

A Guide to High Holy Day Services

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Security

- Please be patient – during the High Holy Days, Sinai Temple hosts over 5,000 people for services. We want everyone to enjoy a spiritual experience in a comfortable and safe environment. This may create some delays when entering or leaving the building and service venues. We ask for your patience, and thank you for your understanding.
- During the High Holy Days, extra security personnel will be on hand throughout the facility. They will be following strict guidelines to help ensure a safe, organized experience for all of our members. Your cooperation in following security personnel instructions is appreciated.

Parking

- **Garage Parking:** Space in our garage is limited. However, a small number of unreserved spaces are available for cars with official handicapped permits.
- **Street Parking:** Street parking is available during the hours of our services. The city continues to grant Sinai Temple relaxed street parking for the High Holy Days. On all streets surrounding the temple, it is not necessary to observe parking signs referring to “street cleaning,” “limited parking,” and “permit parking.” Parking control officers have been instructed to not issue citations. Restrictions still apply to parking signs referring to “metered parking,” “red zones,” “tow away zones,” and “no parking anytime.” No parking will be allowed in alleys and driveways.

Ritual Matters

- *Machzorim* (High Holy Day prayer books) will be available at all services.
- *Kippot* will be available at all services. Please bring your own *tallit* to all daytime services and Kol Nidre services.
- It is customary to wear non-leather shoes during Yom Kippur. The clergy will wear their canvas shoes and we encourage you to join us in this practice.
- We invite you to bring your *shofar* for Neilah (concluding service on Yom Kippur) so that we can close with a loud cacophony of our community *shofar* blasts.

Ticketing

- One ticket per individual is given for all services: Rosh Hashanah, Kol Nidre, and Yom Kippur.
- Each person must have a ticket to enter the building. Tickets are color coded by venue. You will be admitted to the service indicated on your ticket. Please make certain that you have your ticket with you for entry into the synagogue each day.
- All children (ages 3-17) must have a ticket and will only be allowed to enter or exit with an adult member.
- Children or grandchildren (ages 18-20) of members are welcome to purchase a \$100 Young Adult Ticket for any unreserved services. Young Adult Tickets must be paid in advance and the ticket must be picked up in person, either at the synagogue office (during office hours) or at will call. A valid photo ID will be required to receive the ticket. Tickets may not be purchased on the High Holy Days.

Will Call

- A will call information office will be open to the left of the Beverly Glen security entrance (next to Kohn Chapel) for each service.
- No duplicate tickets will be issued for lost tickets. A single-service pass may be issued to members in good standing (dues payments are current) who have lost or misplaced their tickets. Passes must be picked up at each service time at will call. A valid photo ID will be required to receive the pass.

Student Programming

Specially designed programming is available for students 3 years old through 12th grade during the High Holy Days. All student activities end immediately after the conclusion of adult services when parents must pick up their children (3 years old – 6th grade) at their program location. Please note that every child must have a ticket.

3 Years Old – 2nd Grade

We welcome our youngest students to our Douglas Family ECC on G level where they will enjoy music and fun activities led by professional staff while parents attend services. All children must be potty trained.

3rd – 6th Grade

Students are immersed in educational stations, arts and crafts, meaningful activities, and age-appropriate services led by Rabbi Andy Feig and Danielle Kassin.

7th – 12th Grade

Teens are invited for an hour of singing, informal learning, prayer, and games as we dissect the High Holy Days through a teen lens.

Religious School Tashlich at the Beach Sunday, September 24, 2017 at 10:30 am

Sinai Temple members and friends are invited to join the Religious School community for morning Tashlich at the beach in Santa Monica. Please contact (310) 481-3271 for location and to RSVP.

STUDENT PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

Erev Rosh Hashanah Wednesday, September 20, 2017

On Erev Rosh Hashanah, students join with their parents for the Monkarsh Family Erev Rosh Hashanah Live in the Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary or for a traditional service in Barad Hall.

