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We Need Your Help

We would like to contact former members of Congregation Beth Shalom and let them know about our upcoming Centennial events.

Please send contact information of these former members to **Honey Forman, Centennial Coordinator**, at hforman@bethshalompg.org or **412 421 2288 ext.111**.

Your help is appreciated.



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A Message from the President

As we move toward the High Holy Days and our Centennial Celebration, it is important to remind ourselves of what Congregation Beth Shalom has been, what it has become, and just as importantly, what we strive for it to be as we move into our second century.

Beth Shalom has been a thriving community serving generations of families in the Pittsburgh region; a place to go for nourishment of the mind and spirit, an entryway to Jewish life and the practices and observances of Conservative Judaism. It has become a synagogue that affords its members an egalitarian and traditional approach to Jewish life with the opportunity to learn from and be inspired by each other.

So where do we go from here? Beth Shalom must continue to build and maintain Jewish continuity through a wide range of engagement experiences for synagogue members of all ages and backgrounds. We must strive to instill a strong sense of Jewish identity among our members. While there may be many paths to accomplish these goals, our focus will be on Jewish learning, acts of lovingkindness, spiritual reflection (including non-traditional synagogue services such as meditation), cultural activities and deepening our relationships with Israel and the people of Israel. Over the next several months, you will hear more about these initiatives. It is our hope through these paths we will ensure that Congregation Beth Shalom will be a dynamic and active congregation for generations to come.

L'Shana tova to you and all of those you love.

David Horvitz
mistervitz@gmail.com



Congregation Beth Shalom helps support the Squirrel Hill Community Food Pantry

- ♦ Pick up a Food Pantry brown bag
- ♦ Fill with food to help our neighbors
- ♦ Return it on your way to Kol Nidre

Welcome Karen Kahn

Our New Receptionist

Karen has prior experience working in international non-profits focused on issues ranging from democracy, to human rights to economic reform. She has undertaken graduate work in International Development Studies, Middle East Studies, and Anthropology.

Karen also grew up in Israel, as well as all over the U.S. She is very excited to join our community!



A Message from Rabbi Adelson

Yearning for Community, Connection, and Kedushah



It's hard to believe that 5776 has already flown away from us, and we are headed into 5777, which will be the only Hebrew year in our lifetimes containing three identical digits in a row (of course, this does not seem so special only 17 years after 1999).

You may recall that our theme for the High Holidays last year was Connection, Community, and Kedushah (holiness), and much of what we have accomplished over the last year has focused on those things: parlor meetings, the monthly Hod veHadar instrumental service, the new pre-bar/bat mitzvah Family Retreat, the launching of Beth Shalom's new mission statement, beginning to plan our Centennial celebration, Pride Shabbat,

the inauguration of a task force to discuss being more welcoming to interfaith families, and so forth.

This year, the theme for High Holidays is **"Why?"** Why be Jewish? Why Beth Shalom? Why engage with Jewish living? Why learn the ancient writings that fill the Jewish bookshelf? For the vast majority of us who were born Jewish, we have never thought too deeply about why – we have merely been Jewish by default, and done Jewish things because that is how we were raised. But the contemporary challenge to religion requires that we think more proactively about why we do what we do, because if we cannot answer those questions for ourselves, what is the chance that our children will continue to value the rich, meaningful legacy that we pass on to them?

In order to get yourself in the mood for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, I'm going to suggest the following. Spend a few moments answering the following questions for yourself:

1. What is the most meaningful Jewish thing that I do? Why do I continue to do it?
2. What is my most powerful Jewish memory?
3. What is one area of Jewish life and learning that I wish I knew more about?
4. Why does the world need non-Orthodox Judaism?
5. What value does Congregation Beth Shalom bring to my life and my community?

If you are not sure how to answer any of these questions, perhaps you will gain some perspective this year during the High Holidays. Let's hope that we will all be open in 5777 to gain a greater understanding of the tremendous value and meaning in our customs, our rituals, our rich textual tradition.

I am going to suggest one more thing again this year for services on both Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur: Wear white clothes. It is traditional to wear a white kittel on these days to acknowledge our need to seek purity. But white can also suggest the search for meaning, the openness to finding meaning in what we do as Jews, not just on the High Holidays, but throughout the year. So wear white, and be open.

Shanah tovah!

Rabbi Seth Adelson

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Join us for a

Summer Barbecue

Annual End of Summer Fun!

Sunday, August 28th

The barbecue starts at 5:30pm!

Adults & Children over 8: \$13
Children 3-7: \$9
Children 2 & Under are FREE
Max Price: \$40 per family

** Please specify vegetarian

RSVP to Judy by Thursday, August 25th

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B'nai Mitzvah Parties
Birthday Parties
Fundraising Events
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Bridal Showers
Weddings and more!

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For more information, contact: Michelle Vines, Event Coordinator
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BETH SHALOM CEMETERY OPEN HOUSE & HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL SERVICE

The Holocaust Memorial Monument was provided through the generosity of the Stark, Adler, and Balis families.

Educational Workshop on September 21, 2016 at Beth Shalom

Sunday, September 25, 2016

Open House: 9:30 am - 1:00 pm

Memorial Service at 11:00 am

Rabbi Adelson will be available at the cemetery until 12:00 pm.

Lay leaders will be available to recite the traditional memorial prayers
at the gravesides of your loved ones.

*The cemetery is open for visitation during daylight hours except
on the Sabbath and Jewish Holidays.*

We will also be having the Homestead Hebrew Cemetery Open house today from 9:30 am - 1:00 pm

Beth Shalom Cemetery
1501 Anderson Road, Shaler Township, PA 15209

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Centennial celebration of Beth Shalom begins on Rosh Hashanah.

Centennial Luncheon: Sunday, April 23, 2017

Centennial Gala: Saturday, November 11, 2017

The luncheon and gala are our signature events for the centennial year.

Volunteer to be a part of this excitement plus more! Keep an eye out in future
issues of the Mishpachtenu, the Shabbat bulletin, and our weekly emails!

