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## Welcome Back from Summer!

### MISSION STATEMENT:

*"My House Shall be  
Called a House of Prayer  
For All Peoples"*

To provide a spiritual,  
cultural and educational  
environment inspired  
by the highest  
Reform Jewish values.

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### BACK TO SHUL DINNER

SEPT 9 • 6:30 PM

#### Menu

Chicken Marsala  
Garlic Rosemary Red Potatoes  
Seasoned Fresh Green Beans  
Apple Blueberry Cobbler

\$10 Adults, Children 12 & older  
Children Under 12 - Free

Make Your Reservation Today!  
[reservations@ohefsholom.org](mailto:reservations@ohefsholom.org)  
or 757-625-4295

Sunday, Sept 11

New Member Orientation 10:30 am  
Open House for Prospective Members  
10:00 am - 12:30 pm  
Opening Day of our  
Sunday Learning Community

- Greet old Friends
- Welcome new & prospective members
- Learn about OST programs & committees and how YOU can be a part of the excitement

3rd Annual

## OHF SHOLOM TEMPLE CONGREGATIONAL PICNIC

SUNDAY  
SEPT 25  
2-5 PM

NO RSVP NEEDED  
SEE YOU THERE!

AT BROCK ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER  
the most environmentally sustainable building  
in Virginia.

IN VIRGINIA BEACH  
118 acres of nature preserve at 3663 Marlin Bay Dr.

FEATURING ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES:

- Games
- Great food
- Hands-on environmental learning
- Parking and building access for people of all physical abilities.
- Sunday Morning Learners will have the morning off so they can enjoy just one OST event on this day.

WITH LYNNHAVEN River NOW  
*Restoring a legend*

*"The Eternal God took the person and put him in the Garden of Eden to keep and watch over it." (Genesis 2:15)*



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### PREPARING TO PREPARE FOR THE HIGH HOLIDAYS

Many of us probably think that our Rosh Hashanah preparation begin with a shopping list of ingredients we need to make our chicken soup, matzah balls, chopped liver, gefilte fish, brisket . . . for our holiday dinner. For others, it may have to do with getting New Year greeting cards ordered and mailed out. Or for others still, it might begin with setting the holiday table beautifully with our good dishes, silver, and crystal. These, of course, are all wonderful ways to prepare our homes and for our families and friends; but they actually have little to do with getting ourselves -- our spirits -- ready for the Days of Awe and the potential personal transformation that awaits us . . . if we are willing to examine our lives even a little.

Just as anything meaningful doesn't begin the moment we step on a sports field, or under a chuppah, or into a board or operating room without a whole lot of thought, work, and practice before it; so, too, does preparation for the High Holidays begin long before you walk into our Sanctuary on Sunday, October 2nd, which happens to be Erev Rosh Hashanah.

This year, the Jewish calendar has provided us with a little extra time to ready ourselves, so why not take a few minutes to engage in the process of Cheshbon Nefesh, an accounting of your soul, and see how you are really

doing!?! Consider: Are you happy with who you are, with where you are in your life personally and professionally, with your relationships?

If you could choose one thing to work on in the coming year that might make you feel more whole, what might that be:

A healthier lifestyle?

A new job or better attitude at the one you have?

A more meaningful life in which you give back to others?

A reconciliation with a loved one or friend you really miss?

A reconnection with God and your Jewish Community?

More joy in your life?

Our tradition teaches us that we need take but one step toward returning to our best selves, to those we love, to our community, to our tradition, to God, and then God will meet us the rest of the way. All we need do is begin. So I invite you, during this month of Elul that precedes the High Holidays, to look into your hearts and souls . . . even if it is hard, or it hurts, or you are afraid.

In so doing, may you begin to find your constant prayers for health, wholeness, and peace fulfilled for you, for those you love, for our community, and for our world.

Shana Tovah, Rabbi Roz

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mavel Tov to proud parents **Stacey & Bobby Richman** on the birth of their daughter, **Ayla Rose**, on *March 16, 2016*.

Mavel Tov to proud parents **Mitch & Brianne Grant** on the birth of their daughter, **Cosette Rose**, on *April 2, 2016*.

Mavel Tov to proud parents **Shari & Ryan Kletz** on the birth of their daughter, **Madison Paige**, on *April 3, 2016*.

Mavel Tov to proud parents **Jillian & Scott Sachs** on the birth of their daughter, **Noa Irene**, on *May 9, 2016*.

Mavel Tov to proud parents **David & Heather Beloff** on the birth of their daughter, **Emma**, on *June 12, 2016*.

Mavel Tov to proud parents **Neil & Allena Anglen** on the birth of their son, **Raleigh Theodore**, on *May 2016*.  
\* of blessed memory

*Chof Sholom offers heartfelt condolences to the following members and friends:*

**Ronna Adler** on the loss of her cousin, *Steven Reznick*

**Art Schoner (Robin)** on the loss of his mother, *Grace Littlejohn Schoner*.

**Ben Altschul** on the loss of his sister, *Wendy Altschul Rolland*.

**Michael (Nicole) Rosenblum** on the loss of his father, *Fred Rosenblum*.

# MAZEL TOV!

**Congratulations to Jody Bartel**  
on her upcoming **Bat Mitzvah**  
on **September 10!**

Jody is the daughter of Mr. Gary Bartel & Ms. Shannon Bartel, sister of Haley & Carly, granddaughter of Dr. & Mrs. Alan Bartel, Ms. Linda Vick & Mr. George D. Vick III.



# WORSHIP

## September Torah Portions

**September 2 29 Av**

**Shabbat Service – 6:30 pm**

Parasha: R'eih

Deut. 11:26 - 16:17

Haftarah: Isaiah 54:11 - 55:5

**September 9 6 Elul**

**Family Friendly Friday – 5:45 pm**

**Back to Shul Dinner – 6:30 pm**

**Shabbat Service – 7:30 pm**

Parasha: Shof'tim

Deut. 16:18 - 21:9

Haftarah: Isaiah 51:12 - 52:12

**September 16 13 Elul**

**Shabbat Service – 6:30 pm**

Parasha: Ki Teitzei

Deut. 21:10 - 25:19

Haftarah: Isaiah 54:1 - 10

**September 23 20 Elul**

**Shabbat Service – 6:30 pm**

Parasha: Ki Tavo

Deut. 26:1 - 29:8

Haftarah: Isaiah 60:1 - 22

**September 30 27 Elul**

**Shabbat Service – 6:30 pm**

Parasha: Nitzavim

Deut. 22:9 - 30:20

Haftarah: Isaiah 61:10 - 63:9

Headsets are available for those in need of audio assistance at services.

## NEW THIS YEAR!

The OST Walking Group offers both Thursdays and Sundays for all of the scheduled walks. You may choose to walk one or both!

Join walkers on Thursday September 15 or Sunday September 18 for a five mile walk on the Noland Trail at the Mariners' Museum in Newport News.

Carpooling is available from Anna Marie Cross's home leaving at 8:00 am. Please call the Temple office at 757-625-4295 or call Anna Marie at 802-1902 to RSVP and for directions. You may also meet the group at the Mariners' Museum front parking lot at 8:40 am.

**RESERVATIONS ARE A MUST!**



**OST  
Walking Group**



# A WORD FROM THE PRESIDENT

Shalom Y'all,

Change is in the air! We are at a turning point when days become shorter, nights longer, and cooler weather is around the corner. "Change is the only constant," proclaimed the ancient philosopher Heraclides.

