

CHAILIGHTS



Cantor's Corner

By Cantor Laura Berman

Chances are, if you have childhood memories of the High Holidays, they echo with the rich musical sounds of the season. Perhaps you recall the distinctive march of the evening services, the unique and stirring "YitgaDA-AL"

that announces the core of the morning service, the haunting and awe-inspiring setting of *Unetaneh Tokef*, the hopeful and insistent chant of *Ki Anu Amecha*, or the muffled sounds as the cantor's head lowers to the ground during *The Great Aleinu*.

Perhaps your parents and grandparents also heard and chanted along with these very same melodies. The themes you may recognize are likely part of the *nusach hatefillah*, the traditional method of chant distinguishing the day and time of day, which preserves the special sounds and mood befitting the service. These musical memories are visceral connections which penetrate our souls and inform our personal sense of tradition. It just wouldn't feel like *Yom Kippur*, for example, absent the characteristic *Kol Nidre* chant, or without the traditional *Avinu Malkenu* or *Ashamnu*.

These musical memories, along with memories of sitting with your families and friends, connect us both as a community and throughout our generations. I hope you will join us at all the services of the season, and add your voice during the congregational singing, whether or not you know the words

or can carry a tune. As I say to my b'nei mitzvah students who worry about their voices, "what matters is where the music comes from (i.e., your heart), not what it sounds like."

I also encourage you to bring your children into the sanctuary at times when children's services are not in progress, even if just for a little while. When you listen together to the sounds of the shofar (perhaps timing the blast of the *tekiyah g'dolah* on the second hand of your watch!), or sing together all the "hayoms" of *Hayom T'amtzenu*, you help to create musical memories with them. You also connect yourselves and your children in a very personal way to the sounds and experiences of their grandparents, great-grandparents, the generations before them, and the generations to come. As we chant in the Kedushah:

L'dor vador nagid godlekha...

*From generation to generation we will declare
Your greatness....*

So much of what is passed on to future generations comes from our shared experiences. On behalf of Rabbi Gibson, Rabbi Gorban, and the entire staff of Temple Sinai, we look forward to sharing the experiences of this High Holiday season with you, your families, and your friends. We also hope you will share the musical experiences of our High Holiday services with the loved ones throughout your generations. Together, we will build our musical memories as a community and as an extended synagogue family.

L'Shanah tova um'tukah!

To a good and sweet year!

HIGH HOLY DAYS FOR KIDS & FAMILIES!

TOT SERVICES

A fun, active service led by Rabbi Keren Gorban with stories, singing, and dancing for families with children ages 0–5.

Erev Rosh HaShanah: Sunday, Sept. 9, 5 PM

Rosh HaShanah: Monday, Sept. 10, 8 AM

Kol Nidre: Tuesday, Sept. 18, 5:30 PM

Yom Kippur: Wednesday, Sept. 19, 8 AM

CHILDREN SERVICES & PROGRAMS

A drop-in program (with a short service led by our Youth Group) with crafts and stories for children in kindergarten–3rd grade.

Rosh HaShanah: Monday, Sept. 10, 8:30 AM

Yom Kippur: Wednesday, Sept. 19, 8:30 AM

COMMUNITY FAMILY SERVICE & TASHLICH

An outdoor service at Frick Park led by our clergy for families with children in kindergarten–4th grade.

**Rosh HaShanah: Monday,
Sept. 10, 4:30 PM & 5:15 PM**

I AM JONAH

(in collaboration with Attack Theatre)

A fresh and thought-provoking approach to the story of Jonah featuring dance, music, and narrative. *Appropriate for all ages.*

Yom Kippur: Wednesday, Sept. 19, 4 PM



HIGH HOLY DAYS SCHEDULE 2018 ~ 5779

S'lichot

Saturday, September 1

7:30 PM Mincha

8:15 PM Maariv

8:30 PM Havdallah with accompaniment

8:45 S'lichot Service & Musical Program (See page 5.)

SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE

Sunday, September 2

11 AM Service of Remembrance with Temple David at Temple Sinai Memorial Park (7740 Saltsburg Road, Plum, PA 15239)*

ROSH HASHANAH

Sunday, September 9

5 PM Erev Rosh HaShanah Tot Service*

6:15 PM Erev Rosh HaShanah Dinner**

7:45 PM Erev Rosh HaShanah Service* 🗣️

Monday, September 10

8 AM Rosh HaShanah Tot Service*

8:30 AM Rosh HaShanah Morning Early Service

8:30 AM Rosh HaShanah Children's Early Service & Program

11 AM Rosh HaShanah Morning Late Service 🗣️

4:30 PM Community Family Service at Frick Park*

5:15 PM Tashlich Service at Frick Park*

Tuesday, September 11

10 AM Rosh HaShanah 2nd Day Morning Service with Rodef Shalom Congregation at Temple Sinai*

YOM KIPPUR

Tuesday, September 18

5:30 PM Kol Nidre Tot Service*

6 PM Kol Nidre Early Service

8:30 PM Kol Nidre Late Service 🗣️

YOM KIPPUR (continued)

Wednesday, September 19

8 AM Yom Kippur Tot Service*

8:30 AM Yom Kippur Morning Early Service

8:30 AM Yom Kippur Children's Early Service & Program

11 AM Yom Kippur Morning Late Service 🗣️

1:30 PM Yom Kippur Minchah Afternoon Service*

2:45 PM Yom Kippur Beit Midrash*

4 PM I am Jonah in collaboration with Attack Theatre*

5:15 PM Yom Kippur Yizkor and N'ilah* 🗣️

7:15 PM Yom Kippur Break Fast: a light snack to break your fast*

SUKKOT

Sunday, September 23

6 PM Service & Soup in the Sukkah**

Monday, September 24

10 AM Sukkot Morning Service with Rodef Shalom Congregation at Temple Sinai*

SIMCHAT TORAH

Sunday, September 30

5:15 PM Erev Simchat Torah Congregational Dinner**

6 PM Torah Celebration with Consecration of New Students (K-3)*

Monday, October 1

10 AM Simchat Torah Yizkor Morning Service at Rodef Shalom Congregation (4905 Fifth Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15213)*

Services in orange require Cards of Admission

**Open to the community*

***Fee and registration required*

🗣️ American Sign Language interpreter provided

*"And my house shall be called
a house of prayer for all peoples."
(Isaiah 56:7)*



YOM KIPPUR BEIT MIDRASH TOPICS, WED. SEPT. 19, 2:45 PM

- **Truth in Jewish Teaching and Public Discourse – Yes, It Matters!**
David Shribman and Rabbi Jamie Gibson will share texts, stories, and discussion about the need for facts and truth in our spiritual and civic lives.
- **Science and Jewish Environmentalism in an Age of Radical Skepticism**
Dr. Jerry Cohon will teach on the need to restore faith in the sciences in order to fulfill our Jewish obligations with respect to the environment.
- **Approaching the Holy Through Jewish Chant and Meditation**
Rhonda Rosen and David Goldstein will deepen spiritual connection through meditation and chant.
- **Exodus: What is Real and What is Not**
Ram Kossowsky will walk us through the lands of the Book of Exodus with a slide presentation.
- **Strange & Wonderful Stories of Jewish Identity & Connection (A Moth-Inspired Storytelling Hour)**
An hour of stories of strange and wonderful affirmations of Jewish identity and connection.
- **How DO Jews Deal With Death?**
Pat Cluss and Malke Frank will teach on Jewish death and burial customs and the need for them.

VALET PARKING

NEW this year for High Holy Days Services! COURTESY VALET PARKING PROGRAM for Seniors and Persons with Disabilities

We want to be sure that seniors and persons with disabilities who drive to Temple Sinai for the High Holy Days do not have to worry about long and difficult walks from parking far away. We hope our new Courtesy Valet Parking program will make access to services easier and encourage more people with disabilities to attend.

To be eligible for courtesy valet parking you must have a valid state issued Persons with Disability Parking Placard or license plate.

Look in your Temple Sinai High Holy Day package for more information about this new program. Questions? Contact Lynn Corbett at (412) 421-9715 ext. 113 or LynnC@TempleSinaiPGH.org.



BABYSITTING *(preregistration required)*

- Available during the morning early and late services on Rosh HaShanah and Yom Kippur for children ages 0–5 (including babies in diapers).
- Preregister by Wednesday, Sept. 5 for Rosh HaShanah and Wednesday, Sept. 12 for Yom Kippur.
- \$10 per child per holiday.
- Parents must remain in the building.

REGISTER ONLINE at www.TempleSinaiPGH.org/hhd2018
or contact Debbie Haber at (412) 421-7039 or DHaber@TempleSinaiPGH.org

HIGH HOLY DAYS QUESTIONS?

