



## From Rabbi Jana

☆ SEPTEMBER 2015 / ELUL 5775 ~ TISHRI 5776 ☆

### What Do We Do?

It has been suggested that most religions began when an individual has an uniquely divine experience, others believe it, and a theology grows around trying to learn what that individual has learned.

Instead, as Jews, our origins are primarily based on the concept that we experienced things as part of a group: freedom from slavery, revelation at Sinai, wandering in the wilderness, and a commitment to ethical obligations – as a people, not as a person.

Part of what is unique about being Jewish is that we know we are part of a people. We have commandments, rituals, holidays – all of us. We are individuals who are part of something much bigger.

As modern Jews we cherish the fact that Judaism allows – and honestly even encourages and requires – us to choose how to make the commandments and the commitments fit our individual life.

Individual choice, but as part of a group. We may say, “I know that Jews keep kosher, but I like shrimp, so I guess I will be a Jew who eats shrimp.” Even when our choices are to fulfill our individual need, and even when we realize that the choice is not what the group does, we are always aware of our group, and our place among everyone. We are always a part, despite choices to be apart.

Our prayers and blessings almost always acknowledge that we are part of something. How many blessings include the word, “*Eloheinu*” “OUR God?” When we fulfill commandments, we say “*Asher kid’shanu*” “Who made US holy.” For example, when we bless food, we don’t just say –I am hungry, thank you for this apple. We say, “Praised are You, OUR God, because you make the fruit of the tree.” We acknowledge that we share the Source of all food. We realize that everyone eats this stuff – not just me.

The most important prayer we say, isn’t even to God, it is to each other. The *Sh’ma* says: Listen ISRAEL (all Jews) Adonai is OUR God, Adonai is one. We, as one PEOPLE have one God. We actually are saying it to each other – not to God.

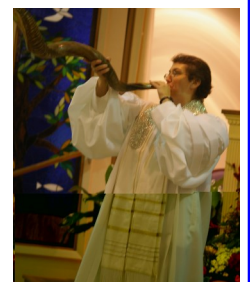
When we approach the High Holy Days, we often are thinking about ourselves. What can I do to improve my life? Who did I wrong, who needs an apology? What did I do in my commitment to God that can be improved this coming year? We are aware that we are not alone. We do this not by sitting by our self, but by gathering together. There is strength in numbers.

The liturgy of the Days of Awe are mostly filled with prayers that acknowledge what has been done wrong – as a group. *Ashamnu* – WE have sinned; *Bagadnu* – WE have transgressed. It isn’t only about the group. There are many moments during the Days of Awe when we are thinking of ourselves, but we are doing it while sitting in a group. Being Jewish means participating. It means knowing we are a part of something – bigger than just individuals. It means doing things that many people do, and have done for generations, and we pray we will continue to do.

The month of Tishri, has us participate on a journey together, from celebrating the beginnings of our world, to joining voices in asking for forgiveness. We sit together and hear the shofar calls. We fast together, and break fast together. We build and decorate our Sukkah, and hopefully we find time to eat in it. We gather together to dance with our Torah, and officially welcome our kindergarten students to our world in a joyous celebration. I look forward to seeing y’all there.

Even Jewish traditional greetings are about the plural: *Shalom Aleichem* (peace be upon y’all), *L’shanah tovah t’kateivnu*: may y’all be inscribed for a great year.

Rabbi Dr. Jana De Benedetti



## From our President, Donald Posner

Religious School has started; a big “thank you” to all of our educators who have taken time to prepare for the school year. As I said before, I really appreciate all that they do. Thanks also to the parents for getting your children to school prepared and on time. If any of you would be interested in staying at temple after dropping off the children, we can certainly begin an adult program or you can simply socialize with other parents. Let me know and we will provide the refreshments.



The High Holy Days are fast approaching. It is gratifying to see such wonderful attendance. The board is always interested in understanding what it takes to keep you coming throughout the year. I am open to any thoughts or suggestions.

It is always sad for me to open our Memorial Book and remember all those who have passed away, especially those that we have lost in the past year. However, we continue to welcome new families to our community. Please introduce yourself to those new members and give them a warm welcome.

We will dedicate our Donor Wall in the next few weeks. And again I thank all who have provided for our new remodeled sanctuary. It is truly a wonderful place to worship.

