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# HIGH HOLIDAY GREETINGS

**The Officers and Staff of Congregation Etz Chayim  
Wish our Members, Affiliated Organizations,  
Friends and Community**

**A Happy and Prosperous New Year**

**With Thanksgiving in our Hearts and Prayers**

**For Our Country,**

**For The State of Israel**

**And For Permanent Peace**



## ROSH HASHANA EVENING SERVICES

**Mon., Tues. & Wed., Sept. 22, 23 & 24**

Mincha	6:00 P.M.
Ma'ariv	6:30 P.M.

## ROSH HASHANA MORNING SERVICES

**Tuesday & Wednesday, Sept. 23 & 24**

Shachris, Morning Service	8:30 A.M.
Reading of the Torah (Kreeah)	10:15 A.M.
Sermon	11:00 A.M.
Blowing of the Shofar	11:20 A.M.
Musaf	11:40 A.M.
Tashlich (Tuesday)	5:00 P.M.

## YOM KIPPUR SERVICES

**Wednesday, Oct. 1**

Kol Nidrei	6:30 P.M.
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**Thursday, Oct. 2**

Shachris, Morning Service	8:30 A.M.
Reading of the Torah (Kreeah)	10:30 A.M.
Sermon & Memorial Service	11:15 A.M.
Musaf	12:00 P.M.
Mincha	4:30 P.M.
Neila, Conclusion	6:00 P.M.
Blowing of the Shofar	7:45 P.M.



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><b>AUGUST</b></p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1 2</p> <p>3 4 5 6 7 8 9</p> <p>10 11 12 13 14 15 16</p> <p>17 18 19 20 21 22 23</p> <p>24<sub>31</sub> 25 26 27 28 29 30</p>	<p>1 8 elul</p> <p>LABOR DAY</p>	<p>2 9 elul</p>	<p>3 10 elul</p> <p>9:30am Sisterhood Bd Mtg</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Pamela Rybka from BBB to speak on scams</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Minyan</p>	<p>4 11 elul</p>	<p>5 12 elul</p> <p>7:42 p.m. Candlelighting</p>	<p>6 13 elul</p> <p>8:40 p.m. Havdalah</p> <p><i>Ki Teitze</i></p>
<p>7 14 elul</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Poker/Mahj</p>	<p>8 15 elul</p>	<p>9 16 elul</p>	<p>10 17 elul</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Minyan</p>	<p>11 18 elul</p>	<p>12 19 elul</p> <p>7:30 p.m. Candlelighting</p>	<p>13 20 elul</p> <p>8:28 p.m. Havdalah</p> <p><i>Ki Tavo SELICHOT</i></p>
<p>14 21 elul</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Eric Dubow Talk on Israel, Gaza &amp; West Bank</p>	<p>15 22 elul</p>	<p>16 23 elul</p>	<p>17 24 elul</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Minyan</p>	<p>18 25 elul</p>	<p>19 26 elul</p> <p>7:18 p.m. Candlelighting</p>	<p>20 27 elul</p> <p>8:16 p.m. Havdalah</p> <p><i>Nitzavim</i></p>
<p>21 28 elul</p> <p>FALL BEGINS</p>	<p>22 29 elul</p> <p>7:13 p.m. Candlelighting</p> <p><b>EREV ROSH HASHANAH</b></p>	<p>23 1 tishri</p> <p>8:10 p.m. Candlelighting</p> <p><b>ROSH HASHANAH</b></p>	<p>24 2 tishri</p> <p>8:08 p.m. Havdalah</p> <p><b>ROSH HASHANAH</b></p>	<p>25 3 tishri</p> <p><b>FAST OF GEDALIAH</b></p>	<p>26 4 tishri</p> <p>7:06 p.m. Candlelighting</p>	<p>27 5 tishri</p> <p>8:03 p.m. Havdalah</p> <p><i>Vayeilech SHABBAT SHUVAH</i></p>
<p>28 6 tishri</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Synagogue Board Meeting in the Etz Chayim Library</p>	<p>29 7 tishri</p>	<p>30 8 tishri</p>	<p><b>OCTOBER</b></p> <p>S M T W T F S</p> <p>1 2 3 4</p> <p>5 6 7 8 9 10 11</p> <p>12 13 14 15 16 17 18</p> <p>19 20 21 22 23 24 25</p> <p>26 27 28 29 30 31</p>			

