

# ANSHE EMET SYNAGOGUE

July 2, 2021 • 23 Tammuz 5781

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Renew your membership or join today at  
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If you have any questions during the renewal process,  
contact Amy Karp at  
**773.868.5139** or [akarp@ansheemet.org](mailto:akarp@ansheemet.org).

### Transliteration of the Prayer for the State of Israel:

*Avinu sheh-bashamayim, tsur Yisrael v'goal, bareikh et m'dinat Yisrael  
reishit ts'michat g'ulateinu. Hagein aleha b'evrat chasdekha ufros aleha  
sukat sh'lomekha, ushlach or'kha va'amit'kha l'rasheha sareha v'yoatseha,  
v'tak'neim b'eitsa tovah mil'fanekha. Chazeik et y'dei m'ginei erez kodsheinu,  
v'hanchileim Eloheinu y'shua, va'ateret nitsachon t'at'reim. V'natata shalom  
ba'arets v'simchat olam l'yosh'veha, v'nomar: Amen.*



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## Shabbat Shalom and Welcome!

We welcome you to Anshe Emet Synagogue and hope that you enjoy our worship service. If you are a visitor, please introduce yourself so we may welcome you and wish you Shabbat Shalom. Everyone is invited to join our community for Kiddush lunch following services.

**Mission Statement:** Anshe Emet Synagogue seeks to encourage involvement and create a special sense of belonging. We are committed to meeting the religious, educational, social, and cultural needs of our members within the framework of the Conservative Movement. In keeping with the teachings of Judaism and the spirit of Klal Yisrael, we recognize our responsibility to serve the Jewish community, the wider community and the state of Israel.

**Michael S. Siegel** • Senior Rabbi, Norman Asher Rabbinic Chair

**Alberto Mizrahi** • Hazzan Emeritus

**Rachel Brook** • Cantor, The Arnold H. Kaplan, M.D. Cantorial Chair

**David Russo** • Rabbi

**D'ror Chankin-Gould** • Rabbi

**Elizabeth Berke** • Hazzan Sheni

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# Parsha Summary

Pinchas

Numbers 25:10-30:1

God bestows on Pinchas an eternal covenant of peace as a reward for his zeal on God's behalf. The Israelite who was killed, Zimri, was the son of a chieftain from the tribe of Shimon. The woman was Cozbi, the daughter of a chieftain of the Midianites. God commands Moses and the Israelites to attack the Midianites because of their role in luring the Israelites to idolatrous worship and apostasy.

The parashah continues with the rise of a new generation and preparation for the conquest of Eretz Yisrael. This new generation, unlike the generation of the Exodus, is characterized by fidelity to God and Torah.

At the end of the plague, God mandates another census of men who are over 20 years of age. Unlike the earlier census, this one is by tribal clans, and the total number is over 600,000 males of fighting age. Once the number of people is established, God discusses allocating the Promised Land by lot and by the size of each tribe.

The census confirms that the generation of the Exodus has died, fulfilling God's dictate that those rebellious Jews would die in the wilderness and their children would reach the land of Israel. The daughters of Zelophedad raise an issue with the justice of the inheritance system. Why, they ask, should their father's land allotment go outside the family just because he had no sons? Moses consults with God, who affirms the wisdom of the daughters and grants them the right to inherit. God tells Moses to ascend to the heights of Mount Avarim to view the land the Israelites will enter, after which he, too, shall die. Still concerned for the well-being of the people, Moses asks God to appoint someone to lead in his stead, so that the Lord's community may not be like sheep that have no shepherd. God appoints Joshua, and Moses signifies the choice in a public ceremony involving Eleazar, the Kohen Gadol (high priest).

Once the appointment of the land and the succession of leadership is resolved, God establishes the calendar of public sacrifices, the festivals and holy days of ancient Israel and contemporary Judaism. These occasions of public festivity mark the daily offering, Shabbat (Sabbath), Rosh Hodesh (the New Moon), Pesach (Passover), Shavuot (the Feast of Weeks), Rosh Ha-Shanah (the New Year), Yom Kippur (the Day of Atonement), Sukkot (the Feast of Tabernacles), and Shemini Atzeret (the Gathering of the Eighth Day).

**The Bedside Torah: Wisdom, Visions, and Dream**  
**Rabbi Bradely Shavit Artson**

# Yahrzeits

We remember those of our Anshe Emet family who are no longer with us and whose Yahrzeits we observe this week.