During this next year, I eagerly await many important personal milestones. Hopefully, Ben will move back to the states from Hong Kong; Alan will complete his MBA at Tulane and Valerie will continue her social work in New Orleans.

Connie and I plan to continue hitting the road to New Orleans, Baton Rouge and beyond. She is “making me” travel more as I have just completed my first 30 years of practice. I plan to continue on, as I truly love what I do.

I pray that my family and yours remain healthy and mentally fit. L'shana Tova; a Happy and Healthy New Year!

Shalom Y'all  
**Donald**



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## From our Educator, Helaine Braunig

Eating challah after Shabbat services on a cruise ship. Visiting synagogues in far-off cities and towns. Bill and I never travel without our Jewish identities shaping some of our itinerary. And for the last two weeks on a Baltic cruise, we confronted both a past and present where being Jewish is cause for both celebration and sobering reflection. Standing outside a Berlin synagogue where Jews now gather in increasing number was balanced against standing in Riga, Latvia where 25,000 Jews were shot after a forced march during World War II. Listening to people who feel anti-Semitism rising around them in Stockholm was balanced against saying a prayer of thanks in a church in Copenhagen that hid Torah scrolls during the Holocaust. The Baltic countries can't be visited without the spectre of the past and the armed guards of the present. However, the long lines of people waiting to get in to the Holocaust Museum In Berlin made us cautiously optimistic about a nation's desire to take responsibility for its past. Overall, our trip reminds us that we are part of a Jewish community whose boundaries extend beyond the United States and whose history and culture we need to study and understand.



These reflections on our trip have energized me for the beginning of our Religious School year. From our newest and youngest students to the young people of our pre-Confirmation classes, we are part of the fabric of worldwide Jewry. I believe that seeing ourselves as links in a chain that crosses continents and oceans as well as time will make us stronger. This year I hope we can feel the connection to Jews around the world by learning about their history and their current situations. This will be an important element in the education of our 8th and 9th graders in particular.

Classes resume on Sunday, August 23, and I, along with their teachers, can't wait to hear about our students' summer experiences. It's not too late to do some Mitzvah Magic, and I encourage you to make a plan as a family to include mitzvot in your weekly lives. You can volunteer for local organizations or take on new rituals and practices. You can travel to new places and investigate sites of Jewish interest or you can use the internet to take virtual tours. The most important thing we can do is to model for our children a curiosity about Judaism and Jewish life. Rabbi Jana, Cantor Neil, and I are always available to help you find the resources that you need.

L'shalom,

*Helaine Braunig*



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## Family Friendly High Holy Days:



Rabbi Jana will lead Children's Service 12:15 p.m. Rosh HaShanah and Yom Kippur. These services are geared toward pre-readers and include a prayerbook with many pictures and a story told by Rabbi Jana.

Children are welcome in the adult services, but if they are disruptive, parents need to take them to another room. Babysitting will be available for children during adult services, if reservations are made in advance. It is very important that you let us know at least three days

in advance that you plan to use the babysitting services, and tell us how many children and their ages, so that we can be properly prepared.

Please note: Children who leave adult services cannot wander without adult supervision and must be accompanied by their parent or stay in the babysitting room.

Families also especially enjoy the Tashlich service at the Glen when they throw crumbs to the ducks, fish and turtles, but adults without children will also appreciate this ceremony. This year we are again being joined at The Glen by Congregation Agudath Achim.

Instead of Religious School on Sunday morning, September 27, everyone will gather at 4:30 p.m. at B'nai Zion to decorate the Sukkah, and celebrate the beginning of Sukkot.

Families are encouraged to bring meals and spend time in the B'nai Zion Sukkah. It is a great place to play board games, or do homework, too.

We especially want to see families at our Simchat Torah celebration Friday, October 2. Congregants of all ages dance with the Torah, and men, women and children bless the Torah. We also need you to show support to our Kindergarten students.

## Are You Ready for a New Year?

Who is living rent free in your head?

What do we do with our Crumby sins?

Are you among the dedicated for the new sanctuary?

Where do we eat?

Will you tap into our Tapas?

