



CONGREGATION SHEARITH ISRAEL

The Spanish & Portuguese Synagogue

Shabbat Ki Tabo

August 28-29, 2026 | 16 Elul, 5786

SCHEDULE

Hertz: Parasha: 859 Haftarah: 874
Kaplan: Parasha: 988 Haftarah: 1240

Candle Lighting | 7:16 pm

Evening Services | 7:00 pm | Little Synagogue

Zemirot | 8:30 am | Levy Auditorium

Shahrit | 9:10 am | Levy Auditorium

Tot Shabbat & Youth 5+ | 10:00 am | Fidanque Youth Room

Jr. Congregation | 10:30 am | Little Synagogue

Kiddush | following services | *Sponsored by Faith Fogelman, in memory of her grandparents, Abraham & Helen Jacobowitz*

Shabbat Afternoon Class | 6:25 pm | Rabbi Meir Soloveichik

Teen Shiur | 6:25 pm | Baruch-Lev Kelman

Evening Services (with *Selihot*) | 7:10 pm

Habdala | 8:10 pm

Weekday Service Times

Mornings:

Sunday: 8:05 am | Monday-Friday: 7:05 am

Evenings:

Sunday-Thursday (Minha, Arbit, & *Selihot*): 6:30 pm

Selihot at Shearith Israel

At Evening Services during Elul

The Sephardic custom is to prepare for Rosh HaShana by reciting Selihot during the entire month of Elul. Unlike other communities, however, the Spanish & Portuguese custom is to recite a very short form of Selihot following Arbit every evening.

You can help keep this rare minhag alive by attending our daily evening services.

YOUR HIGH HOLIDAY CHECKLIST

Complete it at shearithisrael.org/high-holidays-5787

The seating reservation deadline has passed and tickets will be going out next week. If you missed the deadline but still want to attend, submit your information right away, and we will do our best to accommodate you.

- **Members:** Opt In/Opt out of High Holiday seats
 - **Non-members:** reserve your seats
 - **Parents:** Make childcare reservations when you reserve seats
 - Make your holiday offerings
 - Sponsor Rabbi Soloveichik's Shabbat Teshuba Derasha
 - Order your lulab & etrog set through the synagogue
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COMING UP

To sign up, visit shearithisrael.org

Sisterhood Succah Decoration

Wednesday & Thursday, September 23 & 24 | 5:00 pm-9:00 pm

Friday, September 25 | 8:00 am-12:00 pm

As always, our beautiful succah in our Elias Room will be decorated lavishly and lovingly by the Shearith Israel Sisterhood. Teens and adults, women and men, are invited to help decorate in preparation for the Succot Festival.

CSI Youth Succah Decorating: Succot in the Garden

Wednesday & Thursday, September 23 & 24 | 5:30 pm | Paved Paradise

Join Jake and Dalya as we transform our outdoor succah into a beautiful garden oasis.

RSVP to Dalya & Jake at youth@shearithisrael.org.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hazak u'barukh to **Baruch-Lev Kelman**, upon joining Stern College faculty as an adjunct instructor for the 2026-2027 Semester.

Condolences to Jack (& Morann) Halpern, upon the passing of his mother, and to Yonina Gomberg, upon the passing of her grandmother, Gladys Halpern.

Of Interest to the Community

Shearith Israel member, **Daniel Feder**, will be leading a discussion on his newly published book, *Lo Bashamayim Hē*, focusing on the final essay, "Does the Punishment Fit the Crime?" which examines why Moshe and Aharon were barred from the Land of Israel.

Held on Wednesday, September 2, at 8 pm at Lincoln Square Synagogue, 180 Amsterdam Ave.

Refreshments will be served. Books will be available for purchase.

Attendance is free, but registration is required at lss.org.