



CONGREGATION
BETH ISRAEL

Shabbat Evening Service

Rabbi David A. Lyon, Rabbi Adrienne P. Scott,
Cantor Star A. Trompeter

NOVEMBER 8, 2019
11 CHESHVAN 5780

PARASHAT LECH L'CHA
GENESIS 12:1-17:27

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Shabbat Message Rabbi Joshua Weinberg, Scholar-in-Residence
Vice President of the Union for Reform Judaism

Torah Transmission Barbara Freedman, Ruben Torres, Susana Torres,
Jay Freedman, Cecilia Freedman, Gabriel Freedman;
Herman Lapin, Maxine Lapin,
Mark Levine, Allison Levine, Ari Levine

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Benediction Rabbi David A. Lyon

Postlude

*Bimah Flowers: The Bimah Flowers have been given by
Cecilia & Jay Freedman in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of Gabriel Freedman, and by
Allison & Mark Levine in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of Ari Levine.*

*Musicians: David Craig, Bass; Alexandre Loukachine, Drums;
Mark Vogel, Piano, Music Director*

Senior Rabbi, David A. Lyon, D.D.
Associate Rabbi, Adrienne P. Scott
Associate Rabbi, Eleanor B. Steinman

Senior Cantor, Star A. Trompeter
Rabbi Emeritus, Samuel E. Karff, D.H.L.
Cantor Emeritus, Robert M. Gerber, D.S.M.

David M. Scott, Executive Director & Director of Lifelong Learning
Dr. Michelle Barton, Head of The Shlenker School
Samara Schwartz, Miriam Browning JLC Principal
Joan Gelfond, Campus Director of Technology
Kathy Parven, Cemetery Director
Marsha Gilbert, Catering and Events Manager
Michael Reddick, Facilities Manager

BIMAH GUESTS

Rabbi Joshua Weinberg, Scholar-in-Residence; Marsha Stein, Vice President; Barbara Freedman, Ruben Torres, Susana Torres, Jay Freedman, Cecilia Freedman, Gabriel Freedman; Herman Lapin, Maxine Lapin, Mark Levine, Allison Levine, Ari Levine

Saturday, November 9, 2019 – Shabbat

8:30am Shabbat Morning Minyan
Gordon Chapel

9:45am Torah Study, Rabbi Joshua Weinberg,
Scholar-in-Residence,
Vice President of the Union for Reform Judaism
Finger Board Room

11:00am Shabbat Morning Service
Sanctuary

B'nei Mitzvah of Gabriel Freedman & Ari Levine

Thank you for silencing your cell phones.

Ushers are happy to answer questions about our service.

Children are always welcome in our services. If they need a break, we are live streaming this service in Wolff-Toomim Hall across from the Sanctuary. There is plenty of room for the children to enjoy themselves!

SCHOLAR IN RESIDENCE – NOV. 8-9

We welcome Rabbi Joshua Weinberg, Vice President of the Union for Reform Judaism, to our Bimah this weekend. His focus is on American Jews and our relationship with Israel. After Shabbat services, there will be a dinner and discussion in Wolff-Toomim Hall for those with reservations. Saturday, Rabbi Weinberg will lead Torah Study at 9:45 am in the Finger Board Room, and a Havdalah reception and discussion sponsored by AIPAC will take place off campus. See the Membership Table for more information.

COUNT ME IN DEADLINE REMINDER

The Count Me In bags are due back at the MBJLC office by 9:30 am on Sunday morning. If you need more time, you may deliver your bag to the Merfish Teen Center anytime next week.

OUR JEWISH HERITAGE AND HEALTH – 10AM NOV. 10

Beth Israel's Hyman Judah Schachtel Library presents Our Jewish Heritage and Health: An update on genetic conditions among the Ashkenazim at **10am Sunday, November 10** in the Schachtel Library. Join us to learn more from Gary S. Frohlich, the Principle Patient Education Liaison at Sanofi Genzyme, about the most common Jewish genetic diseases – they might not be what you think.



