will be called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on Sunday, March 6, 2011.

David is a 7th grader at Twin Groves Middle School where he runs on the Cross Country and Track & Field teams. David enjoys running, fishing, skiing, cooking, and engineering.

David's parents, Michelle & Michael Movitz, his brother Eli, grandparents Annette

Movitz, Elaine Lensky & Irwin Lensky, cousins from Louisville, Philadelphia, and the Chicago area, and our entire family are very proud of David and excited to share this joyous occasion together with David.

David, Michelle & Michael offer our sincere thanks to Rabbi Lifshitz, Cantor Weisberg, Anna Besser, his Hebrew school teachers, and Rabbi Gamer, for all of their support, guidance, and encouragement during our membership and David's education at CBJ. We would like to offer a special thank you to Tzvia Krivitzky and her network of tutors for their awesome guidance and encouragement helping David learn his Torah reading and prepare for his Bar Mitzvah.



Michael Elliott Zeidman will be called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, March 12, 2011.

Michael is a 7th grader at Aptakasic Junior High. He is a very intuitive and creative young man. He enjoys building with just about anything he can find and even virtually in "Minecraft" on the computer. Michael participates in the P.A.L.S program, a leadership training and community service program at Aptakasic.

Michael is looking forward to sharing this special day with his parents, Marc and Rebecca, and his brothers Jared, Zachary and Ethan. Grandparents Davita and Ron Bloom, Phillip and Elaine Zeidman, Larry Rosenthal, Sandy and Gene Glass, and Jodi Ream will also be celebrating with Michael, as well as many special aunts, uncles, cousins and good friends from coast to coast.

Michael and his family would like to thank Rabbi Lifshitz and Hazzan Weisberg for all their support in helping him prepare for this special day and his many Hebrew School teachers that have contributed to his Jewish education. A special thanks goes to his fantastic tutor, Tzvia Krivitzky, for her patience in helping him to prepare for this important milestone.

WAYS & MEANS

GIVE BACK TO BETH JUDEA

Did you know you can earn money for Beth Judea when you shop at Dominick's?

If you ever shop at Dominick's or another Safeway store, you can earn money for Beth Judea just by shopping there once you sign up for eScrip. **There is no cost to you.**

Members, friends, families and neighbors are able to register their Fresh Values Card as supporters of the eScrip program. Upon receiving your registration, between 1% and 4% of all your purchases made at Safeway/Dominick's will be given back to Congregation Beth Judea. The more you spend, the greater the percentage. No purchase too small.

Don't wait to register! Log onto www.escrip.com and go to "sign up" and designate Congregation Beth Judea to receive contributions (**Group ID# 500008226**). Enter your Fresh Values Card number and you are done!

Don't know your Fresh Values Card number? You can contact Safeway/Dominick's at (877) 723-3929 and they can tell you.

Already participate with eScrip for another organization? **You can still participate with CBJ! Simply, logon to your account at escrip.com and split your contributions across more than one organization.**

Don't have internet access and want to register or have additional questions? Contact Lisa Neiman at 847-634-0777 or ln@bethjudea.org.

Congregation Beth Judea Scrip/Gift Cards

Scrip for Groceries

Jewel (4%), Dominick's (4%), Joe Caputo & Sons (4%), Garden Fresh (2%), WalMart (2%), Heiler (3%), Gordon Food Service (3%), Sara Lee (13%)
Assuming \$300/month on groceries and based on 2% back to Beth Judea.

of Congregants Using Scrip

50	\$ 3,600.00
100	\$ 7,200.00
200	\$ 14,400.00
300	\$ 21,600.00

Scrip for Gas

BP (2%), Shell (3%), Speedway (4%)
Assuming \$150/month on groceries and based on 2% back to Beth Judea.

of Congregants Using Scrip

50	\$ 1,800.00
100	\$ 3,600.00
200	\$ 7,200.00
300	\$ 10,800.00

Scrip for Coffee

Starbuck's (7%), Caribou Coffee (8%), Dunkin Donuts (4%)
Assuming 1 Coffee (\$2)/Days (200) and based on 4% back to Beth Judea

of Congregants Using Scrip

50	\$ 800.00
100	\$ 1,600.00
200	\$ 3,200.00
300	\$ 4,800.00

Don't forget Scrip to Eat Out

Don't forget Scrip to Travel

Don't forget Scrip for Gifts

Please contact Brian Gurin with any questions you have at (847) 918-1989 or email nb0630@aol.com.