First Day of Rosh Hashanah Thursday, September 21, 2017

3 Years Old (Potty Trained) – 2 nd Grade Programming on G Level	9:00 am
3 rd – 6 th Grade Programming in Rickles Gym on the Kraus Pavilion 4 th Floor	9:00 am
7 th – 12 th Grade on 5 th Floor (No Program)	9:00 am
3 rd – 6 th Grade Service in Kohn Chapel	10:00 – 11:00 am
7 th – 12 th Grade Service in Kohn Chapel	11:15 am – 12:15 pm

Second Day of Rosh Hashanah Friday, September 22, 2017

3 Years Old (Potty Trained) – 2 nd Grade Programming on G Level	9:00 am
3 rd – 6 th Grade Programming in Rickles Gym on the Kraus Pavilion 4 th Floor	9:00 am
7 th – 12 th Grade on 5 th Floor (No Program)	9:00 am

Kol Nidre Friday, September 29, 2017

3 Years Old (Potty Trained) – 2 nd Grade Programming on G Level	5:30 pm
3 rd – 6 th Grade Programming in Rickles Gym on the Kraus Pavilion 4 th Floor	5:30 pm
7 th – 12 th Grade on 5 th Floor (No Program)	5:30 pm

Yom Kippur

Saturday, September 30, 2017

3 Years Old (Potty Trained) – 2 nd Grade Programming on G Level	9:00 am
3 rd – 6 th Grade Programming in Rickles Gym on the Kraus Pavilion 4 th Floor	9:00 am
7 th – 12 th Grade on 5 th Floor (No Program)	9:00 am
3 rd – 6 th Grade Service in Kohn Chapel	10:00 – 11:00 am
7 th – 12 th Grade Service in Kohn Chapel	11:15 am – 12:15 pm
Neilah	
3 Years Old (Potty Trained) – 2 nd Grade Programming on G Level	5:30 pm
3 rd – 6 th Grade Programming in Rickles Gym on the Kraus Pavilion 4 th Floor	5:30 pm
7 th – 12 th Grade on 5 th Floor (No Program)	5:30 pm
Student Pick-Up to Hear Shofar	7:00 pm

Student Safety & Security

- For the safety of our students, all children must be in a supervised program location. Parents are required to drop-off and pick up children.
- There may be a wait to check in children due to our careful security measures. Please allow ample time for drop-off and pick-up.
- Sinai Temple security will not allow children to congregate in the hallways. Parents are responsible for the location of their children at all times.
- Students must be picked up immediately following the conclusion of adult services.

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Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary and Ziegler Hall/Stage

Pouran & Parviz Nazarian First Floor

Rabbi David Wolpe | Cantor Marcus Feldman
Aryell Cohen and Choir



Continuing the traditions of Sinai Temple with a contemplative, educational and inspiring experience. Teaching and sermon by Rabbi David Wolpe with the rich, liturgical music of Cantor Marcus Feldman accompanied by Organist and Choir Director Aryell Cohen and our Sinai Temple professional choir.

Barad Hall

Pouran & Parviz Nazarian First Floor

Rabbi Brad Artson | Cantor Lisa Peicott
Ty Woodward and Choir



Traditional liturgy with the musical nostalgia of the Yom Tov accompanied by new melodies of prayer. Rabbi Brad Artson leads with insightful sermons and engages the congregation in dialogue exploring the spiritual themes of the *Yamim Noraim* (Days of Awe). Cantor Lisa Peicott's magnificent voice and beautiful *neshama* bring warmth and meaning. Barad Hall features an octet choir, lay participation, and re-enactment of the *Duchenin* (Priestly Blessing) and personal prayers before the ark during the Yom Kippur break.

Shofar Blast in Weinberg Gymnasium

Etty & Claude Arnall Third Floor

Rabbi Nicole Guzik | Rabbi Erez Sherman
Cantorial Intern Ellen Sugerma



Singing, dancing, and storytelling! Bring your shofar as we blast in the New Year together. Suggested for children up to 3rd grade.

Family Minyan in Gold Hall/Kohn Chapel

Pouran & Parviz Nazarian First Floor

Rabbi Jason Fruithandler | Martin Neumann



Family Minyan is a welcoming, traditional service characterized by inclusivity, lay participation, explanations and teachings, with a warm sense of community and connection. Individuals, couples and families with children are invited to attend. To participate in our services, please contact Rabbi Fruithandler at jfruihandler@sinaitemple.org.

Torah in the Round in Weinberg Gymnasium

Etty & Claude Arnall Third Floor

Rabbi Nicole Guzik | Rabbi Erez Sherman
Cantorial Intern Ellen Sugerma



A blend of traditional and contemporary liturgy, this engaging, reflective, and musical High Holy Day service is designed for the entire community. Adult members and families with children welcome. To participate in our services, please contact Rabbi Guzik at nguzik@sinaitemple.org.

