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A Family of Families

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FAMILY FUN DAY
AT BENBROOK STABLES
CONGREGATION AHAVATH SHOLOM
MEMBERSHIP EVENT

SEPTEMBER 15, 2019
1:00PM - 4:00PM
FREE EVENT

KOSHER LUNCH, HORSEBACK RIDING, PETTING ZOO, GAMES,
BOUNCE HOUSE, HAY RIDES, LINE DANCING, PICTURES +MORE

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Rosh Hashana September 29

Don't forget to wish
your friends a
Happy, Healthy Sweet
New Year!

Congregation Ahavath Sholom
Ladies Auxiliary Honey Fundraiser
is back again!

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CAS Fundraiser for the High Holy Days

Buy beautiful Round
Challot, moist Honey
Cakes, and other
desserts for a sweet
year!



Round challot are back by popular demand!
We will also be selling an assortment of
desserts, including honey cake, apple cake,
rugelach, ginger cookies, cheesecake, and
flourless chocolate cake. Don't forget to order for both Rosh Hashanah and
Yom Kippur!

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FROM OUR RABBI



The question of an individual's Jewish identity, and the importance of guarding our identity is essential to

the Jewish People's future. A Midrash from Genesis Rabbah, on this very subject asks the question of why is Abraham called a "Hebrew" (Genesis 14:13).

The Midrash notes, that the root of ivri, the word for Hebrew, can mean either Hebrew, or side, as in the side of a river (Genesis Rabbah 42:8). Based on that interpretation, the Midrash states, "Abraham was on one side of the river, and the rest of the world was on the other."

Being on one side of the river, when the rest of our society is on the other (without actually cutting ourselves off from the other side) can actually be the very essence of Jewish survival. After more than a century of fighting our way, into the center of society, the next big question that looms ahead for American Jews is whether we will have the courage at times to proudly stand up for our own identity, no matter what side of the river this might place us on.

I believe that the path we should follow is one where we celebrate who we are, and not shy away from proudly identifying ourselves with the Jewish community. The Torah teaches us to be, "a light among the nations" (Isaiah 49:6). To accomplish this we need to be proud of our religion, our history, our heritage, our beliefs and our individuality. One of the things that truly is a foundational piece of our identity is prayer in general and the Shema more specifically.

The Shema, which we pray both in the morning and the evening, is one of the most well-known religious and liturgical prayers in Judaism. The Shema was recited publicly after the Decalogue in the Temple service, and by the first century C.E. the three paragraphs (Deut. 6: 4-9, Deut. 11: 13-21, Num. 15:39) that formulate the I itself became the centerpiece of Jewish prayer alongside of the Amidah.

The very first paragraph of the Shema alone can be interpreted on four different levels.

1. "...The Lord is One"- speaks about the unity of God and Judaism's belief in monotheism.
2. "And you shall love..."- speaks to us on an emotional (love) level.
3. "And you shall teach them..."- speaks to ones intellect.
4. "And you shall bind them..."- speaks to the ritual side of Judaism.

As we can see the Shema speaks to our emotions and intellect, while at the same time being both covenantal and cultural within the lives of the Jewish people. This prayer is truly a multi-faceted and deeply rich prayer, and one of the paths through which Jews throughout the ages have always connected to Adonai.

Rabbi Max Arzt Z"L, former Vice Chancellor of the Jewish Theological Seminary, once wrote, that "only when all four of these aspects come together in one's life can he/she truly embrace Judaism in general and God in specific" (Max Arzt, Justice and Mercy, New York: The Burning Bush Press, 1963. pg.69-70).

In this light we can understand that learning to pray takes many different forms and needs to be addressed on many different levels. However, the main component of spiritual growth is in fact, the opportunity to discover multiple paths towards finding meaning in our daily prayer lives.

I hope that this realization, and the knowledge of the different levels of meaning within the Shema, will help us all deepen our identity so that we will survive and thrive as individuals and as a community both in the present and into the future.

B'shalom and Friendship,

Rabbi Andrew Bloom

***On a personal note, I would like to welcome Hazzan Weber, Andrea, Sam and Ben to our "family of families" and wish them all much health, happiness and success here at CAS and in Fort Worth. We feel blessed to have y'all with us.

