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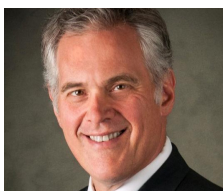
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## Announcing the Az Yashir Task Force: Celebrating Our Congregation's Musical Past and Preparing for the Song of Our Future

**Michael S. Siegel**  
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*Az Yashir Moseh el B'nai Yisrael: Then Moses sang to the Children of Israel. This is how the Torah records the moment after the splitting of the Sea,*

and the wondrous sight of our people after their miraculous crossing. *Shira*, song, has always played a significant role in the life and the history of the Jewish people. In fact, the rabbis point out that the words *Az Yashir* can also be translated in the future

tense, *then he will sing*; underscoring the idea that the song of the Jewish experience continues in every age. *Az Yashir*, our song, is rooted in the traditions of the past and ever evolving toward the future.

This is our congregation's *Az Yashir* moment.

Anshe Emet has a long and proud commitment to Jewish music. For more than three decades, Alberto Mizrahi has taken our congregation to new musical heights through the art of the Hazzan and introduced our community to new sounds, from ancient Jewish chant to Anshe Emet Live to World Music. This year, it is our great privilege to celebrate *The Man and His Music*, that began with the Mizrahi and Friends concert on November 24.

*Az Yashir Moshe: And Moses will sing.* This year, our congregation will begin to look forward as well. We fully appreciate the historic nature of the choice before us, and the seminal importance that Jewish music will play in our synagogue's future. To ensure the best possible results for our community, we have planned a two-phase project to ensure that Anshe Emet will welcome a new Hazzan for the High Holy Days of 2021.

### • Phase One: Az Yashir Task Force

Rob Weinberg, who did such a masterful job with our LaAtid Task Force in education, will facilitate the process. The *Az Yashir* Task Force will be made up of a rich and varied cross section of our synagogue. Members of our community will have the opportunity to share their thoughts and opinions in regard to Jewish music and liturgical presentation to the Task Force through focus groups and other forums. In addition, the task force will look outside of Anshe Emet to explore the landscape and trends in Jewish music heard in synagogues across America. All of the information, along with recommendations, will be gathered in a report that will be made available to the congregation by the Fall of 2020.

• **Phase Two: Search Committee**  
Following on the work in Phase One a search committee will be constituted, made up of  
(continued on next page)

## Announcing the Az Yashir Task Force (Cont'd)

some of the task force members and adding others to lead the cantorial search process. Guided by the findings in the report, they will bring the leading candidates to the congregation over a series of Shabbatot. Our community will have the opportunity to hear them and share their thoughts with the search team. This phase will conclude with a recommendation of a Hazzan to the Anshe Emet Board of Directors.

Our congregation is fortunate to have Dr. Ricardo Rosenkranz and Dr. Michele Sackheim Wein to serve as co-chairs of this process. Dr. Rosenkranz will lead Phase One. In addition, Hazzan Mizrahi and I, along with Rabbis Chankin-Gould, Russo and Hazzan Berke, will all serve in an ex-officio capacity to offer advice and counsel as we go forward.

Anshe Emet stands on the strong foundation of our musical tradition and the threshold of our future. These powerful ideas are contained in the Torah's iconic words: Az Yashir. I look forward to joining with you in what promises to be a dynamic process to build on the rich musical foundation that Hazzan Mizrahi has created and imagine the Jewish song that we will sing in the future.



## A New Look Online

**Ansheemet.org is getting  
a make-over!**

Starting early January the Anshe Emet website will have a new look and feel. We are currently working on making the content more user-friendly, with easier, more intuitive navigation, fun features, all with a fresh new look to match the vibrancy of our synagogue. We hope you will enjoy the new website, and would love to hear any feedback once we launch in January.

## A Look Back...

*Photos taken from last month's Men's Club Steak & Shots event on October 15, 2019 honoring Jay Goodgold for his service and dedication to the Anshe Emet Community, and Barry Balik, for his service as President of the Anshe Emet Men's Club.*





**SPORTS EDITION**

**Thursday, December 19**  
**6PM • Anshe Emet**



Join us for our 5<sup>th</sup> year of delicious latkes made by superior guest chefs, with songs, dinner, art projects, music and fun for all ages!

COME DRESSED IN YOUR FAVORITE JERSEY OR SPORTSWEAR!



**Aviva & Yosi  
Alhadif**  
LaShuk St. Food



**Ben  
Randall**  
Sage Dining



**Andy  
Kalish**  
Sam & Gertie's



**Javier  
Cruz**  
Anshe Emet

Register at: [TINYURL.COM/LIGHTANDLATKES2019](http://TINYURL.COM/LIGHTANDLATKES2019)





## Please Drop-off Your Donation at the AES Giving Center

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New and like-new children's clothes • Board books • Toys (Through December)

### Night Ministry:

Hotel-sized Toiletries (shampoo, conditioner, body wash, soap, body lotion) • Deodorant • New Toothpastes • New Warm Socks • New Hats • Scarves • Gloves • Gift Cards • Nail Polish • Body Lotion gift sets (ongoing)

### SHALVA:

Used Cell Phones (ongoing)

To learn more visit:

[TINYURL.COM/AEGIVINGCENTER](http://TINYURL.COM/AEGIVINGCENTER)

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# A Dose of Anshe Emet to Fight Off the Winter Blues

Arthur Friedson

President, Anshe Emet Synagogue

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Dear Friends,

Welcome to winter in Chicago. The days are shorter. The temperatures are colder. There's less time spent outside, and when you want to go out, there's a lot more time spent bundling up to get there. It's easy to get into a rut, let inertia set in, and stay at home more than we'd like or maybe more than is good for us.