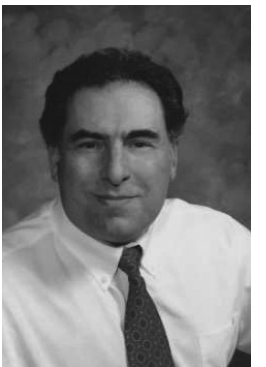
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A Message from the Executive Director

In the midst of our country trying to define its leadership, Beth Shalom is a community of strength and unity. We engage in healthy discussion and wrestle with our existence in ways that enrich and empower. We head into a new year with hope, gratitude, and enthusiasm.



What have we done this year to prepare us for the next year?

1. We know who we are and what we want to do.
2. We have set an attitude of clarity, transparency, and welcoming.
3. We have the people and the facilities to grow our vision.

The Board of Trustees, Committees, staff, and members have come together to define a budget and identify what we require to realize that vision.

You may have questions about Beth Shalom and, hopefully, you will want to get involved. Call me, Rob Menes, any time, on my cell phone 917-796-8038. I am here to serve you and provide the information you need to get involved. This is a year of celebration. We need your ideas and your financial support, but most of all we need you to be here, because it is your presence that makes us special.

The words of our mission, "Enriching lives through community, lifelong Jewish learning, and spiritual growth," are not empty words. We take them seriously. How? We are adding programs like new member rituals and Shabbatons to develop community. We have added new courses and concerts for adult and family learning to realize the vision of continued education, and we're exploring new religious experiences to create opportunities for spiritual growth.

Kedusha, holiness, is a process. It is a continual effort to insure that what we do and how we do it, brings us to another level, closer to God. This year, this centennial year, let's reach high and together realize the joy in our mission.

L'Shana Tova,

Rob Menes

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Here at Beth Shalom we are saying farewell to **Candace Henderson**, Receptionist, **Maria Bellich**, Asst. Director of the ELC, and to **Yasha Rayzberg**, Director of Youth Tefillah & Programming. They have been invaluable members of our staff.

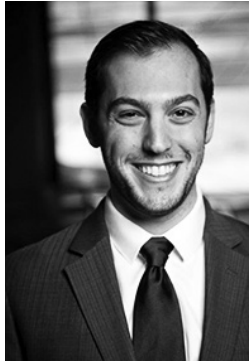
As we move forward we are happy to welcome **Karen Kahn**, as our new Receptionist, **Hillary Huelsmann**, our new Asst. Director of the ELC, and **Rabbi Jeremy Markiz**, to the position of Youth Tefillah Director.

We expect great things from them all!

Be sure to say hello the next time you're at Beth Shalom!



A Message from the Youth Tefillah Director



I'm so excited to be able to introduce myself to everyone at Beth Shalom! My name is Rabbi Jeremy Markiz, I'm the new Director of Youth Tefillah. I was recently ordained from the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies in Los Angeles and have just begun to settle into Pittsburgh after moving a few months ago. I grew up in the lovely city of Portland, OR and attended the University of Oregon before moving to Los Angeles. I love to run and the outdoors, I'm a voracious reader and can never get enough science fiction. I'm passionate about learning, social justice, and finding ways for every one to be the best person they can be.

It is my hope, over the next couple of months and beyond, that we will create a meaningful and enjoyable experience for every child in the Beth Shalom community. Together, with a spirit of experimentation, passion, and fun, we will explore our rich tradition of prayer and connection.

That means that I want to hear from you! Please reach out by email or let's set a time to meet so that we can form that vision together.

Rabbi Jeremy Markiz

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A Message from the Director of the Early Learning Center



I was given an amazing gift this summer to attend an Early Childhood Educators trip to Israel sponsored by Classroom without Borders and The Jewish Federation of Pittsburgh. Twenty-four educators/directors from 10 Jewish early childhood centers in Pittsburgh joined together for 10 days of studying, exploring, sharing, eating, and indulging within the backdrop of Israel.

Our first stop on our journey was Pittsburgh's sister city Karmiel/Misgav, where I got to spend three days and two nights with an amazing educator, Hava, her husband and 4 children. We had a chance to discuss educational policy, practice our Hebrew/English, enjoyed many delicious meals, and visited her Kindergarten or Gan. In Israel, the children attend mandatory Kindergarten which begins at age 3 until 5. At 6, they go to First grade in the Elementary school. Early Childhood is considered "a stage in life in Israel, not a preparation in life". Each Gan is located in the neighborhood and the children attend school from 8am-2pm. They begin their day quietly drinking tea prepared by their teacher and eating biscuits. After

that they have time to engage in free play activities, prepare their 10:00am snack together, play in the junk yard playground, dig in the sand, build with large blocks, dance to Israeli childhood songs, and much more.

At the end our visit in Karmiel, the Israeli and America educators had a chance to join together and discuss the differences and similarities of the education system in Israel. We learned that there are enrichment centers all over Israel. At these centers, the children will visit up to 10 times and work with experts in the fields of Science, Nature, Dance, Bible stories, and more. The centers are spread out all over Israel and I was given the opportunity to visit 4 of the enrichment centers (dance, bible, nature, and science). What a fantastic idea that the children of Israel get to visit these hands on enrichment centers and work with experts in the field.

Our next stop was Safed, the Mystical city and the Kinneret. We ended the day by reaching Jerusalem and singing Shechiyanu at the top of Mount Scopus. We spent Friday in the Old City with a tour of the City of David, water tunnels, and the Kotel. My emotions were high, as I had a chance to say my own personal prayer and place a note in the Wall. We then returned and prepared for a lovely group Shabbat dinner. We davened together and relaxed. On Shabbat, we had the option to rest or visit the Israel Art Museum. I took a taxi to the museum and had the most amazing time visiting the Children's section. The textures, interaction, and intentionality were so inspiring. We ended the day with a special Havdalah service.

The next morning we arrived at Yad Vashem-the Holocaust Museum. We had a guided tour filled with emotions and discussions of the atrocities. As we left the exhibit, we were greeted enthusiastically by many first year Israeli soldiers.

(See next page for a picture of the group). We ended the day with a trip to the Tower of David for a light and musical spectacular. This amazing event was filled with the history of Jerusalem set to music and light.

