



CONGREGATION SHEARITH ISRAEL
The Spanish & Portuguese Synagogue

Shabbat Bereshit

October 16-17, 2020

Schedule

Virtual Hashcaba Service and Misheberakh for the Ill | 4:30 pm
Rev. Z. Edinger

Friday Night Lights | 5:00 pm | Rabbi Meir Soloveichik

Friday Evening Services | Main Sanctuary | 6:00 pm

Candle Lighting | 5:55 pm

OUTDOOR Shabbat Morning Services | Succah | 8:30 am
INDOOR Shabbat Morning Services | Main Sanctuary | 9:30 am

Shabbat Afternoon Services | Main Sanctuary | 5:45 pm

Habdala | 6:43 pm

FOR ALL SERVICES:

Participants will be notified if they are accepted; only those approved in advance will be admitted. You must wear a valve-less mask at all times. Masks with an exhalation valve are not permitted. Please bring your own talit.

(Reminder: By participating in our activities, you and your family are affirming all the procedures, requirements, and undertakings included on our registration forms.)

REGISTER FOR SERVICES NEXT WEEK

Commit to a minyan, whether on Shabbat, once a week, or more.

Once you have applied for a minyan, please mark your calendars with your selected dates. Your presence may make the difference between us making a minyan or not. You will receive a final confirmation prior to your selected minyan.

Visit shearithisrael.org/outdoor-minyan to request a spot.

For weekdays, Registration must be completed by 4:00 pm the day BEFORE the minyan you would like to attend, and for Shabbat, it must be completed the Thursday prior to that Shabbat.

CELEBRATE OUR 5781 HATANIM

Sunday, 11/01 at 11:01 am

Join us for this very special celebration, bringing together people near and far, with a livestream from our Sanctuary and an opportunity for all to show their support of our honorees and Shearith Israel.

Dr. Henry Edinger, Hatan Torah
Rabbi Dr. Meir Soloveichik, Hatan Bereshit

Participation is free, but registration is required, and greetings are greatly appreciated

This special 1-hour virtual event will include:

- ❖ A livestream from the Main Sanctuary featuring Hazzan Rabbi Ira Rohde singing the glorious Tenu Shebaha to each of the Hatanim
- ❖ Addresses by both Hatanim from the Sanctuary
- ❖ Congregants and guests will join in a virtual toast to our Hatanim
- ❖ Video presentation of your journal greetings

Refer to our emails for the signup link.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mazal Tob to **Ira Kalfus** for being honored as this year's Hatan Maftir at the Jewish Center.

Condolences to **Ruthie Israeli**, upon the passing of her mother, Phyllis Israeli.

Happy Birthday to Our Congregants:

Jacob Aaron, Raanan Agus, Lucy Bieler, William Bryk, Lisa Cahill, Rachel Dubroff, Chaim Edelstein, Jeremy Feder, Beth Goldberg, Liam Gomberg, Barry Gross, Eliana Levey, Alexandra Levey, Roslyn Mateles, Joelle Perez, Gabrielle Posner, Jean Rawitt, Robert Rimberg, Judith Sherman, Aliza Sperling, and Marc Wiznia.

ONGOING PROGRAMMING

Friday Night Lights with Rabbi Meir Soloveichik

Fridays

2020-2021 season sponsored by the Julis family

To sponsor a session, visit shearithisrael.org/virtual-programming.

Dial-in Instructions:

US: (712) 770-5581 (this number also works for Canada)

Panama: +507 838-7820 **Mexico:** +52 899 274 8400

Participant code: 124005#

Virtual Hashcaba Service and Misheberakh for the Ill

Friday | 4:30 pm | Rev. Z. Edinger

On Zoom - refer to our emails for the link

Our Shamash, Rev. Zachariah Edinger, will recite *Hashcabot* (memorial prayers) for those who had a *nahala* this past week. We will also offer prayers for those who are ill. These prayers will be recited in the Main Sanctuary and will last about 5-10 minutes. If you would like to add the name of someone who is ill, or would like more information, please email Z Edinger.

ONGOING PROGRAMMING

Virtual Habdala Service

Saturday night | 7:00 pm | Z. Edinger

On Zoom - refer to our emails for the link

You are invited to join in while Z. Edinger recites *Habdala* according to the S&P *nusakh* for his family. Habdala should be recited individually in one's own home, but please join us if you wish to feel a part of this communal activity. Also, these prayers will be recited slowly for any who wish to recite it together and learn our *nusakh*.

The Guide to the Duties of the Heart

Sundays | 8:45 am | Rabbi Sjimon den Hollander

Via Zoom - To receive the link, email Rabbi den Hollander at sjimon@flatironre.com

While The Guide to the Duties of the Heart (completed around 1075 CE) is sometimes called the first work of Jewish ethics, it aims to guide us towards a spiritual dedication, taught within a philosophical outlook that has similarities with both Saadiah Gaon and Maimonides.

Morning Zoom: Daily Learning

with Rabbi Ira Rohde and Rev. Z. Edinger

Monday-Friday Mornings

Via Zoom - contact Z. for timing and login details at zedinger@shearithisrael.org

Join our daily "Minyan" Breakfast, virtually, every weekday morning to study a small bit of Torah. Bring your own Tanakh (the starting point of every session is the basic text of the Hebrew Bible and usually the English translation of the JPS TANAKH). If you would like to sponsor a session, please visit shearithisrael.org/virtual-programming.

Weekly Debar Torah with Rabbi Rohde

Thursday | 6:00 pm | On Zoom - refer to our emails for the link

Every Thursday afternoon, Rabbi Ira delivers a *debar torah* on the weekly *Parasha*. The written text of the *debar torah* is distributed in our Thursday newsletter.

Toddler Zoom with Liz

Mondays & Wednesdays on Zoom | 10:00 am

Liz continues to be our toddler educator and entertainer extraordinaire in virtual format. Follow our emails to sign up.