

# 2021/5782

## HIGH HOLY DAYS



### ✧ WORSHIP INFORMATION ✧

#### SHABBAT SHUVA

~ SHABBAT SHUVA "SHIRTAN" CHANT MEDITATION SERVICE	FRIDAY	SEPTEMBER 10	6:30PM
~ SHABBAT SHUVA MORNING SERVICE	SATURDAY	SEPTEMBER 11	9:30AM
~ SHABBAT SHUVA TORAH STUDY	SATURDAY	SEPTEMBER 11	10:30AM

#### YOM KIPPUR

~ KOL NIDRE/EREV YOM KIPPUR I	WEDNESDAY	SEPTEMBER 15	5:00PM
~ KOL NIDRE/EREV YOM KIPPUR II	WEDNESDAY	SEPTEMBER 15	7:00PM
~ MORNING CHILDREN'S SERVICE	THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 16	9:00AM
~ YOM KIPPUR SERVICE I	THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 16	10:00AM
~ YIZKOR SERVICE	THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 16	2:00PM
~ YOM KIPPUR SERVICE II	THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 16	3:00 PM
~ NEILAH	THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 16	6:00PM
~ BREAK FAST	THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 16	7:00PM

REGISTER TO JOIN US IN PERSON OR ON ZOOM. DUE TO COVID CONCERNS, SPACE IN EACH SERVICE IS LIMITED

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT HIGH HOLY DAY SERVICES THIS YEAR**

### **Masks – Required.**

**Services limited to 150 people** - due to ongoing concerns about COVID, we are limiting each service to 150 people in the sanctuary.

**Two daytime services for Yom Kippur** – To accommodate our usual community on both days, we will hold our usual “morning” services twice on each day, first in the morning and the same service in the afternoon.

**Registration** - To attend services this year, you must register on our website beginning August 11<sup>th</sup>. Members and their family members that register by August 27<sup>th</sup> are guaranteed; any remaining spots will be shared with the larger community based on need. All may attend services (except Tashlich) via ZOOM; please register to receive link.

**Tzedakah** - As a *central* component of our High Holy Days, we collecting money and dry goods for the South Burlington Food Shelf. This year, consider becoming a monthly donor.

**High Holiday Prayer Books** - We will be using the *machzor*, or High Holy Day Prayer Book, MISHKAN HANEFESH. Members who do not yet own a copy of **MISHKAN HANEFESH** may purchase copies by calling the Temple office—the price per set is \$50, or an electronic version of each book may be purchased as a Kindle Book from Amazon.com for tablets and kindles. **If you are purchasing a book from TS or need to borrow one for high holidays, please contact Stacie.**

**Breaking the Fast** - At the conclusion of our Neilah service, we will break the fast together in our social hall and outside in our tent. Please join us, and please register on the website.

## **SHABBAT SHUVA SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS**

Shabbat Shuva, the Shabbat of Return, is the sabbath between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, and continues the theme of *t'shuvah* while celebrating Shabbat.

### **SHABBAT SHUVA “SHIRTAN”**

#### **Meditative Chanting Service**

**Friday, September 10 6:30 -8:00pm**

A time to breathe, chant, and listen to the “still small voice within” to help us on the road of *t'shuvah*, return to a life of goodness.

### **SHABBAT SHUVA SHACHARIT-**

**Saturday, September 11, 9:30-10:30 am**

Our one-hour Shacharit service is rooted in the traditional chanting of prayers, but includes English readings and song as well so that all can participate. *(This service will not include a Torah service.)*

### **SHABBAT SHUVA TORAH STUDY -**

**Saturday September 11, 10:30- noon.**

Participatory, free ranging study of texts of repentance and *t'shuvah*



## **YOM KIPPUR SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS**

Yom Kippur is a time of reflection, confession, and atonement, but it is also a time of spiritual cleansing and renewal.

### **KOL NIDRE and EREV YOM KIPPUR - I and II**

**Wednesday, September 15th 5pm and 7pm**

As we listen to the haunting melody of Kol Nidrei, in the presence of our Torahs, we commit ourselves to being better people and making our lives meaningful.

### **YOM KIPPUR MORNING YOUNG FAMILIES SERVICE**

**Thursday, September 16th 9 – 9:45 am**

The key themes of Yom Kippur reimagined for little Jews and their friends. Songs, stories, and key ideas of the New Year with Saragail Benjamin and Rabbi Edleson.

### **YOM KIPPUR MORNING SERVICE - I and II**

**Thursday, September 16th 10am – 12pm / 3pm – 5pm**

Yom Kippur calls on us to listen to voices of those who have gone before and the voice of God within us. How to we hold onto humility, honesty and spirit and help heal a culture torn by polarization, consumption and egoism.

### **YOM KIPPUR YIZKOR**

**Thursday, September 16th 2 pm**

Yizkor reminds us how much what we have lost still guides us. Join us for Yizkor to remember members of our family and community who have died.

### **YOM KIPPUR NEILAH- The Closing of the Gates**

**Thursday, September 16th 6:00 -7 pm**

Prayers for forgiveness turn to songs of gratitude and celebration at being forgiven and starting the new year afresh. We will also use songs to inspire us to do the work we need to do in the world in this new year full of challenges and opportunities. The day culminates in the final *T'kiah G'dola* blast of the shofar as the sun sets over the Green Mountains. Then Break Fast with us.