



# KOL TIKVAH

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### From the Rabbi's Study

Rabbi Mark Glickman

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#### Dear Friends,

What a thrilling time this is! As I conclude my rabbinate here in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, I can't even begin to tell you how excited I am to come up to Calgary and begin the next chapter of my life as rabbi of Temple B'nai Tikvah.

OK, to tell you the truth, I *can* begin to tell you – I'm *really* excited. I've been a rabbi for 26 years now, and since I was ordained, I've served at many different congregations around the United States. I had great experiences at them all – some were small enough to allow me to form very close relationships with most of the members; some were larger congregations, humming with activity and programming of all kinds. Then I worked as an interim rabbi, and was able to see congregations working to transition from one chapter to the next. I've preached and I've taught and I've reached into the lives of thousands of congregants who have allowed me the opportunity to do so. There have been some trying times, of course, but on the whole, it's been terrific.

And now I'm preparing to head north, where I'll become the rabbi of Temple B'nai Tikvah. As I do, I can't help but think that everything in my career has led me to this sacred opportunity. From what I've learned, B'nai Tikvah is a congregation small enough to be intimate, big enough to be exciting, and robust enough to offer a full portion of programming and activities. Its members (at least the ones I've met) are delightful people, and its larger Jewish community thrums with activity. And to top it all off, it's located in a beautiful part of the world.

Most important, however, is that I can't help but feel that Temple B'nai Tikvah and I were destined for each other. Far be it from me to be sure of God's ways, but things feel like they have "clicked" so well between you and me that I can't help but think that God wants us to be together.

This is not to say that everything will be easy, of course. Surely our transition into this new relationship will present challenges to us all. Still, we have a lot to look forward to, and I, for one, am fully confident that we're going to do great things together.

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You are B'nai Tikvah – Children of Hope. Soon, I will be part of B'nai Tikvah, too. Our very name testifies to the promise of our tomorrow.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to share my future with you. I can't *wait* to get started.

Shalom,

Rabbi Mark Glickman

## Notes from the Office

### Membership Renewal Forms

Debbie, our bookkeeper, is asking for your help when filling out the Membership Renewal Form for 2016-2017. She asks that if you are planning to pay with your credit card, you fill in the COMPLETE CREDIT CARD NUMBER on the form. A new system was implemented recently and she is no longer able to see your complete credit card number. This makes the process a few extra minutes but increases the security tremendously.

### Donations to Temple

There are several ways for you to donate to Temple.

Oneg sponsorship — to sponsor an oneg for a special occasion or in memory of a loved one you can choose from the following: a Pizza Party (\$250), Shabbat Shiraz (\$54) or a regular oneg (\$180).

Saturday kiddush sponsorship — \$150.

Tribute cards — for a minimum donation of \$18 you can send a card to express your condolences or to remember a special occasion.

Safeway cards — we have cards in the amounts of \$25, \$100 and \$250 for you to purchase.

For any inquiries on the above, just call the Temple office Monday through Friday.

## Life Cycle Events

### Mazel Tov

- Sydney Devlin on her Bat Mitzvah on June 4.
- Sean Lynch on his conversion June 10.
- Aaron Rigg-Goldblum on his Bar Mitzvah on June 11.
- Grace Elman on her Bat Mitzvah on June 18.
- Ben & Ella Palter on their B'nai Mitzvah on June 25.

### Condolences

- Gayla Rogers on the loss of her father Max Chodak (May 12)
- Hadassah O'Reilly on the loss of her dear friend, Inger Ivelind



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## President's Message

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Betsy Jameson

Fredriksson-Berggren (June 5)

As I write my first Kol Tikvah column, Temple B'nai Tikvah stands at the threshold of transition. Steve Eichler is still President; Rabbi Teri Appleby is concluding her year as our interim rabbi. By the time you read this, I hope Steve is relishing a much-deserved rest after three years of extraordinary service. Rabbi Teri and Jon will have left for their next adventure in Chattanooga. And Rabbi Mark Glickman will be on the road to Calgary, or will have arrived to lead us on the next steps of our collective journey. We meet these transitions as we always have, as B'nai Tikvah, Children of Hope.

