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**SPECIAL
HIGH HOLY DAY ISSUE:**

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Welcome to
5783 at TBE!

Mission Statement

Temple Beth El is a vibrant and inclusive community of Jews who join together for prayer, education, celebration, mutual support and comfort, tikkun olam and acts of loving kindness. We are guided by Torah and the principles of the Conservative movement. We are committed to our community, the State of Israel, and Jews around the world

Vision Statement

Our vision is that Temple Beth El will be an inspiring center of Conservative Judaism in which meaningful experiences and memories take root and grow.

Values Statement

We are a welcoming and inclusive congregation.

We value and respect each congregant and his or her personal journey in Judaism.

We foster a sense of connectedness with our community.

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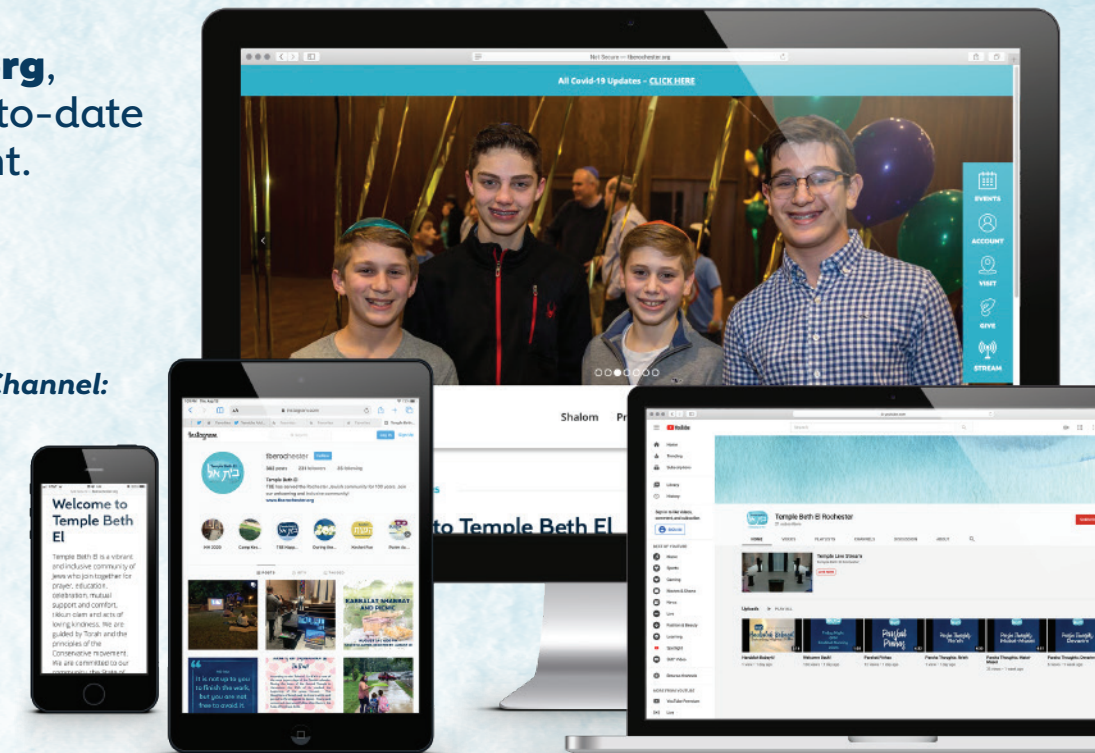
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WEEKDAY SERVICES

Shacharit:

Sunday:8:30 am
Monday–Friday:7:30 am
Rosh Hodesh:7:15 am
Secular Holidays:8:30 am

Mincha/Ma'ariv:

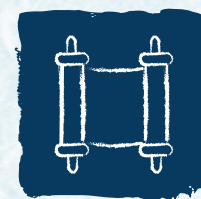
Sunday–Friday:6:00 pm



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Meeting ID: 846 8881 5480



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Call-in: (929) 205-6099
Meeting ID: 841 5194 9603



SHABBAT SERVICES

Pesukei dezimra:9:30 am
Shacharit:10:00 am
Torah Service:10:30 am

Mincha/Ma'ariv:

1 hour and 15 minutes
prior to sunset

LIVE STREAM LINK:

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Jew’s living in the diaspora are given two opportunities to reflect on our past actions and to consider the path forward. We certainly have the opportunity to participate in the secular world’s celebration of the new year in January. As Jews, our approach is unique because we are given tools and a practice that many participate in year after year during the High Holy Days. We attend synagogue, we take time out to be with people we love, we pray, possibly we pick up something new and inspirational to read. If we attend services we are reminded of the things we tend to do in life on a daily basis that may not contribute to a rich and holy existence. Many of us are reminded of what our best self looks like. We forgive people. We seek a sense of renewal.

