

TEMPLE BETH AMI

HIGH HOLY DAYS 2010/5771

Information Booklet

Schedules, forms and other important information for the
upcoming High Holy Days

301-340-6818 office number

301-738-0094 office fax

SERVICE SCHEDULE

HIGH HOLY DAYS

2010/5771

SELICHOT

Saturday, September 4

9:00 – 11:00 pm

Special Program and Service
(Jewish Community Center, Rockville)

ROSH HASHANAH

Wednesday, September 8

8:00 – 10:00 pm

Erev Rosh Hashanah

Thursday, September 9

8:30 - 11:00 am
9:00 – 9:30 am
10:00 – 10:45 am
11:30 am – 12 noon
12 noon – 2:30 pm
12:15 – 2:15 pm
12:30 – 1:15 pm
2:30 pm
3:00 – 4:15 pm
4:15 pm

Rosh Hashanah
Family, Preschool – Grade 1
Family, Grades 2 & 3
Family, Preschool – Grade 1
Rosh Hashanah
Teen
Family, Grades 2 & 3
Tashlich
Family, Grades 4, 5 & 6
Tashlich

Friday, September 10

10:00 am-12: 15 pm
12:15 pm

Second Day
Tashlich

SHABBAT SHUVA

Friday, September 11

8:00 pm

Erev Shabbat Shuva

YOM KIPPUR

Friday, September 17

6:30 – 7:45 pm
8:30 – 10:15 pm

Kol Nidre*
Kol Nidre*

Saturday, September 18

8:30 – 10:45 am
9:00 – 9:30 am
10:00-10:45 am
11:30 am – 12 noon
11:30 am – 1:45 pm
11:45 am – 1:45 pm
12:30 – 1:15 pm
2:00 – 2:35 pm
2:15 – 3:30 pm
2:45 – 3:45 pm
2:45 – 3:45 pm
4:00 pm
5:15 - 7:15 pm

Yom Kippur
Family, Preschool – Grade 1
Family, Grades 2 & 3
Family, Preschool – Grade 1
Yom Kippur*
Teen*
Family, Grades 2 & 3
Choral & Instrumental Interlude
Family, Grades 4, 5 & 6*
Discussion Groups
Meditation
Mincha
Yizkor and Concluding Service

SUKKOT

Wednesday, September 22

8:00 pm

Erev Sukkot

Thursday, September 23

9:00 am

Sukkot Service

Friday, September 24

7:00 pm

Tot Festival Celebration

8:00 pm

Erev Shabbat Sukkot Service

SIMCHAT TORAH

Wednesday, September 29

7:00 pm

Simchat Torah

Thursday, September 30

9:00 am

Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah
including Yizkor

10:30 am

Family Simchat Torah Celebration

*Time is different from Rosh Hashanah

GREETINGS FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

As we look forward to coming together as a synagogue community to celebrate the upcoming High Holy Days, the members of the Board of Directors would like to take this opportunity to wish every member of our congregational family a new year filled with good health, happiness and prosperity. We hope that our services will provide the spiritual renewal each of us seeks at this holy season.

In a continued effort to reduce our carbon footprint by avoiding unnecessary printing, we are again making **service supplements available for downloading through our website** – www.bethami.org. Please take advantage of this, since only very limited supplies of these will be available at the synagogue.

We would also like to remind you that in order to provide an environment that is conducive to prayer and meditation for all, please observe the following requests:

1. Please arrive on time since our worship services begin as scheduled.
2. Please do not save seats, with the exception of the person parking the car.
3. Please do not enter or leave the sanctuaries when the ark is open, the Torah is being read, or the Cantor is chanting.
4. Please turn off all cell phones and pagers before entering the building.
5. Please do not visit or exchange lengthy greetings while services are in progress.
6. Please do not congregate in the lobby and hallways, especially near the entrance and exit doors of the sanctuaries (voices carry into the rooms).
7. Please do not bring children less than two years of age into services; babysitting is available.
8. Please do not leave children of any age in the lobby and hallways unattended; they must stay with you or be in babysitting (pre-registration required).
9. High School services are provided for students in grades 8 – 12 only. Students immediately pre or post Bar/Bat Mitzvah (grades 7) are encouraged to attend regular services with their parents or they are welcome to attend the Family Service for Grades 4, 5, & 6.
10. Please take crying, noisy or overly active children to the cry room (where sanctuary services will be broadcast) until they are ready to return to services. You must stay with you children in the cry room. Please do not congregate in the lobby, as sounds carry into the sanctuary.