We've matured through previous transitions. We moved from Ron and Judy Bing's living room to our first rented apartment at the JCC to our own building. We embraced home ownership, renovating to create a beautiful space for worship, learning, community, *tikkun olam*, and music — lots and lots of music. In the process we've said goodbye to treasured rabbis and welcomed new ones. We've grown into middle age and celebrated our 36th anniversary. We've become multi-generational and strive to meet the needs and interests of everyone from toddlers to 20-somethings to grandparents. Maturity commits us to the future, so that our vibrant, warm, challenging, welcoming community will continue *l'dor v'dor*, from generation to generation.

As the Rabbinic Search Committee evaluated many talented applicants, we determined that our stage of maturity as a congregation required mature leadership, a rabbi experienced in all aspects of congregational service. We found that leader in Rabbi Mark Glickman. During twenty-six years as a rabbi, he has built an impressive record: as Director of Youth Leadership for the Union of American Hebrew Congregations (now the URJ), as rabbi for congregations ranging from 65 families to over 500, producing two books. His *Stolen Words: The Nazi Plunder of Jewish Books* was published in February. And there are personal qualities, as well — the warmth, humour, intelligence, and compassion that members ranked at the top of your wish lists. Join us, please, to worship and learn with Rabbi Glickman. Welcome him and his wife, Dr. Caron Glickman, at the events our Transition Committee is planning to help us all get better acquainted.

Transitions are exciting. They also require some caution. The Central Conference of American Rabbis counsels that transitions to a new rabbi take up to eighteen months, as the rabbi and congregation get to know one another. So please be patient, and please show up, to share your hopes and ideas for the future.

Our front doors are more open than ever, and literally more transparent. Special thanks to Harvey Bernbaum who helped design the new doors that bring light, blooming irises, and the natural world into our foyer. They still look not-quite-finished — the finishing cladding could not be ordered until the doors were installed. It will arrive soon.

A final note. On June 15 we will hold our Temple AGM, we'll elect next year's Board of Trustees, and Steve will begin his well-earned rest. And we will, for the first time in four years, raise our dues. The increase is \$72 per adult or \$144 per family. That's \$6 a month for a single member — two cups of coffee. Still, we are acutely aware that the current Alberta economy is hard for some members, so let me emphasize: **No one, absolutely no one, should forfeit Temple membership for economic reasons.** Difficult times are exactly when we most need community, and Temple needs your energy and your presence. If you cannot afford full dues, please request an application for fee reduction from the Temple office. We will not pry — we do not ask your income — and your information is confidential.

Hard times are hard for organizations as well, which is why we reluctantly raised dues. We have bills to pay, and much-needed programs and services to fund. Our programs don't run on money alone — they take energy and engagement. In our middle-aged maturity we can afford a full-time rabbi, some full-time and part-time staff. We still need volunteers to greet people at services, serve lunch at the Drop-In Centre, raise much-needed funds, care for ill and aging members, help organize adult education programs and more. Our membership renewal packages will be mailed in early July. Please use the volunteer form to sign up for whatever most calls you. Volunteering does more than get work done — it builds community.

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*If you've ever seen a old time bluegrass band, you know how they do this lovely dance.*

*The person about to take the next solo steps out of the circle around the single mic;*

*the others move out of the way, giving the the now soloist room to move forward.*

I love that image. It's been in my mind a lot these last few weeks as I've been preparing to step down as Temple President. I've been feeling like that player coming to the end of my solo, seeing the next player starting to move out of line, ready to take her place up front. I see the gleam of creative energy in her eye. I can feel her anticipation of starting, thinking about what her first riff will be, knowing her experience and training will serve her well. She trusts the others in the band will open avenues for her to pursue but that they will also follow the new directions she may explore, may want them to explore with her.