## A MESSAGE FROM RABBI JASON MARK

(This drasha was delivered by Rabbi Mark while in Toledo on Shabbos, August, 9.)

Many of you remember the disappointment three years ago when Ariel and I matched in West Virginia and the whirlwind of shock that came with it. We as a community experienced the grief of that moment together, the pain of not getting something that we all wanted so deeply. Disappointment can be crushing. When we've wanted something for a long time, it can be hard to shift our focus and see anything other than that which did not happen.

Disappointment comes in many shapes and sizes. It does not just present around acute, significant life events, like we experienced. Small regrets can accumulate, snowballing into an overwhelming sense of mourning for the life one expected, but did not receive. In my work, I regularly encounter people who struggle to see past all the things they "should have" and all the things they "could've been". It's necessary to grieve, to feel the pain of not getting what we want. And yet it is all too easy to become trapped in staying in the mindset of loss. In doing so, they fail to notice the fuller picture of their lives, which, while it may include pain and disappointment, also holds blessings and beauty.

Moshe's denial from entering the land of Israel is perhaps one of the more heartbreaking moments of Tanach. It feels unfair that this leader, who gave so much of his life to his people and to GD, is denied the climactic experience of joining his people in their ultimate destination. And it is a disappointment that Moses seems unable to move beyond, he stays stuck in bitterness and grief. He pleads to GD, begs GD to let him enter the land, and blames the Israelites for his denial several times throughout our Parsha.

Unfortunately, we do not see Moshe move towards acceptance around this sense of loss in his life. And yet, I do think that Moshe's inability to enter into the land changed him in significant ways. As Moses faces the reality that his life is ending and that he will not be the leader to guide his people to the land, his focus shifts. He turns to reflect on his legacy, the core message he wants to leave behind for the people.

And so the man who once described himself as "not a man of words," crafts the complete book of Devarim as a farewell speech. And in it, he offers us some of Judaism's most essential teachings: the Shema prayer alongside many critical passages that line our siddur, calls to love one another and uphold justice, and words of caution to guide generations to come. I wonder if Moshe had been allowed to enter the land, would we have merited these same teachings? Would he have felt that same pressure to distill the core of his life's teachings to the people in a way he had never done before? Moses' disappointment was good. It created something new and beautiful.

If we are open to seeing new possibilities, life's disappointments can offer us profound learning experiences. These moments can shift our perspectives, toward the blessings that we do have and allow us to appreciate all the joys of where we are now. Blessings that we might have noticed had we been exclusively focused on our hopes and wishes. Amidst my disappointment with the match, I was blessed with a community that, even in that moment of despair, inspired me to see the potential good in the unexpected twist in the road that life had given me and view it as a blessing.

The Baal Shem Tov, the founder of Hasidut, taught a similar message, which I think of often, living in West Virginia. He argues that many of us have an over-idealized image of what religious or spiritual lives should look like. This, he argues, does not ultimately serve GD. We sometimes find ourselves in situations where we are unable to pray or engage in Torah in the way that we would like. The Baal Shem Tov teaches that rather than being upset at ourselves and our circumstances, we should shift our perspective and understand that GD values all forms of service and worship.

Sometimes we find ourselves in West Virginia, or without a minyan, or a community. The Baal Shem Tov invites us to think that we are placed in that "unideal" situation to do the spiritual work that GD needs of us in this world. What is demanded of us therefore is flexibility to understand that the mission of our lives looks different in every moment. That what we have to offer the world might look different from the way we've imagined it.

