

Congregation Beth Am



May 2019

Nisan/Iyyar 5779

Rabbi Greene returns in May

Rabbi Marcy Greene will be visiting once a month on Saturday mornings through June 2019. This month she'll be coming on Saturday, May 25, Parashat Behar. Next month her visit will be on June 29.

First Friday Kabbalat Shabbat

May's First Friday Kabbalat Shabbat will be at 6:30 p.m. on May 3 at the home of Rhoda Rappaport.

Please bring beverages, side dish or dessert to share for a potluck dinner following Kabbalat Shabbat services.

June's First Friday is on June 7 at 6:30 p.m.

Thank You

To those who helped with Shabbat and holiday services in April: Rona Aduna, Karen Berkowitz, Marion Bernstein, Rabbi Marcy Greene, Gary Kurzban, and Nancy Oseason.

To those who provided kiddush in April: Mike & Evelyn Roth, Karen Berkowitz and Nancy Oseason.

To Rhoda Rappaport for hosting First Friday in April.

Contributions to Congregation Beth Am should be sent to Rhoda Rappaport, 16942 Summer Creek Dr., SAT 78248-1409.



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In the Community

JFS Brunch of Inspiration in May

Jewish Family Service of San Antonio will hold its annual fundraiser on Sunday, May 19, at 10 a.m. at the Jewish Campus.

The event helps support mental health and social services provided by JFS to the entire community.

Tickets for the gala brunch are \$60. Reservations may be made at www.jfs-sa.org/inspiration.

Yom Ha-Shoah – Holocaust Memorial Day

The annual community observance of Holocaust Memorial Day, Yom Ha-Shoah, will be at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 1, at Congregation Agudas Achim.

Hebrew Free Loan Family Picnic

The Hebrew Free Loan Association is hosting a family picnic at Eisenhower Park's Gated Mass Pavilion on Sunday, May 5, from 12:30 to 4 p.m.

The event will include kosher hot dogs and hamburgers, live music, activities for children, and bingo. Tickets may be purchased online at <hfla-sa.org/picnic> or by calling 210/736-4352.

Israel's Independence Day

Yom HaZikaron (Israeli Memorial Day) and Yom Ha'Atzmaut (Israel's Independence Day) will be observed in a community-wide program on Wednesday evening, May 8 at the Jewish Campus. The memorial service begins at 5:30 p.m. in the Holzman Auditorium, followed by a celebration at 6:30 p.m. in the gym. Food, music, and activities for children will be available.

HADASSAH TO HONOR ROSE TREIMAN GROUP

On Thursday, May 9, at 11:30 a.m., Hadassah will hold a lunch at Milano's Restaurant (at Wurzbach and Lockhill-Selma) to honor the women of its Rose Treiman Group for their efforts on behalf of Israel.

Guest speaker will be the associate conductor of the San Antonio Symphony, Noam Aviel.

The cost of the lunch is \$15. Reservations may be made by sending a check to Roberta Abelman at 1159 River Park, San Antonio 78216.

*Remember to vote
Municipal Elections
Saturday, May 4*

2 Iyyar (May 7) Nathan (Ned) Alterman, grandfather of Terri Foose

22 Iyyar (May 27) Michael Lofrumento, uncle of Andy Gravin

26 Iyyar (May 31) Gerda Holthuis, grandmother of Jennifer Janes

27 Iyyar (June 1) Myron A. Roth, father of Mike Roth

27 Iyyar (June 1) Dr. Bernard Garfinkel, cousin of Marianne Kestenbaum

27 Iyyar (June 1) Carol Shiver, mother of Mark Shiver

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30 Nisan (May 5) Joseph Bender, father of Marjorie Gregerman

1 Iyyar (May 6) Charles Hilton, brother of Sylvia Hilton

Happy Mother's Day!

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MAY SHABBAT SERVICES

☆ *Saturday services are at 10 a.m. in the Thoreau Building, UUC, 7150 IH-10 West.* ☆

May 3: First Friday Kabbalat Shabbat, 6:30 p.m., at the home of Rhoda Rappaport

May 11: *Kedoshim* Gabbai: Gary Kurzban; Shaliach Tzibbur: Marion Bernstein; Torah: TBA; Haftarah: TBA; D'var Torah: TBA; Kiddush: TBA

May 25: *Behar* Gabbai: Gary Kurzban; Shaliach Tzibbur: Marion Bernstein; Torah: Rabbi Marcy Greene; Haftarah: TBA; D'var Torah: Rabbi Marcy; Kiddush: TBA

June 7: First Friday Kabbalat Shabbat, 6:30 p.m., at the home of Marianne & Lenny Kestenbaum

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