Friends, let me suggest a big dose of Anshe Emet to fight off the winter blues. Pick a random Shabbat to come to shul. I promise the warmth you will feel comes from a far deeper place than our old boilers. Come to kiddush. Maybe you'll sit at the Yiddish-speaking table, or perhaps you'll choose to welcome the newcomers at their table? Maybe you'll re-connect with some old friends, or get energized by the young families fanned out across the room?

Let us provide the warmth you seek on a cold winter day.

Maybe there's a class or a lecture that will make you happy you left the house? Here's a little secret about the Raymond Arbetman Center for Adult Education: each class is sufficiently discrete that

you can drop in on a single class in a series and you won't be lost. Or check out our fabulous standalone programs and events.

Grab your hat and coat, put on your gloves and wrap yourself in your scarf.

Do what you need to do to fight the cold on the way to Anshe Emet, then let us provide the warmth you seek on a cold winter day.

B'Shalom,



Listen to this weekly podcast with Rabbi Michael Siegel & Jonathan Eig, author and Anshe Emet congregant.

**Fun and informative.  
Start binging now!**

[ANSHEEMET.ORG/PEN-YAD-PODCAST](http://ANSHEEMET.ORG/PEN-YAD-PODCAST)

## HAZAK FOR RETIRED ADULTS MONDAYS @ 1PM

HOKHMAH (WISDOM)  
ZIKNAH (MATURITY)  
KADIMAH (LOOKING AHEAD)

HaZak is an Anshe Emet daytime program for mature adults with active minds. Co-taught by our clergy and other community educators, this year HaZak is focusing on Jewish History with the Melton curriculum "Crossroads." Generously funded by Beatrice Mayer, z"l.

December 2:

**Cantor Liz Berke**

December 9:

**Cantor Liz Berke**

December 16:

**Rabbi Michael Siegel**

December 23:

**Rabbi Chankin-Gould**

December 30:

**Rabbi David Russo**

January 6:

**Cantor Liz Berke**

January 13:

**Rabbi Chankin-Gould**

January 20:

**No HaZak (MLK Day)**

January 27:

**Rabbi David Russo**



## Latke-Palooza!

**Monday, December 23  
6:30PM**

Join the Sisterhood for an evening of Latkes and Gelt at this year's Latke-Palooza party!

We will also enjoy *Gelt: A Discussion about Money* with Marla Gordon, CPA. We'll make latkes, sip drinks, socialize and learn. Also, be sure to bring your menorah for our annual group candle lighting.

Donations of Target gift cards, toiletries or cash contributions to Night Ministry are welcome.

\$10 for those who have paid Sisterhood dues and \$15 for those who have not paid dues.

Register at:  
[TINYURL.COM/AESLATKEPALOOZA2019](http://TINYURL.COM/AESLATKEPALOOZA2019)



## The Siddur: A Book of Prayer & Philosophy with Tzivia Garfinkel TBD

What words do Jews use in prayer? What do they mean? How long have we been saying them? Embedded in some of our most familiar prayers are big Jewish ideas that reflect a set of beliefs, a sense of history, and ultimately a philosophy that guides living a Jewish life.

Check back for more updates:  
[ANSHEEMET.ORG/SISTERHOOD](http://ANSHEEMET.ORG/SISTERHOOD)

**Save the Date for our next Sisterhood Shabbat on Saturday, January 25.**



**Welcome  
Bonnie  
McDonald,  
President of  
Landmarks Illinois**

### NEW DATE!

**Tuesday, January 14 • 6:30 PM**

We will discuss the most endangered historic places in Illinois and the wonderful work of Bonnie McDonald's organization to provide the inspiration and tools people need to save them.

Learn more and register at:  
[ANSHEEMET.ORG/LANDMARKSILLINOIS](http://ANSHEEMET.ORG/LANDMARKSILLINOIS)  
Visit Landmark Illinois at:  
[LANDMARKS.ORG/](http://LANDMARKS.ORG/)

## KEEP YOUR CALENDAR OPEN:

- **Early 2020:** Men's Club's **Talent Show**, showcasing the talents of many of our synagogue's members as well as other exciting programs—Date To Be Announced!
- **February 3, 2020:** Join with our Men's Club in the International Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs' **World Wide Wrap**, together with clubs around the world participating in minyanim. Complete your morning with a delicious breakfast sponsored by our Men's Club.
- Be on the lookout for the upcoming programs in March and April, 2020, including our famous yearly **Pass-over wine tasting** and our **Yom HaShoah Commemoration Yellow Candle program** and more!

We encourage your participation in our programs and your submitting ideas for future events.

If you have not yet joined Men's Club, contact the synagogue office and indicate your choice to join.

Follow us on Facebook or online:  
[MENSCLUB@ANSHEEMET.ORG](mailto:MENSCLUB@ANSHEEMET.ORG)



## Shabbat Neshamah

**6:30 PM • December 13**

### A Reflective & Musical Shabbat Experience for all ages!

Shabbat Neshamah is an intimate service that blends traditional liturgy with guitar music and evocative readings for Shabbat. We will sit in the round and Naomi Weiss-Weil will lead us in new, reflective melodies to familiar songs.

