



# 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.

## High Holy Days Food Drive

Remember to bring your bags filled with non-perishable foods on Yom Kippur.

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## Shabbat Kehillatit in the Sukkah

Friday, October 14, 6:15pm

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## Community Action Day

AT OHR SHALOM  
Sunday, October 23,  
12:30pm- 3:00pm

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All in-person attendees MUST show ID, proof of vaccination or negative PCR test within 72 hours of attendance.

**MASKS ARE REQUIRED  
AT ALL TIMES.**



## Look Up and What Do You See?

By Rabbi Scott Meltzer

In the third chapter of Genesis, when we took our first steps towards knowledge, God acknowledges that we have now evolved to resemble divine beings – “look humanity has become like one of us . . . “ (Gen 3:22). One way to tell the history of our species, is to relate how we have progressed in knowledge and understanding of the world around us.

Remember, in the Genesis story, the fruit for which we are willing to defy God’s command does not confer knowledge, but rather moral knowledge – the knowledge of good and evil. The quest that drives the man and the woman to eat the fruit derives from the desire for moral discernment – the fruit looked awfully good to them.

Also please remember, God expels the woman and the man not as punishment for eating the fruit, there are other consequences for that disobedience. God expels them specifically because now they are like divine beings, and God expresses a concern that now if they also eat from the Tree of Life and live forever, they will really become like gods! So God expelled them from the garden.

This month we are commanded to live outdoors for a week – not really outdoors, rather in the Sukkah. We leave all of our creature comforts behind us in the house – electricity, plumbing, television and the internet. I strongly encourage you to make the Sukkah a cell-free zone.

All of those amenities of our modern existence represent our continuing quest for discovery and knowledge, and some of them at least, have helped to ameliorate our existence.

We have accomplished so much in scientific knowledge, and in technological progress, but Sukkot is not a celebration of how powerful we have become. In some ways, just the opposite.

Sukkot should remind us of the very beginning, when we lived in that garden. We should remember that our drive for knowledge was a drive for moral knowledge – to know good and evil. As we look through the top of the Sukkah and see the stars and perhaps even feel the rain falling, we should be mindful that even with all of our accomplishments, all the ways in which we think of ourselves as powerful, important, like divine-beings, we are actually quite small. Our power and intellect pale before the power and intellect of the world around us – its creation and its enduring functioning.

This past month as we welcomed the New Year we have spent a long time together, sitting indoors, worrying, reflecting, repenting and praying for the future. Sukkot is our chance to begin living in that future.

With the deepest of convictions, personal and collective, let us remember that our initial drive for knowledge, as reflected in the Torah, is a drive to discern good from evil.

Let this Sukkot be filled with time in the Sukkah, and let our time in the Sukkah be filled with refilling our commitment to living sacred, moral lives within this infinite universe.

Enjoy the stars, enjoy the rain (if it falls), enjoy the eating and sleeping outside, and especially enjoy the company of those around you!

Chag Sukkot Sameach, have a magnificent holiday!

## 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

#### YOM KIPPUR

Erev Yom Kippur .....	Tuesday, October 4
Family Kol Nidre Service .....	3:30pm
Kol Nidre Service #1 .....	5:45pm
Kol Nidre Service #2 .....	8:00pm
Yom Kippur.....	Wednesday, October 5
Morning Service with Yizkor .....	8:30am
Study and Discussion & Movement .....	3:00pm
Mincha and Ne'ilah.....	4:00pm
Break the Fast.....	7:10pm

### Erev Yom Kippur/ Kol Nidre

Tuesday, October 4

Special Kol Nidre Prelude by  
Eileen Wingard on Violin!

Eileen Wingard will play Kol Nidre on her violin as the prelude to both services. Don't be late for whichever service you chose to attend.

5:45pm - Kol Nidre #1

8:00pm - Kol Nidre #2

*(You do not need to notify the office of your choice to attend at either 5:45pm or 8:00pm.)*



### Erev Sukkot Minyan and Fish Taco Dinner in the Lemoines' Sukkah



Sunday, October 9

Minyan at 6:15pm, dinner to follow

The Lemoines would like to make sure they have enough food so please RSVP by **Thursday, October 6** to Jessica Lemoine at [jessicasontag.lemoine@gmail.com](mailto:jessicasontag.lemoine@gmail.com) or text to: 860-416-2473. (You will receive their address and other info.)

### EREV SIMCHAT TORAH

Monday, October 17



5:30pm - Family-Friendly Dinner  
6:00pm - Simchat Torah Service and Celebration  
8:00pm - Study discussion



## HIGH HOLY DAYS

# SUKKOT 5783 סוכות

## Services & Events

**Erev Sukkot**.....Sunday, October 9, 6:15pm  
*Minyan and Dinner at the Lemoines' Sukkah*

**Sukkot** .....Monday, October 10, 9:30am  
Tuesday, October 11, 9:30am  
*Sukkot Morning Service*

**Shabbat Sukkot Kehillatit**  
Friday, October 14, 6:15pm  
*Shabbat Sukkot Service*

**Shabbat Sukkot** ....Saturday, October 15, 9:30am  
*Shabbat Sukkot Morning Service*

**Hoshana Rabah**.....Sunday, October 16, 6:15pm  
*Minyan*

**Shemini Atzeret** ...Monday, October 17, 9:30am  
*Shemini Atzeret Morning Service with Yizkor*

**Erev Simchat Torah** Mon, October 17, 5:30pm  
*Simchat Torah Service & Celebration*

**Simchat Torah** ..... Tuesday, October 18, 9:30am  
*Simchat Torah Morning Service*

## Youth Social Action

### Ohr Shalom Kids Kahal/USY Helping Hands Project

Please purchase small toiletries, individually wrapped snack items and socks to bring to the synagogue for our annual Helping Hands Project. During Yom Kippur, the children will be assembling bags for the homeless filled with the gifts that you bring.

- **Travel Size Toiletries**  
(toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, hand sanitizer, band aids, womens sanitary products, deodorant, personal wipes, etc.)
- **Socks**
- **Granola bars**
- **Small Water Bottles**
- **Gum**
- **Facial Tissue**

**Collection Bins  
in the Lobby**

May it be a New Year of helping others, and may every person's needs be fulfilled.

