

THE MEGILLAH

☆ Temple Beth David ☆

Adar II 5779 ~ Nisan 5779

April 2019

Angel's Baseball Game

Body, Mind, & Spirit Shabbat

Bingo'Rita

2nd Night Seder



See inside for more details!

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CIRCLE OF HONOR MEMBERS 2019 / APRIL SCHEDULES

PLATINUM

Shirley Ross
Gene Broscow &
Rachelle Wilson
Joe & Sharon Hernandez
Saul & Barbara Zenk

Marv & Evelyn Marshall
Charlie & Cathy Niederman
Marlyn Phillips
Howard & Diane Spielman
Allan & Sandy Sobolew-
Shubin

Alan & Laurel Jarrick
Jan Klein
Deborah & Daniel Lechuk
Dan & Patti Levin
Richard & Deanne Ruby
Eric & Peggy Schiffer

GOLD

Sean & Andrea Chait-Walter
Aaron & Leslie Kern
Neil Kornswiet
Robert Altman & Michelle
Sandler

SILVER

Joel & Hallie Berman
Frieda Rapoport Caplan
Ian & Gayle Chait
Fran DeKovner
Michael & Kim Greenfield
Lynne Horn

April Shabbat Schedule

Friday	5	7:00pm	Family Shabbat Service
Saturday	6	9:00am	Lay Led Minyan
		10:30am	McKenzie Pantel's Bat Mitzvah Service
Friday	12	7:30pm	Choir Shabbat Service
Saturday	13	9:00am	Torah Study
		10:30am	Passover Tot Shabbat
Friday	19		No Shabbat Service
Saturday	20	10:30am	Festival Passover Service
		6:00pm	2nd Night Seder
Friday	26	7:30pm	Torah Shabbat Service
Saturday	27	9:00am	Lay Led Minyan

April Jewish School Schedule

Tues	2	4:15pm	Hebrew School
		6:30pm	Teen Program
Sun	7	9:00am	Jewish School
Tues	9	4:15pm	Hebrew School
		6:30pm	Teen Program
			9th Grade Program
Sun	14	9:00am	Jewish School
		10:30am	Matzo Factory Program
Tues	16		No Jewish School
Sun	21		No Jewish School
Tues	23		No Jewish School
Sun	28	9:00am	Jewish School
Tues	30	4:15pm	Jewish School
		6:30pm	Hebrew School
			9th Grade Program

"Please consider remembering Beth David in your will or trust."





Last

Monthly Megillah.

We are moving
forward with a

Bi-Monthly

Megillah

(May-June, July-August, September-October, etc.)



Is it Kosher for Passover?



Rabbi Myers

April 2019

“And you shall observe the Feast of Unleavened Bread; for in this same day have I brought your ranks out of the land of Egypt; therefore shall you observe this day in your generations by an ordinance forever. In the first month, on the fourteenth day of the month at evening, you shall eat unleavened bread, until the twenty first day of the month at evening. Seven days shall there be no leaven found in your houses... You shall eat nothing leavened; in all your habitations shall you eat unleavened bread.” Exodus 12:17-20

Passover is one the most widely observed Jewish holidays. Sitting with family and friends enjoying the seder, hearing the four questions, eating matza ball soup, and looking for the afikoman, captivates children as well as adults. This year, the first night seder is on Friday night, April 19. On Saturday morning at 10:30 a.m., April 20, we will have a festival Passover Shabbat service. And of course, on Saturday night, at 6:00 p.m. will be our wonderful congregational Passover seder. Don't forget to RSVP for this! Passover concludes on Friday night, April 26 or if you are observing by Conservative/Orthodox standards, it concludes on the following Saturday night.

Within our own community, people keep Passover in differing ways. Some only eat matzah at the seder while others try to keep the Passover laws during the entire week. Some eat corn, rice, and beans during Passover while others avoid these things along with all their derivatives such as corn starch, oils, and syrups. As a Reform rabbi, I don't normally get many questions about kashrut but they seem to come up more at this time of year.

