



DAVAR MEGILLAH

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Shanah Tovah 5783

Wishing our Ohr Shalom family a healthy, sweet, good year!



See pages 2 & 3 for our High Holy Days schedule of services and events.

By Rabbi Scott Meltzer

עוּרוּ יְשָׁנִים מִשְׁנַתְּכֶם וְנִרְדְּמִים הִקִּיצוּ מִתְרַדְמֵיכֶם
וְחַפְּשׂוּ בְּמַעֲשֵׂיכֶם וְחִזְרוּ בְּתְשׁוּבָה וְזָכְרוּ בּוֹרְאֵיכֶם

Selichot Service

with the

Ohr Shalom Choir

Saturday Evening,
September 17, 8:00pm

See details on page 3

WAKE UP, sleepers, from your sleep, slumberers end your slumbering. Search your deeds and return in *teshuvah* and remember your Creator!
MAIMONIDES, LAWS OF REPENTANCE 3:4

Must wake up now ... the day is short ... there is so much to do ... the New Year is upon us and in this crazy world I am but one small piece ... please may I stand ready at Rosh HaShanah to face the New Year – committed to continuing this ever-evolving quest for forgiveness and improvement, learning, growth and community. Let this be the year in which all of the prep and sweat of Elul will catapult me – my prayers, my spiritual life, my actual, physical life – from Rosh HaShanah, repentant and serious, looking ahead to Yom Kippur, beyond to Sukkot, and through the openings of the walls of the Sukkah to 5783. May it be a year filled with blessing.

As we enter the year 5783 (תשפ"ג – numerical equivalent=783), may we be blessed:

לפֿתרון טוב (783) – “For a good outcome.” For health and safety, for all of our desires, may this year bring us good solutions to all of our challenges.

לזמן ששון (783) – “To a time of rejoicing.” May our calendars be inundated with celebrations and may every day bring us opportunities to rejoice and give thanks for all of the good with which we, and the world around us, are blessed.

קול הכרת הטוב (783) – “A voice acknowledging the good.” May the blessings and joy that come to us impel us to give voice recognizing that good. May we especially be gifted with the

insight to see the good in those around us, and the ability to thank and honor each person for the good they bring to this place.

במעין תורה (783) – “Of looking closely at Torah.” May this be a year in which we delve deeply into the studies that matter most to us. Let us each find paths of learning that require us to look closely, to dig deeply, to be attentive so that we may be better, wiser humans.

בשבת ויום טוב (783) – “Of Shabbat and Holidays.” May we gather with those dearest to us, every week and for each holiday. May we sing, dine, dance and pray joyfully in loving family and community from the first day of this New Year, every week, every month and every *yontiff*.

ברוך ה' המברך לעולם ועד (783) – “Blessed is God, the Blessed One, for ever and ever.” In this New Year, may I be blessed with the ability to see the blessing that infuses the world around me, the people around, and even includes me. May I be awed at all moments with the grandeur and majesty, beauty and diversity, goodness and love that is omnipresent in this world.

הבא עלינו ברכה ושלום (783) – “May blessing and peace come to all of us.” With these prayers, hopes and aspirations for the New Year, and so many more, may blessing and peace come upon us, upon all Israel, and upon all who dwell on Earth. May the Earth be blessed with healing. May we share our blessings in our families, in our communities, and globally.

And let us say, amen.

שנה טובה – Shanah Tovah.

HIGH HOLY DAYS FOOD DRIVE
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Public Health Update
With Dr. Jennifer Tuteur
Sunday, Sept. 11, 5:00pm
Zoom Room

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**Summer's End
Mel Brooks
Film Festival**
Sundays, September 4
& September 18 at
7:45pm
See details on page 6

HIGH HOLY DAYS

OHR SHALOM SYNAGOGUE

2022 ✨ HIGH HOLY DAYS SERVICES ✨ 5782-5783

Based on the decision of the Reopening Committee, services will be both in-person and on Zoom

SELICHOT

Selichot Service with Choir.....Saturday, September 17, 8:00pm

ROSH HASHANAH

Erev Rosh HaShanahSunday, September 25, 7:00pm

Rosh HaShanah Day 1Monday, September 26, 8:30am

Tashlich 5:00pm
(at Playa Pacifica, Mission Bay)

Rosh HaShanah Day 2..... Tuesday, September 27, 8:30am

Rosh HaShanah Alternative Hike and Service TBD

YOM KIPPUR

Erev Yom Kippur Tuesday, October 4

Family Kol Nidre Service3:30pm

Kol Nidre Service #15:45pm

Kol Nidre Service #28:00pm

Yom Kippur..... Wednesday, October 5

Morning Service with Yizkor 8:30am

Study and Discussion & Movement3:00pm

Mincha and Ne'ilah.....4:00pm

Break the Fast.....7:10pm

CALLING FOR HIGH HOLY DAYS USHERS

Below are some basic guidelines for ushering during the High Holy Days.

- ✨ Greeting congregants and making them feel welcome and comfortable.
- ✨ Checking that all males are wearing a Kippah and Jewish males over 13 years of age are wearing a Tallit during Shacharit (morning services) and Kol Nidre.
- ✨ Delaying entrance to the Sanctuary during the Rabbi's Sermon.
- ✨ Keeping noise levels down outside the Sanctuary.
- ✨ Making sure **no** electronics are in use in the synagogue building.

If you would like to volunteer, please sign up to usher for 1-hour time slots using *SignUp Genius (link will be coming shortly)* or contact the Ohr Shalom office.

Children & Youth High Holy Days Services & Programming

REGISTRATION REQUIRED *Please check your High Holy Days mailing*

ROSH HASHANAH DAY 1

Shuli 9:00am-1:30pm

Tot Service (0-4 years)..... 9:15am-9:45am

Family Service..... 10:00am-11:00am

Kid's Kahal & USY Youth Programs..... 11:00am-1:30pm

USY Tashlich Picnic (7-12th grade) *snacks provided*.....4:00pm-5:00pm

ROSH HASHANAH DAY 2

Shuli 9:00am-1:30pm

Tot Service (0-4 years)..... 9:15am-9:45am

Family Service..... 10:00am-11:00am

Kid's Kahal & USY Youth Programs..... 11:00am-1:30pm

YOM KIPPUR

Morning

Shuli 9:00am-2:00pm

Tot Service (0-4 years)..... 9:15am-9:45am

Family Service..... 10:00am-11:00am

Kid's Kahal & USY Youth Programs..... 11:00am-2:00pm

Afternoon

Shuli 4:00pm-7:00pm

Kid's Kahal & USY Youth Programs.....4:00pm-7:00pm

SHULI - (0-4 Babysitting)
For children in preschool and younger. Includes playtime, stories, songs, & snacks.

FAMILY SERVICE
Family service is geared toward elementary aged children but all are welcome. Parents are encouraged to participate. However, CHILDREN IN GRADES 2-6 can attend without an accompanying adult. All younger children must be accompanied by at least one adult.

KID'S KAHAL & USY YOUTH PROGRAMMING
For children in school grades K-6. Includes arts, crafts, snacks, and games.