Ohr Shalom Kids Kahal/USY

### Recycled Sukkot Art Project

Recycled Items for Donations Needed

- Plastic bottles • Cereal boxes
- Buttons • Bottle caps • String
- Toilet paper rolls • Pop tabs (from cans)

## Shabbat Kehillatit in the Sukkah



### Friday, October 14

Family-friendly service: 6:15pm  
Community Dinner: 7:15pm  
RSVP for dinner by October 7  
Please contact office

#### Members

Adults: \$15  
Children: \$8  
(5-12 years old. Children under 5 FREE)

#### Non-members

Adults: \$20  
Children: \$10

## NEW THIS YEAR! KEHILLATIT CARD 5783



One year Kehillatit Card for a family:  
**\$360** (includes all Kehillatit dinners)

One year Kehillatit Card for an individual: **\$108**

**Sponsor a table** for any one Kehillatit Dinner: **\$360**



## Religious School & TA'AM TORAH in Rabbi Meltzer's Sukkah

Sunday, October 16, 9:30am

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THERE SHOULD BE  
PLENTY FOR EVERYONE.**



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## WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT

**Marvin Yudkovitz**  
President

### **Rabbi Hillel said “...do not say ‘When I am free I will study,’ for perhaps you will not become free.”** – PIRKEI AVOT 2:6

When Hillel couldn't afford the fees of his local school, he would climb the roof and listen to lessons through an open window, even during the harsh winter months. He recognized that no obstacle is insurmountable to someone who truly wishes to learn.

One key to intellectual well-being is lifelong learning and study. The good news is that at Ohr Shalom we have a large amount of opportunities for this, and we make it super easy to participate. And the even better news is that our Immediate Past President, (unlimited energy) Lynn Mendelsohn, is the Chairperson of the Adult Education Committee!!

In this month's column, I answer some questions about learning opportunities at Ohr Shalom, provide information on how you can engage in them, and also encourage your involvement in future programming. Please see the full course descriptions on the Adult Education page in this issue of the Davar. Most classes take place in the Ohr Shalom Zoom room, unless otherwise stated in the course description.

#### **New Programs this Fall**

**Psalms** – Mondays at noon. In this new weekly class with Rabbi Meltzer we'll read, study, and discuss all 150 psalms in both Hebrew and English (using a book of your own choosing). Drop-ins welcome.

**Shabbat Services Synagogue Skills class** – Why do we stand sometimes in services? Why do we pray silently and other times aloud? Which red book is for which part of the service? What's the meaning behind certain prayers? These and a lot of other questions will be answered in this class conducted by Sue Brown. Please call Sue [619-993-4154] to let her know you are interested and for payment details.

**Beginning Hebrew Reading for Adults** – This 20-session class, conducted by Sue Brown, will teach participants how to read Hebrew to be able to read prayers, to be literate and participatory. Please call Sue Brown [619-993-4154] to let her know you are interested and for payment details.

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# DAVAR

#### **Ongoing Classes That Will Welcome You**

**Slow Read Book Club** – Fridays at 11:00am. Rabbi Meltzer leads a discussion of the current selected book. Typically this involves one chapter per week. Of course all books have some Jewish focus, but otherwise range across a variety of topics. The title and author of the book being read is listed in the Davar. Drop-ins welcome (call the office for that week's chapter to read).

**Daf Yomi** – Wednesdays at 10:00am. A group of congregants engages in two hours of study and discussion led by Rabbi Meltzer (who attends the first hour). So what is Daf Yomi? This is a regimen of studying the 2,711 double-sided folios of the Babylonian Talmud. The total time required to complete the study is seven and a half years. Some individuals study daily, we at Ohr Shalom study together weekly (but members read the pages daily). Some interesting facts: The first cycle of Daf Yomi began on Rosh Hashanah in 1923. The 14th Daf Yomi cycle began January 2020. People engaging in Daf Yomi, regardless of where they are in the world, are all studying the same sections and pages!! The Talmud has two components: the Mishnah (c. 200 CE), and the Gemara (c. 500 CE). These contain a variety of subjects, including laws and rules, ethics, philosophy, customs, history, folklore, and many other topics. Drop-ins welcome.

#### **Learn When You Attend Shabbat Services!**

**Ask the Rabbi** – Typically at Shabbat services on the first Friday night of the month (check the Davar each month for possible date changes). Rabbi Meltzer answers any and all questions related to Jewish laws and customs. This is a wonderful opportunity to ask whatever you have been wondering about, so make a list from month to month. And remember the general axiom – if it's a question you have, many others also have the same question. In person in the Sanctuary, or the Ohr Shalom Zoom Room.

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# OHR SHALOM SERVICE SCHEDULE

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

Friday	September 30	6:15pm	Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Saturday	October 1	9:30am	Shabbat Service
Friday	October 7	6:15pm	Kabbalat Shabbat Service "Ask the Rabbi"
Saturday	October 8	9:30am	Shabbat Service
Friday	October 14	6:15pm	Shabbat Kehillatit Service
Saturday	October 15	9:30am	Shabbat Service
		2:00pm	<b>Afternoon Bat Mitzvah: Maverick Hamel-Garcia</b>
Friday	October 21	6:15pm	Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Saturday	October 22	9:30am	Shabbat Service
Friday	October 28	6:15pm	Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Saturday	October 29	9:30am	Shabbat Service

NO Shabbat Morning Babysitting until further notice.



### KABBALAT SHABBAT SERVICE "ASK THE RABBI"

**Friday, October 7 at 6:15pm**

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

## Shabbat Kehillatit in the Sukkah WE'RE BACK!!!



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### 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 Goff-Treseder.