GREETERS

Saturday Morning: Liz Goldenberg, Marc Goldenberg

THE GUIDING HAND – THROUGH DEC. 6

The Margolis Gallery's The Guiding Hand Yad Exhibit is open weekdays during business hours through Dec. 6th. Come see a collection of yads like no other from around the world. For information or to schedule a visit, please contact Rene Schwartz at (713) 771-6221 x630 or rschwartz@beth-israel.org.

TEXAS HOLD'EM POKER TOURNAMENT – 7:30PM NOV. 13

The Brotherhood will be holding a Texas Hold'em poker tournament **Wednesday, Nov. 13 at 7:30pm** in Wolff-Toomim Hall. All congregants are invited to the FUNdraising event. Cost for entry and chips is \$20. There will be prizes for the top 3 players.

MONTHLY MIDRASH: JUSTICE THROUGH MIDRASH

Go beyond the basics of Judaism with David Scott, RJE from **11:30am to 1pm on Nov. 14th**. Using ancient sources, we will come to a modern understanding of timeless themes. We will use selections from our early rabbinic writings, known as midrash, and also explore other biblical texts in addition to the Torah. RSVP to Liza Abrams at labrams@beth-israel.org or (713) 771-6221 x301.

JUDAICA SHOP CHANUKAH SALE – NOV. 18-NOV. 22

Get ready for the sale of the year! The Judaica Gift Shop is stocked full of all your Chanukah needs! There will be a huge sale on all Chanukah items 20% - 50% off starting Monday, Nov. 18 through Friday, Nov. 22. Shop early for the best selection! All proceeds support the Sisterhood.

AN EVENING WITH CAPTAIN MARC LEIBMAN – 6:30PM NOV. 21

The Beth Israel Brotherhood and Sisterhood are proud to invite veteran and author Captain Marc Leibman to our Congregation for a presentation and book signing. Admission is free. For information and to RSVP, please email sisterhood@beth-israel.org.

CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL'S ISRAEL TRIP – MAY 31-JUNE 10, 2020

Registration is now closed for our Israel trip on May 31-June 10th, 2020, however we have a waiting list. If you are interested in being added to our waiting list or have any questions, please contact David Scott, dscott@beth-israel.org.

DEATHS

David Feinstein

Sylvia Leventhal

IN MEMORIAM

Helen Baernstein

Clara Goldstein

Ancil Oshman

Jerry Bailes

Uzi Halevy

Mathilde Pasternack

Barnett Bloom

Raymond Harris

Isadore Pollicoff

Lillian Blumenthal

Barry Hertz

Nesia Rapoport

Gene Burke

Mary Kaplan

Aron Rosenzweig

Richard Carter

Samuel Kaplan

Morris Russ

Alyda Cohen

Eugene Kornhaber

Eva Sabin

Scott Cotlar

David Leff

Jake Sampson

Rose Davis

Clara Leon

Ida Schanzer

Eva Dubin

Charles Lestin

Milton Scheps

Ronald Finger

Max Levy, Jr.

Miriam Schwartz

Richard Fox

Nanette Lipper

Grigory Shaykind

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Florence Magaziner

Anna Sherman

Thomas Freedman

Jerry Mayers

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Razelle Frumkin

Earl Mindes

David Smith

Frieda Gachman

Saul Mintz

Anna Sperling

Eva Gelder

Tobe Nathan

Bertha Waisblum

Gloria Gerson

Sophia Natkin

George Gilbert

Jeanie Nussbaum

RABBI DAVID A. LYON ON THE RADIO

Rabbi Lyon can be heard on Sunday mornings, 6:45am, KODA, Sunny 99.1 FM radio. Each segment will be available as a podcast, called "Heart to Heart with Rabbi David Lyon". Go to www.beth-israel.org/radiorabbi, sunny99.com ("Blogs & Podcasts"), or download the iHeartRadio app.

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