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SECURITY REMINDER

The safety of all our members, staff, and guests is an ongoing priority. If you see something that does not look right, please report it to a staff or Board member.

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.*

Congregation Beth Shalom Auxiliary Presidents

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JEWISH FEDERATION GREATER PITTSBURGH

HOST A SHINSHIN!

Bring Israel Into Your Home

Our next cohort of Shinshinim are coming in August. We're looking for Pittsburgh families to open their homes and hearts to one of our Israeli emissaries for 4 months.

Who are the Shinshinim?
A Shinshin is an 18-year-old Israeli emissary who defers their army service for one year to volunteer in Jewish communities abroad with the goal of educating people of all ages about Israel and Israeli culture.

What is my job as a host?

- Provide a private bedroom for one shinshin for 4-5 months
- Welcome the shinshin as part of your family
- Live in Squirrel Hill, Oakland, Point Breeze, or Shadyside

Interested in hosting?
Contact Chen Kirshner at ckirshner@jfedpgh.org or 412-708-9196.

Looking for teens to Chant from the Book of Jonah on Yom Kippur!

Beth Shalom has a wonderful tradition of teens chanting the haftarah on Yom Kippur at Minhah on September 21st.

If you are a post-benei mitzvah and you are interested or if you know a teen who may be interested, please reach out to Debby Gillman at dgillman528@yahoo.com.

Next Shabbat Service Times

Friday, July 24, 2026
Light candles at 8:24 p.m.
Kabbalat Shabbat at 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 25, 2026
Early Morning Service at 6:30 a.m.
Shabbat Morning Service at 9:30 a.m.
Minhah/Discussion/Ma'ariv at 8:25 p.m.
Havdalah at 9:23 p.m.

Beth Shalom *בית שלום*

ENRICHING LIVES THROUGH COMMUNITY, LIFELONG JEWISH LEARNING, AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

SHABBAT SHALOM

4 AV 5786

THIS WEEK'S PARASHAH IS DEVARIM.

SUMMER VIBES

Shabbat - Friday, July 17, 2026
Candle lighting at 8:29 p.m.

Kabbalat Shabbat **6:00 p.m.**
In person & Zoom from the Helfant Chapel

Shabbat - Saturday, July 18, 2026
Havdalah at 9:29 p.m.

Early Morning Shabbat Service **6:30 a.m.**
In person & Zoom from the Homestead Hebrew Chapel

Shabbat Morning Service **9:30 a.m.**
In person & Zoom from the Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary

Congregational Kiddush **12:15 p.m.**
Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom

Minhah/Ma'ariv **8:30 p.m.**
In person & Zoom from the Homestead Hebrew Chapel

Shabbat Youth Services
Sat., July 18, 2026

Junior Congregation Manny's Service

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

Torah Readings
Saturday, July 18, 2026

Aliyah	Verses	Etz Hayim
1.	Deuteronomy 1:1-3	981
2.	1:4-7	982
3.	1:8-10	983
4.	1:11-21	984
5.	1:22-28	986
6.	1:29-38	987
7.	1:39-2:1	988
Maftir	1:39-2:1	988
Haftarah	Isaiah 1:1-27	1000

Rabbi Seth Adelson *Senior Rabbi* **Paul Teplitz** *President* **Robert Gleiberman** *Executive Director*

SHABBAT SHALOM

Rabbi Adelson joins 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:

Diane Samuels & David Sufrin for sponsoring this week's virtual third meal in commemoration of Diane's mother Joan Schwartzman's yahrzeit.

The participants in the Shabbat services on Saturday, July 18:

Service Leaders: Martin Gaynor, Ben Miller, Debby Gillman

Torah Readers (morning & afternoon services) & Haftarah: Sheldon Catz, Ilanit Helfand, Dave Held,

Tammy Hepps, Adam Kolko

Gabbaim: Ira Frank, Adam Kolko

Condolences to:

Dan Leger (Ellen) on the passing of his brother, Paul Leger, on Monday, July 13, 2026.