Ushers are available to provide any assistance you may need to make your worship experience meaningful and enjoyable.

Thank you for your cooperation. L'Shana Tova

IMPORTANT CHANGES FOR 5771/2010

- An insert will be prepared and included in the ticket mailing with the following prayers so everyone can have them for reference: Bashanah HaBa'ah, Debbie Friedman's Mi Shebeirach, and Achat Sha-alti. Please copy and paste one in your prayer books
- For those congregants who enjoy having **the transliteration supplement**, please remember to download prior to each holy day from our website (www.bethami.org) . In order to save paper and printing costs, they will not be available at services
- **Students in grade 7**, who are anticipating becoming B'nai Mitzvah, or have just become B'nai Mitzvah, are encouraged to participate with their families in the congregational service in the Sanctuary as they are preparing to become, or have just become, members of the adult Jewish community within our congregation and beyond. We offer no age specific service for students in grade 7, because this is a time when they are consciously taking their place in the larger congregation. We hope that the students and their families will take this into consideration when choosing which High Holy Day celebration to join. We know that some of our 7th graders may prefer the service geared to our 4th through 6th graders, with whom they share celebrations and worship experiences within our Machane TBA program; they and their families are welcome to attend this service.
- **Teen services for 8th – 12th graders** will include a 1½ hour service, 20 minute program and 15 minute oneg (on Yom Kippur, the programs will be 25 minutes)
- We have **changed the times for tashlich** to reflect the actual times that services end and people arrive outside; please note the time on your tickets
- **CHANGE IN THE KOL NIDRE SCHEDULE:** the early service will be from 6:30 – 7:45 pm; the second service will be from 8:30 - 10:15 pm. The early, and shorter, service will include all the elements of the regular service, creating a meaningful liturgical experience for those who would prefer a service which ends earlier. This service would also be appropriate for children in grades 4 and up. This also makes it possible for the second service to start earlier and end earlier, which has previously been a concern to many congregants who do not leave the parking lots until 11 pm or later. We hope this will make it easier for more congregants to experience the majesty and awe of the Kol Nidre service.
- We will open the Alef Bet as a cry room and have audio broadcast of services in the main sanctuary

TICKET INFORMATION

IMPORTANT: Due to heightened security, tickets will be required to enter the building at all times; no one will be able to enter without a ticket.

TICKETS are included with your Temple membership for all Temple members who are current in their financial obligations and for their children up to age 25 (BORN BEFORE 7/1/85).

THE TICKET REQUEST FORM must be returned by July 23. TO REQUEST TICKETS, ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE CURRENT FOR FY'10 (JULY 1, 2009 - JUNE 30, 2010)

TO RECEIVE YOUR TICKETS, THE FIRST TWO PAYMENTS OF FY'10 (JULY & AUGUST) MUST HAVE BEEN RECEIVED BY THE TEMPLE OFFICE. Members who need financial assistance must contact a financial secretary no later than August 1, 2010.

ONE TICKET WILL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR EACH ADULT AND CHILD IN YOUR FAMILY; this ticket will be used for both Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Tickets must be presented at the door, but will not be collected. Tickets can be used for any service, as long as you have received adult and children (if needed) tickets. Teens in 8th thru 12th grades will receive different tickets that can be used for any service including the Teen services. You must bring your ticket in order to enter the building for all services.

TICKETS WILL BE MAILED in late August to all congregants who requested tickets and are current in their financial obligations through the first two payments of FY'11. Purchased prayer books can be picked up in the Temple office during regular business hours or at the entrance desk prior to the start of services.

COURTESY TICKETS can be issued in advance with student or military identification for college students and members of the military who are away from their home congregations.

RECIPROCAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR MEMBERS OF TEMPLE BETH AMI who will be out of town can be made by contacting the office as early as possible. Please fax (301-738-0094) or e-mail Betsy Sill at (bks@bethami.org) the following information: the name, address and fax number of the congregation you wish to attend, the names of each family member attending, which Holy Day you need tickets for, and the names of people, if any, you are attending with at the reciprocal congregation.

RECIPROCAL TICKETS FOR FRIENDS AND RELATIVES who belong to another Temple may be obtained by having your guests request a form or letter from their congregation, stating that they are members in good standing. The form may be mailed, faxed (301-738-0094) or e-mailed to Betsy Sill at (bks@bethami.org). Please have them include your name on the request form.