For more information, contact **Naomi Weiss-Weil:**  
**773.868.5113 • [nweiss@ansheemet.org](mailto:nweiss@ansheemet.org)**

[TINYURL.COM/SHABBATNESHAMAH](http://TINYURL.COM/SHABBATNESHAMAH)



# Cooking with the Stars



**Aaron Israel**  
Monday, December 9  
6:30 PM  
Chef and Owner of  
*Shalom Japan*  
Brooklyn, NY



**Sara Bradley**  
Monday, January 27  
6:30 PM  
Finalist, Top Chef  
Kentucky  
Owner of *Freighthouse*  
in Louisville



Join us and our guest chefs as we explore  
**Jewish food with a twist in an interactive cooking  
demonstration designed for fun and flavor.**

*This is a series of four classes. Sign up for all or individual sessions.  
Visit us online to learn about our other chefs and sessions.*

Questions? Contact Amy Karp:  
akarp@ansheemet.org • 773.868.5139

**Series:** \$160/Members; \$250/Non-Members  
**Individual class:** \$50/Members; \$80/Non-Member

**Register at: [ANSHEEMET.ORG/COOKINGWITHTHESTARS](https://www.ansheemet.org/cookingwiththestars)**



## Shabbat Torah Reading Honor Roll

*We would like to thank the following congregants who have honored us by chanting Torah for our community during the past month (this does not include our Bar/Bat Mitzvah students).*

### Sanctuary and Minyan:

Adam Braun, Ellen Chappe, Max Davis, Eli Dunn, Adam Engle, Michael Goodgold, Micah Green, Sarah Hirsens, Ben Kleinman, Jacob Kline, Alexander Leaf, Brandon Leib, Dalya Lessem-Elnechav, Jay Lewkowitz, Jane Lippow, Alan Mintz, Alan Mintz, Brian Nagorsky, Naomi Pinchuck, Joe Platt, Gary Porton, Lynne Schatz, Emily Schoerning, David Schwartz, Barry Seeskin, Elaine Seeskin, Ethan Solomon, Missy Walny

### High Holy Day Readers:

Riley Ablin, Tess Appelbaum, Noa Appelbaum, Monica Bauman, Maya Belcove, Talia Canter, Kayla Chandler, Ellie Choslovsky, Andrew Condrell, Sydney Finkelstein, Ruby Golding, Elana Goldwin, Hannah Goldwin, Deena Goodgold, Jack Goodman, Isaac Gross, Sara Grostern, Rachel Harris, Sam Hirshman, Gabi Josefson, Oli Katz, Estie Katz, Abby Kenen, Jacob Kline, Elijah Koller, Jaci Krandel, Jordan Leib, Brandon Leib, Zoe Levitt, Max Liss, Nicole Lucas, Lizzie Lucas,

### Rose Crown Minyan:

Marc Alexander, Ronit Alexander, Adina Allen, Sella Alperin, Linda Avitan, Rabbi Yehoshua Ben-Avraham, Adam Braun, Lev Gray, Raffi Magarik, Brian Nagorsky, Rabbi Josh Warshawsky, Barry Wimpfheimer

### Usher - Floor Gabbai:

Michael Bellows, Brian & Irene Caminer, Benita Cohen, Jay Goodgold, Neil Schwartz, David Weil, Gary Wigoda

### High Holy Day Readers (cont'd):

Alan Mintz, Suzanne Muchin, Sari Oppenheimer, Max Pizer-Lippitz, Joe Platt, Dan Pulik, Nina Rau, Natalie Rosenbaum, Drew Rosenberg, Jared Saef, Gabe Shapps, Emma Siegel, Gabe Silk, Rebecca Silverstein, Emma Weiss, Curt Weiss, Mila Zidel, Jon Zidel

### Youth Readers:

Vera Cirillo, Anna Cirillo, Nava Fleischer, Jocelyn Friedman, Rina Krugel-Lee, Maya Lessem Elnechav, Alexander Nessel, Laila Norton, Sadie Rau, Nava Schwarz, Dalia Schwarz, Jonah Seidner, Perla Seidner, Talia Seidner, Hava Shifrin, Eli Solano, Damian Solano, Blake Tallise, Joel Tollinche, Shosh Tollinche

### Simchat Torah READiculous

**Readers:** Madeline Berlin, Samantha Berlin, Natanel Braun, Bina Brill, Anna Cirillo, Nate Dubner, Emma Dubner, Nava Fleischer, Liv Herszage, Ethan Leder, Juliette Leder, Shira Lerner, Maya Lessem-Elnechav, Sam Nagorsky, Gavi Nessel, Eli Puchtel, Olivia Rubenstein, Nava Schwarz, Jonah Seidner, Perla Seidner, Talia Seidner, Bryson Skolnick, Damian Solano, Eli Solano Jr., Noah Sunshine, Daphna Tesher, Adin Wimpfheimer-Gillers

**Thank you** to these people for honoring their Minyan commitment.  
**Please join us** and help ensure the vitality of our weekly morning Minyan.

**Join us for minyan**

**Monday thru Friday at 7am**

**Rosh Chodesh at 6:50am**

**Sundays & Nat'l Holidays at 8:30am**

Ben Abrams, Bruce Arenson, Chuck & Sara Aron, Barry Balik, Hannah Barg, Eve Becker, Daniel Derby, Phil Dunn, Steve Durchslag, Beth Farber, Anna Gaebler, Gail & Dan Golden, Mitch, Amber, Macy, Marsha Golob, Jacob, David, Elizabeth Gonsky, Sharon Gonsky, Micah, Jared, Barbi, Miranda Green, Merle & Barry Gross, Sarah & Ron Hirsens, Ariela Housman, Bruce Kaminsky, Elli Krandel, Bob Levin, Debby Lewis, Jay Lewkowitz, Allie Lichterman, Jane Lippow, Ron Litke, Scott Markman, Tracy Meyers, Liora Mincer, Alan Mintz, Marsha Nagorsky,

Gerard Nussbaum, Shula Ornstein, Shelly Parker, Deborah Pogrun, Brian Pogrun, Gary & Fraeda Porton, John Ragir, Esther Rosenbloom, Richardo Rosenkranz, Anna Rubin, Andy Rudman, Jerry Salzberg, Jerry Salzman, Felice, Scott, Mia Schlessinger, Neil Schwartz, Barry Seeskin, Sahar Segal, Don Shapiro, Ed Solomon, Jason Star, Greg & Cheron Stern, Phil Stern, Gabor Tarjan, Maya Tkachuk, Abe Trieger, Fred Weber, David Weil, Mara Wolkoff, Moses Zarkin-Scott, Marianne & Evan Zemil, Jeanette Zemsky