TASHLICH SERVICE

Monday, September 26, 5:00pm

At Playa Pacifica, Mission Bay

Join us for our annual visit to Mission Bay to cast our sins in the sea.

Located between the Information Center and the Hilton Hotel. I-5 to Exit 22: Clairemont Drive / Mission Bay Drive. Drive west towards the bay. Turn left (south) on East Mission Bay Drive. Drive 0.2 miles and turn right into parking lot. We will be near the blue-roofed gazebo.

(The Hilton Hotel is south of our gathering.)



Lulav and Etrog: The Four Species

To order your own Lulav and Etrog set at **\$54/set**, call the office (619) 231-1456

ORDER DEADLINE: September 23, 2022



HIGH HOLY DAYS

Selichot Service

with the **Ohr Shalom Choir**

Saturday Evening, September 17, 8:00pm

At Ohr Shalom and on Zoom

- ☆ Changing of our daily Torah Covers to the white festival Torah Covers in preparation for the High Holy Days.
- ☆ Dedication of Memorial Plaques installed during the past year.
- ☆ **New** Selichot Prayer Book!

Dessert Reception to follow

Masks Required



RITUAL COMMITTEE



Shoshanah Feher Sternlieb
Ritual Chair

As the High Holy Days approach this year, I can't help but think about this being our 3rd Covid-era season of the High Holy Days, remembering how, not so long ago, being able to safely inhale the communal air at shul at this special time of year was something we took for granted. For generations!

As we celebrate being together, it's important to look at some of the unintended benefits of this heightened awareness. A renewed focus on some of the more vulnerable members of our community – the elderly, the infirm – has hopefully given many of us pause to consider how much of our good fortune and good health we take for granted. The Talmudic injunction that each of us think of ourselves as responsible (and accountable) to the entire community – *Kol Yisrael Arevim Zeh Ba-Zeh*, has perhaps never been more applicable in our lifetime.

As we reflect on the past year, our deeds and misdeeds, our actions and inactions, it is incumbent on us to think about the ways in which we as a society may have missed the mark in terms of caring for all members of the community. This past year saw a major diminishment of women's rights, reproductive rights, local gun control rights, etc. A clear plurality of Jewish organizations across the country have registered their dismay at this turn of events. If each and every one of us is truly responsible to and for one another, it behooves each of us to ask what we are doing in our own lives and our own communities to ensure the health and safety of those we call neighbors and friends. *Shanah Tovah.*

YOM TOV FLOWER SPONSORS

SUGGESTED DONATION: \$180

Call or email the office for details



EXTRA PARKING DURING HIGH HOLY DAYS

at St. Paul's parking lot on the corner of **Third Ave. and Maple St. after 5:00pm ONLY on:**
Erev Rosh HaShanah – **Sunday, September 25**



Parking at Merrill Gardens for Sustaining Members, with a few spots available at \$180

On the Go.

Transportation Solutions for Older Adults



Looking for a Ride to High Holy Days Services?

Free door-to-door transportation for older adults 60+ from your home to your synagogue and back!

If you are not already registered with On the Go, you must pre-register first before reserving a space.

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Serving 32 zip codes.

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On the Go is a program of Charitable Adult Rides and Services (CARS) and is operated by Jewish Family Service of San Diego.

KEVER AVOT V'IMAHOT COMMUNITY MEMORIAL SERVICES

Sunday, October 2. Watch your email for information.

Do You Need a Machzor for ZOOM Services?

Call the office and we will be happy to lend you books for your services at home.



SEE DETAILS FOR HIGH HOLY DAY FOOD DRIVE ON PAGE 12



WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT

Marvin Yudkovitz
President

Your Invitation To Participate On Ohr Shalom Committees

Ohr Shalom has a variety of committees and programs, each of which would love your participation. Look at the committee descriptions below and see if there is something that you would be interested in lending your time and talents to. Many activities can be done from home, and/or during hours convenient for you. The current Ohr Shalom committee chairs and their email addresses are listed at the bottom of this page.

Do you have a passion for **Social Action**? Committee chair Brad Eisenberg would appreciate hearing your thoughts and having your participation in activities such as collecting and distributing meals or food or other needed items to those in need in the San Diego community, beach cleanups, or determining how we can assist others who are struggling. Do you have ideas for additional Social Action projects? Contact Brad Eisenberg.

Maybe the **Chesed/Community Caring Program** is a program in which you are interested in becoming more involved? Volunteers are calling members of Ohr Shalom who have limited social contacts, and preparing and delivering food during Shivas or when someone is ill. Would you like to be involved in either or both of these? This program is all about helping our Ohr Shalom congregants, because we're all in this together. Contact Aviva Rosenberg.

And speaking of reaching out to our members – perhaps you've already thought about how much more robust our **Membership Program** could be. Yes, we can use your time, ideas, and help in making it so. Please contact Alex van Frank.

Or, maybe you've looked around our wonderful building and thought about assisting in overseeing its maintenance? Raulf Polichar is our long-standing committee chair of **Building and Grounds**. Are you an engineer, building contractor, realtor, know anything about buildings, or want to learn more? We'd love to have your input in making decisions about our building for the next year(s). And, guess what? In 2025 we will celebrate the 100th birthday of the building!



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While the **Ritual Committee** has already developed the logistics for this year's High Holy Days services, there is a role for those of you interested in identifying and implementing ideas for the near and long-term future. Let Shoshanah Feher Sternlieb know you'd like to help out and become involved.

Lynn Mendelsohn has already implemented many ideas for **Adult Education** (as you can see in the Davar), but she can use a lot more help with ideas, planning, and implementation.

Jessica Lemoine coordinates **Youth Programs**. She is now focusing on college age young adults. Do you have ideas for this age group? Tell them to Jessica; join her committee.

Religious School liaison Love Zubiller interacts directly with Principal Judith Eisenberg, our amazing teachers, the Ohr Shalom Board, and our Religious School families throughout the school year. Her goal for the coming year is to support the formation of a strong, active, and engaged Religious School community. Connect with her directly if you have ideas or would like to become more involved.

As the **Environmental Projects** chairperson, Allyson Darroch has a lot of wonderful ideas, and is looking forward to implementing many. She can use your help for this relatively new program at Ohr Shalom. Let her know if you'd like to be part of that.

Joe Hartman, the long-standing President of the **Men's Club**, is open to new ideas and help with programming. Let him know if you'd like to be involved.

Speaking of help – what about volunteering to help Gillian and Andi in the **Office**? There is always lots of paperwork, phone answering, etc. to occupy your time.

There is an added bonus to participation on any of these Committees. When you participate, you will become better acquainted with other wonderful, caring, and interesting Ohr Shalom members.

Wishing each of you a happy, healthy and sweet New Year.

Contact me at: president@ohrshalom.org or 240-506-3042.