Rabbi Abraham Joshua Herschel once said “And above all, remember that the meaning of life is to build a life as if it were a work of art“. For me, this captures the sentiment swarming around the synagogue during Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Being with people who are reflecting, who are engaging in introspection and who are doing it in a community of love and caring is a really powerful experience. The Beth El community seeks to provide a consistent and traditional experience for the high holidays as well as opportunities to be engaged in youth services, Torah study, alternative services, social interaction, sharing food together, and just being present to support one another. Rabbi, Debbie, the synagogue staff, the Officers and the Board look forward to sharing the High Holiday experience with you as we bring in the new year, 5783 together.

Shanah Tovah,

Matthew Ryen
TBE Board President

**Welcome New
TBE Board Members**
Taylor Futerman
Joseph Petralia
Ronald Yaar



FROM THE DESK OF THE SENIOR RABBI

The New Year approaches and we reflect on the flight of time. We recall the old adage that there is nothing more constant than change. Life about us is in a state of frantic movement; events and episodes, trends and developments flash quickly across the screen of our phones and consciousness.

Yet amidst all this flux, there is one thing that is unchanged: the continuous need of the human being to improve and fulfill its God-given potential. This, in essence, is the exalted purpose of the High Holy Days. During these solemn days, we are urged to evaluate ourselves with utter honesty; to measure our achievements; to recognize our failures; to ask ourselves whether our life makes a difference; to redefine its meaning, to reaffirm its value.

During our entire lives, we undergo the judgement of others. But the one judgment that really counts is the one we make of ourselves. The conclusions are concealed inside us. They shape, influence, and subtly guide our thoughts and deeds, our feelings and behavior. This season directs us to turn our gaze inward and confront our inner lives to engage in what the sages call “ Cheshbon Ha-Nefesh,” self-examination and judgment. In the words of the prayer book: “What are we? What is our life?”

This self-assessment is not a psychological excursive, or simply a personal inventory of traits and behavior. Rather, does Judaism require of us that we turn in faith and sincerity to our creator – to seek understanding, to find inspiration for self-renewal.

As we return to synagogue, a miracle occurs. On Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, we discover that deep within us there is a longing for faith; a yearning for the presence of God. We reach out for guidance, help and courage in facing the challenges of our lives, in bearing the burden of our cares, in overcoming anxieties that plague us, in realizing the hopes that are unfulfilled.

But if the hours of Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur are the sum total of our involvement, then the miracle, like the gourd of Jonah, will vanish overnight. The message of the High Holy Days is clear and unmistakable. You can return, you can change, you can find God, and thereby encounter the mystery and wonder of God’s blessing. However, you must seek God every day of the coming year, every moment of your life.

So, this coming year, let the Jewish rituals of lighting candles and making Kiddush on Shabbat and Festivals, the singing of the High Holy Days melodies and the sound of the Shofar, the fasting and asking of forgiveness make the miracle of resetting your agenda of life’s priorities. Wrap yourself and wrap your loved ones with these symbols and others and tranquility of spirit will soon follow.

May you, your family and friends have an especially uplifting High Holy Days this year and may that spirit permeate your daily life.

L’Shana Tova Tikatevu,

Rabbi Leonardo Bitran



FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

areas in which I feel I fell short?

Especially in a world that seems more challenging to live in every day, I'm thankful for this time of year when we have the opportunity to come together as a community and set our intentions for the new year as a group and individually. I hope you'll take advantage of the variety of services and programs we have planned to allow you to help set your intentions for the new year.

Of course, we will host our traditional High Holy Day services in the main sanctuary. We will have alternative services for young adults (20's & 30's) in the garden courtyard, Sam Asher will lead a musical service in the Chapel, we will have opportunities for teens to gather in the Beit Cafe and a variety of youth and family services and activities in the tent (or inside if weather does not permit).

I want to take this opportunity to apologize for any of the intentions I did not fully meet that may have affected you this past year and promise to try to do a better job of meeting all of my obligations in the year ahead.

With best wishes for a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year. L'Shana Tova Tikatevu!