# DECEMBER 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
3 Kislev <b>1</b> <b>8:30am</b> Morning Minyan	4 Kislev <b>2</b> <b>6:50am</b> Morning Minyan <b>1pm</b> HaZaK <b>6pm</b> Hebrew 1.0 <b>6:30pm</b> Basketball <b>7pm</b> Melton Class on Ethics <b>7pm</b> Miller Heritage	5 Kislev <b>3</b> <b>7am</b> Morning Minyan <b>7:45am</b> Text on Tuesdays <b>6:45pm</b> Basketball <b>7pm</b> From Fauda to Shtisel with Dr. Liat Maggid Alon <b>7pm</b> Advanced Trope Class	6 Kislev <b>4</b> <b>7am</b> Morning Minyan <b>9:30am</b> Melton Class
10 Kislev <b>8</b> <b>8:30am</b> Morning Minyan <b>9am</b> Religious School <b>9:15am</b> Little Builders <b>10am</b> Planning Ahead/End of Life Issues Class <b>12pm</b> Tikkun Chicago	11 Kislev <b>9</b> <b>7am</b> Morning Minyan <b>1pm</b> HaZaK <b>6pm</b> Hebrew 1.0 <b>6:30pm</b> Cooking with the Stars: Shalom Japan <b>7pm</b> Melton Class on Ethics <b>7pm</b> Miller Heritage	12 Kislev <b>10</b> <b>7am</b> Morning Minyan <b>7:45am</b> Text on Tuesdays <b>6:45pm</b> Basketball <b>7pm</b> Advanced Trope Class	13 Kislev <b>11</b> <b>7am</b> Morning Minyan <b>9:30am</b> Melton Class
17 Kislev <b>15</b> <b>8:30am</b> Morning Minyan <b>9am</b> Religious School <b>9:15am</b> Little Builders <b>10am</b> Planning Ahead/End of Life Issues Class <b>12pm</b> Tikkun Chicago	18 Kislev <b>16</b> <b>7am</b> Morning Minyan <b>1pm</b> HaZaK <b>6pm</b> Hebrew 1.0 <b>6:30pm</b> Basketball <b>7pm</b> Melton Class on Ethics <b>7pm</b> Miller Heritage	19 Kislev <b>17</b> <b>7am</b> Morning Minyan <b>7:45am</b> Text on Tuesdays <b>6:45pm</b> Basketball <b>7pm</b> Advanced Trope Class	20 Kislev <b>18</b> <b>7am</b> Morning Minyan <b>9:30am</b> Melton Class
24 Kislev <b>22</b> Hanukkah First Candle <b>8:30am</b> Morning Minyan	25 Kislev <b>23</b> Hanukkah Day 1, Second Candle <b>6:50am</b> Morning Minyan <b>1pm</b> HaZaK <b>6:30pm</b> Basketball <b>6:30pm</b> Drop-in Bereavement Group	26 Kislev <b>24</b> Hanukkah Day 2, Third Candle <b>6:50am</b> Morning Minyan <b>7:45am</b> Text on Tuesdays <b>6:45pm</b> Basketball	27 Kislev <b>25</b> Hanukkah Day 3, Fourth Candle Christmas Synagogue Office Closed <b>8:30am</b> Morning Minyan
1 Tevet <b>29</b> Hanukkah Day 7, Eighth Candle Rosh Chodesh Tevet <b>8:30am</b> Morning Minyan	2 Tevet <b>30</b> Hanukkah Day 8 <b>6:50am</b> Morning Minyan <b>1pm</b> HaZaK <b>6:30pm</b> Basketball	3 Tevet <b>31</b> New Years Eve <b>7am</b> Morning Minyan <b>7:45am</b> Text on Tuesdays <b>6:45pm</b> Basketball	

## THE RABBI MICHAEL SIEGEL 30<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY ISRAEL FUND INFORMATION

Supports Israel experience trips. Applications accepted on a rolling basis. To apply, visit:

[ANSHEEMET.ORG  
/SCHOLARSHIPAPPLICATION](https://ansheemet.org/scholarshipapplication)

Questions? Contact **Naomi Richman:**  
**773.868.5122** | [nrichman@ansheemet.org](mailto:nrichman@ansheemet.org)  
*All submissions due by February 1, 2020*

## CAMP SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

### The Joseph and Ruth Tumpeer Scholarship Fund...

Encourages Jewish summer experiences for youth by offsetting a portion of the cost of Jewish summer camp attendance.

The scholarship is need-based. To apply, visit:

[ANSHEEMET.ORG/SCHOLARSHIPAPPLICATION](https://ansheemet.org/scholarshipapplication)

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# Kislev • Tevet 5780

## THURSDAY

7 Kislev

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**7am** Morning Minyan  
**4:15pm** Religious School  
**6:30pm** YAD Basketball  
**6:30pm** Sisterhood Book Club  
**6:30pm** Shireinu Choir Rehearsal  
**7pm** Tikkun Chicago

## FRIDAY

8 Kislev

6

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**8:45am** Lerner's of Torah Parsha Class  
**5:45pm** First Friday Family Shabbat Service & Dinner  
**7:15pm** YAD Shabbat Service, Dinner & Schmooze

 3:59pm

## SATURDAY

7

**9am** Parsha Class  
**9:30am** Shabbat Morning Service  
Bar Mitzvah of Aaron Hall;  
Auf Ruf of Rachel Vorwaller & Alexander Cohen  
**9:30am** Rose Crown Minyan  
**12pm** Kiddush Lunch  
**1:15pm** Shabbat Mincha  
**4pm** Mincha  
Bat Mitzvah of Natasha Benjamin  
**4pm** 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Havdallah  
**6:30pm** SHMUSY Laser Tag

