

# Temple Beth El Bulletin

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## B<sub>ETH</sub> E<sub>L</sub> Connected



*Wherever we are, we will be Together;  
United by the Timeless Messages of the High Holy Days...  
Hope, Healing, Gratitude, Desire for a Better World, An openness  
to the Growth and Sweetness that is possible in our Lives.*

*Best Wishes for a New Year Blessed  
with Health, Joy and Peace.*

***L'shanah tovah tikateiv v'techateim***

*"May you be inscribed and sealed for a good year."*

## SEPTEMBER 2023 SERVICE SCHEDULE

**\*Each Friday and Saturday Service will be available on TBE Facebook Page and YouTube Link**

Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup>, 6:00 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat Service  
Light Candles 7:16 PM

Saturday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9:30 AM  
**BAT MITZVAH OF ELIANA WEISS**  
Torah portion **Ki Tavo**

Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat Service  
Light Candles 7:05 PM

Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 AM  
**September Birthday Shabbat**  
Torah portion **Nitzavim-Vayeilekh**

**Erev Rosh Hashanah –  
Friday, September 15, 2023**

**Rosh Hashanah – Day 1 –  
Saturday, September 16, 2023**

**See 5084 HHD Schedule of Services**

Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 6:00 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat Service  
Light Candles 6:41 PM

Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 9:30 AM  
**SHABBAT SHUVAH**  
Torah portion **Ha'azinu**

Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 PM  
Kabbalat Shabbat Service - Erev  
**SUKKOT**  
Light Candles 6:29 PM

Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 AM  
**DAY 1 - SUKKOT**  
Torah portion **Sukkot**

## 5784 HIGH HOLY DAYS SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

**\*Each High Holiday Service will be available on  
TBE Facebook Page and YouTube Link**

Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 PM  
**SELICHOT – Brith Sholom**  
Program 8:30 PM  
Service 9:30 PM

Friday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 PM  
**EREV OF ROSH HASHANAH**  
**Dedication of Memorial Plaques**  
**7:15 PM**  
**Service 8:00 PM**  
Light Candles 6:53 PM

Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 AM  
**1<sup>st</sup> DAY OF ROSH HASHANAH**  
Full Traditional Shacharit Service  
8:30 AM  
Torah Service and Musaf 9:45 AM  
B'Yachad (Family Service)  
10:30 AM -12:00 PM  
Teen Talk 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Ma'ariv Service 8:00 PM  
Light Candles 7:51 PM

Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 AM  
**2<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF ROSH HASHANAH**  
Full Traditional Shacharit Service  
8:30 AM  
Torah Service 9:45 AM  
Contemporary Family Service  
11:00 AM

**\*Tashlich Service at the Stream  
following Services\***  
Princeton Court site  
Enter into the cul-de-sac and follow  
the paved pathway to the bridge  
**JFE Family Tashlich &  
Shofar Blowing**  
**Trexler Park, Allentown**  
**4:00 PM**

Sunday, September, 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023, 6:30 PM  
**KOL NIDRE**  
Light Candles 6:38

Monday, September 25, 2023  
(Times listed below)  
**YOM KIPPUR**  
Full Traditional Shacharit – 8:30 AM  
Torah Service & Musaf – 10:00 AM  
Children's Services Pre-K to 6<sup>th</sup> grade –  
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Bim Bom Buddies –  
10:15 AM – 12:00 PM  
Teen Talk 11:00 AM – 12 PM  
Guided Prayer Service (GPS) –  
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Yom Kippur Walking Meditation w/  
Rabbi - 3:30 PM – 4:15 PM  
**YIZKOR & Mincha –**  
4:15 PM – 6:15 PM  
Ne'ilah – 6:15 PM – 7:30 PM  
Jewish Family Program – 6:15 PM  
followed by Havdalah  
Ma'ariv, Havdalah &  
Shofar Blowing – 7:30 PM

Friday, September 29, 2023  
**EREV OF SUKKOT**  
Service 6:00 PM  
Light Candles 6:29 PM

Saturday, September 30, 2023  
**SUKKOT – DAY 1**  
Service – 9:30 AM  
Light Candles 7:28 PM

Sunday, October 1, 2023, 2023  
**SUKKOT – DAY 2**  
Service 9:30 AM  
B'Yachad Family Service – 10:30 AM

**\*Information and links will be provided via our website [www.bethelallentown.org](http://www.bethelallentown.org) on the Home Page**

## Rabbi's Message

Earlier this summer, at one of our back-yard Kabbalat Shabbat services, I told a story from about a person who is offered a choice between heaven and hell. I know, you are probably saying to yourself right now – ‘I thought Jews do not believe in heaven and hell,’ and you would be partly right. In truth, it is more complicated than that and classical Jewish texts concerning the afterlife do not exactly parallel the Christian notion of ‘heaven’ and ‘hell.’ Still, we do believe in *Olam Haba*, an afterlife. Even rationalist Jewish scholars, such as Maimonides, referred to people ascending after death to the ‘Garden of Eden,’ except for the utterly wicked who experience eternal damnation.

While the question of what happens to us after life may perplex some, as Jews we are more focused on the here and now. The question is how best to lead our lives while on earth. Every year at this time, in preparation for the High Holidays, we ought to be asking ourselves: How have I lived my life? What can I do better? How can I make a difference in this world?