Deborah Zeger

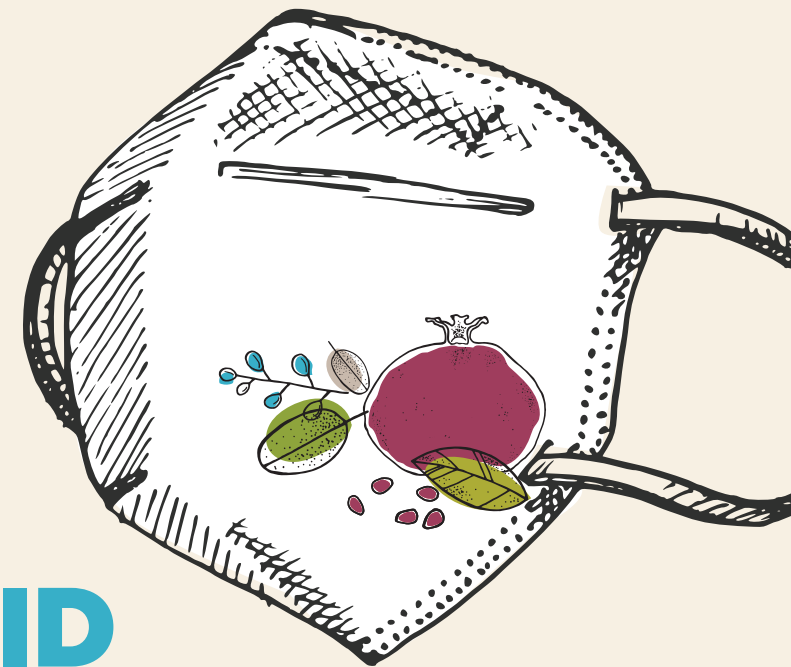
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5783 Calendar!



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EACH OTHER SAFE!

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YOURSELF
AND OTHERS
BY TAKING
PROPER COVID
PRECAUTIONS**



In accordance with our ongoing policy to take all precautions necessary to keep everyone as safe as possible, we are constantly reviewing the COVID guidelines and CDC recommendations and have updated COVID protocols at Temple Beth El

MASKS: Are strongly recommended and may be required depending on infection rates. This policy is in place in order to protect the greater community, particularly those not yet vaccinated and those who are at high risk.

VACCINATIONS: We strongly encourage vaccinations and keeping up-to-date with boosters as recommended by the CDC.

GENERAL: If you or anyone in your household is exhibiting any symptoms, please stay home.

With these guidelines in place, we are hopeful it will continue to be safe to welcome you to Temple Beth El for daily, weekly Shabbat and High Holy Day services and programming.

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www.tberochester.org/covid-19/**



YOUTH & FAMILY UPDATE

It's hard to believe we are entering the new year, and that summer went away with the blink of an eye. Memories were created for our youngest children that had never had a true summer camp experience due to COVID, and families had a peace of mind that their children were having fun and being well-taken care of. We had large turnouts for Watermelon Wednesday and Sunny Sundays, and we are seeing several blossoming friendships of families of young children. We had record breaking numbers at camp and are now starting the school year with the same momentum.

With every new year comes a new lens to look through in the way we provide programming and education for our children. We will continue to have High Holy Day services and activities for our youngest congregants, which will include new and innovative programming, paired with our developmentally appropriate services. We are creating more inclusive programs in Keshet; ie. instead of Apples with Abba and Etrogs with Ima, we will host "Sukkot with my Special Guest". We are at creating monthly parenting programs to bring families back together, with various topics including boundary setting, parenting from a Jewish lens. Our goal for the new year is to bring people back together in safe and unique ways. Creating Kehila, community, in our Keshet and Early Childhood communities is going to be a large focus of the coming year.

Another expansion of kehila will be within our school-age and teen communities. We are looking forward to a new BE.WISE year. On Sundays, we will have a special half-hour kehila block. During Kehila, all of BE.WISE Students will come together to do something special, whether it's an activity with our partner school in Modi'in, Cramim, something musical, or even just a social game. We are bringing in new electives that are being taught by teachers who specialize in those areas, and we are continuing both in-person and virtual Hebrew tutors from all over the world to help engage students in individualized learning.

We held teen focus groups over the summer that are helping us to gear up for some innovative programming that includes both in-person and self-directed engagement. We are working to create an even stronger Madrichim program, which will engage teens with our younger students and bring us back to that community feel in a different way.

We will launch off of the momentum that August's visit with Rabbi Avi S. Olitzky created, as he will be coming back for Sukkot programming in October. Stay tuned for more details.

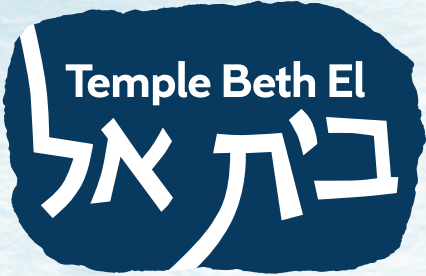
I look forward to seeing your families during the High Holidays, as well as in our various programs, and I look forward to working with your children from birth to high school graduation... and then some!

Wishing you all a Happy and a Healthy New Year!

L'Shana Tova,

Mandi Warner

Mandi Warner



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Kever Avot (Cemetery) Visits with Rabbi Bitran

SEPTEMBER 11

MOUNT HOPE | 10 AM–11 AM

BRITTON ROAD | 11:30 AM–12:30 PM

SEPTEMBER 18

WHITE HAVEN | 10 AM–11 AM

Kever Avot is the custom of visiting the graveside of parents or close relatives during the High Holy Day season. The themes of the graveside prayers are the peaceful eternal rest for the departed, and an invocation for God's aid to the living on the basis of the pious deeds the dead performed in their lifetime.

