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High Holy Days Schedule

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Remarks

Rabbi Javier Cattapan, Senior Rabbi

Homecoming at the Start of a New Year

The Hebrew word “*teshuvah*” is central to the High Holy Days season and refers to internal and external reflection. *Teshuvah* is difficult to translate into English because it is a religious concept unique to Judaism. Rabbi Jonathan Sachs writes, “There is no precise English translation of *teshuvah*, which means by ‘return’ – homecoming, a physical act; and ‘repentance’ – remorse, a change of heart and deed, a spiritual act.” Following Rabbi Sacks’ teaching, one may add that *teshuvah* implies movement toward a different place; it is physically and spiritually homecoming.

For our members who do not attend services on a regular basis, the High Holy Days are a type of homecoming. When you come into the sanctuary for services, we want you to feel as if you were coming home to a place where you are greeted with open arms. Everyone in our staff and lay leadership approaches this season as an opportunity to welcome back Beth Torah members after a year of traveling through the perils of everyday life, with its joys and sorrows, times of illness, and moments of healing.

Moreover, everyone who crosses our threshold during this special time of the year, whether you attend regularly or not, should feel that our sanctuary is your home. Like in our other “homes,” what makes our worship space unique is not the architecture alone but the connections we cherish: our spouses and partners and the many friends and acquaintances we have made.

Like any other family, our Beth Torah family cannot thrive based on the connections we once made; for the sake of our future, we must find a way to build new, deeper connections among all of us. In that spirit, I invite you to reconnect with your community during this High Holy Days season. We will have many opportunities for you to connect: from the now “traditional” Rosh Hashanah luncheon to our apple hunt and entirely volunteered-led Yom Kippur study sessions. We will launch our newest initiative to be even more welcoming.

As we begin together 5784, consider renewing your connections and try to connect with God, our community, and, most importantly, each other. We cannot be Jewish without the many relationships we build with one another. At Beth Torah, we connect with a mixed and varied multitude. During the Holy Days, when you need to come home, you will find our team of professionals and volunteers ready to welcome you home to your community, a home open to diversity and inclusion. At the beginning of the year, may we all find our congregation a place of homecoming, both physically and spiritually. May our *teshuvah* be wholesome and lasting. *L’shanah tovah!*

With the High Holy Days just around the corner, we wanted to share a story for the season. We hope you enjoy *David Heller’s Book of Life*, by Michael Ginsberg!

Ms. Lefkowitz, our fourth grade religious school teacher, said today that God is finishing the Book of Life for next year.

I’m dead.

God “inspects your record” during the week between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, Ms. Lefkowitz explained. Then, on Yom Kippur, “God decides whose names to inscribe in the Book of Life for next year.” She stopped there.

“What do you mean?” I asked.

“What do you mean, ‘What do you mean?’” she said.

“It means you’re gonna die,” Sheldon Feinman laughed, in a weird sort of vampire cackle. Ms. Lefkowitz looked at her watch and announced, “Class dismissed.”

On the way home, I told my sister, Sarah, what had happened in class.

“Yup, you’re going to die,” she said.

“You think God knows everything I’ve done?”

“God knows,” Sarah said, in her best 16-year-old, know-it-all voice. “And if God doesn’t know yet, I’ll make sure God finds out.”

[Read the rest here!](#)

President's Corner

Greetings and Happy September,

As we rapidly approach the Days of Awe it's time to reflect on what happened this past year and what we would like to see happen in the year to come.

For me this has been a year of reflection and change in my personal and business life. After months of reflection, finally realizing certain things were never going to work, it was time for a change.

At Beth Torah the last fiscal year saw us part ways with our Director of Lifelong Learning, hire a new Operations Director and announce that Rabbi Cattapan would be leaving Beth Torah once his contract expired in June of 2024. We also received notice that our recently hired Operations Director had started her own consulting firm and decided to leave Beth Torah just a few weeks ago.

The winds of change never seem to quit blowing. Beth Torah staff and board of trustees have worked tirelessly to keep our spiritual home relevant and moving forward. Given all the changes, it has been a rocky ride.

