

SHABBAT PROGRAM

MAY 14-15, 2021 / 4 SIVAN 5781
PARSHAT BAMIDBAR

שָׂאוּ אֶת-רֹאשׁ כָּל-עֵדַת בְּנֵי-יִשְׂרָאֵל לְמִשְׁפְּחֹתָם לְבֵית אֲבוֹתָם.

"Take a census of the whole Israelite company by the clans of its ancestral houses." (Numbers 1:2)

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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, May 14 / 4 Sivan Kabbalat Shabbat, 6:30 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Ba'al Tefillah</i>: Cantorial Intern Sam Rosen• <i>Piano</i>: Music Director Joyce Rosenzweig• <i>Service Leader & Drashah</i>: Rabbi Sharon Kleinbaum• <i>Percussionist</i>: Barbara Freedman <p>Through gifts from generous donors, CBST's Friday Night Prayerbook is now available for online purchase at reduced price.</p>	<p>Saturday, May 15 / 4 Sivan Shabbat Morning Services, 9:30 am; Zoom link here</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Ba'al Tefillah</i>: Cantorial Intern Sam Rosen• <i>D'var Torah</i>: Cooperberg-Rittmaster Rabbinical Fellow Deborah Megdal <p>Havdalah, 8pm; Zoom link here</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Led by Rabbi Marisa James
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OPENING PRAYERS AND MEDITATIONS הַכְנֵת הַלֵּב

30	הִנֵּה מָה טוֹב (תהלים קלג)	Hinei Ma Tov	Elana Arian (Born 1981)*
38	הַדְּלֻקֵּת נְרוֹת שֶׁל שַׁבָּת	Candle Blessings	Abraham Wolf Binder (1895-1967)*
40	שָׁלוֹם עָלֵיכֶם	Shalom Aleichem	Israel Goldfarb (1897-1956)*

KABBALAT SHABBAT / WELCOMING SHABBAT קַבָּלַת שַׁבָּת

52	לְכוּ נִרְנְנָה (תהלים צה)	L'chu N'ran'nah (Psalm 95)	Abayudaya Ugandan*
54	יִשְׁמְחוּ הַשָּׁמַיִם (תהלים צו)	Yism'chu Hashamayim (Psalm 96)	Craig Taubman (Born 1958)*
62	מִזְמוֹר לְדָוִד (תהלים כט)	Mizmor L'David (Psalm 29)	Shlomo Carlebach (1926-1994)*
66	לֶכָּה דוֹדִי	L'chah Dodi (Shlomo Alkabetz)	Abie Rotenberg* Chasidic*
72	טוֹב לְהַדוֹת (תהלים צב)	Tov L'hodot (Psalm 92)	Ken Chasen (Born 1965)*

MA'ARIV / THE EVENING SERVICE

מַעֲרִיב

78	בָּרְכוּ	Bar'chu	Nusach
80	הַמַּעֲרִיב עֲרֵבִים	Hama'ariv Aravim	Nusach
86	אַהֲבַת עוֹלָם	Ahavat Olam	Debbie Friedman (1951-2011)*
88	שִׁמְעֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל	Sh'ma Yisrael	Salomon Sulzer (1804-1890)
89	וְאַהֲבַת	V'ahavta	Torah Cantillation (Trope)
94	מִי כַמּוֹחָה	Mi Chamocha	Allan Naplan (Born 1972)*
98	הַשְׁכִּיבֵנוּ	Hashkiveinu	Moditz Chasidim*
102	וְשִׁמְרוּ	V'shamru	Moshe Rothblum (Born 1944)*
104	חֲצִי קָדִישׁ	Chatsi Kaddish	Nusach
	עֲמִידָה	Silent Amidah	
116	שָׁלוֹם רַב	Shalom Rav	Joyce Rosenzweig and David Berger
118	עֹשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם	Oseh Shalom	Debbie Friedman (1951-2011)*
130	תְּפִלָּה לְרִפּוּאָה	Prayer for Healing	
Program	תְּפִלָּה לְמַדִּינָה	Prayer for Our Country	
138	קָדִישׁ שָׁלֵם	Kaddish Shalem	Nusach

