



Preparation

Tochecha: The Art of Rebuke Sept. 13th, Wednesday 5:30 pm

Before we forgive, there must be rebuke. How can we do it lovingly and intentionally? Why should we? How can we prepare ourselves to hear rebuke?

T'shuvah: Repentance and Return Sept. 27th, Wednesday 5:30 pm

The Hebrew word for repentance, T'shuvah, means, more literally, turning, reflecting the idea that we must turn within in order to return to our true selves, and to being at one— with ourselves and with the Universe. What does this process look like? What does it mean to attain at-one-ment?

Selichot with Singer-songwriter Chana Rothman

Sept. 16th, Saturday 7:00 pm

Welcome the High Holy Day season with an evening of music and prayer. Featuring Philadelphia based singer/songwriter, musical community organizer, and Jewish educator Chana Rothman, who will bring us her stories and music to help to inspire us to help create better selves and a better world, breaking down barriers towards consciousness and change. This program is also part of Delaware Peace Week.



High Holy Days

Rosh Hashanah, 2nd Day - Peace Week Speaker Professor Aaron Kupchik Sept. 22nd, Friday, 12 pm

We welcome Peace Week Speaker, congregant and University of Delaware Professor Aaron Kupchick to speak on The REAL School Safety Problem: The Long-Term Consequences of Harsh Punishment.

Yom Kippur Afternoon (parallel to the Contemporary Service) - Speaker Carolyn Gordon Sept. 30, Saturday, 1:30 pm

Carolyn Gordon, Executive Director of Family Promise, will speak on preventing and ending homelessness. This program is designed for those who attend the Beth Emeth Traditional Service earlier, and wish to stay for the full day of Yom Kippur.

Sukkot

Erev Sukkot with Rabbi Dr. Andrea Weiss Oct. 4th, Wednesday 5:30pm

As we join for a brief service in the Sukkah and potluck dinner, we will be joined by Rabbi Dr. Andrea Weiss, Associate Professor of Bible at the New York campus of Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion (HUC-JIR). She was the Associate Editor of The Torah: A Women's Commentary, and Founder and Campaign Coordinator of "American Values Religious Voices: 100 Days. 100 Letters," an interfaith initiative to respond to a range of timely issues. She will lead us in a study of Protecting the Vulnerable, as we consider the meaning and message of Sukkot and the ideas of other faith traditions.

Shabbat Sukkot with Speaker Sarah McBride Oct. 6th, Friday 7:00 pm

We welcome Sarah McBride, native Delawarean, LGBT advocate and National Press Secretary of the Human Rights Campaign. In 2016, Sarah addressed the Democratic National Party convention, becoming the first transgender individual to address a major political convention.