We are not sole authors of our lives. As much as we try to plan and carve out our destinies, each of us as individuals and as collectives is guided by forces much bigger than ourselves. And so when we find ourselves disappointed, be it as individuals or as communities, I invite us to consider the V GD's eye view. That even if we cannot see the why or the how, the places and situations that we find ourselves are precisely where we needed in ways we might not even imagine. And like for Moshe, something new and beautiful might emerge from that place.

I invite us to turn our attention to the Here and now. May we merit to see and live into the unique blessings and opportunities that this moment, with all of its rough edges and messiness offers us. Shabbat Shalom.



Margie Siegel, President



As always, free gift wrapping is available on all purchases.

## SISTERHOOD NEWS



## SEPTEMBER PROGRAMS PLANNED

Wishing everyone a Happy & Healthy New Year. The beautiful and meaningful holidays are around the corner. Our Etz Chayim family should be so proud of our accomplishments during the past year. Many thanks to the officers, board of trustees, staff and volunteers of Etz Chayim. It is your dedication and love that keeps us together.

There will be a variety of programs offered during September. I am very excited to have Pamela Rybka, the Community Outreach Coordinator from Better Business Bureau coming to speak on Wednesday, September 3rd at 10:30. Her topic is "The Dangers of Scams and How to Prevent them." This is a very important topic for all of us to hear and learn about. Please register with Nancy or Elsa.

Let's play Poker & Mahj on Sunday, September 7th from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. We really enjoy socializing and playing the games. If you would like to join the fun, please contact either Nancy or Marc Jacobson. Due to the holidays, we will only be playing one time during September.

I am delighted to have Eric Dubow as our Sunday morning speaker on Sunday, September 14th at 10:00 a.m. Eric will be discussing his research in Israel, Gaza, and the West Bank. This will be interesting and meaningful. A light breakfast will be served. Please register with Nancy or Elsa.

I wish you all a very happy & healthy New Year.

*L'Shana Tova,*

*Nancy Jacobson  
Program Director*



**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3** - 10:30 a.m. - Pamela Rybka speaking on "The Dangers of Scams & How to Prevent Them."

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7** - 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - In-person Mahj & Poker at Etz Chayim.



**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14** - 10:00 a.m. - Sunday morning discussion led by Eric Dubow speaking on his research in Israel, Gaza, and the West Bank.

**PLEASE NOTE: All programs require registration. Please contact either Nancy Jacobson at [Jaco824@bex.net](mailto:Jaco824@bex.net) or Elsa Leveton at 419-473-2401 or [elsa@etzchayimtoledo.org](mailto:elsa@etzchayimtoledo.org) for further information and registration.**

## Attention CBI and Etz Chayim Grandparents

### A Jewish Education is the foundation of a Jewish life

The David S. Stone Religious School invites grandparent members in good standing at Congregation B'nai Israel and Congregation Etz Chayim to enroll their school-aged grandchildren (grades 1-10) for the 2025-2026 year. Religious school takes place from 9:30-11:30 AM at CBI, beginning on September 7, 2025. The David S. Stone Religious School has a dedicated staff of educators and our mission is to provide an interactive Jewish education to all students in our community and to instill a deep understanding of Judaism and pride in being Jewish.

Grandparents will be responsible for the \$200 fee to CBI for the Religious School academic year.

**Please contact Kim Brody, David S. Stone Religious School Principal, at [kbrody@cbitoledo.org](mailto:kbrody@cbitoledo.org) if you are interested in this exceptional opportunity to educate our Jewish children or if you have any questions.**

## HAPPY NOTES

....Those celebrating birthdays in the month of September:



- 6 - Steve Yonovitz
- 9 - Gary Delman
- 14 - William Lane, Janet Rogolsky
- 15 - Allan Feldstein
- 19 - Marcia Kaplan, Ann Levison
- 24 - Alan Jaffee, Kathleen Theise
- 26 - Karen Peskoff, Steven Rubin
- 28 - David Freed
- 29 - Jeffrey Cohen