Rest assured the CBT board of trustees is laser-focused on the task at hand. We have a new three-year strategic plan which will give us our road map for where we are going. We have a large, active rabbi search committee that is finishing up our vision statement, job description and marketing packet to begin our search right after Yom Kippur. We are completing the same to find a new Executive Director and that search will begin after Yom Kippur as well.

New principal Morgan Fasbinder is pouring her endless energy into reinvigorating the Weiner Religious School that had not lived up to expectations for many years. She is already realizing success with her creative programming and teaching experience.

New fundraising Chair Ron Fredman is hard at work finding new sources of revenue to solidify Beth Torah's present and future.

So many others have also stepped up with time and treasure. So many new fresh ideas. So many new programs. So many things to be excited about.

Change is scary. Change is hard. But sometimes change is necessary to survive, grow and have the life you deserve. Change is hard alone. It is so much easier if we all work together.

Join us. Get involved. Speak up with comments, questions and concerns. Join a committee. Plan a program. Many hands make for easy lifting. Together we will build the New Beth Torah.

Happy and healthy new year everyone.

Larry Myer

President, Board of Trustees

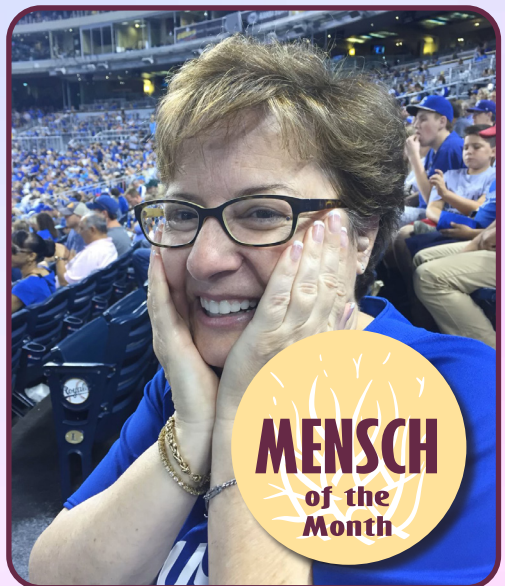


Congratulations To Barb Mendelsohn, who Will Be Honored As Mensch Of The Month During Friday Night Services On September 8.

Congregation Beth Torah relies on volunteers to do many tasks, and Barb is one of the most dedicated and reliable volunteers. As one office staff member said, *"When we need to have something done, Barb is at the top of our list."*

Barb has spent many hours behind the scenes doing tasks such as stuffing envelopes, filling holiday bags, making copies, preparing yahrzeit letters, picking up supplies, working on the Golf Tournament and delivering goodies to congregants' homes. She has led Small Groups, including the Movie Group and the BBQ group. One congregant told me that she loves working with Barb because she always has a smile and makes the most mundane tasks fun.

Please thank Barb for all she does on behalf of our congregation, and plan to attend services on September 8 to honor her.



Music & More



In Addition to High Holy Day Services...

September 1
Beth Torah Celebrates
"Big Sonia" Warshawski

September 8
Friday Night Torah Service
& Mensch of the Month -
Barb Mendelsohn

September 10
Potluck Productions
Play Reading

September 22
Shabbat Shuva

September 29
Erev Sukkot
Picnic & Worship

Well, we've made it this far. We are in September. School has started, Religious School will start soon, and we're already half-way through Elul. We sit at a convergence of "clean slate" moments. The start of school has always felt like an opportunity to start fresh. Fall always fills me with a renewed sense of hope and energy. And the High Holy Days provide us not only with an actual New Year and all of its accompanying tropes, but with ten days specifically designated for looking at ourselves—our behaviors, thoughts, and actions—with the intent of repenting, repairing, and starting fresh again.

If you are looking for a fresh way to engage with the High Holy Days and this opportunity to reflect, refresh, and renew, I offer you a suggestion. Create a playlist, split into thirds:

- **Section 1 - Reflect**
 - Songs that represent where and how you've missed the mark this past year.
 - Songs that represent how you have felt hurt or disappointed.
- **Section 2 - Refresh**
 - Songs that bring you peace and hope.
- **Section 3 - Renew**
 - Songs that represent who you would like to be in the world.