Uncover Rochester's "Hidden Sidewalk" with Sisterhood

SEPTEMBER 11 | 1 PM–3 PM

Join Sisterhood as we Uncover Rochester's Hidden Sidewalk. For More details see page 15

1st Day of BE.WISE & Family Picnic

SEPTEMBER 11 | NOON

Kick off a new school year with your friends and other families at the BE.WISE start of the year picnic.

Kab Shab and Dinner

SEPTEMBER 16 | 6 PM MINCHA

Join Temple Beth El to welcome Shabbat with Kab Shab and Dinner. Registration required. We hope to see you there

A Klezmer Selichot: An evening for the Soul (Leil Nefesh)

SEPTEMBER 17 | 7:59 PM | TBE SANCTUARY

Join us for an exquisite evening of Klezmer music and prayer to usher in the Jewish New Year 5783. See page 29 for more details.

Sunny Sundays

SEPTEMBER 18 | 10:30 AM | TBE PLAYGROUND

Join other parents and children (infant–5) on our playground for some bagels, apples & honey, playground fun, and brief program/activities about Rosh Hashanah.

Congregation & Family Tashlich and Mincha Service

SEPTEMBER 27 | 4:30 PM | LAKE RILEY

Join TBE members as we cast off our sins together followed by Mincha

20/30 Somethings Tashlich

SEPTEMBER 29 | 7 PM | CANAL IN PITTSFORD

Join 20/30 something's as we cast off our sins together in discussion with Rabbinic Student Josh Klein. Followed by drinks at Loch 32 Brewing. (first round on us)

Shabbat Shuva with Visiting Hazzan Jonathan Kohan

SEPTEMBER 30–OCTOBER 1

See page 16 for more details.

Scape Goat Yoga

OCTOBER 2 | 1 PM | BOWEN FARMS (833 LAKE RD, WEBSTER, NY 14580)

Back for a second year, goat yoga at Bowen Family Farms. Our goat yoga class will be infused with Jewish learning led by Rabbinic Student Josh Klein about the High Holy Days.

Mahjongg Mondays

OCTOBER 3, 24 & 31 | 1–3 PM | THE BEIT CAFE

Masks required. Bring your MJ set, if you have one. Sorry, lessons are not being offered at this time. Please let us know if you are interested in lessons.

Raise the Sukkah With Men's Club

OCTOBER 6 | 9:30 AM

Help frame the Sukkah and add the schach (roof) with the Men's Club

Family Sukkah Decorations

OCTOBER 9 | 11 AM–1 PM

Come create and hang decorations in our Sukkah while enjoying some apple cider and donuts with your friends. All ages welcome!

Sisterhood Sukkot Event

OCTOBER 13 | 10 AM–12 PM BRUNCH

Join the Sisterhood for their Torah Fund Donor Brunch in the TBE Sukkah.

Shabbat Dinner in the Sukkah

OCTOBER 14 | 6 PM | TBE SUKKAH

Join Temple Beth El to welcome Shabbat under the sky with a Kabbalat Shabbat and dinner in the Sukkah. Registration Required.

20/30s Sukkah Hop

OCTOBER 15 | 7:30–9:30 PM

Hop with Us from Sukkah to Sukkah around town (open for those in their 20's and 30's)

Sukkah Hop

OCTOBER 16 | 4 PM–6 PM

Join your TBE family for an enjoyable afternoon of refreshments and conversation as we visit several local sukkot.

Simchat Torah Family Celebration

OCTOBER 17 | 6 PM | TBE

Celebrate Simchat Torah with your family and friends at Temple Beth El.

Take down the Sukkah With Men's Club

OCTOBER 20 | 9:30 AM

Help take down the sukkah with the Men's Club

Musical Kab Shab and Dinner

OCTOBER 21 | 6 PM MINCHA AND KAB SHAB

Join TBE for a musical Kabbalat Shabat followed by a delicious Shabbat Dinner. Registration Required.

Womens Rosh Chodesh Club

OCTOBER 25 | 7 PM

Enjoy delicious wine and desserts with other women in our community and find out why Rosh Chodesh is a special time for women.

Men's Cub Sunday Breakfast

OCTOBER 30 | BREAKFAST AT 9:30 AM | PROGRAM AT 10:15 AM

Join the Men's Club as they welcome Judge Keith Freedman and hear about his work with the Jewish Soldiers Project.