The great Hassidic master, Rabbi Moshe Leib of Sassov (Poland, 18<sup>th</sup> c.) answered this question profoundly. He said: “The way in this world is like the edge of a blade. On this side is the netherworld, and on that side is the netherworld, and the way of life lies in between.” His statement is somewhat shocking! At first glance it seems somewhat dark. What does he mean that we are surrounded by the netherworld? I’m sure, at times, especially when listening to the news, it may feel as if this world is a living hell. However, I think he is saying something entirely different.

His notion of the *derech hayashar*, the ‘upright path’ is a notion that appears first in Pirkei Avot (3<sup>rd</sup> c. CE) in the words of Rabbi Yehudah HaNasi: “Which is the upright path that a person should choose?” What should a person do with this thing called ‘life’? Rabbi Yehudah HaNasi answers his own question: “Whichever (path) brings glory to the one who pursues it and [garners for Him] glory from human beings” (Avot 2:1). I like Rabbi Tamar Elad-Appelbaum’s interpretation of this somewhat cryptic statement of Rabbi Yehuda Ha-Nasi’s. She writes that we needn’t traverse that path alone: “There are two partners in blazing that path and it is only when they work in tandem with each other that God’s glory will

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**Please Join Us For  
SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY SHABBAT  
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am**



Please open your TBE Birthday Cards, you will find a bonus coupon for 20% off at our Sisterhood Gift Shop for the entire month of your birthday!



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Temple Beth El *Chai'ly* appreciates the support of our *Chai* Society Members for 2023:

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You, too, can insure the Jewish Future of Temple Beth El, the  
Lehigh Valley & your family by "CREATING YOUR LEGACY".

# Min HaMeitzar – From out of the Depths *A Shofar Blowing Meditation*

Shari Spark, Ritual and Service Coordinator

Join us on Monday, September 11, 7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. for a Shofar blowing demonstration and reflection and hands-on, led by Shari Spark and master shofar blower, Jay Needle. Registration at [www.bethelallentown.org](http://www.bethelallentown.org)

***Min Ha-meitzar karati Yah, Anani b'merchav Yah***  
**“From a narrow place I called out to YAH; God answered me within the expanse.”**

Traditionally, Psalm 118 is chanted as part of Hallel, a series of psalms recited on Jewish celebratory holy days, chanted from a place of joy and freedom, from the headspace of having passed through tough times. It suggests that we were enslaved and now we are free. But it's not uncommon for this verse to also find its way into prayer when we are still in crisis — the moments that cry out for answers as we journey from darkness to light.

*Ha-meitzar* literally means the constricted space, a narrow blind spot, our own personal *Mitzrayim* (the Hebrew word for Egypt). *Mitzrayim* is enslavement, darkness, hopelessness. When you are down and out, you aren't just in the *meitzar*; like our ancestors in *Mitzrayim* who were so spiritually low, when you are in the *meitzar* you become the *meitzar*.

When we're in the *meitzar*, we become encompassed by the tightness. No one wants to be in the *meitzar* — the place of constriction and toxicity. And God doesn't want us there either. As the psalmist suggests, God has already heard our cries. And God's answer, the antidote to our constriction, is space, expansion.

God is known by many names: Rock, Redeemer, Protector, Judge, Parent, the Ineffable One. In this verse

of psalm, God is called by the name Yah. Take a deep breath, exhale, and say it: “Yaaaah”. As it is spoken, the last part of “ah” is articulated with extra breath. The final “Hay” of the name is spoken. Yah becomes the breath of life. It is an answer to our constricted cries. Maybe not “the” answer, but a key to navigating whatever personal crisis presents itself.

Because conscious, mindful breath creates the opening for us to step into our soul-expanse, Yah directs us to be quiet. Focusing on the breath opens us to discomfort instead of pushing it away, the grip on our body loosens and our thoughts become clearer.

From a place of calm, we are invited to take a step into a wide-open space — *merchav Yah*. *Merchav* — enter the closed space. Yah — breathe in and then out into the expanse. From the *merchav*, we can make a conscious choice from the full range of possibilities that lay ahead. We can see for miles. The psalmist reminds us that we can and should cry out to God. There is a place for wailing and gathering with others. But we must also allow ourselves to get quiet to hear the breath that contains the answer.

The Shofar is a perfect symbol of *Min HaMeitzar*: The narrow, constricted opening of blowing is never easy. *Karati Yah* — I call out to you, Yah. We anticipate the breath that changes into sound, exiting the Shofar on its difficult journey. *Anani* — Answer me with the call of Shofar; I am waiting to hear its reverb escape the very tightest of passages. *Bamerchav Yah* — And fly free from the wide space of its exit, to enter my heart and spirit.

With adaptations from “My Jewish Learning, Rabbi Danielle Upbin”

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Clementine and/or Brownies

\*Next Drop OFF dates ....  
**Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup>,**  
**Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup>!**



Please drop off a bag of **CLEMENTINES** or a disposable tray of **BROWNIES** to  
Amy Morrison's house,  
1493 Buck Trail Road, Allentown.

**There is a large plastic covered container on the porch, for your donations.**

Monday afternoons before the fourth Tuesday of each month, Amy Morrison will deliver your Clementine, and or Brownies to the Soup Kitchen. If you would like an email reminder, or with any questions please email Joanne Palumbo at [DocRobP@aol.com](mailto:DocRobP@aol.com).

Thank you from the  
Chesed Committee of Temple Beth El.