### 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: 632432



## PARSHIYOT & CANDLELIGHTING October 2022

### PARSHAT VAYEILECH

#### SHABBAT SHUVAH

Fri: September 30 | 5 Tishrei  6:16pm  
Sat: October 1 | 6 Tishrei  
Torah: Deuteronomy 31:1-31:30  
Haft: Hosea 14:2-10, Micah 7:18-20, Joel 2:15-27

### PARSHAT HA'AZINU

Fri: October 7 | 12 Tishrei  6:07pm  
Sat: October 8 | 13 Tishrei  
Torah: Deuteronomy 32:1-32:52  
Haft: II Samuel 22:1-51

### SUKKOT

Fri: October 14 | 19 Tishrei  5:58pm  
Sat: October 15 | 20 Tishrei  
Torah: Exodus 33:12-34:26; Numbers 29:17-31  
Haft: Ezekiel 38:18-39:16

### PARSHAT BERESHIT

Fri: October 21 | 26 Tishrei  5:50pm  
Sat: October 22 | 27 Tishrei  
Torah: Genesis 1:1-6:8  
Haft: Isaiah 42:5-43:10

### PARSHAT NOACH

Fri: October 28 | 3 Cheshvan  5:43pm  
Sat: October 29 | 4 Cheshvan  
Torah: Genesis 6:9-11:32  
Haft: Isaiah 54:1-55:5

## OHR SHALOM'S CHOIR!

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

Monday, October 3  
Monday, October 24  
Monday, October 31



## G'mar Chatimah Tovah

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## FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

**Gillian Argoff-Treseder**  
Executive Director

### SHALOM CHAVERIM

*Shalom Chaverim* is one of my favorite songs I learned growing up. It brings to mind the importance of friendship (chaverim=friends) and the beautiful bonds created by friends found at Synagogue and through the shared experiences of being Jewish. My closest friends are all from Jewish settings: USY, Hillel, Shalom Baby and here at Ohr Shalom. These people have become my village and I know I am part of theirs. I'm so honored that **Alex van Frank**, Membership Committee Chair, is my friend and that I now get to work with her on the Board at Ohr Shalom.

Alex has been working hard to increase the benefits of Ohr Shalom Membership through friendship. I'm turning the rest of this article over to her so she can tell you all about it...



**Alex van Frank**  
Membership Chair

In January we will be launching various *Chavurot* at Ohr Shalom. I've been busy coming up with themes such as Neighborhood Circles, Adventures in New Restaurants, Board Gamers, Israeli Culture, Travelers, Jews of Color, Investors, New parents, just to name a few! Please let me know if any of these peak your interest because the most important element to a Chavurah is you.

Speaking of you, you may be asking yourself why would you want to join a Chavurah here? It will help strengthen your sense of belonging to our community, which according to many scientific studies, increases your sense of well-being and is great for your mental health. Covid has been rough on a lot of relationships and this is a great way to come together with those you've seen only through a screen. Plus, did you know we have Mahjong Mavens in our community?

What would make you a good candidate to be in a Chavurah? Glad you asked! There will be lots of "flavors" of groups so find one (or recommend one) that sounds interesting to you. Come in with a helpful and kind attitude - we are all volunteers looking to have fun and support each other. Also, it helps to be open to listening and making yourself available when you are with the group.

I am so happy to be part of forming these friendship circles to strengthen our community. Unlike Gillian, I never had the opportunity to go to Jewish camp or be involved in USY. So I ask you all, will you all help me form these strong bonds now later in life? Email me and join a group, it'll benefit us all. Thank you friends!



## CHESED/COMMUNITY CARING

**Aviva Ilanit Rosenberg**  
Chesed/Community Caring Chair

The Chesed/Community Caring committee is a meaningful way for you to engage with other Ohr Shalom members and support one of the most important values of Judaism: *V'ahavta l'reacha kamocha* - compassion for others ("Love your neighbor as yourself").

You can participate anytime during the year, and you can decide how many times you are able to contribute your time. No commitment. There is something for everyone - from making and delivering a homemade delicious dessert or challah to a sick congregant, to catching up with a new friend over the phone. There are many ways to be part of the Chesed committee.

You can contact me at [chesed@ohrshalom.org](mailto:chesed@ohrshalom.org) or at (619) 621-7212.

Shana Tova!

**Please join us for the Chesed committee meeting on Tuesday, October 25 at 7:00pm** in the [Ohr Shalom Zoom Room](#).

## PUBLIC HEALTH CORNER



**October is the best time to get your Flu Shot and updated COVID-19 booster.**

**GET YOURS NOW!**

### BLOOD DRIVE

Ohr Shalom Synagogue

**Sunday, November 13**  
in the Ohr Shalom Social Hall  
**from 8:30am - 2:30pm**

We strongly encourage appointments.  
[sandiegobloodbank.org/donate](http://sandiegobloodbank.org/donate) (619) 400-8521



**988 - Suicide and Crisis Lifeline**

**988** is the new three digit code to route callers to the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline for support 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Please remember this number if you or someone you know is in crisis. There is no charge. Call or text 988, or chat at [988lifeline.org](http://988lifeline.org) from anywhere in the country.



Announcing a new, ongoing class, with Rabbi Meltzer

## **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.

### **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**

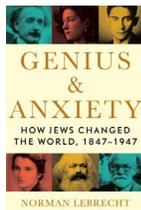
• In-depth chapter discussions

**Fridays at 11:00am  
October 7, 14, 28**

#### **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.

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\*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.

### **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.

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

## 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**

**COMMUNITY ACTION DAY**  
AT **OHR SHALOM**  
**SUNDAY, OCT 23RD**  
**12:30-3:00 PM**  
**ALL AGES**



**REGISTER  
HERE BY 10/16**

**SEE PAGE 11  
FOR DETAILS**



**FOR MORE INFO OR WITH QUESTIONS: USY@OHRSHALOM.ORG**



## ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECTS

**Allyson Darroch**  
Environmental Projects Chair

## WAITING FOR THE ORGANIC TRASHMAN OR SOMEONE LIKE HIM

And so we wait, even though implementation of California State Senate Bill 1383 (SB 1383) in San Diego tarries.. still we believe.

Meanwhile, consider water conservation at home. No, not Navy showers (water on, water off, 5 minutes max). Although, if you save the water running before you take a shower, you can use it to water a garden (if you don't mind hauling a 5-gallon bucket back and forth). Not communal flushing, PLEASE.

You don't want decorative gravel as yard art even if made from recycled tires.

You aren't a fan of the new "looks virtually real" plastic grass? Did you know that the temperature of plastic grass on clear warm days gets superheated to temperatures from 120 to 180 degrees F? Playing on synthetic turf can melt shoes, blister hands and feet, and induce dehydration and heatstroke. Ouch.

Is staring at drooping daylilies, wilting roses, and dead fescue in your front yard yet another reason to feel depressed? Sure, hand watering your trees twice a week before 7:00am or after 9:00pm does get you out into the fresh air. However, it is still somehow less than satisfying.

Have you considered using graywater? Laundry to landscape for homeowners doesn't have to involve a landscape architect or even a permit (<https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/dpw/watersheds/residential/WashWaterGrayWater.html>)

The simplest system is a rain barrel (55 gals) with at least two outlets near the bottom of the barrel, garden hoses long enough to run from the barrel to your yard, a washing machine discharge hose probably longer than the one you currently have, a way to run the hose(s) from the rain barrel to your yard, a place close to your washing machine for the rain barrel, and a willingness to experiment.