- **Drew Barkley**, Executive Director, (412) 421-9715 ext. 111, Drew@TempleSinaiPGH.org; Any questions including valet parking.
- **Judy Rulin Mahan**, Membership Engagement & Operations Director, (412) 421-9715 ext. 110, Judy@TempleSinaiPGH.org; For an accommodation to attend services.
- **Nancy Conaway**, Executive Assistant to the Clergy, (412) 421-9715 ext. 115, Nancy@TempleSinaiPGH.org; For Guest or Reciprocal Cards of Admission.
- **Debbie Haber**, Religious School Administrator, (412) 421-7039, DHaber@TempleSinaiPGH.org; Questions about children's services or babysitting.

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

S'LICHOT

AN EVENING OF REFLECTION, DEVOTION, & JAZZ
to help focus our intentions for the new year

SATURDAY, SEPT. 1 • TEMPLE SINAI
5505 FORBES AVENUE, PITTSBURGH, PA 15217

7:30 PM *Mincha* • Light Refreshments • 8:15 PM *Maariv*
8:30 PM *Havdallah* & S'lichot Service/Program

QUESTIONS? Contact Nancy Conaway at (412) 421-9715 ext. 115,
Nancy@TempleSinaiPGH.org, or visit www.TempleSinaiPGH.org/Slichot-Service.



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New Light Congregation



Temple Sinai is an inclusive community that embraces, supports, and values all people, regardless of ability or needs, to participate in every aspect of our Reform Jewish synagogue life. If you need an accommodation, please call Judy Mahan at (412) 421-9715 ext. 110.

A SPECIAL EREV ROSH HASHANAH DINNER

We invite you to join us for a special catered Erev Rosh HaShanah Dinner on Sunday, September 9 at 6:15 PM. Come have a relaxing, friendly meal with your Temple Sinai family prior to the 7:45 PM Erev Rosh HaShanah Service.

DINNER MENU

Homemade Chicken Soup
Grilled Chicken Breast with Crispy Potatoes
Seasonal Vegetarian Pasta
Mixed Green Salad
Challah
Dessert
Wine



Cost: \$24 per person/\$10 per child (ages 6–12)/FREE for kids 5 and under
(Register online in your Temple Sinai account to pay by credit card, or contact Judy Rulin Mahan at Judy@TempleSinaiPGH.org or (412) 421-9715 ext. 110 to RSVP and charge to your account. Community members can register by contacting Judy Rulin Mahan. **Reservations will close at 5 PM on Tuesday, Sept. 4.**)

SOUP IN THE SUKKAH

*Shake the lulav. Smell the etrog.
Eat in the Sukkah and give thanks
for all of our blessings.*

WHEN: Sunday, Sept. 23, 6 PM
(Service at 6 PM followed by dinner.)

WHERE: Temple Sinai Sukkah

WHAT: Grilled Cheese &
Homemade Tomato Soup

HOW: RSVP by Sunday, Sept. 16 at Noon
by registering online or contacting
Debbie Haber

Cost: \$7 per person/FREE for kids 3 & under
(Register online in your Temple Sinai account to pay by credit card, or contact Debbie Haber at DHaber@TempleSinaiPGH.org or (412) 421-7039 to RSVP and charge to your account. Community members can register by contacting Debbie Haber. **Reservations will close at Noon on Sunday, Sept. 16.**)

EREV SIMCAH TORAH

**Dance with the Torah
Consecration of New Students
(K–3)**

WHEN: Sun., Sept. 30, 5:15 PM

WHERE: Temple Sinai Auditorium & Sanctuary

WHAT: Dinner at 5:15 PM followed by
the service at 6 PM.

HOW: RSVP by Sunday, Sept. 23 at Noon
by registering online or contacting
Debbie Haber

Cost: \$10 per person/\$6 kids 4–12/FREE for kids 3 & under
(Register online in your Temple Sinai account to pay by credit card, or contact Debbie Haber at (412) 421-7039 or DHaber@TempleSinaiPGH.org to RSVP and charge to your account. Community members can register by contacting Debbie Haber. **Reservations will close at Noon on Sunday, Sept. 23.**)

L'SHANAH TOVAH FROM NEXT DOR!

