

SHABBAT PROGRAM

MARCH 26-27, 2021 / 14 NISAN 5781
TRANS DAY OF VISIBILITY SHABBAT
SHABBAT HAGADOL – PARSHAT TZAV

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"I will surely open the floodgates of the sky for you and pour down blessings
on you." (Malachi 3:10)
-Haftarah for Shabbat HaGadol

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"The CBST community knows what it takes to live through a plague. Love and compassion and support are at the center of survival. Remember to be kind and generous while being cautious and vigilant about staying healthy and keeping others safe. We will continue being a powerful spiritual community of resistance and love. May the Holy One surround you and your loved ones and give you strength and comfort as we face the uncertainty of the times we are in. Be the reason people have faith in the goodness of others." —**Rabbi Sharon Kleinbaum**

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This Week's Shabbat Services

<p>Friday, Mar. 26 / 14 Nisan Trans Day of Visibility Shabbat, Shabbat HaGadol Kabbalat Shabbat, 6:30 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Ba'aleh Tefillah</i>: Ze'evi Berman• <i>Piano</i>: Music Director Joyce Rosenzweig• <i>Service Leader</i>: Rabbi Yael Rapport• <i>Drashah</i>: Ariel Zitny <p>Through gifts from generous donors, <u>CBST's Friday Night Prayerbook</u> is now available for online purchase at reduced price.</p>	<p>Saturday, Mar. 27 / 14 Nisan Shabbat Morning–Shabbat Morning Services, 9:30 am; Zoom link here</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Ba'alat Tefillah</i>: Rabbi Marisa James• <i>Service Leader & D'var Torah</i>: Cooperberg-Rittmaster Rabbinical Intern Dave Yedid <p>CBST First Night Community Passover Seder 5781, 7:30pm; Zoom link here <u>Click here</u> to contribute in support of CBST's online Seder led by our clergy team</p>
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OPENING PRAYERS AND MEDITATIONS הַקִּנּוּת הַלֵּב

<i>Prelude</i>	מִן הַמֵּצַר Min Hameitzar	Noah Aronson (Born 1985)*
31	שַׁבַּת הַמַּלְכָּה Shabbat Hamalkah	Pinchas Minkowsky (1859-1924)*
38	הַדְּלָקַת נְרוֹת שֶׁל שַׁבָּת Candle Blessings	Abraham Wolf Binder (1895-1967)*
40	שְׁלוֹם עֲלֵיכֶם Shalom Aleichem	Israel Goldfarb (1897-1956)*

KABBALAT SHABBAT / WELCOMING SHABBAT קַבְלַת שַׁבָּת

52	לְכוּ נִרְנְנָה (תהלים צה) L'chu N'ran'nah (Psalm 95)	Reuben Sirotkin (Born 1933)*
54	יִשְׁמְחוּ הַשָּׁמַיִם (תהלים צו) Yism'chu Hashamayim (Psalm 96)	Chasidic*
62	מִזְמוֹר לְדָוִד (תהלים כט) Mizmor L'David (Psalm 29)	Yiddish Melody (Shnirele Perele)*
66	לְכָה דוֹדִי L'chah Dodi (Shlomo Alkabetz) From March, 2019	Yoel Sykes (Born 1986)* Moshe Laufer*
72	מִזְמוֹר שִׁיר (תהלים צב) Mizmor Shir (Psalm 92)	Daphna Rosenberg (Born 1967)

