

Congregation Dor Tamid  
11165 Parsons Road  
Johns Creek, GA 30097

**CDT Business Operating Hours :**  
Monday - Thursday 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
Friday 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

September 2017

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## Schedule of Services

**Friday** 7:30 PM

### Saturday

Torah Study 9:00-10:00 AM

September 2, 9, & 16

Shabbat Service 10:30 AM

September 2, 9, & 16

### Birthday Shabbat

Friday, September 1 7:30 PM

Recognition of September birthdays

### Tot Shabbat

Friday, September 8 6:00 PM

followed by 7:30 PM Service

### Anniversary Shabbat

Friday, Sept. 15 7:30 PM

Recognition of September anniversaries

### High Holy Days Schedule

See page 3 for complete schedule of services

Look on our website for the most current calendar updates!

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## Rabbinic Reflections



Dear friends,

As I write this month's bulletin column on first day of the month of Elul, we have officially begun our cycle leading to the Days of Awe and the High Holy Days of Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. This is a season that begins today, coming out of the sadness of this past month, where we commemorated the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem, and, ultimately, will culminate with the joy of Simchat Torah, where we will dance and sing and celebrate the Torah along with our youngest students being consecrated.

But between now and then, we have some work to do, specifically the work of *cheshbon hanefesh*, the accounting of our souls. This time of year allows us the opportunity to look at who we are, where we have come from, and who we want to be in the coming year.

Starting with the first of the Hebrew month of Elul, Jews around the world will traditionally blow the shofar each day, serving as a spiritual alarm clock for our souls, telling us to wake up and look at who we are. We will adopt this custom at CDT and blow the shofar each day (except Shabbat). If you are in the neighborhood, please join us at 10:00 each weekday, 11:00 on Wednesdays, and during Religious School *t'filah* on Sundays hear the shofar blast.

As we get closer to Rosh Hashanah, we will have the official beginning of the Days of Awe on Saturday, September 16 as we celebrate the *selichot* service. This special service gives us our first opportunity to account for our mistakes and look to how we can be better as individuals and as a community. It will also be our first chance to start hearing the music of the holy days and to change our Torah covers to white.

I hope that our preparation for the holy days over these next couple of weeks provides us with the opportunity to pray, learn, and come together as a community in the New Year.

Shanah tovah.

**Rabbi Jordan**



*L'shana Tova Tikatevu!*

May you be inscribed for a sweet year filled  
with good health, prosperity and peace.

Please check [www.dortamid.org](http://www.dortamid.org) for the most updated calendar of activities.

