



CALENDAR

FRIDAY, JANUARY 7

Candle Lighting 4:27 p.m.
 Kabbalat Shabbat 4:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 8

Shacharit 9:00 a.m.
 Torah Reading: BO- Exodus 10:1 - 13:16

FRIDAY, JANUARY 14

SHABBAT SHIRAH

Candle Lighting 4:34 p.m.
 Kabbalat Shabbat 4:35 p.m.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 15

Shacharit 9:00 a.m.
 Torah Reading: BESHALACH- Exodus 13:17-17:16

FRIDAY, JANUARY 21

Candle Lighting 4:42 p.m.
 Kabbalat Shabbat 4:45 p.m.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 22

Shacharit 9:00 a.m.
 Torah Reading: YITRO-Exodus 18:1-20:23

Anniversary Shabbat

Mincha 4:45 p.m.
 Maariv after 5:45 p.m.

Bat Mitzvah of Brynn Goldberg, daughter of Elise and Gilbert Kreiss

FRIDAY, JANUARY 28

Candle Lighting 4:51 p.m.
 Kabbalat Shabbat 4:55 p.m.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 29

Shacharit 9:00 a.m.
 Torah Reading: MISHPATIM-Exodus 21:1- 24:18

Family Shabbat/ Birthday Shabbat

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4

Candle Lighting 5:00 p.m.
 Kabbalat Shabbat 5:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Shacharit 9:00 a.m.
 Torah Reading: TERUMAH- Exodus 25:1-27:19

Anniversary Shabbat

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Candle Lighting 5:08 p.m.
 Kabbalat Shabbat 5:10 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12

Shacharit 9:00 a.m.
 Torah Reading: TETZAVEH- Exodus 27:20- 30:10

Birthday/Family Shabbat

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Candle Lighting 5:17 p.m.
 Kabbalat Shabbat 5:20 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Shacharit 9:00 a.m.
 Torah Reading: KI TISA-Exodus 30:11-34:35

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21

President's Day- Minyan Schedule
 Shacharit 9:00 a.m.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25

SHABBAT SHEKALIM

Candle Lighting 5:25 p.m.
 Kabbalat Shabbat 5:25 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26

Shacharit 9:00 a.m.
 Torah Reading: VAYAKHEL- Exodus 35:1- 38:20



Rabbi
Bruce Ginsburg

IT'S FOR THE BIRDS

On Friday night, January 14 and Saturday, January 15, we will be celebrating Shabbat Shirah, the Sabbath of Song. According to custom, prior to lighting candles on Friday, we scatter bread crumbs outside so that the birds can eat their fill.

This lovely practice emerges from the day's Torah portion. Indeed, in Parashat B'shalach, Moses tells the people that manna will appear and may be collected every day of the week except on Shabbat – the one day it will not descend from the heavens. True to form, some of the Israelites didn't listen and brazenly went out on the seventh day to gather the delicious food. But just as Moses had said, there was none to be found.

The Midrash tells us that those who ventured out on the Sabbath were actually conspirators against Moses. They knew that in keeping with his word, the manna wouldn't fall from Heaven on the seventh day. But they wanted to do whatever they could to undermine his authority. So they went out Friday night under cover of darkness and scattered some of the manna collected that morning over the field. They figured they would gather it Saturday, bring it back to the camp and show it to the gullible masses, claiming that Moses is a fraud and that the commandments he proclaimed in G-d's name were actually the product of his own imagination. When they went out, however, they didn't find a thing. So what happened to the manna they had cynically spread about the evening before? By then, it was long gone – for out of a desire to protect Moses' reputation, the birds whisked it away in the middle of the night.

Our fine, feathered friends, then, deserve a reward for their mitzvah. And when do they get it? On the day we recall their virtue – Shabbat Shirah, as we read of the manna in the desert and celebrate the glory of song.

So don't forget to cover your lawn with bread crumbs on Friday afternoon, January 14. It is one day on the Jewish calendar that is strictly for the birds!

Rabbi Bruce Ginsburg

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at our 94th Annual Journal Dinner
Sunday, June 12, 2022

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President
Mark Kavarsky

The New Year is upon us and the agenda for the Board of Trustees is flush with resolutions and intentions.

The Nominating Committee of CSOI has formed to nominate a slate of Executive Officers and renew the three-year commitment of Board of Trustee members.