This is a deeply spiritual venture, and it may feel deeply private. If you can, I invite you to find at least one trusted person to share this journey with. But if it's just for you, that's okay, too.

Here is a sample of what I would include in my playlist, one song from each section:

- [We're Not Gonna Take It](#), by Twisted Sister (this song serves a dual purpose...)
- [Soul Child](#), by Shawn Mullins
- [God is In](#), by Billy Jonas

Shalom, l'shana tovah tikatevu, and g'mar chatima tovah, Lezlie

2023 HIGH HOLIDAY FOOD DRIVE

September 15 - October 8



We depend on your donations.

With your generosity and support, Congregation Beth Torah can once again make a sizable donation to help needy families in our community.

Grocery bags were included in the Rosh Hashanah gift bags and everyone is encouraged to donate even more than what fits in those bags.

Top 5 most-needed items: canned tomato products, soup, canned protein, paper towels, and toothpaste

With your help, JFS is helping feed 500 families every month with dignity and care.

jfs  **KC**



Weiner Religious School



Summertime has come and gone. We had the perfect weather for our Poolside Havdalah event. It was truly a beautiful moment watching members of the Jewish community come together to participate in Havdalah. September is going to be a fantastic month! I am so excited to see everyone for the first day of Sunday school and TAG! I know this is going to be our best year yet. L'shana Tova!

Please make sure you have your registration forms filled out for the 2023-2024 school year. If you need registration forms or have questions please contact Morgan Fasbinder at mfasbinder@beth-torah.org or 913-574-8854.

Events

Wednesday, September 6, 2023, is the JNF-USA Israeli Kick-Off Bash for Teens at the JCC (MAC Room) from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Registration link: jnf.org/kansaskickoff

Kansas City 7-12th graders are invited to join us to kick off the year with Israeli food and music while learning what makes Alexander Muss High School in Israel a life-changing study abroad teen program so special. Hear from Emma Sandler, AMHSI 2022 Alum, Kennan Segal, AMHSI 2023 Alum, and Leah Snitz, an upcoming AMHSI student. Dinner will be fully Kosher and cooked by a Kosher caterer at the Jewish Community Center.

The first day of Sunday School is September 10, 2023.

Join us for a special breakfast from 9:00-9:30 a.m.

Family services will start at 9:30 a.m. We will have parent orientation with fun family activities to follow. Dismissal is at 12:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 16, 2023, is Rosh Hashanah

Start off your sweet new year with Family T'filah and Activities at 10:00 a.m. Kid-friendly activities are scheduled to last until the children are invited into the sanctuary to hear the blowing of the shofar. You won't want to miss out on cake and our CBT apple hunt following Tashlich!

Monday, September 25, 2023, is Yom Kippur

Be a part of something special! Family T'filah and Activities will start at 10:00 a.m. Following family worship, kid-friendly activities are scheduled to last until the end of services. Teens, please join us for a walk through the reflection garden and discussion.

The first day of TAG is Wednesday, September 27, 2023.

This is going to be a special evening for our TAG students and families. Please join us for pizza, Sukkah building, and decorating. Pizza will be served from 6:00-6:30 p.m. Parents are encouraged to stay and participate. Dismissal for TAG students is 8:00 p.m.

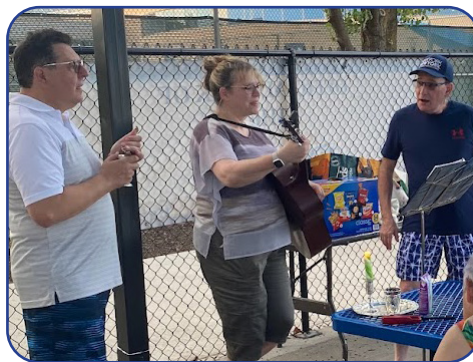
Sunday, October 15, 2023, is the Jewish Culture Fest at the

JCC from 11:00 a.m.- 6:30 p.m.