If moving a hose around after each load of laundry isn't quite your thing, you can also include a soaker hose or two. If you have more areas to water you can get a hose splitter. The system is gravity fed – water will slowly run out from the barrel and come out wherever you choose. The discharge hose can be moved from the rain barrel back to the drain if you have more water than you need.

As you can see from the picture, the system lacks an aesthetic appeal unless you are into Rube Goldberg, but your grass will be green, your bedding plants alive, the trees are in deep green shade and your water bill will no longer resemble the national debt. It's an option.



Graywater laundry system



## ISRAEL DESK

Susie Meltzer  
Israel Desk

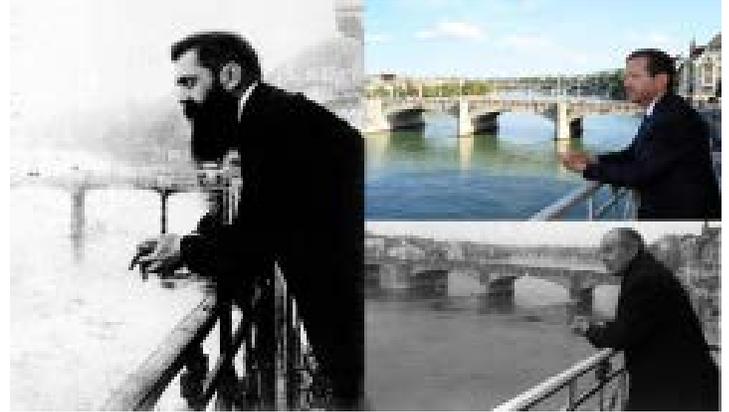
# RECLAIM ZIONISM ON THE 125TH ANNIVERSARY OF HERZL'S DREAM

Israeli President **Isaac Herzog** was in Basel, Switzerland recently to mark the 125th anniversary of the World Zionist Organization's (WZO) First Congress in 1897, a major milestone in Zionist history. Herzog remarked, "Zionism is the ideal combination of Judaism's deepest roots with groundbreaking innovation and entrepreneurial spirit."

Israel today is a living and vibrant Jewish democracy. However, only five generations ago in Basel, Israel was only a dream. Then **Theodore Herzl**, father of modern political Zionism, addressed the WZO and laid out his vision for the Jewish people's path to return to their ancient homeland, re-establish Jewish sovereignty in the Land of Israel and be responsible for their own destiny. His dream was to safeguard the survival of Jews, not only physically, but religiously and culturally. His dream was known as Zionism.

From its inception, Zionism advocated tangible as well as spiritual aims, joining Jews from many places, of all persuasions, left, right, religious and secular, working together in the Zionist movement for a Jewish homeland. And, since Israel was established in 1948, Zionism has been integral to the development of the country and the protection of its inhabitants through support within and outside its borders.

Unfortunately, but not unexpectedly, resistance to the Zionist movement and the new State of Israel appeared from the start. The actions of the United Nations, one of Israel's early supporters, however, was a surprise. Arab countries, wanting to delegitimize Israel, successfully pressured the UN to their side to help condemn Israeli policies. The UN repeatedly legitimized biased resolutions, making Israel a villain on the world stage, and fueling the anti-Zionist movement. Furthermore, in 1975 came the passage of the infamous UN resolution 3379 that called Zionism a form of racism. Israel's Ambassador **Chaim Herzog**, the father of the current president, vehemently protested, even shredding the resolution within the UN



On the balcony of the Hotel Les Trois Rois in Basel, Switzerland Left: Theodore Herzl, August 1897. Top right: President Isaac Herzog, August 29, 2022. Bottom right: His father, Israel's sixth president, Chaim Herzog, 1987.

chambers. Although it was revoked in 1991, the idea that "Zionism is racism" has gained strength over the decades through many sources. This slogan is glaringly seen and voiced through the media and BDS (Boycott, Divest and Sanctions Movement) and by white supremacists in the US and in many locations around the world.

President Isaac Herzog's address in Basel was a plea for Zionism. He observed that the word "Zionist" has increasingly been used as an epithet to make antisemitic comments under the guise of legitimate criticism of Israel. "We must reclaim the word Zionism. We must take back the word to be an expression of our own national identity, traditions, hopes, pride, enlightened values, justice, and commitment to Tikkun Olam."

I agree. Let's take back the principles, heritage and real meaning of Zionism.

## WORDS FROM THE PRESIDENT (CONT.)

**Lunch and Learn** – Typically on the second and fourth Saturdays of the month (check the Davar each month for possible date changes), following the morning service. Rabbi Meltzer leads a class/discussion on a topic. What a wonderful opportunity to have food for the body and food for the mind, in the relaxing atmosphere of Shabbat early afternoon. In person only.

### Other Upcoming Programs

Pre-recorded lectures and talks by scholars. Check future issues of the Davar for information on these and other upcoming programs.

Do you have some ideas for Adult Education; would you like to **join the Committee**? Please contact Lynn Mendelsohn.

Contact me at: [president@ohrshalom.org](mailto:president@ohrshalom.org) or 240-506-3042.

## COMMUNITY EVENT

### Jewish Poets-Jewish Voices

**Tuesday, October 25, 7:00pm - 8:30pm**

*In Person at the Astor Judaica Library at the Lawrence Family JCC*

Kick off the 15th season of Jewish Poets-Jewish Voices with three local Jewish poets: Nathan Grinshpun, Jane Muschenetz and Omer Zalmanowitz.

Open mic to follow. Info at

[https://www.lfjcc.org/cjc/arts\\_and\\_ideas.aspx](https://www.lfjcc.org/cjc/arts_and_ideas.aspx)

To sign up for open mic, email [melanier@lfjcc.org](mailto:melanier@lfjcc.org)

Price: **Free**



## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

**Judith Eisenberg**  
Religious School Principal



Religious School started on Sunday, September 11. It was wonderful to see so many smiling faces, even underneath masks.

We are privileged to have a fantastic group of highly qualified teachers this year, and many teenage madrichim to teach our students. Our teachers have a combination of skills, with some returning from last year, some new teachers who have joined us and have public school experience. We are also lucky enough to have a teacher who focuses on helping the bet/gimmel/dalet/hay students with Hebrew. This year, we also welcomed a new shinshin from Israel to introduce our kids to Israel – its people, history, and culture – and also supplement with Hebrew.