We woke up extremely early to board the bus for a day in the desert. We took the gondola up to the top of Masada and joined a family we met on the airplane for their son becoming Bar Mitzvah. It was such a special morning to witness this rite of passage on top of such a historical spot for the Jewish people. We sang, danced, and threw sweets to celebrate this special occasion. We then departed Masada for the Dead Sea. Many of us on the trip had never been in the Dead Sea and as soon as we stepped into the hot, salty water we began to float. The smiles and laughter were quite contagious. We then headed back to the hotel for our last night in Jerusalem. The next morning, we gathered our things and departed for a visit to Neot Kedumim, the biblical Landscape reserve. We enjoyed seeing the biblical fruits and plants. We then headed to Jaffa to see the beautiful view of Tel Aviv, visited Independence Hall, Rothchild Blvd, and the Nachalet Binyamin crafts fair where we got to meet artists and purchase jewelry and beautiful works of art. We ended the day at an amazing restaurant where we ate in complete darkness. The trust that we had developed with each other during this journey helped us with the vulnerability we felt as we ate and sat in complete darkness.

Our last full day was filled with visits to two enrichment centers and a visit to the Mofet Institute where we had many discussions about what we learned, the educational system, connections that were made, and the final project that all of us will create together. Overall, we expressed how lucky we felt to get to experience Israel as a group of ECE educators. We shared our views on early childhood education, Judaism, emotions, laughter, and friendship. I came back to Pittsburgh feeling lighter, happier, and inspired to continue the important work that I do which is leading an amazing group of educators committed to providing a safe, nurturing, play-based Jewish education to the Beth Shalom community.

Jennifer Slattery
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Welcome Hilary Huelsmann

New ELC Assitstant Director



Beth Shalom Early Learning Center welcomes Hilary Huelsmann as the new ELC Assistant Director. Morah Hilary is embarking on her third year at the ELC. She has been both a 2-year-old and Pre-K lead educator and, this summer, is our Camp Gan Shalom Director. Hilary has shown tremendous leadership skills and enthusiasm. She holds a BA in elementary and special education from Slippery Rock University.

All ages are invited to

Minyan Mishpacht

(formerly Family Musical Shabbat)

led by Sara Stock Mayo

11:00am

September 10

October 1

November 5

Early Learning Center Calendar

August — October 2016

Sunday, August 21 Preschool Picnic	Tuesday, October 4 Second Day of Rosh Hashanah - OPTIONAL DAY	Tuesday, October 25 Simchat Torah - OPTIONAL DAY
Monday, August 22 First Day of the 2016 - 2017 School Year	Tuesday, October 11 Erev Yom Kippur - 2pm CLOSE	
Monday, September 5 Labor Day - ELC CLOSED	Wednesday, October 12 Yom Kippur - ELC CLOSED	
Friday, September 9 Shababababa - 5:30pm	Mon-Tues, October 17-18 Sukkot - OPTIONAL DAYS	
Monday, October 3 First Day of Rosh Hashanah - ELC CLOSED	Monday, October 24 Shemini Atzeret - OPTIONAL DAY	

STAY CONNECTED!

WEBSITE
www.bethshalompreschool.com

FACEBOOK
www.facebook.com/beth.shalom.71

Shababababa

A Musical Shabbat for Families in Pittsburgh

2016-2017 Kickoff Friday, September 9

Save the Dates:

September 9	February 17
November 4	March 17
December 2	April 21
January 20	May 12
	June 9

5:45pm Service
6:20pm Optional Dinner

• **KIDS EAT FREE!** • **Wine for adults!**

Reservations needed for dinner only:
412.421.2288

Cost of dinner for ages 12 & Up —
Register more than a week before event: **\$12**
Register the week of the event: **\$17**

About Our Leader

Sara Stock Mayo is a trained Cantorial Soloist, originally from the Pittsburgh area. Sara got her start in Cantorial singing in Brooklyn, NY at Congregation Kolot Chayeinu. She has, most recently, served as Cantorial Soloist at Temple Sinai for 11 years. There, she started a band that performed monthly, as well as taught and led the intergenerational and youth choirs. Sara also has training and experience as a Chaplain. She has a background in Musical Theatre and is a Registered Drama Therapist. She currently serves as the Managing Director of Pittsburgh Playback Theatre, a company committed to social service and creating greater communication and understanding through its improvisational form of storytelling. Sara lives in Squirrel Hill with her husband, Jonathan and her two children- Ziv and Elena.

Shababababa is supported by the Reuben A. and Selma W. Cohen Fund.

A Message from the Director of J-JEP



*Barukh atah Adonai Eloheinu melekh
ha'olam asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav
v'tzivanu la'asok b'divrei Torah.*

Blessed are You, Lord our God, Ruler of
the Universe, who has sanctified us with
commandments, and commanded us to
study words of Torah.



A common conflict in Jewish education, namely congregational education, is how to teach *tefillah*. What do we teach and how do we teach? This was a topic at a recent seminar I attended, where the presenter discussed the inherent difference between teaching “the book” versus teaching “the experience.” And yet, we need to do both, and also have those two differences intersect. At J-JEP, we *could* be further challenged by the fact that we are a multi-denominational education program, and yet instead we embrace our differences, and make every opportunity a learning opportunity.

If you happen to be free on a Sunday morning, may I highly recommend that you join us for a J-JEP community *tefillah* (prayer) service. The experience truly captures the essence of what we hope J-JEP accomplishes for our students: genuine joy in Jewish learning.

“What Torah have you studied today?” asks Rabbi Sharyn Henry of our J-JEP participants. The diverse and plentiful responses always cause me to pause and think **they learned today. Today we succeeded.**

The focus for our upcoming school year is, in fact, Torah Study. We have several goals:

Get every teacher and every student to be comfortable looking at any text (Torah or Secular) and be able to vocalize questions, thoughts, issues, etc. they may be thinking about the text through *Havruta* (“fellowship”) study. *Havruta* study is defined as traditional rabbinic approach to studying Jewish texts in which a pair of students analyze, discuss, and debate a shared text. We are planning on incorporating this approach in all grade levels to their appropriate capacity. The more opportunities our young congregants have to interact with Jewish ideas, the better they can incorporate these ideas into their daily lives.