We have monthly programs, lots of companies working with us.

B'nai Mitzvah Bios



Max Jacob Spiro will be called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, March 19, 2011.

Max is a 7th grader at Twin Groves Middle School where he is a straight A student. While at school, Max is a member of the wrestling team and enjoys going on Ski Club trips. Hockey is Max's passion and he has been playing since he was 4 years old. This season he plays on an elite AA travel team and is a valued member of their defensive line. Max has recently become an Amateur Hockey Association

Illinois referee. When not on the ice, Max loves to play baseball. He is a talented catcher and loves being a part of each play. In addition to playing team sports, Max enjoys downhill skiing out west, hanging out with friends, and listening to music.

Joining Max on this special day are his parents, Nori and Rob, and his younger brother, Noah. Max's great grandmother, Sylvia, grandparents Marianne and Stuart, Aaron and Roberta, and Arlene are so thrilled to share in this celebration. They are all so very proud of Max's dedication in preparing for his Bar Mitzvah.

Max would like to thank Rabbi Lifschitz and Cantor Weisberg for their support in preparing for this special day. A very special thank you goes to Natalie Gurin for her encouragement and belief in Max as he mastered his lengthy Haftorah and Torah portions.

Ark Family Mitzvah Project

Beth Judea sponsors an Ark family. We provide food for this family once a month.

Please consider signing up to help this family

- You can sign up to shop (all meat and dairy products must be kosher)
- You can sign up to deliver (the family lives in Des Plaines)
- You can sign up to donate funds for the groceries

By signing up to shop, deliver, or donate you are committing to donate a minimum of \$25 to help this worthy cause.

Think about signing up with a group of friends to help defray the costs and do a group mitzvah!

If you have any questions please call or email,

Debbie Limer
847.816.7202
Debs825@datamanagersinc.com

Wendy Wunsch



Thanking you in advance!

Save the Date

Beth Judea Presents...

2011 Road Rally



A "Beatles" Themed Scavenger Hunt With A Twist

Free Registration • Grand Prize will be Awarded
Saturday, March 5th at 7:30 PM
Havdallah, Registration and Instructions

Find the Finish Line for a Night Cap!
The only cost is your night cap!

RSVP your spot by filling out the form below and return it to the synagogue office by March 1st. Please call with questions call (847) 634-0777 or Lariman@BethJudea.org

Please register 1-4 players. Teams will be made up of four people per car.

Team Name: _____	Phone Number: _____
Player 1: _____	Email: _____
Player 2: _____	Email: _____
Player 3: _____	Email: _____
Player 4: _____	Email: _____

Tap the Torah



"Purim Exposed"

Facilitator – Orin Rotman

What will you get?

- Lively discussions.
- Great company.
- Enormous amount of knowledge.
- Good beer, soft drinks, and snacks.

March 10th at Congregation Beth Judea
Sponsored by The Men's Club
7:30 PM Minyan and Tapping will start afterwards.

Tab -\$5.00

RSVP by March 4th

Stay tuned for more "Tap the Torah"
dates and location! Call (847) 634-0777 or
email nb0630@aol.com for more info!

Purim

Unlike other serious observances on the Jewish calendar, Purim serves as a relief from the stresses of life. It is a time for joyous celebration in our community. It's a chance to cut loose. We make noise, parade in costumes and even bend the rules.



Nevertheless, Purim emphasizes the idea of *Tzedakah*. While *tzedakah* is practiced all year long, Purim is the one holiday in which we are reminded of our responsibility to those who are less fortunate. The mitzvot of ***Matanot L'Evyonim*** – giving gifts to the poor – and ***Mishloach Manot*** – sending gifts – are specifically mentioned in Book of Esther. In chapter 9 verse 22 it states,

“Just as in the days when Jews found relief from their enemies, in the month that was transformed from one of grief into one of happiness and from mourning into a holidays; they are to be made into days of festivities, happiness, sending gifts to one another and giving presents to the poor.”

