

Shabbat Teshuba Derasha

Rabbi Meir Soloveichik

Shabbat, September 15, 2018 | Following Morning Services

The Soul of Man and the Lamp of God:

The Many Candles of Kippur

Help Sponsor our Shabbat Teshuba Kiddush

Rabbi Soloveichik's annual Shabbat Teshuba Derasha is always a profoundly inspirational event that draws a large crowd. Let's show our Shearith Israel hospitality at our Shabbat Teshuba *kiddush*. Go to shearithisrael.org/shabbat-teshuba2018 to co-sponsor the *kiddush* following the derasha, in amounts of \$360 or \$250.

Kicking Off our Year of Years Celebration

Hatanim Luncheon 2018

Shabbat Bereshit, October 6 | Following Morning Services

On Shabbat Bereshit, our community and friends come together to honor our Hatanim and their families with an elegant luncheon and celebration. This year, our Hatanim luncheon will also serve as the kickoff event for our *Year of Years* celebration of 365 years of Shearith Israel—and by extension, of Jewish congregational life in America.

Come join us in honoring this year's Hatan Torah, our Sexton, **Zachary Edinger**, and Hatan Bereshit, **Marc Wiznia**, in their special place in the continuing history of Shearith Israel and American Judaism.

RSVP by **Wednesday, September 26** at shearithisrael.org/hatanim2018.

Sisterhood Succah Decorating

Thursday, September 20 | 3pm-9pm || Friday, September 21 | 8am-12pm

Sunday, September 23 | 9pm-1pm

It's that time of year again, when we are preparing to decorate our beautiful Elias Room Succah. Kids (age 7 & up), teens and adults, women and men, you are welcome and you are needed. To participate, contact **Mrs. Lisa Rohde** (lrohde-csi@yahoo.com) or **Aimee Margolis** (art1show@verizon.net).

Sign Up for Self-Catered Meals in the Succah

Shearith Israel members and their guests are welcome to enjoy self-catered meals in the beautifully intimate Elias Room succah. Registration and a cover charge of \$12 per seat are required for each meal. (**Note:** space is limited and registration is not a guarantee of seating. Requests will be confirmed the week of September 17.) We supply beverages, tablecloths, and disposables, and you bring the food (strictly kosher, of course). Submit your request at shearithisrael.org/meals-succah-5779.

ROSH HASHANAH SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, EREV ROSH HASHANAH, SEPTEMBER 9

SPECIAL MORNING SELIHOT SERVICE | 7:15 am

SHAHARIT | 8:00 am

ROSH HASHANAH CANDLE LIGHTING | 6:57 pm

MINHA & ARBIT | 6:45 pm

FIRST DAY – MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

MORNING SERVICES IN MAIN SANCTUARY | Main Sanctuary | 7:45 am

MORNING SERVICES IN PARALLEL SERVICE | Levy Auditorium | 9:00 am

'ET SHARE RATSON & SHOFAR | 10:40 am

SERMON | Rabbi Soloveichik

TOT SHABBAT FOR THE HOLIDAYS | Ages 0-4 | 9:30 am | Fidanque Youth Room

YOUTH GROUPS | Ages 5-12 | 9:30 am | Elias Room

JR. CONGREGATION | Ages 5-12 | Meet in Main Sanctuary for Shofar; then Little Synagogue | 10:40 am

KIDDUSH | Portico

EVENING SERVICES | 6:45 pm

CANDLE LIGHTING | AFTER 7:37 pm

SECOND DAY – TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

ALL WORSHIPERS PRAY IN THE MAIN SANCTUARY

MORNING SERVICES | 7:45 am

'ET SHARE RATSON & SHOFAR | 10:30 am

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HABDALA | 7:35 pm

Ice Cream Extravaganza & Simhat Torah Dinner Monday Night, October 1

Following Simhat Torah *hakafot*, all youth (and youthful) are welcome to our annual ice cream party. As usual, volunteer teen scoopers are needed. Contact srosenberg@shearithisrael.org to help out. Strong arms required, lactose tolerance preferred. Dress for the mess!

Sponsored again by the Haberman and Lustig families.

Our Simhat Torah Dinner is an annual Shearith Israel tradition, offering a delicious dairy dinner and relaxed atmosphere. Dinner reservations required.