## Fall into Sisterhood!

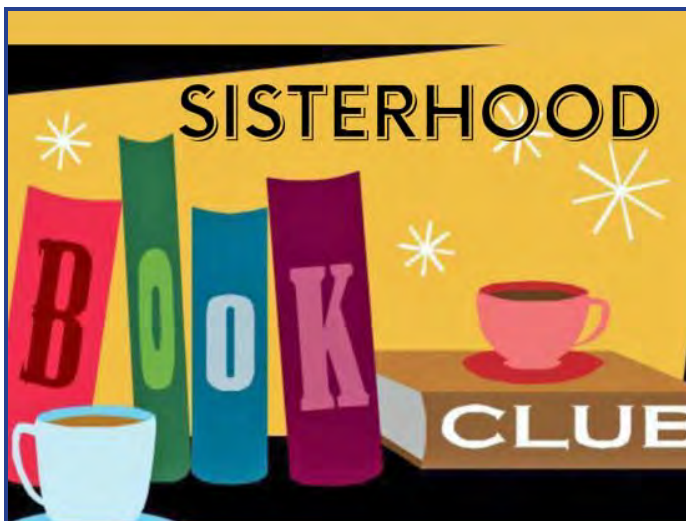
We welcome our new Sisterhood Members:  
Evelyn Fisher, and Barbara Ginsburg  
We appreciate your additional dues donations.

Welcome to Jessica La Bar- our newest Life Member-  
lovingly made so by her mother, Lori Weiner.

Many thanks to other Sisterhood Members who have  
already paid their yearly dues.

It is always a good time to pay your dues!

Sheryl Block  
Sisterhood Membership Chair  
[sherylblock@gmail.com](mailto:sherylblock@gmail.com)



If you are interested in joining,  
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**One Day Only**  
**JEWELRY SALE!**

Sunday, Sept. 10th  
9:00-12:00 am

**All Jewelry 30-70% off**



Sisterhood of Temple Beth El  
**Mah Jongg Club NEWS**

Our Mah Jongg Club dates are all Monday evenings at the Temple.  
We will begin to play promptly at 6:45 pm.  
Please be there by 6:30 pm to register. We play for about 3 hours.

Please mark these club playing dates on your  
2023 – 2024 calendars:



October 23<sup>rd</sup>  
December 4<sup>th</sup>  
January 22, 2024  
March 4<sup>th</sup>  
May 6<sup>th</sup>

\$10 per player donation to Sisterhood

**NEW FACES ARE ALWAYS WELCOME TO PLAY!**

Don't miss out on another year of sisterhood, laughter,  
and a great bunch of fun!

Looking forward to playing Mah Jongg with YOU !!!

Call with questions and your RSVP to Ilene Rubel Phone 484-347-7837,  
email [IRUBEL@aol.com](mailto:IRUBEL@aol.com) or email [ilene@bethelallentown.org](mailto:ilene@bethelallentown.org)



## Rabbi's Message *continued*

be brought into the world. . . First: *you*, the individual- and this is what is meant by **whichever [path] brings glory to the one who pursues it**. The responsibility for paving a path of decency and goodness in the world is not anyone else's, but your own. Whether or not this path will *actually* bring you glory depends upon you and your vision." The second part of Rabbi Yehuda Ha-Nasi's advice refers to the second partner. If you are able to choose a path that brings glory to you, the path should be one that **[garners for Him] glory from human beings**. If you succeed at the first and the second then that will "bring glory to God."

At times, it may seem as if the world we live in is burning and that we are traversing on a very narrow

path, it is then we are told to not be afraid of choosing the *derech hayasher*, the upright path. That is what Rabbi Nachman of Breslov meant when he said, "The whole world is a very narrow bridge, and the main thing is to not be afraid." As we approach a New Year, let's spend these days contemplating what path makes the most sense for us in order to bring blessing to ourselves and others, and know that we needn't fear to achieve our goals, for we are there for one another.

L'Shanna Tovah Tikateivu!

May we all be inscribed for a good a year,  
a year of health and fulfillment!

Rabbi Moshe Re'em

# September Yahrzeits

*The following are the names of our beloved departed whose Yahrzeits will be observed this month*

9/1/2023

Faye Levinson  
David Naythons  
Joseph Snyderman  
Adolph Warenreich  
Deborah Zelickson

9/8/2023

Sallie Berman  
Morris Gorfinkel  
Harvey Kuller  
Louis Levy  
Reuel "Rick" Musselman

9/13/2023

Bella Holtz  
Beckie Pincus  
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9/19/2023

Dorothy Cohen  
Ethel Earnest  
Samuel Sol Feier  
Joshua Halper  
Ruth Ann Klein  
Benjamin Levine  
Reuel Musselman  
Bertha Nieman  
Sheldon Schwartz  
Hanna Stein

9/25/2023

Hannah Dora Dickstein  
Jean S. Flax  
Sally Ginsberg  
Anne Glickman  
Sidney Gould  
Zelig Kaplan

9/2/2023

Leon Baringoldz  
Sandra Goldstein  
Hannah Goldstein  
Joseph Roth

9/9/2023

Betty Butz  
Gloria Gittleman  
Joseph Goldstone  
Maurice Lang  
Philip Levy  
Morris Chester Max  
Alan Meringer  
Gary Jay Nussbaum  
Louise "Lu" Plessner  
Robert Rosenthal  
Sophie Loeff Sapadin  
Annette Stempel  
Sydney Wasserstrom  
Lisa Wilson

9/14/2023

Ida Rosenberger

9/15/2023

Gittel Greenberg  
Idalee Mintz Hirsch  
Samuel A. Kramer  
Joseph P. Rose  
Richard Sass

9/20/2023

Pauline Cohen  
Leonard Davison  
Joyce Glaser  
Mollie Lipsky  
Norman Somach  
Henry Steinberg