I challenge you to think of how to incorporate more Torah into your daily lives. Look for opportunities made available by J-JEP for Torah study with our J-JEP Rabbis.

Liron Lipinsky
headofschools@bethshalompgh.org

J-JEP begins August 30th!

The 2016 - 2017/5777 J-JEP School Year Is Just Weeks Away!



Register at www.jjep.org today!

J-JEP Calendar August — October 2016

Aug 21

Teacher In-Service

Aug 28

Teacher In-Service

Aug 30– Sep 8

Hebrew Level Testing

Sept 11

First Day of JJEP

Sept 25

Closed – Great Race

Oct 2 – 4

Closed – Rosh Hashanah

Oct 9

Tashlich at Squaw
Valley Park

Oct 11 – 12

Closed – Yom Kippur

Oct 16

Sukkah Building

Oct 18

Closed – Sukkot

Oct 23

Consecration and New
Student Reception

Oct 25

Closed – Simchat Torah

**View the full
J-JEP Calendar at:**

jjep.org/calendar

Connect on Facebook:

[https://www.facebook.com/
JointJewishEducationProgram](https://www.facebook.com/JointJewishEducationProgram)

**We will be sharing some exciting
Youth Department news very soon!**

Look for updates in the weekly Shabbat bulletin and email.

Meet Our Benei Mitzvah!



Judah Kass will become a Bar Mitzvah on August 27th, 2016, Shabbat Parshat Ekev. Judah is the son of Debby Gillman and Danny Kass, and he is the brother of Nava Kass. He is the grandson of Rabbi Neil and Sarah Gillman and Rabbi Alvin and Miryom Kass, of New York City. Judah will be an 8th grader at Community Day School this fall. In the summers, he attends Camp Young Judaea Midwest. He has been active in both Kadima and Young Judaea youth groups. He is a passionate basketball player, and he also plays Lacrosse and Soccer for CDS. His other hobbies include cooking and guitar. Judah has been an active 'Minyan Maker' through CDS.



Benjamin Ari Himmel, son of Dana and Alan Himmel, will celebrate becoming a Bar Mitzvah at Congregation Beth Shalom on Sunday, September 4, 2016. Benji has an older brother, Sammy. Benji is the grandson of Marcia and Lee Himmel and the late Carol Hirsch. Benji attends Community Day School and enjoys lacrosse, ultimate frisbee and attending Emma Kaufmann Camp. Benji participated in Goldston Teen Philanthropy and volunteers with Friendship Circle.



Ori Bella Cohen will lein Shoftim on September 10, 2016 at Congregation Beth Shalom to mark her becoming a Bat Mitzvah. Daughter of Brian Cohen and Ilyssa Manspeizer, Ori is the youngest of four children, including her brothers Jacob and Tal and her sister Gili. Ori's grandparents are Louise and Laurence Cohen (London) and Sylvia (z"l) and Warren Manspeizer (New Jersey). Ori attends Community Day School and enjoys art, frisbee, reading and theater.



Dori Jean Catz, daughter of Elaine and Sheldon Catz, will celebrate becoming a Bat Mitzvah on September 17, 2016. Dori is the granddaughter of Rosalyn and Noah Hershkowitz of Madison, WI and Sheila and Alvin Catz of Pittsburgh. Dori attends Community Day School and enjoys reading, performing arts, and creative writing. To support her community, Dori is going to donate funds to the Squirrel Hill Food Pantry.

A Message from Men's Club

I hope everyone enjoys the summer season taking part in the beautiful services and various Beth Shalom's activities. I further trust that you took a moment to notice the activities of Men's Club.

This year's Men's Club Multi Region Retreat will be held in Hocking Hills, Ohio near Columbus. This special event will take place over the weekend of **September 16-18, 2016**. Retreats like these are important to the vitality and growth of our Men's Club. We hope that many of you will be able to join us for this special event. Please contact the office at **(412) 421-2288** to make your reservations.

We are planning additional exciting programs and appreciate everyone's role in our Club. As always, if anyone is interested in becoming more involved in Men's Club or have any suggestions, please contact with me via email at alexanderkiderman@yahoo.com as we welcome new members, new ideas and your participation in our programs.

On behalf of Men's Club officers and members, I extend L'Shana Tova greetings to you and yours. May you all enjoy a meaningful High Holiday season.

B'Shalom,

Alexander Kiderman

First Se'udah Shelishit

**Saturday, October 29th, 2016 &
continuing through Passover 2017**

**Please contact Ira Frank for more
information at 412-281-4064**

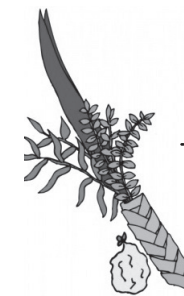
DINNER

Sweepstakes Dinner!

Saturday, December 10th, 2016

Ticket Price: \$75.00

CALL 412.421.2288



Scotch in the Sukkah

Thursday, October 20th at 7:30pm

Join members of the
Men's Club for a booze &
schmooze filled evening.

All are welcome!

What better way to
celebrate Sukkot?



Rosh Hashanah Cemetery Education Workshop

Wed., Sept. 21, 2016
Congregation Beth Shalom

Starting at 6:00 pm

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High Holidays Tunes & Tefillah Workshop

Thur., Sept. 22, 2016
Congregation Beth Shalom
Starting at 7:30 pm



BETH SHALOM COMMUNITY SELIHOT EVENING

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2016 / 21 ELUL 5776
at Congregation Beth Shalom
in the Samuel and Minnie Hyman Ballroom



7:00pm *Minhah*
7:40pm *Ma'ariv*
8:00pm Havdalah with
guitar accompaniment
8:15pm Presentation & Discussion
9:15pm Refreshments
9:30pm *Selichot* Services



Congregation Beth Shalom is a vibrant, egalitarian Conservative Jewish community located in the heart of Squirrel Hill. Visit www.bethshalompgh.org for more information!