FROM OUR HAZZAN



This season is a time of change and renewal for both Congregation Ahavath Sholom and my own family. As the new school year begins and the High Holidays approach, we evaluate the past and look forward to the opportunities a new year brings with it. My wife, Andrea, and our sons, Sam and Ben, are overjoyed to be joining this historic congregation and

welcoming community. Negotiating new situations can be both challenging and exciting. From my first days as a student at the Jewish Theological Seminary, I have felt strongly about the motto, "Tradition and Change". It is possible to keep what has been and even revitalize it, while making additions and changes as the needs of a community need to be continually met. If you haven't yet had the opportunity to join us on a Friday night for a service, one of the new things you will notice for some parts of the service is the use of a twelve-string guitar and some contemporary tunes. This may be a new addition here at Congregation Ahavath Sholom; however, the use of choirs had been a long-standing fixture as part of worship and community. At the Beit HaMikdash, The Temple in Jerusalem, there originally were instruments and a mixed choir which were included in the worship services. We have begun rehearsals with our newly revitalized congregational choir which you will have the good fortune to hear during the upcoming High Holidays services. We will be singing during some other services as well as other venues throughout the year.

Another implementation of the "Tradition and Change" principal is happening with our Torah and Haftarah reading program. While clearly, we are not changing the readings, we have already started a new process of your being able to look into readings for any time in the future and "signing up" for them. I have begun a system which will allow people who have let me know that they wish to be involved in chanting will be able to see what the readings are online and inform me which ones they wish to chant during our services. I encourage all who are interested in chanting Torah, Haftarah, and Megillah to please contact me at hazzan.weber@ahavathsholom.org. My hope is for all interested members to be able to participate in this wonderful mitzvah as often as possible. If you are not experienced and would like to learn, please contact either the office (817-731-4721) or me directly and I will be happy to give you the guidance you need.

As my family and I continue to become more integrated into the Ahavath Sholom family, we look forward to meeting you and getting to know you. May we all have a year of happiness and growth in our lives in every way.

Hazzan Jeffrey Weber

FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



For some reason, as the High Holy Days approach, I find myself becoming nostalgic. Having moved a number of times, I am acutely aware of the changes in synagogue life, the variations of the service and the changes in synagogue culture. In some cases, the names of the players may change, but the actions and the roles that some play, remain the same. I have also found myself

thinking of more youthful times, the carefree days and family visits when I was in High School, and the social interaction of my peers occurring during the services and what we considered the Yizkor break. Some of those memories are quite vivid, while others are really murky, and some, I would love to forget all together; the foibles of youth. Of course, the friendships that were made then, were friendships that were cast in stone. Too many of my friends have passed on. Yet, surprisingly, there are three that I am still in touch with, and we do actually speak to each other. Yes, there are the Facebook friends and the few that pop up every so often on classmates.com. To remain in touch with college friends and those friends made over the years, help keep things in life rooted. Judaism has strong roots; many are passed down from generation to generation, others are the traditions and customs that we have elected to follow. I am extremely aware that my brothers have chosen to be more rooted than I in our customs, traditions and in levels of observance. How interesting, three boys from the same home, with different levels of observance. Our parents, and grandparents all seemed to vary in interpretation of observance, yet we all considered ourselves as Jews.

There was a period of time when we were told not to make waves, not to draw attention to ourselves and our heritage. It was ok when we were not permitted into a specific country club, we would form our own. The same for college fraternities. In the recent past, many of those fraternities that excluded us, now want us as members. Today however, we cannot be silent. There are too many instances of Anti-Semitism occurring. I am now receiving daily notices of multiple occurrences when just a few months ago, these notifications were infrequent. We seem to be one group that is easy to attack. That and for other concerns, we are much more aware of security. We lock our doors, monitor some visitors and have armed officers when we have services. Our congregation is not alone, security of members has become a priority in many synagogues across the country as a result of specific incidents and to be proactive. It is important that we welcome our guests, but with some caution.

As we enter this time of year, Pat and I wish you a sweet and healthy year, Shannah Tovah. And if there was something I said, or did, or did not do, I humbly ask for your forgiveness.

May this year be especially sweet.
Michael Linn

PRESIDENT'S DESK

Shalom. September is here with the High Holy Days and the promise of lower electricity bills, cooler weather and more rain. My trees and shrubs will be very happy. The pace of activities has quickened at CAS and there is lots to report concerning recent and upcoming events.