14 Kislev

12

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**4:15pm** Religious School  
**6:30pm** YAD Basketball  
**6:30pm** Shireinu Choir Rehearsal  
**7pm** Tikkun Chicago

15 Kislev

13

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**8:45am** Lerner's of Torah Parsha Class  
**6:30pm** Shabbat Neshamah  
**6:30pm** Lakeview Minyan Service & Potluck

 3:59pm

16 Kislev

*Parashat Vayishlach*  
Torah Portion:  
**Genesis 32:4-36:43**  
Haftarah:  
**Obadiah 1:1-1:21**

**9am** Parsha Class  
**9am** JBC Class  
**9:30am** Shabbat Morning Service in Malkov Chapel  
**9:30am** Rose Crown Minyan in the Sanctuary  
Bar Mitzvah of Nate Dubner  
**12pm** Kiddush Lunch  
**1:15pm** Shabbat Mincha

21 Kislev


19

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**4:15pm** Religious School  
**6pm** 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Light & Latkes  
**7pm** Tikkun Chicago

22 Kislev

20

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**8:45am** Lerner's of Torah Parsha Class  
**6:30pm** Shabbat Shelanu

 4:01pm

23 Kislev

*Parashat Vayeshev*  
Torah Portion:  
**Genesis 37:1-40:23**  
Haftarah:  
**Amos 2:6-3:8**

**9am** Parsha Class  
**9am** JBC Class  
**9:30am** Combined Shabbat Morning Service with Rose Crown Minyan  
**12pm** Kiddush Lunch  
**1:15pm** Shabbat Mincha

28 Kislev

26

Hanukkah Day 4, Fifth Candle

**6:50am** Morning Minyan  
**6:30pm** YAD Basketball

29 Kislev

27

Hanukkah Day 5, Sixth Candle

**6:50am** Morning Minyan  
**8:45am** Lerner's of Torah Parsha Class  
**6:30pm** Shabbat Evening Service  
**6:30pm** Mishkan Service & Dinner

 4:05 pm

30 Kislev

*Parashat Miketz*  
Torah Portion:  
**Genesis 41:1-44:17;**  
**Numbers 28:9-28:15**  
Haftarah:  
**Zechariah 2:14-4:7**

Hanukkah Day 6, Seventh Candle **28**  
Rosh Chodesh Tevet

**9am** Parsha Class  
**9:30am** Shabbat Morning Service in Malkov Chapel  
**9:30am** Rose Crown Minyan in Sanctuary  
**12pm** Kiddush Lunch  
**1:15pm** Shabbat Mincha

### SHABBAT YOUTH SERVICES EVERY SATURDAY

**10am Ruach Class | 10:45am Ruach & Jr. Congregation**  
**11am Shalom Shabbat | 11am Shachar | BABYSITTING:**  
for children 18 months and older is available in room 104  
every Shabbat morning from **9:30am-12:30pm**.

We are always adding new events.  
For the most recent calendar listings visit:

[ANSHEEMET.ORG/CALENDAR](http://ANSHEEMET.ORG/CALENDAR)

## Notes:

# JANUARY 2020

**SUNDAY**

**MONDAY**

**TUESDAY**

**WEDNESDAY**

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4 Tevet

**1**

**New Years Day**

**Synagogue Office Closed**

**8:30am** Morning Minyan

8 Tevet

**5**

9 Tevet

**6**

10 Tevet

**7**

11 Tevet

**8**

**8:30am** Morning Minyan  
**9am** Religious School

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**1pm** HaZaK  
**6:30pm** Basketball  
**6pm** Hebrew 1.0  
**7pm** Miller Heritage

**Asara B'Tevet**

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**7:45am** Text on Tuesdays  
**6:45pm** Basketball  
**7pm** Wine, Women & Walking with God Series

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**9:30am** Melton Class

15 Tevet

**12**

16 Tevet

**13**

17 Tevet

**14**

18 Tevet

**15**

**8:30am** Morning Minyan  
**9am** Religious School  
**9:15am** J2M  
**10am** Hartman  
**3:30pm** Babies & Bagels

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**1pm** HaZaK  
**6pm** Hebrew 1.0  
**6:30pm** Basketball  
**7pm** Melton Class on Ethics  
**7pm** Miller Heritage

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**7:45am** Text on Tuesdays  
**6:30pm** Men's Club Presents Landmarks Illinois  
**6:30pm** Connecting the Expecting  
**6:45pm** Basketball  
**7pm** Advanced Trope Class  
**7pm** Wine, Women & Walking with God Series

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**9:30am** Melton Class

22 Tevet

**19**

23 Tevet

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25 Tevet

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**8:30am** Morning Minyan  
**9am** Religious School  
**10am** Hartman

**Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day**  
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**7:45am** Text on Tuesdays  
**6:30pm** Connecting the Expecting  
**6:45pm** Basketball  
**7pm** Advanced Trope Class  
**7pm** Wine, Women & Walking with God Series

**8:30am** Morning Minyan  
**9:30am** Melton Class

29 Tevet

**26**

1 Shevat

**27**

2 Shevat

**28**

3 Shevat

**29**

**8:30am** Morning Minyan  
**9am** Religious School  
**9:15am** J2M  
**10am** Hartman  
**9:30am** My Kid, IEPs and 504s-What I Need to Know  
**12pm** Tikkun Chicago

**Rosh Chodesh Tevet**  
**6:50am** Morning Minyan  
**1pm** HaZaK  
**6pm** Hebrew 1.0  
**6:30pm** Cooking with the Stars: Sara Bradley  
**6:30pm** Drop-in Bereavement Group  
**6:30pm** Basketball  
**7pm** Melton Class on Ethics

