

## SHABBAT SHALOM January 4 / 7 Tevet 5780

Services: Led by Rabbi Michael Gotlieb and

Cantor Samuel Cohen

Torah: Genesis 44:18 (page 274) read by

Cantor Melanie Fine

Haftorah: Ezekiel 37:15 (page 290) chanted by Michael Norman Greeter: Deborah Berenbach

Shabbat Parashat Vayiggash

This week's Torah reading, *Vayiggash*, gives insight into the power and importance of forgiveness. With the combination of God and good values, Joseph turns his fate into free will. While Joseph never actually says, "I forgive you," he does tell his brothers they need not revisit their earlier, evil behavior. To his credit, Joseph did not let the wicked actions of his brothers destroy him. He was able to move forward in life and achieve many important things. That and more awaits you in this morning's inspiring Torah reading.

Join us for Kiddush after services. Kiddush lunch is a tradition of warmth, friendship, and love of Shabbat, one which we depend on the generosity of members to support. To sponsor, call the KM office.

#### **UPCOMING**

Monday, January 6 7:00 pm - Men's and Women's

Club Planning Meeting

Tuesday, January 7 3:30 pm - Religious School

Grades 2-7

4:00 pm - Grades K-1 5:00 pm - Grade 8

Wednesday, January 8 7:15 pm - Choir

Thursday, January 9 12 noon - Rabbi's Lunch 'n Learn

6:30 pm - Intro to Judaism - Kashrut:

The Original Soul Food

Saturday, January 11 9:30 am - "Birthday" Shabbat Services

10:00 am - Shabbat B'Yachad 11:00 am - Shabbat Kids with

Hila Robas

11:15 am - Shabbat Baby with Kira

Rappaport

Sunday, January 12 9:00 am - Religious School-

Grades 2-7

12:30 pm - Kadima

### **UPCOMING**





KM MEN'S AND WOMEN'S CLUB PLANNING MEETING FOR 2020 PROGRAMS JANUARY 6 @ 7:00 PM

Let your voice be heard! We need your input for the upcoming programs and events for the year. All KM members are welcome. Please RSVP to the KM office at km-synagogue.org.

#### **MAZEL TOV TO**

Marian and Charley Goldsmith on the birth of their granddaughter, Hazel Grace, born on December 26. Hazel is the daughter of their daughter, Suzy Goldsmith, and Kassie Rohrbach. Cards and tributes may be sent to the family at 340 20th Street, Santa Monica. CA 90402.

#### REFUAH SH'LEMAH

A speedy and complete recovery to: Nicholas Orona, grandson of Lucy and Alan Fein; Dorita Gotlieb; Homa Harounian; Judy Resnick, mother of Joanne Klein; Rita Schreiber; Joanne Trempala; George Wolfberg

# YAHRZEITS Phil Baker, brother of Manny Baker

Sarah Agata, mother of Deborah Berenbach Rose Cohen, grandmother of Beverly Bienstock Edith Spector, sister of Erika Schwartz and aunt of Eileen Cohen Gladys Dunn, mother of Joshua Dunn Moiz Mesulam, grandfather of Gina Epstein Harry Fistell, father of Ira Fistell Jack Furst, father of Laurie Furst Ruth Green, grandmother of Jamie Green Hilda Hersh, mother of Elsa Jones Enid Karpel-Nagler, sister of Susan Karpel Marvin J. Kohn, brother of Stanley Kohn Mathilde Margolis, mother of Mayer Margolis Zelda Jov Mitchell, mother of Nicholas Mitchell Rabbi Michael Roth, brother of Jack Roth Walter Schmalz, father of Robert Schmalz Michael Jaffe, father of Libby Silverman