

<p>WEEKLY SERVICES</p> <p>FRIDAY: 7:00PM SATURDAY: 9:30AM</p>	<p>CONGREGATION SHAARAY TEFILA 68 Bay Street, Glens Falls NY 12801 518.792.4945 Fax: 518.792.5966 Email: cstgfny@gmail.com Website: www.shaaraytefila-gfny.org OFFICE HOURS: Mon–Fri: 9AM–2PM</p>	<p>FEBRUARY 2020</p>  <p>SHEVAT - ADAR 5780</p>
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RABBI'S REPORT

As we move forward along the circle that is the Jewish calendar, we end the reading of the book of Genesis, Bereshit, and we begin reading the book of Exodus, Shmot.

Bereshit, literally meaning in the beginning, tells the story of OUR beginning - creation, ancestry, family, relationships and the Divine promises of peoplehood and land.

Shmot, literally meaning names, tells the story of all who continued - into Egypt, into slavery, through slavery and eventually to freedom and the receiving of the Torah.

The ten week journey through the book of Exodus / Shmot is the journey of Egypt, the journey of Mitzrayim, the journey of the narrow place. The story of our ancestors in Egypt is an odyssey that lives on in us in countless ways. We intentionally remember the exodus from Egypt in our daily prayers, in the blessing over the wine on Shabbat, in the blessing over food after a meal and by dedicating the entire holiday of Passover to recalling and reenacting this part of our narrative.

I invite you to open yourself to the reading of Exodus / Shmot, to recognize your own narrow places and to think about how this ancestral odyssey lives on in you.

G'd willing, we will finish reading Exodus / Shmot just after the spring equinox. We will be closer to spring, the daylight will be increasing and we will be weeks away from celebrating Passover.

May the reading of Exodus / Shmot inspire each of us to be freed from that which is constricting us into a tight spot and may we each find new and meaningful ways to carry this story forward.



Rachel Tali Kaplan
Student Rabbi

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Thanks to everyone who made our Chanukah party a great experience for all. Special mention must be made again for our kitchen volunteers who did a great job serving a delicious dinner to a large number of attendees.

Our Biblical Hebrew class is off to a good start with a combination of video lectures and some good review and discussion in our group. If you think you might be interested, it's not too late to check us out on Wednesdays at 7PM.

We look forward to Shabbat Across America on February 28 at 6:00 PM with Shabbat Chicken dinner followed by a short, family

friendly, interactive Friday night service. Bring kosher, parve salad, side dish or dessert.

Of course, our regular Shabbat services continue, always with stimulating discussion, spirited singing and delicious kiddishes. We love to see you all year long, but your presence is especially appreciated during the winter months when it can be a challenge to leave the house on a chilly Shabbat morning.



Dr. Mark Hoffman
President

WEEKLY TORAH PORTION

פרשת השבוע
Weekly Torah portion

Beshalach
Candlelighting

TORAH

HAFTARAH

FEBRUARY 7
4:57 pm, Feb 7

[Exodus 13:17 - 17:16](#)

[Judges 4:4 - 5:31](#)

Yitro
Candlelighting

TORAH

HAFTARAH

FEBRUARY 14
5:07 pm, Feb 14

[Exodus 18:1 - 20:23](#)

[Isaiah 6:1-7:6; 9:5-9:6](#)

Mishpatim
Candlelighting

TORAH

HAFTARAH

FEBRUARY 21
5:16 pm, Feb 21

[Exodus 21:1 - 24:18](#)

[Jer 34:8-34:22; 33:25-33:26](#)

Terumah
Candlelighting

TORAH

HAFTARAH

FEBRUARY 28
5:25 pm, Feb 28

[Exodus 25:1 - 27:19](#)

[I Kings 5:26 - 6:13](#)

**SYNAGOGUE NEWS,
ANNOUNCEMENTS &
IMPORTANT DATES**



If you have an upcoming
yahrzeit and need a minyan,
please let us know.

We welcome member articles and news to our monthly Bulletin. We reserve the right to edit submissions for content and length. We reserve the right, at our discretion, to refuse to publish or remove any content we deem inappropriate.

The monthly due date is usually the third Thursday of each month. Please submit items to: cstgfny@gmail.com. Thanks!

TSRS - TEMPLE-SYNAGOGUE RELIGIOUS SCHOOL REPORT

Shalom to all!

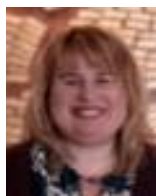
The first half of our school year is behind us but there is so much more to come. In the months of February and March we have some wonderful holidays like Tu B'Shevat and Purim.