# September 2017 at CDT

| SUN   | MON  | TUE  | WED   | THU   | FRI   | SAT   |
|---|--|--|---|---|---|---|
|   |  |  |   |   | 1<br>7:30 PM<br>Shabbat Service<br><i>with recognition of<br/>September birthdays</i>   | 2<br>9:00 AM<br>Torah Study<br>10:30 AM<br>Shabbat Service<br><i>Bar Mitzvah Service of<br/>Jackson Nozick</i><br>6:00 PM<br>CDTTY at Gwinnett<br>Braves  |
| 3   | 4<br>CDT Office Closed<br>Labor Day          | 5  | 6<br>11:00 AM<br>Mishnah Study<br>5:30 PM<br>B'nai Mitzvah Class<br>7:00 PM<br>CDTTY Fantasy<br>Football/Teen Youth<br>Lounge Night | 7<br>7:00 PM<br>HHD Choir Rehearsal<br>7:00 PM<br>Men's Club at<br>Pepperoni Tavern   | 8<br>6:00 PM<br>Tot Shabbat Service<br>& Potluck Dinner<br>7:30 PM<br>Shabbat Service<br><div>CDTTY Fall Kallah through Sept 10</div>       | 9<br>9:00 AM<br>Torah Study<br>10:30 AM<br>Shabbat Service<br><i>Bar Mitzvah Service of<br/>Maddy Gertz</i><br>7:00 PM<br>Sisterhood Potluck<br>Dinner  |
| 10<br>9:15 AM<br>Religious School<br>Grades PreK-5<br>9:45 AM<br>L'Imod Tamid/Adult<br>Learning<br>5:30 PM<br>Religious School<br>Grades 6-8<br>5:30 PM<br>Confirmation Class | 11<br>7:00 PM<br>Sisterhood<br>Board Meeting | 12<br>7:30 PM<br>Engagement<br>Committee Meeting                                   | 13<br>11:00 AM<br>Mishnah Study<br>5:30 PM<br>B'nai Mitzvah Class<br>7:30 PM<br>Board Meeting                                       | 14<br>7:00 PM<br>HHD Choir Rehearsal  | 15<br>6:30 PM<br>Shabbat Dinner<br>Grades 3 & 4<br>7:30 PM<br>Shabbat Service<br><i>with recognition of<br/>September<br/>anniversaries</i> | 16<br>9:00 AM<br>Torah Study<br>10:30 AM<br>Shabbat Service<br><i>Bar Mitzvah Service of<br/>Stephanie Krause</i><br>7:30 PM<br>Selichot Service &<br>Program<br>Confirmation Class<br>attends service<br><div>SELICHOT</div> |
| 17<br>9:15 AM<br>Religious School<br>Grades PreK-5<br>9:30 AM<br>PLAY TAMID<br>9:45 AM<br>L'Imod Tamid/Adult<br>Learning<br>5:30 PM<br>Religious School<br>Grades 6-8         | 18<br>7:00 PM<br>Sisterhood<br>Mah Jongg     | 19<br>7:00 PM<br>HHD Choir Rehearsal<br>7:30 PM<br>Membership<br>Committee Meeting | 20<br>Erev<br>Rosh Hashanah<br>CDT Office Closes<br>1:30 PM<br>8:00 PM<br>Erev Rosh Hashanah<br>Services                            | 21<br>Rosh Hashanah<br>Day 1<br>CDT Office Closed<br>Rosh Hashanah<br>Day Services<br>(see schedule page 3)<br> | 22<br>Rosh Hashanah<br>Day 2<br>CDT Office Closed<br>10:00 AM<br>Rosh Hashanah<br>Services<br>7:30 PM<br>Shabbat Shuvah<br>Service          | 23  |
| 24  | 25   | 26   | 27<br>11:00 AM<br>Mishnah Study<br>5:30 PM<br>B'nai Mitzvah<br>Assigned Tutoring<br>Only  | 28  | 29<br>Kol Nidre<br>CDT Office Closes<br>1:30 PM<br>8:00 PM<br>Kol Nidre/Shabbat<br>Services   | 30<br>Yom Kippur<br>Yom Kippur<br>Services<br>(see schedule page 3)   |

# High Holy Days

## Selichot

Saturday, September 16 7:30 PM

## Rosh Hashanah Erev Service

Wednesday, September 20 8:00 PM

## Rosh Hashanah 1st Day Services

Thursday, September 21

Rosh Hashanah Morning Early Service 8:30 AM

Rosh Hashanah Morning Late Service 11:45 AM

Tashlich 2:30 PM

Young Family Service 3:15 PM

## Rosh Hashanah 2nd Day Services

Friday, September 22 10:00 AM

## Erev Shabbat Shuvah (Sabbath of Repentance)

Friday, September 22 7:30 PM

## Yom Kippur Kol Nidre Service

Friday, September 29 8:00 PM

## Yom Kippur Day Services

Saturday, September 30

Yom Kippur Morning Early Service 8:30 AM

Yom Kippur Morning Late Service 11:45 AM

Young Family Service 2:30 PM

Adult Learning 2:30 PM

Meditation 2:30 PM

Mincha/Afternoon Service 3:30 PM

Yizkor/Neilah Service 5:00 PM

## Erev Sukkot

Wednesday, October 4 6:30 PM

## Erev Simchat Torah & Consecration

Wednesday, October 11 6:30 PM

## Sh'mini Atzeret/Simhat Torah Yikzor

Thursday, October 12 10:00 AM

## High Holy Day Important Information

We have arranged for additional parking at Saint Benedict Catholic Church, located on Parsons Road, with van service to and from CDT, **for all services other than** Erev Rosh Hashanah and all services/programming starting at or after 2:30 PM on Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Please follow the signs from CDT to the church parking lot. It is requested that passengers be dropped off at CDT, prior to parking your car off site. **Please ensure passengers who are dropped off have their tickets in hand so they may enter the temple.**

Seating is limited in the sanctuary; therefore, please fill in all the seats. Please do not save seats.

If you have a portable electronic device/cell phone, we kindly ask that you please silence it or power it off prior to entering our sacred space.

Please use the door in the rear of the Sanctuary (and not the side doors), to exit the Sanctuary during services.