JEWISH CONNECTIONS MEMBERSHIP, a yearly membership for young adults ages 25 to 30 (born between 7/1/80 and 6/30/85), which includes High Holy Days tickets, is available through the Temple office. Membership forms must be completed and dues paid in full before receiving tickets.

TICKETS FOR NON-MEMBER RELATIVES may be purchased at a reduced fee; this year we are offering an early bird special, (see request form).

The Temple office will be closed for business during the High Holy Days. This includes: Wednesday, September 8, Thursday, September 9, Friday, September 10, Friday, September 17, Saturday, September 18, Thursday, September 23 and Thursday, September 30. The offices will also close early (5 pm) on Wednesday, September 22 and Wednesday, September 29.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

THE BUILDING IS CELL PHONE FREE DURING THE HIGH HOLY DAYS. IF YOU MUST BE ON THE PHONE, YOU MUST LEAVE THE BUILDING.

CHILDREN UNDER TWO – In order to enable all of our members and guests to have a meaningful worship experience, we ask that children under two not attend the services in the sanctuary. Babysitting (PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED) is available during the day. If you must bring an infant or young toddler, please sit on an aisle so you can easily leave the sanctuary if it becomes necessary.

FAMILY SERVICES - The High Holy Days are an important element in the spiritual life of our congregation. We want these days, which help us to begin a new year together and to find renewed sense of social and spiritual purpose, to be meaningful to congregants of all ages. That is why we provide a variety of opportunities for worship, reflection and celebration for individuals and families. These choices include services geared to families with children of certain ages (pre-K to 1st grade, grades 2 and 3, grades 4 through 6 and a service for our teenagers in grade 8 and above). Students in grade 7, who are anticipating becoming B'nai Mitzvah, or have just become B'nai Mitzvah, should be encouraged to participate with their families in the congregational service in the Sanctuary, as they are preparing to become (or have just become) members of the adult Jewish community within our congregation and beyond. This is a time when they are consciously taking their place in the larger congregation, and we hope that they and their families will take this into consideration when choosing which High Holy Day celebration to join. In truth, congregants of all ages, including children, are welcome in the Sanctuary service throughout the High Holy Days, and many families choose to celebrate in that manner, rather than attend the other services offered. Some of our 7th graders may prefer the service geared to our 4th through 6th graders, with whom they share celebrations and worship experiences within our Machane TBA program, and this is now available as an alternative. Of course, all congregants are welcome at any of the services that are offered (with the exception of the Teen Service, for which participants must be in Grade 8 or above). Where ever we gather within our synagogue building during these High Holy Days, the hope is that every congregant will find an opportunity to participate and to celebrate in a meaningful and satisfying way.

CHILDREN IN LOBBY – Children of any age cannot be left unattended in the lobby. Ushers cannot be responsible for their safety. Children without a parent with them will be sent into services. Teens must attend either services in the main sanctuary or the Teen student - led services in the chapel for teens in grades 8 – 12.

PRAYER BOOKS – Temple Beth Ami members provide their own copy of The Gates of Repentance; books can be ordered in advance through this information packet. A limited number of loaner books are available at each service, usually limited to one for every two people. If you own old prayer books, consider buying the new gender sensitive books and donating your old ones to the congregation to increase the number of loaner books available for non-members.

HIGH HOLY DAYS PRAYER BOOK FOR OUR CHILDREN IN GRADES 2 – 6 – The Gates of Repentance for Children will be used in our services for families of children in grades 2-6. The book will be presented on the first day of Religious School to all children in second grade and all children in grades 3-6 who are new to the school, and will become part of the Religious School curriculum for the Holy Days. It is a lovely book and will be a special and meaningful addition to your child's Jewish library. The prayer book is available to purchase for parents or other family members who attend family services. If you have multiple copies and wish to donate one or more to be used as loaner books, please bring the book to the office or to the welcome desk at services.