....Those celebrating anniversaries in the month of September:

- 2 - Robert & Lynne Wengrow
- 3 - Teddy & Kay Miller
- 5 - Alan Jaffee & Laura Leventhal,  
Andrew & Elizabeth Mariani
- 9 - Peter & Marcia Silverman
- 10 - Daniel & Cynthia Becker



## SYNAGOGUE OFFICE HOURS

The office hours for the synagogue are as follows:

Monday	9:00 a.m. - Noon
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. - Noon



The office is also open at other times by appointment.

## MEMORIAL SERVICE AND DEDICATION OF MEMORIAL PLAQUES

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1 AT 11:15 a.m.**

Memorial Plaques will be dedicated in the synagogue during the regular Yom Kippur Yizkor Service.

The following names will be memorialized with the appropriate rituals:

**SALLY KAMINSKY**  
**BERNARD JOSEPH (JOE) PHILLIPS**



## TODAH RABAH



**Thank you to our wonderful members & friends who make very generous contributions to our shul...**

...to our High Holiday clergy Rabbi Jason Mark, Rabbi Daniel Hoffman, and Chazzan Joseph Gold.

## MAZEL TOV



...to Elsa Leveton on the Bar Mitzvah of her grandson Eli Leveton.

## LULOV & ETROG



With Sukkot fast approaching, you may order a Lulov and Etrog from Etz Chayim for a cost of \$65. Call the synagogue office at 419-473-2401 by Monday, September 8 to place your order.

**Payment must be received no later than Monday, September 8.**

## OFFICE CLOSING

The synagogue office will be closed on Monday, September 1, 2025 in observance of the Labor Day holiday.



## CONTRIBUTIONS WILL BE ACKNOWLEDGED AS FOLLOWS:

### STANDARD ANNOUNCEMENT

In Memory, Yahrtzeit, Speedy Recovery, Happy Events - **\$13.00**

IN APPRECIATION- **\$13.00**

CHAI FUND - **\$18.00**

DOUBLE CHAI FUND - **\$36.00**

TREE PLANTED IN ISRAEL - **\$18.00**

SILVER CONTRIBUTION (Single Box) - **\$25.00**

GOLD CONTRIBUTION (Double Box) - **\$50.00**

PLATINUM CONTRIBUTION (Bold Box) - **\$100.00**

(Box to include up to 4 names. Over 4 names will be an additional charge of \$8.00 per name.)

BIMA FLOWER FUND - Holidays - **\$150.00**

TREE OF LIFE LEAF - **\$150.00** STONE - **\$500.00**

MEMORIAL PLATES - **\$600.00**

PLATES ON ODESKY PLAQUE - **\$180.00**

## RECOGNITION & THANKS FOR A SPECIAL DONATION

We gratefully acknowledge and thank Elsa Leveton for purchasing a new curtain for the ark in Congregation Etz Chayim's main sanctuary in memory of her husband, Allen Leveton.







**MONDAY, OCTOBER 6**

Erev Sukkot 6:49 p.m.  
Candlelighting

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7**

Sukkot 7:46 p.m.  
Candlelighting

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8**

Sukkot 7:45 p.m.  
Havdalah

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9**

Chol Hamoed

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10**

Shabbat 6:42 p.m. Shabbat  
Candlelighting

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11**

Shabbat 7:40 Havdalah



**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12**

Chol Hamoed

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 13**

Hoshana Raba 6:38 p.m.  
Candlelighting

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14**

Shemini Atzeret 7:35 p.m.  
Candlelighting

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15**

Simchat Tprah 7:34 p.m.  
Havdalah



Marking  
October 7<sup>th</sup>



Jewish Federation  
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Two-year commemoration

Save the  
Date

Sunday, October 5, 2025 | 7 p.m.



