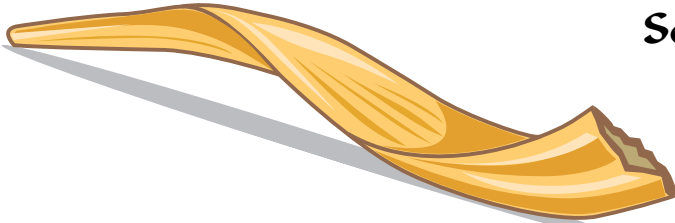


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**Selichot Program, with a performance of
"Oh, G-d" by Theatre Ariel
Beth Israel with partner congregations
Saturday 9/17 at 8:00 pm on Zoom**

The program begins with Havdalah, followed by a performance of "Oh, G-d" written by Anat Gov and performed by Theatre Ariel. Then, there will be a Selichot service led by the rabbis of the partnering congregations. Thank you to Shelley Rappaport, the Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia, and the Kehillot of Delco and Chester. Check emails or website for further info and zoom link.

**Rosh Hashanah & Yom Kippur services
will be in the sanctuary & live-streamed on Zoom**

Below and on the next page, you will find our draft schedule for the High Holy Days. The rabbis and RPC are working hard to plan meaningful services that can adapt to the Covid conditions as they evolve. We are scheduling all services in our sanctuary. All are welcome to come in person. Plan to wear a mask while indoors. We are also preparing to live stream the services that are in the sanctuary for those who want to participate from home. If you need a *machzor* (High Holy Days prayerbook) to follow along at home, please contact Larry Hamermesh or Miriam Sigler.

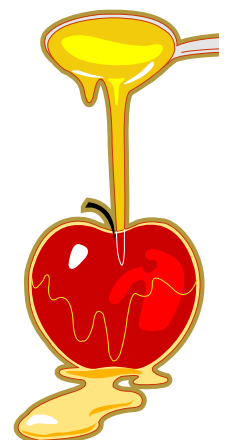
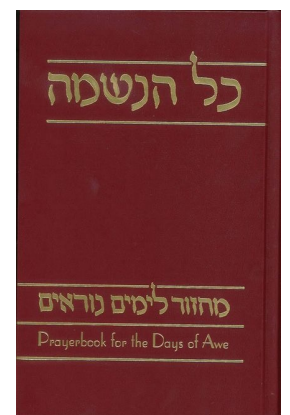
Erev Rosh Hashanah Sunday, September 25

Young Family Gathering at 4:45 pm

Shared Holiday Dinner (outside) at 5:30 pm

Service led by Rabbi Linda & Rabbi Nathan at 7:00 pm

We are excited to begin the New Year together in community. The evening begins with a young family gathering, then everyone can come together to share a traditional festive meal with symbolic foods and blessings. [Sign up online](#) to contribute a dish to the dinner. Our holiday themed menu will include some traditional Rosh Hashanah foods, such as kugel, carrot salad, rice pilaf and apples and honey. Details, recipes, and instructions are on the signup page. We'll all pitch in to clean up and those who want to can stay for the short service to begin the New Year and our season of High Holy Days. All are welcome. **RSVP online or to the office 610-566-4645.**



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Rosh Hashanah Day 1

Monday 9/26 at 10:00 am

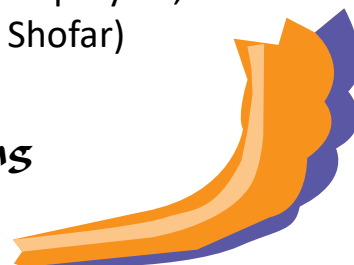
- 10:00 am Main Rosh Hashanah prayers: Shema, Unetaneh Tokef, Great Aleinu, Shofar
- 11:00 am Torah chanting and study, closing prayers

12:30 pm **Family Friendly Tashlich & Shofar Gathering**
Smedley Park (BYO Picnic Lunch)
20 Paper Mill Road Springfield PA

Rosh Hashanah Day 2

Tuesday 9/27 at 10:00 am

- 10:00 am Creative Rosh Hashanah Experience in person (including traditional prayers, Torah service, Shofar)



Conditions permitting, we will be assembling after Rosh Hashanah day 1 services at Smedley Park. Bring your own picnic lunch to eat when you arrive. Then, we will have a brief Tashlich ceremony – a symbolic casting off of last year's sins by tossing bread crumbs into a body of flowing water, so that we start the New Year with a clean slate. We will also hear the sound of the shofar.



Erev Yom Kippur Tuesday 10/4 at 7:00 pm

Musical selections beginning with Carol Briselli playing *Kol Nidre* by Bruch. Light Yahrzeit and festival candles together, followed by Kol Nidre / Yom Kippur prayers, and Rabbi's sermon.

Yom Kippur Morning

Wednesday 10/5

- 9:30 am Family Service (Lower Level)
- 10:00 am Main Yom Kippur prayers: Shema, Unetaneh Tokef, Al Chet, Avinu Malkeinu
- 11:00 am Torah chanting and study
- 12:00 noon Yizkor service including reading the Yizkor book

Yom Kippur Afternoon

Wednesday 10/5

- 3:00 pm Drum circle
- 4:00 pm Healing service (Zoom only)
- 4:30 pm Healing service (sanctuary only)
- 5:00 pm Mincha/afternoon service
Avodah & Martyrology service
- 6:30 pm Neilah/closing service
- 7:20 pm Yom Kippur ends with a shofar blast and Havdalah and a little nosh to eat outside and break the fast

Most services will be in the sanctuary and live-streamed on Zoom