Here are some ideas how to fulfill the mitzvot of ***Matanot L'Evyonim*** and ***Misloach Manot***:

1. Make some *hamantashen* or cookies and deliver them to a center for the homeless.
2. Make food baskets and take them to needy families.
3. Create gift packages for particular institutions such as assisted living facilities, shelters for battered women, homeless shelters, and/or children in the hospital.
 - a. Assisted living facility: items such as plants, photo frames, bath products, games.
 - b. Shelter for battered women: items such as toys, books, adult clothing, children clothing, videos, music CD's.
 - c. Homeless shelter: items such as toiletries, resume paper, clothes
 - d. Children in Hospital: toys, books, games, CD's, dolls, stuffed animals or stickers.
4. Begin a canned and/or boxed food collection and donate to the local food pantry.
5. Go to a homeless shelter and volunteer your services there for a few hours.
6. Discuss what each member of your family would like to donate to a needy family. Then bring these items to family, friends, hospitals, and old age facilities.

Most of all remember that Purim is a **FUN** holiday for all of us. Purim is supposed to make us playful. We play in a theatrical sense, donning masks and stepping out of character. It's our chance to act like kids. Dress up in costume, twirl the grogger during the Megillah reading and let Purim bring your adult world a little closer to your child's world! May your Purim be merry, and may it be enriched with the joy of giving and sharing!



SCHOOL CALENDAR:

March:

Tuesday	3/8	Heh Class Picture
Friday	3/11	Bet Family Shabbat Dinner
Sunday	3/20	School Wide Purim Program – DRESS IN COSUTME! Purim Carnival – regular dismissal time (12 pm)
Tuesday 3/22 – Friday 4/1		No School – Spring Break

April:

Shabbat	4/2	Gimel Shabbat Resumes
Sunday	4/3	Religious School Classes Resume
Sunday	4/10	Aleph Class Family Program
Tuesday	4/12	Last Day of BJU
Tuesday	4/19	No Classes – Passover
Tuesday	4/26	No Classes - Passover
Friday	4/29	Aleph Family Shabbat Dinner

EDUCATION

Dear Beth Judea Parents and Students:

This year there are two contests that I would like to tell you about: (1) the Weinstein Funeral Home **Essay Contest** AND (2) the annual Shalom Memorial Park and Funeral Home **Custom Calendar Art Contest**. Please see the details below for each contest.

WEINSTEIN FUNERAL HOME 2011 SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY CONTEST

Weinstein Funeral Home announces their 2011 Scholarship program for all students currently enrolled in Hebrew School programs. This scholarship program is a chance for the students to earn up to \$1,000 towards their Religious School education (1st place - \$1,000; 2nd place - \$500; 3rd place - \$250). Students are asked to write one essay (250 words or less) about this year's subject: ***"What is the Meaning of Tzedakah to me?"*** Competition will be divided into 2 groups; Group 1 (ages 8-10), and Group 2 (ages 11-13). Three scholarships will be awarded in each group. The scholarships will be presented to the synagogue on behalf of the winning students and will be used in the cost of their Religious School education. ***All essays must be submitted by MARCH 15, 2011. Please see attached Scholarship form for more information.***

SHALOM MEMORIAL PARK and FUNERAL HOME CUSTOM CALENDAR ART CONTEST

Welcome to the annual Shalom Memorial Park and Funeral Home **Custom Calendar Art Contest**. Over the past five years that Beth Judea families have participated in this contest, numerous students have not only submitted their artwork, but have been showcased in the calendar.

Shalom Memorial is celebrating their FIFTH year of producing this unique Jewish calendar that features original artwork created by our local Jewish students. When the project began, the goal was to help preserve our rich Jewish heritage while showcasing the talents of our young people, as we believe they are our future! Shalom Memorial was thrilled with the artwork that was submitted last year and they are looking forward to receiving this year's exciting entries.

The **contest runs through June 1, 2011** and is **open to ALL grade levels**. Attached are the contest details and registration. The odds of "winning" in this contest are good as entries will be limited to students attending either a local Hebrew School or Day School. Quite simply:

- Artwork must be original.
- Artwork must depict some aspect of Jewish life.
- Deadline for submission is June 1st.

I encourage each and every one of our students to participate in both contests.

B'SHALOM!