The Torah tells us to eat unleavened bread during Passover and to avoid eating and having anything that is *hametz*, i.e. leavened, in our homes. But what is leaven? In Mishneh Pesachim 2:5 (a 3rd century CE rabbinical work), we are told that in order to fulfill our obligation on Passover we must eat unleavened wheat, barley, spelt, rye and oats. This is because these are the very same products that have the potential to become *hametz* if not scrupulously watched in their initial preparation. What makes our matzah kosher for Passover is that it has been carefully timed from the moment water comes into contact with the wheat to prevent any 'leavening' from occurring. So any food, without a Kosher for Passover symbol, containing wheat, barley, spelt, rye and oats is considered *hametz* and is strictly forbidden during Passover.

I have to say that it's fairly easy to avoid spelt. What is spelt anyway? Barley is not found in many products. Abstaining from rye bread isn't much of an imposition. Oats can be more difficult but most of us can forgo oatmeal for breakfast. It is wheat though that makes things challenging. What this means is no wheat pasta, bread, crackers, cereals, soy sauce (yes, I was seriously bummed to learn that it contains wheat), snacks, and etc.

What about corn, peanuts, peas, millet, lentils, and rice? Now, this gets to be a bit more complicated but it all comes down to whether you want to observe Ashkenazi (East European) or Sephardic (Spanish) customs.

The Ashkenazi rabbis, beginning in the 13th century, decided to add legumes and seeds to the list of prohibitions while the Sephardic rabbis did not. What is the reason for the stringency of our Eastern European ancestors? Firstly, rice and legumes could be cooked in such a way as to resemble the five forbidden grains so that if one eats a rice cake, for example, they may accidentally eat a wheat one. Secondly, the five grains could get mixed up with rice or legumes in the fields or packaging, especially in a pre-modern setting and therefore, we should avoid them. The last reason is "keeping the traditions of our ancestors", namely, because our grandparents observed Passover in this way, we should continue with the practice.

On other hand, our Mishneh states quite clearly that **only** wheat, rye, oat, spelt, and barely can become *hametz*, i.e. leavened. In the Talmud, Pesachim 35a, we learn that rice and millet cannot become leavened, they can only decay or spoil, therefore they are not considered *hametz*. Maimonides, in the Middle Ages, also emphasized that only the five grains are prohibited. "Rice, millet, beans, lentils and the like, though, cannot become *hametz*; even if one kneads rice flour or the like in boiling water and covers it with a cloth until it swells up like dough which has fermented, this is permitted for eating on Passover." (See Chametz Umatzah 5:1 and Artscroll "The Festivals in Halachah") Since corn, beans, and legumes are not considered *hametz* then of course their oils and by products would be considered suitable for Passover.

So what will it be? A Sephardic Passover or Ashkenazi? You can also see this as an opportunity to eat more protein and vegetables. Hmmmm, the decision of course is yours alone. And remember it's only for 7 days anyway... Chag Sameach!





April 2019

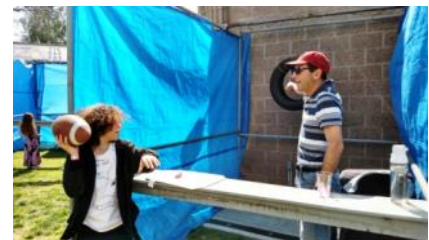
By Charlie Niederman

Brotherhood once again helped our Religious School with the Purim Carnival, its major fund raiser. I have not seen any attendance figures, but based on the number of hot dogs, hamburgers, veggie burgers, and Chinese chicken salads, we served 125+ portions. So, it appears it was well attended. We had so many helpers coming and going during the event, the setup, and takedown I apologize in advance for missing anyone. We fully appreciate everyone who helped us support our religious school including Lee Netzer, Scott Telford, Howie Tobey, David Baroway, David Kalish, Larry Davidoff, Robin Harrison, Jeff leboff, Steve Lokin, Ted Cohen, Greg Korduner, and Irwin Greenfield.

The Sunday, March 31, Brotherhood Brunch will feature the Harrison Family in "Blame it on the Bat Mizvah". It is the story of a Compton family's journey of conversion to Judaism. It will be well attended, and we will have some pictures in the next Brotherhood article.

In April Brotherhood will furnish the lunch at the end of the Temple's Mitzvah Day, and we hope we will be feeding many volunteers for this special event. In May we are looking forward to our special annual Mother's Day Brunch. Again this year the youth choir will perform. Plan to join us for our banner event.

Charlie Niederman





SISTERHOOD MATTERS...