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High Holidays 2016 / 5777



CELEBRATE THE HIGH HOLIDAYS AT CONGREGATION BETH SHALOM

Rosh Hashanah: October 3 - 4
Kol Nidre/Yom Kippur: October 11 - 12

Rabbi Seth Adelson will lead us in prayer and learning with assistance from leaders of our congregation, and our Executive Director, Hazzan Rob Menes.



Where's My Seat?

If you would like to help answer this question for others during High Holiday Services, please email Alex Kiderman, alexanderkiderman@yahoo.com or contact our office at 412.421.2288.

Ushers and greeters needed!

Ticket information will be mailed in early September.
Please call the Beth Shalom office at 412.421.2288 if you have any questions.

High Holidays 2016 / 5777

Erev Rosh Hashanah
Sunday, October 2, 2016/ 29 Elul 5776

6:40pm	Candlelighting
6:00pm	Minḥah / Ma'ariv Helfant Chapel
9:00am	Traditional Prayer & Study Service Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary
10:30am	High Holiday Meditation Service New Year, New Insight: A Tashlikh Meditation Uninterrupted service of guided imagery & meditation with Jennifer Ferris-Glick Rice Auditorium– Fourth Floor Doors close at 10:40am
5:30pm	Family Tashlikh Ritual in our parking lot followed by a Tashlikh Treat
6:00pm	Minḥah / Ma'ariv Helfant Chapel
After 7:40pm	Candlelighting

Rosh Hashanah Day 2
Tuesday, October 4, 2016 / 2 Tishrei 5777

9:00am	High Holiday Services Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary
7:00pm	Minḥah / Ma'ariv Helfant Chapel
7:40pm	Havdalah

Kol Nidrei
Tuesday, October 11, 2016 / 9 Tishrei 5777

6:26pm	Candlelighting
6:00pm	Minḥah
6:15pm	Kol Nidrei Service Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary

Yom Kippur
Tuesday, October 12, 2016 / 10 Tishrei 5777

9:00am	Traditional Prayer & Study Service Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary
10:00am	High Holiday Meditation Service The Unique Journey Through Atonement Uninterrupted service of guided imagery & meditation with Jennifer Ferris-Glick Rice Auditorium– Fourth Floor Doors close at 10:40am
	<i>Optional Afternoon Study Sessions led by teens and adults to be announced.</i>
10:30am	Yizkor Service (approximate time)
4:45pm	Minḥah Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary
6:10pm	Intergenerational Neilah
7:10pm	Ma'ariv
7:26pm	Shofar blowing <i>all children invited to the bimah</i>
7:26pm	Havdalah

Following Havdalah, all are invited to a break-the-fast snack in the Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom, sponsored by our Sisterhood and Men's Club.

**You are invited to a
Community Tashlikh**
hosted by Congregation Beth Shalom
and Rodef Shalom

**Sunday, October 9, 2016 at 5:30pm
Squaw Valley Park, Fox Chapel**

Youth High Holiday Services 5777

Rosh Hashanah Day 1 — October 3

Service	Age Group	Time
Babysitting	Newborn-2 years old	10:00am– 1:00pm
Tot Chagim	3 & 4 years old	10:00am– 1:00pm
Chaverim	Kindergarten, Grades 1 & 2	10:00am– 1:00pm
Youth Minyan	Grades 3, 4 & 5	10:00am– 1:00pm
Kadima	Grades 6 & 7	10:00am– 1:00pm
Youth Service	Grades 8-12	10:00am– 1:00pm

Rosh Hashanah Day 2 — October 4

Service	Age Group	Time
Babysitting	Newborn-2 years old	10:00am– 1:00pm
Tot Chagim	3 & 4 years old	10:00am– 1:00pm
Chaverim	Kindergarten, Grades 1 & 2	10:00am– 1:00pm
Youth Minyan	Grades 3, 4 & 5	10:00am– 1:00pm
Kadima	Grades 6 & 7	10:00am– 1:00pm
Youth Service	Grades 8-12	10:00am– 1:00pm

Minḥah followed by Kol Nidre — October 11

Service	Age Group	Time
Babysitting	Newborn-2 years old	6:30pm
Tot Chagim	3 & 4 years old	6:30pm
Chaverim	Kindergarten, Grades 1 & 2	6:30pm
Youth Minyan	Grades 3, 4 & 5	6:30pm
Kadima & Youth Service	Grades 6-12	6:30pm

Yom Kippur — October 12

Service	Age Group	Time
Babysitting	Newborn-2 years old	10:00am– 1:00pm
Tot Chagim	3 & 4 years old	10:00am– 1:00pm
Chaverim	Kindergarten, Grades 1 & 2	10:00am– 1:00pm
Youth Minyan	Grades 3, 4 & 5	10:00am– 1:00pm
Kadima	Grades 6 & 7	10:00am– 1:00pm
Youth Service	Grades 8-12	10:00am– 1:00pm

Youth High Holiday Services 5777

CONGREGATION BETH SHALOM
HIGH HOLIDAY CHILDREN AND TEEN PROGRAMMING 2016/5777
YOUTH SERVICES REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete this form for all children under 18 and check all days that your child or children may be attending youth services.

Please complete info below and return by Friday, September 24th.

Child(ren)'s Name	Birthdate	Age	Grade	Rosh Hashanah Day 1 Day 2	Minhah and Kol Nidre	Yom Kippur

*Babies must be accompanied by a bag that has their name on it along with all supplies like diapers, formula, wipes, etc. We request that parents return, if possible, to feed their own children.

PLEASE NOTE: We ask that parents remain in the building so they are readily available in case they are needed.

Parent(s): _____

Grandparent(s): _____

Youth Services will be held at 6:30 pm for Kol Nidre on 10/11 and 10am-1pm for morning services 10/3, 10/4 and 10/12. A determination will be made, based upon registration, about what grades will be brought together as we move toward the High Holidays. Thank you.

Our Congregational Family

Milestone Events

April 20—July 22

Danielle & Alex Kranjec celebrated the birth of their daughter, Margalit Roza Kranjec.