The Weiner Religious School will have a booth with a Henna tattoo artist! Come check us out.



Photos from the Poolside Havdalah on Aug. 12



Day of Discovery Faculty Photo!



Shalom!
Morgan

August 1st - October 31st

CBT SCHOOL SUPPLY DONATION DRIVE

Backpacks, Expo markers, Pencils, Hand Sanitizer, Markers, Crayons, Clorox wipes, tissue, folders, erasers, rulers, glue sticks, and Gallon sized Ziploc bags.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES WILL BE DONATED TO MIDLAND TRAIL ELEMENTARY IN THE TURNER SCHOOL DISTRICT

The donation box will be located by the front doors @ CBT



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Selichot – Saturday, September 9

Community Program held at The Temple, Congregation B'nai Jehudah

8:00 p.m. Dessert Reception / Program / Service

Rosh Hashanah (September 15-16)

Friday, September 15

6:30 p.m. Erev Rosh Hashanah Service

Saturday, September 16

10:00 a.m. Family T'filah & Activities

10:30 a.m. Rosh Hashanah Morning Service

Luncheon

1:15 p.m. Tashlich

2:00 p.m. Rosh Hashanah Apple Hunt

Shabbat Shuvah – Friday, September 22

6:30 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service /
Memorial Plaque Dedication /
Beit Midrash

Sukkot (September 29-October 7)

Friday, September 29

5:30 p.m. Erev Sukkot Picnic
6:30 p.m. Erev Sukkot Service

Friday, October 6

6:30 p.m. Erev Simchat Torah Service

Saturday, October 7

10:30 a.m. Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah –
Sukkot Yom Tov & Shabbat Service with Yizkor

Yom Kippur (September 24-25)

Sunday, September 24

7:30 p.m. Kol Nidre Service

Monday, September 25

10:00 a.m. Family T'filah & Activities

10:30 a.m. Yom Kippur Morning Service

Adult Ed Sessions

Session 1: 12:30 - 1:15 p.m.

- ♦ God, Politics and the Brain
- ♦ Makhloket L'shem Shemayim/Arguing for the Sake of Heaven: The power of constructive conflict

Session 2: 2:00 - 2:45 p.m.

- ♦ Witnessing our Shared Humanity
- ♦ Jewish Genealogy

Session 3: 3:15 - 4:00 p.m.

- ♦ Why Honoring Your Parents is the Hardest of the 10 Commandments
- ♦ Book Talk: *"The King Is In the Field": Essays in Modern Jewish Political Thought* co-edited by Samuel Hayim Brody, Associate Professor at KU

1:30 p.m. Tikkun Service

2:00 p.m. Yizkor Service

2:00 p.m. Adult Ed Sessions

3:15 p.m. Adult Ed Sessions

4:30 p.m. Mincha Service

6:00 p.m. N'ilah Service

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Adult Education Questions? Contact Jill Maidhof
 jill.maidhof@gmail.com
 913.832.4477

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
27	28	29	30
Building Closed (Summer Schedule) ● 2pm Service of Spiritual Renewal for the High Holy Da	Offices Closed Mondays		● 6pm HHD & Selichot Choir Rehearsals
3	4	5	6
	Offices Closed Mondays Labor Day		● 6pm HHD & Selichot Choir Rehearsals
10	11	12	13
First Day of Weiner Religious School ● 9am Weiner Religious School ● 3pm Potluck Show	Offices Closed Mondays ● 6:30pm HHD Band Rehearsal		● 7pm HHD Choir Rehearsals ● 7pm Finance Committee Meeting
17	18	19	20
	Offices Closed Mondays		● 7pm HHD Choir Rehearsals
24	25	26	27
Kol Nidre (Erev Yom Kippur) ● 7:30pm Kol Nidre Worship	Offices Closed Mondays Yom Kippur - See website for detailed schedule	OFFICES CLOSED	● 5pm Help Build & Decorate the Sukkah!

Holocaust Survivor. Grandma. Diva. BIG SONIA.



Join us September 1 to
welcome special guest
"Big Sonia" Warshawki.

