

SHABBAT PROGRAM

MAY 7-8, 2021 / 26 IYYAR 5781
PARSHAT BEHAR-BECHUKOTAI

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וְחָרֵב לֹא־תַעֲבֹר בְּאֶרְצְכֶם.

"I will give peace throughout the land, so that you will lie down with none to make you afraid; I will rid the land of wild beasts, and no sword shall cross through your land." (Leviticus 26:6)

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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 7 / 26 Iyyar Kabbalat Shabbat, 6:30 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Ba'alat Tefillah</i>: Rachel Chang• <i>Service Leader</i>: Rabbi Yael Rapport• <i>Drashah</i>: Rabbi Sharon Kleinbaum <p>Through gifts from generous donors, CBST's Friday Night Prayerbook is now available for online purchase at reduced price.</p>	<p>Saturday, May 8 / 26 Iyyar Shabbat Morning Services, 9:30 am; Zoom link here Bar Mitzvah of Alex Weinstein</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Ba'al Tefillah</i>: Cantorial Intern Sam Rosen• <i>Service Leaders</i>: Rabbi Sharon Kleinbaum & Rabbi Yael Rapport• <i>D'var Torah</i>: Alex Weinstein <p>Havdalah, 8pm; Zoom link here</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Led by Rabbi Yael Rapport
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OPENING PRAYERS AND MEDITATIONS הַלַּב הַקֵּנֶת

Program	מה יפה היום	Mah Yafeh Hayom	Isaachar Miron (1920-2015)
38	הדלקת נרות של שבת	Candle Blessing	Abraham Wolf Binder (1895-1967)
40	שלום עליכם	Shalom Aleichem	Israel Goldfarb (1897-1956)

KABBALAT SHABBAT / WELCOMING SHABBAT שַׁבַּת קַבָּלָה

52	לכו נרננה (תהלים צה)	L'chu N'ran'nah (Psalm 95)	Reuben Sirotkin (Born 1933)
54	ישמחו השמים (תהלים צו)	Yism'chu Hashamayim (Psalm 96)	Chasidic
62	מזמור לדוד (תהלים כט)	Mizmor L'David (Psalm 29)	Yoel Sykes (Born 1986)
66	לכה דודי	L'chah Dodi (Shlomo Alkabetz)	Louis Lewandowski (1821-1894)*
		From November, 2019	
72	צדיק בתמר (תהלים צב)	Tsadik Katamar (Psalm 92)	Louis Lewandowski (1821-1894)

MA'ARIV / THE EVENING SERVICE מַעֲרִיב

78	ברכו	Bar'chu	Nusach
80	המעריב ארבים	Hama'ariv Aravim	Nusach
86	אהבת עולם	Ahavat Olam	Eric Mandell (1903-1988)
88	שמע ישראל	Sh'ma Yisrael	Salomon Sulzer (1804-1890)
89	ואהבת	V'ahavta	Torah Cantillation (Trobe)
94	מי כמוך	Mi Chamocha	Debbie Friedman (1951-2011)
Program	השכיבנו	Hashkiveinu	Yoshi Zweiback (Born 1969)
102	ושמרו	V'shamru	South African Melody
104	חצי קדיש	Chatsi Kaddish	Nusach
	עמידה	Silent Amidah	
118	יהי לרצון	Yih'yu L'ratson	Unknown
118	עשה שלום	Oseh Shalom	Dan Nichols (Born 1969)
130	תפלה לרפואה	Prayer for Healing	
Program	תפלה למדינה	Prayer for Our Country	
136	ברכת החדש	Blessing of the New Month	Improvisation
138	קדיש שלם	Kaddish Shalem	Nusach

DRASHAH: RABBI SHARON KLEINBAUM

CONCLUDING PRAYERS

התפילה סיום

140	עלינו	Aleinu	Salomon Sulzer (1804-1890)
228	ספירת העומר	Counting of the Omer	
150	קדיש יתום	Mourner's Kaddish	

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154	אדון עולם	Adon Olam	Yonatan Razel (Born 1973)
156	קידוש & המוציא	Kiddush & Hamotzi	Louis Lewandowski (1821-1894)

COMPOSER FEATURE

Dan Nichols (born 1969) is a product of the Jewish camping movement, spending ten summers at the Goldman Union Camp in Zionsville, Indiana before receiving his degree in vocal performance at the University of North Carolina. In 1995, Dan established the Jewish rock band Eighteen. Since that time, Dan and Eighteen have released eleven full-length studio albums. Dan's anthology includes a wide range of sounds and styles, from energetic Jewish rock anthems to moving interpretations of traditional Jewish liturgy. Jewish youth and adults from around the world draw inspiration from Dan's music and its positive message of Jewish values, identity and pride. Dan spends more than 180 days each year on the road, serving as artist-in-residence for congregations and camp communities. Nichols has served on the faculty of Hava Nashira since 2000. In 2009 Dan co-founded Shulhouse Rock, a songleading workshop for Jewish high-school students. Dan lives in Raleigh, North Carolina with wife Elysha and daughter Ava.