9/26/2023

Chaya Gesunderman  
Jacob Gesunderman  
Sol Krawitz  
Sara Landau  
Muriel Levin  
Morris Litwak  
Jeannette Meckenberg  
Dorothy W. Phillips  
Isidore Rothstein  
Sophie Slawetsky

9/3/2023

Evelyn Fischer  
Robert Levine  
Max M. Sher

9/4/2023

Seymour Fischer  
Louis Hyman  
Joan Salitsky Mitchell  
Amy Segal  
Josephine Seiscio  
Richard S. Troxel

9/10/2023

Max Block  
Rose Boyar  
Eric Harris Eisenberg  
Aaron Molovinsky  
Bernice Pomerantz  
Edith Schneider  
Harold L. Schwartz

9/16/2023

Rose Arbitman  
Bernard Fineberg  
Sidney "Chick" Mandel

9/17/2023

Louis Fisher  
Dorothy Greenberg  
Esther G. Kricun  
Debra Lunick  
Frances "Fedgie" Schultz  
Dora Wiener

9/21/2023

Sydney Ansell  
Richard Evan Bernstein  
Faye Kaplan  
Lou Tannenbaum

9/27/2023

Dr. Ellen Kuller-King  
Julius E. Wartell  
Anna R. Wiener  
Stephen Zeiger

9/5/2023

Benjamin Kaufman  
Hyman Wurtzel

9/6/2023

Eleanor Brandt  
Beverly Diamond Schpoont  
Grace Feier  
Mollie Ostrow  
Ruth Schentzel  
Gertrude Schiff  
Sarah Betty Shaffer  
Fannie Stettner  
Jullian Willen

9/11/2023

Harold Louis Forman  
Sarah Kline  
Joseph Shmookler  
Leon I. Sussman  
Mary Willen

9/18/2023

The Honorable Alan Black  
Ida G. Mendelsohn  
Isaac Rosenberg  
Morton Sher  
Harry Traub  
Bart Weiner

9/22/2023

Joseph Berg  
Herman Chernoff  
Fannie Gladstone  
Ethyle Halper  
Salomon Knafo  
Etta Rickel

9/28/2023

Rose B. Griff  
Gloria Lazarus  
Arthur Schiff  
Marcus Sinberg

9/23/2023

William Dacey  
Jean Flaschner Ruback  
Renee Gittler  
Allen Prokup  
Lotte Ratsprecher  
Eugene Ward

9/29/2023

Rose Berman  
Rose Dreyer  
Eva Feuchtwanger  
Murray Samuel Goldstein  
Bessie Koniver  
Brenda Rosenbaum  
Cantor Rubin Sherer  
Margie Zimmerman

9/7/2023

Brenda Fine  
Lillian K. Hoffman  
Lorraine Holtz-Basora  
Ida Karol  
Andrew Schonberger

9/12/2023

Ruth Cohen  
Sheldon Hoffman  
Bernard Leavitt  
Ethel Richmond  
Arthur A. Scholick

9/24/2023

Herman Katz  
Zelig Kupicki  
Rachel D. Schlossberg

9/30/2023

Sara Charkow  
Abe Efron  
Martha G. Segel  
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The tree chosen will be marked by a permanent Memorial Plaque. Other items are also available to endow.  
Contact: Ivan Schonfeld 610-349-1721



## *It's A Simcha... Mazel Tov*

**Manya Stein** on her very "Special" Birthday.

**Julius Van Allen**, son of **Stacy & James Van Allen**, on earning the Scouting Rank of Eagle Scout, from BSA Troop 29, Easton, PA. The Eagle Scout Award is the highest award available to youth members of the Boy Scouts of America.

**Laurie Wax** on her appointment as the next President of the Women's Philanthropy of the Jewish Federation of the Lehigh Valley.

**Fay Kun** on receiving The Schiff Award for Prejudice Reduction from the Jewish Federation of the Lehigh Valley.

**Chahine Marvi** on the birth of her great-granddaughter, Mila Noelle.

**Fred & Gail Eisenberg**, on the engagement of their son, David Eisenberg to Dani Cook.

**Manya Stein & the late Stanley Stein z'l**, on the marriage of their daughter, Michele Stein to Barry Rosayn.

## *In Memoriam*

*The congregation extends its heartfelt sympathy to the family of ...*

**Miriam Kiss**  
Beloved congregant

**Melvin London**  
Beloved father of our congregant, Elysse Teichman  
Beloved congregant

## *Memorial Plaques*

*have been lovingly dedicated in memory of ...*

**Andy Kopyt**

## **Hadassah Virtual Study Group**

**Every other Wednesday, 1:30 PM**  
**Temple Beth El**

Allentown Hadassah presents a stimulating series of short story seminars. All are welcome to attend these FREE sessions on Zoom. The group will be reading selections from anthologies available from **Amazon.com**. For dates and stories, email Marilyn Claire at [mjclaire@gmail.com](mailto:mjclaire@gmail.com) or call 610-972-7054.

## *We Need Your Help!*

Rabbi Re'em will visit or contact the members of Temple Beth El who are in the local hospitals. HIPPA laws prevent hospitals from releasing medical information. Upon routine admission, please use our **Temple Code 17**: for all the locations for Lehigh Valley Hospital and for all locations at St. Luke's Hospital.

**When admitted through Emergency Room,**  
*please have your family member or friend notify the Temple Beth El office.*

## ***HIGH HOLIDAY 2023***

### **IMPORTANT REMINDERS !**

#### **High Holiday Parking Pass**

Please display on windshield when arriving to the building.