There are additional restrooms available on the far side of the social hall.

Please remember to bring items for the Winter Coat - Accessory Drive and Project Isaiah (our HHD Food Drive benefiting the Atlanta Community Food Bank). Please take a bag on Rosh Hashanah to be filled up and brought back on Yom Kippur!

There is extremely limited time between the early and late services. Please exit the building and the parking lot **immediately** after the conclusion of your service. When leaving the parking lot, please utilize both exits, as police will be directing traffic to facilitate left hand turns.

If you are planning on attending any programming or services at 2:30 PM or after, on Rosh Hashanah or Yom Kippur, and have parked at Saint Benedict Catholic Church for morning services, please take the shuttle after services and move your vehicle to the CDT parking lot.

# President's Message

Hard to imagine, but are we already getting ready for the start of the school year? Seems like yesterday we were packing our kids bags to send them off to Camp. Although it seems like yesterday, this summer has been filled with so much vigor and enthusiasm at CDT.

Our Staff, Board and Committee Chairs have been filling the calendar with exciting programming. Our Men's Club is back! Molly Peled, our Religious School Director, has some new and exciting plans for this year's students. Our Sneak-a-Peek along with first session was Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup>!

Of course the big news of the summer was Rabbi Jordan Ottenstein, his wife Marni and their 2 boys, Noah and Kaden, joining our family. We had over 300 members of our Dor Tamid community join us on July 7<sup>th</sup> for Shabbat services. If you have yet to meet Rabbi Jordan, please stop by CDT to say Hi!

I encourage each of you to take a more active role in our CDT community. Join us more often for services, join a committee, stop by a Torah Study with Rabbi Jordan, volunteer at Religious School or help in the CDT office. There are a few committees that need some support now. These include: Social, Keshet / Caring Committee, and Community Relations. Contact me at [President@dortamid.com](mailto:President@dortamid.com) if you are interested.

I also encourage everyone to bring a friend with you to CDT. As the High Holidays are around the corner, if you have friends who are looking to join a synagogue, bring them to a Shabbat service or have them call the CDT office to inquire about our community. Don't forget, you get a break on membership dues with any referral!!!!

Feel free to contact me with any questions, concerns, suggestions, etc. I want to hear from you. We are all a vital part of the CDT Community!



B'shalom,

*Rob*

**Rob Lederman, President**

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# Education Director's Message

I wanted to start my article to you by saying thank you – TODA! Toda for coming to Sunday “Sneak a Peek” and Toda for believing in me. My 10 year old son, Omri, heard that our first Sunday was a success and while having a nice chat on the way to school one morning he told me “see Mom, hard work pays off...” I guess he's right. Hard work does pay off. Rabbi Jordan gave me a few words of strength before that Sunday. He told me “Wait until the kids come on Sunday morning, the smiles and hugs they give you will remind you why you do what you do.” He was so right. I love each and every kid that goes to our Religious school and seeing them after this long summer filled me with joy.

It was exciting for me to tell you all about our new plans for this coming year and introducing to you all our unbelievable staff. They really are smart, sweet devoted teachers and it is an honor to work with them.

We have so much in planned for you this year that I know it will be great!

All you need to do is get your child to CDT on Sunday morning and we will do the rest! My goal is that every student leaves school with a smile on their face, a happy heart and Jewish knowledge in their minds.

I wish you all a Shannah Tova Umetuka – A good and sweet new year.



Shalom,

**Molly Peled**

**Education Director**



# Membership

On behalf of the membership committee, I would like to welcome our new members to our Dor Tamid family. Hopefully by now you have received our welcome basket and we hope these small tokens show you how important you are to us. All new members as of July 1, 2016, please note that Friday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> will be a new member Shabbat dinner and service. More information will follow. If you have any questions or concerns, please call Carol at 404-668-1135 or email me at [membership@dortamid.com](mailto:membership@dortamid.com).