BABYSITTING – will be provided for children 6 months – 7 years for day services **by advance reservation.** A minimum number of children is required to hold a babysitting session, so please respond early. Please complete the form in this packet to make your reservation. For your children's safety, **NO ONE** will be admitted without a reservation. **Refunds will be provided if we cannot accommodate your child(ren).**

PARKING – spaces are very limited on the Temple lot and additional spaces are reserved for seniors and people with handicap tags. Off site parking will be available at two locations: Stonemill Elementary School (bus transportation will be provided to and from the Temple) and Human Genome’s parking lot. **[Three floors of parking (4, 5 & 6) have been made available to us with the understanding that we will park only where designated – not on other floors of the garage, on the grass, or on the road. Please be respectful of these restrictions, so we will be able to use this facility again.]** DO NOT PARK IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS, IN THE SHOPPING CENTER, OR ON TRAVILAH ROAD – **CARS WILL BE TOWED**. You may drop your family off at the Temple entrance prior to going to satellite parking. Services will start on time, so please allow sufficient time for transportation or walking from the offsite parking areas. Police are in the parking lots. Please follow their directions and drive carefully.

SECURITY – the Temple takes extra precautions to ensure the safety of all. Security during the High Holy Days is not taken lightly. Montgomery County police officers are at the doors, in the building, and in the parking lots. Please follow their directions at all times. If you need assistance, they will be pleased to help.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

USHERS: If you wish to help usher during any of the services, please complete the Usher Volunteer Form and return it to the Temple Office. Ushering is open to adults and teens who are post Bar/Bat Mitzvah.

BABYSITTERS: If you wish to volunteer to help with babysitting, please contact Megan Treby at supermamameg@comcast.net. You must be 13 or older to babysit.

SHOFAR BLASTERS: If you are interested in joining the Shofar Corps for the High Holy Days, please contact Daron Freedberg at: daron_freedberg@verizon.net or call at 301-330-1039. All ages are welcome.

DO YOU NEED A RIDE TO HIGH HOLY DAYS SERVICES?

We know that some of our members no longer drive. If you need a ride or would be willing to drive someone in your area, please contact us at: slg@bethami.org or 301-304-6818

ACCOMODATIONS FOR PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

To insure that our facilities and services are accessible to people with disabilities during the High Holy Days, please list any special accommodations you may need on the ticket request form. Extra parking spaces are reserved in the Temple lot for senior and handicap parking; please use these spaces only if you need accommodation.

SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION will be provided for selected High Holy Days services. For specific information, please call the Temple office, 301-340-6818, and use MD Relay Service, 711, or e-mail suscohen@comcast.net

LARGE PRINT PRAYER BOOKS are available for purchase. Braille prayer books are available through the Jewish Braille Institute of America at 1-800-433-1531.

DEVICES FOR WORSHIPPERS WHO ARE HEARING IMPAIRED

Our system to aid individuals who are hearing impaired is available in the main sanctuary from an usher on a first-come, first-served basis. Each device must be returned to an usher after each service so it can be available for the next service.

AUDIO BROADCAST SYSTEM – our audio broadcast system makes it possible for people who are unable to attend services in our sanctuary to listen to the service through his/her telephone. We have 10 lines available. The dial in number is 301-309-3834. When answered, enter 9 to be connected to the service.

YOM KIPPUR FOOD DRIVE

Please Remember the Hungry; Bring Food for Manna on Yom Kippur. The Need is Greater than Ever.

Every year we collect tons of canned and boxed goods which are used to feed residents of Montgomery County. As we grow, so should the amount we collect. Please bring bags of non-perishable food; equal to the amount of food your family would have eaten during the fast. Bags will be collected on Yom Kippur until 5:00 pm. **Please do not bring food after the 5:00 pm pick up on Yom Kippur. Monetary donations to Manna are welcome and can be brought to the welcome desk in the lobby.**

MEMBER TICKET REQUEST FORM

Please return to the Temple office by **July 23, 2010**

Please **PRINT** full name (s): _____
Adult 1 (First & Last) Adult 2 (First & Last)

Phone: _____

Email: _____

PLEASE CHECK OFF

WILL ATTEND:

BOTH ____ ROSH HASHANAH ONLY ____ YOM KIPPUR ONLY ____

Please list **children up to age 25** (as of 7/1/10). Call the Temple office for information on Jewish Connection Membership for young adults 25-30.