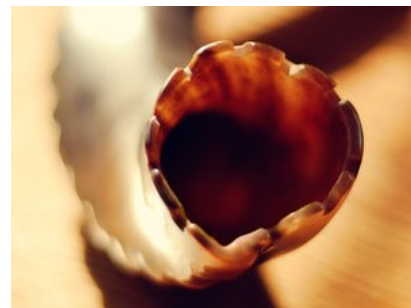
Any reservations about our Harvest Dinner?

Who's got a whole lot of shaking going on?

Did you find a reason to smile while you shop?

Have you apologized?

What are you waiting for?



## S'lichot: Jewish Food For Thought

S'lichot is the service which helps us to get in the mood for the Days of Awe. This year before we begin our S'lichot service we will watch short videos from the "Jewish Food for Thought: The Animated Series." In thought-provoking and funny animated videos we will delve into the concepts of Apology and Forgiveness. Refreshments will be served during the videos, followed by a beautiful Havdalah ceremony.



Saturday, September 5  
7:30 p.m Refreshments and Videos  
8:00 p.m. S'lichot service



## North Louisiana Jewish Federation



The North Louisiana Jewish Federation Sunday office hours resume. Kathy Plante, the Executive Director, normally maintains regular office hours the same Sundays Religious School is in session. Office hours during the week vary but meetings with the Director can be arranged by making an appointment by calling 318-868-1200.

## Remember for September

- ✧ B'nai Zion office hours will be 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. beginning September 8.
- ✧ B'nai Zion office will be closed September 7, 14, 23 and 28 in observance of Federal and Jewish holidays.
- ✧ You do not need tickets to attend services at B'nai Zion, but if you are travelling to another city for the Holy Days, congregants in good standing at B'nai Zion may be eligible for reciprocal complementary tickets at other synagogues, if you contact our office ahead of time.
- ✧ Remember to request school absence notes for days when your child attends worship services.



## Occurring in October

**Chai Mitzvah** group meetings: The current group will continue after the holidays. Watch for the possibility of a new group beginning as well.

**People of the Book:** watch for information about which books to read for our discussion group.

**Blessing of the Animals:** there will be no Religious School on the weekend we read the Torah portion about Noah and the Ark (October 17), but we will have opportunities for blessing our animals and doing Mitzvot for animals that weekend.

**Purim Costume Search:** October is a great time to look for Purim costumes.



## Tashlich at The Glen

On the afternoon of Rosh HaShanah, traditionally the ceremony called Tashlich is observed. Jews go to the ocean or a stream or river (or a Duck Pond) to pray and throw bread crumbs into the water as symbols of throwing away our sins.

For the past few years we have been going to the pond at The Glen for our Tashlich ceremony. It was wonderful - not only did we get to visit with our congregants who live at The Glen, but the location provided a covered area where we could stand or sit, protected from too much sun, or even rain.

We will again have our Tashlich ceremony at The Glen this year. Rabbi Jana and Cantor Neil of Agudath Achim will lead the ceremony.



Monday, September 14 4:00 p.m.

Meet at the pond at the main entrance of  
The Glen,  
403 E Flournoy Lucas Road

Individuals and Families  
come cast your "sins" into the water.

We will provide crumbs, or bring your own.



## Join Us for Break the Fast

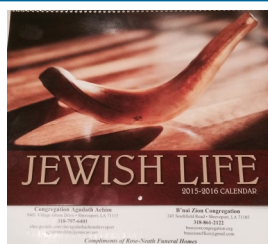


*Wednesday, September 22*  
*We will Break our Yom Kippur Fast at*  
*B'nai Zion following*  
*Yizkor and Concluding Services*

*With thanks to*  
*The B'nai Zion Sisterhood*



## The Spirit of '76: Free Jewish Calendars



Pick up your free Jewish calendar for the year 5776.

We are grateful to Rose-Neath for this gift  
to our community.

