

# Shabbat Update November 12, 2022

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Dear BCT Membership,

Highlights for this week are (in reverse order):

**Saturday, November 12**, showing at 7:00 pm of "Crossing Delancey." Havdalah precedes the film for those interested. **Pizza** for all. Popcorn as well. Now is the time to experience our new video/audio system.

**Friday, November 11**, Shabbat Evening Services at 7:30 pm, oneg following. I'm sure there will be some discussion of Sunday's book club selection of "We Were the Lucky



### November Calendar of Events

*B'er Chayim  
Temple is open for  
in-person  
services.*

*ZOOM services  
continue*

**Thursday  
November 10  
7:00 pm  
Adult Hebrew**

Ones." It was a success!

Tomorrow, Adult Hebrew continues after a short break last week when we had our first adult education class of the year. We are concentrating on Biblical Hebrew this year—a helpful tool for understanding the religion.

Now we have eleven for Israel—it's not too late to join us. Visit BCC's website or contact me for more information.

Hope to see you Saturday, Friday and tomorrow.

Shabbat Shalom,

Cantor Richard Bessman



## This Week's Torah Portion

**Vayeira**

**ויראה**

***I (God) Appeared [to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob]***

***Genesis 18:1–22:24***

### SUMMARY

- Abraham welcomes three visitors, who announce that Sarah will soon have a

class

Friday  
November 11  
7:00 pm  
Erev Shabbat  
Service  
In person &  
ZOOM

Saturday  
November 12  
7:00 pm  
Movie Night  
"Crossing  
Delancy"



Yahrzeits for  
week ending

November 12



**HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY**

November 3  
Karen Lauer

November 10

son. (18:1-15)

- Abraham argues with God about the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah. (18:16-33)
  - Lot's home is attacked by the people of Sodom. Lot and his two daughters escape as the cities are being destroyed. Lot's wife is turned into a pillar of salt. (19:1-29)
  - Lot impregnates his daughters, and they bear children who become the founders of the nations Moab and Ammon. (19:30-38)
  - Abimelech, king of Gerar, takes Sarah as his wife after Abraham claims that she is his sister. (20:1-18)
  - Isaac is born, circumcised, and weaned. Hagar and her son, Ishmael, are sent away; an angel saves their lives. (21:1-21)
  - God tests Abraham, instructing him to sacrifice Isaac on Mount Moriah. (22:1-19)
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Michael Manto

**November 17**

Chuck Lang

**November 21**

Marlene Sallerson

**HAPPY  
ANNIVERSARY**

**November 8**

Nancy & Curtis  
Friedenberg

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instructions -**

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send an email to  
admin@berchayim.org  
and the ID and  
Password will be  
emailed back to you.  
The ZOOM Id and  
Password will be the*

*same each Friday evening. Please remember that Rebecca is part time, and leave yourself enough time.*

*Following along in prayerbooks for ZOOM services:*

*Links for prayerbooks are found on our website ([www.berchayim.org](http://www.berchayim.org)). Those links will take you to Mishkah T'Filah for Shabbat Services.*

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