

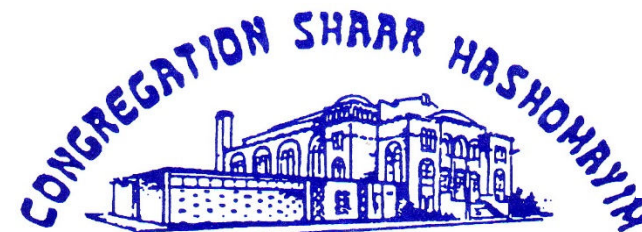
**WITH LOVE AND REVERENCE  
THE FOLLOWING YAHRZEITS ARE BEING OBSERVED THIS WEEK:**

<b>JUNE / 2026 – SIVAN 5786</b>		<b>BOARD/ROW</b>	
13	28	Sam Kert Esther Kline Samuel Seymour Center Ida Stein David Awerbuck Sonya Udell Elizabeth Lenkei Morton Burstyn	Esther Malka bas Ya'akov 7-4 Zaric ben Avraham 9-3 Yehudit bas Baynesh Hacoen Dovid Chaim ben Yisrael 3-2 Sora bas Zelig Pearl bas Lajos Erdos-Mordechai Mordechai ben Shlomo
14	29	Daniel Weingarten Ida Cohen Betty Sigal Rose Dubitsky Max Parnes Mary Greer Edith Gerenrich	Daniel ben Yitzchak Aizik  Brucha bas Aharon Chayim Chaya Rochel Leah bas Shmuel Tzvi 1-4 Menachem Mendel ben Yehudah Leib 6-3 Masa bas Leib Yehudis bas Dovid Meyer
15	30	Alexander Orovan Sol Goldman Florence Hurwitz Leonard Lopatin Maxine Ordower	Shlomo ben Avraham  Faygel bas Avraham Eliezer Zvi ben Ephraim 10-6 Mindel bas Zalman Zvi
<b>JUNE / 2026 – TAMMUZ 5786</b>			
16	01	William Smookler Phillip Baranisky Sarah Shulman Frieda Lewin Esther Freedman Lottie Wolf Norman Adelsberg	Efroyim ben Moshe Rebbitzen Sara Rivka bas Eliyahu Frieda bas Mordechai Hacoen 3-5  Zelatke bas Yehuda Leib 3-4
17	02	Benjamin Medler Ann Ison Miriam Atlas	Benyamin ben Avraham  Miriam bas R' Mendel 1-2
18	03	Ernst Weiss Rubin Madoff Morris Snider Samuel Porutchyk Lewis Bernstein Michael Ryzer Jeffrey Mandell	Yechiel ben Yisroel 5-5 Reuven ben Yehuda Leib Moshe ben Michoel 4-1  Lazar ben Paisach 7-3 Isar Ben Yosef Yoseph ben Yaakov
19	04	Bert Ferrer Goldye Levin Herman Zeitlin Miriam Whiteman Ruth Orloph Morris Passman	Dov ben Yitzchak 1-4 Golda bas Avraham Hacoen 6-2 Chaim ben Tzvi Hersh 1-10 Miriam bas Dovid Hacoen 9-2  Moshe ben Hersh Leib 1-2

**MAY THEIR NAMES AND MEMORIES REMAIN FOR A BLESSING AS THE MOURNERS RECITE THE KADDISH ON  
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<b>SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 2026</b>	<b>28 SIVAN 5786</b>
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**Parshas Shelach Lecha**

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**A**t the insistence of Bnei Yisrael, and with G-d's permission, Moshe sends 12 scouts, one from each tribe, to reconnoiter Canaan. Anticipating trouble, Moshe changes Hoshea's name to Yehoshua, expressing a prayer that G-d not let him fail in his mission. They return 40 days later, carrying unusually large fruit. When 10 of the 12 state that the people in Canaan are as formidable as the fruit, the men are discouraged. Calev and Yehoshua, the only two scouts still in favor of the invasion, try to bolster the people's spirit. The nation, however, decides that the Land is not worth the potentially fatal risks, and instead demands a return to Egypt. Moshe's fervent prayers save the nation from Heavenly annihilation. However, G-d declares that they must remain in the desert for 40 years until the men who wept at the scouts' false report pass away. A remorseful group rashly begins an invasion of the Land based on G-d's original command. Moshe warns them not to proceed, but they ignore this and are massacred by the Amalekites and Canaanites. G-d instructs Moshe concerning the offerings to be made when Bnei Yisrael will finally enter the Land. The people are commanded to remove challa, a gift for the kohanim, from their dough. The laws for an offering after an inadvertent sin, for an individual or a group, are explained. However, should someone blaspheme against G-d and be unrepentant, he will be cut off spiritually from his people. One man is found gathering wood on public property in violation of the laws of Shabbat and he is executed. The laws of tzitzit are taught. We recite the section about the tzitzit twice a day to remind ourselves of the Exodus.

**ROSH CHODESH**

**We bless the month of Tamuz**

The Molad (New Moon) for Tamuz is this Monday morning  
June 15, at 6:46 AM and 16 Chalokim. The time of the New Moon is  
the single moment when the New Moon is visible in Israel.