NAMES, SCHOOL GRADE OR BIRTH DATE MUST BE ENTERED TO PROCESS TICKETS

Name _____ Grade in School _____ or Birth date _____

Name _____ Grade in School _____ or Birth date _____

Name _____ Grade in School _____ or Birth date _____

Name _____ Grade in School _____ or Birth date _____

Please list any special accommodations needed:

REMINDER: TICKETS ARE REQUIRED TO ENTER THE BUILDING

PURCHASE NON-MEMBERS RELATIVE TICKETS

Please return to the Temple office by July 23, 2010

Please PRINT TBA Member's Name _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

RESIDING 50 MILES OR MORE AWAY

Adults (18 or older): \$60.00 per holiday
Children (2-18): \$30.00 per holiday
Preschool – Grade 1 Service: \$18.00 per person

RESIDING WITHIN 50 MILES*

Adults (18 or older): \$120 per holiday
Children (2-18): \$60.00 per holiday
Preschool – Grade 1 Service: \$18.00 per person
**Early bird Special: Purchase tickets before July 23, 2010*
Adults: \$90.00 per holiday
Children: \$ 45.00 per holiday

Address of non-member relative: **(must be entered)**

NAME OF EACH NON-MEMBER RELATIVE REQUESTING TICKETS: (Please list all ages of children under the age of 18)

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Rosh Hashanah Services _____ **# of tickets requesting**

Yom Kippur Services _____ **# of tickets requesting**

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

REMINDER: A TICKET IS NEEDED TO ENTER THE BUILDING

BABYSITTING REGISTRATION

Babysitting will be available, for a fee, during day services for children six months to seven years. **PRE-REGISTRATION AND PRE-PAYMENT ARE REQUIRED and YOU MUST HAVE A BABYSITTING TICKET.** A minimum number of children is needed to provide a babysitting session. **THERE WILL BE NO DROP-INS AND NO REFUNDS.** The fee is \$13.00 per child/ per session for Temple members and relatives and \$23.00 per child/ per session for non-members. Registration and check must be received by August 23. Late registrations will be accepted on a space available basis. Un-registered children will NOT be accepted in babysitting.

We will provide toys, juice and light snacks in the babysitting areas. You must provide diapers, formula, etc for your child. If you prefer to bring any special toys or food (dairy), be sure to label each item clearly with your child's name.

Member of Temple Beth Ami? Yes _____ No _____

Not a member, but related to the following member _____

Parent' Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phones (Day) _____ (Evening) _____

E-mail _____

Total Number of children requiring sitting _____

List the name, birth date, age and any allergies of each child registering

Child #1 _____

Child #2 _____

Child #3 _____

Child #4 _____

MAIN SERVICE

Rosh Hashanah Services

Thursday, September 9 8:30 am _____ # of children

Thursday, September 9 12:00 noon _____ # of children

Yom Kippur Services

Saturday, September 18 8:30 am _____ # of children

Saturday, September 18 11:30 am _____ # of children

Saturday, September 18 4:00 pm _____ # of children

ROSH HASHANAH
OF CHILDREN

YOM KIPPUR
OF CHILDREN

FAMILY SERVICES

9:00 – 9:30 am Grades PK – 1 _____

10:00 – 10:45 am Grades 2 & 3 _____

11:30 am – 12 noon Grades PK – 1 _____

12:30 – 1:15 pm Grades 2 & 3 _____

3:00 – 4:15 pm Grades 4, 5 & 6 (Rosh Hashanah) _____

2:15 – 3:30 pm Grades 4, 5 & 6 (Yom Kippur) _____

Total enclosed \$ _____

Make check payable to "Temple Beth Ami," mark it "Babysitting" and send to the office with this form.

HIGH HOLY DAYS GREETING

Send a New Year's greeting from you and your family to all Temple Beth Ami members. Included in the September Chadashot will be a special greeting from all participating Temple members. Through this greeting, each of us can extend to one another the warmth and high hopes that symbolize the High Holy Days.

The cost of participation is \$18 for a listing, which includes the names of all the members of your family. Please return this form to the Temple no later than July 23, to be included.

Listing: (as you wish to have your name(s) appear)

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

HONEY FOR A SWEET NEW YEAR IS BACK!

To order, go to our website www.bethami.org, click on the honey link and follow the step-by-step directions or contact Gail Brodsky at gsb@bethami.org for more information. *May 5771 be a sweet year for us all!* **Orders must be submitted by July 12 to avoid shipping charges.**

HIGH HOLY DAYS PRAYER BOOK ORDER FORM

The Temple uses The Gates of Repentance (red cover). Prayer books are not available at our services and must be ordered in advance. The Gates of Repentance prayer book is used for adult services. Students in grades 2 - 6 will receive their own copy of Gates of Repentance for Young People through the Religious School. Additional prayer books may be purchased through the Temple office and picked up in September during regular office hours or at the door prior to the start of services. Books may also be purchased at Lisbon's Hebrew Book Store or Abe's Jewish Book Store in Wheaton. Please return this form to the Temple office by July 23.