## Many Celebrations and Harvest Dinner

Friday, October 2 beginning at 6:00 p.m. we will have many reasons to celebrate together:

- ☆ **Simcha Shabbat** -- the first Shabbat in October to honor everyone with birthdays or anniversaries in October
- ☆ **Sukkot Shabbat** -- the Shabbat during the week of Sukkot
- ☆ **Simchat Torah** Celebration Shabbat -- we will celebrate the cycle of reading the Torah by dancing and marching with the Torah scrolls
- ☆ **Consecration Shabbat** -- Kindergarten students will officially begin their Religious Education
- ☆ **Harvest Shabbat Dinner** -- After services we will have a Harvest Dinner with Salad Bar, Baked Potatoes, and Ice Cream

Congregants of ALL AGES shouldn't miss this Shabbat-- as we combine so many of our most popular events

Cost for the Harvest Dinner is:

\$10 per adult

\$ 6 per child ages 3-12

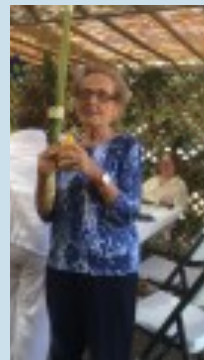
No charge for children 2 and under

*Your payment is your reservation.*

*We request that you PAY BEFORE Friday, September 25*

Make checks payable to B'nai Zion

To pay using a debit or credit card, please contact the office



## Babysitting for High Holy Days



The Sisterhood will provide professional babysitters for High Holy Day Services:

Reservations are required for each service to ensure we have appropriate sitters.

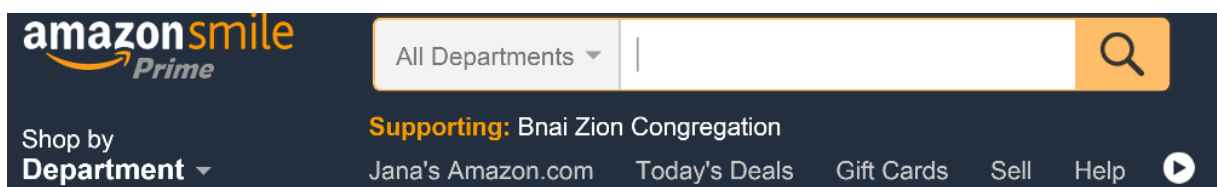
Deadline for Rosh HaShanah sitters is Sept 9

Deadline for Yom Kippur sitters is September 17.

Call the B'nai Zion Office at 861-2122.

## Amazon Smiles With B'nai Zion

Amazon donates .5% to B'nai Zion of every eligible purchase you make if you **start your purchase at smile.amazon.com**. The first time you go to **smile.amazon.com** you need to choose "**Bnai Zion Congregation**." NOTE: there is no apostrophe in the word "Bnai" and be sure to pick the Bnai Zion Congregation that is in Shreveport, LA (there are many Bnai Zion Congregations in their list). After that, when you sign in to Amazon, you should see: "Supporting Bnai Zion Congregation" under the search bar.