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Education Director
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[Click Here to Download Shalom 2011 Calendar Contest Info](#)

[Click Here to Download the Weinstein Scholarship Application](#)

Family Programs



March 2011 at Congregation Beth Judea

Congregation Beth Judea's *Focus on Families* is dedicated to enriching families' connections to Judaism and our Jewish community through services and programs specifically designed for children infant through 2nd grade. *Focus on Families* programs captivate young children's interest in the joys and excitement of Judaism and Jewish holiday celebration.

All *Focus on Families* events are open to the community and are free of charge (unless otherwise noted).



Mar. 4, 6:00 pm* - Tot Shabbat *Note different time for this Shabbat only.

6:30 pm - Shabbat Across America Dinner (RSVP required by Mar. 1)
This 30-min. family Shabbat service, filled with songs and stories, is led by Debbie Frager, a Board of Jewish Education preschool teacher & Beth Judea congregant. After services, join us for a special family Oneg. Check out www.bethjudea.org for more info about Shabbat across America.

Mar. 13, 10:30 am – 12 pm: Gan Shalom

Can a Giraffe be Kosher? Come find out in our engaging family class! This month we are exploring animals in Judaism and Kashrut (Kosher laws).

This program is open to children preK & under with an adult. Registration is required by Mar. 7.

Mar. 17, 2:00 pm - Challah Chaverim

Join us for challah making, story time with Rabbi Lifshitz and a Shabbat song session with Cantor Weisberg. Challah Chaverim meets the 3rd Thursday of each month, Oct. – May, at 2:00 pm.

This program is open to toddlers - kindergarteners with an adult.

Registration is required by Mar. 14.



Mar. 19, 7:30 pm - Purim Spiel
7:45 pm - Havdalah & Family Megillah Reading

Mar. 20, 10:00 am
Shushan Wonderland

Meet Esther, Mordecai, & the rest of the characters from the Megillah during a light breakfast. Then, make a greggor and enjoy a special presentation of the Purim story perfect for preschoolers. At 11 am, check out the Tot Hour of Beth Judea's amazing Purim Carnival.

This program is open to children preK & under with an adult. There is limited space for the breakfast, craft and story portion of this program. Registration is required by March 14.



Every Shabbat Saturday Morning, 10:30 am – 11:30 am: Gan Shabbat

Gan Shabbat is a Shabbat service specially designed for children ages nine and under along with their families. After Gan Shabbat, participants are encouraged to join the main service and the community Kiddush.

**To RSVP for all programs, contact the synagogue office at
847-634-0777 or info@bethjudea.org.**

For more information, please contact Mindy Gold at 847-634-0777 or mindygold@sbcglobal.net.
Congregation Beth Judea, 5304 RFD, Long Grove, IL - 847-634-0777

Click on the Links Below to View the Flyers

[FOF March 2011 Slideshow](#)

[March 2011 Flyer](#)

Friday	March 4, 2011	6:30 PM	Tot Shabbat <u>and</u> Shabbat Across America Dinner
Sunday	March 13, 2011	10:30 AM	Gan Shalom
Thursday	March 17, 2011	2:00 PM	Challah Chaverim
Saturday	March 19, 2011	7:30 PM	Purim Spiel
Saturday	March 19, 2011	7:45 PM	Havdalah & Family Megillah Reading
Sunday	March 20, 2011	10:00 AM	Shushan Wonderland <u>and</u> Purim Carnival

Check out our full calendar of events [here](#).



L'hitraot! See you soon!

Mindy Gold

mindygold@sbcglobal.net

Like what you see in family programming and want to help keep it going? Please consider volunteering to help with one of our programs this year



[Click Here to Join us on Facebook](#)

The Men's Club

We had a great turn out for the world wide wrap. Thank you to Orin Rotman, Allan Marcus, Norman Kurtz, Debbie Frager and Anna Besser for their help. We also sponsored the build a pair program where the kids made their own tefillin.

The first Hearing Men's Voices program went great. Orin lead a great discussion on the fear of ritual.

On February 16, 2011 we met to discuss men and work. We had great attendance and David Granoff lead it with great sensitivity.

On February 28, 2011 we helped feed the homeless at Pads in Grayslake.

On March 10, 2011 at 7:30 there will be a new Tap the Torah program. Its "Purim Exposed" and is being lead by Orin Rotman.

On March 13, 2011 we will be co-sponsoring the Passover wine and cheese parties with Sisterhood. Join us for a good time.