*May their memory be for a blessing.*

Deborah Adegbemi  
Susan Andrews  
Hinda Arkes  
Minette B. Augustus  
Isadore Becker  
Ernest Bensinger  
Albert E. Berger  
Joseph Berman  
Ruth Bern  
Otto Blau  
Leonid Calenoff  
Robert Caplan  
Harry Chirelstein  
Abe Cort  
Larry Craft  
Julia L. Dry  
Morris Dry  
Esther Edelstein  
Sol Ellis  
Louis Feinstein  
Minnie L. Finkelstein  
Samuel Forshirm  
Teree E. Foster  
A.I. Freeman  
Pearl Fryer  
Anna Gates  
Sylvia Gelfond  
Abe Godin  
Eleanor Goldstein  
Edys Diane Gordon  
Jennie Gross  
Jules Herzfeld

Charles Hyman  
Flora Issen  
Meta Jacobson  
Abraham Jaffe  
Lillian Kane  
Goldie Kaplan  
Joy Kovel  
Suzi Landsman  
Zalman Leader  
Pirhia Lender  
George Levin  
Dorothy E. Levine  
Ann Magid  
Lina Maling  
Robert Marcus  
Harry Minsky  
Don Norton, Sr.  
Mendel Pinsky  
Pauline Price  
Rachel Privorotskay  
Nancy Raisher  
Harry Rubenstein  
Harry Schneiderman  
Harry Shapps  
Jean Singer  
Marvin Sklansky  
Sadie C. Spachner  
Roslyn Spellman  
Leonard I. Vitkin  
Jeannette Weinberg  
John Weiss

## Help Us Be There For You

Synagogue is a place where you want to feel at home, nourished, nurtured and spiritually fulfilled; a place where your soul, heart and head are touched. It is a place where you and your children feel a sense of relevance. It is a place where you are safe, where you are stimulated, and where you will find a welcoming community.

As part of this commitment, the clergy at Anshe Emet are here to help with Simchas and crises in your or your family's life. If you know someone who needs to speak with a member of our clergy, or if you want to add a name to the Mi Sheberach list, please contact Antoinette (Toni) Nuñez at **773-868-5120** or [anunez@ansheemet.org](mailto:anunez@ansheemet.org). Names will be kept on the Mi Sheberach list for two weeks only unless otherwise specified.

## Condolences

It is with deep regret we inform you of the recent passing of Steve Medow, 85, of Boca Raton, Florida; formerly of Michigan. Surrounded by his family, Steve passed on June 25 at his home.

He was the beloved husband for 66 years of Isa Medow; the loving father of sons and daughters-in-law Mitchell Medow and Janet Sobel-Medow, and **David Medow** and **Barbara Bernstein**; affectionate Zadie of Rachel and Justin Gilson, Joshua and Gina, **Alex**, and **Nathan**; and adoring great-grandfather (Zadie) to Sammy and Natalie Gilson.

The Anshe Emet community extends its deepest condolences to David, Barbara, Alex, Nathan and the entire Medow family at this difficult time. May you all be comforted among the mourners in Zion and Jerusalem. Amen.



## THE ANSHE EMET CARING COMMITTEE IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!

We are looking for two to three volunteers to make regular, friendly visits with homebound members of our community who live near the synagogue. If you are available and interested or simply would like more information about the visits, please contact **Julie Ann Sklaver** at [ja7sklaver@gmail.com](mailto:ja7sklaver@gmail.com).

## HaZaK • Mondays at 1pm

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 Ethics with the Melton curriculum "Ethics of Jewish Living." Generously funded by Beatrice Mayer, z"l.

**MONDAY, JULY 5 • NO HAZAK (FOURTH OF JULY HOLIDAY)**

Visit [ansheemet.org/livestream](https://ansheemet.org/livestream) to join | **Meeting ID: 822 3547 8843**  
**Contact Cantor Liz Berke for Zoom password**  
and more information at [eberke@ansheemet.org](mailto:eberke@ansheemet.org)



## ON-LINE BEREAVEMENT GROUP

Supporting our  
community in times  
of loss.

**July 26 • 7:30pm • Via Zoom**

Please join us, every fourth Monday of the month, for our **online** support group for adults who have experienced the death of a loved one within the past two years.

**Meeting ID: 170 885 666**

**Contact Tamar Brooks for Zoom Password: [tbrooks@ansheemet.org](mailto:tbrooks@ansheemet.org)**

## TORAH READING PAGE NUMBERS IN ETZ HAYIM

**NUMBERS** Chapter 26-30

**1<sup>st</sup> Aliyah:** p. 924, 26:52-26:56

**2<sup>nd</sup> Aliyah:** p. 924, 26:57-26:62

**3<sup>rd</sup> Aliyah:** p. 925, 26:63-27:5

**4<sup>th</sup> Aliyah:** p. 927, 27:6-27:14

**5<sup>th</sup> Aliyah:** p. 928, 27:15-27:23

**6<sup>th</sup> Aliyah:** p. 929, 28:1-28:10

**7<sup>th</sup> Aliyah:** p. 931, 28:11-28:15

**Maftir:** p. 936, 29:35-30:1

**Haftarah:** p. 968, Jeremiah 1:1-2:3

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ANSHE EMET?