## NEW MEMBERS

Jody and Juli Butler

Ann and Stanley Bassell

Melody and Jason Schiffer  
and their daughters Anna and Jemma

Brian and Becky Litt  
and their sons Hudson and Benjamin

Barbara Litt

Jennifer and Andrew Goodman  
and their children Max and Hadley

## Donations

### Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

William and Judith Obolsky in memory of  
Ellen Vessenmeyer

Sherry and Sheldon Fages in memory of Abraham Fages  
Karen and Gil Phon in honor of Rabbi Jordan Ottenstein

### Chesed Fund

Steve and Jodi Wolfe

### Garden Fund

Lesley Radov in memory of Barney Radov

### General Fund

Shelly and Barry Danz in memory of Goldie Velinsky Morris  
Shelly and Alan Pomerance in memory of Sydelle Mirrer  
and Wilma Pomerance

### Imagine Our Future Campaign Fund

Glen, Shari, Jacob and Sam Lew in honor of  
Rabbi Jordan and Cantor Mike

### Music Fund

Sherry and Fred Nemiroff in honor of the 60<sup>th</sup> birthday of  
Peter Lehrman

### Social Action Fund

Kathleen and Rob Sable in memory of Shawn Clements

### Religious School Scholarship Fund

The Kaiser Family in memory of Irving Holop

### Yahrzeit Fund

Ron and Bonnie Harvey in memory of Max Harvey  
Ethel and Irwin Rubenstein in memory of Louis Shumsky

**If you are paying your dues through automatic check drafts (ACH), note that your bank statement will now read the draft as coming from only part of our legal name. Our legal name is The New Alpharetta/Duluth Jewish Congregation.**

# CDT Adult Education 2017-2018

## ללמוד תמיד

| Date              | Location    | Speaker  | Topic  |
|-------------------|-------------|--|--|
| Sun<br>9/10/2017  | Parsons Run | Rabbi Jordan Ottenstein,<br>CDT Clergy                           | A New Rabbi, a New High... Holidays                                      |
| Sun<br>9/17/2017  | Parsons Run | Dov Wilker,<br>Regional Director<br>American Jewish<br>Committee | Jewish Advocacy in the<br>Current Political Climate                      |
| Sun<br>10/22/2017 | Parsons Run | Dr. Anne Shlay,<br>Georgia State University                      | Who is Jerusalem?  |
| Sun<br>10/29/2017 | Parsons Run | Rabbi Lehrman,<br>Chabad of Gwinnett                             | Relationships: "The Five Love Languages"<br>of Giving and Receiving Love |
| Sun<br>11/05/2017 | Parsons Run | Ruthie Cohen,<br>CDT Congregant                                  | The Shtetl—There's No Place Like Home                                    |
| Sun<br>11/12/2017 | Parsons Run | Cantorial Soloist<br>Mike Zuspan<br>CDT Clergy                   | There's No Business Like Mike's Business                                 |
| Sun<br>1/21/2018  | Parsons Run | Rabbi Hirshy Minkowicz,<br>Chabad of North Fulton                | Ancient Ethics and Spirituality<br>for Modern Times                      |
| Sun<br>1/28/2018  | Parsons Run | Dr. Linda Bloomberg,<br>Columbia University                      | Jewish Values: Remaining True to<br>Who We Are through Turbulent Times   |
| Sun<br>2/11/2018  | CDT         | Interfaith Representatives                                       | Interfaith Programming   |
| Sun<br>3/18/2018  | Parsons Run | Rabbi Davidson   | Who Owns the State of Israel?  |
| Sun<br>3/25/2018  | Parsons Run | Rabbi Jordan Ottenstein,<br>CDT Clergy                           | Ma Nishtana...Why Is This Morning<br>Different from All Others           |

**Parsons Run: 9:45 - 11:45 AM; CDT 1:30 – 3:30 PM**

# High Holy Days 5778



## 2017 High Holy Days

Please donate  
your NEW or  
GENTLY USED  
items

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**SEPTEMBER 13 - OCTOBER 13, 2017**



## HIGH HOLY DAYS 5778/2017

### OPERATION ISAIAH

Congregation Dor Tamid is proud to participate in Operation Isaiah. Operation Isaiah is a program that assists the **ATLANTA COMMUNITY FOOD BANK** in feeding people in need. Please support our Jewish ideals by engaging in Tikkun Olam – repairing the world.