According to Socrates, "the secret of change is to focus all of your energy not on fighting the old, but on building the new." "Transition" is the process of letting go of the old and getting comfortable with the new. If this process is carefully managed, fully embracing the new can result in an engaged and reenergized congregational family. Communication is the critical element in this process. Effective communication, involves more than exchanging information. It is less about talking and more about listening.



The governance and decision-making structure of Ohef Sholom is changing to hear more voices, and create more shared responsibility. We are actively asking the individuals of our congregation to be part of the organization's future. Two initiatives have begun that you may be invited to be involved with – the *Listening Campaign* (part of the Long Range Planning Committee) and *Walking Together* (part of the Dues Committee). The information that comes out of these programs will determine how our beloved organization plans for the future.

The Long Range Planning Committee's *Listening Campaign* has already made an impact on reengaging and energizing congregants. To date, 49 Listeners have been trained by professionals to "hear" from our congregation, and 24 teams of co-facilitators are contacting congregants to interview with a specific set of questions. This information will determine where the congregation is, and where we all would like for it to be headed. From my own experience already it



Ted Kaufman  
Temple President

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has been hugely impactful to listen to people about what is important to them. The ripple effect of this effort in building relationships will be transformative in and of itself.

The *Walking Together* initiative brings together small groups of people in congregants' spaces to listen and hear from Temple leadership and clergy. The discussion focuses on our hopes and vision for the future, and the current organizational and financial challenges facing OST. Our goal is to raise awareness, and create opportunities for further conversations on possibilities for answering this call to action. Congregant responses have been very positive and rewarding in that many have answered these challenges from a place of shared and sacred responsibility. The initiative's theme "*Walking Together*" originates from the book of Genesis, the story of Abraham and the binding of Isaac. In the story, the Hebrew word *Yacdav*, "together" is repeated many times. They, like us, "Walked Together" on their journey forward.

Our Ohef Sholom Temple, with its beginnings 172 years ago, has successfully sustained its Reform Jewish identity while facing the many changes and challenges presented during the course of its lifetime. Yet as nature continues to evolve, so too must we. Join us, let us hear your voice, and play an active role in shaping OST's future.

## Your Part in OST's Future

- RSVP to a *Walking Together* invitation.
- Respond promptly when contacted to be interviewed for the Listening Campaign.
- Host a *Walking Together* event at your home or place of business.
- OST has a vibrant Committee structure full of opportunities for you to advise, create, and influence how the synagogue operates. We welcome your involvement. Please contact Temple President Ted Kaufman at [tedkaufman@me.com](mailto:tedkaufman@me.com) or Executive Director Linda Peck [linda@ohefsholom.org](mailto:linda@ohefsholom.org) to find a role that fits with your skills and interests.

# CHANGES AT TEMPLE

Next time you're at Temple, you'll notice that we've made some changes.

- In an effort to be a secure yet welcoming temple, Michelle Lutton has moved up to the front desk so that she can more closely monitor the front door while greeting people entering Temple.
- Additionally we lowered the counter in front of this desk to increase visibility. Not only does this help us determine who wants to enter the building, but it also lets congregants and visitors see a person who can welcome them and direct them to their destination.
- Between its teachers, students and parents, the Sunday Learning Community brings more people into the building on a "regular day" than the office. To accommodate this larger group, Jim Dunn, Religious School Administrator, has moved into the front office. This gives the teachers access to the main copier and supplies as well as more space for parents and teachers to speak with Jim.
- Our graphic designer Elyse Stinman moved into my old office which gives her better access to the main copier and the cutter. She will share with the new Director of Congregational Life, a position yet to be filled.
- Wendy Whedbee has moved to Jim's old Religious School office. This gives her a quiet spot to enter our financials into the database in a more secure and private area, and I'm back in my old office right next to her.
- Additionally, we have been organizing our shared files on Google Cloud, which allows us to access files and email from any desk. So when Michelle needs dedicated time for clergy work, any staff member is able to sit at the front desk and continue working. Additionally, all files can be accessed from home (and even one's phone!)

These changes enable us to work more efficiently together, and we are all getting settled in. Please come by and say "hi."

**Linda Peck**  
Executive Director  
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## College Student Holiday Greetings

Please email the US postal address of your college-age student(s) to [jim@ohefsholom.org](mailto:jim@ohefsholom.org).

Courtesy of our OST Sisterhood, the Religious School-Family Learning Committee will mail a Rosh Hashanah Greeting Card, and other upcoming holiday greetings and surprises to our college-age kids who live away from home this school year to remind them that they are always part of our OST family.



## WE APPRECIATE THE THOUGHTFULNESS OF THOSE WHO SUPPORT OST

*by remembering and honoring their  
friends and loved ones through their  
generous contributions*

Please have your donations  
submitted to the Temple before  
the beginning of the month.

**MOLLIE AND  
GEORGE RADIN  
ARCHIVES FUND**  
*In Memory of:*  
ROSE ANN L.  
GROSSMAN  
Ruth & Edward Legum

**CARING  
COMMITTEE  
FUND – NEST**  
*With Appreciation to:*  
SHARON ROSS  
Connie Golden

**CARING  
COMMITTEE FUND  
– SOUP KITCHEN**  
Suzanne Unger  
*In Memory of:*  
STEVEN REZNICK  
Barbara & Zack Glasser  
*Wishing a Speedy  
Recovery to:*  
JOE RESNICK  
Barbara & Zack Glasser

**FLORAL FUND**  
*In Memory of:*  
ETHEL BASS  
Marilyn Buxbaum  
FLORENCE W.  
GOLDSTEIN  
\*Marsha & Stephen  
Goldstein  
ANNA C. LISNER  
Brenda & Sheal Lisner  
ALEXANDER  
BENJAMIN MIZROCH  
The Rowland, Mizroch  
& Rosenbergs Families

**MEN'S CLUB FUND**  
*In Memory of:*  
ARTHUR STEINBERG  
\*Joanne Batson & Philip  
Rovner

**RELIGIOUS SCHOOL  
RELIEF FUND**  
*In Memory of:*  
STEVEN REZNICK  
Betty Hecht  
WENDY ALTSCHUL  
ROLLAND  
Arlene & Jack Rephan  
RABBI ARTHUR  
STEINBERG  
\*Barbara Ann & Larry  
Blum  
*Wishing A Happy  
Birthday to:*  
BOB LIVERMAN  
\*Beverly & Jack Fox  
\*Miriam & Bob  
Seeherman  
BLANCHE NUSBAUM  
\*Sharon & Bill Nusbaum  
CHARLES NUSBAUM  
\*Sharon & Bill Nusbaum

**SISTERHOOD FUND:  
KIDS CASSEROLES**  
*In Memory of:*  
ARTHUR STEINBERG  
Karen Plotnick  
DEBORAH DECHTER  
Karen Plotnick  
PAT WISOFF  
Karen Plotnick

**TEMPLE FUND**  
*In Memory of:*  
ANITA ROVNER  
PATRICIA ROVNER  
ROBERT ROVNER  
\*Joanne Batson & Philip  
Rovner  
BARBARA LETERMAN  
FLETCHER  
\*Jane & Lenny Frieden  
DAVID WEINSTEIN  
\*Barbara & Bill Hearst  
*Wishing A Happy 65th  
Birthday to:*  
LINDA LAIBSTAIN  
Sally & Steve Kocen  
*Wishing A Happy 98th  
Birthday to:*  
BOB LIVERMAN  
Sandra Glasser Tavss