DRASHAH: RABBI SHARON KLEINBAUM

CONCLUDING PRAYERS

סִיּוֹם הַתְּפִלָּה

140	עֲלֵינוּ	Aleinu	Salomon Sulzer (1804-1890)*
228	סְפִירַת הָעוֹמֶר	Counting of the Omer	
150	קָדִישׁ יְתוֹם	Mourner's Kaddish	

ANNOUNCEMENTS: CBST PRESIDENT SABRINA FARBER

101	עוֹד יָבוֹא	Od Yavo	Mosh Ben Ari (Born 1971)*
156	קִידוּשׁ & הַמּוֹצֵיא	Kiddush & Hamotzi	Louis Lewandowski (1821-1894)

*Arranged by Joyce Rosenzweig

COMPOSER FEATURE

Allan Naplan (born 1972) is an award-winning composer whose compositions have enriched synagogue music for many years. Naplan grew up outside Boston surrounded by Jewish music. Now the executive and producing director of the Arizona Musicfest series, Allan has worked in the music industry both behind the scenes and as a professional opera singer. A two-time winner of the Guild of Temple Musicians Young Composers Award, Naplan's music has been performed in more than 30 countries. Naplan's setting of *Mi Chamocha*, for cantor and choir, is a beautiful and expressive composition.



Our Second Anniversary and a New Name: Mazal tov to The Ark Immigration Clinic at CBST!

Exactly two years ago, CBST took a leap of faith and launched our immigration clinic. Inspired and supported by our friends at RUSA LGBT, SAFE (Seeking Asylum and Finding Empowerment), and the New Sanctuary Coalition, we started training clinic volunteers, held an accredited class for lawyers to better understand immigration law, and on Wednesday May 8th, 2019, we welcomed our first small group of immigrant friends and got to work on their applications for asylum.

Two years later, we've had over 300 volunteers give their time and energy, we've built community with asylum seekers from more than 20 countries, and we've celebrated 12 friends winning their asylum cases.

Support the work of the clinic by [making a donation](#)! The work we do is only possible because of the many different contributions that everyone in the community makes. (in the "additional notes" box, let us know that you're honoring the clinic's anniversary.)

Interested in volunteering? Whether you're new to clinic work or a returning volunteer, we'd love to have you. Email Clinic Coordinator Noah Habeeb to learn more at sanctuary@cbst.org.

Are you a lawyer? We're hosting a free Introduction to Immigration Law CLE class on Thursday May 20th, and only ask that you commit to at least 10 hours of volunteering. [Register here](#).

Thank you all for helping build this community of love and resistance and joy.

Refuah Shleimah – Healing Prayers

Ruth Berman	Linda Kenepeske	Liz Scott
Cathy Binder	Saul Mizrahi	Gary Sharkey
John Cincotta	John Musco	Alena Shouman
Nancy Eisenoff	Monique Prince	Pam Trester
Joan Friedman	Susan Ricken	Urvashi Vaid
Michal bat Gesheh-Henya	Trix Rosen	Rose Wahnnon
Maria Jose Domingues	Rebecca Rosenbaum	Jay Weinstein

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 4 Sivan to 10 Sivan 5781

Members memorialized on the Wine Family Sanctuary Memorial Wall

Leah Carrey	Kurt Rosenbaum
Arnold Mandelbaum	Charles Tyson

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

Blima Buchbleter	Arthur Kotick	Jilla (Esther) Namdar Simani
Alice Epstein	Alan Levinsohn	Edythe Siegel
Jack Erlich	Ralph Lutrin	Esther Wanerman
Barbara Finn	Judah Mizrahi	Arthur Wilensky
Michael Hatoff	Bernice Monaco	Alvin Wolf

Condolences

The CBST community extends condolences to mourners among us:

CBST members **Ilan Weisberg and Mauricio Ledesma** on the death of Ilan's father, Allan G. Weisberg, z"l, who died May 13 at age 84.