Nicole & Howard Valinsky celebrated their son, Eric Valinsky, becoming a Bar Mitzvah in Israel. Mazal Tov as well to Eric's grandmother, Toby Valinsky.

Ruth and Allan Zytnick celebrated their grandson, Matthew Ryan Zytnick, becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

The Blum family celebrated Dylan Avery Blum becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

Natalie Rosenbloom celebrated her grandson, Jacob Rosenbloom, becoming a Bar Mitzvah at Temple Beth Shalom in Arnold, MD.

Anita Lopatin Smolover was honored as Campaigner of the Year by the Jewish Federation of Greater Pittsburgh .

Fern and Alan Steckel celebrated the engagement of their son, Scott David Steckel, to Maya Poplavski.

The Engel family celebrated Dana Rachel Engel becoming a Bat Mitzvah.

Elaine Catz was honored as Hillel Academy's Unsung Jewish Hero.

Cindy Speck was honored as Beth Shalom ELC's Unsung Jewish Hero.

Martin & Michelle Lubetsky celebrated the birth of their grandson, Liam Henry Lubetsky.

Chaim Steinberg was honored as JJEP's Unsung Jewish Hero.

Judi Rosen had her artwork chosen to be exhibited in the Associated Artists of Pittsburgh's 105th Annual Exhibition.

Bobbee Slotsky Kramer was honored by the Jewish Association of Aging.

Lillian & Alexander Madrid celebrated the birth of their daughter, Olivia Madrid.

Stephen Moritz received the 2016 Energy Leadership Award from the Pittsburgh Business Times.

We congratulate our new Beth Shalom USY officers: Joseph Finkelstein, President; Maddie Herrup, Communications VP; Sammy Himmel, Israel Affairs VP; Ethan Mackler, Religion/ Education VP ; Amalia Rascoe, Membership/Kadima VP; and Janna Young, Social Action/ Tikkun Olam VP.

The Jaffe and Zunder families celebrated Alexandra Max Jaffe and Madison Zunder becoming Benot Mitzvah

Sarita Eisner was honored by Hadassah Pittsburgh for 40 years of service.

Teri & Dan Eisner celebrated the birth of their son, Benjamin Reuben Eisner.

Ruth Fauman-Fichman & Mark Fichman celebrated the birth of their grandson, Isaac Avignone Smith Fichman.

Debby and Nathan Firestone & Bunny Morris celebrated the birth of their new granddaughter, Sunny Emma Morris.

Margaretha & Jan Levinson on the birth of their grandson, Noam Maxwell Levinson.

Our Congregational Family

**WE THANK OUR GENEROUS
KIDDUSH SPONSORS**

MAY

7th - The Kiddush Club

14th - Shari and Rick Sweet

21st - The Blum Family

28th - The Engel Family

JUNE

4th– The Albert and Elbling families

11th - The Jaffe and Zunder families

18th - The Kiddush Club

25th - Susan and Richard Herman

JULY

2nd- Sylvia Friedman and Dorothy & Richard Blank

NIHUM AVELIM—COMFORTING MOURNERS

April 20—July 22

Zarky Rudavsky on the passing of his father, Rabbi Joseph Rudavsky and his wife Laurel Rudavsky.

The family of our member, Merlene Young.

Myriam Gumerman on the passing of her mother, Simcha Ohnono.

The family of our member, Zina Blyakhor.

Eric Scott on the passing of his mother, Rosaline Glickstein.

Sheila Altshuler on the passing of her mother, Rita Levinson.

Daniel Nizhner on the passing of his wife, Marta Nizhner.

Roni Semins on the passing of her mother, Sheila Harris Lang.

***May our mourners find comfort in the
embrace of our community.***

We Thank Our Outgoing Executive Officers & Board Members

**Ronna Harris Askin
Nancy Bernstein
Cindy Goodman-Leib
Stefi Kirschner
Aviva Lubowsky
Elisa Recht Marlin
Jean Reznick
Benjamin Schachter
Lynda Schuster**

We Welcome Our New Executive Officers & Board Members

**Ilene Fingeret
Carolyn Gerecht
Lidush Goldschmidt
Elaine Krasik
Gail Neft
Connie Pollack
Dee Selekman
Barry Stein**

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*Share the joy of the mitzvah of Araba'at HaMinim (the Four Species)
with your family as part of the Festival of Sukkot*

**All orders must be placed and paid in full
by Friday, September 26, 2016— no exceptions.**

\$40.00 per set

**Orders will be available for pick up at Beth Shalom
Thursday, October 13, 4:00 pm-6:00 pm
Friday, October 14, 8:30 am-10:30 am**

Questions? Contact David at 412-421-2288 ext. 112 or rabbiasst@bethshalompgh.org
Please fill out the form below and submit it with your payment to Congregation Beth Shalom

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Name: _____

Address:

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Deluxe Lulav & Etrog Set: \$40.00 X Set(s) = \$

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2016 FESTIVAL OF SUKKOT 5777

EACH SERVICE IS FOLLOWED BY KIDDUSH IN OUR BEAUTIFUL SUKKAH
PROVIDED BY THE ZUKERMAN FAMILY SUKKOT ENDOWMENT IN LOVING MEMORY MADELINE & HERBERT ZUKERMAN

FIRST DAY SUKKOT

Beginning of Sukkot

Sunday Evening, October 16	6:00pm Helfant Chapel
Monday, October 17, Early Morning Minyan	6:30am Helfant Chapel
Sukkot Morning Services	9:00am Samuel and Minnie Hyman Ballroom
Sukkot Evening Services	6:30pm Helfant Chapel

SPECIAL FAMILY LULAV & ETROG PROCESSION AT 11:15AM SAMUEL AND MINNIE HYMAN BALLROOM

SECOND DAY SUKKOT

Tuesday, October 18, Early Morning Minyan	6:30am Helfant Chapel
Sukkot Morning Services	9:00am Samuel and Minnie Hyman Ballroom