Of course, while a nice metaphor, the notion that any of what happens here is done by a soloist is wildly inappropriate; there is absolutely nothing solo about the role from which I'm now stepping away. Quite literally, not a day goes by without the deep and detailed involvement of our Temple office staff that ensures a myriad of things take place. From construction projects to collecting *pushkes*, our office team of Danny Oppenheim, Sheila Hart, Debbie Bosomworth, David Even-Har, Ken Sullivan and Phil Horowitz serve Temple and its members with diligence, devotion and respect. They are too often unsung, so I take this moment to sing their praises and thank them for their incalculable contribution to our community and for helping me so much in so many ways for so long.

This past year has also seen the deep impact of people who were once – now inconceivably – strangers to us. Rabbi Teri Appleby managed the challenge of parachuting into a synagogue with its own ways and customs and somehow not only kept us from faltering after following another hand on the tiller for so long, but helped us grow. She has shown us that not only are we a strong and solid congregation, we are one that is happy with its *minhagim* but is willing to learn new ways, new melodies. Which brings us to Jon Leo. Like finding an extra toy in the Cracker Jack Box or Kinder Surprise Egg, this past year would have been unimaginable without Jon. I seem to have developed a habit of misspelling his name: rather than JoN, I often type JoY. ("Paging Dr. Freud. Paging, Dr. Freud.") We wish them all the best in their future travels and know that their new congregation in Chattanooga is indeed a fortunate one.

This last year has been a year in which Temple not only held our course, we actually did a lot of growing. We made a Youth Group – a kind, welcoming, funky, committed group of people. We made a weekly minyan – while admittedly the purview of some regulars, it continues to grow and deepen its roots. We had another Intro to Judaism class whose students are close, are friends (I see them hug!) and are being welcomed as members in our community. We had a terrific year of Social Action Shabbatot. We added substantial *kiddush* lunches on Shabbat—people hang around on Shabbat till 2 pm! That, my friends, is growth.

Temple stands at a most important and exciting time. Aside from Betsy Jameson coming on as our new President, as I write we are mere weeks away from the arrival of our fourth permanent rabbi. Frankly, if there were one thing that would make me consider staying on, it would be this. I feel in the marrow of my bones that Rabbi Glickman will be a wonderful leader of our congregation. My initial description still comes to mind every time I talk to him: intellectual yet accessible, funny yet serious, light yet deep. And so very *Jewish*. And Caron Glickman? After two seconds with her, you'll feel like you've known her forever, like you want to tell her about the tough times in your life and name a child or pet after her. (How many people can you say that about?!) It is a very exciting time and I know that many in our community will be inspired to become more active. I know that many outside of our existing Temple community will find their way through our beautiful new doors (thanks, Harvey Bernbaum!) because of him, because of them.

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## **Outgoing President's Message**

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**Steve Eichler**

Temple has long been fortunate that so many members choose to serve on our Board. Of course, there are many ways to serve Temple, from leading services to being a member of a committee to sponsoring an *oneg*. (Board members sometimes do these things and more.) But to serve on the Board requires ongoing commitment and dedication. It requires, perhaps, a willingness to risk 'tainting' one's spiritual connection to Temple, to Judaism, with the mundane, the quotidian, with business. But isn't that the essence of Judaism? Both Torah and flour are needed. And so to those of our members who roll up their sleeves, who hang up actual *tallitot* but keep wearing the mental version, who find prayer in budget reports, who, Jacob-like, wrestle with policies that will affect our people for years, I offer my own *yasher koach*, a blessing of thanks and my admiration for your service. (See you at the next Board meeting.)