If you have old copies of the prayer book, please consider purchasing new gender sensitive prayer books and donating your old ones to the Temple for use as loaners to guests in our community on the High Holy Days. . If your child(ren) have completed 6th grade and you have multiple copies of the Gates of Repentance for Young People, and do not wish to keep them all, please consider donating them to be loaner books for the Family Service.

Name: _____

Phone: Day: _____ Evening: _____

E-mail: _____

Number of Prayer Books @ \$30 _____

Number of Large Print Prayer Books @ \$50 _____

Number of *Gates of Repentance for Young People* @ \$18 _____

ENCLOSED: \$ _____

USHERING VOLUNTEER FORM

Ushers are needed for all services to distribute service materials, assist latecomers and help maintain decorum. Ushering is an honor and a responsibility to be taken seriously. Congregants* are encouraged to sign up for one or more service. Training will be provided. Please return form by August 23.

USHERING SIGN UP FORM * Adults and post Bar/Bat Mitzvah teens only

Name _____
 Phone _____ E-mail address _____

Please list the name of the volunteer at the time he/she will be ushering:

Erev Rosh Hashanah	8:00 pm	_____	_____
Rosh Hashanah	8:30 am	_____	
	12:00 noon	_____	
<u>Family Services:</u>			
Grades PK - 1	9:00 am	_____	
Grades 2 & 3	10:00 am	_____	
Grades PK - 1	11:30 am	_____	
Teen*	12:15 pm	_____	
Grades 2 & 3	12:30 pm	_____	
Grades 4, 5 & 6	3:00 pm	_____	
2nd Day Rosh Hashanah	10:00 am	_____	
Kol Nidre	6:30 pm	_____	
	8:30 pm	_____	
Yom Kippur	8:30 am	_____	
	11:30 am	_____	
<u>Family Services:</u>			
Grades PK - 1	9:00 am	_____	
Grades 2 & 3	10:00 am	_____	
Grades PK - 1	11:30 am	_____	
Teen*	11:45 am	_____	
Grades 2 & 3	12:30 pm	_____	
Grades 4, 5 & 6	2:15 pm	_____	
Mincha/Yizkor Service	4:00 pm	_____	

BABYSITTING VOLUNTEERS

The volunteer coordinator of babysitting needs adults and students (ages 13 and older), who are attending an alternate service, to help with babysitting for both morning and afternoon services. Religious School students can receive *sherut l'am* credit. Check the times during which you can assist; you must arrive 20 minutes prior to start time. Please return form by August 23. Contact Megan Treby at supermamameg@comcast.net with any questions.

Name: _____ **Age:** _____

Phone: _____ **E-mail address:** _____

Babysitting Sessions: Please check off all sessions you are available.

Rosh Hashanah:
 8:30 - 11:30 am _____ 11:30 am - 2:30 pm _____ 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm _____

Yom Kippur:
 8:30 - 11:30 am _____ 11:30 am - 2:30 pm _____ 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm _____ 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm _____

MEMORIAL BOOK ALPHABETICAL LISTING ONLY

ADDITIONAL YAHRZEIT LISTINGS TO BE ADDED SINCE LAST YEAR - JULY 1, 2009:

Print MEMBER'S Name _____
Phone Number _____ Email Address _____

Please list all new names you wish added to our Yahrzeit data file. **Please remember that names of people who have died during the past year are not automatically added to our Yahrzeit file. You MUST request this to be done.** Since this is a very personal decision, names are added only upon the request of the family.

All names in this file will also be published in the Shabbat bulletin, and are included in the alphabetical listing section of the Memorial Book used for Yizkor Services. If you would like names listed in the expanded format as well, please list them on both this list and the Expanded Memorial Book Form below. **PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

FULL NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO MEMBER	DATE OF YAHRZEIT**
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____

It is customary at Temple Beth Ami to use the English date for Yahrzeit observance; **please check this space if you wish to observe the Hebrew date._____ If you need the Temple to determine the Hebrew date, we must have the full English date of death (dd/mm/yyyy) and whether it was before or after sunset.

This form must be returned by July 23 in order for names to be included in the Memorial Book.