I am pleased to present the slate of officers for Sisterhood for the 2019-2020 year:

Corresponding Secretary - Alma Herman
V.P. Programming - Ai Resnick & Robyn Michaeloff
V.P. Fundraising - Anne Farber & Barbara Switzky
Religious Practices Trustee - Anne Katz
Oneg Chair - Eileen Tobey
Mazelgrams Chair - Renee Dorfman
Mitzvah Corps Chair - Cathy Niederman
Historian – Open *We need you here! Call me!*

Elections will take place at the General Meeting and Bingorita on April 28, 2:00-4:00. If you wish to place your name for nomination, you may do so at the meeting or contact me ahead of time. Please RSVP for the meeting to airesnick@yahoo.com, so we have enough Bingo cards and food and drink.

Thank you to the Nominating Committee Chair, Cathy Niederman and Committee Members Lucy Ablesar, Lisa McCall, Erika Pogrud, and Marlene Wedner.

Thank you to the many people who helped with events in March:

Hamantaschen Baking



Thank you Eileen Tobey, Linda Cohen, Renee Dorfman, Jennifer Zubkoff, coordinating
Brady Nguyen, Sharon Matalon, teaching
Anne Katz, Steve Loken,
Deb Lechuk, Susanna Pollack

Diapers and Challah Bake



Thank you to Ai Resnick and Thea Telford for

and Laurie Cantus for

Thank you to Anne Katz for coordinating our beautiful Sisterhood Shabbat!

Message from Membership Chair



A Proud Aunt of a First Year Rabbinic Student/
And Why Can't We Jews at least Respect Each Other.....

A few weeks ago a little noticed protest took place at the Western Wall. The short article could be found tucked in a corner of a page in newspapers, certainly not taking prominence on page 1. For many modern Jewish men and women around the world, however, the protest was shocking.

"Thousands of ultra-orthodox protesters "violently" disrupted a Women of the Wall prayer service, forcing the feminist Jewish group to move to an egalitarian side section of the holy site after two of the members were injured. The group was holding a special anniversary service celebrating 30 years since its establishment. Some ultra-orthodox rabbis called on young orthodox students, both male and female, to disrupt the Women of the Wall and demonstrate against the non-orthodox worshipers. Young ultra-orthodox girls were bused in to protest the worshipers, and two older women were hurt in the confrontation.

For the Sudakow/Hoffman family, it was personal....my niece, spending her first year as a rabbinic student in Jerusalem, was caught, literally, in the center of the thousands of protesters pushing and shoving, occasionally inflicting violence. She was attempting to worship with the other first year students in her class. In the end, she came through the experience, but not without significant trauma. And not without a lifetime learning experience. This is what she said: "After 13 hours of sleep, I have finally been able to start processing the events of yesterday morning. I am definitely traumatized, as the memories of thousands of black hats and skirts screaming at me and pushing me is burned in my head. Nevertheless, this incident is one that will only fuel my fire to continue to fight for justice and equality for all people who experience this kind of horror every day. I am blessed to have friends and family around me who support me, and trust that HaShem sees who the real tzaddikim and chassidim are. Thank you, Women of the Wall Nashot HaKol for fighting the good, hard fight. I'm so honored to daven with you month after month."

I am grateful that my niece came through the experience physically unscathed and with a strong soul. Yet, I wonder.....if Jews of different backgrounds cannot get along with one other and present a respectful front, why are we surprised when groups of non-Jewish radicals treat us the same way we treat one another?

**Shalom and love,
Florence
Florence Sudakow**

Have you Met.....

Anne Katz

You see her at Beth David services all the time, but there is so much more you do not know about Anne Katz, who has been a part of Temple life for over thirty years. Hers has been a multi-generational experience, going back to the time when Rabbi Henri Front was the spiritual leader. Beth David has been the center of so many life cycle events for her, from joyful to deeply painful, from marriages, to births, to deaths.

Anne was born and grew up in the Bronx, one of the five boroughs of New York, for those of you who are native Californians. Being a very intelligent young woman, she skipped a grade and graduated high school at age sixteen, entering Queens College that September. According to Anne, she was just too young when she began her college career, and so, completed only two years. Soon after that, she married Lewis Katz and began her life as wife and mother.