**7am** Morning Minyan  
**7:45am** Text on Tuesdays  
**6:30pm** Connecting the Expecting  
**6:45pm** Basketball  
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THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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12 Tevet97am Morning Minyan 4:15pm Religious School 6:30pm YAD Basketball	13 Tevet107am Morning Minyan 8:45am Lerner's of Torah Parsha Class 6:30pm Shabbat Neshamah 6:30pm Lakeview Minyan Service & Potluck	14 Tevet119am Parsha Class 9am JBC Class 9:30am Shabbat Morning Service Bat Mitzvah of Evie Dorfman 9:30am Rose Crown Minyan 12pm Kiddush Lunch 1pm Shabbat is Awesome 1pm Jewish Philosophy 1:15pm Shabbat Mincha 2:30pm Hey Parents, Lets Talk! 4:15pm Mincha Bat Mitzvah of Lillian Pollack 7:30pm Something for Us Trivia Night
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# Young Families

**Maxine Handelman**  
**Director of Family Life & Learning**  
[mhandelman@ansheemet.org](mailto:mhandelman@ansheemet.org)

At Anshe Emet, we are building pathways to Jewish life and community for families with young children. Find your friends and joy-filled Jewish life at Anshe Emet! Look for all the details at: [ANSHEEMET.ORG/YOUNGFAMILIES](http://ANSHEEMET.ORG/YOUNGFAMILIES)

## First Friday Family Service & Dinner

December 6 • 5:45pm  
 This month's dinner is delicious Chinese food! Sign up by November 26 to avoid the late fee. *There is no First Friday service and dinner in January. We'll return February 7.*  
[TINYURL.COM/FIRSTFRIDAYDINNERDEC2019](http://TINYURL.COM/FIRSTFRIDAYDINNERDEC2019)

## Little Builders

February 2 - March 22 • 9:15am-10:45am  
 Our Spring classes for families with 2-3 year olds kicks off in February. Space is limited so reserve your spot today!  
[TINYURL.COM/LITTLEBUILDERSSPRING20](http://TINYURL.COM/LITTLEBUILDERSSPRING20)

## Babies and Bagels

January 12 • 3:30pm-5pm  
 Families with children 2 years old and under are invited to join Max Handelman and Miss Aimee for songs, story and schmoozing. A great way to connect with other families with kids the same age as yours! The program is free to members:  
[TINYURL.COM/BABIESANDBAGELSJAN2020](http://TINYURL.COM/BABIESANDBAGELSJAN2020)

## Hey Parents, Let's Talk!

### Conversations about Parenting

January 11 • 1:30pm -2:30pm  
 During Shabbat is Awesome afternoon, join us to help us choose the next topic.  
[TINYURL.COM/HEYARENTS](http://TINYURL.COM/HEYARENTS)

## My Kid, IEPs and 504s: What I Need to Know

Sunday, January 26 • 9:30am  
 Join Tracy Lovi Hartlieb, Director of the Legal Advocacy Center at JCFS Chicago to explore IEPs and 504s: What are they? How do you know what your child needs? How do you navigate the system in both public and private schools to ensure your child has the right plan? Come learn the answers to these and other related questions. This workshop is free and registration is strongly requested.  
[TINYURL.COM/AESIEP504WORKSHOP](http://TINYURL.COM/AESIEP504WORKSHOP)

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*Photos taken from our Religious School Mitzvah Day, which took place on Sunday, November 17, 2019. Students, Parents and School staff volunteered at locations across Chicago, from visiting the elderly, to feeding the needy, to picking up garbage along our beachfront. It was a day of action for all!*



## Anshe Emet's Young Adult Division, for ages 22-36!

### First Friday Shabbat Service & Schmooze

December 6 • 7:15pm  
[TINYURL.COM/DECEMBERFIRSTFRIDAY](http://TINYURL.COM/DECEMBERFIRSTFRIDAY)

### Volunteering at PAWS

December 8 • 12pm  
[TINYURL.COM/PAWSVOLUNTEERING2019](http://TINYURL.COM/PAWSVOLUNTEERING2019)

### Volunteering at Lakeview Pantry

December 17 • 5:30pm  
[TINYURL.COM/LVPDECEMBERVOLUNTEERING](http://TINYURL.COM/LVPDECEMBERVOLUNTEERING)

## Hanukkah Trivia

December 21 • 7pm  
[TINYURL.COM/YADTRIVIA2019](http://TINYURL.COM/YADTRIVIA2019)

## Havda-Lights & the Zoo

January 4 • 5:30pm  
 Save the date for a new kind of YAD Shabbat. Instead of our monthly First Friday Shabbat, YAD will be having Havdalah, followed by dinner and a walk to the Lincoln Park Zoo Lights. Visit Facebook for more info.

You can find out more about events and connect with fellow YAD members on [Facebook.com/AnsheEmetYAD/](https://www.facebook.com/AnsheEmetYAD/) or by following [ansheemetiad](https://www.instagram.com/ansheemetiad) on Instagram.

Interested in planning future programs? Consider joining the YAD Board! For more information contact Young Adult Coordinator, **Iris Krandel**: [IKRANDEL@ANSHEEMET.ORG](mailto:IKRANDEL@ANSHEEMET.ORG)



*Photos from YAD's Minute-to-Win-It Speed Dating program on November 14, 2019.*

## Religious School

Emily Schoerning, PhD  
The Grodzin Director of Educational Innovation  
[eschoerning@ansheemet.org](mailto:eschoerning@ansheemet.org)

Dear Friends,

This December I will be traveling with community leaders and clergy to the 20/20 Judaism USCJ conference. This conference brings together leaders from over 600 Conservative congregations across North America. Our congregation is being honored at this conference. We have won the Solomon Schechter Artisan Award in the category of Community Embrace, thanks to our work so far, as we enact our LaAtid vision for youth education. We are receiving special recognition for the work we have done to embrace diversity and learning differences in youth education (*see page 13*). I am honored to be speaking on behalf of our community on this issue at the conference, where we will have the opportunity to share both the process and products of our LaAtid vision with the larger Conservative community. I am continually grateful for the opportunity to do this work with you.