- ◆ In **August**, we hosted a wonderful welcoming weekend for Hazzan and Andrea Weber. It is lovely to have a full time cantor in place. If you have not been to religious services for awhile, you are in for a treat. Come join us.
- ◆ Preparations for the **Learning and Engagement Center (LEC) 2019-2020 year** are in full swing. We had a very successful open house on August 25th. It was great to see the synagogue full of children and adults. Rivka, Rebecca, our great teachers and the Education Committee have planned an exciting curriculum. Please join us for the opening day breakfast on **Sunday, September 8th at 9:30 am**.
- ◆ On **Sunday, September 15th, 1:00 – 4:00 pm**, join us at **Benbrook Stables** for a free Family Fun Membership Day. Zoe Stein Pierce and Jay Martin have planned an amazing afternoon filled with activities designed for both adults and children. I have visited the venue and it is very impressive. Expect to see trail rides (adults and teens), pony rides (children), lawn games, music, a photo booth, food, refreshments and smiles. The venue offers shade from the sun, an air conditioned room to escape the heat, indoor bathrooms, tables and chairs. **Please bring your families and invite potential new members.**
- ◆ Also in **September**, we will announce a date for a **Special Congregational Meeting** designed to approve important By-Law changes. The By-Laws Committee has worked very hard to re-design our rules to allow for more efficient operations.
- ◆ On **Sunday, October 6th**, please help us build the succah and look for many fun outdoor events under the stars. You can also expect to see a schedule for our new film series.

I am thrilled to see the increase in committee activity that has occurred in the last few months. New faces and veterans are participating in our 19 (plus) Committees including the Kitchen, Ritual, Budget and Finance, Education, Membership, Film and Endowment Committees as well as the Men's Club and Ladies' Auxiliary. Jumping into a committee is a great way to meet new people and contribute to the success of CAS.

What can you do to help CAS be successful? The simple action of inviting a friend or family to a CAS function would help enormously. Inviting a non-member, or a congregant who infrequently enters the building, could have a significant impact on our long-term success.

As always, your ideas and questions are welcome. Let me hear from you.

Sincerely,

Jerry Stein, CAS President
817-292-6963

SECURITY ANNOUNCEMENT

If you have ever flown on a plane, you are aware and accustomed to the announcement on how to use a seat belt, the emergency oxygen and the location of all the exits.

Safety and security within CAS are everyone's responsibility. Should there be a need to evacuate the building, please immediately follow the direction of Police, Rabbi, Executive Director or Board President.

If these individuals direct you to evacuate the building, please immediately follow the directions. Offer to assist others, but if they are not leaving, do not hesitate to exit yourself and do not worry about personal items.

We have established a **Rally Point**, the parking lot of the library if you can do so safely. If not, head south to the First Command building. First responders will verify who is at the Rally Point and if you are not there, it will be assumed that you are still in the building.

Take a moment and visualize the **exits**: There is an emergency exit in the glass wall of the chapel; there are exits near the sanctuary, and the school, and there is an exit at the south end of the building within the school wing. In addition, there are two exits (east and west) near the kitchen, and an exit from the Zale that leads to the area close to the flag pole.

FIRE: If there is a fire, the alarm will sound and signal lights will flash. There is a fire alarm pull station at the exit doors, and fire extinguishers located throughout the building. There are staff and members that are aware of the various emergency buttons.

Medical: There is an oxygen tank in the foyer, next to the entrance to the hall leading to the bimah. An AED is located opposite the synagogue office and a first aid kit is located in the area of the copy machine. Wheelchairs are located next to the kitchen in the Northeast part of the building.

POWER FAILURE: There is emergency lighting throughout the building that will turn on when there is a power failure.

OTHER EMERGENCY: Staff and some members are aware of the location of various emergency buttons throughout the building. Should there be a need to utilize this system, or to protect from severe weather, you will be given specific directions to either shelter in place (Run-Hide-Fight) or to evacuate the building. Should evacuation be necessary, remember the Rally Point.

CAS HIGH HOLY DAYS

HIGH HOLY DAYS 5779/5780

Selichot

Saturday, September 21
Service 8:30 pm

Erev Rosh Hashanah

Sunday, September 29
Service 6:00 pm

1st Day Rosh Hashanah

Monday, September 30
Service 8:30 am
Tashlich 4:30 pm
Mincha/Maariv 6:00 pm

2nd Day Rosh Hashanah

Tuesday, October 1
Service 8:30 am
Mincha/Maariv 6:00 pm

Kever Avot

Sunday, October 6
CAS Cemetery
Service 11:00 am

Kol Nidre

Tuesday, October 8
Service 7:00 pm

Yom Kippur

Wednesday, October 9
With Yizkor Service 8:30 am
Additional Yizkor Service 5:30 pm
Mincha/Neila 6:00 pm
Sounding of Shofar 8:00 pm

There is no charge for tickets this year; however, donations are appreciated. Please contact the office by phone (817-731-4721) or email (info@ahavathsholom.org) if you need guest tickets.