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OHR SHALOM SERVICE SCHEDULE

SHABBAT SERVICE SCHEDULE in person and [Ohr Shalom Zoom Room](#)

Friday	September 2	6:15pm	Kabbalat Shabbat Service "Ask the Rabbi"
Saturday	September 3	9:30am	Shabbat Service
Friday	September 9	6:15pm	Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Saturday	September 10	9:30am	Shabbat Service
Friday	September 16	6:15pm	Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Saturday	September 17	9:30am	Shabbat Service
Friday	September 23	6:15pm	Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Saturday	September 24	9:30am	Shabbat Service
Friday	September 30	6:15pm	Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Saturday	October 1	9:30am	Shabbat Service

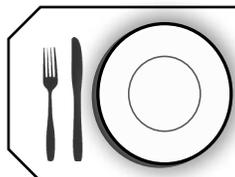
NO Shabbat Morning Babysitting until further notice.



KABBALAT SHABBAT SERVICE "ASK THE RABBI"

Friday, September 2 at 6:15pm

Your opportunity to ask the questions you have always wanted to. In our sanctuary and the Ohr Shalom ZOOM room.



LUNCH & LEARN

Saturdays, September 10 & 24, 12:00pm

Come for Shabbat services and stay for lunch & discussion

Welcome Our New Rabbinic Intern Shanee Michaelson As She Joins Us Friday, September 9 through Sunday, September 11.

Our new rabbinic intern, Shanee Michaelson, will be joining us throughout the year. Ms. Michaelson is a continuing student at the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies, the graduate program at the American Jewish University (Los Angeles) that leads to ordination as a Conservative Rabbi.

Born in Israel and a graduate of UCSD, Ms. Michaelson took a long route to rabbinical school. She says: "I began my career as a family law attorney, became a teacher, and then was infused with vibrant Jewish life when I went to Israel and spent time at Pardes," referring to the Pardes Institute of Jewish studies in Jerusalem. She is recently returned from a semester of study in Israel.

We welcome Ms. Michaelson, looking forward to the rich new ideas and insights that rabbinic interns bring along with them.



PARSHIYOT & CANDLELIGHTING September 2022

PARSHAT SHOFTIM

Fri: September 2 | 6 Elul 6:53pm
Sat: September 3 | 7 Elul
Torah: Deuteronomy 16:18-21:9
Haft: Isaiah 51:12-52:12



PARSHAT KI TEITZEI

Fri: September 9 | 15 Elul 6:44pm
Sat: September 10 | 16 Elul
Torah: Deuteronomy 21:10-25:19
Haft: Isaiah 54:1-10



PARSHAT KI TIVO

Fri: September 16 | 22 Elul 6:35pm
Sat: September 17 | 23 Elul
Torah: Deuteronomy 26:1-29:8
Haft: Isaiah 60:1-22



PARSHAT NITZAVIM

Fri: September 23 | 29 Elul 6:24pm
Sat: September 24 | 30 Elul
Torah: Deuteronomy 29:9-30:20
Haft: Isaiah 61:10-63:9



PARSHAT VAYEILECH SHABBAT SHUVA

Fri: September 30 | 5 Tishrei 6:15pm
Sat: October 1 | 6 Tishrei
Torah: Deuteronomy 31:1-31:30
Haft: Hosea 14:2-10, Micah 7:18-20,
Joel 2:15-27



OHR SHALOM'S CHOIR!

Come join us on at 7:00pm at Ohr Shalom.

Monday, September 12
Monday, September 19



Ohr Shalom Virtual Programming [Ohr Shalom Zoom Room](#)

Zoom link for Shabbat services and most adult programs is

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83107501072>

(Passcode: myshul)

Here is the information to join by phone:

Phone number: 1 669 900 9128

Meeting ID: 831 0750 1072 Passcode:
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We regret any omissions and would appreciate being notified in order to amend any involuntary error.*

Summer's End Mel Brooks Film Festival

Sunday September 4, 7:45pm
Young Frankenstein:



Sunday September 18, 7:45pm

The Producers:



*Outdoors on the Ohr Shalom Patio
Complimentary Popcorn and Ice Cream*

CHECK YOUR MAIL & RETURN:

- Membership Renewal
- High Holy Day Information
- Memorial Book Order Form
- Lulav & Etrog Order Form
- Register for Religious School



Another play of Jewish interest, at another of San Diego's major theaters:

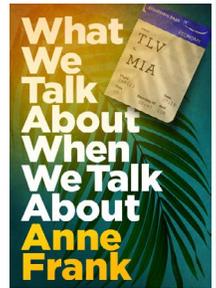
The Old Globe, Sheryl and Harvey White Theatre

What We Talk About When We Talk About Anne Frank

By **Nathan Englander**
Directed by **Barry Edelstein**

Tuesday evening, September 20, 2022, 7:00pm

This is not a Holocaust story, nor does it mention Anne Frank, except in passing. Rather, award-winning author and playwright Nathan Englander has written a drama/comedy about Jewish friendship. Two women, close in high school, have followed widely divergent adult lives. When they reunite for an evening with their husbands, they struggle awkwardly to re-connect – right in front of a live audience. The play contains strong language.



What We Talk About When We Talk About Anne Frank won a 2020 Blanche and Irving Laurie Theatre Visions Fund Award and is the recipient of an Edgerton Foundation New Play Award. This is the play's premiere run.

This performance will be preceded by an **Insights Seminar** (sponsored by Vicki and Carl Ziegler) whereby actors and others associated with the play present background and observations. The seminar will begin at **6:00pm** in the Old Globe's Craig Noel Garden.

Tickets priced for group sales are **\$30** each. The RSVP deadline is **September 8th**.



Lynn Mendelsohn continues to handle ticket purchases for *Ohr Shalom on the Town*. Her email address is mendelynn0511@gmail.com. Or text her at 619-980-1801.

Membership Dues

Thank you to everyone who has already renewed their membership for 5783 (2022-23)!

Membership dues to Ohr Shalom secure the foundation of our congregation. Not only do your dues keep our weekly and holiday services going, the lights on, the building safe, and the chocolate flowing on Shabbat, but they help our community thrive by providing a sense of community through all the programs we offer from Social Action to Movie Nights. Please call the office to setup a payment plan or discuss your membership dues before High Holy Days.

Today Rabah!

Membership Category	Standard 22-23 Rates	Security/ Reopening Fee	USCJ Membership
Family	\$3130	\$300	\$85
Young Family (up to age 35)	\$1960	\$200	\$85
Single Parent Family	\$1830	\$200	\$85
Individual	\$1565	\$150	\$85
College Student	\$0	\$0	\$0

ADULT EDUCATION



Pre-High-Holy Days Classes with Elisheva Edelson

Lord, Open My Lips – Listen to My Prayers

Let us get in shape with our singing for
Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur

Thursday evenings September 1, 8 and 15

7:00pm in the [Ohr Shalom Zoom Room](#)

Elisheva will discuss selected prayers from the
High Holy Day liturgy and teach us to sing them
according to Ohr Shalom tradition.

A great way for us to prepare together!

CLASSES with Rabbi Meltzer

[Ohr Shalom Zoom Room](#)

Daf Yomi • Wednesdays, 10:00am

This weekly class discusses the pages of Talmud most recently
covered.