Under the Chairpersonship of Elena Dredger, the Nominating Committee will report to the membership for approval of the nominees at our June General Membership meeting. If you would like to become a Trustee and join us at our monthly meetings, please contact Dredgers@msn.com

The Rabbinical Search Committee has begun its outreach to potential candidates.

We have solicited responses from USCJ, UTJ and the multi-media as well as our network of friends and family. To date we are reviewing several letters of interest and resumes from promising candidates. However, we have been informed that the task may be difficult as more Rabbinical positions are open than there are candidates to fill them. We may have to explore the idea of an interim rabbi.

If you haven't heard the news, Temple Beth El is in the process of selling the synagogue except for the Main Sanctuary. The leadership of Beth El has reached out to CSOI to discuss a merger. Under the leadership of Arnie Gordon, an exploratory Strategic Planning Committee has begun discussions in earnest.

Moreover, a Joint CSOI-Beth El Ritual Committee has been formed. The goal of this committee is to identify areas of commonality in our ritual service(s).

Although a merger between CSOI and Beth El offers many benefits, I caution the membership against assuming that a merger is inevitable. Indeed, only through diligence will we be able to realize closure on this action. And due diligence takes time and patience.

A Special General Membership Meeting has been scheduled for Monday, January 10, 2022. The President, Executive Committee and Board of Trustees recommend: The Presentation of a GIFT to Rachel and Rabbi Bruce Ginsburg in appreciation of thirty years of service to Congregation Sons of Israel. The details of this motion will be reviewed for approval by the General Membership.

A quorum of 35 members is required. Ratification is by majority. Your presence at this Zoom meeting is greatly appreciated.

Stay Safe and Healthy in 2022

Mark Kavarsky



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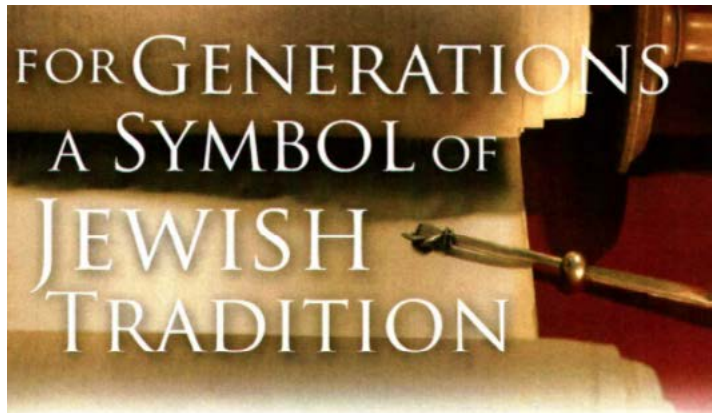


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MEET OUR BAT MITZVAH

Saturday, January 22, 2022

Brynn Goldberg
daughter of Elise and Gilbert Kreiss



A seventh grade, high honor roll student at Long Beach Middle School, Brynn's favorite subject is English. Although her extracurricular interests are many and include sports activities such as soccer, hockey and surfing, they also extend to musical pursuits. Brynn loves to sing and plays an uncommon instrument... the ukulele. She was introduced by her parents to skating and ice hockey and now enjoys participating in it with her young brother, Sam.

An avid camper, Brynn was recognized for her kindness and empathy and in fact, in honor of her Bat mitzvah, she has chosen a project very dear to her heart. She is raising funds for The Israel Sports Center for the Disabled, an organization that provides the disabled with opportunities to engage in their favorite sports activities.

Brynn's Jewish education includes attending The Brandeis School from Nursery to 5th grade where her favorite subject was Hebrew language. She loves celebrating all the chagim together with her maternal/paternal grandparents and her aunts and uncles.

With her wonderful musical abilities and great proficiency in Hebrew, we know that Brynn will chant the Haftorah portion to perfection at Maariv services and engage us with a beautiful Dvar Torah. We extend a Mazal Tov to her, her parents and siblings, Mia, age 20 and Sam, age 6 and to the entire extended family.