And finally, a tale. About five years ago, on a visit to Miami for, unfortunately, the funeral of my uncle Benny, I asked his two sons-in-law, David and Marc, if I should be president of my shul, like they each had been in theirs. Without a moment's hesitation, they told me I should do it: yes, it would be frustrating and challenging and at times, off-the-hook crazy. But, they said, it would bring me closer to my Temple community, my Calgary Jewish Community and to the Jewish People (note the Caps). It would make me think about Organized Jewry in a different way and it would cement my relationship to religious Judaism in ways I couldn't imagine. So I agreed. And they were right.

I raise this point to suggest to you now reading this column that you should consider following my cousins' advice. You don't have to grow up to be president. You don't have to be on the Board. But you should consider getting more involved, this year more than ever. Not just because it will be good for Temple. Do it for yourself. Just imagine what it will be like to be on the ground floor of the edifice we will construct with our new Rabbi. Trust me, you shouldn't miss out on that.

I close by thanking all Temple Bnai Tikvah members for allowing me this privilege. It has been frustrating and challenging and off-the-hook crazy. But it became a part of my identity, my sense of self, much more than I ever thought possible. It has been a real gift and I am grateful for it. (Mind you, the 17 year old me still can't believe we were synagogue president ...) Thanks to my Tracey and Oscar for letting me do this; sorry to tell you two but you may be seeing more of me. And I'll see the rest of you in *shul* or at a class. And now, off to the photographer for that presidential portrait. Scootch over a bit, Roz... : )~

## President's Message (cont.)

And a final personal note. I am among those blessed to be able to afford more than the reduced dues I could claim as a senior. If you, too, are so blessed, please consider increasing your Fair Share contribution. More importantly, though, give of yourself, in whatever ways nourish you. Just show up, with your energy, your ideas, and your hopes.

Together we can grow from strength to strength.

## Life Cycle Events (cont.)

### Todah Rabah

- Shane & Alana Devlin for sponsoring the oneg in honour of their daughter Sydney's Bat Mitzvah on June 4.
- Richard & Rhonda Zabrodski for sponsoring the oneg in memory of their mother Alice Gotleib on June 17.
- Betsy Jameson, Steve Eichler & Tracey Rumig and Danny & Roz Oppenheim for sponsoring the special Shabbat Shiraz Farewell for Rabbi Teri and Jonathan Leo on June 24.
- Jay & Leigh-Anne Palter for sponsoring the oneg in honour of their children Ben and Ella's B'nai Mitzvah on June 25.

### Upcoming B'nai Mitzvah

- Aidan Steinfeld on August 20
- Ilana Lebon on August 27
- Nicole Cohen on September 17

## Yahrzeits

### To be read on July 1

Yakov John Adelman	David Freiman	Charles Lewis McCormick	Florence Singer
Frances Horovitz	Toby Molly Rose	Esther Conn	

### To be read on July 8

Harry Karlinsky	Judith Borenstein	Hector Ross	Israel Paul
Arthur Hyman	Ralph Welikovitch	Bronya Logvinskaya	

### To be read on July 15

Donald Grobman	Harold Hutchinson	Rose Stoffman	David Berkovits
Juana Cudsko de Asrilian	Esther Toby Eisenstadt	Colleen Smolkin	
Solomon Kustan	Stephen David Roll	M. David Spindel	Max Nathanson
Bertha Levin			

### To be read on July 22

Jean Lower	Emily Finkleman	Gary Lutz	Laja Zomer
Myrna Diane Levine	Richard Light	Morry Rogers	Max Eisenstadt
Dora Finkelman	Blanche Gorsky	Henry Krygier	Harry Baecker
Sam Eichler	Karen Philip	Lazarus Palnick	Raymond Singer
William Staum			

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**To be read on July 29**

Saul Rosenbaum	Stella Goldstein	Elayne Schecter	Rose Silberberg
Gella Bing-Weihs	Evelyn Frankel	Diane Freedman	Maurice Selby
Philip Ereshefsky	Rose Winograd	Edward Grobman	Louis Korman