**WOODWARD  
MUSIC FUND**  
*In Memory of:*  
JOHN BENNETT  
JACOBSON  
\*Nancy Jacobson  
*Wishing A Happy  
Birthday to:*  
BOB LIVERMAN  
Barbara & Zack Glasser

**BEATRICE L. BERLIN  
ELDERLY NEEDS  
FUND**  
*In Memory of:*  
BEATRICE L. BERLIN  
Carol B. Rosenblatt  
RALPH J. BERLIN  
Carol B. Rosenblatt

**LESLIE  
LEGUM CAMP  
SCHOLARSHIP**  
*Wishing A Happy  
Birthday to:*  
JAY LEGUM  
Connie & Jerry Golden  
*With Congratulations  
on the birth of his  
granddaughter  
Madeline Joy to:*  
JAY LEGUM  
Gabriele Jannas

\*denotes gifts of  
\$25 or more

## WHAT'S NEW IN SUNDAY LEARNING?



**Chris Kraus**

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"The purpose of this Congregation shall be to worship God; to affirm the attachment of its members to the ideals and faith of Judaism; to provide the appropriate means for them to express those ideals and that faith; to cultivate a love and understanding of the Jewish heritage; to afford religious education to its members and their children; to promote the welfare of our Jewish brethren; and to support worthy efforts for the betterment of all people."

Constitution and Bylaws of Ohef Sholom Congregation, Norfolk, Virginia  
(Adopted 1991, Amended 2000, 2001, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2012 and May 15, 2014)

### CONSTITUTIONAL THINGS

Words make things real. In America, we like to express our values in wordy documents. The written words of our Constitution embody our community's aspirations—what we hope to become. American Judaism embraces an historic love of words, as evidenced in our Ohef Sholom Congregation's Constitution, as well as our Torah scrolls. Take a moment to read our constitutional purpose. How many of these ideals do you embrace? Does our temple inspire you in these directions? Interestingly, the Hebrew for 'words,' *d'varim*, also means 'things.' Words become real things that move the soul. Constitutional *d'varim* are a blueprint for spiritual education. A constitution is also "the physical makeup of the individual especially with respect to the health, strength, and appearance of the body, as in a hearty *constitution*" (Miriam Webster Dictionary). In a sense, our Ohef Sholom constitution is our collective health, strength, appearance and spirit, to the extent we aspire towards its words.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL ELECTIVES

Teens should have a say in directing their spiritual development. This year, we combine 7th, 8th and 9th graders who select two 9-week, 1-hour courses in a trimester

schedule. Courses include 613 Mitzvot, Cooking, Jewish Lens, Yoga, Holocaust, Art, Sacred Choices-Teen Relationships, *Parashah*-Weekly Torah Readings, Better Together – Honoring the Elderly, Madrichim Training, and graphic novels *Maus I* and *How to Understand Israel in 60 Days or Less*. If you'd like to teach an elective of your own, contact Chris.

### CHAI-TECH BETTER TOGETHER TEENS AND SENIORS

Partnership with Beth Sholom Village



This year, in a series of monthly Sunday lunch & learns, teens and senior citizens will partner with each other to learn life perspectives, technology skills, and the Jewish value of honoring the elderly, *Kavod Lizkeinim*. The Legacy Heritage Better Together program has granted our Temple a two-year award to strengthen our partnership with Beth Sholom Village residents and OST teens in grades 8-12. The Better Together Program is generously supported by Legacy Heritage. OST Chai-Tech Better Together coordinator Leslie Shroyer leads this initiative, in partnership with Beth Sholom Village and its Recreational Therapy Director and OST member Josh Bennett. OST is grateful for being chosen to participate in the Legacy

Heritage Better Together Program and looks forward to sharing with our community how this program positively influences our students.

### INTEGRATED HEBREW PRIMARY LEVEL

Hebrew is the sacred language of our Jewish culture. In addition to *Alef, Bet, Gimmel* and *Dalet* classes for grades 3-6 from 8:45 to 9:55, we are bringing back and expanding Hebrew through Movement from 10-12:30 with a musical component for PreK through grade 3 with our specialist. These up-beat sessions make Hebrew fun, integrate Hebrew concepts into religion, and strengthen kids' foundation for Hebrew prayer fluency once they begin *Alef*.

### YOGA FOR ADULTS 8:45 – 9:45AM

After you drop off your kids for Hebrew on select Sundays, park your car and join certified yoga instructor and OST member Cathy Romash in our yoga room for a free class, no experience necessary. Awaken deep breathing, flexibility and mindfulness. Experience *Ruach*, Hebrew for breath of life, and *Shalem*, Hebrew for peaceful completeness, vital to spiritual growth and development. No

reservations necessary. First classes are Sept 11, Sept 18, Oct 16, Oct 30, Nov 6, Nov 13, Nov 20.

## CHILDCARE FOR HEBREW, YOGA AND ADULT LEARNING

## SUNDAY LEARNING OPENING DAY SEPTEMBER 11, 2016

### FACULTY, 2016-17

Meet 56 of our text-people for Sunday morning learning. They have made a commitment to practice the *mitzvah* of teaching Torah diligently to our children.

On Sundays from 8:40-9:55, and on select Sunday from 9:50 – 11:15 during Introduction to Judaism classes, OST provides childcare. Reservations for Adult Learning childcare by Thursday 6pm to [chris@ohfsholom.org](mailto:chris@ohfsholom.org) are required.

Confirmation Class Opening Day is September 18, 2016.

Register for Sunday Learning now if you have not yet done so at [www.ohfsholom.org](http://www.ohfsholom.org).

**"What we need more than anything else is not *text-books* but *text-people*."**

Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel, "The Spirit of Jewish Education," (1953).

CLASS	TEACHER	MADRICH/A
Infants as Teachers, Wiggles & Giggles	Kitty Wolf, Nicole Smith, Channa Schachet-Briskin	
Nursery	TBD	Joshua Glaser-Wirt
PreK	Nicole Smith	Emma Neukrug
Kindergarten	Victoria Haring	Sam Lisner
1st	Becky Roberts	Brittnay Dagan
2nd	Rachael Trussell	Ben Brotman
3rd	Mara Bates	Cameron Fisch
4th	Alyson Morrissey	Ayden Cohn, Daniel Schlichtig
5th	Alice Titus	Walter Robb
6th	Lisa Cohn	Amy Landman
7th, 8th, 9th	Ira Steingold	Ari Trussell
7th, 8th, 9th	Marty Mandelberg	Ryley Studer
7th, 8th, 9th	Brett Trussell	Alisa Kosovsky
10th confirmation	Rabbi Roz & Cantor Wally	
HEBREW STUDIES		
Alef	Marnie Waldman	Ryley Studer, Katelynn McAraw, Dani Byers, Elijah Kohn
Bet	Mara Bates	Sophie Waldman, Ethan Kutner, Brianna Soblotne, Walter Robb, Samuel McAraw
Gimmel	Becky Roberts	Daniel Schlichtig, Alisa Kosovsky, Micah Schachet-Briskin, Sam Fernandez
Dalet	Brian Bachman	Ari Trussell, Alastair Sterns, Hailey Foer, Skylar Foster
SPECIALISTS		
Primary Art	Kendall Chandler	Josh Glaser-Wirt
Intermediate and Middle School Art	Ilene Stein	Miles Fine
Primary Music	Channa Schachet-Briskin	
Intermediate Music	Marilyn Johns	
Yoga	Cathy Romash	
Hebrew Movement and Harmony	Marnie Waldman	
Library	Gaile Lipp	Geoff Robb, Charlene Gold
Cooking	Ruth Pano	
Special Needs (JIEP)	Heather Keller	Karen Owens
DJ & Technology		Jason Young
Song Leading	Cantor Wally	Sam Fernandez, Alisa Kosovsky, Amelia Fox
Childcare	Karen Owens, Brian Gomer	
Office	Jim Dunn	Cameron Fisch, Mallory Weinstein, Sarah Friedman



