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“MAZAL TOV TALIA SAKS”

**JUNE 8 & 9, 2018
SHABBAT SHALOM**

**BIRCHAT HACHODESH
SHABBAT NEWSLETTER**

**26 SIVAN 5778
GUT SHABBOS**

CANDLE LIGHTING 8:10 p.m.

KABBALAT SHABBAT SERVICE 6:30 P.M. - BERLIN CHAPEL

OFFICIATING Rabbi Steven Saks
FRIDAY NIGHT Cantor Yehoshua Redfern

SHABBAT SERVICE 9:00 A.M. - GEWIRTZ SANCTUARY

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SATURDAY MORNING Cantor Yehoshua Redfern

Scott Slomowitz - Shacharit
Cantor Redfern - Kriat Hatorah
Lou Brown - Haftorah

D’VAR TORAH Talia Saks

SERMON - Rabbi Steven Saks “Why Was Caleb Great?”

Cantor Redfern - Mussaf
Neil Lattin & Howard Stromwasser - Gabbaim

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS Jonathan Jaffe

SIDRAH OF THE WEEK

Shelach
Numbers 13:1 - 15:41
Stone - p. 798

HAFTORAH

Joshua 2:1 - 24
Stone - p. 1184

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES		THIS WEEK’S SCHEDULE OF SERVICES	
Mincha	7:55 p.m.	Sunday Morning	8:00 a.m.
Torah Study - Parshat Hashavuah		Monday - Thursday Mornings	7:00 a.m.
Havdalah	9:11 p.m.	<i>NO Wed. Morning Community Minyan at CBS (Rosh Chodesh)</i>	
		Friday Morning Community Minyan at AKSE	7:30 a.m.
		Monday - Thursday Afternoons	5:30 p.m.

Perform a Mitzvah - Come to a Daily Service - Help to Make a Minyan

ROSH CHODESH TAMMUZ, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, JUNE 13 & 14, 2018

YAHRTZEIT OBSERVANCES

This week we observe the Yahrzeit of the following individuals:

June 8 - Seth Neil Becker, Lena Hockstein, Audrey Rosenberg, Philip Slomowitz, Beatrice Weinberg

June 9 - Samuel Kates, Gertrude Stromwasser

June 12 - Irving N. Brown

June 13 - Yetta Balick, Manuel Freeman, Terry B. McNamara

June 14 - Dorothy Bronstein, Morris Kraft, Bessie Rosen

May their memory be for a blessing.

AKSE ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

WELCOME - NEWCOMERS AND VISITORS: We are glad you are with us and look forward to greeting you with a warm AKSE welcome at our Kiddush following services.

KIDDUSH: All congregants are invited to share in the friendship and ruach of Shabbat at our Kiddush sponsored by **Rabbi Steven, Anne, Gavriella, Elisheva and Margalit Saks** in honor of their daughter and sister, **Talia**, upon becoming a Bat Mitzvah.

LEARN TO READ HEBREW: Learn to read Hebrew, to read from the Siddur, and to understand what you are saying. Classes meet on Shabbat morning **from 9:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. (beginners) and 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. (advanced)**. For more information, please call **Eleanor Weinglass** at **302-478-3378**.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS BEGIN MONDAY: Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–3 p.m.; Friday 9 a.m.-noon.

THE JEWISH LEONARD BERNSTEIN - SUNDAY, JUNE 10TH: Sunday breakfast program jointly sponsored by **AKSE Sisterhood and Men's Club**. **Anne Zwick Turner** will present a lecture with musical excerpts **celebrating the life and work of Leonard Bernstein**, emphasizing his relationship to his Judaism and Israel. This year is the centenary of his birth. Anne is a professional musician, singer and voice coach who has studied Bernstein in depth. A sumptuous buffet breakfast at **9:30 a.m.** will be followed by the presentation at **10:00 a.m.** Cost is **\$7** with an advance reservation by contacting the office at **302-762-2705** or **office@AKSE.org** by **Friday at 12:45 p.m.** Without a reservation, the cost is **\$9**. Payment at the door.

AKSE ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING - WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13TH: All are encouraged to attend the annual congregational meeting, which begins at **7:30 p.m.** Other events have been scheduled for that evening. For those AKSE members in good standing who made reservations, a **BBQ begins at 5:30 p.m.** **At 6:30 p.m. we will present, discuss, and display items from the 1962 time capsule.** The Gift Shop will be open as well during the evening.

CHUG IVRI - WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20TH: Last Chug Ivri of the season begins **at 7:30 p.m.**

PARSHA AND PIZZA - WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20TH: Parsha and Pizza is cancelled on June 13th because of the congregational meeting. It will meet as usual on June 20th **at 6 p.m. at AKSE**. Then there will be a hiatus for a month until the special Parsha and Picnic sessions (please see next announcement).

PARSHA AND PICNIC - WEDNESDAYS, JULY 25TH & AUGUST 1ST: **Rabbi Saks** will lead his Parsha of the week sessions **at 6 p.m. at the Siegel JCC** in conjunction with the JCC BBQ. On these two days, Mincha will take place **at 5:30 p.m. at the JCC**, rather than at AKSE.