**To be read on August 5**

Molly Aron	Bertha Nemerovsky	Dr. Marc Francoeur	Betty Gorrin
Bea Kahn	Phyllis Rackow	Ruth Carnat	Ike Hashman
Gertrude Singer	Toby Conn	Morley Wachnow	

**To be read on August 12**

Morris Calman	Sam Cramer	Ethel Baker	Augusta (Goldie) Steinberg
Boris Men	Avrum Rotbart	Gerry Goodman	Dora Freiman-Ptak
Norma Wise	Abraham (Art) Bleviss	Adolph Schacter	Jakob Boguslawski

**To be read on August 19**

Susan Frankel	Florence Elman	Annette Lewis Leo	Roseline Van Wilde Rode
Pam Robins	H Pauline Wallace	Florence Abrams	Ginda Ersh
Max Lakritz	Frank Rosenthal	Ted Riback	

**To be read on August 26**

Janet Rumig	Pearl Schwartz	Ruth Rosengarten	Sol Markovich
Albert Orpen	Lena Rose Schwartz	Janna Agema	Gertie Belkin
Symie Maslove	Freda Sautman	Pauline Smolkin	Abraham Drabinsky

## Donations

In Honour Of	From	Occasion
<b>Building Fund</b>		
Gayla & Brian Rogers	Steve Eichler, Tracey Rumig & Oscar	Condolences
Temple	Susan Light	In memory of parents Richard & Beatrice Light
Steve Eichler	Jerry & Elaine Hashman & Sarah	In appreciation
Temple	Barry Steinfeld	In memory of Morris Steinfeld
Temple	Jeff & Wendy Kohn	
Temple	Phyllis Krygier	In memory of Jessica Krygier
Hazel Orpen	Lee & Leslie Handy	Mazel Tov
Jane Paterson	Lee & Leslie Handy	Mazel Tov

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<b>In Honour Of</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>Occasion</b>
<b>Dan Arato Fund</b>		
Peter & Judith Arato	Steve & Kathie Wainer	Mazel Tov on the wedding of Thomas & Jessica
Ruchie & Yishay Avital	Peter & Judith Arato	In appreciation and Mazel Tov
Jim Cohen	Peter & Judith Arato	Mazel Tov
Amanda Zalmanowitz	Peter & Judith Arato	Mazel Tov
<b>General Operating Fund</b>		
Gayla & Brian Rogers	Zeev & Shoshanna Berger	Condolences
Ed & Felice Rosenbaum	Jeff Eichler	Condolences
Temple	Jeff & Wendy Kohn	
<b>Kiddush Fund</b>		
Gayla & Brian Rogers	Adam Singer & Marg Semel	Condolences
Temple	Richard & Rhonda Zabrodski	In memory of Alice Gotlieb's yahrzeit
Jane Paterson	Morris & Janna Bleviss	In honour of your years of service to Temple
Jane Paterson	Jerry & Elaine Hashman & Sarah	Mazel Tov and Yasher Kochech!
<b>Shabbat School Fund</b>		
Molly Ross	Bea Yuffe	Mazel Tov on your special birthday
<b>Smolkin Memorial Wall</b>		
Florrie Katchen	Barry & Debby Smolkin	Condolences
Temple	Michael Stern	In memory of Robert Stern
<b>Social Action Fund</b>		
Gayla & Brian Rogers	Betsy Jameson	Condolences
<b>Temple Life (Piano Fund)</b>		
Temple	Susan Light	In memory of parents Richard & Beatrice Light
<b>Youth Foundation Fund</b>		
Molly Ross	Dr. Michael P. Meyers (Jacqueline, Michael, Adam, Daniel & Ben)	Mazel Tov on your special birthday

### Osten and Victor Alberta Tennis Centre Opens



Temple member Al Osten opened the Oster and Victor Alberta Tennis Center in style on June 18. Al appears here with his longtime friend and business partner Buddy Victor and with Mayor Nenshi. Mazel tov, Al!