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NOVEMBER 2  
NOVEMBER 13  
DECEMBER 4  
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CONGREGATION ETZ CHAYIM

WISHES EVERYONE

A SAFE AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU  
AT THE HIGH HOLIDAYS

AND AT

ALL OUR WONDERFUL PROGRAMS!!



**BUILDING FUND**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**PHILLIP TILCHEN**  
**MARY LEEDYN TILCHEN**  
**ROCHELLE GRANT**  
Arlene Rubinoff

**BRIAN J. MALKIN**  
**ABE M. FELDSTEIN**  
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**OSCAR GINSBURG**  
Louise Schuster & Family

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY  
OF HELEN ZYNDORF**  
Sam & Kelly Zyndorf

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY  
OF BELOVED GRANDMOTHER  
SARAH SCHALL**  
Beverly & Richard Markoff & Family

**SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:**

**DR. LOUIS BALKANY**  
Daniel Gale & Family

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:**

**DIANE TREUHAFT ON HER  
BIRTHDAY**  
Mel & Donna Rukin

**BOB BERKOWITZ ON HIS BIRTHDAY**  
Mel & Donna Rukin

**STEVE & SANDY MARCUS ON THEIR  
ANNIVERSARY**  
Mel & Donna Rukin

**BERYL & SHARON RAVIN ON THEIR  
ANNIVERSARY**  
Mel & Donna Rukin

**CHARLES & PHYLLIS WITTENBERG  
ON THEIR ANNIVERSARY**  
Mel & Donna Rukin

**IN APPRECIATION OF:**

**MARGIE & MEL SIEGEL FOR  
UNDERWRITING THE YIZKOR BOOK**  
Mel & Donna Rukin

**CHAI FUND**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**LOTTIE FRANK**  
Jay Waitzman

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:**

**MARC & NANCY JACOBSON ON  
THEIR ANNIVERSARY**  
Jan & Tom Kasle

**IN HONOR OF LOUIS & ROCHELLE  
BLACK ON THEIR ANNIVERSARY**  
Kati Gale & Family

**ETZ CHAYIM FUND**

**SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:**

**STEVE MARCUS**  
Mel & Margie Siegel

**BOB BERKOWITZ**  
Steve & Sandy Marcus

**HAPPY EVENT IN HONOR OF:**

**STEVE & SANDY MARCUS ON THEIR  
ANNIVERSARY**  
Mel & Margie Siegel  
Elsa Leveton  
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SYNAGOGUE FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**SUSAN BERSON**  
**MARCIA MALKIN**  
Mel & Margie Siegel

**MARCIA MALKIN**  
Kathryn Linver

**SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:**

**BOB BERKOWITZ**  
Ken & Aileen Pargament  
Elsa Leveton

**ISADORE ODESKY  
MEMORIAL FUND**

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**PHYLLIS BERNSTEIN**  
Sheila Odesky

**BETTY ROBERTS  
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**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**BETTY ROBERTS**  
Marci Burch  
Sara Meisner  
Samantha Burch

**HELEN HASCAL LEWIS**  
Sandi, John & Sonny Kniep

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF BELOVED  
MOTHER, GRANDMOTHER &  
GREAT-GRANDMOTHER  
FRANCES DOLGIN**

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**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**CHANA CHOINOWSKI**  
**MIKE SCHALL**  
Susan & Alan Schall

**RUTH & DANIEL STEINGROOT  
KITCHEN FUND**

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**DOVID STEINGROOT**  
Mel & Margie Siegel  
Debbe Webne

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**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**HELEN ZYNDORF**  
Mark Zyndorf

**ROY WENGROW  
MEMORIAL FUND**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY  
OF  
FRED & ANNETTE GOULD**  
Bob & Lynne Wengrow & Family

**LOUIS M. WITTENBERG  
MEMORIAL FUND**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
ANNE & HARRY LUBLIN**  
Jeffery & Andrea Lublin