As in previous years, we are suggesting a minimum donation of \$18 (Chai) or multiples of \$18 to support the spiritual and programmatic needs of the congregation. **ALL NAMES ARE PRINTED; YOUR DONATION IS A VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION FOR THIS SECTION OF THE MEMORIAL BOOK ONLY.**

Amount of donation \$ _____

MEMORIAL BOOK EXPANDED LISTINGS

All names currently listed in the Yahrzeit file, whether or not this form is returned, will be included in the Memorial Book in an alphabetical listing section. Please fill out the form below ONLY if you would like to include your family's names in the expanded listing section, which will appear separately in the book in alphabetical order by member family, and requires a donation (see below).

If you had an expanded listing last year, **it will not automatically be included this year.** You MUST fill out this form and return it along with a check for your REQUIRED donation by July 23, in order for your names to be included in the Expanded Section of the Memorial Book. You will receive a copy of last year's listing by mail. **Do not** return this form until you receive a copy of that listing and mail it back with this form.

Example:

Donor: Rachel, Alan, David and Susan Jones
In Memory of: Morris Doe, Sarah Doe, Samuel Jones

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name(s) to be listed:

Remembered by:

An expanded listing **REQUIRES** a minimum donation of \$18 (Chai) for the first listing and \$5 for each additional listing to be included in the Memorial Book. This donation is used to support the spiritual and programmatic needs of the congregation.

Amount: \$ _____

MEMORIAL PLAQUES

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail address _____

Permanent Plaques

List name(s) and date(s) of death as it is to appear on the permanent plaque. Please enclose **\$900 per plaque** (includes weekly plaque). **PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

Member Name	Relationship to Member	*Date of Death/Hebrew Date
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_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Weekly Plaques

To purchase a weekly plaque, list name(s) and include **\$350 per plaque**. **PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

Name	Relationship to Member	*Date of Death/Hebrew Date
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_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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***The English date of death is usually observed in our congregation. (Please check here _____ if you would like the Yahrzeit observed on the Hebrew date.) If you need the Temple to determine the Hebrew date, we must have the full English date of death (dd/mm/yyyy) and whether it was before or after sunset.**

All plaques are inscribed on an annual basis for the High Holy Days. This form **must be returned by July 23** to be inscribed in time. **Please contact Gail Brodsky, Clergy Assistant, if you need further information or assistance at 301-340-6818 or gbs@bethami.org**

SUKKOT IN THE HOME

The holiday of Sukkot will be observed this year starting on Wednesday evening, September 22. There will be several opportunities offered through Temple Beth Ami to help you to bring Sukkot into your home.

Build your own Sukkah. More and more families are constructing a Sukkah in their own homes, enriching their family's celebration of the festival. Plans for building a Sukkah are available through the Temple Office for the nominal fee of \$5 per set.

S'chach for your Sukkah. S'chach, cut greens for your Sukkah, can be ordered and available for pick-up at the Temple. Homestead Farms will deliver to us recently cut corn stalks, bundled in bunch of approximately 20 - 25 stalks, at a cost of \$10 per bunch.

You can have your own lulav and etrog for Sukkot. These symbols of the holiday are used throughout Sukkot and may be brought to the Temple to enhance your celebration of Sukkot and Simchat Torah, the last day of Sukkot. Through the Jewish Book Store, we will be able to offer lulavim and etrogim that are made in Israel at a reasonable price. The sets differ in size and quality: **Student set - \$50, Adult set - \$60, and Deluxe set - \$75. This is the same cost as last year.**

Please use the form below to order; all orders must be pre-paid and received by, August 16.

Pick up dates:

Sukkah Plans: Any time after Monday, August 2 - Contact Gail Brodsky, 301-340-6818

S'chach: **Monday, September 20;** 12 noon - 7:00 p.m. UTTM will tell you where to pick up.

(We cannot be responsible for S'chach left after Tuesday, September 21)

Lulav and Etrog: **Tuesday, September 21;** 12 noon - 7:00 pm or **Wednesday, September 22;** anytime between 9:00 am and 12 noon; in the large refrigerator in the kitchen.

I would like to order the following:

_____	Copies of the Sukkah Plans @\$5.00	_____	\$
_____	Bunches of S'chach @\$10.00	_____	\$
_____	Lulav and Etrog – Student set @ \$50	_____	\$
	Adult set @ \$60	_____	\$
	Deluxe set @ \$75	_____	\$
	Total Enclosed	_____	\$

Name _____
Telephone: _____
E-mail: _____

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