**TASHLICH FOR ALL AGES AT THE BEACH!****Monday, October 3****4:30 p.m. First Landing State Park****(Service at 5:30 p.m.)****B-Y-O-PICNIC, SWIMMING, SINGING, and CASTING OF BREADCRUMBS**

Tashlich, meaning "casting away" in Hebrew, involves symbolically tossing out the sins of the previous year by throwing pieces of bread into a body of flowing water. Hoping to start the New Year with a clean slate, we'll gather for family fun, picnicking (bring-your-own dinner, blanket or table, beach umbrella, chairs, and enough breadcrumbs to cover your sins), swimming (no lifeguard on duty), a sing-along with Cantor Wally, and breadcrumb-casting at the beach. Watch for more details. If the weather makes beach-going intolerable, please check your email or call the Temple for alternate arrangements.

**RSVP** at [www.ohefsholom.org/calendar/reservations](http://www.ohefsholom.org/calendar/reservations), [reservations@ohefsholom.org](mailto:reservations@ohefsholom.org) or by calling the office at (757) 625-4295.

Join us for an ancient, meaningful ritual with a modern, family-fun twist!

**Teshuvah Stories:****JOURNEYS TO JUDAISM**

Join us for a three-part series to learn about fellow congregants' stories of their Journeys to Judaism.

**September 16, 2016 - 6:30 p.m.**

**Speaker: Alicia Willson-Metzger**

**September 23, 2016 - 6:30 p.m.**

**Speaker: Lori Galbraith**

**September 30, 2016 - 6:30 p.m.**

**Speaker: Ross Firoved**

As we know, there are many ways to express our faith and live our Jewish lives. On three Shabbatot, you will have the opportunity to hear three different expressions of individual and family commitments.

**HIGH HOLIDAY SECURITY**

With the High Holidays just around the corner and many unfortunate incidents occurring throughout the world, Jewish institutions are reminded that security awareness should remain a priority focus. We have worked with local law enforcement, as well as Homeland Security, to enhance our security at Ohef Sholom Temple while maintaining a comfortable, welcoming, secure, worship environment.

We ask for your help and cooperation by showing your tickets to our greeters, whether they already know you well or not. Please refrain from bringing any backpacks

& large bags to Temple. Medical & childcare bags are allowed but will be subject to search.

If you see something, say something. Please know this is not intended to alarm you in any way. We just want to let you know that we take the safety of our congregants, staff and clergy very seriously.

**Ted Kaufman**

President, Ohef Sholom Temple

**Bonnie Kerner**

Chair, Special Needs & Security Committee

**CALENDAR-AT-A-GLANCE ☆ 2016/5777****CEMETERY SERVICE**

Forest Lawn Cemetery Mausoleum

Sunday, September 25, 2016

Services ..... 12:00 p.m.

**SELICHOT/ SHABBAT SERVICE**

Friday, September 30, 2016

Services.....6:30 p.m.

**EREV ROSH HASHANAH**

Sunday, October 2, 2016

Early Service, Family-Friendly

Worship & Child Care.....6:15 p.m.

Late Service.....8:15 p.m.

**ROSH HASHANAH DAY**

Monday, October 3, 2016

Early Service, Family-Friendly

Worship & Child Care.....9:00 a.m.

Late Service.....11:30 a.m.

Tashlich at the Beach.....4:30 p.m.

**KOL NIDRE**

Tuesday, October 11, 2016

Early Service, Family-Friendly

Worship & Child Care.....6:15 p.m.

Late Service.....8:15 p.m.

**YOM KIPPUR**

Wednesday, October 12, 2016

Early Service, Family-Friendly

Worship & Child Care.....9:00 a.m.

Late Service.....11:30 a.m.

**YOM KIPPUR AFTERNOON SERVICES**

Study Session (in Chapel).....1:30 p.m.

Afternoon Service (in Chapel)...2:45 p.m.

Interlude .....4:00 p.m.

Memorial &

Concluding Services.....4:15 p.m.

Break-the-Fast.....6:00 p.m.



# HIGH HOLIDAYS 2016/5777

## ADMISSION TICKETS

OST will mail tickets about two weeks prior to *Rosh Hashanah* to congregants who are current in their financial obligations to the Temple through the September 2016 quarter. Envelopes will be marked "HHD Tickets Enclosed."

Dependents, up to 24 years of age, will receive admission tickets. Tickets will be mailed in September. (See insert).

Admission tickets are not required for the **Yom Kippur Afternoon Study Session** (led by Kitty Wolf) or for the **Afternoon Memorial and Concluding services**.

## WHICH SERVICE SHOULD I ATTEND?

All members – age 11 and older – are invited to attend either the early (6:15 pm and 9:00 am) or late (8:15 pm or 11:30 am) Services in the main Sanctuary.

**Families with children under the age of 11** should plan on attending a service during the 6:15 pm and 9:00 am time periods. Depending on your children's ages and your worship preferences, you have a few options:

- If your child is 5 or older**, you can attend the Family-Friendly Worship together OR you can drop your child off for the supervised program while you attend Services in the main Sanctuary.
- If your child is under 5**, you and your child can attend Family-Friendly Worship together, **but you must remain with your child for the duration of the program**.
- Families with newborns through age 4** can sign up for our drop-off Child-Care services, courtesy of the Temple. You can then attend Services in the main Sanctuary or the Family-Friendly Worship.

## GUESTS

Tickets for non-affiliated out-of-town guests of members are available at \$100.00 for adults and \$36 for children ages 9-16, per ticket **per holiday**, paid for in advance. (Please fill out the inserted Guest Request Form and return it with your check.)

## FAMILY FRIENDLY WORSHIP

The Family-Friendly Worship Service, coordinated by our Director of Family Learning Chris Kraus, makes holiday worship an engaging learning experience that includes age-appropriate crafts and creative activities. This program, which runs concurrently with the early Congregational Service in the main Sanctuary, gives parents and guardians the options to worship with their young children or to worship with the Congregation in the main Sanctuary. **Please note that children under 5 must be accompanied by parents/guardians during this program.**

## CHILD CARE

Families with children ages 0-4 can sign up for our drop-off Child Care, courtesy of OST, which will be available during each of our early Services:

Erev Rosh Hashanah Service	10/2	6:15 - 7:45 pm
Rosh Hashanah Service	10/3	9:00 - 10:50 am
Kol Nidre Service	10/11	6:15 - 7:45 pm
Yom Kippur Service	10/12	9:00 - 10:50 am

We ask that you pre-register by sending the office a Child Care Request Form (see insert) so that we can ensure enough babysitters. Please plan on arriving ten minutes early to make sure your child is checked in and settled, allowing you to get to your service on time.

## ARMED FORCES AND COLLEGE STUDENTS

Enlisted personnel and their families, as well as full-time college and medical students attending local schools, are welcome guests of our Temple. They should contact the Temple office for admission tickets.