High Holy Day Honors

The High Holy Days for 2019 (5779) are rapidly approaching and require a great deal of preparation and coordination. If you would like to have a High Holy Day Honor during Rosh Hashanah or Yom Kippur please contact the Ritual Committee Co-Chairs Ben Herman (benh@comarkdirect.com) or Dr. Harold Malofsky (footman@flash.net) or the CAS Office (info@ahavathsholom.org).

If you have any special needs regarding the Honor, please contact either Ritual Committee Co-Chair Ben Herman (benh@comarkdirect.com) or Dr. Harold Malofsky (footman@flash.net).

Although it is not required, any monetary contribution or volunteer service you would like to perform for the synagogue would be appreciated.

B'Shalom,
Congregation Ahavath Sholom Ritual Committee

HIGH HOLY DAY RESERVED SEATS

If you are interested in reserving a seat for the High Holy Days, the donation is \$100 per seat.

Should you wish to reserve a seat please call the office 817-731-4721 or email


info@ahavathsholom.org and let us know. Seats that you may have had last year may not be available this year, so please call early.

CAS HIGH HOLY DAYS

HIGH HOLY DAY PARKING INFORMATION

As a result of the school construction, parking in the CAS parking lot will be limited. We have increased the number of 'handicapped' parking spaces, however, if you are not here early, there is a probability that you will not find a place to park. To alleviate that situation, we will have shuttle service available. Overflow parking will be permitted in the west section of the Doxology Bible Church parking lot (see map). The shuttle service will run almost continuously and provide service to and from the parking lot and CAS. We will be providing shuttle service the first day of Rosh Hashanah, Kol Nidre and Yom Kippur. Parking on the street is also permitted.





Rabbi Bloom
Adult Education Classes
Tuesdays

Classes Begin Tuesday, September 17th

For Women Only—10:30 AM

Adult Education Class—6:30 PM

“Foundations and Stability of Judaism in an ever shifting world.”

CAS Water Drive Update

The temperatures are rising, the sun is sweltering and many are in need of water. It is an honor to serve as the Rabbi of CAS and I am gratified by our congregation’s giving heart and donation of over 10,000 bottles of water (as seen in these pictures) to those in need. It is a true Mitzvah and fulfillment of the teachings of the Prophet Isaiah.

“They will neither hunger nor thirst, nor will the desert heat or the sun beat down on them. He who has compassion on them will guide them and lead them beside springs of water.” (Isaiah 49:10)



We have concluded collecting water. Thank you to everyone who supported helping the homeless.

B'Shalom and Friendship,

Rabbi Andrew Bloom




“Every Voice”- “כל קול”
It's never too late to join us.

Every voice makes a difference. Let's lift up our voices together in song. Please join me in the Chapel for our rehearsal of our “Kol Sholom” choir. I look forward to this great new beginning.

Every Wednesday
6:30-7:15pm

B'Shalom,
 Hazzan Jeffrey Weber



Classes Begin

CAS Learning & Engagement Center

Congregation Ahavath Sholom

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

ACCEPTING STUDENTS
AGES 2-102

You Can't Miss This!

Let's make memories!

Rabbi Bloom
 LEC Faculty

Sing with our new
 Hazzan Weber

CAS LE&C
 4050 South Hulen
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CAS FUNDRAISERS AND SPECIAL EVENTS

Rosh Hashana September 29

Don't forget to wish
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Happy, Healthy Sweet
New Year!

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Ladies Auxiliary Honey Fundraiser
is back again!

A jar of kosher honey arrives in time
for the high holidays, decorated with a
festive personalized card reading
L'Shana Tova!

Order your honey by
SEPTEMBER 22
to ensure your delivery
by the holidays.