Sonia will join us for
Erev Shabbat Services
and a dessert-and-nosh
reception.



Save the Date!!!

- ☆ Erev Simchat Torah 10/6
- ☆ Take down the Sukkah 10/8
- ☆ Friday Night Services with Special Guest Joe Buchanan (10/13)
- ☆ Shia Kolb Bar Mitzvah (10/14)
- ☆ Kansas City Culture Fest (10/15)
- ☆ Fall Blood Drive (10/18)
- ☆ Mensch of the Month - Teresa Hellman (10/20)

AA group meetings
will be held
once a week on
Wednesdays at
the JCC from 12-1.
Started Aug 16.

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31	Sep 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 1pm Yiddish Group ● 6:30pm Erev Shabbat Worship & Celebration of "Big S 	2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 9am Sicha Shabbat ● 10:30am Shabbat Morning Worship
7	8 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 1pm Yiddish Group ● 6:30pm Erev Shabbat Worship w/Torah Service & Mer 	9 <p>Selichot</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 9am Sicha Shabbat ● 10:30am Shabbat Morning Worship
14	15 <p>Erev Rosh Hoshanah</p> <p>First Day of HHD Food Drive</p> <p>First Day of Hispanic Heritage Month</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 1pm Yiddish Group ● 6:30pm Erev Rosh Hashanah & Shabbat Worship 	16 <p>Rosh Hashanah - See website for detailed schedule</p>
21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 12pm Exploring and Sharing Good Eats - 5783 Small (● 7pm Celebrate the New Moon! (@CBJ) 	22 <p>Shabbat Shuva</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 1pm Yiddish Group ● 6:30pm Shabbat Shuva Erev Shabbat Worship w/Beit 	23 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 9am Sicha Shabbat ● 10:30am Shabbat Morning Worship
28	29 <p>Erev Sukkot</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 1pm Yiddish Group ● 6:30pm Erev Sukkot & Erev Shabbat Worship 	30 <p>Sukkot</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 9am Sicha Shabbat ● 10:30am Shabbat Morning Worship



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June 16 - August 16 2023 Tributes

Beth Torah General Fund

Claudia Alexander
Carol Ducak
Steve & Margie Cooper
Linda Zappulla and Chuck Gensler
Anonymous

Yahrzeit of Al Grossman

Carol Pevney

Yahrzeit of Eloyce Pepper

Scott & Sharon Jerwick

Yahrzeit of Maxine Stark

Howard Stark

In Appreciation of new Adult Education Programs

Peter Pizor

Rabbi Cattapan's Discretionary Fund

Stephen and Janice Katz
Martin & Dianne Lustig

Music & Choir Fund

James & Kelly Kaplan

Yahrzeit of Rose Rudman

Yahrzeit of Joannie Gerfman

Yahrzeit of Sarah Zubatsky

Steve & Margie Cooper

Yahrzeit of Sylvia Sue Carter

Barbara & Jesus Gutierrez

CBT Fund For Families In Need

Yahrzeit of Kenneth Bram

Alan Bram

Youth Activities Fund

In Memory of Morris Kapel

Paul Chapman

Hunger Fund

Yahrzeit of Catherine O'Brien

Sanford & Maureen Salz

Yahrzeit of Maria Gutierrez

Barbara & Jesus Gutierrez

In Memory of I.I. Ozar

Adam & Stephanie Elyachar

Lesly Ozar

*Thank you to all who have donated
and contributed to
Congregation Beth Torah!*

The 5783 confirmands are thrilled to share their class project with you. They spent the past several months interviewing congregants who have been members of Congregation Beth Torah for 18 years or longer. They can't wait to share with you what they learned!

<https://beth-torah.org/chai-member-interviews>



Keep checking back, new interviews will be uploaded every few weeks!

Instrument Donations

BVN TRI-M

Is there a musical instrument (or two) lying around your house that's not being used? You can make a difference in a foster child's life by donating those old instruments. Music gives kids an outlet for self-expression and can help them maintain some stability in unstable times.

What can you donate?

