### Congregation Beth Israel Abraham and Voliner

Our Mission: To be a welcoming, caring and spirited Orthodox congregation that enables and inspires our members, our children and all Jews to deepen their commitment to live, learn and love Torah, applying it to everyday living in the modern world.

## BIMAH NOTES

Shabbat Parshat Shelah-Lekha

June 29, 2019 - 26 Sivan 5779

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**Congregation BIAV** 

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#### SHABBAT DRASHA

Rabbi Rockoff: Now I Can See It

SHABBAT SHIUR-5:00 PM-at the Rosenthal Home

The Mitzvah of Bikur Cholim (Visiting the Sick)

led by Rabbi Rockoff and Dr. Howard Rosenthal

Come for the shiur, stay for the Mitzvah!



### CONGREGATION BIAV

BIDS FAREWELL TO

RABBI DANIEL ROCKOFF

AND

DR. AYALA ZOLTAN ROCKOFF

SHIMON YAAKOV, DAVID ARYEH, ORA HILA, BINYAMIN NADIV

JOIN US FOR A CHANCE TO SAY GOODBYE AND WISH THEM WELL

SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2019 4:00 – 6:00 PM

REMARKS IN THE SANCTUARY AT 4:00 PM

FOLLOWED BY A DESSERT RECEPTION

BABYSITTING FOR CHILDREN AGES 1 AND WALKING AND UP



### This Coming Week Happy Birthday!

Vicki Mooney Elka Katz Daniella Silver Yonatan Stern Jeremy Sandler Yaakov Cohen Devorah Rich

#### **Happy Anniversary!**

Greg & Debbie Greenberg Jonathan Schwartzbard & Kaley Wajcman

#### **YAHRZEITS**

July 1-28 Sivan Anne R. Luchans

July 3—30 Sivan Tillie Gesuk

July 4–1 Tammuz Christopher Donev Rachel bat Eliezer Harold Goodman

#### **Shabbat Zmanim:**

Friday Mincha 7:00 PM

Candle lighting 8:30 PM

Shacharit 9:00 AM

Mincha 8:15 PM

Shabbat ends 9:37 PM



### SHABBAT FORECAST





Low 76°

High 93°



#### RABBINIC SEARCH COMMITTEE

We need to hear from each member of the congregation as we begin the process of searching for a new rabbi. The focus group first step is a vital one. However, in order to do this properly, we need a critical mass of ten members at each session. Please sign up right away. If we don't have at least ten members sign up by this Friday at 4 pm for these first two, we'll be forced to cancel them.

If you want your voice to be heard, sign up at <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4ba5ac2fa6fc1-biav">https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0f4ba5ac2fa6fc1-biav</a>

Thank you!! Looking forward to seeing BIAV members participate. Questions? Call Sam Arbesman or Carol Katzman.

#### Weekday Minyanim:

June 30-July 5	<u>Shacharit</u>	Mincha/Ma'ariv
Sunday	8:30 AM	8:30 PM
Monday	6:30 AM	8:30 PM
Tuesday	6:30 AM	8:30 PM
Wednesday	*6:15 AM	8:30 PM
Thursday	*8:15 AM	8:30 PM
Friday	6:30 AM	7:00 PM

### **Upcoming week:**

Wednesday, July 3 Rosh Chodesh Tammuz Shacharit 6:15 AM

Thursday, July 4
Independence Day
Office Closed
Rosh Chodesh Tammuz
Shacharit 8:15 AM







## Youth Programming

Babysitting (ages walking through 5): 9:00-12:00

\*Shabbat B'Yachad (ages 0-3 and their parents): 11:15-11:30-Tammy Sandler

\*Tot Shabbat (ages 3-5): 10:30-11:30-Nadia Hoffman

\*Kinder Congregation (grades K-1): 10:00-10:30 Boardgames will be meeting in the babysitting room for the duration of the summer. 10:30-11:30-Leah Malka Miller

\*Junior Congregation (grades 2-3): Runs from Haftorah until about 11:30-Rabbi Nati Stern, Jon Schwartzbard

\*Junior Congregation (grades 4-6): Runs from 10:45-11:15-Rabbi Yitzchak Mizrahi

Shabbat Youth Service for children in 2nd grade until bar/ bat mitzvah in the Beit Midrash, from 10:15-10:45-Jason Sokol.

<u>Shabbat Youth Oneg:</u> There will be an oneg for Preschoolers at the Rich home this Shabbat from 3:30–4:30 PM.

<u>Shabbat Youth Onegs:</u> We would like to have a rotation of Shabbat afternoon onegs for children in preschool, K-2nd grade, and 3rd-5th grade. If you are interested in hosting an oneg, please contact Tammy at youthdirector@biav.org.