Mah Yafeh Hayom / מה יפה היום

Music: Isaachar Miron (1920-2015)

מה יפה היום. שבת שלום!

Mah yafeh hayom. Shabbat shalom!

How lovely is today. Shabbat shalom!

Hashkiveinu / השכיבנו

Music by Rabbi Yoshi Zweiback

"Shelter Us" music and original lyrics by Larry Jonas

השכיבנו ה' א-להינו לשלום, והעמידנו מלכנו לחיים ופרוש עלינו סכת שלום. אמן

Hashkiveinu Adonai eloheinu l'shalom, v'ha-amideinu malkeinu l'hayim.

Ufros aleinu sukat sh'lomecha. Amen.

Shelter us beneath thy wings, O Adonai;
Guard us from all harmful things, O Adonai;
Keep us safe throughout the night,
Till we wake with morning's light,
Teach us, God, wrong from right. Amen.

Refuah Shleimah – Healing Prayers

Walid Ayoubi	Maria Jose Domingues	Liz Scott
and Nadia Sakhnini	Linda Kenepeske	Gary Sharkey
Ruth Berman	Saul Mizrahi	Pam Trester
Cathy Binder	John Musco	Urvashi Vaid
John Cincotta	Monique Prince	Bill Wahler
Nancy Eisenoff	Susan Ricken	Rose Wahnon
Joan Friedman	Trix Rosen	Jay Weinstein
Michal bat Gesheh-Henya	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 26 Iyyar to 3 Sivan 5781

Members memorialized on the Wine Family Sanctuary Memorial Wall

Robert Getreuer	Jeffrey Shuman
George Mooy	Robert Sinacore

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

Adelle Appell	Jack Guralnick	Jill Morris
Samuel Aptner	Ronald Kaplan	Bernice Schwaber
Henry Berman	Alexander Kopstein	Beatrice Steinman
Florence Best	Edmonde Lahma Klehmann	
Stanley Geller	Sylvia Morott	

Condolences

The CBST community extends condolences to mourners among us:

CBST members **Scott Stachowiak and Kevin Kraus** on the death of Scott's father, Fabian "Buck" Stachowiak, z"l, who died May 5 at age 91.

We also offer condolences to 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:

- 32,760 in New York City;
- 594,159 across the United States;
- 52,853 in New York State;
- 3,277,672 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 אחוים 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 יִרְאֶה כִּי-יָבֹא 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 והזדמנות בארץ זו, כפי שהיה מאז לפני שאומה זו
נולדה
וַיֵּגַל בְּמַיִם, מִשְׁפָּט; וַיִּצְדָּקָה, כְּנַחַל אֵיתָן
(עמוס ה כד)

CBST's 26th ANNUAL BENEFIT CONCERT

Sunday, June 6, 2021 / 26 Sivan 5781, 4:00 pm

"Mourning into Dancing"

- Psalm 30

Music of Courage, Resilience, and Transformation

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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. *Meet-the-Performers Zoom follows the Concert.*

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Jerry Hyman & Mark Cohen, and Robert Hyman in memory of our beloved cousin Barbara Blassberg z"l. A very sweet wonderful person. May her memory be for a blessing.

Sally Kopstein in loving memory of my Dad, Alexander Kopstein, z"l, on his yortzeit. I am inspired by his love and laughter!

Gina Schmeling in memory of my grandmother, Arlene Formund Stillerman, z"l, who died May 2. Our family diva, she loved theater, literature, Yiddish humor, and everything about Chicago.

Linda Solomon and Bonnie Siegel in memory of Bonnie's mother, Anita Siegel, z"l, who left us on May 10, 1999. She is missed by her family.

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Yael Bat-Chava in memory of my mom, whose second yortzeit on the Hebrew calendar fell today on May 7th.

Jay Fischer and Michael Lehrman in appreciation for the community expressions of love, concern and support that we received on the passing of our beloved mother Mamasita Rita Fischer, z"l.

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