Your cost is just \$18 per jar
which includes free delivery
or shipping within the US.
(we will gladly mail orders outside the
United States for an additional fee)

To order your honey:

- go to www.ahavathsholom.org &
click on the honey link **OR**
- contact Linda Lavi at 817.368.5376 **OR**
- email giftshop@ahavathsholom.org **OR**
- fill out attached order form & leave it with
your payment in the shul office

All orders must be PREPAID

Last shipment /delivery date is: September 22!

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All items will be baked in the CAS kosher kitchens; all items except cheesecake will be
baked meat-pareve unless otherwise requested. Each purchase will come sealed and
labeled as kosher meat-pareve or kosher dairy (as appropriate), **perfect for your
house or to bring as a hostess gift.**



Orders must be turned in no later than
September 20, 2019 to the CAS office. Orders
may be picked up from the shul office on Friday
morning, September 27. If you would like an
earlier pick up, need an order shipped, or have
any other questions or requests, please contact
Liz at ejschesser@yahoo.com.



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“Gone 2 Texas” Exhibit Extended thru May 2020

by Hollace Weiner

The eye-catching exhibit in the corridor, filled with African sculptures and Russian keepsakes, has been extended through the end of May 2020. The family of the late-Bernard Zilberg, (shown in the picture on the right) who donated Zulu walking sticks and heirloom copper pots to the displays, has requested that his memorabilia and those of other immigrants remain on exhibit until Dr. Zilberg's unveiling in May.



Titled “Gone 2 Texas,” the exhibit intertwines the histories of Jewish migration from South Africa and the Soviet Union from the 1970s to the 1990s.



New to the exhibit is South African currency engraved with images of lions, water buffalo, and hippos. Also added is a set of vintage Russian nesting dolls that children in the Religious School may handle. In one of the locked display cases there is now a comical set of matryoshka dolls with likenesses of Bill and Hillary Clinton, Monica Lewinsky, Gennifer Flowers, and a saxophone.

The exhibit was organized by the Fort Worth Jewish Archives. It includes African textiles, Zulu jewelry, and wood carvings on loan from Anita Davidson; also a Soviet samovar from Alex and Sophia Nason; and a Gzhel teapot from Claudia Boksiner.



—GONE 2 TEXAS—
2 WAVES OF IMMIGRATION
SOUTH AFRICAN & SOVIET



Don't be a bystander. You can make a difference!

STOP THE BLEED
Tuesday, September 10
6:30 PM
CAS Library

Stop the Bleed is a nationwide campaign aimed at providing the tools and knowledge needed to stop life-threatening bleeding in an emergency.

This course is designed for the general public, with a focus on controlling bleeding. In the wake of a traumatic event, uncontrolled bleeding can lead to death in five minutes or less. Simple bleeding-control techniques are easy to learn and can effectively slow blood loss and save lives. Bystanders with little or no medical training can become lifesavers. Anyone can save a life when minutes count.

To RSVP please contact the CAS office
817-731-4721 or info@ahavathsholom.org

Join us for a special celebration at the
2019 Jewish Person of the Year

as our Isadore Garsek Lodge of B'nai B'rith TURNS 143!

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2019

6:30 - 9:00 PM

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Please send your Nomination for Jewish Person of the Year to:
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Gone, But Not Forgotten

Dear Community,

We are in the process of finishing the writing portion of the third volume of They Were Soldiers in Peace and War. One section is called, "Gone, but not forgotten." These are men and women who passed away and were not covered in our previous books (see list below).

We are having a hard time finding the following information: what branch or where they served, the years or era, their rank, what their job was or what their units did. We ask your assistance in this matter. Any information would be helpful. Even a couple of lines would aid us in recording these histories. Once you email us, we can call you for additional information, if you wish.

Gone, but not forgotten:

Jon Davidson	David Bernstein
A.J. Cooles	Marc Cristol
Jules Goldstein	Norman Sonkin
Dorie Goldstein	Manny Rosenthal
Jimmy Wisch	Jack Lichtman
David Stenzler	Lewis Luskey
Martin Hochster	Al Oberstein
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David Rubin	Dr. Earl Scharf
Sam Moss	Dr. Lenord White
Dr. Harold Cohen	Gary Luskey
Robert Lindell	Nathaniel Cohen
Norton Goone	Sam Melluger
Nat Cohen	Mark Rackoover
Joe Znnick	Max Weiner
James Rosenthal	Sid Fliesher
Sam Blinderman	Alvin Koplin

Thank you in advance for your help.