We are putting together an exciting program on February 9th for Tu B'Shevat (the Jewish holiday that celebrates the New Year of Trees) with Deby Cahan, parent of one of our pre-schoolers, Diana. Deby's specialty is agriculture and she will share with us some of her experiences in Israel and will bring us a hands-on experience to connect the holiday to our students physically, spiritually and culturally.

In March, we have Purim, where we celebrate the Jewish people once again overcoming a threat to our existence, Haman, and the strength of Esther, the heroine that risked her life to save her people. We will rejoice in our freedom, dress up in costumes and read the Megillah.

We welcome your ideas and input into our program and please put me in contact with any prospective families for our Religious School program. I would love to meet them and talk about our exciting program that we bring to the Jewish community. Please contact me any time and, of course, stay warm!

All the best!



Rebecca Charhon
Director

SPECIAL EVENTS!

Sunday, February 9 at Temple Beth-El

12:30 pm - Heather Mendel will be conducting an adult mystical ***Tu B'Shevat Seder/Tikkun Seder*** for which she created a service many years ago. This creative, innovative service (probably different to any you've experienced before) will take place at Temple Beth El on Sunday, February 9 at 12:30 p.m., followed by a dairy potluck luncheon.

RSVPs are required to make sure we have enough booklets and ritual items for everyone. Please contact Katie in the Temple office, 518-792-4364, to let her know how many people will be attending and what dairy potluck item you will be bringing to share.

Friday, February 28 at CST

6:00 pm – ***Shabbat Across America***
Shabbat Chicken dinner here at CST followed by a short, family friendly, interactive Friday night service. Bring kosher, parve salad, side dish or dessert.



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SISTERHOOD NEWS FEBRUARY 2020

February Greetings,

Wishing everyone good health for February. Our thoughts and prayers for members, friends and families who have any health challenges.

Best wishes to our Snowbirds. Stay extra warm since there have been some below zero temperatures up North.

I was glad to receive greetings from so many of you with Bonnie's visit. I miss all of you.
~~Dolly

Sorry I will miss you in February Student Rabbi Rachel, Members and Friends at services, also Family Service at Temple Beth-El, yet the warmth in FL has been a welcome change.
~~Bonnie

We wish you a fruitful and special Tu B'Shevat!

Have a safe February!



*Dolly Morrissey
& Bonnie
Yanklowitz* ❤️ ❤️
Sisterhood
Co-Presidents

FEBRUARY ONEGS & KIDDUSHES:

Saturday, Feb 1:

Kiddush sponsored by Peter and Nancy Kudan and Ronni Shelley in memory of Sylvia Kudan

Friday, Feb 7:

Oneg sponsorship available for Family Shabbat Service & Potluck.

Saturday, Feb 8:

Kiddush sponsorship available.

Friday, Feb 14:

Oneg sponsorship available.

Saturday, Feb 15:

Kiddush sponsorship available.

Friday, Feb 21:

Oneg sponsored by Francine Torra.

Saturday, Feb 22

Kiddush sponsorship available.

Friday, Feb 28:

"Shabbat Across America" dinner. Bring
kosher, parve salad, side dish or dessert.

Saturday, Feb 29

*Kiddush sponsored by Susan and
David Matzner in honor of Herz
Hirschberg*

CORRECTION: Saturday, November 23:

*Kiddush was sponsored by Hilda
Schwartz in memory of her husband
Moe Schwartz.*

(This was previously listed as
sponsored by Roz Winston.)



HONORABLE MENTCHEN:

Thank you to all who sponsored
an Oneg or Kiddush during
January, including: Bonnie Yanklowitz,
Laura Fram (3 sponsorships), Salomon &
Elaine Charhon, Francine Torra,
Congregation Shaaray Tefila and
Sisterhood!

Sponsoring an Oneg or Kiddush

Consider sponsoring an Oneg or Kiddush to
honor or remember your loved ones for their
birthdays, wedding or bar/bat mitzvah,
anniversaries and yahrzeits. *Call the office
at 518-792-4945 if you'd like to sponsor.*
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BY Feb 3rd WITH A DELIVERY OF Feb 11th.