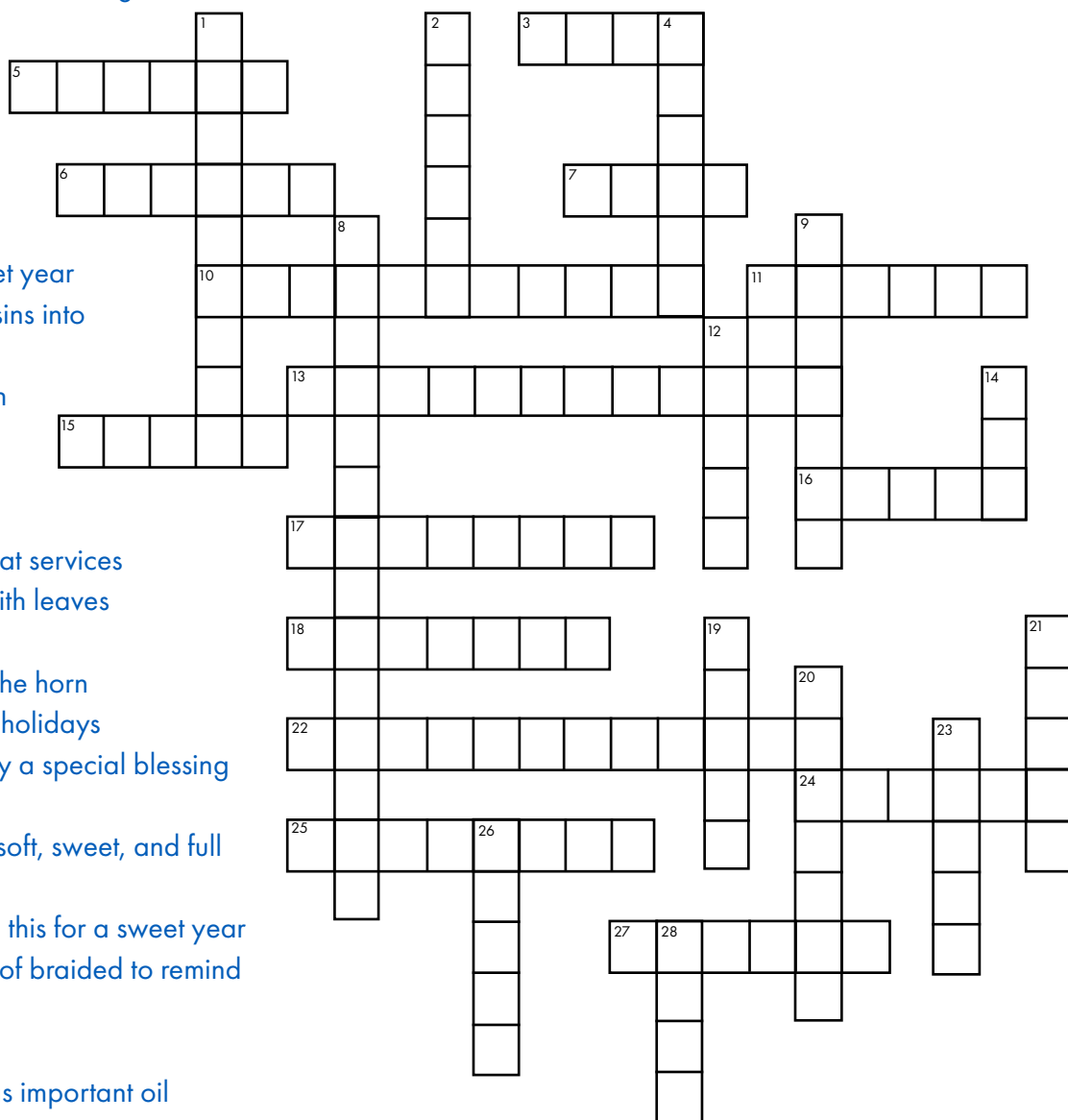
Across

- 3 Tall straight branch among shaken branches
- 5 Feast of Booths
- 6 Hut or Booth
- 7 One of the 7 Species that is soft, sweet, and grows in orange bunches
- 10 Fruit with a little crown and lots of seeds; one of the 7 Species of food native to Israel
- 11 Two branches in a group with leaves that look like mouths
- 13 Holiday that celebrates finishing the Torah and starting again
- 15 What you have to be able to see through the roof of your hut/booth

- 16 You shake this lemony fruit with branches
- 17 Three blasts on the horn
- 18 One blast on the horn
- 22 Jewish New Year
- 24 We dip these to have a sweet year
- 25 Service when we throw our sins into moving water
- 27 Nine quick blasts on the horn

Down

- 1 Day of Atonement
- 2 Animal horn that is sounded at services
- 4 Three branches in a group with leaves that look like eyes
- 8 One loooooonnnng blast on the horn
- 9 Hebrew month with 4 major holidays
- 12 One of the 7 Species; we say a special blessing over its juice or wine
- 14 One of the 7 Species that is soft, sweet, and full of little tiny seeds
- 19 We dip fruit and challah into this for a sweet year
- 20 We make this round instead of braided to remind us of the cycle of the year
- 21 No food on Yom Kippur
- 23 One of the 7 Species that has important oil
- 26 You shake this group of branches
- 28 Hebrew month of preparation for the Jewish New Year



ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES

Rabbi Gibson's Shiur (class), Wednesdays, 6:15-7:30 PM

This class will explore how traditional sources of Jewish knowledge (Torah, Rabbinic Thought, Jewish Philosophy) addressed the issues of their time and how we tackle modern problems from a Jewish perspective. Classes will include topics such as racism and sexism, integrity in the home and workplace, the place of Israel in liberal Jewish concerns, Judaism, and human sexuality, as well as the ongoing search for God. *(Note: Does not meet on holidays.)*

Cost: \$54; Register online in your Temple Sinai account or contact Nancy Conaway at (412) 421-9715 ext. 115 or Nancy@TempleSinaiPGH.org.



Introduction to Judaism, Thursdays, 7-9 PM, Starts September 27

Introduction to Judaism is a 22-week course taught by the Pittsburgh Area Reform Rabbis (PARR). It covers God, Torah, history, holidays, and customs for those who are considering conversion as well as those who simply want to learn the basics of the Jewish faith.

Cost: \$36 per student; \$54 for a couple; Register online in your Temple Sinai account or contact Debbie Haber at (412) 421-7039 or DHaber@TempleSinaiPGH.org.

Bereisheet, Sundays, 11 AM, Starts September 16

An adult learning series taught by Cantor Laura Berman that starts "from the beginning" to increase your comfort with Jewish prayer, rituals, music, and tradition. All are welcome. *(Note: We will meet on Sundays only when Religious School is in session.)*

Free of charge. Contact Nancy Conaway at Nancy@TempleSinaiPGH.org or (412) 423-9715 ext. 115 to register.

TOUR OF RAUH JEWISH HISTORY PROGRAM & ARCHIVES

You are invited to tour the Rauh Jewish History Program & Archives at the Senator John Heinz History Center with Women of Temple Sinai and the Falk Library Committee on **Wednesday, October 3 at 10 AM-Noon** (with optional lunch afterwards at Lidia's).

FALK LIBRARY

The Rauh Jewish History Program & Archives was founded in 1989 to collect, preserve, and make accessible the documentary history of Jews and Jewish communities of Western Pennsylvania. Eric Lidji, Director of the Archives, will offer an overview and highlight family pictures, papers, and artifacts donated by Temple Sinai member Barb Siegel. These items date back to her great-great grandparents, and Mr. Lidji has described the collection as "one of the most thorough and vital pieces the Archives has received."

WOMEN OF
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You won't want to miss this unique and informative event!

Cost: Free admission to the Archives (*Lunch not included.*) RSVP to Susan Cohen at susan_k_cohen@yahoo.com or (412) 363-7745 by Noon on Tuesday, Sept. 26. Spaces are limited. *(Please specify if you are joining the group for lunch.)*

Location: Heinz History Center, 1212 Smallman St, Pittsburgh, PA 15222 (*Attendees are encouraged to carpool because parking can be challenging in the Strip District.*)

JOIN WOTS AT WRJ ATLANTIC DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Several members of The Women of Temple Sinai (WoTS) leadership will attend the WRJ Atlantic District Convention Oct. 18–21 in Tenafly, NJ, and invite other WoTS members to join them.

WoTS, as proud members of the Women of Reform Judaism (WRJ) have supported essential issues, including: women's right to choose; gender justice in the workplace issues; healthcare accessibility; gun control and immigration rights. WRJ also affords opportunities for networking and leadership building via district meetings. Several members of WoTS leadership will attend the WRJ Atlantic District Convention this fall and welcome other WoTS members to join them.

The weekend will include dynamic speakers, meaningful Shabbat Services, educational and inspirational workshops, and advocacy opportunities. Attendees will be treated to a tour of the United Nations by WRJ's own UN representative. Highlights also include a Speaker's Development program, a Pink Breast Cancer Awareness dinner, singer/songwriter Sheldon Low, and a Women of Valor luncheon. The convention is a great opportunity to meet other like-minded women from across the region, become more involved in the Reform movement, and to develop leadership skills.

Please visit www.wrj.org/atlantic, and/or contact Laura Fehl at lauraf0128@gmail.com or Susan Cohen at susan_k_cohen@yahoo.com for additional information.



Have You Made Your Pledge?

