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Parashat Shemini
Shabbat Mevarechim Ha'Chodesh

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 Please turn off cell phones when in the building on Shabbat.



Note to parents: We are delighted to have children at our services and in the sanctuary! They are our future. Our new building includes a Quiet Room connected to the back of the sanctuary. You may see and hear services from the Quiet Room whenever you might prefer.

Triennial Torah Reading for Shabbat Morning

Etz Hayim Chumash: p. 636

Vayikra (Leviticus)

1st Aliyah: Leviticus. 11:1-8

2nd Aliyah: Leviticus. 11:9-12

3rd Aliyah: Leviticus. 11:13-19

4th Aliyah: Leviticus. 11:20-28

5th Aliyah: Leviticus. 11:29-32

6th Aliyah: Leviticus 11:33-38

7th Aliyah: Leviticus 11:39-47

Maftir: Leviticus. 11:45-47

Haftarah: 2 Samuel 6:1 - 7:17

Etz Hayim Chumash: p. 645

An Island of Stillness

The world has our hands, but our soul belongs to Someone Else. Six days a week we seek to dominate the world, on the seventh day we try to dominate the self....

To set apart one day a week for freedom, a day on which we would not use the instruments which have been so easily turned into weapons of destruction, a day for being with ourselves, a day of detachment from the vulgar, of independence of external obligations, a day on which we stop worshipping the idols of technical civilization, a day on which we use no money, a day of armistice in the economic struggle with our fellow men and the forces of nature – is there any institution that holds out a greater hope for man's progress than the Sabbath?

In the tempestuous ocean of time and toil there are islands of stillness where man may enter a harbor and reclaim our dignity. The island is the seventh day, the Sabbath, a day of detachment from things, instruments and practical affairs as well as of attachment to the spirit.

Abraham J. Heschel
The Sabbath

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Dr. Steven Seltzer in memory of Hyman Seltzer
 Linda Roesen in memory of Hyman Seltzer
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 Neal Rosenbaum in memory of Donald W. Rosenbaum
 Bonnie Katzenberg in memory of Charles Salken
 Bonnie Katzenberg in memory of Esther Katzenberg
 Dr. Guy Levy in memory of Sara Omansky "Sassi" Levy
 Sylvia Craft in memory of Henry Sachs

YAHREZEITS April 26-May2

Sadye Massell Blechman	Fannie Blumenthal	Esther Meyhr Cannon	Anna Cohen
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Sara Omansky "Sassi" Levy		Donald W. Rosenbaum	



Happy Birthday and Happy Anniversary to the following who are 
 celebrating from April 25-May 1

Steve Meyerson	Liz Busch	Yishai Hyman	Gene Arthur Breslow-Hacke
Jodi Eligberg	Bob Kessler	Toby Eisenberg	Martha Katz-Hyman
Evelyn Mason	Sydney Frank		Geofrey Nochimson

♦ *Mishebeirach List* ⇨

*Mishebeirach... We pray for healing: *added this week*

Gladys Aaron	Bill Dame	Perila bat Risha
Al Batten	Katie Murphy	Rivka Yuhudit bat Risha
Michael Fox	Shameika Peters	Avram ben Meir
Jan Freedman	Katalin Kover	Shira Esther bat Gilah Sara
Greg Lau	Jacob Daniel Kennedy	Itel bat Israel v' Brendl
Yvonne Paglia	Kelly Flick	Yakov Shlomo ben Aryeh Lev v' Shoshana
Mark Moran	Sybillie Anbar	Shmuel ben Avram Yusef v' Ester
Charity Michael	John Wetzel	Ceidl Freda
Edgar Altchek	Paul Koons	Reuven Melech ben Moshe Shmuel
Sheldon Goldberg	Robert Goldblatt	Minna Yochevet bat Eta Leah
Steve Smith	Robin Kleiman	Binah Channah bat Hangelah Elishevah
*Terry Reamer	Marcy Shepard	Hangelah Elishevah bat Miriam
Steve Scheffler	Renelle Newman	Aaron Betzalel ben Hangelah Elishevah
Ronald Weaver	Michele Beresh	Shifra bat Avraham Avinu v'Sara Imanu
Sandy Katz	Carl Brown	Chaya bat Lazer
Catherine Laura Reid	Carole Traster-Wilk	Malkah bat Ariyeh v'Malkah
George Cloyed	Joseph Goodwin	Tsvi ben Basha Leah
Joshua Kincaid	David Chesnut	Israel ben Mordecai v' Deborah
Judy Featherstone	Kenneth Van Joyce	Natanya bat Yonatan
Martha L. Muir	Judy Morewitz	Sarah Leah bat Avraham v'Sarah
Steven Willey	Dr. Peggy Pritchett	Yoel Yitzchak ben Rakhel
Marika Wida	Marlene Eichelbaum	Meir ben Miriam v' Gershon HaKohen
Catherine Fischl	Mel Eichelbaum	Yitzchak Mayer ben Yishaiya v' Bayla
Tibor Fischl	Kathy Croll	Mattel Goldie bat Irving v'Lorraine
Karen & Ron Markisenis	Bill Muir	Lazar Ben Michael v' Chayke
John Sinclair	Brandon Parker	Chava bat Miriam v' Avraham
Marsha Levine	Anita Reid	Tzina bat Frances v'David
Debra Davis	Ted Sandier	Naomi bat Reuven v Leah
Arthur Stadlen	David Brewer	Chava bat Chaya
Nicholas Adinaro	Ben Goldman	Bashi Zeisel bat Jakov v' Esther
Frank Allerio	David Scheetz	Avraham ben Mordche v' Soshie Deborah
Zachary Sementelli	Charlotte Doran	Sheva Chana bat Tsvi and Peshi Rashi
Ron Hargis	Charlotte Brink	Pesaha ben Sarah
Brad Friedlin	Bob & Elaine Wicker	M'eirah bat Akiva v' Chaya
Barbara Smith	Al Stamps	Malka bat Chana
Georgiana Portuondo	Brad Guiseurite	Tova bat Rivka
Victor Grgich	Rhonda Falcone Toll	Chaim ben Lav
Maggie Glickman	Ethan Hamilton	Chaya bat Yael v' Yosef
Tatum White	Danielle White	Chanah Bluma bat Helen v' Binyamin Laizer
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