Please email information to:

Dr. Julian Haber: julianhaber@aol.com

Ron Sivernell: rsivernell@charter.net

Dr. Mike Bumagin: myrabumagin@sbcglobal.net



Etrog and Lulov Sets

Erev Sukkot will begin on Sunday, October 13th. It's not too early to order your Etrog and Lulov Sets!

Regular \$40 Prime \$45 Deluxe \$47

Please call the office 817-731-4721 to place your order to-day.

JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES SENIOR PROGRAM

**FREE Coffee! FREE Games!
FREE Exercise Classes!
FREE Monthly Chair Massage!**

Dairy Lunch Served Everyday

Are You Over 60 Years Of Age?

**Come And Join Us At The
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**10:00 Am-1:00 Pm Monday - Friday
At Beth-El Congregation**

**For More Information
Call Hedy At 817-296-3709**

**DALLAS
HOLOCAUST AND
HUMAN RIGHTS
MUSEUM**

NEW VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES!

Join the volunteer team for the new Dallas Holocaust and Human Rights Museum



OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDE:

Visitor Guide
Classroom Volunteer
Gallery Docent
Dimensions in Testimony Facilitator
and more!

Contact Annie Black, Director of Programs & Volunteers, at
ablack@dallasholocaustmuseum.org for more information.

**THE DALLAS HOLOCAUST AND HUMAN RIGHTS MUSEUM
OPENS TO THE PUBLIC ON SEPTEMBER 18, 2019**

Read2Win . . .

Volunteer to Help a child succeed!

If you would like to be part of a program that makes a difference—this is it! Help Westcliff Elementary students learn to read. Please contact Rabbi Andrew Bloom at 817-731-4721 to volunteer. Thank you!



Jewish Heritage Tour of Poland and Prague

JOIN RABBI ANDREW BLOOM

As we explore our Jewish Heritage

Jewish history in Europe neither begins nor ends with the Holocaust. Together we will explore 1,000 years of Jewish History. We'll confront the horrors of the past, experience the nascent Jewish renewal of the present and discuss the challenges that face a Jewish future in Europe.

June 9-17th, 2020

Sign up online: <https://secure.ayelet.com/BloomEE2020.aspx>

Ayelet Tours, Ltd.

1-800-237-1517

This trip is open to all and the only requirement is a willingness to experience the range of emotions that such a trip has in store for us.

FOR WOMEN ONLY

Interested in dressing up in the robes of a Biblical matriarch then earning \$40 while an artist paints your portrait? The author and illustrator of a 7-volume series called "Women of the Word" are looking for females of Jewish heritage to model for the pages of their forthcoming books. Each chapter will open with a color portrait of a feminine figure from the Bible.

Protagonists will range from Sarah, Rebecca, Zipporah, and Zelophedad's daughters to Bathsheba, Delilah, and Jezebel. Also on the list are Lot's wife and the proverbial Woman of Valor. Figures from the New Testament will include Mary Magdalene, Martha, Dorcas, Salome, and Claudia, who advised her husband, Pilate, to steer clear of Jesus.

The books' illustrator, artist Judy Crowe, has a studio in Bluffdale, 15 miles south of Granbury. She will reimburse models an extra \$10 for gas. She and her collaborator, author Dr. Nancy Dawson, are not Jewish and are writing for a predominantly Christian audience. They want models who have a Mediterranean look about them, rather than stereotypical Anglo-Saxon features. They seek Jewish women of all ages, from young brunettes to white-haired matriarchs.

If interested, contact artist Judy Crowe at Judyacrowe@gmail.com or writer Dr. Nancy Dawson at nsdawson@me.com.



Robin Tirsun
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Dr. Ronald Drasnin
Dr. Ronald Paul
Stocker
Robert Frank Anton
Nathan Daiches
Ignacio Smolarz
Charles Wade
Frances Guralnick
Sarah Bernstein Satt

Mon. Sept. 2 2 Elul

Ira Katzman
Leib Bockstein
Irving Israel Levin
Walter Nass
Genia Friedman
Cheryl Larson
Dora Lichtman

Tue. Sept. 3 3 Elul

Brook Isaac Battat
Abe Cohen
Louis Max Miller
Samuel Bernard Stone
Simon Apelblat
Jacob Bronstein
Jacob Kradelman
Sara Dubitsky Fagin
Mary Meltzer
Rebecca Alpert