Remember that at Temple Sinai we don't put a price on membership. Instead we ask that, guided by the knowledge of what it takes to sustain Temple Sinai, you determine what you can pay and give to the best of your ability.

Thank you to everyone who has made their Pledge for the 2018/2019 fiscal year, which began July 1. If you haven't yet made your Pledge, especially with the High Holy Days only a week away, thank you for returning the Pledge form we mailed to your home. We are happy to send you a replacement Pledge form if you need one.

Please contact Drew Barkley at Drew@TempleSinaiPGH.org or (412) 421-9715 ext. 111 with your questions.

Steelers, Steaks, Spuds & Suds in the Sukkah

Monday, September 24 | 7:00 – 10:00 p.m.

Temple Sinai Brotherhood is celebrating Sukkot in a unique way, with steak, baked potatoes & beer in the sukkah, while watching the Steelers play the Tampa Bay Bucs.

BBQ experts will be on-hand to grill a variety of kosher steaks, which you can enjoy with beer you bring, or soft drinks that we'll provide.

Please bring a non-dairy side dish or dessert to share.



\$20 per person

RSVP by Friday, September 14, to Bill Padnos at bill.padnos@gmail.com or use the form below.

To register, log in to your Temple Sinai account OR mail this form and your check payable to Temple Sinai Brotherhood to:

**Temple Sinai, 5505 Forbes Ave.
Pgh., PA 15217**



**YES! PLEASE RESERVE MY/OUR SPACE FOR
"STEELERS, STEAKS, SPUDS & SUDS IN THE SUKKAH"
ON SEPTEMBER 24, 2018**

FULL NAME: _____

HOME PHONE: _____

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NUMBER OF PEOPLE ATTENDING (\$20/person) _____

ENCLOSED IS MY CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$ _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO



SEPTEMBER AT

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
<div> Temple Sinai Book Club, Sept. 5, 1:15 PM September's book is <i>Judas</i> by Amos Oz. All are welcome. Contact Anne Faigen at (412) 422-9580 for details. </div>			
2	3 Labor Day	4	5
9:15 AM Hartman Learning 11 AM Service of Remembrance at Temple Sinai Memorial Park	Offices and building closed		Noon Parsha/Weekly Torah Portion Class 1:15 PM Book Group 4:30 PM 1st Day of Hebrew School 6 PM Evening Meditation 6:15 PM Rabbi Gibson's Shiur (Class) 7:30 PM Intergenerational Choir Rehearsal
9 Erev Rosh HaShanah	10 Rosh HaShanah I	11 Rosh HaShanah II	12
9:15 AM Hartman Learning 5 PM Tot Service 6:15 PM Erev Rosh HaShanah Dinner 7:45 PM Erev Rosh HaShanah Service	Offices closed 8 AM Tot Service 8:30 AM Morning Early Service 8:30 AM Children's Service & Program 11 AM Morning Late Service 4:30 PM Community Family Service in Frick Park 5:15 PM Tashlich Service in Frick Park	10 AM Rosh HaShanah 2nd Day Morning Service with Rodef Shalom Congregation at Temple Sinai	Noon Parsha/Weekly Torah Portion Class 4:30 PM Hebrew School 6 PM Evening Meditation 6:15 PM Rabbi Gibson's Shiur (class) 7:30 PM Intergenerational Choir Rehearsal
16	17	18 Erev Yom Kippur	19 Yom Kippur
9:15 AM Hartman Learning 9:30 AM Men's Discussion Group (offsite) 9:30 AM Next DOR 10 AM WoTS Steering Committee 11 AM Bereisheet	7 PM Teen School	Offices close at Noon 5:30 PM Kol Nidre Tot Service 6 PM Kol Nidre Early Service 8:30 PM Kol Nidre Late Service	Offices closed 8 AM Tot Service 8:30 AM Morning Early Service 8:30 AM Children's Service & Program 11 AM Morning Late Service 1:30 PM Minchah Afternoon Service 2:45 PM Beit Midrash 4 PM I am Jonah 5:15 PM Yizkor & N'ilah 7:15 PM Break Fast
23 Erev Sukkot	24 Sukkot I	25 Sukkot II	26 Sukkot III
9 AM Brotherhood Sukkah construction 9:15 AM Hartman Learning 9:30 AM Next DOR 11 AM Bereisheet 6 PM Service & Soup in the Sukkah	Offices closed 10 AM Sukkot Morning Service at Temple Sinai with Rodef Shalom 7 PM Steelers, Steaks, Spuds & Suds in the Sukkah 7 PM Teen School		Noon Parsha/Weekly Torah Portion Class 4:30 PM Hebrew School 6 PM Evening Meditation 6:15 PM Rabbi Gibson's Shiur (class) 7:30 PM Intergenerational Choir Rehearsal
30 Erev Simchat Torah	Oct. 1 Simchat Torah	Questions? Suggestions? Content for our weekly email or monthly Chailights? We want to hear from you! Contact Tami Prine, Marketing and Communications Coordinator, at (412) 421-9715 ext. 120 or tami@templesinaipgh.org. Visit www.templesinaipgh.org for event details and a full calendar listing.	
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TEMPLE SINAI