MA'ARIV / THE EVENING SERVICE

78	בָּרְכוּ Bar'chu	Nusach
80	הַמַּעְרִיבָה עֲרָבִים Hama'ariveh Aravim	Nusach
86	אַהֲבַת עוֹלָם Ahavat Olam	Eric Mandell (1903-1988)*
88	שִׁמְעֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל Sh'ma Yisrael	Salomon Sulzer (1804-1890)
89	וְאַהֲבַת V'ahavta	Torah Cantillation (Trobe)
Program	Standing at the Parted Shores	Noah Aronson (Born 1985)*
94	מִי כַמּוֹחָה Mi Chamocha	Adir Hu Melody*
98	הַשְׁכִּיבֵנוּ Hashkiveinu	Max Helfman (1901-1963)
102	וְשִׁמְרוּ V'shamru	South African Melody*
104	חֲצִי קָדִישׁ Chatsi Kaddish	Nusach
	עֲמִידָה Silent Amidah	
Program	אֱ-לֹהֵי נֶשְׁמָה Elohai Neshama	Fred Ross-Perry*
118	עֲשֵׂה שְׁלוֹם Oseh Shalom	Shlomo Carlebach (1926-1994)*
130	תְּפִלָּה לְרִפּוּאָה Prayer for Healing	
130	אֱ-לֹהֵי נָא רַפָּא נָא El Na R'fa Nah	Will Robertson
Program	תְּפִלָּה לְמִדְיָנָה Prayer for Our Country	
138	קָדִישׁ שְׁלֵם Kaddish Shalem	Nusach

DRASHAH: ARIEL ZITNY

Program	יְבָרְכֶךָ (בְּרַכַּת הַכּוֹהֲנִים) Y'varecheche – Blessing for Trans Jews	Ze'evi Berman
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CONCLUDING PRAYERS

140	עֲלֵינוּ Aleinu	סִימָן הַתְּפִלָּה Salomon Sulzer (1804-1890)*
150	קָדִישׁ יְתוֹם Mourner's Kaddish	

Service cont.

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Program	מִן הַמֵּצָר / עֲנִי	Min Hameitzar / Anneini	Noah Aronson (Born 1985)*
156	קִידוּשׁ & הַמוּצִיא	Kiddush & Motzi	Louis Lewandowski (1821-1894)
Postlude	דַּיָּנוּ	Dayenu	Folk Melody*

**Arranged by Joyce Rosenzweig*

Composer Feature

Known for an engaging and deeply soulful approach, **Noah Aronson (born 1985)** is one of the most sought after Jewish musicians in North America. After earning a degree in Jazz Composition and Piano from Berklee College of Music, Noah held the positions of Composer-in-Residence at Temple Beth Elohim in Wellesley, MA, producing four albums of Jewish communal music with Cantor Jodi Sufrin. Noah currently lives in New York City and tours year-round visiting communities nationwide and abroad. Compositions such as “Let There Be Love/Hashkivienu” and “Standing at the Parted Shores” have been CBST standards for many years. In addition to an annual tour schedule, Noah pursues a love of teaching by serving on the faculty of Hebrew Union College - Jewish Institute of Religion’s Debbie Friedman School of Sacred Music in Manhattan.

Standing on the Parted Shores

Music: Noah Aronson

Lyrics: Michael Walzer

Standing on the parted shores of history
 We still believe what we were taught
 Before ever we stood at Sinai’s foot
 That wherever we go, it’s eternally Egypt
 That there’s a better place, a promised land,
 And the winding way to that promise passes through the wilderness
 That there’s no way to get from here to there
 Except by joining hands
 And marching together, singing...

Y'varech'ch eh – A Blessing for Trans Jews of Many Genders

Music: Ze'evi Berman

Text: adapted from the Priestly Benediction using the grammatical system of Lior Gross:
nonbinaryhebrew.com

Y'varech'ch eh Adonai v'yishm'rech eh Ya'eir Adonai panav eilech eh vichunekeh Yisa Adonai panav eilech eh v'yaseim l'ch eh shalom	יְבָרֵךְ ה' וְיִשְׁמְרֵךְ יֵאֵר ה' פָּנָיו אֵלֶיךָ וִיחַנֵּךְ יֵשָׂא ה' פָּנָיו אֵלֶיךָ וְיֵשֶׁם לְךָ שְׁלוֹם
May God bless you and keep you May God's light shine upon you, and may God be gracious to you May you feel God's presence within you always, and may you find peace	