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B'NAI MITZVAH



EMMA FRANCES ROSENBLATT

Bat Mitzvah Date: September 3, 2022
Parents: Susan and Robert Rosenblatt
Siblings: Joe & Charlie Rosenblatt
Grandparents: Ellen Erne and John Erne, z"l
Sandee Rosenblatt and Harold Rosenblatt, z"l
Mimi Feltman

Emma is going into 8th grade at Barker Road Middle School in Pittsford. She enjoys being on the Cheerleading and Field Hockey teams, horseback riding, and watching scary movies. Emma likes to go boating and tubing on Canandaigua Lake and attends CSL each summer. She loves to be with her friends, family and her 2 dogs (Roxy and Allie) and 2 cats (Green Bean and Rose). Emma is looking forward to celebrating her Bat Mitzvah!



GIDEON ELIEZER GLAZER

Bar Mitzvah Date: October 22, 2022
Parents: Abe & Tracie Glazer
Siblings: Raizel Glazer
Grandparents: Jerome & Barbara Glazer, Rita Glazer, z"l
Mike & Patti Buchinski
Tammye Green

Gideon is an 8th grader at Hillel Community Day School. He loves playing sports, specifically golf, basketball and soccer. His favorite school subjects are math and the visual arts. When not studying or playing sports, he loves being with family and spending time with family pets (Dogs - Peppa & Zuko) and (Cats - Nanni & Rudy).



MAZAL TOV

To **AMY LIBENSON & BRETT SHULMAN** on the wedding of their daughter, Elizabeth Shulman to Alex Japha on June 12, 2022. And Mazal Tov to the parents of the groom, Meryl & Ron Japha; and grandmothers Dvora Shulman, Maxine Libenson and Audrey Gaalen.

To **AMY & HOWARD RESSEL** on the engagement of their son Louis Ressel to Nadia Pierre-Louis. And Mazal Tov to the grandparents, Janice Rosenfeld and Marvin Rosenfeld, z"l and Judy Ressel and Lenny Ressel, z"l.

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MEN'S CLUB

Men's Club of Temple Beth El
Involving Jewish Men in Jewish Life

Breakfast Programs, World Wide Wrap & Men's Club Shabbat

SEPTEMBER–JUNE 2023

Topics: Informative, Inspiring, and Entertaining

The Men's Club is planning a full slate of in-person events and activities for the 2022-2023 season, including our traditional monthly breakfast programs, the World Wide Wrap, Men's Club Shabbat, and more. As this issue of KOL goes to press, we still need to confirm dates and finalize details, so we ask you to please stay tuned to the usual channels: TBE and Men's Club emails, flyers, announcements from the bimah, the TBE website, etc. As soon as we know, we'll let you know!

But here's some events we do have a specific (tentative) dates for:

Men's Club Sunday Breakfast

OCTOBER 30 | BREAKFAST AT 9:30 AM | PROGRAM AT 10:15 AM

Join the Men's Club as they welcome Judge Keith Freedman and hear about his work with the Jewish Soldiers Project.

Raise the Sukkah

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6 | 9:30AM (AFTER MORNING MINYAN)

Take Down The Sukkah

THURSDAY OCTOBER 20 | 9:30 AM

One of the Club's most important contributions to TBE is our annual putting up and taking down the beautiful TBE sukkah (which we bought for TBE a few years ago). The work takes about two hours each. On Thursday, October 6, we'll start around 9:30am. We can always use help, and we promise you lots of schmoozing and laughing (and maybe a little noshing). So join our "construction crew" and be part of this important mitzvah. Again, please check the usual sources for the latest information.

In the meantime, now is a good time to join or renew your Men's Club membership.

Share in the fellowship that comes from enriching the life of our synagogue and serving our greater community. Dues are only \$36.00, and every penny goes to the wide range of spiritual, social, and educational events we sponsor and items we buy for TBE.

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You can also use PayPal at [tberochester.org](https://www.tberochester.org) – Meet/Men's Club. Make sure you include your name, address, phone, and email.

Finally, one of the greatest gifts you can give the Jewish community and TBE—and one of the greatest mitzvot you can do—is to help make a minyan. We're one of the only synagogues in the area that offers services twice daily: weekday mornings at 7:30 AM (7:15 AM on Rosh Chodesh); weekday evenings at 6:00PM; plus morning and evening services on Shabbat and Sundays. We also help make minyans in the homes of people observing shiva. Please consider becoming a "minyanaire." Attend a minyan once a week, once a month, whenever you can. You don't need to read Hebrew. You just need to be there! Help keep TBE a home of spiritual strength and social engagement. You'll be surprised how good it will make you feel!



SISTERHOOD

When women support each other,
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Sisterhood Board Meeting

SUNDAY, SEPT 11 | 10 AM–NOON | THE BEIT CAFE

Want to learn more about Sisterhood, suggest a new program, meet new people? All are welcome. Shiva boxes, or learn more. Contact Gail at gailfink49@gmail.com.