SPECIAL FAMILY LULAV & ETROG PROCESSION AT 11:15AM SAMUEL AND MINNIE HYMAN BALLROOM

CHOL HAMOED - INTERMEDIATE DAYS

Tuesday, October 18, Sukkot Evening Services	6:30pm Helfant Chapel
Wednesday, October 19 – Thursday, October 20	Evening Services 7:00pm Helfant Chapel
Wednesday, October 19 - Friday, October 21	Morning Services 7:15am Homestead Hebrew Chapel
Friday, October 21, Kabbalat Shabbat Services	6:00pm Helfant Chapel
Saturday, October 22, Early Morning Minyan	6:30am Helfant Chapel
Shabbat Morning Services	9:00am Samuel & Minnie Hyman Ballroom
Evening Services	6:10pm Helfant Chapel

HOSHANA RABBAH

Sunday Morning, October 23	8:00am Helfant Chapel
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SHEMINI ATZERET

Sunday Evening, October 23	6:00pm Helfant Chapel
Monday, October 24, Early Morning Minyan w/ Yizkor	6:00am Helfant Chapel
9:00am Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary with Yizkor at approximately 10:30am	

SIMHAT TORAH

Monday Evening, October 24	6:15pm Samuel and Minnie Hyman Ballroom
FAMILY CELEBRATION FEATURING TORAH HAKAFOT BEGINNING AT 6:30PM	
Tuesday, October 25, Early Morning Minyan	6:00am Helfant Chapel
Simhat Torah Morning Service	9:00am Samuel and Minnie Hyman Ballroom
FAMILY HAKAFOT – 10:00am	
T.O.T.S. Yom Tov Program – 11:30am Weinberg Pavilion	
Torahs `R Us Pageant & Gifts – 11:45am	



Sponsored by Herbert & Barbara Shear and Rhoda & Richard Neft in loving memory of their parents and grandparents Mr. & Mrs. Hyman Shear, Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin Bonn and Mr. & Mrs. Samuel T. Shear



Tuesday Evening, October 25	6:20pm Helfant Chapel
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Contributions April 19 - July 22, 2016

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Ronna & Dan Askin's
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The birth of Debby & Nate
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Sunny Emma Morris
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The marriage of
Michelle Kline & Josh Bernstein
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The birth of Bunny Morris's
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Sunny Emma Morris
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Anita Smolover on
being named Campaigner
of the Year
Honey & Harold Forman

EARLY CHILDHOOD
GENERAL FUND

In Honor Of:
The naming of Hazel
Charlene Herman
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Benji Reuben Eisner's brit milah
Patricia & Charles Eisner
The birth of Bunny Morris's
granddaughter,
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Patty & Harry Schneider

The marriage of Marlene &
Arthur Silverman's grandson
Patty & Harry Schneider

Robert Albert's 70th Birthday
Gloria Elbling Gottlieb

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Julian Elbling

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Dorothy & Sam Greenfield

Elaine Catz being named
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In Memory Of:
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The birth of Debby & Nate
Firestone's granddaughter,
Sunny Emma Morris
**Rose & Joshua Geller
Sally & Alan Greenwald**

The birth of Bunny Morris's
granddaughter,
Sunny Emma Morris
**Rose & Joshua Geller
Sally & Alan Greenwald**

The naming of
Hazel Charlene Herman
Bruce Weiner

The birth of Barbara & Peter
Oleinick's granddaughter,
Zoe Dillon
**Helen & Rich Feder
Ronna & Dan Askin**

The marriage of Michelle Kline
and Joshua Bernstein
**Helen & Rich Feder
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The wedding of David Lasday
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The birth of Naida & Ira
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Dorothy & Sam Greenfield

The marriage of Jay Firestone
and Julia Dalzell
**Rabbi Alvin Berkun
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The birth of Huvvy &
Meyer Simon's grandson,
Theo Isaac Ruland
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The marriage of Evan Stein
and Jackie Friedman
Ronna & Dan Askin

Lea Davidson's
special birthday
Dorothy & Sam Greenfield

Ronna Askin's special birthday
Ruth Seif

Robert Albert's 70th birthday
Lois Elbling

Marshall Balk's 50th birthday
Pamela Goodwin

Robert Garvin's birthday
Ruth Garvin

Dana Engel becoming
a Bat Mitzvah
Steve Berger

Elaine & Carl Krasik's
granddaughter,
Michaela Krasik, becoming
a Bat Mitzvah
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Marlene & Arthur Silverman's
most recent simchas
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Elaine Catz being named
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Natalie & Lonnie Wolf

Natalie & Lonnie Wolf's
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a Bat Mitzvah
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Sunny Emma Morris
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to Julia Dalzell
Elaine Berkowitz

In Memory Of:
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Ira Frank being honored at
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In Honor Of:
The marriage of Jay Firestone
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Rose & Josh Geller

The engagement of Ilana
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Debby & Nathan Firestone

The birth of Pam and Robert
Slayton's granddaughter,
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In Memory Of:
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special birthday
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Beloved Departed
Connie & Harold Smolar

My loving parents, husbands,
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Ruth Ganz Fargotstein

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Dee Selekman's retirement
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ROSH HASHANAH 2016/5777 BAKE SALE

This year we are offering baked goods and soups for the High Holidays prepared by Pomegranate Catering.
We urge you to make your selections today, and send your check along with this order form before
September 26, 2016. Quantities are limited, orders will be filled on a first come, first served basis only.



SOUPS
Chicken Noodle Soup
Mushroom Barley Soup
Red Lentil Soup

\$9.00
\$9.00
\$9.00

BAKED GOODS
Round Raisin Honey Challah
Round Honey Challah
Cinnamon Babka Loaf
Chocolate Babka Loaf
Honey Cake Loaf

\$8.50
\$7.50
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****PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED WITH YOUR ORDER****

My pick-up time is:

PLEASE CUT & RETURN BOTTOM HALF. (Top portion is for your records.)

Please choose one time for pick-up:

____ Thursday, September 29 10 am – 12 pm
____ Thursday, September 29 5 pm – 7 pm

Name _____ Phone # _____

Your check and order form is your reserved bake sale order.
Please make checks payable to *Congregation Beth Shalom*.