Musical instruments in used or brand new condition

Sheet music

Electronic keyboards

Instruments strings, tuners, neck straps, or other accessories

This donation drive is organized by Gabriel Decker, a member of Beth Torah and occasional CBT Band bassist. This drive is partially inspired by his work in the Religious Action Committee's Teen Justice Fellowship.

Contact Gabriel Decker
music4allKC@gmail.com

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Small Groups

5784 Small Groups will launch at the Rosh Hashanah luncheon on Sept. 16!!



The need never stops.

DONORS NEEDED

OCTOBER 18th • 2-6 PM

Whole Blood and Double Red Cell donations are needed!

Sign up link for both options:

https://donate.savealifenow.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/80403

Who needs my red cells?

Red cells are critically needed by:

- accident/burn victims
- cancer/chemotherapy patients
- mothers during childbirth and newborn babies
- surgery/trauma patients
- people living with anemia and blood disease

Save 6 lives in just 3 visits!

How often can I donate automated red cells?

You can make an automated red cell donation every 112 days or 16 weeks. You can save six lives every year in just three visits!

Ask if you are eligible to donate automated red cells.

Aerosmith's Farewell Tour at T-Mobile Center on Nov. 16,

All donors at every mobile blood drive and donor center during the time frame of Tuesday, Sept. 19, 2023 through Tuesday Oct. 31, 2023 will be entered for a chance to win two tickets (two winners - drawn on Nov 3)

1.877.468.6844



Community Blood Center

JEWISH NATIONAL FUND-USA INVITES YOU TO ISRAELI KICK-OFF BASH

Hear from Emma Sandler, Keenan Segal, and Leah Snitz

Local Alexander Muss High School in Israel Alumni and Students
Kansas City 7-12 Graders

Wednesday, Sept. 6, 2023 • 6:30 PM • The J



RSVP jnf.org/kansaskickoff



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September, 2023 Yahrzeits

September 2, 2023 **Elul 16, 5783**

Pearl Beyer (aunt of Martin Lustig) Susan Diane Choucroun (sister of Ronald Sandhaus) Henry Osman (brother of Stan Osman) Yakov Shuklaper (father of Joseph Shuklaper) Phillip Spizman (father of David Spizman)

September 4, 2023 **Elul 18, 5783**

Robert Zappulla (husband of Linda Zappulla-Gensler) Ross Zucker (father of Marjorie Skikne)

September 5, 2023 **Elul 19, 5783**

Brian Yodler (friend of Chuck & Sandi Cantor)

September 6, 2023 **Elul 20, 5783**

Steven Mark Brown (husband of Rhonda Brown)

September 7, 2023 **Elul 21, 5783**

Anne Czarlinsky (mother of William Czarlinsky) Jimmie Taylor (mother of Linda Katz)

September 8, 2023 **Elul 22, 5783**

Harry Dubrov (father of Ronald Dubrov)

September 9, 2023 **Elul 23, 5783**

Rosemary Peterson Adams (mother of Andrea Zwibelman and grandmother of Zachary Zwibelman)

September 10, 2023 **Elul 24, 5783**

Lois Beaupied (mother of Gail Ross) Nancy Kessler (mother of Emily Frazier) Saralee Steinberg (Beth Torah)

September 11, 2023 **Elul 25, 5783**

Albert Beiler (grandfather of Alice Capson) Robert Chase (father of Jeffrey Chase)

September 12, 2023 **Elul 26, 5783**

Elizabeth Blum (grandmother of Michael Blum) Murray Rosen (uncle of Howard Pitler)

September 13, 2023 **Elul 27, 5783**

Betty Bram (mother of Alan Bram) Ray Goldstein (uncle of Howard Pitler)

September 14, 2023 **Elul 28, 5783**

Robert Czarlinsky (brother of William Czarlinsky) Raul Falicov (father of Tamara Falicov) Minnon Friedman (loved one of Carol Ducak) Sarah Myron (mother of Mark Myron) Marshall Pitler (uncle of Howard Pitler)

September 15, 2023 **Elul 29, 5783**

Marcia Eisenberg (mother of Diana Hurst) Louis Lowenstein, Jr. (brother of William Lowenstein) Henry Perilstein (Beth Torah)