On March 16, 2011 we will talk about helping with a sick spouse and on April 13, 2011 we will be discussing what we give to our children and what they need from us. You do not have to be a member of the Men's Club to attend -- all men are welcome to join us in this Hearing Men's Voices series. You can contact David Granoff for additional information.

On March 20, 2011 Focus on Families will be sponsoring a Purim Party for the pre-school kids. The Men's Club will be dressing up and helping to tell the story of Purim.

Norm Kurtz and Dr. Eric Yegewel are teaching a new class, "Hebrew Literacy II/ Understanding Prayer", this winter. It is a course designed for those who have taken Hebrew Literacy I or for those who just would like to learn to better understand our prayers while improving their reading fluency. It is a nine week course that focuses on teaching the prayers from the Saturday morning service, while incorporating parts of the Understanding Prayer curriculum at the same time. This allows the students to not only learn the prayers but to understand their meaning as well. The class meets Tuesday evenings following minyan during the months of February and March. If interested please contact them.

Every month we struggle to get volunteers to help us at Lieberman Nursing Home. Most of the residents are in wheelchairs and need help getting to services and many need help with just turning pages. Please call me or Robert Weissman and let us know if you are interested in helping. The next dates are March 12, 2011 and April 9, 2011. It is a great experience for you and your kids.

Fred Rabinowitz



5th Annual Passover Wine Tasting Event

This is a great opportunity to sample new wines and place your Passover orders

Featuring Kosher for Passover wines from around the world selected by Binny's Beverage Depot and representatives of Herzog Winery



Appetizers and desserts will be served

Sunday,
March 13, 2011
3 - 5pm

at Congregation Beth Judea

\$5.00 per person

Sponsored jointly by the Sisterhood and Men's Club

Please contact the synagogue office for more information or to RSVP.



LIST OF UPCOMING EVENTS



2011

March 10	Tap the Torah
March 12	Lieberman Nursing Home
March 13	Annual Passover Wine Tasting Event
March 16	Hearing Men's Voices
March 20	Men's Club Tell the Story of Purim to Pre-School Kids
April 9	Lieberman Nursing Home
April 13	Hearing Men's Voices

**LOOK FOR OUR FLIERS FOR DETAILS

SISTERHOOD SOURCE

It's March! It's Adar! It's Purim! Oy! Passover must be just around the corner! As Sisterhood has done in years past, we are again teaming up with the Men's Club to bring you a Passover wine sale. Mark your calendars for Sunday, March 13th. (In case you've marked up your calendar already, be advised this date has been changed from March 6th to the 13th.) This event is a win-win for everybody! You get to sample some really great wines and make an informed decision as to which ones you'd like to buy for your Passover table or for any time during the year; these wines are *just that good!* After you make your selection, you write your check to the synagogue. Come and join us!

Speaking of Passover, our annual Women's Seder, co-chaired by Laurie B. Davis and Elizabeth Ladin-Gross is scheduled for Wednesday, April 6th. Plans are currently underway and information will soon be forthcoming. Please make sure to mark your calendars. This event is always a crowd-pleaser!

A big thank you goes out to Laura Zoller for putting together our fabulous annual Nosh-A-Night. The food was delicious, the people were friendly, and a good time was had by all. Thank you Laura Zoller for your always outstanding organizational skills!!!

As of this writing, we're still deciding which book and what day will be chosen for the spring edition of the newly formed Sisterhood Book Club. It will be hard to outdo the fall experience of reading about the mikvah, having Carol Schnitzler of the Community Mikvah attend the meeting, and THEN visiting the actual mikveh! What a meaningful experience it was for many of us. How enlightening!

So that's it from Sisterhood for March. Enjoy Purim!

Rhonda Cohn & Debbi Green
Sisterhood Co-Presidents

SISTERHOOD PROGRAMMING

On February 9th it was cold outside, but warm in the pool. Sisterhood attended a wonderful lecture and tour of the Community Mikvah at Beth Hillel B'nai Emuneh. Shomeret, Carol Schnitzler, gave us an interesting and informative talk on everything related to Mikvah, and then we toured the facilities. Thank you, Carol, for this great program that we all enjoyed.

Our next event is the Pesach Wine Tasting with Men's Club. The date has been changed to March 13th and will be held at the synagogue from 3 to 5 pm. Cost is only \$5 per person. You will be able to taste many samples of Kosher wines for Passover and order the ones you like. Hope to see you there. Synagogue members over the age of 21 are invited.