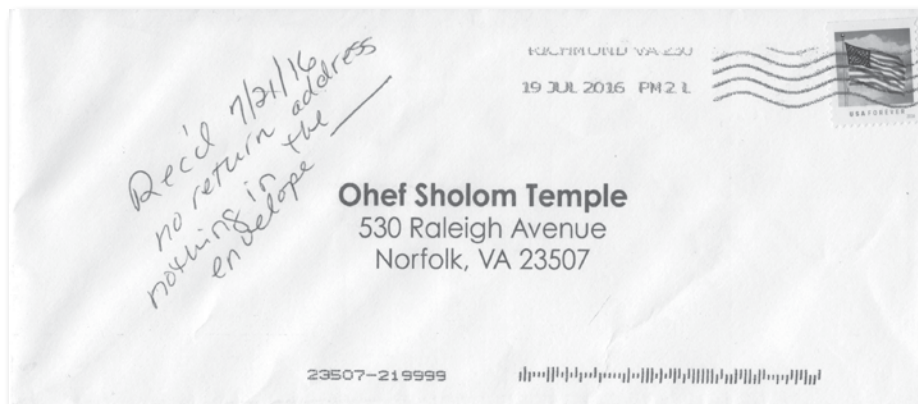
## PRAYER BOOK

**Gates of Repentance, The New Union Prayer Book** will be read at all services. To purchase your own copy, contact the Judaica Shop, where they are available at \$30.00 each.

## TRAFFIC AND PARKING

Raleigh Avenue will be used as the only entrance to the parking lots. There will be additional handicapped parking spots and traffic guards will be posted to direct traffic. **Parking will also be available at Ghent United Methodist Church, as well as on surrounding streets.**

# RETURN ADDRESSES



Where do I belong and who am I from?

WAS there dues in here?

Or a school registration perhaps?

Help us help you! Put a return address on any correspondence you send to the Temple!

Apart of  
**Shabbat for Everyone**

**family friendly  
fridays**

Beginning at 5:45 p.m.

**COME ONE, COME ALL!**

Join us for  
a brief Shabbat Service  
with lively songs & a story  
led by Rabbi Roz & Cantor Wally  
accompanied by the OST Youth Choir.

Designed especially for families with infants  
through middle schooler, it is held right before  
Shabbat dinner, which begins at 6:30 pm.

**September 9**

Stay for Shabbat dinner (kids under 12 eat free!), and the  
little ones can enjoy a craft when they've finished eating.

For more information visit  
[www.ohefsholom.org](http://www.ohefsholom.org)  
or call 757-625-4295



**LIKE US ON  
FACEBOOK!**

# RADIANT VOICES

The voices of Jewish composers through the ages will resound in "Radiant Voices", the Virginia Chorale's opening concert of its 33rd season. Charles Woodward conducts the Chorale in 17th-century madrigals by Salomone Rossi, grand 19th-century liturgical classics, traditional folksongs from Israel, and Aaron Copland's In the Beginning (1947) with world-renowned mezzo-soprano Robynne Redmon. This is a program you won't want to miss!



Sponsored by Ohef Sholom Temple Adult Education

**"JUDAISM AND THE TRADITION  
OF SACRED CHORAL MUSIC"**

Join our panelists as they explore how music kindles a  
desire for the sacred, has mirrored and shaped the  
diverse modes of Jewish identity found throughout  
the world and across history.

Panelists: Dr. Sandra Billy (Center for Sacred Music at Virginia  
Wesleyan College), Rabbi Michael Panitz (Temple Israel),  
Cantor Wally Schachet-Briskin (Ohef Sholom Temple).

Tickets Available at Door and Online:  
<https://squareup.com/store/virginia-chorale>

**SUNDAY  
SEPT 18**

**PANEL 3PM  
FREE**

**CONCERT 4PM  
\$25 AT DOOR**

**LOCATED AT:**





**Sharon Ross**  
*S4ross@cox.net*  
 717-617-0101

## ONGOING PROJECTS

### SOUP KITCHEN

Monday, September 26  
 9:30 am - 1:30 pm  
**Dorianne Villani**  
*dvillani@cox.net*

### JCOC

Wednesday, November 2  
 4:00 pm - 6:30 pm  
**Dorianne Villani**  
*dvillani@cox.net*  
**Anne Kramer**  
*fanniek001@aol.com*

### NEST

January 4 -11, 2017  
**Sharon Ross**  
*s4ross@cox.net*  
**Carol Laibstain**  
*parparim@me.com*

### QUILTING GROUP

2nd & 4th Thursdays  
 of every month  
**Marsha Moody**  
*vamoody1@verizon.net*

## LEADERSHIP EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT (LEAD) INFORMATION

### SEPTEMBER 16-18

Capital Camps, Waynesboro, PA  
 Grades 9-12



At this event, your teens will:

#### TAKE PART

in interactive teen-led programs that will train them to be a leader in their youth group and in everyday life

#### PREPARE

for the upcoming year with their sub-region and with teens from other youth groups who share the same leadership position as them

#### CELEBRATE

a joyous Camp Shabbat, filled with singing and ruach (spirit)!

#### GET PUMPED

for our annual GRADE WARS on Saturday night!

#### MEET NEW

people and see their friends from NFTY, Camp, Israel and Mitzvah Corps

This event was formerly known as JELLO (Jewish Education Learning and Leadership Opportunities). We have changed the name to better reflect the amazing work we accomplish during this event to continue to develop as LEADers!

Cost: \$275

For more information about Leadership Exploration and Development (LEAD) and Scholarship Applications available from NFTY/MAR and OST, contact Chris Kraus at [chris@ohefsholom.org](mailto:chris@ohefsholom.org).



We are women who have bonded together in the spirit of friendship, love and a common cause.

We are women who for whatever reason, be it that we were born Jewish or we became Jews by choice, have chosen to lead a Jewish life.

We are women seeking our own way – searching for our own special niche in the realm of things.

We are women who know that together we can accomplish more than we could do alone.

We are women who are filled with dedication, devotion, determination and hope.

We are Jewish women, Sisterhood women, we are Women of Reform Judaism.



The Women of Sisterhood – by Natalie Pritikin  
Temple Israel of Greater Miami Florida

As summer comes to a close, and we all begin preparation for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, we also start gearing up for fall at OST. This includes preparation for the beginning of religious school, car pool cafes, Shabbat dinners, book club meetings, soup kitchens, etc. Sisterhood has been working collaboratively with our amazing Men's Club to coordinate everything from bagels on Sunday mornings to Shabbat dinners and beyond. We also look forward to working with the Caring Committee on the continuing tzedakah quilting group. Part of what makes our Temple family so special is the collaboration that we have on many of our events and projects.

At the end of August, Sisterhood provided a luncheon for the religious school faculty and madrachim orientation. The faculty and staff are geared up and ready for another great year of religious education for 2016-2017. As Sisterhood looks forward to the upcoming year, we invite all women to join us for an evening of dinner and wine at The Mermaid Winery in Norfolk on Wednesday, September 14th at 6:00 pm. It's a

time for us to reconnect with each other over some fantastic food and wine as well as have a brief organizational meeting. Please check your email for your Evite for further details.

Looking forward, on Sunday October 16th at 9:30 am, join Sisterhood for our fall book club discussion which will be led by Barbara Dudley at OST. Also, if you have not yet signed up to usher for High Holiday Days this year, please do so, as there are many volunteers needed to keep each service running safely and smoothly.