# Reform Jewish Guide to the High Holy Days

- ☆ **S'lichot**- is a Hebrew word meaning "forgiveness," and refers to the special prayers recited by Jews throughout the High Holy Days. Jews recite *S'lichot* beginning late at night on the Saturday before Rosh HaShanah and continue on the days between the New Year and Yom Kippur. We will gather Saturday night, September 5 at 7:30 p.m. for videos with refreshments, followed by Havdalah and join together in our S'lichot Service at 8:00 p.m. By using melodies and prayers from the High Holy Days, the brief service gets us in the mood for our spiritual journey.
- ☆ **Rosh HaShanah**- (literally, "Head of the Year") refers to the celebration of the Jewish New Year. The holiday is observed on the first day of the Hebrew month of Tishri, and marks the beginning of a ten-day period of prayer, self-examination and repentance, which culminates on Yom Kippur. These ten days are referred to as *Yamim Noraim*, the "Days of Awe" or the "High Holy Days." Rosh HaShanah is also called, the "Birthday of the World." While there are elements of joy and celebration, Rosh HaShanah is a deeply religious occasion. The customs and symbols of Rosh HaShanah reflect the holiday's dual emphasis: happiness and humility. Special customs observed on Rosh HaShanah include: the sounding of the shofar, using round challah, eating apples and honey (and other sweet foods for a sweet new year.) We use a *Machzor*, which is a prayerbook just for the High Holy Days. Rosh Hashanah this year begins September 13 in the evening and continues through September 14.
- ☆ **Tashlich**- Traditional ceremony in which individuals symbolically cast their sins by throwing crumbs into a body of water. We will meet at The Glen on Flournoy Lucas Rd. at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, September 14.
- ☆ **Shabbat Shuvah**- "Sabbath of Return," between Rosh HaShanah and Yom Kippur. It gets its name from its Haftarah which begins "*Shuvah Yisrael*, Return, O Israel" (Hosea 14:2). Regular Shabbat schedule and Torah study.
- ☆ **Yom Kippur**- is the "Day of Atonement" and refers to the annual Jewish observance of fasting, prayer, and repentance. This is considered to be the holiest day in the Jewish calendar. In three separate passages in the Torah, the Jewish people are told, "the tenth day of the seventh month is the Day of Atonement. It shall be a sacred occasion for you: You shall practice self-denial" (Leviticus 23:27). Fasting is seen as fulfilling this biblical commandment. The Yom Kippur fast also enables us to put aside our physical desires and to concentrate on our spiritual needs through prayer, repentance and self-improvement. It is customary in the days before Yom Kippur for Jews to seek out friends and family whom they may have wronged and personally ask for their forgiveness. It falls this year on September 22-23.
- ☆ **Kol Nidre** – Literally: "All Vows" is a primary prayer for Yom Kippur eve, and traditionally used as a name for Yom Kippur evening services. In our congregation, we are blessed by having Kol Nidrei sung by the choir, played on the cello, and read by the congregation. This year Kol Nidrei service begins Tuesday, September 22 at 7:30 p.m.
- ☆ **Yizkor**- Memorial service recited on Yom Kippur, as well as the last days of Sukkot, Pesach, and Shavuot. In our congregation, we print a Memorial Book which lists the names of those whom we want to remember for Yizkor. In many homes it is customary to light a Yahrzeit candle for the anniversary of the death of a relative or on the eve of a Yizkor holiday. Yom Kippur Yizkor services will begin sometime around 3:30 P.M. Wednesday, September 23, and Sukkot Yizkor Monday, October 5, 11:00 a.m.
- ☆ **Sukkot**- is a Hebrew word meaning "booths" or "huts," and refers to the Jewish festival of giving thanks for the fall harvest and the commemoration of the forty years of Jewish wandering in the desert after Sinai. Sukkot is celebrated five days after Yom Kippur with the full moon on the 15th of Tishri, and is marked by several distinct traditions. One tradition, which takes the commandment to "dwell in booths" literally, is to build a sukkah, a booth or hut. It is common practice to eat and even live in these temporary dwellings during Sukkot. Our Brotherhood builds our Sukkah, and everyone is invited to decorate it 4:30 p.m. Sunday, September 27, and use it all week through October 5. Sukkot morning service 11 a.m. September 28, and Yizkor 11 a.m. October 5.
- ☆ **Simchat Torah**- Hebrew for "Joy of the Torah," celebrates the completion of the annual reading of the Torah. Simchat Torah is a joyous festival, in which we demonstrate a living example of never-ending, lifelong study. Torah scrolls are taken from the ark and carried or danced around the synagogue seven times. During the Torah service, the concluding section of Deuteronomy is read, and immediately following, the opening section of Genesis, or B'reishit, as it is called in Hebrew, is read. We will have a Yizkor (Memorial) service 11 a.m. Oct. 5, and use the Memorial Book that was prepared for Yom Kippur and to use throughout the year. Celebrate with us 6:00 P.M. October 2, followed by a Harvest Dinner.

Adapted from Union for Reform Judaism website [www.urj.org](http://www.urj.org)



# High Holy Days 5776

## *Slichot*

Saturday Evening, September 5  
7:30 p.m. Videos, Refreshments and Havdalah  
8:00 p.m. Slichot Service



## *Rosh HaShanah*

Evening Service: 7:30 p.m. Sunday, September 13 in Lefkowitz Hall  
Morning Service: 10:00 a.m. Monday, September 14 in the Sanctuary  
Children Service: 12:15-12:45 p.m. Monday, September 14

## *Tashlich Ceremony*

4:00 p.m. Monday, September 14  
Meet at the pond at the main entrance at The Glen  
403 E. Flournoy-Lucas Road  
Individuals and families: cast your "sins" into the water



## *Shabbat Shuvah*

Evening: 6:00 p.m. Friday, September 18  
Torah Study: 9:45 a.m., Saturday, September 19  
Morning Service: 11:00 a.m. Saturday, September 19

## *Yom Kippur*

Kol Nidre/Evening: 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 22  
in Lefkowitz Hall  
Morning Service: 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, September 23  
in the Sanctuary  
Children's Service: 12:30-1:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 23  
Study Session: 1:15-2:15 p.m. Wednesday, September 23  
Afternoon Service: 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 23 in Sanctuary  
*Yizkor / Memorial* and Concluding Services: approximately 3:30 p.m.  
in Sanctuary



B'nai Zion Congregational Break Fast following Yom Kippur Concluding service.