Min Hameitzar / Anneini

Music and English by Noah Aronson

Text: Psalm 118

Min hameitzar karati Yah
Annani vamerchav Yah
Min hameitzar karati Yah
Annani vamerchav Yah
Odecha ki anitani
va'tehi li lishuya
Odecha ki anitani
va'tehi li va'tehi li lishuya

Anneini Anneini Anneini Answer Me
Anneini Anneini Anneini Answer Me
I called out to You from a narrow place
Your answer came to me from a wide open space
My heart cried out for You wherever You are
Your hand reached out to me —min hameitzar

*In distress I called on the Eternal; Adonai answered me and brought me relief.
I praise You, for You have answered me and have become my deliverance.*

Refuah Shleimah – Healing Prayers

Stephen Altman	Elijaho Mayer	Gary Sharkey
Marsha Ellen Bornstein	Maureen Michael	Joan Tabor
Lise Brown	Geulah bat Miriam	Michelle Treistman
Jeanne Carey	Saul Mizrahi	Urvashi Vaid
Karen Filosa	Rochel Leah bat Moishe	Rose Wahnnon
Rita Fischer	v'Shaindel	Pinchas Gedalia ben
Jeany Heller	Marilyn Rantinella	Yehudit v'Binyamin
Steve Kotick	Rebecca Rosenbaum	

We include in our healing prayers all those currently afflicted with COVID-19, in the CBST community & at large. We also include in our prayers the thousands of immigrant children in US custody, most of whom are separated from their families. This list is for those with acute illness. Any member can submit their name for one-month inclusion. We only print names of those who have consented. You may say any name aloud during the healing prayer. If you or a CBST member you know is ill & would like support, contact info@cbst.org. We're here for you.

Yortzeits 14 Nisan to 20 Nisan 5781

Members memorialized on the Wine Family Sanctuary Memorial Wall

H. Wayne Bardy	Danny Jacobs	Richard Radvon
Randy Hirshberg	Lawrence Levinson	Sheldon Stone

Family & Friends memorialized on plaques on the Kuriel Chapel Memorial Wall

Oscar Comras	E. Heldeman	Sadie Maltz
Alfred Friedman, M.D.	Mark Howard	Samuel Pierce
Shirley Hauser	Eugene Katz	Samuel Tau

Condolences

The CBST community extends condolences to mourners among us:

The families, friends, and communities of all those who are dying each day from the COVID-19 pandemic. As of today, the total number of deaths are:

- 30,852 in New York City;
- 559,954 across the United States;
- 50,093 in New York State;
- 2,771,572 worldwide.

May God comfort you among all who mourn. We pray for peace.

PRAYER for OUR COUNTRY Rabbi Ayelet Cohen

Our God and God of our ancestors,
bless this country and all who dwell within it.
Help us to experience the blessings of our lives and circumstances,
To be vigilant, compassionate, and brave.
Strengthen us when we are afraid,
Help us to channel our anger, so that it motivates us to action.
Help us to feel our fear, so that we do not become numb.
Help us to be generous with others, so that we raise each other up.
Help us to be humble in our fear,
knowing that as vulnerable as we feel,
there are those at greater risk, and
that it is our holy work to stand with them.
Help us to taste the sweetness of liberty,
To not take for granted the freedoms won
in generations past or in recent days.
To heal and nourish our democracy,
that it may be like a tree planted by the water
whose roots reach down to the stream;
it need not fear drought when it comes,
its leaves are always green (Jeremiah 17:8).
Source of all Life,
Guide our leaders with righteousness
Strengthen their hearts, but keep them from hardening.
That they may use their influence and authority to
speak truth and act for justice (Isaiah 16:3-5).
May all who dwell in this country
share in its bounty, enjoy its freedoms,
and be protected by its laws.
May this nation use its power and wealth
to be a voice for justice,
peace, and equality for all who dwell on earth.
May we be strong and have courage
To be bold in our action and deep in our compassion,
To discern when we must listen and when we must act,
To uproot bigotry, intolerance, misogyny, racism,
discrimination, and violence in all its forms,
To celebrate the many faces of God reflected
in the wondrous diversity of humanity,
To welcome the stranger and the immigrant
and to honor the gifts of those who seek refuge
and possibility here, as they have since
before this nation was born.
Let justice well up like waters, and righteousness
like a mighty stream (Amos 5:24)