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
		1 S'lichot	
		8:30 AM Torah Study 9:15 AM Informal Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 AM Bat Mitzvah of Dora Gordon & Shabbat Morning Service 6:30 PM S'lichot Service	WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULE FRIDAYS SEPTEMBER 7 7 PM SHABBAT EVENING SERVICE SEPTEMBER 14 7 PM SHABBAT EVENING SERVICE SEPTEMBER 21 5:30 PM TOT SHABBAT 7 PM SHABBAT EVENING SERVICE WITH BIRTHDAY BLESSING SEPTEMBER 28 7 PM SHABBAT EVENING SERVICE
6	7	8	
6:30 PM Executive Committee Meeting 7 PM Introduction to Judaism — Spring/Summer 2018 (offsite)	7 PM Shabbat Evening Service with 2nd Bar Mitzvah of Sandy Gross, followed by an oneg sponsored by Sandy Gross's family and WoTS	8:30 AM Torah Study 9:15 AM Informal Shabbat Morning Service	
13	14	15	
6:15 PM Dinner at East End Cooperative Ministry (offsite) 7 PM Introduction to Judaism — Spring/Summer 2018 (offsite)	Noon Downtown Lunch with the Rabbi (offsite) 7 PM Shabbat Evening Service, followed by an oneg sponsored by WoTS	8:30 AM Torah Study 9:15 AM Informal Shabbat Morning Service 1:45 PM Charles Morris Singalong (offsite)	
20	21	22	
	5 PM Tot Shabbat Snack & Schmooze 5:30 PM Tot Shabbat Service 7 PM Shabbat Evening Service with Birthday Blessing, followed by an oneg, sponsored by WoTS 8:30 PM Shabbat After Hours	8:30 AM Torah Study 9:15 AM Informal Shabbat Morning Service	SATURDAYS 8:30 AM TORAH STUDY 9:15 AM INFORMAL SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE SEPTEMBER 1 10 AM BAT MITZVAH OF DORA GORDON AND SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE
27 Sukkot IV	28 Sukkot V	29 Sukkot VI	
7 PM Introduction to Judaism at Temple Sinai (1st class) 7 PM Board of Trustees Meeting with Minyan	7 PM Shabbat Evening Service, followed by an oneg sponsored by WoTS	8:30 AM Torah Study 9:15 AM Informal Shabbat Morning Service	HIGH HOLY DAYS REFER TO THE HIGH HOLY DAYS SCHEDULE ON PAGES 1 & 2.

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Kenneth Levin & Marcie Mitre

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MEET STAFF MEMBER NANCY CONAWAY

Position: Executive Assistant to Clergy **Start date:** March 2017 (full-time)

Hometown: Mooresville, WV **Current town:** Pittsburgh, PA

Schools: Clay-Battelle High School, West Virginia Junior College, West Virginia University, and Fairmont State University

Family: Husband (Michael), son (Luigi), and daughter (Amelia)

Music: Classic Rock (Prince, Joan Jett, Aerosmith) — HOOKED ON THE 80's!!!

Favorite weekend fun: Spending quality time with family. We enjoy camping, bike riding, and attending concerts.

Favorite vacation destination: Naples, Florida. Looking forward to our trip to New York in August. We're anxious to see Jeff Lynne's ELO (Electric Light Orchestra) at Madison Square Garden.



MEET MEMBER BEN WECHT

Ben and his wife, Flynnne, have been members of Temple Sinai since 2001 and have a son, Dylan (24), and daughter, Zoe (22).



What is your favorite holiday? Pesach — the theme, the history, the season, explaining the Seder plate to newcomers...

What is the one thing you can't live without? I As a recovering English major, I feel like I should say books, but in the proverbial deserted island scenario, I'm going to have to go with music."

What was your first job? Of a compensatory nature, I'd have to say it was working as an assistant counselor at a day camp for children with mental and physical disabilities on Martha's Vineyard one summer during college.