*This is my chosen fast...  
Share your bread with the hungry,  
Take the homeless into your home,  
Clothe the naked when you see him,  
Do not turn away from people in need.  
-- Isaiah 58:6-7*



**We can make a difference!**

Help the lives of many by filling a bag (or two) with some of the following items or anything else you would like to add:

(No glass containers, please. Cans, boxes and plastic only.)

| Breakfast         | Lunch                   | Dinner              |
|-------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| Cereal or Oatmeal | Tuna                    | Canned Meats        |
| Dried Fruit       | Peanut Butter           | Macaroni and Cheese |
| Powdered Milk     | Canned Vegetables       | Pasta or Rice       |
| 100% Fruit Juice  | Canned Fruit/Applesauce | Dried Beans         |

**Please bring food donations to the Yom Kippur services.**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**



On Yom Kippur, the Torah teaches us:

## Choose Life!

(Deuteronomy 30:19)



This year, on Yom Kippur, you will have the opportunity to choose life and save one as well as CDT partners with Gift of Life Marrow Registry.

On September 30, anyone 18 to 45 will have the opportunity sign up for the registry. This easy swab only takes five minutes and it could result in life saving cures.

Please stop by the table in the lobby before the early service or after the late one to do this incredible *mitzvah*.

Sukkot...

Havdalah...

Dinner....

PJ's????



Are you, or someone in your family 7 years old or younger? Do you like to come to CDT? Do you like to wear PJs?

Then this is the night for you! Come to CDT as we eat dinner in the Sukkah, make Havdalah together, and have a PJ party!!!



What: PJ Havdalah in the Sukkah

Where: CDT's Sukkah

When: Saturday, October 7, at 6:30 pm

Who: Any CDT Family with kids age 7 and under (older siblings welcome too!)

Why: To have some fun, celebrate Shabbat and Sukkot, and get to know each other.

How much: Free, but donations are accepted.

RSVP to CDT at 770-623-8860 or fsimon@dortamid.com by October 4, 2017



# Caring Committee



## Are you or a fellow congregant in need of a helping hand?

The CDT Caring Committee is re-forming to assist you! The Caring Committee will be available to deliver meals, provide support and send messages of healing and concern. In order for the committee to be successful and meaningful to our congregants, we need to know who we can help. If you or someone you know is in mourning, undergoing surgery, or battling an illness, please contact the Caring Committee by calling the CDT office at 770-623-8860 to reach Rabbi Jordan, Fran Simon or contact Leslie Page via email at [leslie\\_page@bellsouth.net](mailto:leslie_page@bellsouth.net) or by cell at 404-317-5447. We will then reach out to determine what we can do.

**So that we can be ready and able to help, we need volunteers to be on the Caring Committee.** We will not have meetings but be in contact through email when needs arise. If you would like to participate by sending cards and notes, preparing occasional meals and providing other assistance when needed, please email Leslie Page at [leslie\\_page@bellsouth.net](mailto:leslie_page@bellsouth.net). Please include in your email what you would be able to do.

## Condolences

**Lesley Davis, beloved sister of Karl Friedman**

**Phyllis Boxer, beloved mother of Liz Kersh**

**Bernie Schneiderman, beloved father of Marci Risner and  
beloved grandfather of Sammy and Daniel Risner**

**Donald David Romm, beloved father of Glen Romm**

**Irvin Cohen, beloved father of Susan Grunwald**

**Sharon Fagin, beloved mother of Shelly Danz**

*May their memories be for a blessing.*

## Mi Shebeirach-Prayer for Healing



These comforting words can be said on behalf of those who are ill. Whether friends or loved ones are struggling with physical, emotional or spiritual challenges, this prayer speaks to our desire for their healing

If you would like a name added to our Mi Shebeirach list, please email [adminassist@dortamid.com](mailto:adminassist@dortamid.com) or call 770-623-8860 ext 0.



# Engagement Initiative Survey



We are so excited to have started the ball rolling for our third year of the Engagement Initiative! You should have received this year's survey via email on August 20<sup>th</sup>. We are thrilled that 55 congregants participated in the survey within the first 48 hours and we hope to see many more within the next couple of weeks!

The goal of the Engagement Initiative is to foster a sense of connection and community at CDT. Those who donate moments of time ("Moments") will be asked to fulfill those Moments throughout the year. We use the information gathered in the survey to assist us in matching Moments with congregants based on their interests and skills in conjunction with the needs of CDT.

We have made some changes to the Moments Program considering feedback from past participants and Rabbi Jordan. Donated moments will no longer be used in conjunction with CDT services or worship opportunities. Also, please note that Moments donated in past years do not carry over, so keep that in mind when you make the decision to participate this year.

