

# SHAAREY TPHILOH



***Shabbat Shalom!***

July 11, 2020  
19 Tamuz, 5780

*Services on hold because of the pandemic*

**Parashat Pinchas**

Numbers: 25:10-30:1

Haftarah: Jeremiah 1:12-3

*Shabbat candle lighting: July 10, 8:04 pm*

*Havdalah: July 11, 9:04 pm*

Online Havdalah [details in **Shaarey Tphiloh Online!** below]: 9:20 pm

**Rabbi Aaron Shub's D'var Torah**

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## Shaarey Tphiloh News

### Acknowledgments

Todah to *Adeline Glovsky Hale* for a generous donation *in beloved memory of her father-in-law, **George Hale** (Zelig ben Chaim HaLevi), uncle **Max Bornstein** (Pesach ben Layzer) and grandfather **Abraham Seigal** (Avram ben Yoel HaLevi).*

Todah to *Myra Sallet* and *Maxine Isaacs* for a generous donation *in beloved memory of father, **Herman Gershenson** (Haim ben Mordechai).*

Todah to *Lou* and *Shula Bornstein* for a generous donation *in beloved memory of father and devoted husband, **Max Bornstein** (Pesach ben Layzer).*

Todah to *Donna* and *Larry Geller* for a generous donation *in beloved memory of aunt **Lillian Mofenson** and on the recent passing of **Robert Tabachnick**.*

Todah to *Margie* and *Barry Afergan* for a generous donation *in beloved memory of father, **Bertram Silverman**.*

### Shaarey Tphiloh Online!!

#### Friday 4 pm Parashat HaShavua Reading

When: *Friday afternoon* from 4:00 pm

Share in the joys of Shabbat just before it begins by reading this week's parashah together!

Tune in by [Facebook Live](#)

#### Saturday 9:20 pm Havdalah

When: *Saturday evening* from 9:20 pm

Where: **By phone** (1-646-558-8656 and when prompted, dialing the meeting ID: 797 151 978),

[Zoom](#) (Meeting ID: 797 151 978; Password: 045797) **or**

[Facebook Live](#)

Come together to mark the end of Shabbat and share some songs.

## Tuesday 7 pm Tuesday Night Learning: The Soul and Structure of Shabbat

When: *Tuesday evening, 7:00 pm* 8:15 pm

Where: By phone (1-646-558-8656 and when prompted, dialing the meeting ID: 797 151 978) or

[Zoom \(with texts\)](#) (Meeting ID: 797 151 978; Password: 045797)

*Our Shabbat series continues this Tuesday night as we learn the parameters of the melachah (labor) of "borer" (sorting out what we don't want from what we do want).*

To sign up for classes, email Rabbi Shub [here](#) or sign up for classes by clicking [here](#) (or, copy and paste the following link: <http://bit.ly/JewishMaineMiniCourses>).

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## Refuah Shleimah, a Speedy Recovery!

Channa Bryndel bat Bluma  
Yoiel Meshilum Feish ben Ruchle  
Elisheva bat Ephraim  
Leah bat Doris  
Hannah bat Yonit  
Meir ben Helen

Carmela bat Mazal  
Miriam Tovah bat Gittel  
Akiva ben Sarah  
Deena bat Yehudit  
Zelda Norof

**Dear Shaarey Tphiloh Community,**

Please let us know if there is anyone whose name you would like included in our service and announcements by [emailing us](#) and keep us updated through their recovery.

## Updates

Maine is beginning to re-open its economy gradually [under a controlled phased plan](#). However, Shaarey Tphiloh remains closed for now in accordance with other local religious institutions.

For the most up to date information for the City of Portland, please check [here](#) and for the State of Maine, click [here](#).

We will keep you updated about additional programs and events listed under "Shaarey Tphiloh Online" as well as available resources with our weekly newsletters.

The Rabbi is happy to provide counseling and advice via [Rabbi@MaineSynagogue.org](mailto:Rabbi@MaineSynagogue.org). He is best reached between 3 and 5 pm on Mondays and Thursdays at (207) 613-5765.

Our office remains functioning via phone (207) 773-0693 and email ([Office@MaineSynagogue.org](mailto:Office@MaineSynagogue.org)).

*Stay safe and healthy!*

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## Yahrzeits

### **19 Tamuz**

Max Bornstein

### **20 Tamuz**

Miriam Mirochnick

### **21 Tamuz**

Bertram Silverman

### **22 Tamuz**

Herman Gershenson

Goldie Millman

Morris Levine

Goldie Levinsky

### **23 Tamuz**

Ida Pachowsky

### **24 Tamuz**

Abraham Seigal

Gertrude Lerman

Lillian Mofenson

Myles James Goodman

## Stories from Mount Sinai Cemetery



A note from Sherri Quint, Treasurer of Southern Maine Jewish Cemetery Association (SMJCA)

SMJCA will post a photo of a headstone and share what info we have. If you have a story, information or a photo, please share them with [us](#).

Today we share the headstone of Barney (Bernard) Silverman 1/17/1915 2/11/1943. Click [HERE](#) to read more about Barney and his family.

## Community Resources & Events

**Lifelong Jewish Learning - as a Community:** [Shalom Maine](#) ([ShalomME.com](http://ShalomME.com)) offers text study, academic courses, and singing and dancing classes throughout the year.

# SHALOM MAINE

[Click here](#) for registration and current offerings.

## Jacob Cousins Memorial



Unveiled in September 1935, the Jacob Cousins Memorial was part of an ongoing nationwide effort to highlight both the patriotism of Jewish Americans and their contribution during times of conflict. The memorial is a key artifact in the history of the Jewish community in southern Maine linking past to present and inspiring visitors to remember, respect and contemplate the cost of war.



The memorial was significantly renovated with extensive bench seating for viewing it and Casco Bay. The restoration was officially opened on October 1, 2018. *Shaarey Tphiloh is proud to be one of the community sponsors of this memorial.* Friends of the Eastern Promenade is continuing to raise funds to cover the cost of the recent redesign of this historic landmark.

To donate to this important cause, visit [here](#).

**Sunday Simcha!** - Tune in [online](#) or at WMPG 90.9 FM.

**Every Sunday Morning - 6:30 to 8:30 am**

Hosts: Hillel, Barbara Merson, *our very own Natan Kahn*, and Ben Naftali

Sunday Simcha is the only Jewish music program in Maine and northern New England and one of only a handful of Jewish music radio shows in the United





States. Shows are wildly eclectic one of the few Jewish shows to feature modern, diverse, and cutting-edge recordings in addition to traditional music.

*If you are interested in becoming a DJ, contact WMPG [here](#).*

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[Documenting Maine Jewry](#) documents the history of Maine Jews and has wonderful archival materials online at [mainejews.org](http://mainejews.org).

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For the latest information on the **JCA** including the [JCA Virtual Experience](#) .... Go to [MaineJewish.org](http://MaineJewish.org)

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For more information, please [click here](#) or on the logo above.

# MJFF: Maine Jewish Film Festival

*POSTPONED until the fall*

[2020 MJFF](#) features a fascinating collection of films from around the world. Offerings include a gripping drama about a youth orchestra of Palestinians and Israeli Jews, a documentary about the only Arab recognized as righteous among nations by Israel, and a romantic story about an ex German POW who became a sports hero in England after WWII. You'll meet the wildlife photographer whose great white whale was a polar bear, the Yiddish poet who was rescued by Stalin and the gay Mormon stand-up comic studying for his bar mitzvah. Special programs give the opportunity to meet filmmakers, artists and experts who add so much to the festival experience.

For further info., visit: <https://www.mjff.org>

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