Item	#	Unit Price	Amount
Chicken Noodle Soup		9.00	
Mushroom Barley Soup		9.00	
Red Lentil Soup		9.00	
Round Raisin Honey Challah		8.50	
Round Honey Challah		7.50	
Cinnamon Babka Loaf		7.50	
Chocolate Babka Loaf		7.50	
Honey Cake Loaf		7.50	
		Total	

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- To beautify our Synagogue during Shabbat and Holidays
- To honor our clergy during High Holidays and Pesach
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Make your check payable to *Beth Shalom Sisterhood Flower Fund* and return to:
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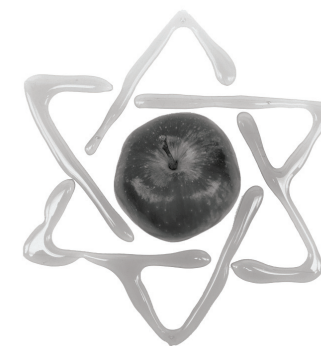
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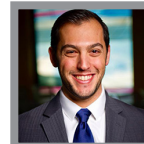
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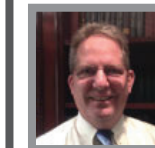
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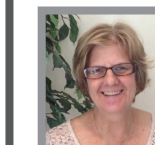
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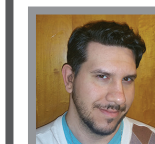
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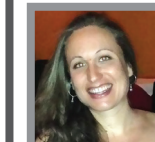
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...information included in the Shabbat Bulletin?

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...staff assistance with projects or events?

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Legend Adult Learning Synagogue Events Youth Events ELC: Early Learning Center J-JEP: Joint Jewish Educational Program				1 7:30p Bnei Mitzvah Committee Meeting	2 6:00p Friday Evening Services 7:32p Candle Lighting	3 8:31p Havdalah
4 Rosh Hodesh Elul Benji Himmel	5 Labor Day Offices Closed ELC Closed	6 6:00p Kadima Lounge Night 7:30p Executive Committee Meeting	7	8 7:00p USY Lounge Night 7:30p Religious Services Committee	9 5:45p Shababababa 6:00pm Friday Evening Services 7:21p Candle Lighting	10 BM - Ori Cohen 8:19p Havdalah
11 J-JEP Welcome Back Picnic	12	13 6:00p Kadima Lounge Night 6:00p Finance Committee	14	15 7:00p USY Lounge Night 7:30p J-JEP Committee	16 6:00p Friday Evening Services 7:10p Candle Lighting	17 BM - Dori Catz 8:07p Havdalah
18	19	20 6:00p Kadima Lounge Night 7:30p Board of Trustees Meeting	21 6:00p Rosh Hashana Educational Cemetery Workshop	22 7:00p USY Lounge Night 7:30p High Holiday Tune and Tefillah	23 6:00p Friday Evening Services- Hod veHadar 6:57p Candle Lighting	24 7:40p Community Selihot Evening 7:56p Havdalah
25 9:30 Cemetery Open House	26	27 6:00p Kadima Lounge Night	28 7:30p RH Ushers Mtg.	29 7:00p USY Lounge Night	30 5:45p Shababababa 6:00p Friday Evening Services 6:46p Candle Lighting	

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2 Erev Rosh Hashana J-JEP Closed 6:00p Rosh Hashana Services 6:40p Candle lighting	3 Rosh Hashanah Day 1 ELC Closed 9:00 Traditional Prayer and Study Service 5:30p Family Tashlikh Ritual 7:40p Havdalah	4 Rosh Hashanah Day 2 J-JEP Closed ELC Optional Day 9:00 Traditional Prayer and Study Service 7:40p Havdalah	5 TZOM GEDALIAH	6 7:00p USY Lounge Night	7 6:34p Candle lighting	8 7:33p Havdalah
9 5:30p Community Tashlikh	10	11 Erev Yom Kippur J-JEP Closed Office Closes at 12p ELC Closes at 2pm 6:15 Kol Nidrei Service 6:26 Candle lighting	12 Yom Kippur ELC closed 9:00 Yom Kippur Traditional Prayer & Study Service 10:30 Yizkor Service 6:10p Intergenerational Nallah 7:26p Havdalah	13 6:00p Finance Committee 7:00p USY Lounge Night	14 6:23p Candle lighting	15 7:22p Havdalah
16 Erev Sukkot 5:00 Congregational Sukkot Dinner 6:00p Sukkot Services 6:20 Candle lighting	17 9:00 Sukot Morning Services 6:30p Sukkot Evening Services	18 J-JEP Closed Morning Services 6:30p Sukkot Evening Services 6:00p Kadima Lounge Night 7:17p Havdalah	19 7:15 Hol Hamo'ed Sukkot Morning Services 7:00p Hol Hamo'ed Sukkot Evening Services 7:30p Scotch in the Sukkah	20 7:15 Hol Hamo'ed Sukkot Morning Services 7:00p USY Sukkah Hop 7:00p Hol Hamo'ed Sukkot Evening Services 7:30 Board of Trustees meeting	21 7:15 Hol Hamo'ed Sukkot Morning Services 6:00p Hol Hamo'ed Sukkot Kabbalat Shabbat Services 6:13p Candle lighting	22 15 Hol Hamo'ed Sukkot Shabbat Morning Services 7:00p Kadima and Atid Sukkah Hop 7:12p Havdalah 8:00p Melava Malka
23 8:00 Hoshonah Rabah Shemini Atzeret 6:10p Candle lighting	24 9:00 Shemini Atzeret Morning Services 6:30p Simchat Tora Family Celebration w/ Torah Hakarat 7:08p Candle lighting	25 Simhat Torah J-JEP Closed Torah Morning Services 10:00 Simchat Torah Family Hakarat 11:30 TOT'S Yom Tov Program 6:00p Kadima Lounge Night 6:20p Evening Services 7:08 Havdalah	26	27 7:00 USY Lounge Night	28 6:00 Hod ve Hadar Instrumental Friday Evening Service 6:04p Candle lighting	29 7:02p Havdalah
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