Dates to Remember

Mar 13	Wine Tasting with Men's Club
Apr 6	Women's Seder
May 2	Elections and Program



Need some new ideas for Passover? *L'CHAIM, TOO!* can help!

L'Chaim, Too! is a lovely notebook style cookbook with over 300 pages of kosher recipes collected from Beth Judea Sisterhood members, family and friends. Some are old favorites and others are new additions, but all are delicious!

Books are available for \$18 (Buy 2, get 1 free!) each through the synagogue office, in the Judaica Store or by calling Laura Zoller at 847-883-8801.

Try this Passover favorite: Passover Layered Apple Cake

Batter:	Filling:	Streusel Topping:
6 eggs	2 lbs McIntosh apple, peeled and sliced	1/2 C matzah cake meal
2C sugar	1/4C sugar	2T margarine
1C melted margarine	Lemon juice (of less than 1/2 lemon)	4-5T sugar
2T potato starch	Cinnamon	1/2t cinnamon
2C matzah cake meal		
Pinch of salt		

Batter: Beat eggs. Add sugar and beat well. Blend in margarine or butter. Add cake meal, potato starch and salt. Pour 1/2

batter into greased 13x9x2" baking pan. **Filling:** Combine all filling ingredients. Spoon over batter. Cover with remaining batter. **Streusel:** Combine streusel ingredients. Sprinkle over top. Bake at 350° for 75 minutes.

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Look What's Happening at the Board of Jewish Education Early Childhood Center!

We have been very busy these last several weeks! Our three-four year old classes have just completed their Israel unit. They learned about Israel and the people that live there. They completed this unit with a "trip to Israel". The day of the trip, the children came with their suitcases in tow, packed with the necessary items for a long plane ride. As they arrived at the El Al ticket counter, they picked up their passports and their tickets. On the plane, they saw slides of Israel. When they landed, their rooms had been transformed. They visited a shuk (Israeli market) where they ate falafel, and squeezed their own oranges for fresh orange juice. They went to Hadassah Hospital as well as Safed, where their original works of art were on display and available for "purchase". Some children visited a Kibbutz where they milked a cow and pulled some vegetables. This is truly a magical experience for the children as well as their parents.

The Pre-K classes have also culminated their study of Israel. They were focusing more on the land of Israel. They began by learning how the Jewish people came back to resettle the land of Israel. In conjunction with this, the children did extensive planting. Each child kept a journal of their bean plant, charting its growth. They took a fieldtrip to the Botanic Gardens where they studied the different greenhouses, especially focusing on the Cactus Greenhouse. The children each sketched a cactus, paying careful attention to the size, shape and color. The children came back and using clay, recreated a cactus they had seen. We looked at various citrus fruits and compared and contrasted them, sorted them in many different ways and counted the seeds in the different fruits. The children and their families celebrated the culmination of this unit of study with a feast of the fruits of Israel. A wonderful time was had by all!

We take great pride in our early literacy program as well as our pre-math program. Our cutting edge curriculum prepares the children for a lifetime of learning. The BJE schools leave the children with a strong foundation of learning and social skills as they prepare for kindergarten and beyond.

New for the 2011-2012 School Year!

We will be offering many different extended day options for the children in our 3-4 year old classes and our pre-k classes. We offer classes for children aged 15 months-5 years of age. For more information about our school or to schedule a tour please call Janet Sear at 847 634-0363 or visit our website at www.bjecc.org

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ADULT EDUCATION



WEEKLY CLASSES AT BETH JUDEA:

These classes are ongoing. Please join at any time.

Wednesday's – 8:00 pm – Verse by Verse: Torah Study
Saturday's – 9:00 am – Shabbat Torah/Haftarah Study
Sunday – 8:00 am – Words of My Mouth: Talmud Study

ADULT EDUCATION AT CONGREGATION BETH JUDEA.

Congregation Beth Judea offers a variety of meaningful Jewish learning opportunities through classes, lectures and informal sessions on Jewish Law, Torah, prayer and other topics of interest that will intrigue and inspire you.

All classes (unless otherwise noted) are held at Congregation Beth Judea.

For a listing of adult education classes offered here at CBJ, you can download our Adult Ed brochure by [clicking here](#).