Anne and Lew and their two children, Andrew and Rachel, came to California because Lew was promoted to Chief Financial Officer and then VP of Finance of an advertising company with offices in California. Once here, Anne became an Instructional Assistant in Magnolia School District, where she worked for twenty-two years, ultimately becoming an Instructional Aide in the district's Resource Specialist program. But what really has always fulfilled Anne is her family.

Anne is mother to Andrew and Rachel; grandmother to Tahlia and Nathan, Ellie and Theo. Tahlia, Nathan, Rachel and David are members of Temple Beth David, much to Anne's joy. Andrew and family are active in Jewish life in the Los Angeles area. Anne gives back to Beth David by organizing and writing the Sisterhood Shabbat service every year. She reawakened her talent for writing when she lost her husband a few years ago, and discovered writing poetry was very soothing for her during the early grieving period. She is now writing short fiction pieces and young adult novels which she dreams of having published. When she isn't writing or being Grandma, Anne loves to read, paint and sip (more paint than sip), and will cook "just about anything".

Anne loves Temple Beth David (Beth David, too) because it means family to her. She is so proud to be one of three generations belonging here.





April 2019

Charlie Niederman, VP, Planning & Development

We will not hear anything about the US administration's Middle East Peace Proposal until after April 9th when Israel holds its Knesset election that will establish a new coalition government. Israel has never had a majority government, and the results of this year's election will not change that.

Before we look at the very hardnosed campaigning, here are the basic rules for the election that were mentioned last month. It is a nationwide election and the 120 Knesset seats are allocated to political parties by their percentage of the total vote. The threshold for a party to receive a single seat is 3.25%. The parties prepare a list of candidates in the order that they will be appointed after the election. The president of Israel then selects among the leading vote getters to form a coalition government that can command at least the needed 61 seat majority of the 120 Knesset seats. If that candidate succeeds, he or she becomes prime minister.

The race in Israel is dominated by two parties, the Blue and White coalition led by Benjamin (Bennie) Gantz, past head of the Israel Defense Force, and Yair Lapid a TV journalist. They promise to reunite Israel, and plan to serve two and a half years each as Prime Minister. They are billed as centrist, but are probably somewhat right of center. Prime Minister Benjamin (Bibi) Netanyahu leads the Likud party, seeking to form yet another right wing coalition.

Netanyahu chose to merge with the Jewish Home party and the extremist right party, Jewish Power that includes followers of the late extremist Rabbi Meir Kahane. Jewish Power's right to run in the election was challenged in early March, as was an Arab party. It was adjudicated by the Electoral Committee which decided to allow the Jewish Power Party to run, but ruled against the Arab party. That decision was appealed to Israel's Supreme Court who reversed the decision, and reinstated the Arab party and

disqualified the leader of Jewish Power, Michael Ben Ami. The decision was based on racist comments made by Ben Ami such as "We have to change the equation regarding anyone who dares to speak against a Jew. [Such a person] is a dead man. He must not come out alive. No expelling him, no stripping him of his citizenship. He does not live! A firing squad takes him out as the Arabs understand [best]."

Last week Prime Minister Netanyahu headed to Washington expecting an election boost from President Trump's recognition of Israel's right to the disputed Golan Heights, and a favorable reception to his remarks at the American Israel Political Action Committee (AIPAC). But then a long range rocket from Gaza struck a large home north of Tel Aviv, destroying it, and injuring the residents. He cut short his American trip and returned to Israel, but not before threatening the press with revenge for not giving more coverage to the Golan, compared to the covering of the rocket attack. Upon returning home, and trying for a victory lap, he was so insensitive to the rocket attack that it prompted a cartoon that showed him standing before the demolished home asking the family if they heard about the Golan.

It appeared that Gantz might gain the advantage after a warm reception at AIPAC last week, but in an interview for Israel TV, when asked about his plan for Gaza he offered tired platitudes, missing an opportunity to offer something new which would distinguish him from the current Likud position.

ARZA By Charlie Niederman

Association of Reform Zionists of America



April 2019

Charlie Niederman, VP, Planning & Development

Likud jumped on Gantz comments calling him not strong enough to be Prime Minister, and the Israeli state comptroller released a report faulting the Israeli police for contract irregularities that named Gantz's bankrupt former company, Fifth Dimension. This pales in comparison to the Prime Minister's indictment for corruption, and it was recently discovered that he decided without input from the military not to object to a German contract to build an advanced submarine for Egypt.