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:

- 32,966 in New York City;
- 598,542 across the United States;
- 53,164 in New York State;
- 3,361,175 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-יוֹבֵל יִשְׁלַח שְׂרָשָׁיו, וְלֹא יֵרָאֶה כִּי-יָבֵא חֶסֶם, 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
וַיֵּגַל בְּמַיִם, מִשְׁפָּט; וַיִּצְדָּקָה, כְּנַחֲלֵי אֵיתָן
(עמוס ה כד)

CBST's 26th ANNUAL BENEFIT CONCERT

Sunday, June 6, 2021 / 26 Sivan 5781, 4 PM

"Mourning into Dancing"

Psalm 30

Music of Courage, Resilience, and Transformation

3:30 pm Pre-Concert Surprise; 4:00 pm Concert + Meet-the-Performers

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Throughout history, music has served as a primal expression of the human experience, and as a catalyst for resistance and survival. This year's concert will highlight music composed in or about times of strife, honoring the human urge to recast suffering into art. Through diverse instrumental, vocal, and choral works, written across disparate continents and time periods, we will honor the courage and resilience of the human spirit and the transformative power of music.



Rabbi Sharon Kleinbaum • Joyce Rosenzweig, Music Director • Adria Benjamin, Viola
Ivan Barenboim, Clarinet • Ze'evi Berman, Cantorial Student • Simon Dratfield, Flute
Tomoko Fujita, Cello • Adrienne Kim, Piano • Shura Lipovsky, Soloist
Marc Molomot, Soloist • Sam Rosen, Cantorial Intern • Sebu Sirinian, Violin
Lisa Tipton, Violin • Sally Wilfert, Soloist • The CBST Community Chorus

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TONIGHT'S LIVESTREAM / ZOOM

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Lorraine Baysek and Karen Miscuk Celebrating, hopefully, our 38th anniversary. Paris and Buddy. What a bunch of crazy ladies.

Noemi Masliah in celebration of The ARK, CBST's immigration clinic, on its 2nd anniversary. As a community working hard to save lives, we have a lot to be proud of.

Rachael Monaco and Jennifer Resnick in memory of Rachael's mother, Bernice Harriett Samberg Monaco, z"l, on the anniversary of her 16th yortzeit. Sorely missed and forever remembered.

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Naomi Blakeman on the occasion of my grandfather's, Gregory Novofastovsky's, first yortzeit.

Anika Cooper Remembering my father, Naftali on his second yortzeit. I miss you, feel your presence, and I'm guided by your wisdom. I believe you will be with me in a loving and empowering way.

Larry Finkelstein in memory of my father, Aaron Finkelstein, z"l, on his 21st yortzeit. He would have loved attending services from home via Zoom, and would never have to be reminded to mute.

Andrea Gass from Phoenix. I appreciate online services so much.

Barbara Grindell and Sherryl Drasin in memory of Barbara's father, Henry Berman, z"l, on his 30th yortzeit. He is always in our thoughts.

Jinny Henenberg with gratitude to Rabbi Kleinbaum.

Joanne Jacobson and Ellen Wertheim in loving memory of Florence Jacobson, z"l, on her third yortzeit.

Noemi Masliah and Barbara Cohen in honor of Elizabeth Cooper's 60th birthday. You are a blessing in our lives.

Marilyn Mishaan to remember my dear friend Dr. Jill Morris, z"l, whose 5th yortzeit was this week. May she rest in peace and send us all blessings.

Sponsorships cont.

Linda Solomon and Bonnie Siegel How wonderful to have Shabbat services in our beautiful sanctuary with our Rabbi, Joyce, and Sam.

Shep Wahnnon celebrating my luckiest day, May 12th 1994. I'm grateful to my companion John Sharkey for saving me, finding me in a coma, suffering from sepsis and AIDS. My doctor, friends, and G-d never gave up on me.

Elizabeth Cooper, Liz Edman, Calvin Klein Hoffmann

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