Torah Fund Donor Brunch

THURSDAY, OCT 13 | 10 AM–NOON | TBE SUKKAH

The Torah Fund campaign was created by Women's League for Conservative Judaism in 1942, during the desperate times of World War II and the Holocaust. Its purpose is to support the important programming and student scholarships of the five Masorti/Conservative institutes of higher education. We support the education of our Rabbis, Cantors, and other future leaders.



Mahjong Mondays

EVERY MONDAY | 1–3 PM
IN THE BEIT CAFE!

Masks required. Bring your MJ set, if you have one. Sorry, lessons are not being offered at this time. Please let us know if you are interested in lessons.

Uncover Rochester's "Hidden Sidewalk"

SUNDAY, SEPT 11 | 1–3 PM

Temple Beth El Sisterhood, Temple members, family and friends are invited to join together as we Uncover Rochester's "Hidden Sidewalk". In case of rain, we will reschedule. Contact gailfink49@gmail.com for details and to RSVP.

First, meet at Abbott's in Charlotte (4791 Lake Ave) at 1 p.m. Grab yourself a frozen custard, our treat. We'll walk to the "Hidden" sidewalk, that's nestled between Lake Ontario and lakeside mansions along a section of Beach Ave. near Ontario Beach Park.

There are several smaller sidewalks in between roughly every fourth house. The homeowners are very friendly. Including the walk from, and back to, Abbott's, we will cover about 2 miles.

Shiva Boxes

Shiva boxes provide important support and assistance to those in mourning during a very difficult time. We are slowly restarting this program, as home shiva begins to return. This unique program, developed by our Sisterhood, is being replicated at many synagogues. Volunteer to help assemble and deliver shiva boxes, or learn more. Contact Gail at gailfink49@gmail.com.

Sisterhood Mission Statement

Our mission is to strengthen and unite the women of Sisterhood and support them to understand and perpetuate Conservative/Masorti Judaism in the home, synagogue and community and reinforce their bonds with Israel and Jews worldwide.

Please Join Us FOR SHABBAT SHUVA WITH HAZZAN JONATHAN KOHAN

SEPTEMBER 30–OCTOBER 1

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30: 6 pm—Musical Kabbalat Shabbat

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1: 9:30 am—Main Sanctuary Service led by Hazzan Kohan
6:18 pm—Mincha, Maariv, Havdallah and inspiration with Hazzan Kohan



CANTOR JONATHAN KOHAN

Born in Buenos Aires, Jonathan Kohan is an ordained Cantor and Jewish Studies Professor from the Latin American Rabbinical Seminary “Marshall T Meyer”. Since 2003 has been serving as Cantor and Jewish Studies Professor in several congregations and schools in Argentina and the US, and since 2020 is the Director of the Cantorial Institute of the Seminary. Also a synagogue music composer, Cantor Kohan was one of the two finalists of the Anshe Emet Synagogue Cantorial Search in 2021, and the same year was Visiting Scholar in Holocaust Music of Clark University (Worcester, MA). He has a degree in Psychology of the University of Buenos Aires, and was a fellow of the Yad Vashem Holocaust Institute of Israel. Cantor Kohan is currently finishing his Rabbinical Studies at the Buenos Aires Seminary and his Masters in Jewish Studies in the Hebraica University of Mexico, and has performed and lectured about Jewish Music in Argentina, Europe and the US.

Please Join Us FOR A SPECIAL SHABBAT WITH HAZZAN MATT AUSTERKLEIN & RABBI ELYSSA AUSTERKLEIN

NOVEMBER 4–7

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4: 6 pm: Musical Kabbalat Shabbat

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5: 9:30 am: Main Sanctuary Service led by Hazzan Austerklein
10 am: Alternative Chanting and Meditation Service Led by Rabbi Elyssa
5:55 pm: Mincha, Maariv, Havdallah and inspiration with Hazzan Austerklein and Rabbi Elyssa

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6: 10 am: Walk the Jewish Labryinth with Rabbi Elyssa
11:15 am: Singing Circle with Hazzan Austerklein



HAZZAN MATT AUSTERKLEIN

Matt Austerklein is a prayer leader, musician, and scholar exploring the religious meaning of Jewish musical forms.

A congregational cantor for over a decade, Matt has worked in diverse pastoral, lifecycle, and educational settings. He serves as a mentor to new and student cantors, and works on projects shaping the Jewish musical future.

Matt is a multi-genre artist of contemporary and classic Jewish music. He is currently a PhD candidate in Jewish Studies at Halle-Wittenberg University (Germany), where he is writing his dissertation on the professionalization of Ashkenazi cantors in early modern Europe.

In 2011 Matt was a recipient of the Richard W. Briskin Cantor-in-Residence Award.

