

TIKKUN OLAM:



A Different Kind of "SERVICE"
Sunday, September 16,
10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Service with our hands as we spruce up Makom HaShalom, at Ivy Lawn. Bring clippers and gloves. Cleaners and snacks provided; we will conclude with Kaddish at 12:15 PM.

Get the "CAN" Do Spirit
Bring canned food, gently used jeans, sweats, t-shirts and new socks to our donation pod in our parking lot. Grocery bags are available at Temple.



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It's time to welcome 5779 and celebrate a year ahead of community, learning and fun!



Sweet
Meaningful
Joyful
Healthy
Fun

New Year

Family
Friends
Inspiring

TICKETS & More:

Your name badge gains you admission to our evening and morning services; badges are sent to all members as soon as you renew your membership. Need additional tickets for adult family members? Glad to help. Non-members can purchase tickets as well for one or all services! **Contact the TBT Office, 805-647-4181.**

Mishkan HaNefesh- Sets of our High Holy Day prayer books are available in the new Geller Judaica Shop. You can also order the 2-volume set at ccarnet.org.

Special Accommodations- if you have special requests we can help you with, please let us know. Our sanctuary is T-loop compatible and we also have assistive listening devices (ALD).

SERVICES:

SLICHOT- step into the HHD season with the turning of the Torah mantles!
Join us at 7:30 p.m. for havdalah and desserts, and stay for our concert and service.

Friday, August 31 @ 6 PM Tots and families turn our Torahs white with Rabbi Lisa and Student Rabbi Noah Diamondstein.

Saturday, September 1- An extraordinary 8 PM concert, featuring classical music, Jewish music, and celebrating the works of composer Carl Sigman. Musicians and vocalists join pianist Miriam Arichea for this special treat.

Our introspective service of Slichot follows at 9 PM, featuring the TBT High Holy Day Choir, directed by KuanFen Liu.



ROSH HASHANAH

Our High Holy Day services will be led by Rabbi Lisa Hochberg-Miller, cantorial student Bryce Emily Megdal, rabbinic intern Noah Diamondstein, our HHD choir featuring Robin Faigin, pianist Miriam Arichea and conductor KuanFen Liu.

- Erev Rosh Hashanah – **Sunday, September 9,** @ 8:00 PM.
- Rosh Hashanah - 1st Day, **Monday, September 10** @ 10:00 AM.
- Family Celebration at the Beach – Marina Park @ 4:00- 4:45 PM. Come for singing, activities and a story with Rabbis Lisa and Noah.
- Tashlich at Marina Park – @ 5:00 PM BYO Bread crumbs, as we symbolically cast away the behaviors we wish to discard this year and greet each other at the beach.
- Rosh Hashanah, 2nd Day – Tuesday, September 11 @ 10:00 AM. A more intimate service, featuring choir and clergy.

FAMILY:

We want to help you build great family experiences at this Season! We offer programs for kids, and programs for families to be together. You can find out more from Marisa Schrier, Director of Education and Family Programs, and Torah School coordinator Danielle Stoyanoff.

Children's Programs:

- Rosh Hashanah 10 AM For children 2-11, come for holiday-related activities, Torah, services, story and shofar blowing with Rabbi Noah. Our children join parents in the main service for the shofar service!
- Yom Kippur, 10:30 AM Our program happens in conjunction with Sanctuary Morning Services.
- Yom Kippur Childcare- 3:00- 6:30 PM Registration required for children's programs; email danielle@templebethtorah.com

YOM KIPPUR

Join us on this most solemn day of fasting, praying, reflecting and soul-work:

- Erev Yom Kippur – **Tuesday, September 18** @ 8:00 PM Kol Nidre featuring cellist Virginia Kron. Come wearing white, and your tallit, on this sacred night.

Yom Kippur – **Wednesday, September 19**

- 9:00 AM –9:45 AM ---Family Services in the Sanctuary
- 10:30 AM --Community Morning Services in the Sanctuary.

All our members are invited for an aliyah to the torah, according to the year they joined TBT.

- 1:30- 2:45 PM - Yom Kippur Afternoon Panel Discussion. Justice Steve Perren leads us through an explanation of the Ballot initiatives that will be on the November ballot.
- 1:30- 6:00 PM Introspection Room- a quiet place to contemplate and meditate, stocked with stationery to journal for yourself, or write letters, as your heart so prompts.
- 3:00 PM Afternoon Avodah Service- in the sanctuary. A special service inspired by Jewish history and sacred practice.
- 4:00 PM The Holiness Code & Jonah- Rabbis Lisa and Noah will read, teach and lead us in learning from these two hallmark texts of Yom Kippur.
- 5:00 PM Yizkor- our service of memory featuring congregant-created poems and readings.
- 6:00 PM Neilah & Havdalah- as the gates close, our final prayers.



SUKKOT

- Simchat Torah Community Celebration- Sunday., **September 30** @ 5 PM
There is a place for every generation as we eat, learn, pray and dance with the torahs! Mt. Sinai-inspired drinks, fun art projects for kids, oneg for all, and torahs for everyone to admire and hold. Temple Beth Torah, Ner Ami, Am HaYam, the Jewish Community of Ojai, and our Federation come together for this event.