Slow Read Book Club

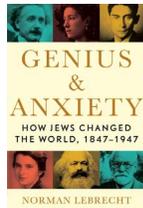
• In-depth chapter discussions

Fridays at 11:00am

Genius & Anxiety: How Jews Changed the World, 1847-1947

by Norman Lebrecht

(from Amazon.com) Norman Lebrecht has devoted half of
his life to pondering and researching the mindset of the
Jewish intellectuals, writers, scientists, and thinkers who
turned the tides of history and shaped the world today as
we know it. In *Genius & Anxiety*, Lebrecht begins with the
Communist Manifesto in 1847 and ends in 1947, when Israel
was founded. This robust, magnificent, beautifully designed
volume is “an urgent and moving history” (*The Spectator*, UK)
and a celebration of Jewish genius and contribution.



Meditation with Alex van Frank

**Tuesday Evenings
7:00-7:30pm**

Alex van Frank, C-IAYT holds a post-minyan
meditation group. *Sit back, relax and unwind.*

Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82805583843>

Meeting ID: 828 0558 3843



NEW! Hebrew Reading and Synagogue Skills Classes

Sue Brown will teach two new adult classes
in Hebrew Reading and Synagogue Skills on
Sunday mornings, beginning **October 23**.
Sue was a Religious School teacher at
Ohr Shalom for 14 years.



Hebrew Reading (time TBD*)

This 20-week class, divided into two 10-week
sessions, is for adults who wish to learn to read Hebrew. It
will cover all the letters and sounds, selected Hebrew roots,
vocabulary and concepts, some basic grammar—all tied
to well-known passages from the prayer book and Bible.
The class will use Linda Motzkin's text *Aleph Isn't Tough*.
The fee for each 10-week session is \$125. The text can be
purchased online for approximately \$22.

Synagogue Skills (time TBD*)

This one-hour class in synagogue skills will teach basic
melodies, concepts of prayer and the history of the *siddur*.
We will select a portion of the Shabbat morning service
to learn [for example, the Torah service or *Musaf*]. A basic
ability to decode Hebrew is preferred but not absolutely
necessary. This class will run for 20 weeks, divided into two
10-week sessions. The fee is \$125 per 10-week session.

*These two Sunday classes will start on Zoom, but may change
to in-person classes at Ohr Shalom if students prefer and COVID
permits. Meeting times will be determined by student availability.
Meeting once a week for an hour per class, each class will open
the world of Judaism to adults who want to acquire the basic skills
to be literate and participatory. It will be fun, challenging, and life
changing. Please call the office to register, and Sue Brown
[619 993-4154] to let her know you are interested.



Announcing a new, ongoing class, with Rabbi Meltzer

The Book of Psalms

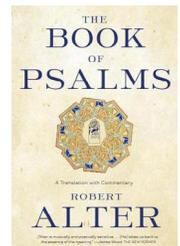
Starting Monday, October 24, 2022 at noon

In the [Ohr Shalom Zoom Room](#)

Translator and author Robert Alter calls
the Book of Psalms “the most urgently,
personally present of all the books of the
Bible.” Rabbi Meltzer intends that we will
study them together, beginning with
Psalm 1 and continuing through Psalm 150.

Class members should bring a book of their
own choosing that includes the Psalms in
both Hebrew and English.

For the first class, please read Psalms 1
through 5.





FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Gillian Argoff-Treseder
Executive Director

HACHNASAT ORCHIM - “WELCOMING GUESTS”

Hachnasat Orchim is a very important mitzvah. In Vayera, Abraham opens his tent to strangers to welcome them in, he washes their feet, he feeds them, he provides them comfort and makes them feel safe. This concept of welcoming people into our sacred spaces is core to our lives as Jews.

It’s been a long (almost) three years of dealing with COVID. Welcoming guests into our homes and into our shared spaces was not an option (or scary) for a long time. Even though our hearts and Zoom rooms were open and hopefully welcoming, it was not the same as being welcomed into a physical space. Last year, we were able to welcome everyone back for High Holy Days at Ohr Shalom, but with two services and a Zoom option to help keep numbers down and health and safety a priority. The careful balance of *Pikuach Nefesh* and *Hachnasat Orchim* has been challenging.

Now it’s time to welcome all of you back to Ohr Shalom (still with masks and vaccinations) to celebrate the High Holy Days together! We know you are ready to come together in community, to feel safe, comforted and a sense of belonging in our wonderful sacred space. (Zoom will still be available for those who are unable to join us in-person. Know that your presence on Zoom matters to us and we welcome you there as if you were walking through the doors of Ohr Shalom.)

I look forward to seeing all of your smiling eyes and welcoming you at services this month.

L’Shanah Tovah U’Metukah!



CHESED/COMMUNITY CARING

Aviva Ilanit Rosenberg
Chesed/Community Caring Chair

Our Chesed/Community Caring committee continues to demonstrate how amazing and special our Congregation is. This past month we have delivered Yahrzeit candles, prepared and delivered food during Shivas, and performed other *mitzvahs*. Thanks to all of the members who have already volunteered their time. We are all in this together, building on the good deeds and caring already in place.

We are always looking for new committee members. With even a simple act like making a phone call to say “Hi” you could make someone’s day!

To become part of our committee, or to find out more about how you can participate, please contact me at: chesed@ohrshalom.org or call (619) 621-7212.



ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECTS

Allyson Darroch
Environmental Projects Chair

NOT MY CIRCUS. NOT MY MONKEYS

Yes, it should be Yiddish but the saying is Polish. It rolls so easily off the tongue, meaning – not my problem, doesn’t concern me. Luke Skywalker saying to Obi Won “I hate the empire but it’s all so far away.” Like the great Pacific trash vortex, it traps, chokes, drowns or starves birds, fish and marine mammals. It is far away from San Diego – it’s halfway between Hawaii and California and only half the size of Texas.



A long way from here right? (Not like you are going to swim to it.) But once plastic enters the marine food web, it will contaminate the human food chain as well. Efforts to clean up and eradicate ocean plastic have also caused significant financial burdens.

Through a process called bioaccumulation, chemicals in plastics will enter the body of the animal feeding on the plastic, and as the feeder becomes prey, the chemicals will pass to the predator – making their way up the food web that includes humans. These chemicals that affected the plastic feeders could then be present within the human as well.

But people who don’t live halfway between Hawaii and California are trying to clean it up. The first 100,000 kilos were removed as of April 2022. The vast majority of plastics in the Great Pacific Garbage Patch are made of rigid or hard polyethylene (PE) or polypropylene (PP), or derelict fishing gear (nets and ropes particularly). They range in size from small fragments to larger objects and meter-sized fishing nets.

So how can you help? You can recycle your plastics. It’s not a perfect solution since a large amount of the plastics we use aren’t recycled or even recyclable. You can also not use plastic. That’s a tough one, but possible with a little research. Choose glass or cardboard or even avoid using plastic when there is an alternative. Don’t put your bagged produce into another bag or use a canvas bag. Use block or bar shampoos and soaps or laundry strips that come in paper envelopes. There are compostable materials that will work for leftovers. Reuse your bags – the “in” word is upcycle. We are an oddly wasteful and yet tidy species. We like putting things away, but we can be mindful and choose what we use.

You see, it’s simple. The world is our circus and so it’s all our monkeys. The rest is commentary.