#### **High Holiday Tickets**

Please come to Temple together as a family on the High Holidays and display your family tickets to our ticket takers as you enter.

#### **Handicapped Stickers**

Please display any handicapped stickers so our parking lot attendants can see them clearly.

#### **Guest Tickets**

Guest tickets for visiting out of town family only will be available on request. Please call the Temple Office for more details.

#### **Please Note:**

**The Amherst Road Entrance will be closed.**

# *A Happy New Year*

**The following people made a donation to Sisterhood wishing all a year of health, happiness and peace:**

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# *A Happy New Year*

**The following people made a donation to Sisterhood wishing all a year of health, happiness and peace:**

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# TEMPLE BETH EL TRIBUTE FUNDS

Remembering a loved one or marking a special occasion is often done with *Tzedakah*, making a donation in honor or memory of a special person or event.

Reminder: Minimum Contribution To All Temple Funds is \$10.00.

## BUILDING FUND

*Provides funds to maintain the beautiful treasure that is our synagogue.*

**In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:**

Helen Goldfarb – Harold & Susan Goldfarb

## CAMP RAMAH FUND

*Provides scholarships for children attending Camp Ramah summer programs.*

**In Memory Of:**

Harvey Spark – Judith Lasker

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*Supports the programs of the Temple's Caring Community (Shabbat Angels).*

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*Provides funding to support musical & artistic programs*

**In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:**

Mildred Gimbel – Alan & Adrienne Westheim

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**In Honor Of:**

Renee Swartz for her years of service at the New Jersey Center for the Book – Scott & Debbie Rosen; Manya Stein

The wedding of Michele Stein to Barry Rosayn – Muriel Zimring; Addie Swartz

Manya Stein on special birthday – Renee Swartz; Muriel Zimring

**In Memory Of:**

Eva Levitt; Lillian Nissenbaun – Manya Stein

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*Provides assistance for religious school tuition for families in need & non-budgeted items for the school.*

**In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:**

Simon Sacks – Rosalie Sacks Levine

Morton Gimbel – Alan & Adrienne Westheim

## FLORAL FUND

*Provides floral arrangements for the High Holidays, Sukkah decorations, & Bimah arrangements as needed.*

**In Honor Of:**

Bobbe Wiener on the birth of her great-granddaughter, Molly – Bob & Lota Post

**In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:**

Kenneth Kun – Michael & Fay Kun

Alan Freeman; Rochelle

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## KIDDUSH FUND

*Assists with costs associated with providing weekly Onegs and Kiddushim after Shabbat services.*

**In Honor Of:**

Don & Lois Lipson on their 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary – Bob & Lota Post

**In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:**

Elaine Jaspan – Carol Bernhard

Harry & Esther Kaufman – Marcia Cohen

Murray Kozinn – Wesley & Beth Kozinn

Mildred Roth – June Roth

## LIBRARY FUND

*Provides support for the Library to purchase books, videos & resource materials*

**In Memory Of:**

Tama Fogelman – Marcia Cohen

## MINYAN FUND

*Provides resources for Minyan expenses.*

**In Memory Of:**

Kenneth Bass – Marcia Cohen

## MORTON R. LEVY USY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

*Provides scholarships to youth group members of our chapter to participate in USY conventions.*

**In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:**

Robert Bernhard; Marilyn Bernhard – Carol Bernhard

## RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

*For charitable purposes at the discretion of the Rabbi.*

**In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:**

Lena Pomerantz – Leonard Abrams

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Nancy Mao Gevirtz – Jeff Gevirtz

Florence Kaplan; Gloria Perkin – Henry & Phyllis

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## TEMPLE FUND

*Supports the general operating budget of our synagogue.*

**In Honor Of:**

Rusty Schiff on her special birthday; Stuart & Lynda Krawitz on the marriage of their son, Joshua to Ali Goldstein – Richard & Arlene Stein

Diane Silverman on her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday – Merv & DeDe Woolf

Bobby & Jana Baker on the birth of their grandson, Jonathan – Harris & Sandi Fine

Richard & Arlene Stein on the marriage of their granddaughter, Erica Meyer to Mark Derner; Stephen & Lynn Wiener on the birth of their granddaughter, Molly; Rusty Schiff on her special birthday; Seth & Kathi Katzman on their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary – Bob & Lota Post

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Ida Benioff; Florence Benioff – Michael Benioff

Jack Bellow – Nelson Kopyt

Louise Furmansk – Stewart Furmansk

Ruth Jacobs; Majlich Jacobs – Joseph Jacobs

Yahrzeits of all our loved ones – Arthur & Audrey

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**Complete Recovery Of:**

Laarrie Sheftel – Leonard Abrams

**ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION  
FUNDS**

*Provides long term funding for our Temple.*

**GENERAL ENDOWMENTS FUND**

**In Memory Of:**

Laurie Weker Lipton; Harvey Spark – David &  
Susan Hyman

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FUNDS**

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**In Observance Of The Yahrzeit Of:**

Simon Hammel; Ernestine Urken; Lee Hammel –  
Bobby & Bonnie Hammel

**LILLIAN & JACOB  
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FUND**

**In Honor Of:**

Rance & Sheryl Block on the baby naming of their  
granddaughter, Chloe; Jay & Beth Lalak on the baby  
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Bobbe Wiener on the marriage of her grandson,  
Joshua Diamond to Sydney Wolofsky – Richard &  
Arlene Stein

**In Memory Of:**

Blanche beloved sister of Anita Fishbein – Bobbe  
Wiener

**Complete Recovery Of:**

Larrie Sheftel – Bobbe Wiener

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## Come cook with us!

On Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, Temple Beth El kicks off its first-ever cooking class series. The idea was inspired by our fence program titled "Let's Teach Our Children". You may ask how the fence connects to cooking. We explored areas that we thought might matter to parents who would like their children to know what foods represent our Jewish heritage and how foods relate to holidays. What would Rosh Hashanah be without Apple Cake, sweet for the New Year? Since the holiday is upon us, apple cake will be our first class. Three more sessions are planned; Chanukah (potato latkes), TU B'Shevat (fruit kugel), and Passover (matza Ball Soup).

Classes will last around 2 hours. The pricing for each workshop is \$5.00 or \$20.00 for all 4. The success of our efforts will continue into 2024 with more dishes that brighten our holidays.

Please join us for lots of fun. Instructions will be easy to follow, even if you don't consider yourself a gourmet cook. Plus, you get to take home your creation. We are looking forward to this to discover our commonalities with food and meet new people.

Cindy Schneider

## JFS COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY *Requested Item of the Month*



### Bar Soap

Many Community Food Pantry clients receive Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits toward food purchases. Personal care items, while essential to maintaining good health, are not covered by SNAP. JFS is collecting bar soap throughout the month of September for distribution to food pantry clients. Your donation can be dropped off at JFS during business hours, in the bins at the JCC and Temple Beth El, or ordered through the JFS [Amazon Wish List](#). Thank you for your participation!



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## *Sound the Shofar!*

**Monday, September 11, 2023**

**7:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. at Temple Beth El**

*Taught by Shari Spark and master Shofar Blower, Jay Needle*

**All are welcome! Adults, Teens, Religious School students 7th grade and older**

Learn about the Shofar, the mitzvah of hearing the Shofar sounds, and how to blow the beautiful notes. Bring your own shofar, or borrow one of ours.

*Participants can all join in The Great Shofar Blow Out at the end of Yom Kippur, September 25th, 7:30 p.m.*

**NOTE:** Midrasha students will automatically be attending as part of their class— PARENTS JOIN YOUR CHILDREN!

**Free—please RSVP by Thursday, September 8th**  
**RSVP [SHARI@BETHELALLENTOWN.ORG](mailto:SHARI@BETHELALLENTOWN.ORG)**  
**or call Shari at 610-597-4400, 610-435-3521**

*Presented by*





## School Message

At the beginning of the school year many teachers ask students some variation of the question “what did you do this summer?” Teachers use this question as an ice breaker, as an activity to assess student skills in writing and/or speaking, or to begin teaching classroom routines. Almost always, it’s the teachers asking the students this question. How often do students ask their teachers what they did during the summer? And what type of answers would they get if they asked?

Even though students rarely ask, this is some of what I did this summer.

- I started the process of revitalizing the religious school curriculum. This is a project that is never finished, because the curriculum will constantly change as the needs of the student’s change. I am excited to share new materials and the learning that goes with them. A few “sneak previews”:
  - New units introducing Tanach/Bible learning.
  - Updated materials for Rosh HaShannah and Yom Kippur.
  - Revised goals and objectives for Hebrew learning.
  - Much more to come!

- I continued my own learning through the Hadar Jewish Wisdom Fellowship. This was five weeks of online learning with other supplementary school educators. The learning focused on the Torah of Teaching, discussing topics such as the impact our own teachers have had on us and how that influences our teaching, and the importance of helping our students connect to the chain of tradition of Jewish learning. In addition to continuing my own learning, I reconnected with a friend from high school who is now a synagogue education director!
- I worked with my colleagues here at Temple Beth El to plan amazing High Holiday programming for children and families. By the time you read this, it will almost be Rosh HaShannah and time for the Family Service I planned for the first day. I am also excited about tashlich at Trexler park, and programming for Ne’ilah, the last service of Yom Kippur.

I am looking forward to an amazing year, filled with learning and lots of fun! Shannah Tova!

Beth Dashin  
Religious School Director

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### 7:30 PM



## TEMPLE BETH EL





# Selichot/סליחות

## The Greatest Mitzvah You Never Heard Of

The modern quest for sustainability has posed an urgent question: What does Judaism say about caring for the earth? What behaviors does Judaism expect of us?

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*Special Guests, Rabbi Avram Israel Reisner and Rabbi Nina Beth Cardin will illuminate these questions through study of text and rabbinic teachings*

September 9, 2023 - 8:30 p.m.

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**Rabbi Avram Israel Reisner** is rabbi emeritus of Congregation Chevrei Tzedek in Baltimore, MD. He is a member of longstanding on the Conservative Movement's Committee of Jewish Law and Standards, was an editor of the two volume Siddur Sim Shalom published in 1918-2003, and is the creator of the triennial haftarah cycle. He serve as an appointed member of the Maryland Stem Cell Research Commission.



**Rabbi Nina Beth Cardin** was in the first class of women admitted to the rabbinical school of the Jewish Theological Seminary and has devoted much of her career to being a community rabbi. She currently directs the Maryland Campaign for Environmental Human Rights. She co-wrote, along with her husband, Rabbi Reisner, the Conservative movement's teshuvah (legal responsum) on Judaism and sustainability which was adopted unanimously by the Conservative movement's Committee of Jewish Law and Standards in 2019.



