



High Holy Days 5783 at Temple Beth David

The High Holy Day season is a special time for introspection and renewal. As we celebrate the New Year, we reflect on our lives and rededicate ourselves to living with goodness and purpose.

We look forward to joining together and supporting one another during these Days of Awe.

Connect with Community and Renew your Spirit.

Services are in person and on livestream. Outdoor services are weather permitting.

L'Shanah Tovah U'Metukah – Wishing you a good and sweet New Year!

High Holy Day Service Schedule

Selichot

Havdalah & Selichot Service <i>Followed by sweetness for the New Year</i>	Saturday, Sept. 17	7:30 p.m.
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Rosh Hashanah, 1st Day

Erev (Evening) Service	Sunday, Sept. 25	7:00 p.m.
Early Morning Service	Monday, Sept. 26	8:45 a.m.
Late Morning Service	Monday, Sept. 26	11:15 a.m.
Yeladim Youth Service (Outdoors)	Monday, Sept. 26	4:00 p.m.

Rosh Hashanah, 2nd Day

Morning Service	Tuesday, Sept. 27	10:00 a.m.
Tashlich (at Buckmaster Pond)	Tuesday, Sept. 27	12:00 p.m.
Family Tashlich Experience (at Hale)	Sunday, Oct. 2	10:00 a.m.

Yom Kippur

Kol Nidrei	Tuesday, Oct. 4	7:30 p.m.
Early Morning Service	Wednesday, Oct. 5	8:45 a.m.
Late Morning Service	Wednesday, Oct. 5	11:15 a.m.
Yom Kippur Study	Wednesday, Oct. 5	1:30 p.m.
Yeladim Youth Service (Outdoors)	Wednesday, Oct. 5	3:00 p.m.
Afternoon Service of Healing & Comfort	Wednesday, Oct. 5	4:00 p.m.
Teen Chat & Havdalah Prep	Wednesday, Oct. 5	5:00 p.m.
Yizkor and Neilah	Wednesday, Oct. 5	5:15 p.m.

Followed by light break fast approximately 6:30 p.m.

In-person services require pre-registration. COVID vaccination is required for all eligible. Masks are optional. All are welcome to access our services through livestream. Thank you for supporting our community, and thank you to all of our ushers and volunteers for helping to make a meaningful holiday season.



Additional High Holy Day Information & Explanation

The High Holy Days **begin on Saturday evening, September 17, with *Selichot***, an introduction to the themes of the holidays. A spiritually moving, musical service including *Havdalah*, the changing of our Torah scrolls into white, contemplating our own turning, and sounding the shofar.

The Temple Beth David community hopes that everyone will feel welcome for the holidays, whether you choose to be in person or remote. All services will use the Reform *machzor*, *Mishkan Hanefesh*. Copies are available at Temple. Visit our website to access an online edition or to purchase your own.

Rosh Hashanah & Yom Kippur Morning Service Times:

The early morning services are family-friendly and concise. The late morning services include the prayer book's full variety of liturgy, reflection and study. *Please contact Rabbi Karen with any questions about which service to attend.*

Childcare and Youth – children are always welcome:

Childcare for children ages 2 through 2nd grade will be offered during the early morning services only. *Advanced sign up is required.* An optional break will be offered for K-4th graders during the early morning services only. The afternoon Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur *Yeladim* children's services are for families with young children. These services will include a special prayer book, songs, and a story. On Rosh Hashanah, enjoy a craft and sweet treat.

Tashlich:

An opportunity to “cast away” missed marks this past year. Both *tashlich* opportunities are outdoors only, weather permitting. On October 2, continue with an optional hike around the lake at Hale after the ceremony.

Yom Kippur Afternoon Study: “Hebrew Poetry of Life and Death”

Yom Kippur is a day when we face our existential reality as we embrace mortality and consider what it means to truly live. Study Hebrew poetry that grapples with these themes and will inspire us through the Day of Atonement and throughout the year ahead.

Yom Kippur Teen Chat & Havdalah Prep (*new this year):

An opportunity to discuss themes of the day and help prepare the congregation for Havdalah (you will join the concluding *Neilah* service).

The Holidays Continue – All Are Welcome

Outdoors, weather permitting

Sukkot “Lunch & Learn” in the Sukkah on Thursday, October 13, 12:00-1:00 p.m.

Sukkot & Shabbat Service on Friday, October 14 at 6:00 p.m. with harvest treats

Simchat Torah Celebration & Consecration on Sunday, October 16, 11:00 a.m.

Join together as we complete the Torah and begin once more. We will unroll the Torah for all to see and welcome new students of Torah. Music, dancing, food, and fun for all generations.