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**Best Wishes to the Following Members for
a Very Happy Anniversary!!**



Linda & Stephen Bush

February 6
48th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pollinger

February 19
45th anniversary

Dr. Syd & Lorri Hochman

February 24
40th anniversary



**Congregation Shaaray Tefila &
Sisterhood Send Their Very Best
Birthday Wishes to the Following
Members & Friends:**

Emily Beatrice Frank	3-Feb
Monica Guglielmo	3-Feb
Tess Pollinger	3-Feb
Jenna Wurzberger	3-Feb
Nancy Goldstein	4-Feb
Lyn Greene	4-Feb
Jenny Pollinger	4-Feb
Tamar Wurzberger-Choppa	4-Feb
Devin Van Zandt	5-Feb
Noah Thomas Van Zandt	7-Feb
Tal Klausner	8-Feb
Jane Arnold	9-Feb
Joseph Issac Hoffman	9-Feb
Jordan Havens	10-Feb
Dr. Mark Hoffman	10-Feb
Daniel Robitel	10-Feb
Valerie Hope	13-Feb
Francine Rochelle Torra	13-Feb
Steve Pollinger	14-Feb
Roni Shaham	14-Feb

PRICE CHOPPER KOSHER DELIVERY
KOSHER ORDERS FOR FEBRUARY ARE DUE

Sarah Antiles	15-Feb
Jerrilyn Benson	15-Feb
Arielle Claire Silver	17-Feb
Samuel Richard Silver	17-Feb
Jacob Roman Barr	18-Feb
Sofia Choppa	20-Feb
Dr. Michael Lebowitz	20-Feb
John Guglielmo	21-Feb
Scott Victor Paltrowitz	24-Feb
Jay Bobbin	28-Feb
Alan E. Kaplan	28-Feb
Ori Shaham	29-Feb

**WE GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGE THE
FOLLOWING THOUGHTFUL
CONTRIBUTIONS – *Thank You!***

GENERAL FUND

From Marilyn Bazan

In honor of Longstanding Members Judy
and Allan Korot

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CHANUKAH PARTY

From Joan Levine & Jonah Berman

From Kaye Grossman

ELI RUDNICK HOLOCAUST FUND

In Memory of Abraham Rudnick

From Marvin Rudnick

Jack Smith	
Saturday, 2/1/2020	Shevat 6, 5780
Frieda Koslow	
Elaine Levy	
Samuel Weiss	
Berdie Yafa	
Sunday, 2/2/2020	Shevat 7, 5780
Chayah Kobel	
Sylvia Kudan (Tziviva)	
Sabina Landau	
Monday, 2/3/2020	Shevat 8, 5780
Isidore Alkes	
Charles Ginsburg	
Carol Mauro	
Molly Rodman	
Louis Rosenblum	
Tuesday, 2/4/2020	Shevat 9, 5780
Phyllis Feigenbaum	
Abraham Rudnick	
Wednesday, 2/5/2020	Shevat 10, 5780
Daniel Beale	
Tillie Singer	
Ruth Ann Spaulding	
Thursday, 2/6/2020	Shevat 11, 5780
Abraham Green	
Lawrence Jerome Kantrowitz	
Friday, 2/7/2020	Shevat 12, 5780
Rose Cohen	
Saturday, 2/8/2020	Shevat 13, 5780
Anna Cohen	
Ida Jacobs	
Sunday, 2/9/2020	Shevat 14, 5780
William Kanoff	
Louis Kent	
Irving Matlow	
Wednesday, 2/12/2020	Shevat 17, 5780
Morris Kantrowitz	
Eva Levitan	
Benjamin Segel	
I. Morton (Mort) Yanklowitz	
Thursday, 2/13/2020	Shevat 18, 5780
Frances Fleming	
Cynthia Frost	
Mildred Seaman	
Saturday, 2/15/2020	Shevat 20, 5780
Joseph Eddleton	
Annie Schwartz	
Arthur Lewis Shapera	
Sunday, 2/16/2020	Shevat 21, 5780
Esther Silverman	
Carl Suckman	
Monday, 2/17/2020	Shevat 22, 5780
Isaac Alkes	
Lena Shapiro	
Tuesday, 2/18/2020	Shevat 23, 5780
Celia Frost	
Maurice Lebowitz	
Abraham Levitt	
Anne Lucks	
Wednesday, 2/19/2020	Shevat 24, 5780