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**Parsha Pinchas:**  
The Limits of Zealotry

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## SHIREINU: ANSHE EMET CHOIR

Anyone who is interested in singing and having some fun, you are invited to join our weekly choir session, **every Thursday at 5:15pm.**

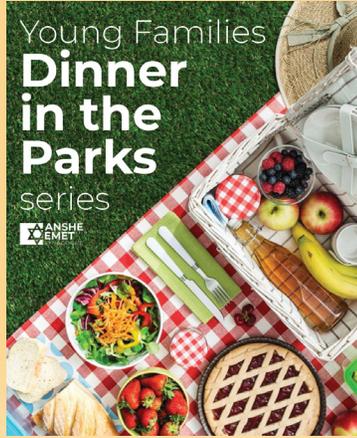
Learn more at [ansheemet.org/choir](http://ansheemet.org/choir)



**WINE, WOMEN & WALKING WITH GOD SERIES:**  
**REBBE NACHMAN OF BRESLOV IN CONTEXT**  
WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 30, JULY 7 & 14  
7PM

During our three sessions, we will get acquainted with R' Nachman's lessons in his main work, Likutei Moharan, as well as lesser known Breslov sources. **Sabrina Burger**, a long time student of R' Nachman, leads this program.

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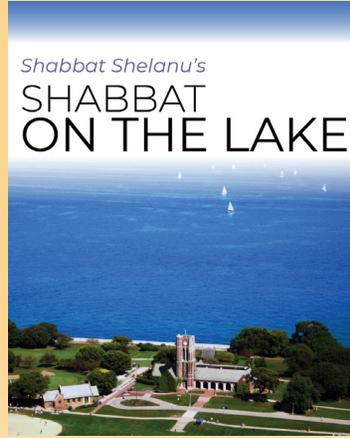


**YOUNG FAMILIES DINNER IN THE PARKS SERIES**  
BEGINS THURSDAY, JULY 1  
5:30PM

BYO Picnic dinner and join Max Handelman and other Anshe Emet Families with kids infant to 4 years for dinner and playtime in a local park. Dinner in the Parks with Anshe Emet Young Families is free.

**Space is limited!**

[ansheemet.org/dinnerintheparks](http://ansheemet.org/dinnerintheparks)

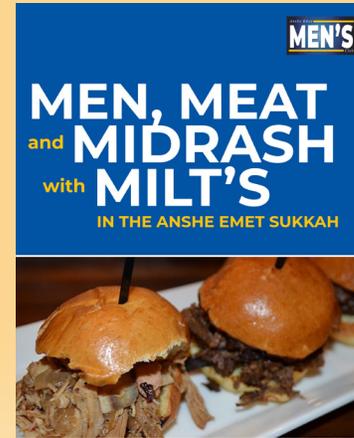


**SHABBAT SHELANU'S SHABBAT ON THE LAKE**  
FRIDAY, JULY 16  
6PM

Join us for a beautiful Shabbat experience on the lakefront, followed by a catered Shabbat dinner back at Shul!

**\$20 Fee.**

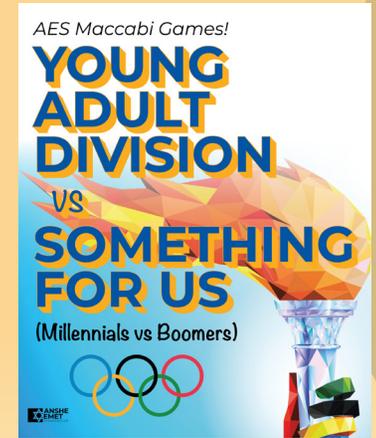
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**MEN'S CLUB PRESENTS: MEN, MEAT & MIDRASH WITH MILT'S**  
TUESDAY, JULY 27  
6:30PM - 8:30PM

Join Rabbi D'ror Chankin-Gould and your Men's Club friends in a lively Torah discussion in the Anshe Emet Sukkah.

[ansheemet.org/mmmm](http://ansheemet.org/mmmm)



**AES MACCABI GAMES: YAD VS SOMETHING FOR US**  
THURSDAY, JULY 29  
7PM

Join us for an evening of creative competitions to settle the question of Millennials vs Boomers!

Games, food and drinks to be had!

[ansheemet.org/aes-maccabi-games](http://ansheemet.org/aes-maccabi-games)