After the first day ended, the teachers all let me know that their first days went well. Most classes consisted of just introductions to their students, themselves, and the curriculum.

As I write this, I look forward to meeting parents at parent orientation on September 18 – but this article will be printed after it has already happened. I hope you will read this article and think back about how lovely it was for all of us to meet.

Looking forward to a fantastic year!

### REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

email [principal@ohrshalom.org](mailto:principal@ohrshalom.org)  
or click link in the weekly Ekol

### 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

**In October we gather for Simchat Torah, a celebration to mark the end (and beginning) of reading the Torah and its laws. What is the most important law or commandment to you that is found in the Torah?**



**Abraham Z. (kitah zayin):** My favorite commandment is to be kind to animals.

## TA'AM TORAH A TASTE OF TORAH

Program for 4-year-olds at Ohr Shalom  
**October 2022 - May 2023**

Facilitated by Jennifer Meltzer

Sessions will include: music, movement, holiday preparation, art, stories, t'fillah and LOTS OF FUN!

We request a minimum of 4 children in order to run this class

This program is geared for the children, it is not a parent participatory program, although parental attendance is optional (**children must be potty-trained**)

For more information contact,  
Judith Eisenberg (619) 231-1456  
[principal@ohrshalom.org](mailto:principal@ohrshalom.org)



**Sundays, 10:30-11:30am:**

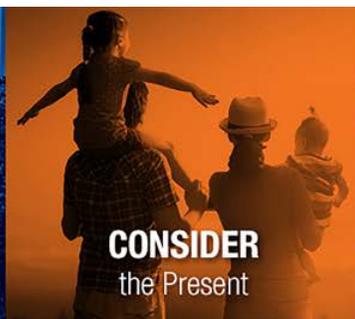
Nov 13 • Jan 29 • Feb 12 •  
Mar 19 • April 2 • May 7

**Cost:**

**\$125:** 7 session package  
**\$20:** Individual session



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the Present



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for the Future



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## YOUTH GROUP

**Emily Curtis**  
USY Youth Director



We are so excited the year has begun! I loved seeing familiar faces in September at our Sr. USY **Murder Mystery** event and our board members have had their first meeting of the year to brainstorm more opportunities for the future.

Join us in October for our **Yom Kippur** youth programming on **Wednesday, October 5** and again on **Friday, October 14** at our table at **Kehillatit** to celebrate Sukkot with the youth department.

### Community Action Day

Our main event in October is the **Community Action Day, Sunday, October 23, 12:30-3:00pm**. We will have over 10 organizations at Ohr Shalom presenting on who they are, what they do, and how you can be involved throughout the year. Each group will have a direct service project that benefits the organization or an engaging, active component. We will conclude with making meals for the JFS Safe Parking Program. All ages – youth and adults - are welcome to join us for the event. **Please register using the QR code in the flyer on this page by Sunday, October 16th.**

OHR SHALOM

# Community Action Day

Advocacy and giving back to the community is a year round activity. Join us to learn about organizations in our community that need you and help them

**SUNDAY, OCT 23RD**  
**12:30PM-3:00PM**

Masks & vaccination or proof of negative test required; pictures checked at the door

**JOIN US FOR:**

- Bagel lunch and schmoozing
- Visit stations of your choosing to learn from and volunteer with
- Collaborative social action project to make meals for those at the JFS Safe Parking Program

**REGISTER BY SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16TH**

**PARTICIPATING ORGS:**

- ADL
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- FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE SD
- JFS
- JNF
- SD PRIDE
- UCSD PAL PROGRAM
- AND MORE

This FREE event is for all ages youth and adults

**MORE INFORMATION**  
usy@ohrshalom.org

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

### Fiddler on the Roof

**Saturdays and Sundays, October 29-November 13**  
*at the Lawrence Family JCC*

The story of "Fiddler on the Roof" centers on Tevye, a milkman in the village of Anatevka, who attempts to maintain his Jewish religious and cultural traditions. One by one, his three oldest daughters start to resist Jewish tradition all while outside influences encroach upon his family's lives.

*In the cast are Ohr Shalom members: Natan Lemoine, Maital Meltzer, Aviva Wolpoff and Milo Wolpoff.*

### Remembrance Reading: We Are Witnesses

**Wednesday, November 9, 2022 at 8:00pm**  
*at the Lawrence Family JCC*

"We Are Witnesses" is a play written by Holocaust survivor Jacob Boas. It shows the cruelties of the Holocaust through the eyes of five Jewish teenagers. The five diarists did not survive the war, but their words did. Each diary reveals one voice, one teenager coping with the impossible.

Price: **Free.**

Tickets and more information for these and other JCompany shows:

[https://www.lfjcc.org/cjc/jco\\_youth\\_theatre.aspx](https://www.lfjcc.org/cjc/jco_youth_theatre.aspx)



# Hats Off to Bill Morris, Ohr Shalom's Shabbat Morning "Engineer"

by Lynn Mendelsohn

If Ohr Shalom had to pay its If Ohr Shalom had to pay its volunteer workers, most whom hold advanced degrees, the synagogue's annual budget would soar. A case in point is Dr. William C. ("Bill") Morris, who holds a Bachelors degree in Applied Physics and Information Science, a Masters in Linguistics, and a PhD in Linguistics and Cognitive Science, all from UCSD. For the past several years, Bill has been Ohr Shalom's tireless "Shabbat Morning Staffing Engineer." Working behind the scenes, Bill recruits the individuals who will lead *P'sukei D'zimra*, *Shacharit*, the Torah service and *Musaf*. He arranges for the chanting of *Haftarah* and selects those who will *leyn* from the Torah scroll. Because Bill takes this not-so-easy job seriously, Shabbat services tend to roll along without a glitch.

