



High Holy Day Information

Main Line Reform Temple Beth Elohim ♦ 2017/5778

ADULT SERVICES are held in the Morganroth Sanctuary. Admission Tickets are granted with membership. Select either Early or Late Services on the High Holy Day Form. College students may gain entrance to services by showing their college ID. Tickets for High Holy Day Services will be issued only to those families who are current in their membership and financial obligations to MLRT.

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES AND PRESCHOOL SERVICE (age 2 – 3rd grade) are held concurrently with Early Adult Services and require tickets. Children learn with teachers in the classroom and a brief musical service and story led by Rabbi Kevin Kleinman follows.

CONTEMPORARY SERVICES offer the opportunity to welcome the sacred High Holy Days as a community and to make the old new. Rabbi Geri Newburge and Ross M. Levy and the Levites lead a cutting-edge visual prayer service in the comfort of the Lower Merion High School auditorium. This is a highly participatory and musical service. Tickets are granted with membership. Select Contemporary Service on the High Holy Day Form.

FAMILY SERVICES are designed for our youngest children and their families and enable all children to worship in the Morganroth Sanctuary with their families. These services are held on the afternoons of Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Tickets are not required and the community is welcome.

HIGH HOLY DAY FOOD DRIVE is a great mitzvah! Empty grocery bags will be distributed at Rosh Hashanah. Please return them with your non-perishable food contributions on Yom Kippur.

USHERS are essential for maintaining the dignity of the High Holy Day Services. We ask for your help to assure the appropriate decorum and invite you to serve. If you are interested in ushering, please contact Marc Cohen at 610-642-9632. We thank you for your willingness to serve.

PHYSICIANS are requested to notify the usher of their seat location if willing to assist in the event of an emergency. We have police and medical professionals on-site for emergencies during the High Holy Day Services.

VISITORS' COURTESY HOLIDAY TICKETS are available should you plan to be in another community for the High Holy Days. If you plan to attend services at another Reform congregation, please contact Miriam Fischer in the MLRT Office, at mfischer@mlrt.org or 610-649-7800, with the Temple name and address. We will inform that congregation that you are a member of MLRT and they should provide you with courtesy tickets for the holidays.

MEMORIAL PLAQUES are placed in the Memorial Alcove in the Morganroth Sanctuary and a light is kindled under the plaque the week Yahrzeit is observed. Those memorialized with a plaque are listed in a special section of our Book of Remembrance. Memorial Plaque Request Forms are available through the MLRT Office. The cost is \$500 for Temple members.

HIGH HOLY DAYS SCHEDULE OF SERVICES 2017/5778

All services located at MLRT unless otherwise noted

SELICHOT

Saturday, September 16

7:45 pm Community Service & Program
at Beth David Reform Congregation

EREV ROSH HASHANAH

Wednesday, September 20

7:30-9:00 pm Service

ROSH HASHANAH

Thursday, September 21

9:00-11:15 am Early Service
9:00-11:15 am Children's Activities & Service
12:15-2:30 pm Late Service
10:00-11:30 am Contemporary Service at LMHS
3:15-4:00 pm Family Service*
4:30 pm Tashlich Service
Shortridge Park
(Shortridge Drive between Remington Road &
E. Wynnewood Road in Wynnewood)

2nd DAY OF ROSH HASHANAH

Friday, September 22

10:00-11:00 am Study Session

EREV YOM KIPPUR

Kol Nidre

Friday, September 29

6:15-7:45 pm Early Service
6:15-7:45 pm Children's Activities
8:45-10:15 pm Late Service

YOM KIPPUR

Saturday, September 30

9:00-11:15 am Early Service
9:00-11:15 am Children's Activities & Service
12:15-2:30 pm Late Service
10:00-11:30 am Contemporary Service at LMHS
2:30-4:00 pm Study Session
3:15-4:00 pm Family Service*
4:30-6:30 pm Minchah & Ne'ilah

**Tickets not required for Family Service*