We are asking every congregant age 13+ to **complete the survey by September 10<sup>th</sup>**. If there are members of your household or friends who did not receive the survey, please forward them the link to the survey and ask them to participate. Even if you are not able to make a firm commitment to donate Moments now, we ask you to still complete the survey to help give us a full picture of our membership. This is an important way you and your family can help CDT and build community.

**[Click Here to Begin the Survey](#)**

## Prime Timers of Congregation Dor Tamid

Several years ago a group of members who were age 55 years old and over met to discuss how they could jointly experience a social and cultural outlet within our CDT family. The Primetimers are inspired by our love of Dor Tamid and strive to provide in-house activities as well as trips to places of interest for its members. The Primetimers has remained a group of vibrant, supportive, and dedicated individuals who are delighted to include everyone age 55 years old and over into our group whether you are a long standing Dor Tamid member or a newcomer; whether you are a single member or a couple. We know you will enjoy the wonderful benefits of developing long-lasting friendships. Just come to any of our events, enjoy, get involved, and have fun.

Our "Summer Fare" Pot Luck Dinner held on Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup> was a huge success with about 40 in attendance. Thank you Sherry Fages for organizing and Ron Harvey for your assistance. See page 15 for photos of the evening!

Our upcoming event is to see Fiddler on the Roof on Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> at 3pm at the Cumming Playhouse. All tickets; which are \$30 each; must be paid for in advance no later than September 24<sup>th</sup>. Email Ellen Salowitz at [ersalo@aol.com](mailto:ersalo@aol.com) for more information or check the flyer on the website for specific details.

For general questions about the Primetimers, please contact Carol Kovar at 404-668-1135 or email Carol at [primetimers@dortamid.com](mailto:primetimers@dortamid.com).



Sisterhood had a busy August! We got together for our first Mah Jongg Clinic where several newbies had a blast learning how to play. Thanks to Leslie Fox, Denise Abramow, Robyn Jacober and Ruthie Cohen for sharing your expertise! Then we visited Pinspiration in Cumming where we learned how to make fun Pinterest projects. Finally, we had a great time meeting Marni Phon over brunch at Ruthie Cohen's house. Almost fifty sisters joined us in welcoming Marni to CDT.

We would like to plan more activities for those that have kids in Sunday School and would love your suggestions. Please email [sisterhood@dortamid.com](mailto:sisterhood@dortamid.com) with any ideas you might have.

Best wishes to everyone for a happy, health and sweet new year!

**Michele Lederman**  
Sisterhood President



## College Connect

Sisterhood would like to stay in touch with our students throughout their college years.

Please follow the link to fill out a form so that your student can be included.  
(More info on the CDT website.)

<https://goo.gl/forms/UyM793Wfeg7oU7s12>

## September Events – Save the Date

### Potluck Dinner!

Saturday 9/9 7:00PM

Bring your spouse or a friend and join us at the home of Lisa Romm. For more details and RSVP click: <http://tinyurl.com/sisterhoodpotluck2017>

### Monday Mah Jong

Monday 9/18 7:00PM

Beginners and intermediate players are invited to learn how to play Mah Jong at this monthly event.  
More details to come!

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## Sisterhood Social Action **OPERATION ISAIAH**

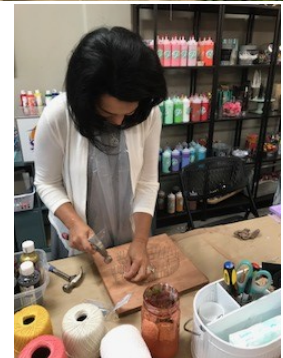
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 Operation Isaiah is a program that assists the **Atlanta Community Food Bank** in feeding  
 people in need.

Please support our Jewish ideals by engaging in Tikkun Olam – repairing the world.

Food donations will be collected at Yom Kippur Services



## Pinspiration



## Welcome, Marni!



## August B'nai Mitzvah



**Reese Bober**  
**August 12, 2017**

Reese is an 8<sup>th</sup>-grade student at Webb Bridge Middle School. She has a passion for cooking and loves watching cooking shows to learn new techniques. She enjoys creating new recipes and has the marvelous ability to cook new dishes with finesse. Reese also has a love of soccer, a sport she has played since she was in kindergarten.

Her competitive nature and encouragement of her teammates make her an asset to the team. She is highly competitive and loves the comradery that comes from playing on a team.