Bill was born in 1950 in San Diego, the second son in a loving Protestant family. He was precociously curious about Judaism. When Bill was 8, he read an article about the Holocaust in *Life* magazine, which set him to wondering: *What could the Jews have done?* Not long after, he noticed that a large number of the non-blacks in the Civil Rights Movement were Jews. *Why was that?* Ultimately, Bill concluded three things: (1) Jews were believers in social justice, (2) Jews were believers in academics, and (3) they had managed to teach and maintain these values over a thousand-plus years and over an enormous area. How did they do that? In 1967 when he was in 11th grade, Bill followed the Six Day War with such overt concern for Israel that his friends



started calling him "Moshe" for Moshe Dyan. At UCSD, Bill joined the Jewish Student Association, and began to study Hebrew. He enrolled in an undergrad course called Hebraic Traditions, taught by Rabbi Samuel Penner. Bill asked Rabbi Penner to guide his conversion, which the Rabbi did, having him read dozens of books over the span of a couple of years, and finally asking "Well, have you read them all?" Bill's conversion took place in 1973.

Bill met Amy Linsk during his sophomore year at UCSD. A freshman when they met, Amy was majoring in mathematics with a minor in linguistics. After a few dates, Bill took Amy home for dinner with his parents. They loved her, and knowing about Bill's obsession with Judaism, they asked whether Amy might be Jewish. Bill realized that he hadn't asked her!

Bill and Amy married in 1974, settled in Mission Valley, and then moved to Tierrasanta. They were attending Congregation Beth El when Rabbi Arnold Kopikis and the Or El congregation joined it *en masse*. When that group formed Adat Ami, Bill and Amy realized that their favorite people from *shul* were leaving. So they followed them to Adat Ami – and ultimately to Ohr Shalom.

Following his graduation from UCSD in 1972, Bill worked as a Software Engineer, ending up in 1974 at a company called LINKABIT, which designed and manufactured communications equipment for the military. In 1990, at the age of 40, Bill left LINKABIT to pursue graduate studies in linguistics – another of his passions. After completing a PhD with a dissertation on childhood language acquisition, Bill joined A-Life Medical, a medical software company where he devised language analysis software.

Now retired, Bill still pursues his interests in Hebrew, Jewish history, philosophy and tradition. He is an alumnus of many of Rabbi Meltzer's classes, including the legendary *Pirke Avot* class that met for several years during the early 2010s. Bill completed the two-year Melton course at the JCC and traveled to Israel with Melton in 2010.

Bill belongs to an informal philosophy discussion group that dominates his Tuesday mornings, and he never misses a chance to ride his bike near the ocean. Prior to COVID, Bill and Amy were avid travelers. These days, they are busy with long-deferred home improvement projects and with preparing for their first post-COVID trip next year.

The next time you see Bill, give him a grateful fist bump. Remind him of how much our congregation appreciates his excellent and essential *pro bono* efforts, making Ohr Shalom the best place to be on Shabbat mornings.

**RABBI SPEAKER SERIES**  
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**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>.



## 5th Annual Joyce Forum Jewish Short Film Festival Friday-Sunday, October 14-16

5 programs of short films. Each program includes documentaries that are 30-minutes or shorter, narratives and animated film submissions from countries such as the USA, Canada, the UK, Turkey, Norway, France and of course, Israel. View films virtually or in-person at various days/times in the David & Dorothea Garfield Theatre at the JCC. Price per program: \$18, JCC Member Price: \$15. Festival Pass: \$75, JCC Member Price: \$65.

For film synopses, viewing information and tickets, visit [jfsfff2022.eventive.org/welcome](https://jfsfff2022.eventive.org/welcome) or call 858.362.1348.

## Shabbat San Diego November 10 - 13 2022

For registration and information about these events, see: <https://shabbatsandiego.org/>.

**Challah Bake: Thursday, November 10.** Enjoy an evening of unity and inspiration, as we knead and braid delicious challah to adorn our Shabbat tables. See information page for ingredients you will need.

**Shabbat Meals: November 11 & 12.** Shabbat San Diego encourages you to reach out to a family or friend you haven't spoken to in awhile.

**Unity Havdalah Celebration: Saturday Evening, November 12.** Join the community to say goodbye to Shabbat and welcome in the new week.

**7th Annual Tapestry/Community Day of Learning: Sunday, November 13.** Tapestry brings together people from diverse ages, backgrounds, and interests for a day of learning and inspiration. This year Tapestry will be entirely virtual, bringing you an incredible host of speakers, community leaders, and educators from all around the world. Tapestry will be followed by an afternoon of learning presented by Partners in Torah. Partners in Torah SD is an independent organization that meets at The Lawrence Family JCC in La Jolla.



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## Israel Philharmonic

Enjoy the return to Southern California of the **Israel Philharmonic** with new Music Director, Lahav Shani. Although they're not coming to San Diego, you can see them in Palm Desert, Costa Mesa, and Los Angeles from November 2-5. For more info: <https://afipo.org/event/israel-phil-us-tour-2022/>.



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## 10th Annual Sukkot Harvest Festival at Coastal Roots Farm, 441 Saxony Rd Encinitas Sunday, October 9, 10:00am-2:00pm

This event is inspired by the Jewish tradition of gathering community outdoors to celebrate the end of an abundant summer harvest and welcome in the fall season and all it brings. Meet us under the sukkah for a day filled with live music, food, and activities for all ages. Suggested donation: \$18/adult, \$9/child. For more information about festival activities and food and drink vendors and to register: [coastalrootsfarm.org/event/sukkot-harvest-festival-2022/](https://coastalrootsfarm.org/event/sukkot-harvest-festival-2022/).



COASTAL ROOTS FARM



## Melton Course Israeli Literature as a Window to Israeli Society 10 Wednesdays from 10:00-11:30am at Lawrence Family JCC Oct 12 - Dec 21, 2022

Instructor **Dr. Joellyn Zollman** takes you on a literary journey offering a fresh and fascinating examination of Israeli society since the birth of the State in 1948. Together, learners will read poetry and prose that is challenging and self-critical, gaining great insights into the Israeli national psyche through written reflections on Israel's mythical origins. Learners will interpret, analyze, and simply appreciate the works of well-known and lesser-known Israeli authors, such as Yehuda Amichai, Dalia Ravikovitch and Amos Oz, whose words paint a multidimensional picture of Israel. Cost: \$295. To register: <https://meltonschool.org/israeli-literature-as-a-window-to-israeli-society>. For scholarship assistance, contact [lauren@lfjcc.org](mailto:lauren@lfjcc.org).

## TODAH RABAH AND LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

### Thank you for your generous donations in September:

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Samantha McBride and Brandon Schein  
Lynn and Ivan Mendelsohn  
Amy and Bill Morris

*We apologize for any omissions.*

### *Mazal Tov to:*

**Rocky and Debbie Reid** on the birth of their granddaughter, **Maya Lula Zohara Malka**, daughter of **Rabbi Michael** and **Shayna Shefrim**.