For more on the cleanup program and to follow their progress, visit <https://theoceancleanup.com/great-pacific-garbage-patch/>



ISRAEL DESK

Susie Meltzer
Israel Desk

THE MASORTI MOVEMENT BUILDS INCLUSION IN ISRAEL

Inclusion. Americans are making dramatic changes in our society to include groups into the mainstream who have been traditionally marginalized based on their gender, race or physical or mental disabilities. We witnessed this recently when the Jewish Community Center Maccabi Games held in San Diego added a pilot ACCESS division that welcomed athletes with disabilities. It was a proud moment for the Lawrence Family JCC.



Masorti Foundation

Masorti, the name used for the Conservative movement in Israel, has historically also been marginalized since only Orthodox Judaism is officially recognized there. Conservative Judaism, rooted in the United States, was established in Israel in 1979 with the founding of the Masorti Movement, an organization that offers Jews there and around the world a unique approach to Judaism. The Masorti Movement is a pluralistic, Israeli, religious movement that identifies with Conservative Judaism. As part of Masorti Olami (World Masorti), they bring together up to two million Masorti and Conservative Jews in North and South America, Israel, Europe and across the world. Their mission is to combine modern Israeli life with a positive approach to the world, democracy, and Zionism, incorporating traditional Jewish belief, while promoting equality and inclusion. Masorti is Hebrew for "traditional." The movement embraces the values of egalitarianism, pluralism, humanism, tolerance and democracy. The Masorti Movement is committed to halacha (Jewish law), a code of conduct they regard as an evolving system, shaped through constant wrestling with changing circumstances and responsive to developments in moral and ideological positions.

The Masorti Movement celebrates diversity, allowing both men and women to be active in all areas of synagogue and community life. Women are recognized as rabbis across the Masorti Movement. People of all gender identities and sexual orientations are welcome in Masorti communities and most of their synagogues offer same-sex marriage ceremonies and registration. As for conversion, they enable those who wish to join the Jewish community to do so when the demands of Jewish law have been met.

The Masorti Movement faces many obstructions in Israel. For example, the following reported a recent event in Israel that highlights the challenges Masorti face regularly:

"An egalitarian prayer service at the Western Wall's Robinson Arch for Tisha B'Av reading of the Book of Lamentations, attended by over 100 people, was held uninterrupted on Saturday night, despite fears that the event would be again overrun by religious extremists as it was last year. In 2021, a group of ultra-Orthodox zealots disrupted

Public Health Update

In the [Ohr Shalom Zoom Room](#)

Sunday, September 11, 5:00pm

with Ohr Shalom Member
Jennifer M. Tuteur, MD, FAAFP
Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Medical Care Services Division Lead, Healthcare Sector for Outreach and Education for the COVID-19 Response County of San Diego Health & Human Services Agency



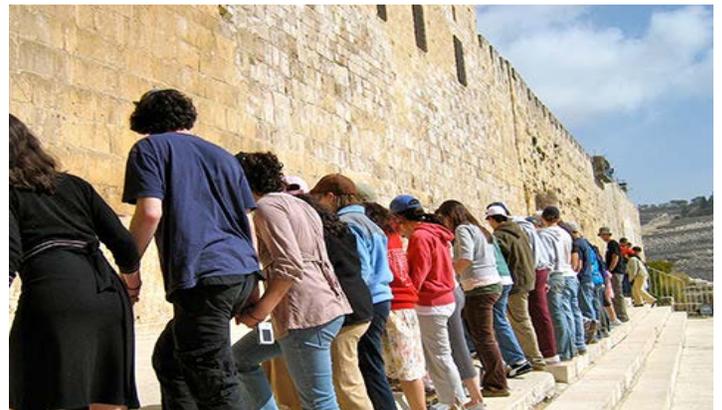
Did you know Ohr Shalom has an Instagram page?

Simply search for: Ohr Shalom Synagogue/ohrshalom (on Instagram)



If you have an Instagram account, check out our page for pictures and posts of what's happening at the Synagogue, including pictures of the Maccabi Cares event we had at the end of July here at Ohr Shalom.

Stay tuned for more content on our Instagram page. Many thanks to Aviva Rosenberg for keeping our Instagram page up to date.



the reading, shouting over the worshipers and setting up a gender-segregating mechitza in the egalitarian area." This was reported by Rakefet Ginsberg, the CEO of the Masorti Movement, which organized the service.

The Conservative Movement in the US traditionally helps The Masorti Movement through The Masorti Foundation for Conservative Judaism in Israel, the organization in America responsible for raising funds to support The Masorti Movement and its activities in Israel and serves as their voice to American media and Jewish leadership. <https://masorti.org/contact-us/>.



RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Judith Eisenberg
Religious School Principal



As I write this, I am contemplating that September is the month we will begin school, and the month I will become Principal of the Ohr Shalom Religious School. For many years, first as a child and later as a parent, the start of the school year has been special. We experience anticipation, excitement, and nervousness. For the first time in several years, I am experiencing these emotions again, and I am grateful to Ohr Shalom for allowing me to do so. Our first session of the school year will be Sunday, September 11, and I cannot wait to update the congregation on how that day goes. I expect there will be anticipation, excitement, and nervousness from the families that will be starting that day – we are all in this together!

Of course, in most Septembers, Jewish people have something else to look forward to – the High Holy Days. Just 2 weeks after our first Religious School session, we will not be meeting in order to prepare for Erev Rosh HaShanah. This year, for the first time in many, I will be hosting both of my adult daughters for Erev Rosh HaShanah dinner, as they travel from other cities to be with us in San Diego.

I am hopeful for the upcoming Jewish year, both personally and professionally, in my new role at Ohr Shalom.

Vanina Bunton Religious School Scholarship

This year, the **Vanina Bunton Scholarship**, an initiative of the **Lou Dunst Foundation**, will again offer financial assistance for students of the Ohr Shalom Religious School. Please contact Gillian Argoff-Treseder if you need assistance with Religious School fees for 2022-23.

LAUREL STREET BEAT

*from Love Zubiller,
Religious School Committee Chair*

The Jewish New Year Rosh HaShanah is coming up. If you could wish “L’Shana Tovah” to anybody in the world, who would it be and why?

Golda W: The person I wish most to have a happy new year is my mom. I have seen her suffer through challenges over the past few years and I want her to have a happy, stress-free future.



Leo C: I would wish L’Shanah Tova to aliens because I don’t think that they get to celebrate many holidays.



OHR SHALOM SYNAGOGUE
Religious School
Hebrew • Tradition • History • Prayer
Ages 5-13 Years Old

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!
email principal@ohrshalom.org
or click link in the weekly Ekol

Welcome Back!
First Day of Religious School is
Sunday September 11

CPR Training at Ohr Shalom

Sunday, September 18, 1:30pm
\$50 a person

10 years and up eligible to become certified and re-certified.

Call office to register.



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the Present



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OHR SHALOM SYNAGOGUE



YOUTH GROUP

Emily Curtis
USY Youth Director



New Ohr Shalom USY Board

We are excited to announce our Ohr Shalom USY board members for 2022-2023.

