

Sisterhood Potluck Supper and Opening Meeting

Please join us for a Sisterhood Potluck vegetarian/dairy supper meeting at the home of Judy Kobell.

When: Wednesday, September 16, 2026

Time: 6:30PM

Where: Judy Kobell's house

What to bring: Last name A-L Dessert

M-P Salad

Q-Z Appetizer

Main course of dairy lasagna will be provided.

RSVP: Judy Kobell at 412-725-5566 or jayekob18@gmail.com.



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.

Congregational Family News

Do you have a simḥah such as a wedding, bar/bat mitzvah or birth or a celebrated recognition and would like it listed in the bulletin? We want to know.

Mazel Tov!

If so, please email all the details to Kristin Zappone at kzappone@bethshalompgh.org and she will include it in the bulletin.

High Holidays Ushers & Greeters Meeting

August 30, 2026

10:00 a.m.

Palkovitz Lobby

Contact Ira Frank
at natfabira@juno.com
for more information

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, August 28, 2026

Light candles at 7:39 pm

Shir Hadash Kabbalat Shabbat

6:30pm - Schmooze; 7:00pm - Service followed by a potluck dinner

Saturday, August 29, 2026

Early Morning Service at 6:30 am

Shabbat Morning Service at 9:30 am

Minhah/Discussion/Ma'ariv at 7:40 pm

Havdalah at 8:38 pm



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SHABBAT SHALOM

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THIS WEEK'S PARASHAH IS KI TETSE.

*Nathan Miller
becomes a bar mitzvah.*



Shabbat - Friday, August 21, 2026

Candle lighting at 7:50 p.m.

Kabbalat Shabbat

6:00 p.m.

In person & Zoom from the Helfant Chapel

Shabbat - Saturday, Aug. 22, 2026

Havdalah at 8:49 p.m.

Early Morning Shabbat Service

6:30 a.m.

In person & Zoom from the Homestead Hebrew Chapel

Shabbat Morning Service

9:15 a.m.

In person & Zoom from the Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary

Congregational Kiddush

12:15 p.m.

Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom

Minḥah/Ma'ariv

7:50 p.m.

In person & Zoom from the Homestead Hebrew Chapel

Shabbat Youth Services

Sat., Aug. 22, 2026

Junior Congregation Manny's Service

10:00 a.m. - Chill

11:15 a.m.

11:00 a.m. - Dvash

11:15 a.m. - Service

Torah Readings Saturday, Aug. 22, 2026

Aliyah	Verses	Etz Hayim
1.	Deuteronomy 21:10-14	1112
2.	21:15-17	1113
3.	21:18-21	1113
4.	21:22-22:7	1114
5.	22:8-12	1117
6.	22:13-29	1118
7.	23:1-7	1122
Maftir	23:4-7	1122
Haftarah	Isaiah 54:1-10	1138

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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:

Sara Morrison and Ben Miller for sponsoring this week's kiddush in honor of Nathan becoming a bar mitzvah.

BJ and Stan Friedman for sponsoring this week's virtual third meal in honor of their 49th wedding anniversary.

The participants in the Shabbat services on Saturday, August 22:

Service Leaders: Rabbi Adelson, Debby Gillman, Nathan Miller

Torah Readers (morning & afternoon services) & Haftarah: Ben Miller, Marc Miller, Sara Morrison, Tammy Hepps, Matan Love, Shoshanna Barnett, Nathan Miller, Zarky Rudavsky

Gabbaim: Ira Frank, Gerry Kobell

Mazal Tov to:

Mike Yoffee on the birth of his newest grandchild, Charles (Charlie) Brooks Yoffee. Mazal tov also to parents Eric and Abigail Yoffee and big brother Joshua Yoffee. Charles's grandmother is the late Carol Beth Yoffee (z"l). He was born on Carol Beth's birthday and is named in her memory.

Condolences to:

Alan Maglin on the passing of his wife, Judith Maglin, on Saturday, August 8, 2026.

Lauren (Dr. Brandon) Tauberg on the passing of her grandmother Elaine "Lainey" Sokol, on Friday, August 14, 2026.

Connie Smolar and Barbara Schneider (Michael) on the passing of their husband and father, Harold Smolar, on Monday, August 17, 2026.