Israel celebrities have also joined in the debate, most notably Rotem Sela, an Israeli model, actress, and television host, who has a law degree and is a member of the Israeli Bar. She challenged Netanyahu's Culture Minister, Miri Regev, in a TV interview about the role of Arab parties in the 9 April general election. MP Regev repeated a warning by her and Netanyahu's right-wing Likud party that voters should not choose Likud's main rivals because they might form a governing coalition that included Arab MPs.

In an Instagram Sela queried "What is the problem with the Arabs?" She continued the debate with "When the hell will someone in this government convey to the public that Israel is a state of all its citizens and that all people were created equal, and that even the Arabs and the Druze and the LGBTs and - shock - the leftists are human."

Netanyahu responded with an Instagram post of his own that referred to the "nation-state" law. "Dear Rotem," he wrote. "Israel is not a state of all its citizens. According to the basic nationality law we passed, Israel is the nation-state of the Jewish people - and only it." Israel's campaigning is rough, and notable comments are made during campaigns for which there are often post election regrets or denials. But we should be accustomed to that now in the US.

So what does the electorate currently think? A poll in the last 4 days shows the Blue and White coalition with 31 seats, and Likud 27, but a right wing coalition could get 64 of the 120 seats. We will know the results on 9 April.

Charlie Niederman

Do you have a college student living on campus?

Would you like to send them a treat from home for Passover?

If so, Sisterhood would be happy to send a small reminder that they are not being “passed over” for Pesach. Help us let these kids know we are thinking of them. Just send me your student’s information-name and mailing address at school-and we’ll do the rest. Of course, this works best if your student is on Campus for Passover, to receive the package.

Thank-you, Thea
Sisterhood Social Action Chair

Thea Weintraub
My email address is weintel@hotmail.com





SEND A MAZELGRAM TO A FRIEND

Sisterhood will send a Birthday or Anniversary greeting in your name

May Birthdays

1 Linda Chesler	13 Matthew Saltzman	19 Sean Walter	26 Christine Taxier
4 Irma Moskowitz	14 Mickey Golden	20 Lois Abrams	27 Anne Farber
4 Howard Spielman	14 Barrie Pink	20 Jim Swanson	27 Nancy Linder Greenberg
5 Helene Miller	15 Kenneth Friedman	21 Carol Weinfeld	27 Keri Gee Semmelman
9 Debbie Crowley	15 Ellen Korn	22 Jeannie Keleman	28 Robin Harrison
9 Sidney Melnick	15 Michelle Markell	22 Melinda Koppel	30 Steve Adler
10 Michael Greenfield	15 Michelle Scotto	24 Steve Loken	30 Debbie Prog
11 Aaron Kern	17 Robert Altman	25 Amy Front	31 Phyllis Abrams
12 Laurel Jarrick	17 Brooke Thibault	25 Jennifer Gleizer	31 Elaine Netzer
12 Matilde Lapka	18 Ilya Reyngold	26 Colleen Bushinsky	31 Israel Reyngold
12 Debi Pinkham	19 Stan Helfman	26 Jenny Davidoff	31 Gloria Schwartz

May Anniversaries

5 Maury & Carolyn Rosenberg	24 Ian & Gayle Chait
8 David & Susan Smith	26 Jason & Janine Pasternak
10 Matt & Lisa Paretsky	29 Steve & Shirley Kahn
12 Scott & Barbara Berzak	29 Ely & Kay Licht
13 Michael & Arlene Filkoff	30 Linda & Terry Krieger
19 David & Robin Baroway	30 Jeffrey & Teri Roth

Circle as many names as you wish and send this page together with 75¢ per greeting to:

Renée Dorfman —13380 El Dorado Dr., #195-G Seal Beach, CA 90740

Did we forget someone you know? Any corrections or suggestions, please contact

Renée (562) 598-9317 or dorfstein1@gmail.com

PLEASE DO NOT MAIL TO THE TEMPLE OFFICE

**This must be mailed to my home address.... THANK YOU
MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN April 25, 2019**

Send this greeting from:

No. of greetings: _____ @ 75¢ each \$_____ Enclosed

**** Please make checks payable to TBD Sisterhood ****



Upcoming Bat Mitzvah



Madelyn Gracie Roth will become a Bat Mitzvah at Beth David on June 1, 2019!