- Maital Meltzer**, President
- Eliana Rose**, Executive Programming VP
- Natan Lemoine**, Membership/Kadima VP
- Nechama Bunton**, Religion Education VP

Stay tuned to the USY emails to see what these wonderful leaders have in store for the year!

Youth High Holy Days Programming

Watch your mail for registration forms for children/youth HHD programs

Monday, Sept. 26: Rosh HaShanah, Day 1

- USY Program** (K-6th grade)..... 11:15am-12:00pm
- USY Program** (7-12th grade) 12:00pm-1:00pm
- USY Tashlich Picnic** (7-12th grade) snacks provided 4:00-5:00pm

Tuesday, Sept. 27: Rosh HaShanah, Day 2

- USY Program** (K-6th grade) 11:15am-12:00pm
- USY Program** (7-12th grade) 12:00pm-12:45pm

Wednesday, Oct 5: Yom Kippur

Morning

- Kid's Kahal & USY Youth Programs** 11:00am-2:00pm

Afternoon

- USY Program** (7-12th grade) 4:00pm-5:00pm
- USY Program** (K-6th grade) 5:00pm-6:00pm

Sunday, Oct. 23, 12:30-3:00pm:

Community Action Day* - Save the Date!

Everyone is welcome to participate. Learn about different organizations and ways to advocate. Come to learn, volunteer and participate in direct service.

CALLING ALL TEENS Join the Ohr Shalom "Teen Torah Trope Troop"

Volunteer to chant Torah on Shabbat mornings. Rabbi Meltzer is here to help you get prepared by sending you a PDF, a recording, a picture of the Torah itself, and/or meet with you by phone, zoom or in person.

Participants will receive incentive prizes!

If you are interested please contact the office or Rabbi Meltzer directly rabbi@ohrshalom.org.



THE OHR SHALOM CHOIR NEEDS YOU!!!

by Elisheva Edelson

Did you know that singing in a group is cheaper than therapy, healthier than drinking and more fun than working out?



Feeling better is pretty much guaranteed! When you sing, you exercise your lungs, your facial muscles are toned. Singing reduces stress and improves your mood. It evokes emotions.

When we sing Jewish Music together, we are building Jewish identity. We connect with our past and to our ancestral homeland, and we create memories that will help us to connect in the future with the people you sing with today.

You never sang in a choir before? Don't worry! There are no auditions, and you don't need to know how to read music or Hebrew. We will help you!

Come visit us and have a taste. The Choir rehearses (in person) on Mondays at 7:00pm at Ohr Shalom.

The choir will *not* meet on September 26 and October 3, 10, 17.

SHANAH TOVA! MAY YOU ALL HAVE A GOOD, HEALTHY AND SWEET YEAR 5783

Listening Devices & Bimah Access Available

Ask security guard or Rene. Bimah accessible via lift, as needed.

We strive to host inclusive, accessible programs and services that enable all individuals, including individuals with disabilities, to engage fully.

To request an accommodation or for inquiries about accessibility, please contact Gillian Argoff-Treseder.

SOCIAL ACTION

COMMUNITY FOOD DRIVE

High Holy Days 2022



Every year during the High Holy Days, our community supports San Diegans experiencing hunger through our annual community food drive. As increasing inflation continues to affect our community, more of our neighbors are facing food insecurity every day.



We're counting on you!

Together we can ensure our neighbors receive the critical support they need during these challenging times.

SUGGESTED DONATION ITEMS:

GRAINS: Whole wheat pasta and crackers, oatmeal, brown rice, quinoa, dehydrated mashed potatoes

PROTEINS: Canned tuna or chicken, non-hydrogenated nut butters, low-sodium beans

CANNED GOODS: Fruit in juice (not syrup), corn, green beans, sweet potatoes, cranberries, low-sodium soups

KOSHER ITEMS

Please remember to bring non-perishable foods to donate whenever you come to Ohr Shalom. Big blue bins are in the lobby.

IN A LAND OF PLENTY, THERE SHOULD BE PLENTY FOR EVERYONE.



MAZON | A Jewish Response
To Hunger

(800) 813-0557 | mazon.org

COMMUNITY EVENT

THE U.S. AND THE HOLOCAUST

A FILM BY KEN BURNS, LYNN NOVICK & SARAH BOTSTEIN

Premieres September 18 - PBS

THE U.S. AND THE HOLOCAUST, a new three-part, six-hour series directed and produced by Ken Burns, Lynn Novick and Sarah Botstein, explores America's response to one of the greatest humanitarian crises of the 20th century. The series will air September 18, 19 and 20, at 8-10pm PDT on KPBS-TV and streaming on the PBS Video App.

<https://www.pbs.org/kenburns/us-and-the-holocaust/about-the-film>



THE U.S. AND THE HOLOCAUST
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COMMUNITY EVENTS

1341 Frames of Love and War

Thursday, September 22 | 5:30-8:30pm

Museum of Photographic Arts, Balboa Park
Reception: 5:30-6:30pm, Screening: 6:30pm,
followed by Q&A

As Israel's most celebrated war photographer, Micha Bar-Am mines his extraordinary archive of over half a million negatives. Questions and self-doubt surface in a profound exploration of photography, memory, and the personal cost of a life devoted to recording a conflict and the building of a nation.



The Murray Galinson San Diego-Israel Initiative (MGSDII) invites you to an exclusive San Diego film screening and director's talk. Join the filmmaker himself, Ran Tal, an internationally renowned documentary filmmaker and MGSDII Visiting Professor Fall 2022 for a screening and Q&A.

Tickets: \$18 at <https://mgsdii.org/event/exclusive-one-night-screening/>

Yale Strom: Jews and Music

**September 8, 14, 22, and 29,
10:00am-11:00am PDT**

(Online Course, 92nd St. Y) From Miriam to Mendelsohn to Gershwin and Dylan, Jews have expressed themselves, their history, their faith, their culture, and their place in society through instrumental music and song. Ethnographer and musician/composer



Yale Strom will explore who, why, and what these Jewish artists created that still reverberates throughout the world today. Cost: \$160. For more information and to register:

<https://roundtable.org/class/course/jews-and-music>.

ISRAEL TRAVEL OPPORTUNITY

Jewish Federation of San Diego County Trip to Israel May 4-11, 2023

Join other travelers from across the San Diego Jewish community for a dynamic, meaningful Israel travel experience with local clergy, leaders of all ages, and Jewish professionals and passionate volunteers. 5-star accommodations, with best of Israeli dining, VIP access, sightseeing opportunities curated by you - and much more!

For more information and to register,

<https://www.jewishinsandiego.org/israel2023>.



