

Parashat Devarim



Candlelighting

Light Candles

Friday night 7:12 PM

Havdalah 8:06 PM

Dear Chevre,

Please join me for services this Shabbat morning.

As usual, we will meet at the JCC and on Zoom, at 10 AM.

With Devarim, we begin the 5th Book of the Torah, which is the First of three sections of the Tanach; namely, Torah, Neviim, and Ketuvim (Torah, Prophets, and Writings).

Tradition says that Moshe himself wrote a large section of the Book of Devarim.

In particular, there is an important verse in which Moshe admonishes the people with the following words: "You shall hear the small and the great alike!"

Our sages have interpreted "the small" as the poor and "the great" as



Shomrei Torah wishes Yom Huledet Sameach to the following August birthdays:

Aug. 4- Norwin Landay

Aug. 6- Daniella Kaplan

Aug. 15- Morgan Dietrich

Aug. 29- Noah Weisman

Happy Anniversary to the following couples:

Aug. 9- Hazzan Bernard & Francine Savitz

the wealthy.

Often, "little people" are not as insignificant as they seem -- and the "great" are not as important as they first appear.

In the Hebrew text, "small" and "great" are preceded by the prefix Kaph (as if).

Surface appearances are often deceptive.

Seemingly important persons may turn out to be insignificant, and apparently unimportant persons may, in fact, be the nobility of the human race!

B'shalom,

Hazzan Savitz



August social event:

Make Your Own Pizza

Sunday, August 24th, 4 PM

More details forthcoming.



Replenish the Kiddish!

Aug. 18- Marty & Betty

Rosenstein

Aug. 23- Howard & Lynn Ruben

Aug. 31- Steve & Lisa Weissman

Please join us this week for our special celebration shabbat!



Tisha B'Av Services

Saturday, August 2nd, 9 PM

Zoom only!

ID: 885 5741 2922

Passcode: 046602

Please bring plastic ware, dessert, bottled water, paper products, or anything wrapped and kosher. It is so appreciated!



Please join us this week at the JCC for Shabbat services.

Zoom Links:

ID: 882 1362 8481

Passcode: 769791



SPOTLIGHT on our Board Members

A few interesting facts about Norwin:

1. Born in Pittsburgh, PA
2. Favorite food- Middle Eastern, especially baba ghanoush
3. Favorites places to visit- Croatia & Israel
4. Favorite music- All Greek dance music, especially Zeibekiko
5. Most people don't know- I was at a Greek restaurant in Boston with Charlotte (OBM) and her cousin Janet. I got up to dance, Janet got up, pointed towards me and shouted, "Zorba the Jew." So, my license plate, email and other identities know me as ZtheJ!

We thank Norwin for sharing about himself.



Av Yahrzeits

9 Av- Morris Weissman

15 Av- Asneth Horowitz

19 Av- Lewis Stone

19 Av- Bertram Solomon

30 Av- Myer Greenfield

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Before we know it, we will be davening together for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. We are always in need of volunteers. If you would like to set-up the hotel room, usher, participate in services, donate financially towards the flowers, please email shomreitorah18@gmail.com with

your name, email address, and how you would like to participate. It's your synagogue. Add your touch! Join us!!

Joke of the Week

I'm getting totally fed up with people whining about the price of things - \$2.50 for iced tea, \$3.50 for coffee, \$4 for a slice of cake, \$5 to park the car. Any more complaining and I'm going to stop inviting people over.





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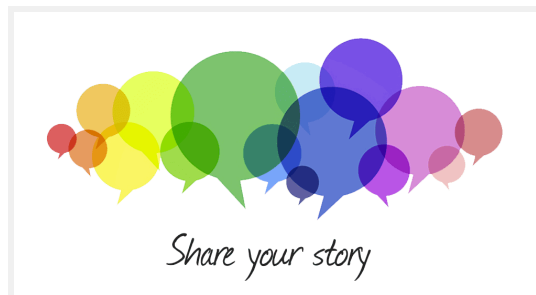


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If you had a special event or celebration to share with the shul, send an email (possibly with a picture) to grweisman@gmail.com.



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Here is a link to Hazzan Savitz's songs on Dropbox:

Savitz Songs

These selections encompass nearly a half-century of the Hazzan's career, including Cantorial masterpieces, Broadway showstoppers, Operatic and Neopolitan gems, Chassidic and Israeli folk and art songs, exciting Popular and rock and roll hits, hysterical parodies (many original), and Yiddish Theater favorites!

Hazzan Savitz has 14 new selections on his audiolink. These are all from his 1994 live concert, with astonishing vocal and ambient sound. You will feel right there, close up to the performers and orchestra, despite the huge crowd of 1,500 people! You have never heard the Cantor sound like this. This concert features opera, Broadway musical showstoppers from Phantom, Aspects of Love, and Joseph, as well as Chazzanut, jazz, comedy, and other great performers!

To find these new songs from the Cantor's 1994 concert, click on the second box. Please note, the first box in the regular audiolink is a compilation of many different songs and prayers from the Hazzan's repertoire covering 40 years.

Donor cards can be sent for **every and any occasion (Birthdays, Anniversaries, etc.)** at a minimum cost of \$5.00. You can call **Francine Savitz** with all the information at 602-320-4259 or e-mail her at benyamin4@cox.net. Send payment to **Diana Nashban, 9341 N 87th Way, Scottsdale, 85258.**

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"Each one helps the other and says to his brother, 'Be strong!'"
- Isaiah 41:6

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