In other religious school news, we are getting ready for our Hanukkah Party, which will fall a little early this year, on December 15. We'll be on winter break starting December 22, with school resuming January 5.

This year we are going to try something new at the Hanukkah Party. Not every person likes to celebrate the same way, and while we are incredibly fortunate to have so many children in our community that we can create a really energetic, exciting crowd atmosphere, this year we want to provide more celebratory options for students who prefer a chiller, more relaxing vibe. As we enjoy having a little more space, we're excited to branch out into offering more ways to celebrate.

Looking forward to celebrating with you!

## Youth Department

Samantha Isenstein  
Youth & Young Adult Director  
[sisenstein@ansheemet.org](mailto:sisenstein@ansheemet.org)

We have specialized youth group programming, for kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade, available to your children now. We can't wait to see you at our programs this year!

**Shachar (K-2) • Machar (3-5) • Kadima (6-8) • SHMUSY (USY Chapter 9-12)**

Register for our youth groups today!  
[TINYURL.COM/AESYOUTHGROUPS2019](https://tinyurl.com/AESYOUTHGROUPS2019)

### MACHAR

- **Macher Undernighter**  
**Saturday, February 1 • 5:30pm-8pm**  
We will do havdallah, eat dinner, and watch a movie with plenty of snacks! Admission is \$10. Register at:  
[TINYURL.COM/MACHARUNDERNIGHTER20](https://tinyurl.com/MACHARUNDERNIGHTER20)

### SHMUSY (USY)

Hey 8th Graders- Starting in January we welcome you to join SHMUSY at all of our USY programs for the rest of the school year! Make sure to bring other 8th grade friends with you!

- **"Lazer Tag" at AES**  
**Saturday, December 7 • 6:30pm**  
Register at:  
[TINYURL.COM/SHMUSYLAZERTAGJAN20](https://tinyurl.com/SHMUSYLAZERTAGJAN20)
- **Lounge Night Tuesday,**  
**December 17 • 7pm**
- **Sushi Making Lounge Night**  
**January 7 • 7pm**
- **Shabbat Dinner at Rabbi Russo's**  
**Friday, January 10**  
Free but RSVP required:  
[TINYURL.COM/JAN2020TEENSHABBATDINNER](https://tinyurl.com/JAN2020TEENSHABBATDINNER)
- **Teen Tefillah**  
**Saturday, January 11 • 11am**



## The Raymond Arbetman Center for Adult Jewish Education

Cantor Liz Berke  
Director of Continuing Education  
[eberke@ansheemet.org](mailto:eberke@ansheemet.org)

### Featured Course

#### The Most Important Conversations No One Has

**Sunday, December 8 • 10am-11:30am**

**How to Plan Your Funeral:** Susan Winkelstein and David Jacobson of Chicago Jewish Funerals will discuss how pre-planning your own funeral leaves most people feeling a little uneasy, but more adults are finding that pre-planning offers great emotional and financial security for them and their families.

**Sunday, December 15 • 10am-11:30am**

**Writing an Ethical Will:** For over thirty years Rabbi Siegel has been helping people refine and define what values they want to pass onto the next generation.



Learn more and register now at:  
[ANSHEEMET.ORG/ADULTED](https://ansheemet.org/adulted)

Be sure you receive our Adult Education emails. Contact Cantor Liz Berke:  
[EBERKE@ANSHEEMET.ORG](mailto:EBERKE@ANSHEEMET.ORG)



## What Do You Know? Trivia Night at AES

**Saturday, January 11 • 7:30PM**

Back by popular demand, bar trivia at its best. This program is geared toward our Something for Us Social Group for those 50+. Bring your friends for a night of nosh, drinks and fun, as we test our trivia knowledge in the Malkov Chapel.

Contact Amy Karp for more information:  
[AKARP@ANSHEEMET.ORG](mailto:AKARP@ANSHEEMET.ORG) • 773.868.5139



*From last year's Trivia Night, Saturday, December 15, 2018.*

## My Kid, IEPs and 504s: What I Need to Know

**Sunday, January 26 • 9:30AM**

Join Tracy Lovi Hartlieb, Director of the Legal Advocacy Center at JCFS Chicago to explore IEPs and 504s: What are they? How do you know what your child needs? How do you navigate the system in both public and private school to ensure your child has the right plan? Come learn the answers to these and other related questions.



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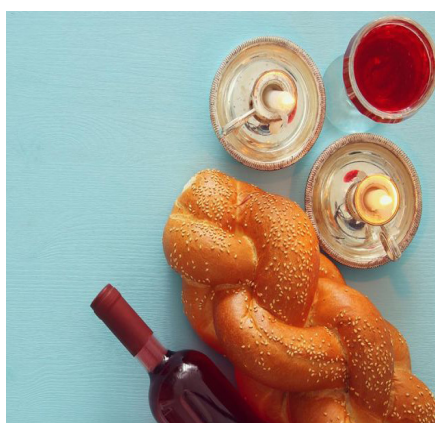
[TINYURL.COM/AESIEP504WORKSHOP](http://TINYURL.COM/AESIEP504WORKSHOP)

## AES Shares Shabbat

**Friday, January 31**

Host or be hosted for Shabbat dinner with other Anshe Emet families with kids around your kids' ages. We'll give you all the info you need to welcome in Shabbat with flair and fun.

