

Aleph For Adults Beginning Hebrew

Learn to read Hebrew with Rabbi Amy Bardack. This class is meant for those who do not yet know the letter and vowels of the Alef Bet.



This class will meet for 10 sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays at Congregation Beth Shalom starting May 26 at 6:00 PM.

The cost is \$140 which includes the text book, L'Shon Ha-Kodesh Adult Hebrew Primer. Financial assistance available. For more info or to register, visit: itjpittsburgh.org

Sponsor a Virtual Se'udah Shelishit (Virtual Third Meal)

We are asking for volunteers to sponsor the virtual third meal for \$100. The cost goes toward repairing ritual items.



Virtual third meal sponsorships run now through Sukkot.

If you are able to sponsor a virtual third meal, please contact Ira Frank at natfabira@juno.com.

Weekly Service Times*

Morning Services

Mondays – Fridays at 7:30 a.m.
Sundays at 8:00 a.m.

Evening Services

Sundays – Thursdays at 7:00 p.m.
Fridays at 6:00 p.m.

*Note: Times are subject to change for holidays and special services.

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Next Shabbat Service Times

Friday, April 24, 2026

Light candles at 7:50 p.m.
Hod veHadar Instrumental Kabbalat Shabbat
at 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 25, 2026

Early Morning Service at 6:30 a.m.
Shabbat Morning Service at 9:30 a.m.
Minhah/Discussion/Ma'ariv at 7:55 p.m.
Havdalah at 8:53 p.m.



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THIS WEEK'S PARASHAH IS TAZRIA/METSORA.

Men's Club Shabbat

Guest speaker
Rev. Jessica McClure Archer



Shabbat - Friday, April 17, 2026

Candle lighting at 7:43 p.m.

Kabbalat Shabbat

In person & Zoom from the Helfant Chapel

6:00 p.m.

Shabbat Youth Services

Sat., April 18, 2026

Junior Congregation Level Up Shabbat

10:00 a.m. - Chill
11:00 a.m. - Dvash
11:15 a.m. - Service

10:45 a.m.

Manny's Service

11:15 a.m.

Shabbat - Saturday, April 18, 2026

Havdalah at 8:37 p.m.

Early Morning Shabbat Service

In person & Zoom from the Homestead Hebrew Chapel

6:30 a.m.

Shabbat Morning Service

In person & Zoom from the Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary

9:00 a.m.

Congregational Kiddush

Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom

12:15 p.m.

Minhah/Discussion/Ma'ariv

In person & Zoom from the Homestead Hebrew Chapel

7:45 p.m.

Torah Readings Saturday, April 18, 2026

Aliyah	Verses	Etz Hayim
1.	Leviticus 12:1-4	649
2.	12:5-8	650
3.	13:1-5	651
4.	13:6-17	653
5.	13:18-23	654
6.	13:24-28	655
7.	13:29-39	655
Maftir	Numbers 28:9-15	930
Haftarah	Isaiah 66:1-24	1220

This Shabbat's Study DeRabbanan
is being led by Rabbi Adelson.

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SHABBAT SHALOM

Our Clergy join the Officers & Trustees in welcoming all members and guests to our services. We look forward to seeing you again soon.

CONGREGATIONAL FAMILY

Thank You to:

The Beth Shalom Men's Club for sponsoring this week's kiddush in honor of Men's Club Shabbat.

Diane Silberg, Stan, Sarah, and Michael Kirshenbaum on sponsoring this week's virtual third meal in loving memory of their parents and grandparents, Julius and Lillian Silberg.

The participants in the services on Saturday, April 18

Service Leaders: Rabbi Adelson, Rabbi Goodman, Jonathan Weinkle, Jordan Fischbach, Danny Kass, Rev. Jessica McClure Archer

Torah Readers (morning & afternoon services) & Haftarah: Rich Feder, Jonathan Weinkle, Kobi Tav, Phillip Barnett, Jordan Fischbach, Robbie Zaremberg, Caedyn Kraehling, Sara Chandler, Aaron Charlack

Gabbaim: Ira Frank, Jay Lieber

Condolences to:

Mindy Young-Secunda & Jeff (Laura) Young, and Jake, Izzy, Addie, & Evan on the passing of their father and grandfather on Wednesday, April 15, 2026. Also, condolences to Nathan's cousin Nathan (Deborah) Firestone and Nathan's sister-in-laws Susan Young and Racille Lazar.

YAHREZEITS

FOR THE WEEKS OF APRIL 18 - MAY 1, 2026 1 - 14 IYAR, 5786

This list comprises those dear departed for whom there are memorial plaques, and for those who sent us their yahrzeit commemoration form.

Larry Abelson	Ed Frim	Milton Kellman	Max Neustein	Max Smolar
Mary Kreine Adler	Ida Ginsburg	Adolph S. Klein	Regina Newman	Rebecca Sniderman
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Yizchak Arl	Morry Glasser	Mordecai Kontzenberg	Leonard Pittler	Jerome Solomon
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THIS WEEKEND'S & UPCOMING EVENTS/PROGRAMS

For a complete list of upcoming events and programs, check out our website: BethShalomPgh.org



Counting the Omer Yoga

Next Class starts Sunday, April 19, 2026 at 10:00am | Zweig Library

A 7-week series exploring spiritual renewal through movement. Led by Cantor Julie Newman and Edie Raphael. Join us as we journey from Passover to Shavuot. \$18 per class or \$116 for a 7-class pass. To register, visit: BethShalomPgh.org/2026-ctoy-class

Yom Hazikaron & Yom Haatzma'ut Ceremony & Concert Tuesday, April 21, 2026 at 7:30pm | Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom

Join us as we hold a brief memorial ceremony, followed by a lighter singalong in celebration of Israel's independence. Dessert will be served.



Hod veHadar Instrumental Kabbalat Shabbat followed by Congregational Dinner

Friday, April 24, 2026 | Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom

Join us for a Hod veHadar Instrumental Kabbalat Shabbat service followed by a Congregation dinner sponsored by Men's Club and Sisterhood. Registration is required if you are staying for dinner. To register, visit: BethShalomPgh.org/April-Instrumental-Shabbat

Israel Election Fever

Sunday, April 26, 2026 at 10:30 am | Location provided upon registration

Join Congregation Beth Shalom, Hadassah and Classrooms Without Borders for an informative morning with Avi Ben-Hur, Scholar-in-Residence with Classrooms Without Borders. Enjoy a light breakfast with Q&A following the presentation. In this timely and dynamic session, we'll unpack Israel's rapidly shifting political landscape: the major parties, key personalities, and the core issues that will shape voter choices. Together, we'll map out competing visions for Israel's future, explore possible coalition scenarios, and trace the paths that could lead to the next Israeli government—and the direction it may chart in the years to come. The event fee is \$18 per person. No walk-ins welcome. To register, visit: events.hadassah.org/MWelection



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Visiting Cultural Ambassador Michael Goldwasser: From Moses to Marley

Friday, May 8, 2026 and Saturday, May 9, 2026

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