Wed. Sept. 4 4 Elul

Sol Promer
Joseph Faigin
Oscar Kornhauser
Morris Marcus
Morris Reznikoff
Samuel Silverstein
Yetta Gilbert
Naomi Brod Burstein
Kate Garston
Dawn A. Gould
Bertha Schriber

Thu. Sept. 5 5 Elul

Charles Ivan Antweil
Joe Silver
Milton Tankelson
Leba Coopersmith
Mildred Miller

Fri. Sept. 6 6 Elul

Chayim Feldman
Norman Frankrich
Jake Aaron Hayman
William Lenes
Anna Faigin
Helen Rakooover

Sat. Sept. 7 7 Elul

Dr. Edward A.
Rosenberg
Sam Beleck
Joe Daiches
Don Gilbert
Dorothy Bearman
Elaine Grasso
Ilse Gutmann
Blanche Paul
Laura Rice
Osna Walen

Sun. Sept. 8 8 Elul

Philip Ellis
Sidney Klemow
I Harry Laves
Lowell Rosenthal
Hassida Manor
Hinda Weingarten

Mon. Sept. 9 9 Elul

Abe Goldstein
Milton Peisner
Sol Weinstein
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Sara Ginsburg
Marilyn Dworkin
Tobi Faye Kestenberg
Katie Nudleman Leff
Rose Silver
Rabbi David Massis

Tue. Sept. 10 10 Elul

Albert Marks
Samuel Aaron Lesser
Milton Rosenberg
Joseph H. Singer
Idelle Persky Hayman
Sarah Goldberg
Shanblum

Wed. Sept. 11 11 Elul

Jake Applebaum
Rose Schwartz
Annie Stein

Thu. Sept. 12 12 Elul

Hyman Hurwitz
Gerald Kanoff
Moris Silver
Bernard Drasnin
Elias Michan
Libby Goldberg
Florene Solomon Rafield
Belle Schuster

Fri. Sept. 13 13 Elul

Ben Bernstein
Harry Bloomberg
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Sat. Sept. 14 14 Elul

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Julius Neerman
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Lauraine Rhoda Lobel
Felice Sherwin

Sun. Sept. 15 15 Elul

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Isaac Barnett
Eva Smith

Mon. Sept. 16 16 Elul

Oswaldo S. Bleiweiss
Mike Bornstein
Sidney Dunn
Stephen Friedman
Esther Blinderman
Ada Marcus Edelman

Tue. Sept. 17 17 Elul

Jack Friedman
Reuben Abrams
Shalom Yaacobi
Eva Lewis
Anna Rebecca Goldstein

Wed. Sept. 18 18 Elul

Oscar Lavine
Charlie B. Owen
Sidney Jack Shelby
Rose Youngworth Sandler
Nettie Marcus

Thu. Sept. 19 19 Elul

Dr. Martin Pinsley
Sam Carshon
Joe Dworkin
Sam Berg
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Sara Rebecca Ellman
Gertrude Persky Laves

Fri. Sept. 20 20 Elul

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Sat. Sept. 21 21 Elul

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Sun. Sept. 22 22 Elul

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Louise Sepkowitz

Mon. Sept. 23 23 Elul

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Lola Bodzy Byers
Sonia Maree Hecht
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Tue. Sept. 24 24 Elul

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Ben Zodin
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Wed. Sept. 25 25 Elul

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Emma Beckerman
Florence Nachbar
Minnie Saltzberg
Hannah Wolstein

Thu. Sept. 26 26 Elul

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Jack Nass
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Sat. Sept. 28 28 Elul

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Sun. Sept. 29 29 Elul

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Birthdays

1-Sep	Bernice Sankary	13-Sep	Kal Silverberg	24-Sep	Sheila Stocker
1-Sep	Ken Sherwin	13-Sep	Paul Kessler	24-Sep	Dr. Nancy Kessler
3-Sep	Susan Ellis	13-Sep	Howard Cole	25-Sep	Rebekah Seiden
3-Sep	Laurie Roberts	15-Sep	James Owen	25-Sep	Linda Moses
5-Sep	Richard Kessler	16-Sep	Jack Rubin	25-Sep	Idelle Luskey
5-Sep	John Hayden	17-Sep	Sara Schuster	25-Sep	Diana Levin
6-Sep	Rebecca Whitman	17-Sep	Brett Paul	26-Sep	Marla Owen
6-Sep	Debra Solomon	18-Sep	Rosalyn Rosenthal	26-Sep	Virginia Barkman
7-Sep	Laurie Blum	19-Sep	Allen Hearne	27-Sep	Kathy Raffel
7-Sep	Aaron Cohen	19-Sep	Roni Kaikov	27-Sep	Isabel Oscherwitz
8-Sep	Jarrold Collins	20-Sep	Jenesse Collins	27-Sep	Michael Herman
10-Sep	Melissa Cohen	20-Sep	Hazzan Jeffrey Weber	28-Sep	Dr. Phillip Cohen
11-Sep	Joyce Rovinsky	21-Sep	Ashley Thomas	29-Sep	Harold Gernsbacher
11-Sep	Will Kutler	22-Sep	Diana Krompass	29-Sep	Dr. Jennifer Ratner
12-Sep	David Saul	23-Sep	Stephen Kaye	30-Sep	Penny Brister
13-Sep	Genevieve Michel				