### *Condolences to:*

**Shoshanah Feher Sternlieb (Geoffrey) and Paola Feher (Joe)** on the passing of their beloved mother, **Elsa Rosenvasser Feher**, grandmother of **Avi, Sylvie** and **Joshie Sternlieb**.

### *Todah Rabah*

to our September Shabbat Service Leaders, Torah and Haftarah Readers, D'rashot, Daily Minyan Minute, Minyan Leaders and office volunteers:

LeAnne Adams	Morris Lazard	Rachel Millstone
Jeanne Argoff	Hadarya Levy	Amy Morris
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Koba	Lynn Mendelsohn	Jane Zeer
	Shanee Michaelson	

### *Todah Rabah*

Gwen, Eileen and I want to thank each and every one of you who have supported and helped us during this very trying time for our family. The thoughts and kind words you have expressed regarding the love and respect you have for Marilyn, z"l, are very important to us and have made our journey more meaningful. We also want to report that the tzedakah given by those who attended minyan with us came to more than \$200, which we are donating to the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund.

With much love and appreciation,

*Al Shelden*

# YAHREZITS

Laurie Beth Lovell	Steve Fox's Sister .....	2-Oct/7 Tishrei
Dvora Rubinstein	Susanne Lisker's Grandmother .....	2-Oct/7 Tishrei
*Solomon Zisk	Remembered by Stan Heyman .....	2-Oct/7 Tishrei
William Mostel	Linda Mostel's Grandfather .....	3-Oct/8 Tishrei
Israel Veinbergs	Remembered by the Veinbergs and Galicot Family .....	5-Oct/10 Tishrei
Emma Kucinski	Monique Lombrozo's Mother.....	6-Oct/11 Tishrei
Rose Spolansky	Jane Zeer's Grandmother.....	6-Oct/11 Tishrei
Flora Kuritsky	Lloyd Kuritsky's Mother.....	7-Oct/12 Tishrei
Tillie Reitsky	Remembered by Al Shelden .....	7-Oct/12 Tishrei
Isaac Rozen	Fay Rozen's Husband.....	7-Oct/12 Tishrei
Silvia Seligman	Elaine Shaw's Mother .....	7-Oct/12 Tishrei
Sara Feferman	Elena Waisbord's Mother .....	9-Oct/14 Tishrei
*Jaime Zands	Samy Zands' Brother .....	9-Oct/14 Tishrei
Berek Ehrenfried	Judi Gottschalk's Father.....	10-Oct/15 Tishrei
Joel David Bakst	Naomi Eisman's Son .....	11-Oct/16 Tishrei
*Moises Bielas	Simon Bielas, Wolf Bielas and Mina Cohen's Grand Uncle.....	11-Oct/16 Tishrei
Adela Hanono	Ezra Hanono and David Hanono's Mother .....	13-Oct/18 Tishrei
Celia Sonia Rossen	Janice Boner's Mother .....	13-Oct/18 Tishrei
Sadie Zir	Jane Zeer's Grandmother.....	13-Oct/18 Tishrei
Sonia Zyman	Pepe Zyman's Wife, Carol Schwarzblat, Mark Zyman & Alex Zyman's Mother ....	13-Oct/18 Tishrei
Rashke Goldberg	Esther Tishman's Sister .....	14-Oct/19 Tishrei
William Willis	Valerie Razinsky's Father and Matthew Razinsky's Grandfather.....	14-Oct/19 Tishrei
*Ana Kalinka	Brenda Bielas' Mother .....	15-Oct/20 Tishrei
Elia Burakoff	David Burakoff's Mother .....	17-Oct/22 Tishrei
David Mendelsohn	Ivan Mendelsohn's Father.....	17-Oct/22 Tishrei
Dorcas Escoffery	Yvonne Scarlett's Grandmother .....	18-Oct/23 Tishrei
Raquel Levitan	Marilin Levitan's Sister.....	18-Oct/23 Tishrei
Ida Rosenzweig	Sherry Berlin's Grandmother .....	18-Oct/23 Tishrei
Olga Meyers	Sara Zands' Sister.....	19-Oct/24 Tishrei
Rita Fordham	Jeanne Argoff's Mother and Gillian Argoff-Treseder's Grandmother.....	20-Oct/25 Tishrei
*Sylvia Solof Cohen	Susan Kaplan's Mother.....	20-Oct/25 Tishrei
*Sheldon M. Golden	Remembered by George and Susan Kaplan .....	21-Oct/26 Tishrei
*Emilia Groswirt	Gloria Talerma's Mother .....	21-Oct/26 Tishrei
Paul Schultz	Marcia Sach's Brother.....	21-Oct/26 Tishrei
Sol Harold Levitt	Rayna Levitt's Father.....	22-Oct/27 Tishrei
Fortunee Sportes	Rene Sportes' Mother.....	22-Oct/27 Tishrei
*Hildee Estelle Weber	Roberta Greene's Mother .....	23-Oct/28 Tishrei
Charlotte Dantowitz Mostel	Linda Mostel's Grandmother.....	24-Oct/29 Tishrei
Susana Pro	Sara Arntstein's Sister .....	24-Oct/29 Tishrei
Jeannette Rubinstein	Aaron Rubinstein's Wife.....	25-Oct/30 Tishrei
Ana Chazan	Remembered by Celia Chazan .....	26-Oct/1 Cheshvan
*Arthur Schor	Renee Schor's Father .....	26-Oct/1 Cheshvan
Dora Tishman Edelson	Elisheva Edelson's Mother .....	27-Oct/2 Cheshvan
Abraham Broudy	Alice Broudy Cupples' Grandfather .....	28-Oct/3 Cheshvan
Laura B. Friedman	Evette Weiss' Mother .....	28-Oct/3 Cheshvan
*Ruth Sclar	Luis Maizel's Sister .....	28-Oct/3 Cheshvan
*Bernard Greenberg	Laurie Slade's Uncle.....	29-Oct/4 Cheshvan
*Martha Hartman	Joe Hartman's Mother .....	29-Oct/4 Cheshvan
Robert Loevinger	Nancy Loevinger's Father.....	29-Oct/4 Cheshvan
*Albert Cohen	Eddy Cohen's Father and Remembered by Gertrude Cohen.....	30-Oct/5 Cheshvan
Abraham Yehoshua Rubinstein	Remembered by Susanne Lisker .....	30-Oct/5 Cheshvan
Barney Shapiro	Melinda Shapiro's Father .....	30-Oct/5 Cheshvan
Dyna Soberon	Sara Zands' Aunt .....	30-Oct/5 Cheshvan
Rebeca Rubinstein	Aaron Rubinstein's Sister .....	31-Oct/6 Cheshvan