RABBI ELYSSA AUSTERKLEIN

Rabbi Elyssa Austerklein is an artist, yogi, musician, and Founding Director of Ivrim Jews Without Borders. She is a graduate of Brandeis University, BU School of Theology, and the Rabbinical School of Hebrew College. Rabbi Elyssa has published in The Forward, eJewish Philanthropy, the journal Kerem, has contributed several times to the “Ask the Rabbis” section in Moment Magazine, and has a poem published in the volume When We Turned Within: Reflections on COVID-19. She is a trained mikveh guide, has led Hallel with Women of the Wall in Jerusalem, and was a “rabbi on the road” for the Institute of Southern Jewish Life. Rabbi Elyssa is a Rabbis Without Borders Fellow, and was named one of America’s 33 most inspiring rabbis of 2015 by The Forward. She has held pulpits in Conservative and Reform congregations in Florida, Ohio, Maryland and Alaska. She is a devoted wife and mother.

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May their souls be bound up in the bond of life.

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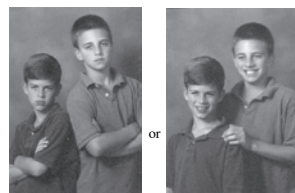
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This is a first! Temple Beth El is purchasing a "single barrel" bourbon from New Riff Distilling in Newport, Kentucky.

Swirl! Nose! Taste! Lightly dilute! Nose! Taste! Debate! Ponder!

Our Beth El bourbon connoisseurs conducted their own sensory evaluation, and they selected a barrel for our own Straight Bourbon Whiskey.

The distillery will be bottling our limited series barrel this summer, exclusively for Temple Beth El, with a Temple Beth El label added to the bottle. We will receive about two hundred 750ml bottles! And the barrel!

Will you donate to our 5784 High Holy Day Campaign?

With your High Holy Day Appeal pledge of \$180.00 or more, you will receive our heartfelt thanks, plus one raffle entry for a bottle of our exclusive bourbon. There are a limited number of bottles available. To be eligible for the raffle, your High Holy Day Appeal pledge (\$180 or more) must be received by October 25, 2022. It's always important to support our High Holy Day Appeal. Funds are used to support Temple operations. We love and value our synagogue. We need your support to maintain all of our programming, and our building. We hope this will add a smile, a little fun, and a little spirit to your day.

Please consider donating to this community-building, unique and fun fundraiser. For questions or more information, contact Jack Finkelstein at jnfink49@gmail.com.



KEVER AVOT (CEMETERY) VISITS WITH RABBI BITRAN

SEPTEMBER 11
MOUNT HOPE | 10 AM–11 AM
BRITTON ROAD | 11:30 AM–12:30 PM

SEPTEMBER 18
WHITE HAVEN | 10 AM–11 AM

Kever Avot is the custom of visiting the graveside of parents or close relatives during the High Holy Day season. The themes of the graveside prayers are the peaceful eternal rest for the departed, and an invocation for God’s aid to the living on the basis of the pious deeds the dead performed in their lifetime.

SUNNY SUNDAYS PLAYTIME

SEPT 18 | 10:30 AM

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FAMILY HOLIDAY PROGRAM FUND

Join other parents and children (infant–5) on our playground for some bagels, apples & honey, playground fun, and brief program/activities about Rosh Hashanah.



CONGREGATION & FAMILY TASHLICH

SEPTEMBER 26 | 4:30 PM | LAKE RILEY

Join TBE members as we cast off our sins together followed by Mincha

20/30 SOMETHINGS TASHLICH

SEPTEMBER 29 | 7 PM | CANAL IN PITTSFORD

Join 20/30 something’s as we cast off our sins together in discussion with Rabbinical Student, Josh Klein.

Followed by drinks at Loch 32 Brewing. (first round on us)



RAISE THE SUKKAH WITH MENS CLUB

OCTOBER 6 | 9:30 AM

Help frame the Sukkah and add the schach (roof) with the Mens Club
Join our “construction crew” and be part of this important mitzvah.

TAKE DOWN THE SUKKAH WITH MENS CLUB

OCTOBER 20 | 9:30 AM

Help take down the sukkah with the Mens Club



SIMCHAT TORAH FAMILY CELEBRATION

OCTOBER 17 | 6 PM

Celebrate Simchat Torah with your family
and friends at Temple Beth El.



SHABBAT DINNER IN THE SUKKAH

OCTOBER 14 | 6 PM
TEMPLE BETH EL SUKKAH

Join Temple Beth El to welcome Shabbat under the sky
with a Kabbalat Shabbat Service in the chapel and dinner
in the Sukkah.

