



Sukkot 5779

First Days of Yom Tov

Erev Sukkot — Sunday 9/23:

- Learning Even HaEzer with **Rabbi Don Seeman** at 7:45am
- Shacharit at 8:30am, followed by Daf Yomi
- Candle lighting at 7:14pm
- Mincha/Maariv at 7:15pm, with a D'var Torah from **Rabbi Shlomo Pill**

Sukkot Day 1 — Monday 9/24:

- Shacharit at 9:00am, with a Drasha from **Rabbi Don Seeman** on “Lulav, Sukkah, and the Mitzvah of Hinnukh”
- Pre-Mincha shiur with **R' Nachi Friedman** on “Washing Dishes on Shabbos and Yom Tov: A Halachik Review of the Better Sponge” at 6:30pm
- Mincha/Maariv at 7:15pm, , with a D'var Torah from **Rabbi Don Seeman**
- Candle lighting not before 8:14pm

Sukkot Day 2 — Tuesday 9/25:

- Shacharit at 9:00am, with a Drasha from **Rabbi Shlomo Pill**
- Pre-Mincha shiur with **Rabbi Reuven Travis** on “The Greatest Generation or a Generation of Complainers: Who WERE These People Who Wandered in the Desert for 40 Years?” at 6:30pm
- Mincha/Maariv at 7:15pm, with a shiur from **Rabbi Chaim Lindenblatt** on “Does It Matter What the Succos Actually Were in the Desert? Interconnection Between History and Jewish Law
- Havdalah at 8:13pm

Chol HaMoed

1st day of Chol HaMoed — Wednesday 9/26:

- Shacharit (vatikin) at 7:05am
- Mincha/Maariv at 7:10pm

2nd day of Chol HaMoed — Thursday 9/27:

- Shacharit (vatikin) at 7:05am
- Mincha/Maariv at 7:10pm

3rd day of Chol HaMoed — Friday 9/28:

- Shacharit (vatikin) at 7:05am
- Mincha/Maariv at 7:05pm
- Candle lighting at 7:07pm

Shabbat Chol HaMoed — 9/29

- Shacharit at 9:00am, with a Drasha from **Rabbi Don Seeman**
- Contemporary Halacha with **Rabbi Shlomo Pill** on “Halakhic Issues in Chol HaMoed and the Methodology of the Arukh Hashulkhan” at 6:15pm
- Mincha at 7:00pm, followed by Seuda Shlishit with a D'var Torah from **Rabbi Shlomo Pill**
- Havdalah at 8:07pm
- **Hoshana Rabbah Learning Program** begins at 10:00pm (see reverse side for details)

Two sets of Arba Minim will be available at Shacharit for anyone who does not have one with them. Join us all week long!

Hoshanah Rabbah/Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah

Hoshanah Rabbah — Sunday 9/30:

- Shacharit (vatikin) at 7:05am *Hoshanot bundles will be available for purchase*
- Candle lighting at 7:05pm
- Mincha/Maariv at 7:00pm

Shemini Atzeret — Monday 10/1:

- Shacharit at 9:00am, with a Drasha from **Scholar-in-Residence Rabbi Elisha Paul** on “Mashiv Haruchniut Umorid Hagashmiut! (Returning to Spirituality, Reducing Corporeality)”
- Yizkor not before 10:30am *Special Wine and Cheese kiddush following Mussaf*
- Pre-Mincha shiur with **Scholar-in-Residence Rabbi Elisha Paul** on “The Mitzvah to Greet Your Rabbi on the Holidays Nowadays” at 6:15pm
- Mincha/Maariv/Hakafot at 7:00pm
- Candle lighting not before 8:06pm

Simchat Torah — Tuesday 10/2:

- Shacharit/Hakafot at 9:00am *Special Wine and Cheese kiddush following Mussaf*
- Pre-Mincha shiur with **Rabbi Shlomo Pill** at 6:15pm
- Mincha at 7:00pm, followed by a shiur from **Rabbi Don Seeman** on “From Simchat Torah to Parashat Noah: Connecting to God through Joy and Grief,” followed by Maariv
- Havdalah at 8:05pm

Calling all Sephardim, Ashkenazim, Chasidim and Misnagdim!

Chag Sameach!



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Hoshana Rabbah Learning Program

Motzei Shabbat, 9/29

Starting at 10:00 PM

at NTS, 2003 Lavista Road

Congregation Netzach Israel, Chabad of Toco Hills and New Toco Shul are joining together for a night of lively, provocative shiurim, followed by Seder Hoshana Rabbah and concluding with Selichot and Tehillim. Come for learning, snacks, drinks, and dancing!

10:00-10:45 PM —

Should We be Skeptical of Skepticism? Two Views from the Heart: A Conversation between Rabbi Aaron Herman and Rabbi Don Seeman

Aaron Herman is principal of the Tzohar Seminary for Chassidus and the Arts in Pittsburgh and is a regular contributor to Chabad's Jewish Learning Institute. He will discuss the reality of spirituality manifested through miracles and tsaddikim in the teaching of the Alter Rebbe and in his own life. "My guess," he says, "is that your shul has some skeptics. So I want to urge them to become skeptical of skepticism!"

Don Seeman is Rabbi of the New Toco Shul and Associate Professor of Religion at Emory. He defends skepticism as a mode of religious life (but also appreciates tsaddikim).

11:00-11:30 PM —

NTS Scholar in Residence Rabbi Elisha Paul:

"Water on Rosh Hashanah, More Water on Yom Kippur, and Even More Water on Sukkot!"

Elisha Paul currently resides in Waterbury, CT and is the Madrich Ruchani at the K-12 Bi-Cultural Hebrew Academy in Stamford, CT. Rabbi Paul was the Head of School at Yeshiva Atlanta high school for five years. Rabbi Paul draws his spiritual inspiration from the wisdom of Rav Kook zt"l and is one of the growing number of educators spreading his teachings in the Jewish world.

11:30 PM-12:00 AM —

Rabbi Shlomo Pill:

"Rabbi Akiva's Epiphany: Torah, Water, and Religious Growth"

Shlomo Pill is an attorney and Visiting Assistant Professor at Emory where he teaches courses on Judaism, Islam, and law. He spends much of his time studying halakhah and halakhic methodologies, but dabbles in mussar as well, since the Baal Shem Tov (may have been (only partly)) right.

12:15 AM —

Rabbi Yehuda Boroosan:

Traditional Sefardic Tikkun Leil Hoshana Rabbah followed by Selichot at Chatzot!

NTS (Vatikin) Shacharit begins at 7:05 AM on Sunday morning

Netzach Israel Shacharit begins at 8:00 AM on Sunday morning

Chabad of Toco Hills Shacharit begins at 9:00 AM on Sunday morning