**YAHREZIT RECORD FOR
FEBRUARY 2020**





Yahrzeit Record for MARCH 2020



Charles Baron
 Irene Brown
 Libbie Levin
 Miriam Schulman
 Louis Solomon
 Florence Stillman
 Mary Yunich
Sunday, 3/1/2020 Adar 5, 5780
 Eva Alkes
 Lawrence Levy
 Mariasa Reed
Monday, 3/2/2020 Adar 6, 5780
 Joan Cavanaugh
 Bruce Rothstein
 Belle Suckman
Tuesday, 3/3/2020 Adar 7, 5780
 Milton Grunberger
Wednesday, 3/4/2020 Adar 8, 5780
 Vinona Hudson Farnsworth
 Abraham Goldman
 Nathan Pine
 Perry Seaman
 Dorothy Semelisky Reinheimer
 Jennie Solomon
Thursday, 3/5/2020 Adar 9, 5780
 Lydia (DelSignore) Cifone
 Esther Connor
 Harry Greenberg
Sunday, 3/8/2020 Adar 12, 5780
 Fannie Fiedel
 Elizabeth Kraftchick
 Bella Rosenberg
 Saul Silverstein
Monday, 3/9/2020 Adar 13, 5780
 Max Gottesman
 Morris Kraftchick
 David Rosenthal
 Leo Samuel
 Natalie Ida Yanklowitz
Tuesday, 3/10/2020 Adar 14, 5780
 Mollie Borlawsky
 Albert Kitmacher
 Max Landsman
 Eva Swirsky
Wednesday, 3/11/2020 Adar 15, 5780
 Gloria Bittman
 Nathan Suckman
 Sarah I. Suckman
Thursday, 3/12/2020 Adar 16, 5780
 Morris (Maury) (Goldstein) Bak
 Jacob Goldman
 Bessie Gould
Friday, 3/13/2020 Adar 17, 5780
 Ann Ferber
Sunday, 3/15/2020 Adar 19, 5780
 Lila Weinstein
Monday, 3/16/2020 Adar 20, 5780

Charles Furman
 Lena Gould
 Harry Kopelovitz
 Frances Schwartz
 Philip Weinstein
Tuesday, 3/17/2020 Adar 21, 5780
 Isadore I. Cohen
 Samuel Luria
 Percy Weinstein
Wednesday, 3/18/2020 Adar 22, 5780
 Estelle Goldman
 A. Charles Hoffman
 Walter Stern
Thursday, 3/19/2020 Adar 23, 5780
 Joseph Gerstein
 Gertrude Juris
 Joseph Klinetsky
 Harry Rote-Rosen
Friday, 3/20/2020 Adar 24, 5780
 Anna Chary
 Michael Connor
Saturday, 3/21/2020 Adar 25, 5780
 Regina Elliott
Sunday, 3/22/2020 Adar 26, 5780
 Anna Aronson
 Sidney Benson
 Morris Frost
 Matthew Green
 Beatrice Kantrowitz
 Gerald Miller
 Stanley Seaman
Monday, 3/23/2020 Adar 27, 5780
 Morris Goldstein
 Howard Hirsch
 Edward Lippman-Podolnick
 Benjamin Rosenstein
 Stephen Stillman
 Ben Yanklowitz
Tuesday, 3/24/2020 Adar 28, 5780
 Ida Bronne
 Mary Friedman
 Arnold Kent
Thursday, 3/26/2020 Nissan 1, 5780
 Raymond Kantrowitz
 Irving Rapaport
 Joseph Yanklowitz
Friday, 3/27/2020 Nissan 2, 5780
 Murry Silverman
Saturday, 3/28/2020 Nissan 3, 5780
 Rose Aronson
 Goldie Brown
 Herbert Silverman
Monday, 3/30/2020 Nissan 5, 5780
 David Podell
 Dora Sheerer
 Abraham Joseph Zweibelson
Tuesday, 3/31/2020 Nissan 6, 5780

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FEBRUARY 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 9:30AM Service 6:30PM Event – Havdalah, then Music Jeopardy at Kleinmann's
2 9:00AM Religious School 	3 Kosher Order Due Date	4	5 7PM Biblical Hebrew Class 	6 	7 6:15PM Family Shabbat Service & Potluck	8 9:30AM Service
9 9:00AM Religious School  12:30PM Tu B'Shevat Service & Pot Luck at Temple Beth-El	10	11 Kosher Delivery	12 7PM Biblical Hebrew Class 	13	14 6:30PM Service at The Glen	15 9:30AM Service
16	17 PRESIDENTS DAY  Office Closed	18	19 7PM Biblical Hebrew Class 	20	21 7PM Service	22 9:30AM Service
23	24	25 	26 7PM Biblical Hebrew Class 	27	28 6PM "SHABBAT ACROSS AMERICA" Service & Dinner with student Rabbi Rachel Kaplan	29 9:30AM Service with student Rabbi Rachel Kaplan