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Welcome to our Synagogue! ברוכים הבאים

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Matot-Massei - מטות-מסעי

July 18, 2020 – 26 Tammuz, 5780

This Shabbat we read a double portion—Matot and Massei.

In Matot, we are given the laws regarding oaths and vows. The Torah instructs us to keep our word. There is an exception, however. If the vow was made by a minor or a woman, the father or husband can cancel the vow on the day that he hears about it. It holds if the parent or husband does not object.

Just before entering the Promised Land, the tribes of Gad and Reuven and half of Menasseh ask Moses if they can remain on the East bank of the Jordan and not cross into the Promised Land. The reason they give is that they have huge flocks of livestock, and the land east of the Promised Land is a very good, fertile land. Moses' first response was very negative. He accused these tribes of repeating the sin of the spies sent 40 years ago. After they explained that they will first join the other tribes in conquering the land, and when the Promised Land has been conquered, then they will return to the lands on the east bank of the Jordan. Moses granted their request and informed the elders and the people of Israel to make sure that these tribes keep their end of the bargain. *(Continued on next page.)*



Crossing Over the Jordan River,
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Parshat Matot and Massei Continued

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In Massei, the Torah lists all the stations where the Israelites stopped during the forty years of wandering in the desert. Sometimes the place is mentioned and also the particular event that occurred in that place.

The boundaries of the Promised Land are given. The Children of Israel are commanded to establish Refuge Cities, where a person who killed unintentionally can find refuge from the pursuer who seeks revenge.

The Book of Bamidbar is concluded as we say “Hazak, Hazak” at the end of this week’s Parasha.

Membership Pledge and Religious School Enrollment

Religious School 2020-2021

2020-2021 Religious School Enrollment was mailed June 1, 2020.



Prices INCREASE on SEPTEMBER 1, 2020, so please enroll as soon as possible.



2020—2021 Religious School Enrollment: <https://bit.ly/RelSchoolEnroll>
Religious School Tuition 2020-2021

Tuition	Paid in full by July 1	September 1 and Later
\$750	\$690	\$900

In order to take

advantage of enrol-

ling your child in our religious school, a membership application form must be completed along with an application form for religious school.

Some of the benefits of membership in the Sharei Chesed Congregation are as follows:

- * Participation in all religious services in the synagogue, subject to the rules and regulations which may be established by the Board of Directors.
- * Enrollment of your children in the religious school of the synagogue, subject to rules and regulations which may be established by the Board of Directors.
 - * Attendance at all meetings of the Congregation.
 - * Attendance at regular meetings of the Board of Directors.
- * A voice and a vote at the Annual Congregation Meeting which elects synagogue officers and board members.

Membership 2020-2021

Please make sure that you have completed the online membership form.



****Please know that this form is REQUIRED for current members to receive High Holiday tickets!****



2020—2021 Online Membership Pledge Form:
<https://bit.ly/MemberPledge2021>

Our Prayers and Good Wishes for Refuah Shleimah to:

אבינו אבינו מלכנו שלח רפואה שלמה רפואת הנפש רפואת הגוף לחולי עמך
אל נא רפא נא אל נא רפא נא לה שלח שלח רפואה שלמה לחולי עמך

- Sybille Aaron
- Arnold Burton
- Jeffrey Fursetzer
- Rivia Goldberg
- Richy Harris
- Rosalee Hulse Larson
- Valda Kaye
- Amy Koppel & Uri Koppel
- Andrew Mills
- Art Nettis
- Alex Samuels
- Harrison Paull Shae
- Rita Spain and Meira Tikvah
- Alice Truskinovsky
- Harriet & Art Wiss
- Steve Zien
- Sofia and Moisey Zhuravel
- Sara Batya bat Meira Valon
- Efrat bat Velvel
- Esther bat Ruth
- David Assouline
- Martha Cohen
- Chaya Golda bat Reyna
- Alan Green
- Lindsey Hork
- Lana Itskovich
- Dennis Kearney
- Ava Libson
- Elvi Mochtar
- Yuri Peskin
- Shayna bat Shifra
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- Nechamit Yaari
- Matthew Zuyev ben Luba
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- Chaya Chapoval bat Veruska
- Sorka bat Dvora
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- Chaim Horovitz
- Amy Joyce
- Sara Koplik
- Bronya Lipnik
- Cameron & Jack Moskowitz
- Igor Sagalov
- Beverly and Burt Shacter
- Aileen and Miles Snyder
- Morrie Toretzky
- Miles Vaughn
- Semyon Zaretsky
- Alex Zevelev
- Yuriy ben Maya & Yefem
- Edward ben Natalie
- Martselah bat Esther
- Aliza Francisca Bat Yosefa

Mazel Tov!

Happy Birthday!

July 13: Steve Zien

July 14: Alexander Epshteyn

July 16: Eduard Kapustin

July 20: Carl Brown

July 23: Galina Shteyman

July 24: Josh Awend

July 24: Russell Reininger

Happy Anniversary!

July 17: Rita & Eduard Kapustin

Mazel Tov
מזל טוב



**Yahrzeits for week of
July 17, 2020—July 24, 2020 / 25 Tammuz, 5780 — 3 Av, 5780**

Yahrzeit of

Friday, July 17 (25 Tammuz)

George Scherling

Yehoshua Gershon ben Yehezkel

Remembered by

Elliot Scherling

Saturday, July 18 (26 Tammuz)

Shmuel Malamudman

Shmuel ben Yosef Yechiel

Alex Malamudman

Herb Sorin

Chaim Leib ben Samuel v'Sara

Patricia Sorin

Moshe Shapiro

Moshe ben Michael v'Leah

Liya Shapiro, Emma Shapiro

Sunday, July 19 (27 Tammuz)

Rosa Galant

Mara ben Shimon v'Sheyndell

Michael Golant

Mara Giterman

Elena Kogan

Solomon Neydelman

Rakhil Neydelman

Frank Fisher

Chaim Fishel ben Yitzchak Cohen

Rosalee Hulse Larson

Shirley Zieve

Sheva Zelda bat Eliahu Reuven

Stanley Zieve

Laura Shifrin

Simandu ben Aron

Alex Shifrin

Simandu Simanyev

Galina Simanduyeva

Monday, July 20 (28 Tammuz)

Gershon Fishman

Gershon ben Naftali

Alla Vaynberg

Nathan Schwartz

David ben Moshe

Darlene Schwartz, Shirley Haskovitz

David Vayntrub

Greg Vayntrub

Tuesday, July 21 (29 Tammuz)

Manya Gershman

Manya bat Srul

Liya Shapiro, Emma Shapiro

Esther Gershman

Esther bat Avraham

Liya Shapiro, Emma Shapiro

Wednesday, July 22 (1 Av)

Abraham Gendelsman

Pesa bat Yakov

Igor Yaskin

Pauline Wilensky

Charna bat Gedaly

Roz Strimling

Charna Heteraer

Gedalya ben Leib

Sahra Vaynberg

Gedalya Heterer

Leib ben Shmuel

Sahra Vaynberg

Leib Shmulevich Heterer

Sahra Vaynberg

Thursday, July 23 (2 Av)

William Kowitz

Kantor Mitch Kowitz

Friday, July 24 (3 Av)

Albert Goldberg

Rochka

Rivia Goldberg

Rose Oleisky Bronstein

Rivia Goldberg

MAY THEIR MEMORIES ALWAYS BE FOR A BLESSING

Shloshim:

Carole Goldfarb-Cohen

Michael Levi

Jon Spicer

Revekka Vayner