What is your favorite food? For its sheer versatility, anything with eggplant, which is delicious, nutritious, and hearty enough to work as an entrée!

What was your most embarrassing moment? Can I take a pass on this one? Well, OK, that would have been the time I managed to dislodge a bust of the Buddha (fortunately hollow and tin) from atop a wobbly curio cabinet onto the crown of my head while singing with friends at a local coffee shop, causing bloodshed and general alarm. And no, I did not find Nirvana!

What are your hidden talents? Outside of a small but expanding circle of readers, writing fiction.

What would we be surprised to know about you? That I worked as a daily news reporter in rural Maine, where I covered everything from tractor pulls at the county fair to a double murder trial.

Describe your perfect day. 72 degrees, sunny with a few big cumulus clouds drifting along on a light breeze, surrounded by loved ones, looking out at an endless indigo sea.

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BAT MITZVAH ~ MAZAL TOV!

Saturday, September 1
Bat Mitzvah of Dora Gordon
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Bowman and siblings Kamren and Maddie Buncher.

Elizabeth and Jerry Gordon are happy to announced that
their granddaughter, Abigail Dahlia Gordon, will be called
to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah on Saturday, September 1 at
Temple Beth Shalom in Hamden, Connecticut. Proud parents
are Ram and Rachel Gordon of Woodbridge, Connecticut.

Mazal Tov to Paul Lyons for his photo exhibit at ARRIVISTE
Coffee Bar at 5730 Ellsworth Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15232.

Mazal Tov to our members in the Philip Chosky
Performing Arts Program Performing Arts Camp 2018
presentation of Annie Jr.: Delilah Picart (Director), Russell
Petro (Sound Operator/Counselor/Crew), Sarah Kennedy
(Counselor/Crew), Jackie De Witt (Pepper), Rachel Petro
(Miss Hannigan), Evie Rosen (Apple Seller), and Adina
Rosen (Mrs. Pugh).

Mazal Tov to Elan Mizrahi and Vanessa Lee, who were
married on August 11.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

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Desired Item List

- Canned Tuna
- Peanut Butter
- 100% Fruit Juice
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- Pasta
- Rice
- Vegetable oil
- Baby Diapers
- Laundry Detergent
- Paper Towels
- Toothpaste

Please donate unopened, unexpired items in cans, boxes, packages, etc.
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Monday – Friday

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Temple Sinai Book Group, Wednesday, Sept. 5, 1:15 PM

September's selection is *Judas* by Amos Oz. All are welcome. Contact Anne Faigen at (412) 422-9580 for details.

Dinner at East End Cooperative Ministry, Thursday, Sept. 13, 6:15 PM

We prepare and serve dinner once a month at EECM and would love to have you join us. Contact Sharon Dilworth at sd20@andrew.cmu.edu for details.

Downtown Lunch with the Rabbi, Friday, Sept. 14, Noon

Would you like to learn with friends over lunch? Join Rabbi Jamie Gibson for an uplifting discussion over lunch at an office downtown. Contact Nancy Conaway at Nancy@TempleSinaiPGH.org or (412) 421-9715 ext. 115.

Men's Discussion Group (offsite), Sunday, Sept. 16, 9:30 AM

Brotherhood invites you to become better-informed about the weekly Torah portion and current social/political concerns. Questions? Contact Dave Hirsh at dhirsch@porterwright.com. Location: Panera Bread, 3401 Boulevard of the Allies, Pittsburgh, PA 15213

Tot Shabbat, Friday, Sept. 21, 5 PM Snacks & Schmooze - 5:30 PM Service

Do your little ones like to sing and dance? Are you looking for an informal, inviting way to teach them about Shabbat and connect with other families? Join Rabbi Keren Gorban for this exciting service for young children.

Shabbat After Hours, Friday, Sept. 21, 8:30 PM

Join other young adults for lively conversation, wine, and cheese.

Steelers, Steaks, Spuds & Suds in the Sukkah, Monday, Sept. 24, 7 PM

Brotherhood is celebrating Sukkot in a unique way, with steak, baked potatoes, and beer in the sukkah, while watching the Steelers play the Tampa Bay Bucs. (See page 9 for details.)

Rabbi Gibson's Shiur (class), Wednesdays Sept. 5, 12 & 26, 6:15 PM

Classes will include topics such as racism and sexism, integrity in the home and workplace, the place of Israel in liberal Jewish concerns, Judaism and human sexuality, as well as the ongoing search for God. (See page 7 for details.)

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