Register or sponsor at shearithisrael.org/dinner-and-ice-cream.

Early Bird Deadline: **Thursday, September 20**

Sign Up for Kippur Seats

There are still seats available for Kippur. Visit shearithisrael.org/highholidays5779 to sign up—and while you're there, make sure to order your lulab, sign up your kids for our youth programming, and donate to the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund to assist those in our community who struggle during the holidays. If you experience technical difficulties, please contact sgross@shearithisrael.org.

Visiting Scholar In The Succah: David Moster

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Wednesday, September 26 | Following Evening Services

Etrog: How a Chinese Fruit Became a Jewish Symbol

David Z. Moster, PhD and Rabbi, is the founder and director of the Institute of Biblical Culture. He received his PhD in Hebrew Bible from Bar-Ilan University, his MA in Ancient Israel from NYU, and an MA, an MS, and *semikha* from Yeshiva University.

You Can Still Enroll in Shearith Israel's Toddler Program

Mondays and Wednesdays | 9:30 am-11:30 am | For ages 16-34 months

Parent or caregiver attendance required.

Experience "the best-kept secret on the Upper West Side"! For more information and to enroll, visit shearithisrael.org/toddlerprogram.

Register for PTTS Hebrew School

Begins Sunday, October 7

For over 200 years, Shearith Israel's Hebrew School has given children the strong educational foundation and skills necessary to access Jewish texts, understand their heritage, learn the Western Sephardic tradition, and lead a vibrant Jewish life. Learn more and register at shearithisrael.org/hebrewschool.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mazal tob to Atticus Bregman upon becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

Congratulations to his parents, Malaika Amon & Anthony Bregman, and to his grandparents, Gerald & Viviane Bregman.

Mazal Tob to Halana & Alan Greenberg upon the birth of a granddaughter to their children, Cynthia & Evan Kollander.

Welcome to Nat Bernstein, on her first week with us as Youth Group Leader and Programming Coordinator.

We mourn the loss of Muriel Hyman. Condolences to her daughter, Joan Konas.



CONGREGATION SHEARITH ISRAEL

The Spanish & Portuguese Synagogue

Shabbat Nitsabim

Consecration Shabbat—19th Street Synagogue (1860)

September 7-8, 2018

Hertz Pentateuch: p. 878; Haftarah p. 883
Kaplan Living Torah: p. 1010; Haftarah p. 1242

CANDLE LIGHTING | 7:01 pm

EVENING SERVICES | 6:45 pm | Main Sanctuary—Choir returns this Shabbat

ZEMIROT | 8:15 am | Main Sanctuary

SHAHRI (NISHMAT) | 9:00 am

TOT SHABBAT | Ages 0-4 | 10:00 am | Fidanque Youth Room

YOUTH GROUPS | Ages 5-12 | 10:00 am | Elias Room—Welcome to Nat Bernstein

SHIUR | Rabbi Soloveichik | "The Secret Shofar of Jerusalem"

KIDDUSH LUNCHEON | Levy Auditorium | Sponsored by Malaika Amon & Anthony Bregman, in honor of Atticus becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

SHABBAT AFTERNOON PIRKEI ABOT CLASS | 5:50 pm | Rabbi Meir Soloveichik | "Sheep's Head: A Culinary and Halakhic Defense" | Levy Auditorium | Fall Semester sponsored by Scott Shay, in memory of his mother.

MINHA & ARBIT | 6:50 pm

HABDALA | 7:53 pm

Consecration Shabbat—19th Street Synagogue (1860)

We commemorate the consecrations of our synagogues with a semi-festive service. The Ark is open during much of the service and the Torah scrolls are dressed in festive colors. The beautiful poem, *Todot El* (p. 342), is sung before *Nishmat*, and special blessings and memorial prayers are recited before the reading of the Torah.

Weekday Service Times

Mornings:

Sunday (Selihot), Wednesday (Fast of Gedaliah), & Friday: 7:15 am

Evenings (Minha, Arbit, & Selihot):

Thursday: 6:30 pm

Our next public tour is
Wednesday, September
12, at 11:00 AM

Meet with Our Parnas

Louis Solomon would be delighted to meet with you. Please schedule a visit by email: parnas@shearithisrael.org.

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