Children's Birthdays

1-Sep	Charles Morris	12-Sep	Gabriel Jones	19-Sep	Luella Angert
6-Sep	Rod Brautbar	14-Sep	Grayson Mann	24-Sep	Jesse Morris
11-Sep	Elisha Evans	16-Sep	Edo Knitel	30-Sep	Daniel Greytak

Wedding Anniversaries

		Years			Years
1-Sep	Dr. Allen and Elaine Schuster	51	5-Sep	Robert and Donna Chicotsky	43
2-Sep	Scott and Jodi Berger	29	6-Sep	Lon and Laurie Werner	43
2-Sep	Mikhail and Tatyana Kisin	7	14-Sep	Theodor and Shirry Knitel	15
3-Sep	David and Dafna Ninio	22	18-Sep	Robert and Kimberly Goldberg	21
4-Sep	Lynell and Charles Norman	8	22-Sep	Michael and Amy Luskey	30

Schedule of Services

Kabbalat Shabbat (Friday)	6:00 pm	Sunday and National Holiday Morning	9:00 am
Shabbat Morning (Saturday)	9:30 am	Sunday - Thursday Evening	6:00 pm
Monday - Friday Morning	6:55 am	Rosh Chodesh (New Month)	6:45 am

All Services for Children start at 10:30 am on Saturdays, Shabbat Morning
New Stars (of David)—ages birth to 3 years of age; *Davening Dynamos*—Pre-K through 2nd Grade
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in Honor of
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in Honor of
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and
Marian's Birthday

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in Honor of
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in Memory of
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On the joyous occasion of the birth of
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Polish The Silver for the High Holy Days

**9:30 AM
Sunday, September 15th
CAS (by the kitchens)**

**You are welcome to bring a couple of pieces of your own silver to polish.
All supplies are provided. Join us at Yogi's or the corner bakery afterward
for bagels and a visit.**



September 2019

1 Elul 5779 to 1 Tishri 5780

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
9am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	LABOR DAY 9am Morning Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat	9:30am Shabbat Services 10:30am Youth Services 8 pm Ladies Auxiliary and Men's Club Event Pinstripes
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
9am Morning Minyan 9:30 am LEC Classes Begin 1pm USY Leadership 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan 6:30pm Stop the Bleed/CPR/AED	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan 6:15 pm Executive Committee Meeting	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat	9:30am Shabbat Services 10:30am Youth Services
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
9am Morning Minyan 1pm Family Fun Day 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 10:30 am For Women Only 6pm Evening Minyan 6:30pm Adult Education	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan 6:30pm Board of Directors	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat	9:30am Shabbat Services 10:30am Youth Services
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
9am Morning Minyan 10am Jewish War Veterans meeting 6pm Evening Minyan 6:30pm Jewish Person of the Year	6:55am Morning Minyan 9 am Edo Knitel bar Mitzvah 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 10:30 am For Women Only 6pm Evening Minyan 6:30pm Adult Education	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat	9:30am Shabbat Services 10:30am Youth Services
29	30	1-Oct	2	3	4	5
LEC No Classes 9am Morning Minyan 10am Jewish War Veterans meeting 6pm Erev Rosh Hashanah 6pm Evening Minyan	1st Day Rosh Hashanah 8:30am Service 4:30 pm Tashlich 6pm Mincha/Maariv	2nd Day Rosh Hashanah 8:30am Service 6pm Mincha/Maariv	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Evening Minyan	6:55am Morning Minyan 6pm Kabbalat Shabbat	9:30am Shabbat Services 10:30am Youth Services