# Yom Kippur 2023

## Registration Form for Children's Services

Online sign up available on [www.bethelallentown.org](http://www.bethelallentown.org)

Dear Parents,

Youth Services and BimBom Buddies programs are for Yom Kippur, September 25, 2023. No child will be admitted to any program unless pre-registered.

*Youth Service—Pre-k to 6th grade—located in the School Wing - 10:00 am - 12:00 pm*

*BimBom Buddies - Yom Kippur - September 25th - 10:15 am - 12:00 pm*

**Please Complete, Sign, and Return This Form No Later Than Friday, September 20th**

**Parent Name(s)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note any food allergies (indicate child):** \_\_\_\_\_

### Yom Kippur Youth Services - Monday, September 25, 2023

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

**TEENS:** Please indicate if you would like to take a shift helping in the Youth Services. You will be contacted to confirm the time slot and age group. Only those who will really help should sign up!

\_\_\_\_\_ (name) would like to aid and would prefer (circle one or more)

HoneyBears (preK, K, 1)

Apples (grades 2,3)

Shofars (grades 4,5,6)

### BimBom Buddies - Yom Kippur - Monday, September 25th (Ages 0-5)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

# Registration Form for Teen Talk

Online Sign up available on [www.bethelallentown.org](http://www.bethelallentown.org)

Dear Parents,

Teen Talk program is on the first day of Rosh Hashanah, September 16, 2023, and Yom Kippur, September 25, 2023. *No child will be admitted to any program unless pre-registered.*

*Teen Talk—7th grade to 12th grade—located in the Chapel - 11:00 am - 12:00 pm*

**Please Complete, Sign, and Return This Form No Later Than Friday, September 8th**

**Parent Name(s)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note any food allergies (indicate child):** \_\_\_\_\_

## Teen Talk with Brian Neff

Name _____	Age _____	Grade _____	RH	YK
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Name _____	Age _____	Grade _____	RH	YK
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Name _____	Age _____	Grade _____	RH	YK
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# Temple Beth El's Annual Kol Nidre Dinner

Sunday, September 24th

5:00 pm

RSVP by Friday, September 21st

Seating limited to 500 guests



*Sign Me Up!*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Vegetarian Option - \$22.00 per person \_\_\_\_\_

Chicken Meal - \$26.00 per person \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form along with your check to Temple Beth El, 1305  
Springhouse Rd., Allentown, PA 18104



# 2023 High Holiday Usher Assignments

Online Sign up available on [www.bethelallentown.org](http://www.bethelallentown.org)

As you are aware, the High Holidays are fast approaching. We would like to extend this *Mitzvah* to everyone in our congregation, women as well. High Holiday ushers take positions at the entrance of both the Main Sanctuary and Wax auditorium to provide needed assistance and maintain decorum during all parts of the services. As in the past, assignments are short. If you can help, please indicate on the form below the day, time, and location that you are available and return it to the Synagogue office ASAP, or you can sign up on the Temple website.

Please help us fill all of the times and positions.

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Check off your preferences – please include all times you will be available, so we can cover all services. Also, let us know how many times you can help, so we don't over-schedule you.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Number of shifts you are willing to serve \_\_\_\_\_

## Erev Rosh Hashanah, Friday, September 15, 2023

7:45 pm - End Main \_\_\_\_\_

## 1<sup>st</sup> Day Rosh Hashanah, Saturday, September 16, 2023

8:15 am - 10:45 am Main \_\_\_\_\_

10:45 am - End Main \_\_\_\_\_

10:15 am - End Wax \_\_\_\_\_ (B'Yachad)

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Day Rosh Hashanah, Sunday, September 17, 2023

8:15 am - 10:45 am Main \_\_\_\_\_

10:45 am - End Main \_\_\_\_\_

10:45 am - End Wax \_\_\_\_\_ (Contemporary Service)

## Kol Nidre, Sunday, September 24, 2023

6:15 pm - 7:45 pm Main \_\_\_\_\_

7:45 pm - End Main \_\_\_\_\_

## Yom Kippur, Monday, September 25, 2023

8:15 am - 10:45 am Main \_\_\_\_\_

10:45 am - End Main \_\_\_\_\_

4:15 pm - 5:30 pm Main \_\_\_\_\_

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm Main \_\_\_\_\_

6:30 pm - End Main \_\_\_\_\_

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11:00 am-1:00 pm**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Quantity	Item	Price	Total
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	Raisin Challah	\$7.75	
	Chocolate Chip Challah	\$7.75	
	Apricot Rugelach (1 lb)	\$13.00	
	Chocolate Rugelach (1 lb)	\$13.00	
	Raspberry Rugelach (1 lb)	\$13.00	
	Assorted Rugelach (1 lb)	\$13.00	
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	Chocolate Chip Crumb Cake Loaf	\$12.50	
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**Order Sub-Total: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