Registration Required at
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Shabbat & Events Calendar **SEPTEMBER**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 5 ELUL	2 6 ELUL CANDLE LIGHTING 7:25 pm	3 7 ELUL PARASHAT SHOFTIM SHABBAT ENDS* 8:25 pm
4 8 ELUL	5 9 ELUL LABOR DAY	6 10 ELUL Keshet Meet & Greet	7 11 ELUL First Day of Keshet	8 12 ELUL	9 13 ELUL CANDLE LIGHTING 7:12 pm	10 14 ELUL PARASHAT KI TEITZEI SHABBAT ENDS* 8:12 pm
11 15 ELUL Kever Avot—Mt Hope & Britton Road First Day of BE.WISE & Picnic Lunch Sisterhood Board Meeting and Hidden Sidewalk Program	12 16 ELUL	13 17 ELUL	14 18 ELUL	15 19 ELUL	16 20 ELUL CANDLE LIGHTING 7:00 pm	17 21 ELUL LEIL SELICHOT PARASHAT KI TAVO SHABBAT ENDS* 7:59 pm A Klezmer Selichot: An evening for the Soul
18 22 ELUL Kever Avot—White Haven Sunny Sundays	19 23 ELUL	20 24 ELUL	21 25 ELUL	22 26 ELUL	23 27 ELUL CANDLE LIGHTING 6:47 pm	24 28 ELUL PARASHAT NITZAVIM SHABBAT ENDS* 7:46 pm No Be.Wise
25 29 ELUL EREV ROSH HASHANAH CANDLE LIGHTING 6:44 pm	26 1 TISHRI ROSH HASHANAH I CANDLE LIGHTING 7:42 pm	27 2 TISHRI ROSH HASHANAH II HOLIDAY ENDS 7:40 pm Cong. & Family Tashlich No Be.Wise Keshet Closed	28 3 TISHRI TZOM GEDALIAH FAST BEGINS 5:40 am FAST ENDS 7:31 pm	29 4 TISHRI	30 5 TISHRI CANDLE LIGHTING 6:35 pm	
No Be.Wise	No Be.Wise Keshet Closed			20/30s Tashlich	Shabbat Shuva with Hazzan Jonathan Kohan	

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*Mincha begins 45 minutes before Shabbat ends.

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Shabbat & Events Calendar **OCTOBER**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 6 TISHREI SHABBAT SHUVA PARASHAT VAYEILECH SHABBAT ENDS* 7:33 pm Shabbat Shuva with Hazzan Jonathan Kohan
2 7 TISHREI Scape Goat Yoga	3 8 TISHREI Mahjongg	4 9 TISHREI EREV YOM KIPPUR YOM KIPPUR HOLIDAY ENDS 6:28 pm	5 10 TISHRI YOM KIPPUR HOLIDAY ENDS 7:26 pm Keshet Closed	6 11 TISHRI Men's Club Raise the Sukkah	7 12 TISHRI CANDLE LIGHTING 6:22 pm	8 13 TISHRI PARASHAT HA'AZINU SHABBAT ENDS* 7:21 pm
9 14 TISHRI EREV SUKKOT HOLIDAY BEGINS 6:19 pm	10 15 TISHRI SUKKOT I CANDLE LIGHTING 7:18 pm	11 16 TISHRI SUKKOT II HOLIDAY ENDS 7:15 pm Keshet Closed	12 17 TISHRI SUKKOT III (CH"V)	13 18 TISHRI Sisterhood Sukkot Event	14 19 TISHRI SUKKOT V (CH"V) CANDLE LIGHTING 6:10 pm	15 20 TISHRI SUKKOT VI (CH"V) SHABBAT ENDS* 7:10 pm 20/30s Sukkah Hop
16 21 TISHRI SUKKOT VII (HOSHANA RABA 7AM) HOLIDAY BEGINS 6:07 pm	17 22 TISHRI SHIMINI ATZERET CANDLE LIGHTING 7:07 pm	18 23 TISHRI SIMCHAT TORAH HOLIDAY ENDS 7:05 pm Keshet Closed	19 24 TISHRI	20 25 TISHRI Men's Club Take Down the Sukkah Keshet Open House	21 26 TISHRI CANDLE LIGHTING 5:59 pm	22 27 TISHRI MEVARCHIM CHODESH CHESHVAN PARASHAT BERESHIT SHABBAT ENDS* 6:59 pm
23 28 TISHRI Congregation Sukkah Hop	24 29 TISHRI Mahjongg	25 30 TISHRI ROSH CHODESH CHESHVAN Womens Rosh Chodesh Club	26 1 CHESHVAN 5783 ROSH CHODESH CHESHVAN	27 2 CHESHVAN	28 3 CHESHVAN CANDLE LIGHTING 5:49 pm	29 4 CHESHVAN PARASHAT NOACH SHABBAT ENDS* 6:49 pm
30 5 CHESHVAN Men's Club Breakfast Program	31 6 CHESHVAN Mahjongg	OCTOBER 2022 TISHRI/CHESHVAN 5783 *Mincha begins 45 minutes before Shabbat ends. office will be closed All events & times are subject to change				



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