Contact Max Handelman for more information:  
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## MAZEL TOV TO OUR UPCOMING B'NAI MITZVAH

**Aaron Hall**

December 7

Son of

Dana & Jared Hall



**Nate Dubner**

December 14

Son of

Meredith &

Jason Dubner



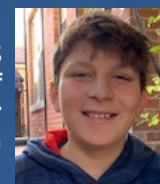
**Ike Derechin**

January 3

Son of

Karen Seder

& Dan Derechin



**Adam Rose**

January 18

Son of

Rachel Howard

& Brad Rose



**Asher Friedman**

January 19

Son of

Michelle & Jason

Friedman



**Noa Stern Frede**

January 25

Daughter of

Gail Stern

& Ari Frede



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**Natasha Benjamin** • December 7

Daughter of Alice & Brian Benjamin

**Evie Dorfman** • January 11

Daughter of Beth Cohen-Dorfman

& Michael Dorfman

**Lillian Pollack** • January 11

Daughter of Laura & Sam Pollack

# Mazel Tov to Anshe Emet



December 6-10 • 20/20 Judaism USCJ Conference • Boston, MA.

Anshe Emet Synagogue has been awarded a 2019 Solomon Schechter Artisan Award. This award recognizes congregations for innovative initiatives that transform the dynamic experience of Conservative Judaism.

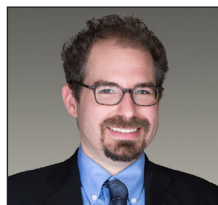
Our LaAtid Initiative, which re-envisioned our Joseph & Belle Braun Anshe Emet Religious School, was chosen by an international committee as an exemplar of this goal in the Community Embrace category. Emily Schoerning, PhD, The Grodzin Director of Educational Innovation at Anshe Emet will be accepting this award at the 20/20 Judaism USCJ Conference.

In addition to this honor, Rabbi D'ror Chankin-Gould and Board Member, Dani Lazar, will be presenting on the LaAtid process. Both of whom were chairs of the LaAtid task force.

Cantor Elizabeth Berke will also be presenting on a conversion panel at the conference.



*Emily Schoerning, PhD  
The Grodzin Director of  
Educational Innovation*



*Rabbi D'ror  
Chankin-Gould*



*Dani Lazar,  
Board Member*



*Cantor Elizabeth Berke*



## Indoor Farmers Market

Sunday, February 9, 2020

Anshe Emet is partnering with **Faith in Place** to host an indoor farmers market in honor of Tu B'Shevat. The farmers market provides an additional source of income for local vendors during the off-season, promotes sustainable farming methods and economic justice for regional farm families, encourages healthy, wholesome eating, and supports the building of relationships between producers and consumers. **Sponsored by Team Yarok.**

Contact Amy Karp for more information:  
[AKARP@ANSHEEMET.ORG](mailto:AKARP@ANSHEEMET.ORG) • 773.868.5139

## For All The Days of Your Life...

On the Anshe Emet logo we include the words recited in the Haggadah: "For all the days of your life". Our congregation endeavors to support members of our community at every juncture of life, from birth to death.

In that spirit, we are very pleased to announce that Anshe Emet, through its Endowment Fund, has acquired forty contiguous gravesites in the Jewish section of Rosehill Cemetery conveniently located at 5800 North Ravenswood.

Dating back to 1859, Rosehill Cemetery is one of Chicago's famous historical cemeteries. The Anshe Emet Section is set off from the larger cemetery in a way that fulfills the requirements of Jewish Law. From our earliest times, caring for the dead and supporting the mourner is a singular Jewish value. Our rabbis use the words *Chesed V'Emet*, loving kindness and truth, to encapsulate the spirit of this approach.

If you, or a member of your family, would like further information on purchasing gravesites in the Anshe Emet Section, please contact Boni Fine at [bfine@ansheemet.org](mailto:bfine@ansheemet.org).



## Supporting our Community in Times of Loss

**4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month**  
**Next Sessions:**  
**December 23 &**  
**January 27**  
**6:30 PM**  
**Anshe Emet**

Please join us for a monthly support group for adults who have experienced the death of a loved one within the past two years.

For more information and/or if you'd like to connect prior to coming your first time, please call Marsha at **847.745.5408**.



# we appreciate your thoughtful DONATIONS



Your gift sustains us as a center for Jewish Life.  
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Contact Kim Carter  
for details:  
[kcarter@ansheemet.org](mailto:kcarter@ansheemet.org)  
773.868.5119



## We're Collecting Gift Cards & Need Your Help!



Next time you're at Target or grocery shopping, please consider picking up a gift card or two that we can give to members of our community in need. Just drop them off at the office or give them to any of our staff or clergy.


**Thank you for your help!**

## Misheberach List

If you would like to have a name placed on the misheberach (prayer for healing) list, contact Antoinette Nunez.

Names will be kept on the list for two weeks unless otherwise requested.

**Let us be your support through every cycle of life.**

 **Antoinette Nunez**  
773.868.5120  
[anunez@ansheemet.org](mailto:anunez@ansheemet.org)

## Our Sincerest Condolences

The Anshe Emet Community expresses its sincerest condolences to the families of:

**Stephen K. Dunn**  
**Terry J. Fadem**  
**Mark Sanford Levey**  
**Ronald S. Gertzman**  
**Helen Louise Fogel**

***May their memory  
be for a blessing.***



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## WHAT'S COMING UP?

### DECEMBER

#### Cooking with the Stars: Shalom Japan

Monday, December 9  
6:30PM

#### Shabbat Neshamah Musical Service

Monday, December 13  
6:30PM

#### 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Light & Latkes

Thursday, December 19  
6PM

#### YADs Hanukkah Trivia

Saturday, December 21  
7PM

#### Sisterhood's Latke-Palooza!

Monday, December 23  
6:30PM

### JANUARY

#### YADs Havda-Lights and the Zoo

Saturday, January 4  
5:30PM

#### Something for Us' Trivia Night

Saturday, January 11  
7:30PM

#### Men's Club Presents Bonnie McDonald of Landmarks Illinois

Tuesday, January 14  
6:30PM



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