Lastly, we want to thank everyone who provided meals for the Bachman family over the past couple of months. Your thoughts, prayers, and food have been greatly appreciated.

Don't forget to stop in the Judaica Shop for all of your High Holidays needs, and check out some of the beautiful pieces of Judaica on the Facebook page. Also, check out the Sisterhood webpage for more information on our events and

**Sisterhood Book Club**

**Sunday, October 16**

9:30 am – Sisterhood Meeting  
10:30 am – Book Club

**The Secret Chord**  
by Geraldine Brooks

The Secret Chord provides new context for some of the best-known episodes of David's life while also focusing on others, even more remarkable and emotionally intense, that have been neglected. Witness David through the eyes of those who love him or fear him—from the prophet Nathan, voice of his conscience, to his wives Mikal, Abigail, and Bathsheba, and finally to Solomon, the late-born son who redeems his father-like old age. Brooks has an uncanny ability to hear and transform characters from history, and this beautifully written, unvarnished saga of faith, desire, family, ambition, betrayal, and power will enthrall.

Available for purchase at Amazon.com

Please RSVP to [reservations@chesholom.org](mailto:reservations@chesholom.org)

projects throughout the year. We look forward to meeting and/or working with you and our Temple family this year!

L'Shana Tovah

**Nichole Kushner**  
Sisterhood Co-President  
[mrskush09@gmail.com](mailto:mrskush09@gmail.com)

**Margaret Sawyer**  
Sisterhood Co-President  
[Margaret.Sawyer1948@gmail.com](mailto:Margaret.Sawyer1948@gmail.com)

# HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS

For more details on OST events please  
visit: [www.ohefsholom.org](http://www.ohefsholom.org) or find us on Facebook

**Sept 8, 13, 22**

Various times



## Quliting Group

We meet the 2nd & 4th Thursday from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm & the 3rd Wednesday from 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm.

Please contact Marsha Moody at [vamood1@verizon.net](mailto:vamood1@verizon.net) for further info.

**Sept 9**

5:45 pm



## Family Friendly Fridays

Join us for a brief Shabbat Service with lively songs & a story led by Rabbi Roz & Cantor Wally accompanied by the OST Youth Choir.

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**Sept 9**

6:30 pm

## Back to Shul Dinner

\$10 Adults, Children 12 & older  
Children Under 12 - Free

Make Your Reservation Today!  
[reservations@ohefsholom.org](mailto:reservations@ohefsholom.org) or  
757-625-4295

**Sept 9**

6:30 pm



## Eternal Light Recognition

We dedicate the new plaques honoring the current donors to the Eternal Light Society, which represents part of our congregational response to ensure the future of Ohef Sholom Temple.

**Sept 11**

10:00 am



## New Member Orientation & Open House

Opening Day of our Sunday Learning Community  
Greet old friends, welcome new & prospective members, & learn about OST programs & committees and how YOU can be a part of the excitement.

**Sept 16, 23, 30**

6:30 pm

## Teshuvah Speakers

Join us for a three-part series to learn about fellow congregants' stories of their Journeys to Judaism.

1. Alicia Willson-Metzger
2. Lori Galbraith
3. Ross Firoved

**Sept 18**

11:00 am



## Wiggles & Giggles

Bring your young children up to age 4 for our innovative program Wiggles & Giggles. We'll explore our Jewish world through play, stories, music and movement.

Please RSVP to Kitty Wolf at [kitty@ohefsholom.org](mailto:kitty@ohefsholom.org).

**Sept 23**

5:00 pm



## Kids & Kiddush

Bring your family for food & crafts along with a brief service & songs led by Rabbi Roz & Cantor Wally.

For more information & to RSVP, please contact Kitty Wolf at [kitty@ohefsholom.org](mailto:kitty@ohefsholom.org).

**Sept 25**

2:00 pm



## Congregational Picnic

Join us at the Brock Environmental Center in Virginia Beach for Brock Environmental Center Tours, Games & Fun Activities, & Mitzvah Projects.

RSVP at [reservations@ohefsholom.org](mailto:reservations@ohefsholom.org)

## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

### September 1

Jacquelyn R.  
Haywood  
Jeffrey Y. Schnader  
Stephen L. Goldstein  
Rachel Abraham  
Janice Anten

### September 2

Steve Kocen  
Ellen Rostov  
Hundley  
Michael Jankosky  
Claire Ricewater

### September 3

Leigh Nusbaum  
Paul Moore  
Janyth Fine  
Lori Galbraith  
Ellen VanOs  
Michael L. Goodove  
Sharon K. Nusbaum

### September 4

Lori Galbraith  
Ellen VanOs  
Michael L. Goodove  
Sharon K. Nusbaum

### September 5

Miriam G.  
Seeherman  
Joseph B. Goldman

### September 6

Leonid Baber

### September 7

Neil Waranch  
Elizabeth Waranch  
Martin K. Salasky  
Tony Armentrout  
Suzanne L. Barr

### September 8

Palmer Truslow  
Robert Hunter  
Johns  
David Pariser  
Deborah Fisch

### September 9

Pamela R.  
Soforenko

### September 10

Ingeresa P.  
Friedman

Barbara Fernandez  
Gerry R. Adelman

### September 11

Mindy Retnauer

### September 12

Marsha Moody  
David S. Hirschler, II

### September 13

Alexandra Konikoff  
Thomas Burgess  
Hodges

### September 14

Matthew A.  
Galumbeck  
Elyse Kalfus  
Trish Steingold  
Marilyn B. Levy

### September 15

Allison Cooper  
Jeffrey Forman  
Allison Rachels

### September 16

Lawrence M. Spigel

### September 18

Wendy A. Cooper  
Bruce Kushner  
Kathy Lasakow  
Gail F. Wolpin  
Gerald L. Bloom  
Patricia Levin  
Arleen Ruth Sobel

### September 19

Jane L. Frieden  
Jennifer Lagow  
Lewis D. Hirschler, Jr.  
Marynell Gordon  
Patricia Flax-  
Jankosky  
Barry Friedman  
Catherine Rolfe

### September 20

Arleen Cohen  
Helene Green  
Rhonda R. Frank

### September 21

Courtney Lee  
McAraw  
Nanci Glassman

Judd Mendelson  
Loty Albert  
Marge Anten

### September 22

Martin Mendelsohn  
Neal C. Schulwolf  
Connie Golden  
Elon A. Pollack

### September 23

Beth Jaffe  
Joseph B. Feldman

### September 24

John Bachman

### September 25

Marilyn G. Kayer

### September 26

Deborah Anne  
Meltsner  
Neal Klar  
Judith W. Levin

### September 27

Richard A. Beskin  
Richard Tavss

Ira Trussell  
Dorianne Villani  
Amy Dagen  
John M. Evans

### September 28

Harriet Bloom  
Rachelle Luna  
Evelyn T. Adler  
Nicole Rosenblum  
Louis Sherman

