

SHABBAT VAYETZE

Jacob leaves his hometown of **Beersheba** and journeys to **Charan**. On the way, he encounters "**the place**" and sleeps there, dreaming of a **ladder** connecting heaven and earth, with angels climbing and descending on it; G-d appears and promises that the land upon which he lies will be given to his descendants. In the morning, Jacob raises the **stone** on which he laid his head as an altar and monument, pledging that it will be made the **house of G-d**.

In Haran, Jacob stays with and works for his uncle **Laban**, tending Laban's sheep. Laban agrees to give him his younger daughter, **Rachel**—whom Jacob loves—in marriage, in return for seven years' labor. But on the wedding night, Laban gives him his elder daughter, **Leah**, instead—a deception Jacob discovers only in the morning. Jacob marries Rachel, too, **a week later**, after agreeing to work another seven years for Laban.

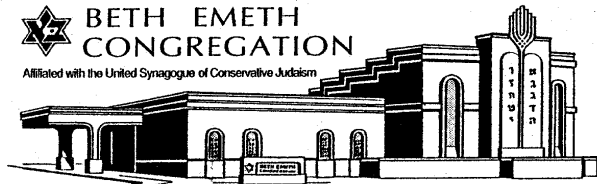
Leah gives birth to six sons—**Reuben, Simeon, Levi, Judah, Issachar** and **Zebulun**—and a daughter, **Dinah**, while Rachel remains barren. Rachel gives Jacob her handmaid, **Bilhah**, as a wife to bear children in her stead, and two more sons, **Dan** and **Naphtali**, are born. Leah does the same with her handmaid, **Zilpah**, who gives birth to **Gad** and **Asher**. Finally, Rachel's prayers are answered and she gives birth to **Joseph**.

Jacob has now been in Charan for fourteen years, and wishes to return home. But Laban persuades him to remain, now offering him **sheep** in return for his labor. Jacob prospers, despite Laban's repeated attempts to swindle him. After six years, Jacob leaves Charan in stealth, fearing that Laban would prevent him from leaving with the family and property for which he labored. Laban pursues Jacob, but is warned by G-d in a dream not to harm him. Laban and Jacob make a pact on **Mount Gal-Ed**, attested to by a pile of stones, and Jacob proceeds to the Holy Land, where he is met by **angels**.



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Candle lighting 5:07 p.m.

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November 16, 2018

Friday Night Services

Services 6:30 p.m.

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November 17, 2018

Saturday Morning Services

Services 9:00 a.m.

Genesis 31:17-32:3

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Hosea 12:13-14:10

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Kiddush sponsored by the congregation

Mi Shebeirach, by Debbie Friedman

*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 R'fu-a sh'lei-ma
The renewal of body,
The renewal of spirit
And let us say,
AMEN*

Prayer for healing

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. Ailene Barkhoff, Barry Bookman, James Clapp, Peter Enneking, Cindy Frami. Keren bat Maya Rut, Maya Goldberg, Thomas Hannagian, Barry Himmelfarb, Dovid Ben Itchok, Sheldon & Judith Koven, Don Lehrer, Marc Levenshus, Samantha Leznek, Alissa Leznek, Michael Mamuzich, Peggy Markowitz, Michele Moschel, Barbara & Harry Newman, Sy Perlis, Gerald Rich, Golda Leah bat Malkah Miriam, Charlotte Rubinoff, Cyrene Schochet, Elaine Schwartz, A. David Silverman, Robert Summer, Charlie Tarnor, Randy Thomas, Marcia Turkiewicz, Richard Wasserman, Michael

The following Yahrzeits will be observed during the coming week. Kaddish may also be said on Friday evening & Saturday morning November 16, 2018 & November 17, 2018. El Malei Rachamim, the memorial prayer, may be said on the Monday or Thursday preceding the Yahrzeit at the 8:00 am Minyan.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Kislev</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	<u>Relationship</u>	<u>Observant</u>
16	8	Anna Liskofsky	Aunt	Dr. Abraham Cohen
16	8	Rita Rose	Mother	Carol Madvig
17	9	Beatrice Kaplan	Mother	Brenda Kleinman
17	9	Minnie Weiss	Mother-in-law	Selma Weiss
19	11	Minnie Hesch	Stepmother	Maury Hesch
20	12	Max Meyer	Father	Linda Ziegler
23	15	Paul Walter	Brother-in-law	Evelyn Walter



Birthdays

Anniversary

16 Irene Lehrer
20 Gail Grossman
23 Bobbi Kneitel

16 Harry & Barbara Newman