Friday October 21 through Sunday October 23

Enjoy a weekend away to connect with yourself and other Jewish women in the majestic San Bernardino Mountains near Big Bear, CA. Worship, sing, dance, hike, and create art while breathing the crisp autumn air. Experience the serenity of sunrise morning yoga while marveling at the ancient pines. Deepen old friendships and make new ones around the campfire before falling asleep in your cozy cabin. Return home refreshed in body, mind and spirit. More information and registration: campmountainchai.com/ww16

TODAH RABAH AND LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Todah Rabah to ou August Shabbat Service Leaders, Torah and Haftarah Readers, D'rashot, Daily Minyan Minute, Minyan Leaders and office volunteers:

Ilan Averbuch	Susie Meltzer
Joe Castiglione	Ivan Mendelsohn
Allyson Darroch	Lynn Mendelsohn
Elisheva Edelson	Rachel Millstone
Jonathan Geiger	Amy Morris
Judi Gottschalk	Bill Morris
Alberto Hamui	Rocky Reid
Joe Hartman	Aviva Rosenberg
Koba	Ruben Rosental
Morris Lazard	Talia Segall
Jim Lewis	Brian Stannard
Susanne Lisker	Jonah Weinberg
Eli Meltzer	Margalit Wollner
	Marvin Yudkovitz

TODAH RABAH AND LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

Thank you for your generous donations in August:

SYNAGOGUE FUND

In loving memory of Marilyn Shelden

- Gillian Argoff-Treseder
- Steven Bernstein
- Rita Cohen
- Ana and Jose Galicot
- Toni and Don Goldstein
- Gail and Jennifer Kalker
- Jim Lewis
- Esther and Mordy Lightman
- Susie and Eli Meltzer
- Rachel Millstone
- Anita and Justina Nemoy
- Tricia Pummill
- The Ohr Shalom Choir
- Debbie and Rocky Reid
- Fern and Leon Siegel
- Smith Family
- Esther Tishman
- Evette and Nathan Weiss
- Eileen Wingard
- Harriet and Sheldon Wolpoff
- Eva and Enrique Zagursky

**In memory of Lily Hecht
In memory of William Abrams**

Evelyn Sevel

In memory of Herb Sevel

Louis and Batsheva Appleman

In loving memory of Arlene Schloss

Esther and Mordy Lightman

In memory of Israel Hersch

Louis and Batsheva Appleman

In honor of Koba's Birthday

Rachel Millstone
Debbie and Rocky Reid

In honor of the birth of Mila Kathryn Szmilowicz

Rita Cohen

We apologize for any omissions.

SOCIAL ACTION FUND:

In loving memory of Marilyn Shelden

Susanne Lisker
Evelyn Schwimmer

RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND:

Valerie and Eli Razinsky

Thank You for Lunch & Learn

Louis and Batsheva Appleman

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND:

In loving memory of Marilyn Shelden

Marvin Yudkovitz and Judy Gaines

In loving memory of Ruben Lisker

Susanne Lisker

TODAH RABAH TO OUR SHABBAT SPONSORS:

Jeanne and David Argoff
Marilyn Levitan
Rachel Millstone

Mazal Tov to:

Marilyn Levitan on the Bar Mitzvah of her son, **Aaron Vargas.**

Simon and Iliana Bielaz on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, **Eitan Bielaz.**

Condolences:

Al Shelden on the passing of his beloved wife, **Marilyn**, mother of **Gwen (Jeremy) Rosenthal** and **Eileen (Andrew) Katz**, grandmother of **Ezra, Micah, Eli, Ellie** and **Theo** and sister of **Lorraine (Bernie) Gottlieb.**

May her memory be for a blessing to all those who knew her and loved her.



YAHREZITS

Miriam Dantus	Celia Chazan's Sister	1-Sep/4 Elul
David Fainstein	Jaime Fainstein's Father	1-Sep/4 Elul
Eugenia Handelman	Sara Fainstein's Mother	1-Sep/4 Elul
Shica Slutskeya	Golda Slutskeya's Grandfather	1-Sep/4 Elul
Jack Zipp	Elaine Smith and Janice Zipp Cannizzaro's Uncle.....	1-Sep/4 Elul
Bart Feldmar	Toni Goldstein's Brother and Jennifer Meltzer's Uncle.....	2-Sep/5 Elul
Boaz Talerman	Diane Talerman's Husband, Sharon Talerman & Masha Lipner's Father and Myer Talerman's Brother	2-Sep/5 Elul
*Tillie Weisman	Remembered by Joe Rubin	2-Sep/5 Elul
Moshe Finkel	Tito Salzman's Grandfather	3-Sep/6 Elul
Ninette Karsenty	Rene Sportes' Aunt	3-Sep/6 Elul
Tsvi Oratowski	Jesica Oratowski Coleman's Father	3-Sep/6 Elul
Anna Hollender	Jonathan Geiger's Grandmother	4-Sep/7 Elul
Adolf Braun	Gary Brown's Grandfather	5-Sep/8 Elul
Maureen Burke	Beth Vann's Mother	5-Sep/8 Elul
*Ida Abrams	Evie Sevel's Aunt.....	6-Sep/9 Elul
Harold Simon	Gillian Moss' Father.....	6-Sep/9 Elul