September 16, 2023 **Tishri 1, 5784**

Blanche Altman (mother-in-law of Marion Altman, grandmother of Jeffrey Altman and Ronald Altman and aunt of Judith Hellman and Marcia Rittmaster) Gertrude Gandal (aunt of Susan Berkowitz) Pola Greenwald (mother of Douglas Greenwald and Susan Waxman) Arden J. Hagen (father of Christina Shapiro) Leo Schleifstein (grandfather of Julie Altman, Janet Bloom and Judith Dubrov) George Zucker (father of Dave Zucker)

September 17, 2023 **Tishri 2, 5784**

John L. Esser, III (father of Glenn Esser) Joanie Kershenbaum (mother of Bruce Kershenbaum)
Morris Pittel (father of Mike Pittel)

September 18, 2023 Tishri 3, 5784

Warner Julius Bergh (father of Jackie Hermanson) Michael Hamovitz (uncle of Howard Pitler) Emma Steinzeig (loved one of Debbie Bass) Jacqueline Temkin (mother of Ronald Shesol)

September 19, 2023 Tishri 4, 5784

Jerry Yagan (mother of Mark Yagan)

September 20, 2023 Tishri 5, 5784

William Duncan (step-father of Ariana Weindling) Haskell Rosenblum (father of Carol Ducak) Cyril Skikne (brother of Barry Skikne) Gale Watt (uncle of Michael Worthington)

September 21, 2023 Tishri 6, 5784

Marilyn Abraham (aunt of Steven Cooper) Sharon Golden (loved one of Michael Golden) Nona Katz (mother of Stephen Katz) Fanny Zisman de Jaes (grandmother of Tamara Falicov)

September 22, 2023 Tishri 7, 5784

Marianne Allen (mother of Cathy Wylan) John Esser, Jr. (father of Glenn Esser) Jack Miller (grandfather of Bret Gordon) Bessie Polsky (grandmother of Douglas Polsky) Audrey Rubin (mother of Ronald Rubin) Michael Marc Susman (Beth Torah)

September 23, 2023 Tishri 8, 5784

Nancy Levine (mother of Ronnie Lerner) Janice Norton (daughter of Beverly Nichols) Max Shrago (grandfather of Nini Rosenstock)

September 24, 2023 Tishri 9, 5784

Carmela D'Angelo Aldieri (aunt of Nicholas LeVine) Anna Krasnaya (grandmother of Gene Kucherovsky) Paul Pizor (father of Peter Pizor) Richard Schlesinger (uncle of Susan Berkowitz) Gloria Sherman (mother of Janice Katz)

September 25, 2023 Tishri 10, 5784

David Epstein (husband of Judith Epstein) Leah Gandal (aunt of Susan Berkowitz) Mollie Gordon aunt of Howard Pitler) Valda Hagen (mother of Christina Shapiro) Amy Dennis Pierron (Beth Torah) Florence Warshawsky (mother of Jeffrey Ross)

September 26, 2023 Tishri 11, 5784

Fannie Golden (grandmother of Michael Golden) Bennett Shaw (father of Gary Shaw) JoAnn Granoff Weiner (mother of Cynthia Garfinkle)

September 27, 2023 Tishri 12, 5784

Lawrence Cohen (husband of Donna Gould) Joyce LeBeau (mother of Joshua LeBeau) Martha Levy (mother of Joseph Levy)

September 28, 2023 Tishri 13, 5784

Ben Apple (grandfather of Robert Bloom) Lisa Berman (niece of Elizabeth Appelbaum and cousin of James Appelbaum and Sharon Hoffmann) David Girson (Beth Torah)

September 29, 2023 Tishri 14, 5784

Gaylce Beaupied (father of Gail Ross) Sally S. Blum (mother of Michael Blum) Florence Soltman (aunt of Lauren Aaronson) Sheila Jane Zucker (mother of Dave Zucker)

September 30, 2023 Tishri 15, 5784

Jean Rosenfeld Fisher (grandmother of Sara Goldstein) Max Levine (loved one of Debbie Bass)





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