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# September 2023

15 Elul 5783 - 15 Tishrei 5784

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>September 25th continued</b> 3:30 pm - Yom Kippur Walking Meditation 4:15 pm - Yizkor and Mincha 6:15pm - Ne'ilah 6:15 pm - Jewish Family Program 7:30 pm - Ma'ariv, Havdalah and Shofar Blowing					<b>1</b> 15 ELUL  <b>7:16</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>2</b> 16 ELUL 9:30 am - Service 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>3</b> 17 ELUL 9 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>4</b> 18 ELUL  Labor Day 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa	<b>5</b> 19 ELUL 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 7:30 pm - Fundraising Committee Meeting on Zoom	<b>6</b> 20 ELUL 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>7</b> 21 ELUL 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>8</b> 22 ELUL  <b>7:05</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>9</b> 23 ELUL 9:30 am - Service and Birthday Shabbat 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study 8:30 pm - Selichot Service at Brith Shalom Program
<b>10</b> 24 ELUL ☆Selichos Begin 9 am - Minyan on Zoom 9 am - Religious School 9 am - School Breakfast 11 am - Genizah Service at TBE cemetery	<b>11</b> 25 ELUL 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha 6:30 pm - Midrasha Dinner	<b>12</b> 26 ELUL 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School	<b>13</b> 27 ELUL 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 7:30 pm - Board Meeting on Zoom	<b>14</b> 28 ELUL 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>15</b> 29 ELUL ☆Erev Rosh Hashanah  <b>6:53</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 7:15 pm - Memorial Plaque Dedication 8 pm - Erev RH Services	<b>16</b> 1 TISHREI ☆Rosh Hashanah - Day 1 8:30 am - Full Traditional Shacharit 9:45 am - Torah Service and Musaf 10:30 am - B'Yachad Family Service 11 am - Teen Talk
<b>17</b> 2 TISHREI ☆Rosh Hashanah - Day 2 8:30 am - Full Traditional Shacharit 9:45 am - Torah Service 11 am - Contemporary Service Tashlich following service at Princeton Court site 4 pm - JFE Tashlich Shofar	<b>18</b> 3 TISHREI ☆Fast of Gedalyah 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha	<b>19</b> 4 TISHREI 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School	<b>20</b> 5 TISHREI 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>21</b> 6 TISHREI 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 7 pm - Sisterhood Book Club	<b>22</b> 7 TISHREI  <b>6:41</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>23</b> 8 TISHREI 9:30 am - Service and Kiddush to go
<b>24</b> 9 TISHREI ☆Erev Yom Kippur  <b>6:38</b> 9 am - Minyan on Zoom 6:30 pm - Kol Nidre Services	<b>25</b> 10 TISHREI ☆Yom Kippur 8:30 am - Full Traditional Shacharit 9:45 am - Torah Service and Musaf 10 am Children Service Pre-K to Grade 6 10:15 am - Bim Bom Buddies 11 am - Teen Talk	<b>26</b> 11 TISHREI 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School	<b>27</b> 12 TISHREI 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>28</b> 13 TISHREI 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>29</b> 14 TISHREI  <b>6:29</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>30</b> 15 TISHREI ☆Succos - Day 1 9:30 am - Service first day of Sukkot 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b> 16 TISHREI ✱Succos - Day 2 9:30 am - Service-2nd day of Sukkot 10:30 am - JFE Dor L Dor NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	<b>2</b> 17 TISHREI ✱Succos - First Intermediate Day 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha	<b>3</b> 18 TISHREI ✱Succos - Second Intermediate Day 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School 7:30 pm - Fundraising Committee Meeting on Zoom	<b>4</b> 19 TISHREI ✱Succos - Third Intermediate Day 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>5</b> 20 TISHREI ✱Succos - Fourth Intermediate Day 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>6</b> 21 TISHREI ✱Succos - Fifth Intermediate Day ✱Hoshanah Rabbah <b>6:18</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>7</b> 22 TISHREI ✱Shemini Atzeres 9:30 am - Service - Shmini Atzeret/Yitkor 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study 7 pm - Erev Simchat Torah <b>7:19</b>
<b>8</b> 23 TISHREI ✱Simchas Torah NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL 9 am - Service - Simchat Torah	<b>9</b> 24 TISHREI 🇺🇸Columbus Day 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha	<b>10</b> 25 TISHREI 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 am - Religious School	<b>11</b> 26 TISHREI 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 7:30 pm - Board Meetings	<b>12</b> 27 TISHREI 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>13</b> 28 TISHREI <b>6:07</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>14</b> 29 TISHREI 9:30 am - Service 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>15</b> 30 TISHREI ✱Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan - Day 1 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming 9 am - Religious School	<b>16</b> 1 CHESHVAN ✱Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan - Day 2 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha	<b>17</b> 2 CHESHVAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School	<b>18</b> 3 CHESHVAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom	<b>19</b> 4 CHESHVAN 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>20</b> 5 CHESHVAN <b>5:56</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 5:30 pm - Schmooze and Spirits 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>21</b> 6 CHESHVAN 9:30 am - Service - Birthday Shabbat 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study
<b>22</b> 7 CHESHVAN 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming 9 am - Religious School 10 am - School Shacharit (Grade 7)	<b>23</b> 8 CHESHVAN 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Mah Jongg 6:30 pm - Midrasha 7 pm - Men's Club Poker	<b>24</b> 9 CHESHVAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School	<b>25</b> 10 CHESHVAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 7:30 pm - Endowment Meeting	<b>26</b> 11 CHESHVAN 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming	<b>27</b> 12 CHESHVAN <b>5:47</b> 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 5:30 pm - Schmooze and Spirits 6 pm - Erev Shabbat Service	<b>28</b> 13 CHESHVAN 9:30 am - Service 10:30 am - Shabbat for Everyone 12:30 pm - Weekly Torah Parasha Study 7:30 pm - Casino Night
<b>29</b> 14 CHESHVAN 9 am - Minyan in person and streaming 9 am - Religious School	<b>30</b> 15 CHESHVAN 8 am - Minyan in person and streaming 5 pm - Yoga with Deepa 6:30 pm - Midrasha	<b>31</b> 16 CHESHVAN 8 am - Minyan on Zoom 4 pm - Religious School				