

Parashat Bamidbar



Candlelighting

Light Candles

Friday night 7:16 PM

Havdalah 8:14 PM

Dear Chevre,

Please join me for Shabbat services this Saturday morning.

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

This Shabbat is sedra BAMIDBAR, the first parshiyot of the fourth Book of the Torah, the Book of Numbers.

In this sedra, we are apprised of the encampments and wanderings of our ancestors, as they travelled their long trek in the wilderness, the midbar.

Various group were also counted sometimes more than once, in order to be prepared for war and/or other emergencies.

These accountings over and over again is strongly suggestive of Hashem's Divine plan to create and train thousands of qualified Jewish accountants and CPAs!



Shavuot Services

Services will be Zoom only!

1st day Shavuot: Monday, June 2nd, start time 11AM

2nd day Shavuot and Yizkor: Tuesday, June 3rd, start 11 AM; Yizkor approximately 11:45 AM

Zoom links:

ID: 830 5127 0320

Passcode: 567099

It is interesting to note that the **LEVITES** were counted at the age of one month and older, whereas the other people were to be counted only if they were at least twenty years old!

Why?

In one sense, today **EVERY JEW** is both an Israelite and a Levite.

We pride ourselves in the **NOBLESSE OBLIGE** of a glorious past.

And yet, our own efforts and accomplishments must **PROVE** us worthy to be counted as real Jews.

EVERY JEW COUNTS!

Would that all of us could be counted on.

Lehavdil, I want to wish you all, a Chag Sameiach, a very "cheesy" Festival of **SHAVUOT**.

Shavuot is when our ancestors accepted the Torah from Hashem, 3400 years ago!

Even though we will be on Zoom for Shavuot, (starting at 11 AM) -- we will read the Ten Commandments the first day, and the Book of Ruth, with Yizkor, the second day.

Yizkor will be at approximately 11:45 AM.

May our hearing and obeying the Ten Commandments make us zocheh(worthy), to herald the Moshiach, speedily and in our day.

KEIN YEHI RATZON!

Hazzan Savitz



Replenish the Kiddish!

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



SPOTLIGHT on our Treasurer

Here are some interesting tidbits about our dear Diana:

1. Born in Philadelphia, PA
2. Favorite food is coffee ice cream and favorite liquid is black coffee
3. Proud cat mom of Olivia
4. Walks 4 miles every day and work out 3 times a week
5. Love learning anything Jewish!

We thank Diana for sharing about herself.



Mark your calendar for the June social event:

Sunday, June 22, 10:30 AM

Bagels and Bialys

2 PM Dolly Steamboat

Watch for more information.



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

Zoom Links:

ID: 846 8578 3616

Passcode: 585085



Sivan Yahrzeits

- 1 Sivan- Anita Burgis**
- 3 Sivan- Gertha Lancet**
- 4 Sivan- Burt Nashban**
- 7 Sivan- Rose Berger**
- 7 Sivan- Myron Braunstein**
- 8 Sivan- Beverly Slatin**
- 9 Sivan- Rabbi David Rebibo**
- 12 Sivan- Eddie Berman**
- 19 Sivan- Morton Gillman**
- 20 Sivan- Blanche Zadanoff**
- 22 Sivan- Dr. Hershel Sandberg**
- 25 Sivan- Sadie Penn**
- 26 Sivan- Machla Karasick**
- 30 Sivan- Dr. Avery Sandberg**

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Joke of the Week

Dogs aren't the only animal you can train. I had a goldfish that could breakdance on the carpet...but only for like 20 seconds



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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

look!!! Thank you, Marty Rosenstein, for all your diligence and patience in compiling all the added attractions to our new website!

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

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.

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