

September 16 Marvin & Sue Geller September 16 Michael & Teri Goldman



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Harry Newman **Ronald Paul**

Mazel tov to Efrem Schwartz who is reading Haftarah in celebration of the 76th anniversary of his bar mitzvah. We look forward to his 77th!

Commentary on the Haftarah of Parshat Re'eh

This is the third haftarah of consolation read after Tishah b'Av.

Even as the Torah reading sets the choice between blessing and curse, so does the Haftarah of Isaiah (54:11-55:5) assure the people that since the curse has been visited on Israel. the time for blessing will now be at hand.

The Talmud tells us that when Rabbi Yohanan ben Zakkai was walking through the ruins of Jerusalem after its destruction by the Romans in 70 CE, his disciple said to him: "How sad it is to see what has remained of Jerusalem".

But his teacher replied: "Don't be afflicted, my son; if the curse has come upon Israel according to prophecy, now is the time for the blessing to be fulfilled".

Israel is the only nation of antiquity to have survived twenty centuries of exile and to be thriving once again, as it never did in the past.

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Rabbi Leo M Abrami

Shabbat Ki Tetzei

Friday 16 September 2016; 13 Elul 5776 Kabbalat Shabbat at 7:30 p.m. The Oneg will be sponsored by the Congregation All are welcome

Saturday 17 September 2016; 14 Elul 5776 Shabbat Service 9:00 a.m. The Kiddush will be sponsored by the Congregation All are welcome

> Torah: Devarim (Deuteronomy) Pages 24:14-25:19 pp. 852-857

Haftarah: Isaiah 54:1-10;54:11-55:5 pp.857-858;818-819



We wish "Refuah Shelemah," a speedy recovery to congregants, family and friends who are ill. We encourage you to call or visit with them and wish them well.

Marcia Turkiewicz Kate Heiser

A David Silverman Lorraine Shively

Ned Weiner

If anyone wants a name listed for a *mishebeirach*, please call the office by Wednesday of the week and the name will go into the bulletin for that week.

A prayer for healing can be said at any time and does not require a *minyan*. The Amidah (page 113 in Siddur Sim Shalom) shows a format that can be used: "May it be your will, Lord our God and God of our ancestors, to send perfect healing, of body and soul, to ______, along with all others who are stricken".

Mi she-bei-rach a-vo-tei-nu M'kor ha'bra-cha l'i-mo-tei-nu May the source of strength Who blessed the ones before us, Help us find the courage To make our lives a blessing And let us say, Amen Mi she-bei-rach i-mo-tei-nu M'kor ha-brach-cha l'a-votei-nu Bless those in need of healing With refuah shelemah -The renewal of body, The renewal of spirit And let us say, Amen

Please advise Rabbi Abrami of anyone who is ill and would like to be visited. Call the office to provide details.

Rabbi Abrami is available for counseling on Mondays from 9 to 11 am (by appointment). Please call 623-584-7210

Do you want to get more involved in our Beth Emeth Family?

We are always looking for people to help with events as well as our day to day activities. Please take some time to think about programs that you would like to volunteer to help with or any new programming ideas that you think we should add to our to Beth Emeth Congregation.

The following Yahrzeits will be observed during the coming week.

Kaddish may be said on Friday evening & Saturday morning September 16 and 17, 2016.

El Malei Rachamim, the memorial prayer, may be said on the Monday or Thursday preceding the Yahrzeit at the 8:00 am

Sep	Elul	Deceased	Relationship	Observant
16	13	Oscar Segall	Grandfather	Owen Segal
17	14	Harry Koshar	Brother	Louis Koshar
18	15	Joel Merchant	Husband	Beverly Merchant
19	16	Cyla Grossman	Mother-in-law	Gail Grossman

The *Minyanaires* is a dedicated group of Jewish individuals who meet on Monday and Thursday at 8:00 am to pray *shacharit*, the morning service. Everyone is welcome, whether saying *kaddish* or not.

Bereavement Group with Ellie Schwartzberg Thursdays 10 am- 2:00 pm at Beth Emeth

Please call Ellie at 602-452-4660 for more information or to make an appointment.