### September 29

Elizabeth Hoelzer  
Melissa A. Miller

### September 30

Carole Bernstein  
Natalie Morrozzoff  
Jeffrey Partington

## SEPTEMBER YAHRZEITS

### August 28 - September 3

Bessie Aftel  
Irwin C. Albert  
Rachel Rief Axelrod\*  
Jonathan Behr  
Sam Beskin  
Henrietta Blaustein\*  
Louis Colbus  
Theresa B. Davis  
Margaret Dunn  
Emily Lablanc Faber\*  
Louis B. Fine\*  
Minnie Fine\*  
Celia Davis Garson\*  
Pearl Gelb  
Simcoe Glasser\*  
Sarah Glassman\*  
Sam Glick  
Louis Goldner  
Leon Goldstein\*  
Vivian Gooze  
Margo Gottesman  
Shoshanah Chavah  
Gottlieb\*  
Murial Green  
Dr. Abraham  
Grossman\*  
Stanley Hainer  
Dr. Harry Harrison\*  
Sylvia Heilman  
Milton Hirschler\*  
Henry Clay  
Hofheimer\*  
Ronald Lee Jacobson  
Rachel Jaffe  
Dorothy Kas  
Bernard Kayton\*  
Melvin J. Kozak  
Beatrice Lohre  
Edythe Lotkin\*  
Lucille McNott

Gertrude Nathanson  
Ferdinand Phillips, Sr.\*  
Ella H. Raymond\*  
Paul Robbins  
Babette Schwan\*  
Marvin Simon\*  
Hilda G. Soble\*  
David Sussman\*  
Gabe Sward  
Walter Vatcher  
Barry M. Wolf\*  
Lenora B. Young

### September 4 - 10

Belle Agnew  
Melvin Bass  
Fannie Berger  
Hattie Bistrong  
Charles Cohen\*  
Tanhen Cooper\*  
Vernon Dudley  
William Eggleston  
William Finkelstein  
Irene Freed  
Matthew Galumbeck  
Dr. H. Gelberman\*  
Lillian Z. Goldstein  
Charles Hill Grimm  
Henry T. Grossman  
Phil Hamovit\*  
David S. Hirschler\*  
Trudy Nordlinger  
Hoffer\*  
Edward E. Kahn\*  
Charles L. Kaufman, Jr.  
Milton D. Kaufman\*  
Beatrice Klein  
Harry Kohn  
Ruth Korman  
Valeria Krix  
Louis Malkin  
Edna Mesh  
Alon Portnoy

Lesser Raphael\*  
Julia Rapoport\*  
Sam Reznick  
Stanley Rivin  
Benjamin Sachs\*  
Jacob E. Saunders\*  
Charles Schwartz\*  
Henry R. Sohmer\*  
Louis Strom\*  
Len Talley  
Martha Ungar  
Harry Weisberg  
Albert G. Zeno

### September 11 - 17

Samuel Aftel  
Max Berger\*  
Eleanor Capin  
Edie Malka Caroff  
Cecelia Cohen\*  
Rose H. Copeland\*  
Beatrice Diener  
Hattie Engel\*  
Sylvia Axelrod  
Finestone\*  
Joseph Hearst\*  
Augusta Hecht  
Bertram Hirschler  
Bertram R. Hirschler  
Eddie Hix  
Margaret Hofheimer\*  
Ethel Narins Katz  
Carl Lampl  
Lena Levinson\*  
Louis Meyer Lisner  
Albert R. Marks  
Albert Miller\*  
Esther W. Miller  
Muriel Potter  
Maurice A. Rosenthal\*  
Benjamin Shiffrin  
Sherry Snyder

Allen Soble\*  
Bessie Sonenshine  
Regina Steinberg  
Emily Guggenheim  
Switzer  
Eva Wainger\*  
Michele Waranch  
Shirley Weisberg  
Charles Wynne\*  
Marguerite G. Zentz

### September 18 - 24

Maxine Berger\*  
Gertrude Berman  
Aaron Busch\*  
Tess Cantin\*  
Myrna Cohn  
Rose Weinstein  
Dembicer\*  
Flora L. Donn\*  
Gizella Dresner  
Agnes Frenkil  
Charles K. Friedman\*  
Morris E. Gartner\*  
Jerome S. Gershman  
Julius Goldstein\*  
Czarna Graber  
Sadie Himmelstein  
Geraldine Horton\*  
Rebecca "Becky"  
Kahn  
Leah Kahnheimer\*  
Kathryn Koltun  
Bessie S. Legum  
Marcella M. Levi\*  
Miriam Ullman Levy\*  
Janet Linic  
Rose S. Miller\*  
Dianne Murray  
Lawrence L.  
Newfield\*  
Mary Margaret  
Pariser

Bernard Raymond\*  
Harry Rosenthal  
Laurence Rubin  
Marianne  
Schlesinger\*  
Charles K. Schoen\*  
Henry Schonholt  
Harry J. Segal\*  
Thelma Silver  
Gary Eli Silverman  
John Spark\*  
Bernard B. Spigel\*  
Selwyn Laderberg  
Steel\*  
Irwin Sussman  
Leonard Tonelson\*  
Gerald Weitzman  
Frederick Woodson

### September 25 - October 1



Irwin M. Adler\*  
Rachel Kass Bendavid  
Edward Berman  
Harry Brum  
Anna K. Cohen\*  
Bernice Noble Cohen  
Haiman H. Colbus\*  
Esther Ehrenworth  
Cooper\*  
Grayce Cooper  
Nancy Dougherty  
Sidney Geffen  
Harriet Gilbert  
Ralph Gilbert  
Helen W. Glanzer\*  
Eugene Forrest  
Gordman\*  
Charlotte Griggs  
Harry O. Hindlin  
Eleanor B. Hofheimer  
Milton M. Jacobson\*  
Leah C. Jaffe\*  
Charles L. Kaufman, Sr.

Bertha Kleisdorf  
Ludwig H. Korn\*  
Murray Kossman\*  
Sydel Krakower  
Harry H. Levine\*  
Harry Lewis  
Lee B. Luther  
Alvin Margolius, Sr.\*  
Faye S. Markoff\*  
Ulysses Sam Miller\*  
Moses Hirsh Mizroch  
Martin Luther Moody  
Sue Godet Noble  
Sam Novick\*  
Joan Leterman  
Nusbaum  
Pauline Porter  
Herman L. Rapoport\*  
Hannah Rapp  
Rebecca Reshefsky  
Eva Ries\*  
Esther Ring  
Robert V. Ronick  
Charles I. Rostov  
Louis Rostov  
Mary Rottenberg  
Elsa Goodman Scott  
David Sherry  
James Smith  
Louis Snyder\*  
Jennie Sommers\*  
Morris Tischler\*  
John G. Ullman  
Evelyn Ziehl  
Sylvia Zucker

\* denotes memorial plaque



# SEPTEMBER 2016

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.	FRI.	SAT.
				1 3:00 p.m. Executive Committee Mtg.	2 6:30 p.m. Shabbat Services	3 9:00 a.m. Torah Study 10:30 a.m. Shabbat Services
4	5 Office Closed for Labor Day	6 4:00 p.m. House Committee Mtg 6:00 p.m. Torah Study	7 6:00 p.m. Men's Club Mtg	8 10:00 a.m. Quilting Group	9 5:45 p.m. Family Friendly Fridays 6:30 p.m. Back to Shul Night Dinner 7:30 p.m. Shabbat Services	10 9:00 a.m. Torah Study 10:30 a.m. Bat Mitzvah of Jody Bartel
11 8:45 a.m. Sunday Learning 10:00 a.m. New Member Orientation/ Open House	12	13 3:30 p.m. Special Needs & Security Mtg 5:30 p.m. Quilting Group 6:00 p.m. Torah Study	14 6:00 p.m. Sisterhood Event at Mermaid Winery	15 8:00 a.m. Walking Group (offsite) 7:00 p.m. Board Mtg.	16 6:30 p.m. Shabbat Services with Teshuvah Speaker	17 9:00 a.m. Torah Study 10:30 a.m. Shabbat Services
18 8:00 a.m. Walking Group (offsite) 8:45 a.m. Sunday Learning 10:00 a.m. Confirmation Class 11:00 a.m. Wiggles & Giggles 3:00 p.m. Adult Ed Music Panel 4:00 p.m. VA Choral Concert	19	20 3:30 p.m. Communication Committee 6:00 p.m. Sisterhood Organizational Mtg 6:00 p.m. Torah Study	21	22 10:00 a.m. Quilting Group	23 5:00 p.m. Kids & Kiddush 6:30 p.m. Shabbat Services with Teshuvah Speaker	24 9:00 a.m. Torah Study 10:30 a.m. Shabbat Services
25 12:00 p.m. Cemetery Service 2:00 p.m. Congregational Picnic	26 9:30 a.m. Soup Kitchen	27 6:00 p.m. Torah Study 7:00 p.m. Confirmation Parent Mtg	28	29	30 6:30 p.m. Shabbat Services with Teshuvah Speaker	 

