

# 2026 FESTIVAL OF PESAH 5786

## Pre-Pesah Preparations

|               |                        |           |                                  |
|---------------|------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| Tue., Mar. 31 | Home Search for Hametz | Evening   | At Home                          |
| Wed., Apr. 1  | Morning Service        | 7:30 a.m. | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom |

Fast of First-Born: Following the service, there will be a siyyum to allow bekhorim to eat. Breakfast will be served.

*Bi'ur Hametz* – All remaining hametz must be burned or sold by 11:00 a.m.  
**Pesah candle lighting at 7:26 p.m. (with blessings #1 and #2 on page 11)**

### FIRST SEDER

No evening service at Beth Shalom

**DAY 1**

|              |   |            |  |
|--------------|---|------------|--|
| Thu., Apr. 2 | Early Morning Pesah Service with <i>Tal</i> | 6:30 a.m.  | Homestead Hebrew Chapel                  |
|              | Morning Pesah Service with <i>Tal</i>       | 9:00 a.m.  | Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary and Zoom |
|              | Youth Tefillah                              | 11:00 a.m. | Stofman Zweig Libraries                  |
|              | <i>Minhah</i> Service                       | 1:00 p.m.  | Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary and Zoom |

**Candle lighting after Havdalah from an existing flame at 8:27 p.m. - Blessings #1 and #2 on page 11**

### SECOND SEDER

No evening service at Beth Shalom

COMMUNAL SECOND SEDER (Must RSVP) 6:00 p.m. Samuel and Minnie Hyman Ballroom

**DAY 2**

|              |                             |            |  |
|--------------|-----------------------------|------------|--|
| Fri., Apr. 3 | Early Morning Pesah Service | 6:30 a.m.  | Homestead Hebrew Chapel                  |
|              | Morning Pesah Service       | 9:15 a.m.  | Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary and Zoom |
|              | Youth Tefillah              | 11:00 a.m. | Stofman Zweig Libraries                  |

### Shabbat Hol Hamoed

*Minhah / Shabbat* 6:00 p.m. Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary and Zoom

**Friday night candle lighting is 7:28 p.m.**

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|--------------|---|-----------|--|
| Sat., Apr. 4 | Early Morning Shabbat/Pesah Service       | 6:30 a.m. | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom         |
|              | Shabbat/Pesah Service                     | 9:00 a.m. | Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary and Zoom |
|              | <i>Minhah</i> /Discussion/ <i>Ma'ariv</i> | 7:30 p.m. | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom         |

**Havdalah 8:29 p.m.**

### Hol Hamoed – Intermediate Days

|                 |                       |           |                                  |
|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| Sun., Apr. 5    | Morning Minyan        | 8:00 a.m. | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom |
| Sun.4/5-Mon.4/6 | Evening Minyan        | 7:00 p.m. | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom |
| Mon.4/6-Tue.4/7 | Morning Minyan        | 7:30 a.m. | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom |
| Tue., Apr. 7    | Evening Pesah Service | 6:00 p.m. | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom |

**Pesah candle lighting at 7:32 p.m. - Blessing #1 on page 11**

**DAY 7**

|              |                             |            |  |
|--------------|-----------------------------|------------|--|
| Wed., Apr. 8 | Early Morning Pesah Service | 6:30 a.m.  | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom         |
|              | Morning Pesah Service       | 9:15 a.m.  | Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary and Zoom |
|              | Youth Tefillah              | 11:00 a.m. | Stofman Zweig Libraries                  |
|              | Pesah Evening Service       | 6:00 p.m.  | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom         |

**Candle lighting at 8:33 p.m. from an existing flame - Blessing #1 on page 11**

**DAY 8**

|              |  |            |  |
|--------------|--|------------|--|
| Thu., Apr. 9 | Early Morning Pesah Service with <i>Yizkor</i> | 6:00 a.m.  | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom         |
|              | Morning Pesah Service with <i>Yizkor</i>       | 9:00 a.m.  | Faye Rubenstein Weiss Sanctuary and Zoom |
|              | Youth Tefillah                                 | 11:00 a.m. | Stofman Zweig Libraries                  |
|              | <i>Minhah / Ma'ariv</i>                        | 7:55 p.m.  | Homestead Hebrew Chapel and Zoom         |

**Havdalah 8:35 p.m.**