### Drop-In Centre Mega-Mitzvah Draws Ovations

by Paul Finkleman

Temple B'nai Tikvah volunteers served up over 700 hot beef dinners and pie with whipped cream for dessert at the Calgary Drop-In Centre on May 22. Drop-In Centre clients were so appreciative of the delicious meal and warm smiles that they applauded our group five times during the lunch hour.



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Thank you to all, especially TBT's Social Action Committee, which generously allows us to sponsor our "Mega-Mitzvah Meal" once a year. (The rest of the year, the meals we serve are cooked up by the Centre's kitchen staff, with no special funding, which is why sometimes it's just a bowl of soup and whatever 'expiry date bread' they happen to get donated.) Incidentally, there were even more volunteers than shown in the group photo below, but some arrived a few minutes late and never made it into the picture.



## Notices

### Temple Welcomes Rabbi Glickman and Dr. Caron Glickman

Rabbi Glickman is excited to meet the members of our community. He is looking for opportunities to meet with us formally as our rabbi and informally at get-togethers so he can get to know us personally and see what life in Calgary is all about.

Dr. Glickman was surprised to learn how busy the Calgary calendar is in July, with both the Stampede (July 8 to 17) and the Calgary Folk Music Festival (July 21 to 24). He and Caron have tickets to the Folk Music Festival, so if you want to meet him informally, you might invite him for a beer at the beer tent or catch a show with him and Caron.

At present we have tied down two dates for two very different events — a pre-services potluck on Friday, August 12 and a hike on Sunday, August 14. See **Save These Dates** for more information.

If you have other ideas for bringing smaller groups of people together during the summer, in the fall or winter, please contact Roslyn Mendelson. In the meantime, please call the office and make an appointment to drop by Rabbi Glickman's office and give him a warm B'nai Tikvah welcome. He wants to meet and know each and every one of us.

## Membership Notes

Membership renewal packages will be sent out to all current members in early July. If you do not receive one by July 15, via either regular mail or email, please contact Sheila at 403-252-1654 or [office@bnaitikvah.ca](mailto:office@bnaitikvah.ca).

Please notify us as soon as possible if you are aware of anyone not currently on our mailing list who would like to receive a membership package so that we can be sure to include them in our renewal mailing.

The deadline for renewal and High Holiday tickets this year is August 19. The office has to process many renewals in a short time, so please renew as early as possible.

## Habitat for Humanity Interfaith Build

Temple is seeking volunteers for an Interfaith Build Day with Habitat for Humanity on Sunday, August 28, from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm.

Habitat for Humanity builds homes for low-income Calgarians. The Interfaith Build day will involve churches, mosques and other religious communities from across Calgary. The Temple has been asked to provide six to seven volunteers to help build a home on this day. If you want to help but not hammer, we also need two or three people to help make lunches.

Please support our work crew with a donation to Habitat for Humanity. You can contact the office for this purpose. Monies raised go towards the purchase of building materials without which this foundation could not continue. Let's help working families get the start they need to become self-sufficient.

Please contact Jon Zyto at 403-685-8186 or [service@montaguemattress.com](mailto:service@montaguemattress.com) for more information.

## Save These Dates

August 12 at 6:30 — Kabbalat Shabbat Potluck. Join Rabbi and Dr. Caron Glickman at 6:30 with your favourite dairy dish or dessert. Services will follow at 8:00. Watch for further details in the upcoming email newsletter.

August 14 — Join Rabbi and Dr. Caron Glickman for a hike in the mountains. Watch for details in the Temple's email newsletter.

September 16 — Welcome Back Barbeque. Meet and mingle with members, young and old, current and new, as well as Rabbi Glickman, staff and trustees. Join us for a burger or hotdog followed by our Kabbalat Shabbat service. See our email newsletter for further details.