## OHEF SHOLOM FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The Ohef Sholom Scholarship Committee met in early July and awarded 16 scholarships to members and non-members as per Ohef Sholom Foundation guidelines. Many thanks to the committee for their hard work.

We are fortunate to be the beneficiaries of the generosity of those who believe in the power of continuing education. The following funds are held at Ohef Sholom Foundation: *The Sarah Cohen Scholarship Fund* provided \$12,000 in undergraduate scholarships. *The Sarah and Edward Levy Fund* provided \$1800 in scholarships

for medical school. *The Sarah and Edward Fund II* provided \$1520 in undergraduate scholarships. The *H. Lee Kanter and Marjorie Kanter Levy Scholarship Fund* provided \$780 in undergraduate scholarships. *J. Samuel Goldback Fund* provided \$2500 in undergraduate scholarships. A total of \$18,600 in scholarships were awarded.

Ohef Sholom Foundation benefits our Temple in various ways throughout the year. Please consider making a Legacy gift in support of our beloved Temple so that its good works can continue in perpetuity.

**Ed Kramer**  
Scholarship Committee Chair



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## REMINDERS FOR THE HIGH HOLIDAYS

- Please be thoughtful of fellow Congregants and respectful of this sacred occasion by arriving on time and departing as quietly as possible.
- Our ushers are volunteer members of the Congregation. Please give them your respect and cooperation.
- All doors except those at the Stockley Gardens entrance will be closed once Services have begun in the Sanctuary.
- As at all Services, worshippers are not to enter or leave the Sanctuary during standing prayers or during the Rabbi's sermon.
- Congregants should be sure to bring their tickets to all High Holiday Services. To ensure safety and security, ushers will check tickets at the door even if the tickets have already been shown to security guards.
- Please turn off all cell phones and pagers prior to entering the Sanctuary.

Ohel Sholom Temple will mail tickets about two weeks prior to *Rosh Hashanah* to congregants who are current in their financial obligations to the Temple through the September 2016 quarter. Envelopes will be marked "*HHD Tickets Enclosed*"

# Tree of Life and Tree of Remembrance

The **Tree of Life** offers a wonderful way to honor a friend or loved one for a special occasion, such as an anniversary, birthday, Bar or Bat Mitzvah and any other special occasion.

The **Tree of Remembrance** is also a beautiful way of memorializing a loved one.

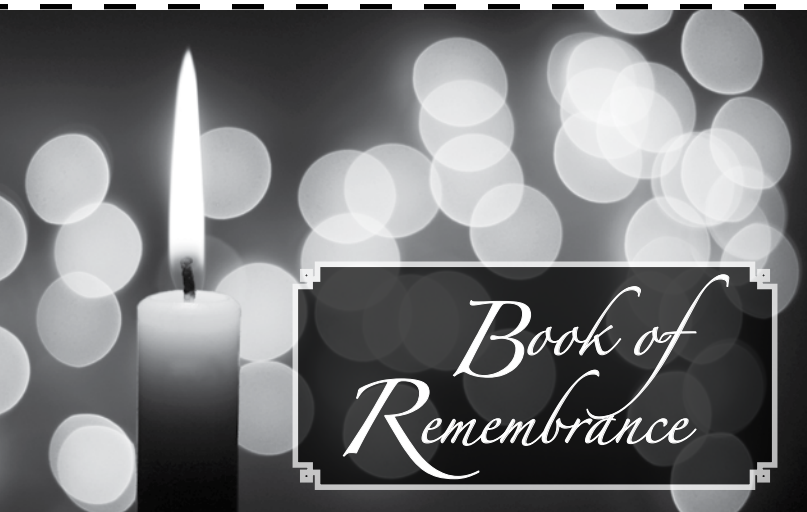
Leaves are \$150 and may be seen on our beautiful trees as you enter the foyer to the Sanctuary from the Raleigh Avenue entrance.

To order your Memorial Plaque or Leaf, contact Michelle at (757)-625-4295 or [michelle@ohefsholom.org](mailto:michelle@ohefsholom.org)

## Memorial Plaques

Purchasing a **Memorial Plaque** is a more permanent way of remembering a loved one.

These Memorial Plaques are lit on the anniversary of the beloved's Yahrzeit and at the Memorial Service on Yom Kippur. The plaques are \$500 and are inscribed with the name of the deceased, and the date of birth and death.



We say  
*"Zichronam, Livracha"*

May the memories of our departed loved ones be a blessing.

As we approach the Jewish New Year, we remember our dear departed for the blessings they gave us.

We invite you to bring to mind those you have loved and lost through our Book of Remembrance, and to let recollections of them bless us.

PLEASE INSCRIBE THE FOLLOWING NAMES IN THE BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

In Memory of (please print):

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Remembered by (please print):

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Enclosed is my contribution of..... ☐ \$50 ☐ \$75 ☐ \$100 ☐ additional amount \_\_\_\_\_

Please include check with request form and make payable to Ohef Sholom Temple, by **September 9, 2016**.



Ohel Sholom Temple Cordially Invites You to Join Us as We

## Break the Fast



Take the opportunity to exchange High Holiday greetings with your fellow congregants immediately following the Concluding Service, October 12, 2016

Adult Child (13 and under)  
\$18.00 \$10.00  
After October 4: \$25.00 \$15.00

**Check must accompany reservation form  
R.S.V.P. no later than October 7, 2016**

TOTAL INCLUDED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name/s: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Requests: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please note payments are non-refundable. Reservations will not be accepted after October 7, 2016.*

✂ cut here and return ✂

### GUEST ADMISSION TICKET REQUEST\*

Guest Adult ..... \$100 per person per holiday

Guest Children (ages 9 to 16)..... \$36 per child per holiday

	Please indicate ticket type	Rosh Hashanah	Yom Kippur	Total (3% added to credit card charges)
GUEST NAMES:	<input type="radio"/> Adult <input type="radio"/> Child	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
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YOUR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Guest tickets may be requested for out-of-town guests.

### CHILDCARE REQUEST

PARENT/ GUARDIAN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CHILDREN'S NAMES AND AGES: \_\_\_\_\_

SERVICE DATES & TIME:  
(Please circle)

**Rosh Hashanah**

10/2 6:15-7:45 pm

10/3 9:00-10:50 am

**Yom Kippur**

10/11 6:15-7:45 pm

10/12 9:00-10:50 am

(Childcare is provided free of charge. Please arrive 10 minutes early to check in.)