Madelyn is a 7th Grade Honor Roll Student at McAuliffe Middle School. She is a passionate artist, and has been dancing and taking gymnastics since she was two. For her Mitzvah Project, Madelyn has worked with Summer Harvest for the past two years, packing and distributing food to local families. Madelyn also loves to help care for the almost 40 newborn foster babies that have come to live with her family.





Beth David



Yom Hashoah Donors:

Please return this form to Beth David.

Thank You!!!

Amount enclosed: _____\$72 _____\$54 _____\$36 _____\$18
\$_____Other

Make checks payable to Beth David Brotherhood:

Name_____

Address_____

City, State, Zip Code_____



Phone: (714) 892-6623 Email: tbdauid@templebethdavid.org.
Website: templebethdavid.org



Mitzvah Day

Sunday, April 7 8:30 am to 1 pm

Join us for a day of service as Beth David gives back to our community

On site at
Beth David

8:30 am – Nosh on the Patio Provided by Sisterhood
9 am – Opening Ceremony in Sanctuary
9:30 am – Mitzvah Day Activities Begin (Choose Your Activity Below)
11:30 am – 1 pm – Lunch on the Patio Provided by Brotherhood

- ☐ (1) Clean-up at the side of the Social Hall and electrical box area
- ☐ (2) Cleaning and organizing the supply closet near the men's restroom
- ☐ (3) Painting fire extinguisher boxes
- ☐ (4) Assembling hygiene kits for Collette's Children's Home
- ☐ (5) Make mini-fleece blankets for cats at the Seal Beach Animal Care Center
- ☐ (6) Work with Religious School classes on their projects

Off Site (Teens Welcome)

- ☐ (7) Harvesting Fruit with the Harvest Club of Orange County
The Harvest Club of Orange County is a residential gleaning program that harvests excess fruit and vegetables from the backyards of Orange County and delivers it to a local network of emergency food providers feeding our neighbors in need
- ☐ (8) Volunteering at Mercy House (Assisting staff in distributing donated items and/or items in storage or performing light housecleaning or other maintenance) Volunteer Application required. Mercy House provides housing and comprehensive supportive services for a variety of homeless populations.

Donations

Travel size hygiene items
Fleece
Baby items: wipes, diapers, gently used baby clothing and toys

RSVP REQUIRED RSVP (or questions) to Deb Lechuk at socialaction@templebethdavid.org with your first and second choice of project by **March 20**. Projects have limits on participation. The sooner you RSVP the likelier to get your first choice.



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Mitzvah Day

Sunday, April 7 8:30 am to 1 pm

Join us for a day of service as Beth David gives back to our community

Donations – We are collecting:

Travel size hygiene items for Mercy House, a service provider for people experiencing homelessness:

Shampoo & Conditioner Toothbrush & Toothpaste
Liquid Body Wash Shaving Razor
Lotion Deodorant Hair Brush
Gallon Size Zip Lock Bags

Fleece (approximately 36" x 40") for cat beds

Baby items for STEP (Support the Enlisted Project):

Wipes Diapers
Gently Used Baby Clothing and Toys

Cash donations also graciously accepted to reimburse costs.

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You are invited to join
Rabbi Myers & Cantor Linder
for our

Tot Shabbat Passover

Saturday
April 13, 2018
10:30am



Refreshments!

35 minute service for little ones who can't sit still.
There will be interactive prayers & singing.
Come join us for this fun service!!