Yahrzeits

Sadi Sportes	Rene Sportes' Father	6-Sep/10 Elul
*Ruben Veinbergs	Miguel Veinbergs' Brother	6-Sep/10 Elul
*Moise Algazi	Albert Algazi's Father	7-Sep/11 Elul
Robert Gottschalk	Judi Gottschalk's Husband	7-Sep/11 Elul
Kalman Grun	Elizabeth Green's Great Grandfather	7-Sep/11 Elul
*Paul Weil	Remembered by Ohr Shalom.....	7-Sep/11 Elul
*Ketty Capelluto	Stella Salzman's Mother.....	8-Sep/12 Elul
Hertha Sherwood	Doreen Casuto's Mother	8-Sep/12 Elul
Sally Lombrozo	Jose Lombrozo's Mother	9-Sep/13 Elul
*Zachary Lachow	Lillian Lachow's Father	10-Sep/14 Elul
Lena Toby Spellman	Roberta Greene's Grandmother	10-Sep/14 Elul
Jessie Tabak	Mel Tabak's Mother and Jennifer Tabak-Levy's Grandmother	10-Sep/14 Elul
Juan Finkelberg	Jorge Finkelberg's Father.....	11-Sep/15 Elul
*Israel Louis Lacher	Roberta Shoman's Father	12-Sep/16 Elul
Paul T. Linsk	Amy Morris' Uncle.....	12-Sep/16 Elul
Israel Tiger	Stan Tiger's Father	13-Sep/17 Elul
Levy Tocatli	Silvia Gold's Father.....	14-Sep/18 Elul
Max Zands	Samy Zands' Father	14-Sep/18 Elul
Robert Castiglione	Joe Castiglione's Father	16-Sep/20 Elul
Reyna Koppe	Aaron Rubinstein's Sister.....	16-Sep/20 Elul
Joel Nemoy	Anita Nemoy's Husband and Justina Nemoy's Father.....	16-Sep/20 Elul
*Beatrice Zeer	Jane Zeer's Mother.....	16-Sep/20 Elul
Feliciano Artenstein	Remembered by Sara Artenstein.....	17-Sep/21 Elul
Bessie Eichenbaum	Remembered by Joe Rubin	17-Sep/21 Elul
Phyllis Kanter	Miriam Plotkin's Mother.....	17-Sep/21 Elul
Miguel Chazan	Remembered by Celia Chazan	18-Sep/22 Elul
Violet Dascal	Diane Talerma's Mother	18-Sep/22 Elul
*Margo Hamui	Alberto Hamui's Mother.....	18-Sep/22 Elul
Anita Ruth Stuppler	Remembered by Anita Nemoy and Justina Nemoy.....	18-Sep/22 Elul
BJ Dyer-Rubin	Remembered by Joe Rubin.....	19-Sep/23 Elul
*Fannie Loeserman	Debbie Reid's Grandmother	19-Sep/23 Elul
Lou Dunst	Remembered by Ohr Shalom.....	20-Sep/24 Elul
*Irving Rosenfeld	Jerry Horn's Grandfather.....	20-Sep/24 Elul
*Harry Sevel	Remembered by Evie Sevel	20-Sep/24 Elul
Alfred Tobias Brauer	Sandra Finkelberg's Father	21-Sep/25 Elul
Vera Kwilecki	Remembered by Ohr Shalom.....	21-Sep/25 Elul
*Sylvan Silberg	Judith Silberg's Husband	21-Sep/25 Elul
Ruthy Braun	Izzy Braun's Wife and Sara Fainstein's Cousin.....	22-Sep/26 Elul
Norman Lipner	Aaron Lipner's Father	22-Sep/26 Elul
Alice Starobin	Barrett Avigdor's Grandmother	22-Sep/26 Elul
Sam Zipp	Elaine Smith and Janice Zipp Cannizzaro's Uncle.....	22-Sep/26 Elul
*Bettie R. Greene	Norman Greene's Mother.....	23-Sep/27 Elul
*Linda Rose	Susan Kaplan's Sister.....	23-Sep/27 Elul
Vida Levy	Vida Sportes, Miryam Sloatizki & Reyna Forman's Grandmother.....	24-Sep/28 Elul
*Byron Broudy	Alice Broudy Cupples' Father.....	25-Sep/29 Elul
*Louis J. Greene	Norman Greene's Father	25-Sep/29 Elul
Annette F. Kronich	Louise Chandler's Mother	25-Sep/29 Elul
Moises Mizrahi	Remembered by Aaron Rubinstein	25-Sep/29 Elul
Edith Wellman	Gerry Wellman's Mother and Vanessa Bergenfild's Grandmother	25-Sep/29 Elul
Cynthia Fox	Steve Fox's Mother.....	26-Sep/1 Tishrei
*Shura Gurvich	Remembered by the Veinbergs and Galicot Families	26-Sep/1 Tishrei
Benjamin Rosental	Ruben Rosental's Father	26-Sep/1 Tishrei
*Hilde Sachs	Ray Sachs' Mother.....	26-Sep/1 Tishrei
*Aaron Louis Solof	Susan Kaplan's Father	26-Sep/1 Tishrei
Max Wachterman	Susan Hagler's Father	26-Sep/1 Tishrei
Buzz Converse	Linda Mostel's Uncle.....	27-Sep/2 Tishrei
Albert Goldberg	Karen Rund and Susie Meltzer's Uncle.....	27-Sep/2 Tishrei
Lois Green	Elizabeth Green's Mother.....	27-Sep/2 Tishrei
Jerilyn Mantel	Barry Mantel's Mother.....	27-Sep/2 Tishrei
Shirley Boardman	Laura Castillo's Grandmother	29-Sep/4 Tishrei
Steven Lawrence Green	Elizabeth Green's Brother	29-Sep/4 Tishrei
Jane Ruth Rykerd	Remembered by Ohr Shalom.....	29-Sep/4 Tishrei
Michael Koppe	Remembered by Aaron Rubinstein	30-Sep/5 Tishrei
*Cecilia Sommer	Elena Kucinski's Mother	30-Sep/5 Tishrei
Henry Sportes	Rene Sportes' Brother.....	30-Sep/5 Tishrei
Sara Zipp	Elaine Smith and Janice Zipp Cannizzaro's Grandmother.....	30-Sep/5 Tishrei

** denotes a memorial plaque was purchased in memory of a loved one*



CALENDAR OF EVENTS **September 2022**

Elul/Tishrei 5782/5783

		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY	
<h1 style="text-align: center;">Shanah Tovah 2022/5783</h1> <p style="text-align: center;">Wishing our Ohr Shalom family a healthy, sweet, peaceful year!</p>		1	5 Elul	2	6 Elul	3	7 Elul
		6:15pm - Minyan 7:00pm - Pre-High-Holy Days Classes with Elisheva Edelson		2:00pm - Office Closes 6:15pm - Kabbalat Shabbat Service "Ask the Rabbi"		9:30am - Shabbat Service	
4	8 Elul	5	9 Elul	6	10 Elul	7	11 Elul
6:15pm - Minyan 7:45pm - Mel Brooks Film Festival "Young Frankenstein"		Labor Day Office Closed No Minyan No Choir Practice		6:15pm - Minyan 7:00pm - Meditation with Alex van Frank		10:00am - Adult Ed: Daf Yomi 6:15pm - Minyan	
8	12 Elul	9	13 Elul	10	14 Elul	11	15 Elul
6:15pm - Minyan 7:00pm - Pre-High-Holy Days Classes with Elisheva Edelson		11:00am - Slow Read Book Club 2:00pm - Office Closes 6:15pm - Kabbalat Shabbat Service		9:30am - Shabbat Service 12:00pm - Lunch & Learn		4:30pm - Religious School 6:15pm - Minyan 7:00pm - Pre-High-Holy Days Classes with Elisheva Edelson	
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9:30am - First Day Religious School 5:00pm - Public Health Update with Dr. Jen Tuteur 6:15pm - Minyan		6:15pm - Minyan 7:00pm - Choir Practice		6:15pm - Minyan 7:00pm - Meditation with Alex van Frank		10:00am - Adult Ed: Daf Yomi 6:15pm - Minyan	
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25	29 Elul	26	1 Tishrei	27	2 Tishrei	28	3 Tishrei
6:23pm		Rosh HaShanah Day 1 Office Closed 8:30am - Rosh HaShanah Morning Service 5:00pm - Tashlich		Rosh HaShanah Day 2 Office Closed 8:30am - Rosh HaShanah Morning Service		Fast of Gedaliah 10:00am - Adult Ed: Daf Yomi 6:15pm - Minyan	
29	3 Tishrei	26	1 Tishrei	27	2 Tishrei	28	3 Tishrei
4:30pm - Religious School 6:15pm - Minyan		2:00pm - Office Closes 6:15pm - Kabbalat Shabbat Service		9:30am - Shabbat Service		6:15pm - Minyan	
30	4 Tishrei	27	2 Tishrei	28	3 Tishrei	29	4 Tishrei
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Parshat Vayeilech Shabbat Shuvah 9:30am - Shabbat Service		6:24pm		6:15pm		6:15pm	
6	11 Tishrei	3	8 Tishrei	4	9 Tishrei	5	10 Tishrei
6:07pm		Erev Yom Kippur 3:30pm - Family Kol Nidre 5:45pm - Kol Nidre #1 8:00pm - Kol Nidre #2		Yom Kippur 8:30am - Yom Kippur Morning Service with Yizkor 4:00pm - Mincha & Ne'ila		4:30pm - Religious School 6:15pm - Minyan	