Atid 20s & 30s Alternative Services (Ages 21-39) in Kohn Chapel/Gold Hall

Pouran & Parviz Nazarian First Floor

Rabbi Jason Fruithandler



Honoring the themes of the High Holy Days, we seek to give a modern take on our traditions by highlighting the ways our heritage connects to our modern lives. In the signature style of the Orden Family Friday Night Live, this service integrates our traditional music with new compositions from members of our Atid community. Attend by becoming a Sinai Temple Young Professional member, or by purchasing an à-la carte Atid service ticket.

LEGEND

- Reserved Seating
- Open Seating
- Limited Open Seating
- Choir
- Organist Accompaniment
- Contemporary Instrumental Accompaniment
- Children's Service
- Families with Children Welcome
- Young Adults

Service Schedule

S'lichot

Saturday, September 16, 2017

- Havdallah and Service with Choir 8:30 pm

Erev Rosh Hashanah

(all venues unreserved seating)

Wednesday, September 20, 2017

- Kohn Chapel Service 5:45 pm
- Monkarsh Family Erev Rosh Hashanah Live Service in Ziegler Sanctuary 8:00 pm
- Traditional Service in Barad Hall 8:00 pm

First Day of Rosh Hashanah

Thursday, September 21, 2017

- P'sukei d'Zimrah Service in Kohn Chapel 8:00 am
- Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary 8:20 am
- Barad Hall Service 8:20 am
- Family Minyan Service in Gold Hall 9:00 am
- Shofar Blast Service 9:15 am
- Torah in the Round Service 10:00 am
- Atid 20s & 30s Alternative Service in Kohn Chapel 4:00 pm
- Tashlich Service at the Monkarsh Family Atrium and Fountain on Pilot Plaza 5:15 pm
- Mincha Service 5:45 pm

Second Day of Rosh Hashanah

Friday, September 22, 2017

- P'sukei d'Zimrah Service in Kohn Chapel 8:00 am
- Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary and Barad Hall Combined Service 8:20 am
- Family Minyan Service in Kohn Chapel 9:00 am
- Shofar Blast Service 9:15 am
- Torah in the Round Service 10:00 am

Kol Nidre

Friday, September 29, 2017

- Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary Service 6:00 pm
 - Barad Hall Service 6:00 pm
 - Torah in the Round Service 6:00 pm
 - Family Minyan Service in Gold Hall 6:00 pm
- We begin at 6:00 pm sharp. Please arrive early.**
- Atid 20s and 30s Alternative Service in Kohn Chapel 9:00 pm

Yom Kippur

Saturday, September 30, 2017

- P'sukei d'Zimrah Service in Kohn Chapel 9:00 am
- Shofar Blast Service 9:15 am
- Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary Service 9:20 am
- Barad Hall Service 9:20 am
- Family Minyan Service in Gold Hall 9:30 am
- Torah in the Round Service 10:00 am
- Study Session in Ziegler Sanctuary (Community Welcome) 3:00 pm
- Public Yizkor Service in Kohn Chapel 3:00 pm
- Family Minyan Mincha in Kohn Chapel 4:45 pm
- Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary Mincha 4:15 pm
- Barad Hall Mincha 4:15 pm
- Atid 20s and 30s Alternative Service in Gold Hall 5:00 pm

Neilah

- Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary Service 5:45 pm
- Barad Hall Service 5:45 pm
- Family Minyan Service in Kohn Chapel 5:45 pm
- Torah in the Round Service 5:45 pm
- Shofar Blowing (Approximate) 7:15 pm

Erev Sukkot

Wednesday, October 4, 2017

- Mincha/Ma'ariv Service in Kohn Chapel 5:45 pm

First of Day Sukkot

Thursday, October 5, 2017

- Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary Service 8:45 am
- Family Minyan Service 9:30 am
- Mincha/Ma'ariv Service in Kohn Chapel 5:45 pm

Second of Day Sukkot

Friday, October 6, 2017

- Service in Kohn Chapel 8:45 am

Erev Shemini Atzeret

Wednesday, October 11, 2017

- Mincha/Ma'ariv Service in Kohn Chapel 5:45 pm

Shemini Atzeret/Erev Simchat Torah

Thursday, October 12, 2017

- Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary Service with Yizkor 8:45 am
- Activities for Young Children 5:00 pm
- Mincha/Ma'ariv Service in Kohn Chapel 5:45 pm
- Ma'ariv Service & Hakafot for All Ages 6:00 pm
- Family Minyan Adult Service 8:00 pm

Simchat Torah

Friday, October 13, 2017

- Ruth & Allen Ziegler Sanctuary Service 8:45 am