#### **Youth Policy**

In order to ensure the safety of our children and encourage attendance in our educational programs, it is the shul's policy that all children must either be in the Shabbat Groups Program or supervised in shul by their parents. Children ages 5 and under can only leave Shabbat groups when accompanied by a parent. Older children participating in Shabbat Groups may only leave once their group has ended. After shul is over, children plants on the plants and the supervised by their parents. on the playground must be supervised by their parents. Thank you for your cooperation in this process.

#### **FROM THE OFFICE**

Effective July 1, office hours are changing. The new hours will be Monday -Thursday: 8:30 AM-4:00 PM; Friday: 8:30 AM-2:30 PM, and by appointment.

Dues commitment forms were mailed this week and are due by July 12.

Please be sure to include your Member Questionnaire with any corrections or additions. And provide your bank or credit card information to automate your monthly payments!

Calling all keys! Calling all cards!

Remember that time you needed to borrow a key to ... gym, kitchens, storage rooms, nursery, ...? Maybe it was the Restaurant Depot, Sam's Club, or Costco card for that special shopping trip? Please return all BIAV keys and cards to the office (feel free to drop them into the "suggestion box" outside the office door.)

BIAV is as successful as its volunteers, therefore we would like to acknowledge the following for their efforts on behalf of the shul:

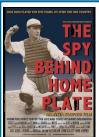
Kiddush Helpers This Week (June 29) - Dara & Dave Granoff, Yosef Silver, Alexa & Yaakov Cohen, Michael Heiligman

Kiddush Helpers Next Week (July 6) - Helene Singer/TIri Weber, Rachael Hartwich, Ilana Fay, Aryn & David Soffer

Seudah Shlishit Helpers-Kim Fogel, Raylie Kopelman, Helene Singer

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The Jewish Family Services Food Pantry gives families hope and sustenance. Our congregation has been asked to collect donations of granola, fiber and snack bars and toilet paper during June, July, and August. Place contributions in the white JFS barrel at the top of the stairs at BIAV.



Aviva Kempner's The Spy Behind Home Plate is the first feature-length documentary to tell the real story of Morris "Moe" Berg, the enigmatic and brilliant Jewish baseball player turned spy. Berg caught and fielded in the major leagues during baseball's Golden Age in the 1920s and 1930s. But very few people know that Borg also worked for the Office know that Berg also worked for the Office of Strategic Services (OSS), spying in Europe and playing a prominent role in America's efforts to undermine the German atomic bomb

program during WWII. The Spy Behind Home Plate reveals the life of this unknown Jewish hero through rare historical footage and photographs as well as revealing interviews with an All-Star roster of celebrities and other individuals from the worlds of sports, spycraft, and history. Berg may have had only a .243 batting average during his 15-year major league career, but it was the stats he collected for the OSS that made him a most valuable player to his country during World War II. Glenwood Arts (6/28-7/4)

Friday-Saturday 12:00 2:30 5:15 7:40 Sunday 12:00 2:30 5:15

Monday-Thursday 1:05 4:05 7:05 Informational postcards on the table outside the BIAV office

JFS & THE HERITAGE CENTER PARTNER FOR GENEALOGY SERIES—next session July 11, JCC MAC room. Discover and document your family history. Participate in a free, five-part genealogy series presented by Jewish Family Services and The Heritage Center of the Jewish Community Center. Ron Doctor, PhD, will facilitate the five distinct sessions to be held monthly. Read more at www.jfskc.org. The program is free but registration is requested by calling The Heritage Center at (913) 327-8044.

LEARN, LAUGH & LOVE Program, July 18, 1:00 PM in the MAC Room of the Jewish Community Campus—"You're Not in This Alone: Support for the Aging Journey" As we age, some things in life become more challenging. This program will focus on JFS's Older Adult Services and will feature Laura Gillman, JFS Director of Older Adult Services and Kelly Loeb, JFS Older Adult Care Manager, sharing the continuum of services JFS provides to help older adults along their journey to live with resilience, strength and dignity. JFS is here with comprehensive and compassionate care to help older adults' live healthy, independent and meaningful lives. Programs address aging-related issues such as support to maintain a home, transportation, health, mobility, grief, isolation, emotional concerns, and men their program is program is a support for consistency and their adults of the program is a support of the perfect for seniors and their adult children. Free, but reservations are requested: 913-327-8044.

**SAVE THE DATE: Day of Discovery—**Explore the Joy of Jewish Learning in Kansas City—Sunday, August 25.

#### **BIAV Vaccination Policy**

For the safety of our community, effective immediately, we require any child or adult to be up to date on all vaccinations as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control (barring age or medical restrictions) in order to enter any BIAV facility, including youth groups and the playground.