For Reese's *tikkun olam*/social action project, she chose to volunteer her time helping animals. Her love of all animals started at a young age and has grown to a passion that has brought her to help Bosley's Place. Bosley's Place is a non-profit organization that is a nursery and sanctuary for neonatal and underage homeless and orphaned puppies that have been abandoned and are too young to go to another animal protection organization. At Bosley's Place, they are able to provide the 24-hour care needed. Reese incorporated her love of animals with a creative touch by making dog toys to be used at the adoption events. She also volunteered at the puppy adoption event helping with clean up and puppy control and solicited monetary donations and pet store gift cards to help with the financial burden of caring for the puppies. Reese has enjoyed watching the way a non-profit organization benefits from community support and wants to continue making a difference in the way animals are treated in our society.



**Sam Lew**  
**August 19, 2017**

Sam is an eighth-grade student at Autrey Mill Middle School. He is on the debate team and plays the violin in his school's orchestra. He enjoys playing tennis and spending time with his friends, as well as playing with his dogs, Apple and Ruby. His favorite time of the year is the month that he spends at Camp Barney Mendintz.

Sam also enjoys volunteering and has helped out at The Packaged Good and at local food banks.

For his *tikkun olam*/social action project, Sam volunteered at CURE. He organized a collection drive to raise funds and supplies to make food packages. These packages were donated to families whose children have cancer and are in the hospital, often for frequent or prolonged stays. He is grateful to all of his friends and family that helped out with this special project. Sam stated that this was one of the best parts of the experience of becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

**Jake Freedman**  
**August 26, 2017**



Jake is an 8<sup>th</sup>-grade student at Piney Grove Middle School in Cumming. He enjoys hanging with his friends and playing every sport that comes to mind. He loves playing baseball with his Astros Team East Cobb. Jake also loves listening to music of all genres. Some of Jake's favorite times are spent visiting Columbus, Ohio and his beloved Buckeyes!

For Jake's *tikkun olam*/social action project, he volunteered many hours at The Cohen Home, an assisted living facility in Johns Creek. He leads trivia, bingo, and word games and loves getting to know the residents. He also makes special time to visit with residents who are not able to attend the fun and games. Jake hopes to continue his volunteering at The Cohen Home, as the residents really look forward to his visits.

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## September B'nai Mitzvah



**Jackson Nozick**  
**September 2, 2017**

Jackson is a 7<sup>th</sup> grade student at The Davis Academy. He lays soccer, basketball, and baseball on his school team, as well as basketball and flag football at the Marcus Jewish Community Center. Jackson loves spending time with family and friends, but his favorite times are the summers he spends at Camp Barney Medintz.

Volunteering and giving back to the community are very important to Jackson. He can be found on weekends, alongside his brother and sister, volunteering at assisted living homes, helping with foster children at Foster Cares in Roswell, or working with underprivileged children. For Jackson's *tikkun olam*/social action project, he is volunteering at The Friendship Circle of Atlanta, an organization devoted to providing all individuals with disabilities in an inclusive Jewish community through shared experiences enjoyed together with friends. In addition, Jackson will be making a donation to the Camp Barney Medintz Scholarship Fund to enable others to have the amazing camp experiences that he has enjoyed.



**Maddy Gertz**  
**September 9, 2017**

Maddy is an 8<sup>th</sup> grader at Autrey Mill Middle School. This year she is excited to be a part of the SWAT team, which is a select group of student leaders who work with the technology department to assist students and teachers. Maddy is on the Jr. Gladiators cheer team, which she has been a part of for the past three years.

When she is not studying or cheering, you can find Maddy practicing her flute, playing golf, baking delicious treats from scratch, or hanging out with her friends. Maddy is an excellent big sister often found playing board games, watching TV, or just cuddling with her younger siblings. We are especially proud of Maddy's friendly and outgoing attitude and the many ways she strives to put other people's feelings first.

For Maddy's *tikkun olam*/social action project she chose to volunteer at Sunrise Senior Living in Johns Creek. There she helps around the facility setting up fun activities for the residents and spends time with them talking or playing her flute for them. She works with all the residents, including those on the memory care floor, and has been volunteering there for about a year. Maddy plans to continue this mitzvah at Sunrise in the future.

**Stephanie Krause**  
**September 16, 2017**



Stephanie is a 7<sup>th</sup> grader at Webb Bridge Middle School. She enjoys spending time with friends, reading, and playing cards, board games and video games. Stephanie also has a deep love of the arts. She has been in dance since kindergarten, including ballet, tap and hip hop. At school, Stephanie participates in choir and the annual theater production.