“When I pray,
I speak to God;

When I study,
God speaks to me.”

-quote by Rabbi Louis Finkelstein

[Click Here to Download Our New 2010 – 2011 CBJ Program Guide which contains Adult Ed Course Schedules, Calendars and more!](#)

SAVE THE DATE: (click the link above for more info)

Intro to Judaism – Ongoing Every Thursday at 8:00 pm
Hebrew Literacy II – February 1, 8, 15, 22, Mar. 1, 8, 22, 29
Lead the Friday Night Service – Feb. 10, 17, Mar. 3, 10, 17, 24
There's More to Being Jewish than ...: - Mar. 7, 14, 21, Apr. 4, 11
Beer & Torah – March 17

Interpretive Minyan in the Library

Service Leader: Norm Kurtz

You are invited to join the Interpretive Minyan in the Library the first and third Shabbat of every month. Our minyan is designed to build community by providing a passionate, meaningful and spiritual Shabbat morning experience.

Our minyan is friendly and welcoming to all who choose to attend. We meet in the synagogue library on the second floor from 10:30 until 11:45.

Shabbat shalom,

Norm Kurtz



MT NESTERS

We're still here!! We're getting younger every year!!

Where are you?

Seriously – this is a great way to meet and hang out with your contemporaries.

The MT Nesters is open to the community and our annual dues are still at \$20. However, there's a special deal for Beth Judea members – the dues for your first year membership in MT Nesters is NONE - - - ZERO.

We meet once a month, usually on Sunday evening, except for February and the summer months. Call Carol at (847) 537-3566 or Sam at (847) 459-0316.

Upcoming Social Action Events**CJE Senior Life Annual Shabbat Luncheon**

Friday, March 11

10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Join the social action committee as we help set up and serve clients of the CJE Senior Life as we host our annual Shabbat Luncheon. This activity is especially great for families and any Russian or Yiddish speakers, but everyone is welcome. Please email Ronna Leibach at bows23@gmail.com if you are interested. Volunteers are limited, so sign up soon!

Spring Mitzvah Mania

Sign up now for a one time volunteer project through the JUF TOV Volunteer network. These projects run from March 13 - May 16. Sign up at

www.Juf.org/tov

Beth Judea will also serve as a collection site for the Spring Mitzvah Mania. We will be collecting non-perishable kosher foods and new or gently used books beginning March 13.

Beth Judea Food Collection

We will be collecting "noisy food" for Purim, which starts Sunday, March 20. Bring in non-perishable kosher foods to shake during the Megillah reading, and then donate them to a local food pantry. Pasta, rice or dried beans would all be great! Look at the synagogue for the donation box.

Save the date for Maot Chitim!

Maot Chitim is an organization that provides a box of kosher holiday food for needy families! The next delivery date is on Sunday, April 10. This is very family friendly and deliveries to the northwest suburbs are always needed. For more information, go to www.maotchitim.org

To volunteer to help pack non-perishable items with other Beth Judea volunteers, come on Sunday, April 3 from 10:30-11:15 am to their warehouse location in the Skokie/Evanston area. Volunteers must be over 12. Contact Ronna at bows23@gmail.com if you are interested.

The Face of Domestic Abuse is not always easy to recognize. It could be your daughter, your sister, your best friend.

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COLLEGE CONNECTIONS

Koach Outreach Program for College Students

Koach is the Conservative Movement's outreach program for college students. The Koach website at www.koach.org always has interesting and helpful information.

For those of you who are about to begin your college experience, Koach has produced a wonderful guide that you should view and refer to in the coming weeks. You will find it at www.koach.org/guide.htm.

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Helpful Links and Resources

JUF	Jewish United Fund
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JCC	Jewish Community Centers
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SISTERHOOD GIFTSHOP

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The Sisterhood of Congregation Beth Judea's Judaica Shop carries a wide variety of Judaica and gift items such as tallitot, kippot, Seder plates, Chanukah menorahs, candlesticks, kiddush cups, tzedakah boxes, mezzuzah cases, books, toys, games and teacher gifts and non-religious gift items. They carry Gary Rosenthal, Nambe and a large number of items that are imported directly from Israel. The shop also carries special seasonal items and gift baskets. In addition, they can special order about anything you may want.