## *Sukkot*

Decorate the Sukkah 4:30 p.m. followed by 5:30 p.m. brief Family Friendly service  
Morning Service 11:00 a.m. Monday, September 28.

## *Shabbat / Consecration/Simchat Torah/Simchah Shabbat/Harvest Dinner*

6:00 p.m. Shabbat Service  
7:00 p.m. Salad Bar/ Potato Bar/ Ice Cream Bar),  
Simchat Torah Celebration

*Yizkor / Memorial* 11:00 a.m. Monday, October 5 Sukkot/ Yizkor Service



## September Birthdays

2 Lionel Eltis  
4 Larry Evensky  
4 Laura Holman  
4 Ron Nierman  
6 Sidney Kent  
7 Marilyn Cahn  
7 Daphne Nierman  
7 Barry Suckle  
9 Hudson Kallenberg

10 Stephen Muslow  
12 Donald Zadeck  
14 Rachel Ginsburg  
14 Daisy Kallenberg  
17 Ryan Dalto  
17 Arden Gillum  
19 Theresa Mintz  
20 Lane Rosen  
21 Savannah Badt  
21 Taylor Badt



25 Sharon Frankel  
15 Julius Gamm II  
26 Charlie Vosburg  
27 Abry Cahn III  
27 Michelle Yetman  
28 Michelle Bayer  
28 Jerie Black  
28 Aaron Borin  
28 Craig Toys

## September Anniversaries



3 Nancy and Gary Abrams  
17 Gloria and Donald Rosen  
22 Henry Elaine and Jules Dreyfuss  
23 Amy and Brent Turner  
28 Colleen and Christopher Brown  
28 Marti and Ron Lepow  
30 Jerie and Jon Black

*We give thanks for life, for health, for all that sustains us, and for this joyous day.*

**If you are not on the above list for current birthdays or anniversaries  
it means that the office does not have your information.  
Please provide the office with the appropriate month, date, and year to complete our data.**

## Mazel Tov to

☆ **Stacy Hyman** married Shane Ingram.

She is the mother of **Zoe** and  
daughter of **Marla and Perry Hyman**.

☆ **Danny Lachman** has been accepted to the United States Air Force. His parents are  
Deena and Bob Lachman.

*Mazel Tov*

## Candles and Kiddush Blessers

September

4 Sylvia and Carl Goodman  
11 Susan and Charlton Meyer  
18 Debby Dlin and Barry Suckle  
25 Dorothy and Bernard Lobel



## We Can Make a Difference

On Yom Kippur, as we fast for a day, we become more aware of the needs of those who never have enough food. On Sukkot we are aware of the harvest of good food that we enjoy, and realize that we have a responsibility to help provide for those who are less fortunate. Please bring non-perishable, non-expired food to place in the bins that will be at B'nai Zion starting Yom Kippur through the end of Sukkot as a donation for the Shreveport area Food Bank. Start your new year with the Mitzvah of Tzedakah. Together, we CAN make a difference.



## Open House



*Come eat, read, visit, study, worship, sing, etc. in the Sukkah at B'nai Zion at any time during Sukkot, from the evening we decorate on Sunday, September 27, through Yizkor services on October 5. If you want a Lulav Shake (no- it's not a drink) any time during the week, let Rabbi Jana know, and she will get our Lulav set ready for you. We may not keep tables and chairs in the Sukkah at all times, so please contact the office or Rabbi Jana, and we will make sure you have what you need.*

*Bring dinner for yourself, your family and friends, and join Rabbi Jana Wednesday September 30th and Thursday October 1st starting at 5:30 p.m.*



## We Give Thanks

B'nai Zion would like to thank:

- ✧The Brotherhood: for Ushering, and for building our Sukkah.
- ✧The Sisterhood: for the floral decorations and to everyone who donates to the flower fund; for the Break the Fast after Yom Kippur; for providing babysitters.
- ✧Helaine Braunig for leading study sessions on Yom Kippur.
- ✧Virginia Walker and the High Holy Day Choir for their beautiful musical contributions to our worship, and to everyone who makes donations for the music fund to make this possible.