For her *tikkun olam*/social action project, Stephanie volunteered at the Kosher Food Pantry for Jewish Family & Career Services. She solicited donations, shopped for the kosher food, put together personal hygiene kits, and then stocked the food pantry. Stephanie found this project to be extremely rewarding and plans to continue this mitzvah in the coming year.



**Tot Shabbat Service & Potluck Dinner**  
**Friday, September 8**  
**6:00 PM**

**Geared for families with children ages 7 and under (older siblings welcome!)**  
**See flyer on page 14 for details**



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Followed by 7:30 PM Congregation Shabbat Service

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**When: Sunday, October 22**

**Time: 3:00pm**

**Location: The Cumming Playhouse**

101 School Street, Cumming, GA

**Cost: \$30.00 per ticket**

**Tickets *must* be paid for in advance no later than September 24<sup>th</sup>.**

**Please make your check out to CDT and mail it to**  
Ellen Salowitz, 1615 Oak Meadows Ln, Cumming, GA 30041  
email Ellen at [ersalo@aol.com](mailto:ersalo@aol.com) with questions

**We will either have lunch before the play or dinner after  
....more details to follow.**

**Important information:** All ticket payments need to be postmarked to Ellen by September 24th. This event is open to all CDT members. **No refunds will be offered.**

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## Potluck Dinner

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Saturday, September 9th  
7:00 PM

The Home of Lisa & Glen Romm  
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Please RSVP at <http://tinyurl.com/sisterhoodpotluck2017> by  
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Members: No charge to attend  
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\*Directions: From GA 400, exit west onto 141/Bethelview Rd/Peachtree Pkwy. Continue on  
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- Bring a snack or beverage to share

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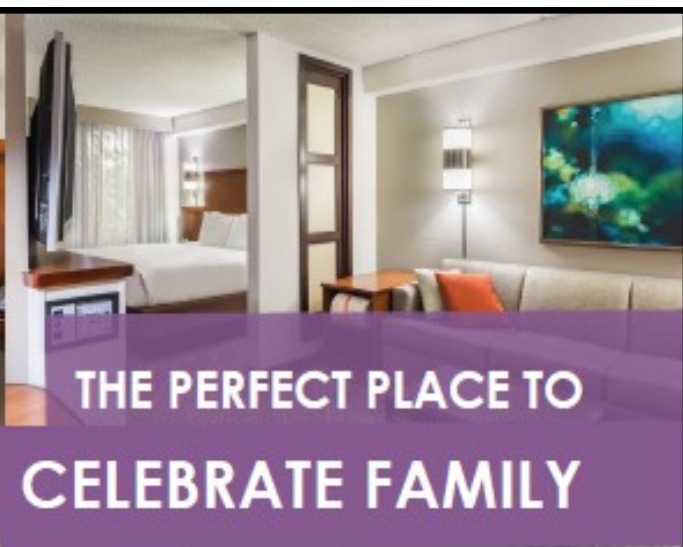
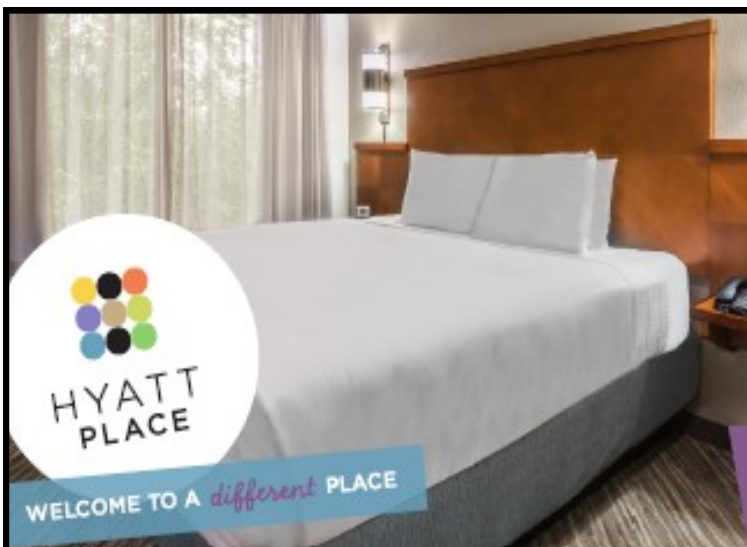
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