אלוהינו ואלוהי אבותנו ואמותינו. ברך את ארצנו ואת כל
היושבות והיושבים בה
יחד לבבנו להודות לך על חיינו ועל הזמן הזה
להיות דרוכות, אמיצים, ומלאי חמלה.
חזקנו וחזק ידנו כאשר אנו אחוזים בפחד
סייע בידינו לנתב את כעסנו לידי מעשה
חזק לבבנו לחוש את מלוא הפחד שלנו
כדי שלא נהפוך לאדישות
סייע לנו להשפיע נדיבות על אחרים כדי שנרים זה את זה.
סייע לנו להיות צנועות בפחד, כדי שנדע כי גם כשאנו מרגישים
פגיעות, יש אחרות, הנמצאות בסיכון גבוה אף יותר, זוהי חובתנו
הקדושה להיות עמן.
ברכנו בטעם המתוק של החופש
כדי שנשכיל להעריך את החופש לו זכינו בדורות קודמים ובעת הזו
לרפא ולחזק את הדמוקרטיה שלנו שתהיה כַּעַץ שְׁתוּל עַל-מַיִם,
וְעַל-יּוֹבֵל יִשְׁלַח שְׂרָשָׁיו, וְלֹא יִרְאֶה כִּי-יָבֵא חֹסֶם, וְהָיָה עֲלֵהוּ רֶעֶנָּה;
(ירמיהו יז, ח)
שכינה, אם כל חי,
שלחי אורך ואמתך למנהיגנו
חזקי לבבותיהם שלא יתקשו
שישתמשו בכוחן כדי לדבר אמת ולפעול בצדק (ישעיהו טז, ג-ה)
מי יתן וכל יושבי הארץ יחלקו בעושרה, ישגשו בחופש שתציע, ויהיו
מוגנים בחוקיה
מי יתן ואומה זו תשתמש בכוחה ובעושרה על מנת לקדם צדק, חופש
ושלום לכל יושבי תבל
מי יתן ונהיה חזקות ואמיצים
מי יתן ונהיה נועזים במעשי ידנו ועמוקות בחמלה שבלבנו
שנבחין מתי עלינו להקשיב ומתי עלינו לפעול
לעקור שנאה, גזענות, שוביניזם, אפליה, אלימות בכל צורה,
לחגוג את צלם אלוהים בפנים שונות המשתקפות בכל המגוון האנושי
לקבל את הזר ואת המהגרת, ולכבד את המתנות שמביא כל מי
שמבקשת מקלט והודמנות בארץ זו, כפי שהיה מאז לפני שאומה זו
נולדה
וַיִּגַּל בְּמַיִם, מִשְׁפָּט; וַיְצַדֵּקָה, כְּנַחַל אֵיתָן
(עמוס ה כד)

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Linda Solomon and Bonnie Siegel to wish all a Happy Pesach.

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Linda Creash in memory of my wonderful father, Norman, on his 26th yortzeit. He was truly a friend to all.

Mickey Dickenson and Randi Sarokoff in loving memory of Randi's grandmother, Sadie Maltz, z”l, on her 24th yortzeit. Grandma Sadie's light shines bright in our lives and always will. She is missed!

Donna Gray honoring my father Richard "Dick" Gray on his second yorzeit today, forevermore the day before the first Seder. "Thank you for being my father. It was quite a ride."

Stephen Raphael and Christopher Desmone in memory of our dear friend Julio Santiago's mother - Candida Rosalia Santiago Figueroa - who passed away last week. Z”L. May her name be for a blessing.

Stephen Raphael and Christopher Desmone to welcome the newest furry member to our family - Ruthie Desmone Raphael - with love from your dads.

Bill Rosenbloom in honor of Judy Hollander and the people who have signed up to join the 2nd night seder.

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