Yahrzeits

FOR THE WEEKS OF AUG. 22 - SEPT. 4, 2026 9 - 22 ELUL, 5786

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

Rabbi Rudolph Adler
Gertrude Alexander
Arthur Alter
Anna Amdur
Samuel Bachner
Harry L. Baker
Mollie Bazarow
Abraham Bennett
Leon Alan Berger
Anna F. Berkman
Louis S. Berkwit
Mendel Berlin
Sidney Block
Chaim Blumner
Freida S. Braemer
Lenore Kramer Berman
Rachael Bress
Rose Goldfarb Bress
Fannie Broida
Dora Caplan
Sarah B. Caplan
Jann Carole Childs
Nat P. Cinkin
Lois Allison Cohen
Mollie S. Cohen
Samuel Denmark
Ida Dunn

Joseph Edelstein
Jacob Fierman
Lawrence A. Folpe
Esther Foreman
Mildred Freidberg
Leo Freiser
Samuel Hicks Friedman
Pearl Gelman
Meyer B. Glass
Edith Glick
James J. Glick
Louis Goldberg
Annie F. Goldhamer
Sara Goncheroff
Esther S. Greenberg
Allen Grinberg
Israel Halpern
Samuel Henry Harris
Charlotte Helfer
Samuel Herman
William Hoffman
Charles K. Hourvitz
Sam Hurwitz
Elma Huttner
Sara Kanterowitz
Rebecca Karelitz
Henry Karp

Owen Marvin Katz
Belle Kaufman
Mary B. Kaufman
Sarah F. Kaufman
Bess Z. Kaufmann
L. Harold Kirkell
Sara Klein
Lillian Kohler
Isaac Kotler
Joseph L. Lebovitz
Gertrude Leff
Esther Lefkowitz
Jocelyn Lehman
Ernest Lembersky
Samuel Leven
Joseph M. Levine
Louis Levinson
Simon Lieberman
Bessie Lyttle
Fannie Magram
Bessie Malkin
Samuel Mermelstein
Aaron L. Miller
Betty E. Miller
Sadye S. Miller
Reuben Moskowitz
Louis Mullen

Robert L. Nathan
Abe D. Nowling
Pauline Ortenberg
Joseph Palkovitz
Lillie Palkovitz
Hyman Parkler
Irvin Pepper
Rose R. Polk
William Price
Harold S. Reck
Anna Goldie Reingold
Harry Robin
Louis A. Robins
Donald Rosenthal
Fishel Rosenthal
Frank Rubenstein
William Rubenstein
Anna Rubin
Saul J. Rubin
Mendel Rubinstein
Anna B. Sachs
Elizabeth Schiffman
Thelma Schiffman
Joseph J. Schmidt
Irene L. Schwartz
Samuel Shapiro
Eleanor Shepse

Leah Shikora
Morris Sigman
Stanford W. Sillins
Abraham I. Silverman
Goldie Silverman
Mildred L. Silverman
Morton S. Silverman
Harry A. Simons
William Stark
Anna R. Stolar
Joseph Stolar
Daniel Stone
Minnie Trachtenberg
H. Selma Volkin
Wilhelm Weiner
Andrew Weiss
Frederick Weiss
Fred Wilder
Gayle Wimmer
Morris Winer
David A. Wolf
Abraham York
Esther Zinman
Joseph Zwick

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

Elul Yoga

Next Class is Sunday, August 23, 2026 at 10:00AM | Zweig Library

Preparing for the High Holidays in the month of Elul is a call to move inward. Elul Yoga guides us to inner awareness through body and breath. Led by Tiferet Project teachers, Cantor Julie Newman and Edie Raphael. The cost is \$18 per class. All levels welcome. Bring your own mat. To register, visit: BethShalomPgh.org/2026-Elul-Yoga



The Stories You Keep

Thursday, August 27, 2026 | 7:30PM (doors open at 7PM) | Church of the Redeemer

Join Rev. Canon Natalie Hall of Church of the Redeemer & Rabbi Seth Adelson of Beth Shalom for a Jewish & Christian interfaith event aimed at building connections through food and stories. We will share stories passed down to us from our families while we bond over kosher food and wine. The cost is \$30 per person. To register, visit: BethShalomPgh.org/Stories-You-Keep



Shir Hadash Kabbalat Shabbat followed by Potluck dinner

Friday, August 28, 2026

6:30 PM - Schmooze time | 7:00 PM - Service followed by a Kosher dairy potluck

Join us for soulful, songful, lay-led Kabbalat Shabbat. Come fill the air with song. Service will be held outside at Beth Shalom weather permitting. Potluck dinner held in the Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom. To sign up to bring a potluck dish, visit: BethShalomPgh.org/August-Shir-Hadash



Shabbat Shi'ur: How to Confront Antizionism with Boaz Munro

Saturday, August 29, 2026 at 1:00PM | Weinberg Pavilion

In recent years, and especially since October 7, Israelis and Jews have faced vicious attacks around the world-some verbal, some violent. Jewish Squirrel Hill native, writer and influencer Boaz Munro will share what he has learned about how to respond. Prepare for a dynamic, interactive training unlike any other you've experienced.



Community Selihot

Saturday, September 5, 2026 starting at 7:30AM

Join us for a community program as we enter the season of introspection in preparation for High Holidays. Selihot is open to everyone. The evening schedule is as follows:

Min'hah - 7:30pm | Refreshments - 8:00pm | Ma'ariv/Havdalah - 8:15pm | Program - 8:30pm | Selihot Service - 9:30pm



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