## B'nai Zion Schedules

### Shabbat Schedule

Friday Evening Service - 6:00 P.M.  
Saturday Torah Study - 9:45 AM  
Saturday Morning Service - 11:00 AM



### Office Hours

Monday through Friday 9 AM-2 P.M.  
No Business on Shabbat or Holidays  
Call for appointment to meet with the Rabbi



# Tributes

## **BUILDING & GROUNDS**

### *In Honor of the Birthday of:*

Harriette Glazer  
Karen & Bob Gordon  
Mitch Newstadt  
Karen & Bob Gordon

### *In Memory of:*

Mimi Hussey  
Shirley Seligman

## **CAMP SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

### *In Honor of the Birthday of:*

Harriette Glazer  
Dorothy & Bernard Lobel  
Abry Cahn  
Dorothy & Bernard Lobel  
Dot Kaplan  
Dorothy & Bernard Lobel  
Mitch Newstadt  
Dorothy & Bernard Lobel  
Nell Cahn  
Dorothy & Bernard Lobel  
Pauline Murov  
Dorothy & Bernard Lobel

### *In Memory of:*

Mimi Hussey  
Dorothy & Bernard Lobel

## **CEMETERY FUND**

### *In Memory of:*

Mimi Hussey  
Janice & Ellis Kahn  
Sara Lena Shapiro  
Jacqueline Fleschman  
Dr. Boris Weinstein  
Janice & Ellis Kahn

## **NEW PLAYGROUND FUND**

### *In Honor of Eagle Scout project:*

Garrett Brainis  
Karen & Bob Gordon  
Lory & Larry Evensky

### *In Honor of our Grandchildren:*

Lisa and Herb Miller

### *For the Recovery of:*

Bethany Sorkey  
Goldy Marrus

## **RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY**

### *In Honor of:*

B'nai Zion  
elenrae joyner  
Benjamin Maxey  
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Peace for Israel  
Cornerstone Bible Ministries  
Rabbi Jana De Benedetti  
Audrey & Louis Kariel

### *In Honor of the Birthday of:*

Harriette Glazer  
Sharon & Arnie Frankel  
Abry Cahn, Jr.  
Bobbie Goodman  
Henry Brenner  
Audrey & Louis Kariel  
Bobbie Goodman  
Mitch Newstadt  
Sharon & Arnie Frankel  
Nell Cahn  
Bobbie Goodman

### *In Honor of the Birthdays of:*

Nell & Abry Cahn  
Ruth Lewis

### *In Memory of:*

Dortha Anderson  
Karen & Bob Gordon  
Anne Lamberton Belser  
Jane Sklar  
Helen F. Katzenstein  
Donald & Frances Zadeck  
Mimi Hussey  
Henry Brenner  
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Thelma Mills  
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Sidney Soloman Slutsky  
Kathy Plante  
Sylvia Katz  
Dr. & Mrs. Stephen Katz



## **RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND**

### *For the Recovery of:*

Bethany Sorkey  
Karen & Bob Gordon  
Sharon Goldman  
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Mitch Newstadt  
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Janet Lorraine Abrams  
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## September 20-26

Isaac Abramson  
Marion Berg  
Nathan Bernstein  
Kathleen Boyd  
Frieda Horn  
Jacob Kaplan \*  
Mose Kaufman \*  
Edith K. Levy \*  
Herman Loeb  
Frances Matloff  
Joseph Marcus  
Hyman Nierman  
Houston Oglethorpe  
Clara Levine Rosenzweig  
Isaac Ruben  
Mollie Shapiro  
Mandell Weisman  
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Jennie Abramson  
Augusta G. Brenner \*  
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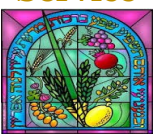








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father of Mark*
- ☆ *George Seiden, husband of Rebecca*