**YAHRTZEIT IN LOVING MEMORY  
OF  
RALPH PHILLIPS**  
Lois & Andrew Skaff

**SPEEDY RECOVERY OF:**

**BOB BERKOWITZ**  
Phyllis & Charles Wittenberg



**MEMORY OF THE RIGHTEOUS IS A BLESSING**  
**\*YAHRTZEIT DATES\***



**SEPT. 1 ELUL 8**

Joe Feldstein\*  
Anna Ganden\*  
Gitah Hendelman\*  
William Hirsch\*  
David Rosenberg\*  
Helen Zyndorf\*

**SEPT. 2 ELUL 9**

Irving Block\*  
Edward Fagen\*  
Ida Patlin\*

**SEPT. 3 ELUL 10**

Nachman Berkowitz  
Herbert Fisher\*  
Pauline Kohler\*  
Esther Schall  
Bernard Smilack\*  
Rose Sulkin\*  
Hyman Volk\*  
Anna Wasserman\*  
Amelia Wigner\*

**SEPT. 4 ELUL 11**

Louis Abrams\*  
Henry Hartman  
Gertrude Hoffman\*  
Harry Pollock\*  
Charles Shapiro\*  
Morris Vinakur\*  
Fred Wexler\*  
Estelle Wittenberg\*

**SEPT. 5 ELUL 12**

Elizabeth Feldstein\*  
Harry Felstein\*  
Harry Fishman\*  
Louis Goldberg\*  
Gussie Laderman\*  
Sally Perlmutter\*  
Samuel Rogolsky\*  
Henry Salzman\*  
Joseph Shugarman\*

**SEPT. 6 ELUL 13**

Hazel Abrams\*  
Jacob Black\*  
Laura Dolgin\*  
Joseph Freecorn\*  
Freddy Grunberg\*  
Blanche Kale\*  
Rebbetzin Eunice  
Katz\*  
Michael Sernoffsky\*  
Samuel Solomon\*  
Sam Weiner\*

**SEPT. 7 ELUL 14**

Grace Bruser\*  
Ruth Fingerhut\*  
Molly Lupu\*  
Israel Zaliouk\*

**SEPT. 8 ELUL 15**

Samuel Feldstein\*  
Fred Gould\*  
Harry Shiff  
Nathan Silverman\*

**SEPT. 9 ELUL 16**

Silvia Leonard\*  
Louis Rogolsky\*

**SEPT. 10 ELUL 17**

Joseph Goldman\*  
Jacob Hascal\*  
Esther Lavsky\*  
Dr. Morris Selman\*

**SEPT. 11 ELUL 18**

Fanny Axonovitz\*  
Harry Lublin\*  
Rose Novick\*

**SEPT. 12 ELUL 19**

Morris Damrauer\*  
Max Illman\*  
Charles Kale\*  
Samuel Ravin  
Wilma Rogolsky\*  
Ethel Schwartz\*

**SEPT. 13 ELUL 20**

Louis Abromovitz\*  
Maurice Goldstein\*  
Viola Miller

**SEPT. 14 ELUL 21**

Katie Frank\*  
Rochelle Grant  
Morris Levine\*  
Morris Rozenman\*  
Solomon Schreider\*  
Max Sherman\*

**SEPT. 15 ELUL 22**

Maurice Cohen  
Shevach Glassman\*  
Irving Medow\*  
Michael Revesz\*  
Jacob Taback\*  
Ida Troub\*  
Esther Volk  
Sarah Wexler\*  
Victor Wexler\*

**SEPT. 16 ELUL 23**

Saul Birnkrant\*  
Jacob Feder\*  
Norma Glassman\*  
William Hamerman\*  
Mendell Remer\*  
Jacob Rogolsky\*  
Mary Shiff\*  
Phillip Tilchen\*

**SEPT. 17 ELUL 24**

Helene Alfieri\*  
Matilda Cutler\*  
Sadie Goldberg\*  
Max Kander\*  
Clare Lisker\*  
Rachel Loter\*  
Alta Mandelbaum\*  
Louis Sharfe\*  
Joseph Wernick\*  
Ben Wexler\*  
Charles Wineman\*