Stop by when the shop is open: Sundays from 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM and by appointment. Karen Nagel is the Gift Shop Manager.

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If you are ill or know someone who is sick, we would like to know about it so that a prayer for recovery can be said, so that the clergy can call or visit, and so that the Bikur Cholim committee can be notified and be of assistance.

If there is a death in your family, we would like to know about it so that we can offer our support, can share this information with our congregation, and so that we can add your loved one to our Yahrzeit records.

Please call the synagogue office with this information.
Do not assume that someone else will have notified the synagogue staff.

YOU MAKE A DIFFERENCE

We firmly believe that reaching out to others benefits not only the recipient, but the person providing help as well. This is, without a doubt, a win-win situation for all involved.

If you are interested in making a difference, please contact one of the committee members below.

Rabbi Lifshitz
Wendy Wunsch
Evan Rumack



get involved

BIKUR CHOLIM

Congregation Beth Judea Bikur Cholim Committee

Please complete the following form to notify the committee of a person who is ill, hospitalized or in a rehabilitation facility,

Name: _____

Location _____

Contact person/phone number: _____

Your name: _____

- Please contact this person
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Please return this card to the office before or after Shabbat. You may also fax the information to (847) 634-8055, call the Rabbi or contact our committee chairs,

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April Jahrzeits



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The Pervos Family

In Honor of Cantor Weisberg's assistance in preparing Max for his Bar Mitzvah.

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Two New Philanthropic Funds!!

Many of our members like to make contributions to our Philanthropic Funds in honor of, or in memory of a person or an event. I want to let you know that this year we have two additional funds to choose from when making your contributions.

The Congregational Support Fund has been established to help provide dues reductions for our members that need help paying their synagogue dues.

The Albert and Linda Stark Fund has been established to enrich and expand congregational programs, projects and activities.

The two new funds are now available along with all of our other Philanthropic Funds. For a complete listing of the funds and their descriptions, please visit our website or the Membership Directory.

L'Shana Tova,
Lee Silver
Finance Vice President

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David & Maureen Stolman

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In blessed memory of my beloved dad,
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through this sadness.

Beth Abrams

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Upon the Yahrzeit of:

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Women's Seder



Presented by Beth Judea's Sisterhood

A sumptuous Passover meal will be served

This year's theme is

“Creating Passover Memories”

We encourage you to bring your daughters (Bat Mitzvah age and up), mothers, grandmothers, or other women important to you

When: April 6, 2011 at 6:30 pm

Where: Beth Judea Social Hall



Yes, I'm coming! Name _____ Phone _____

Number of attendees: _____ @ \$25 per person. Please accept my extra donation of \$_____ to subsidize this and future sisterhood programming initiatives.

Total \$_____ I would like to volunteer

RSVP by March 30th to Elizabeth Ladin-Gross

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If available, please send a picture of a memorable Passover and a story that shares how you or your family have created traditions that lead to memorable Passovers.

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From The Editors

In order for your article to be published in the next issue, we must have it at the synagogue by the 10th of the month! There will be no exceptions. This includes information on disk as well. We need your article as it is important to let the congregation know what your group is doing. Announcements should take the form of articles in The Word rather than separate flyers. The opinions expressed herein are not necessarily those of the Rabbi, Board of Directors or the editors.

Worship Schedule

Conducted by
Rabbi Howard Lifshitz and
Cantor Roger J. Weisberg*

Monday Minyan.....	6:15 a.m.
Daily Minyan.....	7:30 p.m.
Friday Night Services.....	7:30 p.m.
Saturday Services.....	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Services.....	9:00 a.m.

Candle Lighting Times

Candle Lighting time is calculated for 18 minutes before sunset and is adjusted for Daylight Savings Time.

March 4	5:27 p.m.
March 11	5:35 p.m.
March 18	6:44 p.m.
March 25	6:51 p.m.

The Blessing For Lighting The Candles On Shabbat is

*Bo-ruch A-tah Ado-nai E-lo-hei-nu Melech
Ha-olam A-sher Ki-de-sha-nu Be-mitz-vo-tav
Vi-tzi-va-nu Le-had-lik Ner Shel Shabbat.*

Blessed are You, Lord our God, King of the universe, who has hallowed us through His Commandments, and has commanded us to kindle the lights of the holy Sabbath.