



HIGH HOLIDAYS HONORS GUIDE

Your honors card indicates the approximate time of your honor. Your card also indicates the page number on which your honor will occur, so that as the service progresses you can gauge how soon your name will be called. Ten minutes prior to your appointed time, please move to the front of the sanctuary to the Honors section at the front of the sanctuary, to the left of the *bimah*.

Please note that when going up onto the *bimah*, men are expected to wear *kipot* and women are expected to wear a head covering. Jewish men are also expected to wear a *tallit*.

HOLDING THE TORAH - YIZKOR

1. Come to the *bimah* when your names are called. Both spouses are invited to stand together on the *bimah*, although obviously only one will be holding the Torah.
2. The Torah will be removed from the Ark and given to you to hold comfortably in both arms.
3. Please take a position on either side of the Ark. You will hold the Torah while standing throughout the *Yizkor* portion of the service (approximately ten minutes).
4. At the appropriate time, the Torah will be taken from you and returned to the Ark.
5. You may now return to your seats in the congregation.