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



**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**October 2022**

**Tishrei/Cheshvan 5783**

SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

<p><i>Shabbat Kehillatit</i>  <i>in the Sukkah</i>  <b>Friday, October 14</b>  <i>Please RSVP by October 7</i></p> 		<p><b>EREV SIMCHAT TORAH</b>  <b>Monday, October 17</b>          9:30am - Shemini Atzeret Morning Service with Yizkor          5:30pm - Family-Friendly Dinner          6:00pm - Simchat Torah Service and Celebration          8:00pm - Study discussion</p>				<p><b>1 6 Tishrei</b>  <b>Parshat Vayeilech</b>  <b>Shabbat Shuvah</b>          9:30am - Shabbat Service            7:15pm</p>							
<p><b>2 7 Tishrei</b>          9:30am - Religious School          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>3 8 Tishrei</b>          6:15pm - Minyan          7:00pm - Choir Practice</p>		<p><b>4 9 Tishrei</b>  <b>Erev Yom Kippur</b>          3:30pm - Family Kol Nidre          5:45pm - Kol Nidre #1          8:00pm - Kil Nidre #2   6:11pm</p>		<p><b>5 10 Tishrei</b>  <b>Yom Kippur</b>          9:30am - Yom Kippur Morning Service with Yizkor          4:00pm - Mincha &amp; Ne'ilah   7:12pm</p>		<p><b>6 11 Tishrei</b>          4:30pm - Religious School          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>7 12 Tishrei</b>          11:00am - Slow Read Book Club          2:00pm - Office Closes          6:15pm - Kabbalat Shabbat Service "Ask the Rabbi"   6:07pm</p>		<p><b>8 13 Tishrei</b>  <b>Parshat Ha'Azinu</b>          9:30am - Shabbat Service   7:06pm</p>	
<p><b>9 14 Tishrei</b>  <b>Erev Sukkot</b>          9:30am - Religious School          6:15pm - Minyan &amp; Fish Tacos in Lemoines' Sukkah   6:04pm</p>		<p><b>10 15 Tishrei</b>  <b>Sukkot I</b>          Office Closed          9:30am - Sukkot Morning Service</p>		<p><b>11 16 Tishrei</b>  <b>Sukkot II</b>          Office Closed          9:30am - Sukkot Morning Service   7:03pm</p>		<p><b>12 17 Tishrei</b>  <b>Sukkot III</b>          10:00am - Adult Ed: Daf Yomi          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>13 18 Tishrei</b>  <b>Sukkot IV</b>          4:30pm - Religious School          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>14 19 Tishrei</b>  <b>Sukkot V</b>          11:00am - Slow Read Book Club          2:00pm - Office Closes          6:15pm - Kehillatit Sukkot Shabbat Service   5:58pm</p>		<p><b>15 20 Tishrei</b>  <b>Sukkot VI</b>          9:30am - Shabbat Sukkot Service  <b>Afternoon Bat Mitzvah:</b>  <b>Maverick Hamel-Garcia</b>   6:57pm</p>	
<p><b>16 21 Tishrei</b>  <b>Hoshanah Rabbah</b>          9:30am - Religious School in Rabbi's Sukkah          6:15pm - Minyan   5:56pm</p>		<p><b>17 22 Tishrei</b>  <b>Shemini Atzeret</b>          Office Closed          See Schedule in box above</p>		<p><b>18 23 Tishrei</b>  <b>Simchat Torah</b>          Office Closed          9:30am - Simchat Torah Morning Service   5:54pm</p>		<p><b>19 24 Tishrei</b>          10:00am - Adult Ed: Daf Yomi          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>20 25 Tishrei</b>          4:30pm - Religious School          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>21 26 Tishrei</b>          2:00pm - Office Closes          6:15pm - Kabbalat Shabbat Service   5:50pm</p>		<p><b>22 27 Tishrei</b>  <b>Parshat Bereshit</b>  <b>Mevarchim Chodesh</b>          9:30am - Shabbat Service          12:00pm - Lunch &amp; Learn   6:49pm</p>	
<p><b>23 28 Tishrei</b>          9:30am - Religious School          12:30pm - Community Action Day          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>24 29 Tishrei</b>          6:15pm - Minyan          7:00pm - Choir Practice</p>		<p><b>25 30 Tishrei</b>  <b>Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan</b>          6:15pm - Minyan          7:00pm - Meditation with Alex van Frank          7:00pm - Chesed Committee Meeting</p>		<p><b>26 1 Cheshvan</b>  <b>Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan</b>          10:00am - Adult Ed: Daf Yomi          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>27 2 Cheshvan</b>          4:30pm - Religious School          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>28 3 Cheshvan</b>          11:00am - Slow Read Book Club          2:00pm - Office Closes          6:15pm - Kabbalat Shabbat Service   5:43pm</p>		<p><b>29 4 Cheshvan</b>  <b>Parshat Noach</b>          9:30am - Shabbat Service   6:42pm</p>	
<p><b>30 5 Cheshvan</b>          9:30am - Religious School          10:00am - Rabbi Lecture for COMMUNITY Trip          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>31 6 Cheshvan</b>          6:15pm - Minyan          7:00pm - Choir Practice</p>		<p><b>1 7 Cheshvan</b>          6:15pm - Minyan          7:00pm - Meditation with Alex van Frank</p>		<p><b>2 8 Cheshvan</b>          10:00am - Adult Ed: Daf Yomi          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>3 9 Cheshvan</b>          4:30pm - Religious School          6:15pm - Minyan</p>		<p><b>4 10 Cheshvan</b>          11:00am - Slow Read Book Club          2:00pm - Office Closes          6:15pm - Kabbalat Shabbat Service "Ask the Rabbi"   5:36pm</p>		<p><b>5 11 Cheshvan</b>  <b>Parshat Lech-Lecha</b>          9:30am - Shabbat Service          12:00pm - Lunch &amp; Learn   6:35pm</p>	