

Temple Beth-El

THE REFORM CONGREGATION OF JERSEY CITY

Family Fall Happenings at Temple Beth-El

Join us for any number of our holiday, social, educational and social action events geared for families. Just jump in!

Fall High Holy Day Services for children and their families



High Holy Days

Monday, September 10:
Rosh Hashana, 2.15-3.15pm
Tashlich, Liberty State Park,
4:30-5:30pm
Wednesday September 19
Yom Kippur, 2-3pm

September 16, 9:30-12pm Hebrew
School begins
Hebrew School Parent Welcome
Gathering

Sunday, September 23, 6-7.30pm
Family Sukkot Dinner and Song

Friday, September 28, 6.30pm
Family Sukkot Shabbat Pot Luck
Dinner

Saturday, September 29,
10.30-11.45am Tot Shabbat

Sunday, September 30th 9:30-noon
Parent Project Day Kick-off Event

Sunday, September 30, 6.30pm
Simchat Torah Celebration

Friday, October 5th 6:30pm
First Friday Pot Luck Dinner and
Shabbat Service

Sunday, October 14, 11:15-12.30pm
Bar/Bat Mitzvah Meeting

Sunday, October 14, 3-4.45pm
Meet & Greet Our New Rabbi -
for families

Saturday, October 20
10.30-11.45am Tot Shabbat

October 28-November 4
Social Action Family Volunteer
Opportunity Family Promise

Monday, September 10: Rosh Hashana, 2.15-3.15pm & Tashlich, Liberty State Park, 4:30-5:30pm

Wednesday September 19 Yom Kippur, 2-3pm

Join Rabbi Moritt and Student Cantor Stefanie Greene for musical, joyful age-appropriate High Holy Day services including Torah readings and Shofar blowing. (Suitable for children up to age 9)

Sunday, September 16, 9.30am-12pm

Hebrew School begins Not yet registered? Go to: <https://betheljc.org/religious-school-continuing-student-registration/> For more information on the Hebrew School, contact Kay Magilavy, Co-Director at kay@betheljc.org

Sunday, September 16, 9.30am Hebrew School Parent Welcome

Gathering on the lawn. The Hebrew School and the Life Long Learning Committee are thrilled to welcome new and returning parents to the School Community. We will gather outside on the Temple lawn with nosh and coffee provided, and spend time connecting with each other. This will be an excellent opportunity to start the school year with a sense of community!

To volunteer or for more information, email Laura Katzive, Zachary Metz or Karen Seemen-Pin at learning@betheljc.org.

For more information on the Hebrew School, contact Kay Magilavy, Co-Director at kay@betheljc.org

All are welcome! Our diversity is our strength.

Fall 2018

Sunday, September 23, 6-7.30pm Family Sukkot Dinner and Song

Welcome the festive holiday of Sukkot with a Pot Luck dinner in the Sukkah. Join us after dinner from 6.45-7.15 for holiday singing with Student Cantor Greene.

Bring your decorations to help beautify our sukkah. We ask that you do not bring pork, shellfish or a dish containing meat and dairy mixed together.

Friday, September 28, 6.30pm

Family Sukkot Shabbat Pot Luck Dinner

Join us in the sukkah for a potluck Shabbat dinner. Enjoy dinner with your Beth-El friends and learn about the lulav and etrog! Please bring a dish for 4-6 people can share. We ask that you do not bring pork, shellfish or a dish containing meat and dairy mixed together.

Saturday, September 29, 10.30-11.45am Tot Shabbat

We've been waiting all summer to celebrate Shabbat mornings with our tots (age 0-5) and their grownups! Join Rabbi Moritt, Student Cantor Stefanie Greene and Bracha the Beth-El Bear for song, movement, crafts, snack and friendship. Sign up here to bring snacks, especially during the month of your child's birthday www.SignUpGenius.com/go/8050B4AABAA23A31-totshabbat All are welcome!

Sunday, September 30th 9:30-noon Parent Project Day Kick-off Event The Life Long Learning Committee will be convening a number of engaging and meaningful "Parent Project Days" events throughout the year, usually on the first Sunday of the month. These events will be great opportunities to stay connected with the school community and other parents, help the Temple, and have some fun. Each day will focus on a different area of the Temple. Stay tuned for specifics or just email and volunteer.

Sunday, September 30, 6.30pm Simchat Torah Celebration.

Celebrate Torah and the end of the High Holy Day season at this community-wide celebration. With music and dancing, we will celebrate beginning the cycle anew. Join us as we unroll the scroll and marvel at what is inside!

Friday, October 5th First Friday Pot Luck Dinner and Shabbat Service 6:30pm

Sunday, October 14, 11:15-12.30pm Bar/Bat Mitzvah Meeting for parents of 6th and 7th graders.

A very important meeting for all parents of 6th and 7th graders, Rabbi Moritt will introduce and explain the Beth-El B'nai Mitzvah program. There will be plenty of time for Q&A about what to expect and how to plan for this transformative year in your child's life. Please note the meeting will go until after Hebrew School dismissal. Pack a snack for your child and we will offer supervision.

Sunday, October 14, 3-4.45pm Meet & Greet Our New Rabbi - for families

Get to know our new Rabbi in one of our families' homes in a friendly and more intimate environment. Contact Sonia Schulman at sonia@betheljc.org to RSVP and location details.

Saturday October 20 10.30-11.45am Tot Shabbat Sign up here to bring snacks, especially during the month of your child's birthday:

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Social Action Family Volunteer Opportunity Family Promise October 28-November 4

Families with children of all ages are encouraged to join us as volunteers for the temporary homeless shelter sponsored through Family Promise. We are honored to offer our temple's social hall to 4 families and their children. It is a wonderful mitzvah way to share time with your family while you help others in need. Write Lari with questions at lari@betheljc.org or go to the link to grab your spot to help.