**SEPT. 18 ELUL 25**

Minnie Bame\*  
Maxwell Malkin\*

**SEPT. 19 ELUL 26**

Sam Abelowitz\*  
Max Fine\*  
Albert Golding\*  
Anne Okun\*  
Armylda Schoen\*  
David Wasserman\*  
Joseph Wilker

**SEPT. 20 ELUL 27**

Harry Essak\*  
Hattie Frank\*  
Esther Henick\*  
Jacob Leibovich\*  
Marvin Lichtenstein\*  
Morris Linver\*  
Jerry Rukin  
Esther Wexler\*  
Frank Yourist\*  
Leo Yourist\*

**SEPT. 21 ELUL 28**

Meyer Friedman\*  
Rose Gottlieb\*  
Harry Linver\*  
Ida Linver\*  
Laurance Medow\*  
Bella Wengrow\*

**SEPT. 22 ELUL 29**

Arlene Bustow\*  
Rebecca Cannon\*  
Rose Cohen  
Max Katlen\*  
Hyman Solomon\*  
Samuel Weisberg\*  
Sally Wexler\*

**SEPT. 23 TISHREI 1**

Lebe Applebaum\*  
Isadore Brandman\*  
Sarah Eiser\*  
Rae Finkelstein\*  
Sol Pargament\*  
Bessie Walker\*

**SEPT. 24 TISHREI 2**

Betsy Abrams\*  
Morris Greenberg\*  
Florence Newmark\*  
Ralph Phillips\*  
Barney Wexler\*  
Jennie Wittenberg\*

**SEPT. 25 TISHREI 3**

Becky Baumgart\*  
Jennie Feldstein\*  
Peter Hoffman\*  
Philip Kimmelman  
Abe Markovich\*  
Elaine Pilrose  
Harry Tarschis\*

**SEPT. 26 TISHREI 4**

Betty Felberbaum\*  
Jeannette Hillman\*  
Nettie Kontrovitz\*  
Esther Libby\*  
Rev. David Wegrow\*  
Thelma Wexler\*

**SEPT. 27 TISHREI 5**

Sarah Brooks\*  
William Close\*  
Helen Forman\*  
Bertha Weinblatt\*

**SEPT. 28 TISHREI 6**

Sylvia Frank\*  
Annette Gould\*  
Sarah Mallamad\*  
Morris Pearson\*  
Lillian Schlafer\*  
Samuel Stark\*  
Theodore Urbansky\*  
Liba Vermut\*

**SEPT. 29 TISHREI 7**

Zella Burstein  
Frances Dolgin  
William Dresser\*  
Goldye Jacobs\*  
Louis Leiber\*  
Elias Russell\*  
Edward Salzman\*  
Sylvia Solomon\*  
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**SHABBAT SCHEDULE**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>FRIDAY NIGHT CANDLELIGHTING</u>
Friday, September 5	7:42 p.m.
Friday, September 12	7:30 p.m.
Friday, September 19	7:18 p.m.
Friday, September 26	7:06 p.m.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>HAVDALAH TIME</u>
Saturday, September 6	8:40 p.m.
Saturday, September 13	8:28 p.m.
Saturday, September 20	8:16 p.m.
Saturday, September 27	8:03 p.m.

**Candle Lighting Blessing**

Boruch atta A-do-noy elohainu melech  
ho'olam asher kidshano b'mitzvosov,  
v'tzivonu l'hadlik nair shel:

On Shabbos conclude: Shabbos.

On Festivals conclude: Yom Tov.

On Festivals occurring Friday conclude:  
Shabbos ve'yom tov.

Blessed art Thou, O Lord, our G-d, King of the universe, who hast sanctified us by Thy commandments and instructed us to kindle the Sabbath (and/or) Festival Lights.



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