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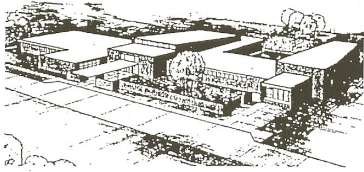
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 17th of Elul	2 18th of Elul <b>BET HEBREW</b> 3:30-4:30 pm 	3 19th of Elul	4 20th of Elul  <b>SIMCHA SHABBAT</b> Service 6 PM 7:05 	5 21st of Elul Ki Tavo Deut. 26:1-29:8 Isaiah 60:1-22 <b>S'lichot</b> 7:30 PM Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 7:50 
6 22nd of Elul <b>NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL</b>	7 23rd of Elul  Labor Day <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>	8 24th of Elul REGULAR OFFICE HOURS RESUME 9-2 	9 25th of Elul <b>BET HEBREW</b> 3:30-4:30 pm 	10 26th of Elul	11 27th of Elul <b>DONOR WALL DEDICATION</b>  Service 6 PM 6:53 	12 28th of Elul Nitzavim Deut. 29:9-30:20 Isaiah 61:10-63:9  Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 7:27 
13 29th of Elul <b>Erev Rosh HaShanah</b> Service 7:30 PM  <b>NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL</b> 6:50 	14 1st of Tishri <b>Rosh HaShanah</b> 5776 Service 10 AM  <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>	15 2nd of Tishri <b>BZ BOARD MEETING</b> 6:30 PM  <b>BULLETIN</b> 	16 3rd of Tishri <b>BET HEBREW</b> 3:30-4:30 pm 	17 4th of Tishri	18 5th of Tishri <b>Shabbat Shuva</b>   Service 6 PM 6:41 	19 6th of Tishri Vayeilech <b>Shabbat Shuva</b> Deut. 31:3-30 Hosea 14:2-10  Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 7:15 
20 7th of Tishri <b>ALEPH HEBREW RELIGIOUS SCHOOL</b> <b>BET HEBREW</b> 	21 8th of Tishri	22 9th of Tishri <b>Kol Nidre Erev Yom Kippur</b>  Service 7:30 PM 6:34 	23 10th of Tishri <b>Yom Kippur</b> Service 10 AM  <b>YIZKOR</b> OFFICE CLOSED 7:09 	24 11th of Tishri <b>HAPPY FALL</b> 	25 12th of Tishri <b>SHABBAT SHUVAH</b> <b>DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS FOR HARVEST DINNER</b>  Service 6 PM 6:29 	26 13th of Tishri <b>SHABBAT SHUVAH</b> Ha'Azinu Deut. 32:1-52 II Samuel 22:1-51  Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 7:04 
27 14th of Tishri <b>Erev Sukkot</b> <b>NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL IN AM</b> Decorate Sukkah 4:30 pm Service 5:30 p.m.  6:36 	28 15th of Tishri <b>Sukkot</b> 11 am Service  <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>	29 16th of Tishri 	30 17th of Tishri <b>BET HEBREW</b> 3:30-4:30 pm   5:30 Dinner with Rabbi Jana In the Sukkah	OCT 1 18 Tishri  5:30 Dinner with Rabbi Jana In the Sukkah	OCT 2 19 Tishri <b>Consecration Harvest Dinner</b> <b>SIMCHA SHABBAT</b>  Service 6 PM 6:18 	OCT 3 20 Tishri <b>Shabbat Sukkot</b> Exod. 33:12-34:26 Ezek. 38:18-39:7  Torah Study 9:45 AM Service 11 AM 6:52 

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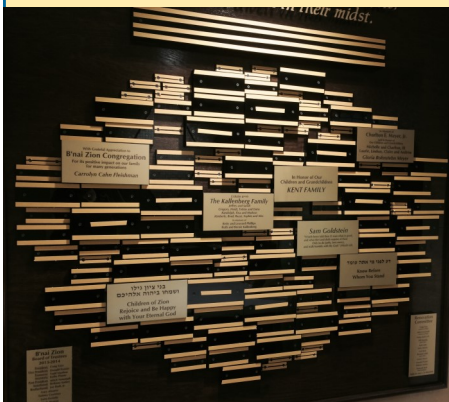
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