Yahrzeits

FOR THE WEEKS OF JULY 18 - 31, 2026 4 - 17 AV, 5786

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

Frances R. Allon	Mildred Finkel	Morris Hirschfield	Samuel Maysels	Samuel W. Schwartz
Katie Allon	Edward I. Fishbein	Allen M. Hoffman	Max M. Mervis	Martha Schwartz
Donna LaBorwit Askin	Howard Alvin Freedman	Jerrold D. Hydovitz	Benjamin Migdal	Bella Seegman
Julius Elias Aussenberg	Sophie Freedman	Phillip R. Hydovitz	Alvin James Moldovan	Ruth Sevel
Katie G. Banov	Fannie Friedland	Edward Izenson	Clara Moritz	Ada Shrut
Tille Banov	Fay Friedman	Milton Judd	Sarah Morris	Nathan Silverberg
Eunice R. Baradon	Jacob Friedman	Harry Julius	Hyman Mulhauser	Morton B. Silverman
Ronald Barasch	Milton Friedman	Hyman Kalson	Bernard (Chester) Neft	Beverly Skilken
Albert Bash	Gabriel Galpern	Harry Katz	Thelma Tybie Neft	Gerdi Smiga
Morris Milton Berger	Bernice Ruth Geffner	Lynn Schwartz Katz	Gregory Nizhner	Bernard Harvey Sobol
Chaia Bergman	Clara Gittleman	Goldie Kaufman	Natalie Novick	Ethel Solof
Harry M. Berlin	Sophie F. Ginsburg	Elaine Robin Schwartz Kemler	Selig Perlman	Phillip Speck
Carmela Bernstein	Meyer Gisser	Hina Ketselman	Eli Racusin	Jennie Stein
Mark Joel Birnbaum	Helen Goldberg	Irwin E. Kitman	Norma Radin	Shirley Ann Stein
Sidney Jerome Brody	Isaac Golden	Samuel L. Kleber	Abraham Recht	Celia Stept
David H. Buchman	Belle Goldstein	Dorothy Mae Klein	C. Joseph Recht	Ethel K. Stept
Robert Chamovitz	Maurice Golomb	Pauline C. Klein	Marjorie B. Robbins	Hyman Sugerman
Elihu Cohen	Harry A. Goodman	Lillian Kopple	Augusta Robin	Freda Tepper
Joseph Cohen	Matthew Goodman	Elizabeth Kornblum	Betty G. Robins	Rev Henry Tolochko
Joseph W. Cohn	Esther Brinn Gordon	Gizella Krause	Henry E. Robins	Frances S. Tucker
Martin Colker	Rebecca E. Green	Morris Kwall	Henry Robinson	Albert Uretsky
Irina Dzeba	Max M. Greenberg	Herman Labowitz	Irma S. Rogoff	Helen R. Weinberger
Irving N. Elbling	Alan Greenwald	Benjamin D. Lazar	Dora Farenbaugh Rosenberg	Irene Weiss
Sarah Elfman	Meyer I. Grinberg	Meyer I. Grinberg	Sophie Rosenstein	Michael Scott Weiss
Abraham Eliashof	Belle Gusky	Beverly Lebovitz	David Roth	Saul H. Weissman
Bernice Elinoff	Meyer H. Handmaker	Marcelyn Lebovitz	Howard Russman	Emanuel H. Wimmer
Selma Ruth Feldman	Murray David Harlow	Anne Levine	Daniel Saron	Harold Winkler
Ruben Felman	Max Harris	Dorothy G. Levine	Ida Saron	Henry Dean Wyner
Mordecai Ferber	Francie Hausman	Oser Magram	Bernhardt M. Saul	Louis T. Young
Isaac Fineberg	Howard I. Hausman	Ida Mandel	Simpson Irving Schechter	Rimma Zamakhovsky
Beatrice Fineman	Abraham Heller	Marvin Marcus	Cecelia G. Schultz	
Hyman Zelig Finkel	Julius Hemmelstein	Sara Marcus	Gizi Schwalb	

Please refrain from using personal electronic devices at and in the synagogue during Shabbat and holidays. Thank you.

THIS WEEKEND'S & UPCOMING EVENTS/PROGRAMS

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

Congregation Beth Shalom Quarterly Blood Drive

Sunday, July 19, 2026 at 9:00am-2:00pm | Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom



Time to rev up the excitement for helping patients this summer. Donate and you could be the lucky donor randomly selected as the winner of up to \$30,000 toward the purchase of a new ride!* To schedule an appointment, visit: BethShalomPgh.org/July2026-Blood-Drive *Terms and condition apply; see vitalant.org/CarGiveaway.

Tish'ah BeAv

Wednesday, July 22, 2026 at 7:45pm | Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom

The ninth day of the the month of Av is the most mournful day of the Jewish year, a container for virtually every tragedy that has occurred in our history. The whole community is invited to join Rabbi Adelson and Rabbi Freedman as they facilitate a discussion titled "Survive or Thrive: How the Jews have navigated cataclysm and rebuilding, then and now."

For complete evening schedule, visit: BethShalomPgh.org/2026-Tishah-Beav



Shabbat Shi'ur: Checking In On Israel

Saturday, August 1, 2026 at 1:00pm | Weinberg Pavilion

Join Rabbi Adelson as he discusses some of the current challenges facing Israel right now, and also how we are experiencing the current moment as American Jews.



Teachers Wanted

The Religious School of Beit Kulanu and Beth Shalom is a pluralistic Sunday School teaching Reform & Conservative Jews.

We are in need of
Judaics Teachers focusing on meaning and values.
Hebrew Teachers focusing on reading prayers & intro to meaning.
Song leaders to lead tefillah and teach Jewish songs.
Elective teachers (for five week sessions) featuring your skill.

We are located at Fifth & Morewood next to both the Pitt and CMU campuses. Pay is competitive and we offer flexibility for vacation, finals week, etc.

Reach out to
Rabbi Larry Freedman
to learn more.
RabbiFreedman@BeitKulanu.org



Jewish Heritage Night

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18 AT 6:40 P.M.

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Pick up and drop off at Beth Shalom

JOIN BETH SHALOM MEMBERS AS WE HEAD TO THE PIRATES.

Let's go together! This year, Beth Shalom is offering free, limited transportation to PNC Park for our Members who register using our link.

Bus transportation will depart promptly at 5:30 p.m.

Don't wait to register – once the bus is full, no additional seats will be available.

To register, visit: tinyurl.com/2026-Pirates or scan QR code on this flyer.

Seats on the bus are limited and will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis through advance registration.



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