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ELAINE AND BRIAN RAPPAPORT

on the Bat Mitzvah of their granddaughter, Jordana Kahn

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on the bat mitzvah of their daughter, granddaughter Brynn Goldberg

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on the bar mitzvah of their grandson, Max Herman

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on the marriage of their son, Brian to Jasmine Cloven

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on their 50th Wedding Anniversary

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Woodmere Sisterhood would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to the entire CSOI community for your generous and thoughtful donations to the Friends of Disabled Veterans-Beit Halochem Campaign. FIDV-Beit Halochem (House of the Warriors) is committed to caring for Israeli servicemen and women disabled in the line of duty as well as victims of terror attacks. Beit Halochem centers provide therapeutic treatments, sports and recreational facilities, cultural and educational programs, scholarship support, and family-oriented activities to help them resume lives of purpose and dignity.

December was a busy and exciting month of programs brought to you by Woodmere Sisterhood. We greatly appreciate your participation and rave reviews as we presented: "Is Man of La Mancha More Jewish Than Fiddler on the Roof?" by Ron Goldman and "The Presentation by Talia Carner," award-winning author of *The Third Daughter* and other novels.

The excitement continues. On January 6 at 8pm, all CSOI members will be invited to a ZOOM ZUMBA CLASS with Andrea Wool. Andrea is an AFAA certified and licensed Personal Trainer, an AFAA certified group trainer, and a certified Zumba Gold instructor. We can look forward to an easy-to-follow health-boosting dance fitness session that is designed for baby boomers as well as beginners. Build your muscle strength, increase bone density, and improve your mobility, posture, and coordination with Andrea and Sisterhood!

Purim 2022 (5782) will begin the evening of Wednesday, March 16. Due to Covid-19, Sisterhood has again chosen to celebrate the spirit of Purim this year by sending a card in lieu of a basket. We have designed a PURIM GREETING CARD which we will send -- for you-- to your designated CSOI family and friends. The money that is raised from this project will help fund Sisterhood programs, Hebrew school faculty, and Synagogue infrastructure. Sisterhood will also donate a portion of the proceeds to FIDV-Beit Halochem. Watch your mail for details.

Our December Book Club reviewed *Hamnet* by Maggie O'Farrell. Our discussion brought to life this exceptional historical novel and best-selling winner of the Women's Prize for Fiction. Our next book to be reviewed will be *Beautiful Country* by Qian Julia Wang on a date to be determined.

The next Elayne Cheslow Flores Lunch and Learn Zoom session will take place on Wednesday, January 22. Watch your email for log-in details.

Wishing you a Happy Tu B'Shevat!
PB and J

Refuah Sheleima

A very speedy recovery to:

STEPHEN KRONICK

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Nachamu Nachamu

The Congregation and Board of Trustees offer their heartfelt condolences to the bereaved families of our members:

YEVGENYA GOLOBORODKO

Beloved mother of Alina Lubarsky

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Fern and Barry Boyarsky for the Yahrzeit
of her brother, Paul Malamud.

Stephen Anchin for the Yahrzeit of his
mother, Ida Anita Anchin.

Lee Schlusel for the Yahrzeit of his
mother, Helen Schlusel.

Rosalie Moskowitz for the Yahrzeit of her
mother, Ruth Krieger.

Rosalie Moskowitz for the Yahrzeit of her
in-laws, Dora and Harry Moskowitz.

Carol King and Barbara Solomon for
the Yahrzeit of their grandmother, Rose
Cooper.

Phyllis and Howard Brenner for the
speedy recovery of Bert Kreda.

TODAH RABBAH!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Harriet Gefen and the Sisterhood for helping prepare the enjoyable Kiddish held in honor of those couples who celebrate their anniversary in December. Harriet made sure that we had a wide variety of wraps, salads, donuts, fruit and beverages which were displayed beautifully and delicious to eat. The Sisterhood baked a batch of delicious cookies and helped with the cost of the event.

The efforts of the four couples who helped sponsor the event -The Buchsbaums, The Ginsbergs, The Gordons, and the Lyons found this a wonderful way to celebrate the occasion with friends. We hope that this will be the start of a tradition that on Birthday and Anniversary Shabbatot individual or couple with help support the Kiddish.

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100!

In 2028 Congregation Sons of Israel will turn 100 years old. Since that date is about 6 years from now, we have time to plan for the occasion. I have undertaken the task of preparing a publication about the history of the synagogue and its congregants. To make this a success I am looking for volunteers to help do the needed research and writing. If you are interested in being part of this team please contact me at profsbl@aol.com or call at 516-569-5382. In addition if you have any documents related to our history I would appreciate copies.

Thank you for your help

Stew Lyons