## Temple Casino

We need 36 hardy volunteers to work at the Temple's casino on Sunday, September 25, and Monday, September 26. Yes, the hours are long and the pay isn't great (although you DO get a free meal, endless cups of coffee, and lots of yummy snacks), but by volunteering for either a daytime or evening shift, you'll help ensure the success of this very important fundraiser for the Temple.

A Casino Volunteer Worker Application Form is available from the [Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission](#). Please fill it out and return it to Jane Paterson.

If you have any questions or require additional forms, please contact the casino chair, Jane Paterson, at [momified@shaw.ca](mailto:momified@shaw.ca) or 403-764-6803.

# July 2016

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
27	28 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan	29	30	1 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service 9:35 PM Candle lighting	2 Parshas Sh'lach 10:15 AM Shabbat Service 10:43 PM Havdalah (50 min)	3
4	5 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan 7:15 PM Executive Meeting	6 Rosh Chodesh Tamuz	7 Rosh Chodesh Tamuz	8 6:30 PM Pre-Services Potluck Dinner 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service 9:31 PM Candle lighting	9 Parshas Korach 10:15 AM Shabbat Service 10:39 PM Havdalah (50 min)	10
11	12 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan	13	14	15 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service 9:25 PM Candle lighting	16 Parshas Chukas 9:30 AM Chant Ser- vice (Chapel) 10:15 AM Shabbat Service 10:32 PM Havdalah (50 min)	17
18	19 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan	20	21	22 7:15 PM Shabbat Shi- raz (wine and cheese) 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service 9:17 PM Candle lighting	23 Parshas Balak 10:15 AM Shabbat Service 10:24 PM Havdalah (50 min)	24 11:45 AM Calgary Centre Drop-in Lunch
25	26 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan	27	28	29 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service 9:07 PM Candle lighting	30 Parshas Pinchas 10:15 AM Shabbat Service 10:13 PM Havdalah (50 min)	31

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1	2 ■ 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan ■ 7:15 PM Executive Meeting	3	4	5 <b>Rosh Chodesh Av</b> ■ 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service ■ 8:55 PM Candle lighting	6 <b>Parshas Matos—Masel</b> ■ 10:15 AM Shabbat Service ■ 10:02 PM Havdalah (50 min)	7
8	9 ■ 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan	10	11	12 ■ 6:30 PM Kabbalat Shabbat Potluck ■ 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service ■ 8:43 PM Candle lighting	13 <b>Erev Tish'a B'Av</b> <b>Parshas Devarim</b> <b>Shabbos Chazon</b> ■ 10:15 AM Shabbat Service ■ 9:49 PM Havdalah (50 min)	14 <b>Tish'a B'Av</b>
15	16 ■ 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan	17	18	19 <b>Tu B'Av</b> ■ 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service ■ 8:29 PM Candle lighting	20 <b>Shabbos Nachamu</b> <b>Parshas Vaeschanan</b> ■ 9:30 AM Chant Service (Chapel) ■ 10:15 AM Shabbat Service ■ 9:35 PM Havdalah (50 min)	21
22	23 ■ 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan	24	25	26 ■ 7:15 PM Shabbat Shiraz (wine and cheese) ■ 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service ■ 8:14 PM Candle lighting	27 <b>Parshas Eikev</b> ■ 10:15 AM Shabbat Service ■ 9:20 PM Havdalah (50 min)	28 ■ 11:45 AM Calgary Centre Drop-in Lunch
29	30 ■ 6:15 PM Weekday Minyan	31	1	2 ■ 6:00 PM Pizza Party & Tot Shabbat Service ■ 7:59 PM Candle lighting ■ 8:00 PM Erev Shabbat Service	3 <b>Rosh Chodesh Elul</b> <b>Parshas Re'eh</b> ■ 10:15 AM Shabbat Service ■ 9:04 PM Havdalah (50 min)	4 <b>Rosh Chodesh Elul</b>

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