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## WEEKLY SERVICES

DAY	DATE	MORNING & EVENING	
FRIDAY	JUNE 12		Candles 7:38 pm or 8:51 pm
SATURDAY	JUNE 13	9:00 A.M.	Havdalah 10:02 pm
SUNDAY	JUNE 14	8:30 A.M.	Morning Minyan / Breakfast to follow

## GOOD HEALTH WISHES: A SPEEDY RECOVERY



**REFUAH SHLAIMAH:** to all those who are not well at this time.

Please notify the office of any congregant and/or family member who is ill or hospitalized. Your call will ensure that our clergy can follow up with calls and special prayers.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES



Happy Birthday Wishes to Esther Mechanic Stein on Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup>.

## COMMUNITY SECURITY INITIATIVE



**Protecting the safety and security of our Jewish institutions and facilities is a shared community priority in Windsor.** A new community security initiative is strengthening safety across all Jewish institutions and facilities, led and overseen locally by our community's institutions and spearheaded by their presidents and professional leadership. **This effort reflects shared responsibility, collaboration and care for our collective wellbeing.**

Funds raised **will support physical security infrastructure enhancements** and address **evolving security needs** across the community. Resources will be allocated as required, with **clear lay and professional oversight to ensure accountability and thoughtful decision-making.** We invite you to support this important initiative and help ensure a safe, connected future for our community. All donations receive a tax receipt. To donate, please visit: <https://jewishwindsor.org/giving/community-security/>

## YARDENA SCHWARTZ AT THE WJCC

**YARDENA SCHWARTZ**



Discussing her critically acclaimed book

**GHOSTS OF A HOLY WAR**

Award winning journalist and author, **Yardena Schwartz**, will be discussing her book, **'Ghosts of a Holy War'**, at the **WJCC THIS Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 4:00 pm.** Her book is a thoroughly researched, even-handed examination of the origins of the Arab-Israeli conflict, 'Ghosts of a Holy War' examines the little known 1929 Hebron Massacre through historical records, personal accounts and a trove of previously undiscovered letters. To RSVP, please visit: [www.jewishwindsor.org](http://www.jewishwindsor.org)

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF CONGREGATION SHAAR HASHOMAYIM



All members of Congregation Shaar Hashomayim are invited to attend our **Annual General Meeting** on **Tuesday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2026 at 6:30 pm** in the **Charles Zalev Social Hall.**

### AGENDA:

1. President's Annual Report
2. Review of the Year-End Financial Summary for 2025
3. Appointment of Auditors for 2026
4. Nominations and Elections for Officers and Directors
5. Committee Reports

## KIDDUSH



The Congregation is invited to the Charles Zalev Social Hall for Kiddush following the service. The Kiddush this Shabbat is sponsored by Claudia Lucaci, in memory of beloved brother, Marcel Lucaci (AH).

## SHABBAT BBQ IN HONOUR OF FATHER'S DAY AT THE SHAAR



The Shaar Social Committee invites you to a **Shabbat BBQ in Honour of Father's Day** on **Friday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2026** at the **Shaar. Dinner at 6:00 pm,** will feature a delicious menu, including: Burgers, Hot Dogs, Fries, Corn-on-the-Cob, \*Vegan and Gluten-Free Options, Salads, Chili & More. A short Shabbat service will follow. Due to a generous, anonymous sponsor, this event is **FREE** for all MEMBERS. The cost for NON-MEMBERS is: \$20/Adult, \$10/Child 5 & Up, \$50/Family. Please **RSVP** by **THIS Monday, June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026** to [shaar@mnsi.net](mailto:shaar@mnsi.net) or 519-256-3123. Bring the Whole Family! See you there! Sponsored in part by the Jewish Community Endowment Fund of Windsor.

## SUNDAY MORNING MINYAN & BREAKFAST



There will be a Sunday Morning Minyan this Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 am. Breakfast will follow the service.

## LIFE & LEGACY



How will you assure Jewish tomorrows? Be remembered forever with a gift to Congregation Shaar Hashomayim in your will, trust, retirement account, or life insurance policy. It's easier than you think! Contact Shaar Hashomayim at 519-256-3123 or [shaar@mnsi.net](mailto:shaar@mnsi.net) to learn how to create your legacy.



### Joke...

An 86-year-old man went to his doctor for a routine check-up. The doctor asked, "So, how've you been feeling lately?" The old man grinned proudly and said, "Never better, Doc. I just married a 20-year-old woman, and now she's pregnant with my child!" The doctor paused for a moment, then leaned back in his chair.

"Let me tell you a quick story," he said. "I have a friend about your age who loves hunting. Never misses a season. One morning, he was in such a hurry to get out the door that he accidentally grabbed his walking cane instead of his rifle."

The old man listened carefully as the doctor continued.

"So my friend gets to the lake and spots this huge beaver sitting near the water. Naturally, he reaches for his gun...only to realize he's holding a cane."

"Now at this point," the doctor said, "most people would just give up and go home." "But not my friend."

"He points the cane at the beaver like it's a rifle and yells, 'Bang! Bang!'" The doctor smiled. "And somehow...the beaver drops dead instantly." The old man frowned. "That's impossible. Somebody else must've shot the beaver." The doctor nodded slowly. "My point exactly."