Second Night of Passover

Saturday, April 20, 2019 - 6:00pm

**Traditional Seder led by
Rabbi Nancy Myers & Cantorial Soloist Nancy Linder**

Beth David Members - Adults \$40 Children under 13 \$12

Non Members - Adults \$45 Children under 13 \$15

Children under 5 FREE

**Beth David Family Package \$85/ Non Member Families \$100
(3 or more residing in the same house)**

A portion of proceeds will be donated to Mazon

Delicious Catered Dinner

Matzo Ball Soup

Gefilte Fish

Roasted Chicken & Brisket

Tzimmes

Roasted Potatoes

Matzah

Dessert

**Please RSVP to the Beth David Office
by Friday, April 12**

**Call the Office at 714-892-6623 or
email tbdavid@templebethdavid.org**

Beth David 6100 Hefley St Westminster CA 92683





~Sisterhood presents~

General Meeting



&



Bingo'Rita

**Play Bingo while enjoying nachos, horchata,
margaritas, sangria and treats**

\$10 for 5 Bingo cards

Beth David Social Hall

Sunday, April 28th – 2-4pm

Adults only please, sorry kiddos

RSVP by April 24th – airesnick@yahoo.com





GREATER HUNTINGTON BEACH
INTERFAITH COUNCIL

ANNUAL PRAYER BREAKFAST

THURSDAY, MAY 2ND, 2019



KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

**REVEREND JAMES M.
LAWSON, JR.**

WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

A PRESENTATION ON AFFECTING POSITIVE SOCIAL CHANGE

Reverend James Lawson was a leader in the Civil Rights Movement who advocated for the use of nonviolent tactics. He was involved with the struggle to desegregate downtown Nashville, the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, the Freedom Rides and the Southern Christian Leadership Conference. In 1968, he invited Martin Luther King Jr. to give a speech in Memphis; on this visit, King was assassinated. Throughout his life, Lawson has remained committed to nonviolence, protest and civil disobedience to effect positive social change.

2019 HOST:

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

19191 17th St. Huntington Beach

8:00 COMPLIMENTARY BUFFET BREAKFAST

8:30 PROGRAM BEGINS

BODY, MIND, & SPIRIT SHABBAT

SATURDAY, May 18 @ 9:00 AM



9:00 - 9:30 a.m. Delicious Breakfast of Bagels, Lox, Cream Cheese, Hard Boiled Eggs, Veggies, Fruit and Coffee (Cost: \$6.00)

**Choose ONE of the two activities and make
Seven Stops Celebrating the Holiness of Shabbat**



WALK IN EL DORADO PARK



HIKE IN SANTIAGO OAKS

**Meet at El Dorado Nature Center
7550 E. Spring St
Seven breaks with Larry Matalon**

Parking \$7

2145 North Windes Drive

**3-4 miles with incline &
rugged terrain
led by Rabbi Myers**

Parking \$5

**Please RSVP by THURSDAY, May 16 to the TBD Office at
(714) 892-6623 or email us at tbdavid@templebethdavid.org
Please indicate which activity you will be choosing**

2019

Annual Congregational Meeting & Membership Celebration Dinner Thursday, May 23

Beth David will honor Robin Harrison & Gloria Schwartz!

5:30 PM - Doors Open

6:00 PM - Dinner

7:00 PM - Congregational Meeting

♦ Election of Trustees for 2019-2020

♦ Budget Approval

Raffle Prizes!

Entertainment!

No Cost!

Chinese Dinner catered by:



kung pao bowl

**RSVP by May 17, 2019 to the Office
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All women are welcome to attend.

\$36 Adults • \$10 students or under 18
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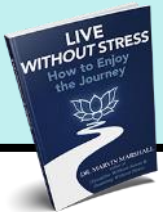
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April 2019

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	1 Dine-Out Delight @ Polly's Pies	2 4:15pm Hebrew School 6:30pm Teen Program	3 6:30pm Sisterhood Board Meeting	4	5 7:00pm Family Shabbat	6 9:00am Lay Led Minyan 10:30am McKenzie Pantel's Bat Mitzvah Service
7 9:00am Jewish School 9:00am Mitzvah Day	8	9 4:15pm Hebrew School 6:30pm Teen Program 9th Grade Program	10	11 12:00pm Lunch & Learn with Rabbi	12 7:30pm Choir Shabbat Service	13 9:00am Torah Study 10:30am Paasover Tot Shabbat
14 9:00pm Jewish School 10:30am Matzo Factory	15	16 No School	17 7:30pm Beth David Board Meeting	18	19 Passover No Service	20 10:30am Festival Passover Service 6:00pm 2nd Night Seder
21 No School	22	23 No School	24	25 6:30pm ECLC Passover 7:30pm Brotherhood Meeting	26 7:30pm Torah Shabbat Service	27 9:00am Lay Led Minyan
28 9:00am Jewish School 2:00pm Bingo'Rita and Sisterhood General Meeting	29	30 4:15pm Hebrew School 6:30pm Teen Program 9th Grade Program				

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