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BOARD MEETING

September 8, 2025 5:30

RABBI PRAVER'S SHABBAT

September 13

September 22-24-Rosh Hashanna

September 27-Shabbat Hagadol

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8 Elul-8 Tishrei

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SHABBAT

Fri., September 5/12 Elul

Candle Lighting 7:04

Sat., September 6/13 Elul

TEITZE

Fri., September 12/19 Elul

Candle Lighting 6:52

Sat., September 13/20 Elul

KI TAVO

Fri., September 19/26 Elul

Candle Lighting 6:40

Sat., September 20/27 Elul

NITZAVIM

Fri., September 26/4 Tishrei

Candle Lighting 6:28

Sat., September 27/5 Tishrei

VAYELECH/SHABBAT SHUVA

7:15

PRESIDENTS' MESSAGE

THE FUTURE

As we begin this new year of 5786 and move forward with our effort to grow and expand, we think of our ancestors who always had to come up with different plans for survival. . Our new “home” is warm, comfortable, bright, clean, and ready to welcome all those who wish to attend our services.. We planned a social program in the park with the hope that people will notice us and want to join.

Our work is important to us. We feel that there is hope for the future and will continue to find ways to grow and prosper. With the help of Rabbi Shaul Praver and our Board members, we are hard at work with our task.

This new year, we are prepared to gather together and unite once more to honor the memory of those who have gone too soon. When we work hard together, we can insure that the work of the ones who came before us will be proud of our efforts to keep going and to grow.

Let's begin this new year of 5786 by volunteering and taking part in our growth. We have taken on more responsibility. Now we certainly can't do it alone. We need everyone to help and be a part of the renewal of Temple Emanu-El.

Please feel the need to make our ancestors proud of us as we forge forward to the new year. May this year be filled with progress, pride, growth, and prosperity. May G-d help us on our journey as we achieve our goals for the future of our children and grandchildren. Together, let's bring Temple Emanu-El to its former glory that our ancestors created.

RABBI'S MESSAGE

MIRACLES IN THE DARKEST TIMES

Reflections of hope from the 1969 New York Mets to the 2025 State of Israel

As I reflect on the Year of the Miracle Mets, I'm reminded of the power of faith, perseverance, and divine intervention. In 1969, the New York Mets were on a trajectory that seemed impossible. Just five years prior, in 1964, they had finished 10th in the National League with a dismal 53-109 record. The team had struggled to find its footing, and fans had lost hope. But that year, something miraculous happened. Despite being huge underdogs, the Mets defied expectations, beating the Atlanta Braves in the playoffs and then the Baltimore Orioles in the World Series. It was a season of surprises, with the Mets overcoming seemingly insurmountable odds. As a 9-year-old fanatic Mets fan, I prayed fervently for a miracle, and it felt like God answered.

That experience has stayed with me, and now, as I watch Israel face unprecedented challenges in the court of public opinion, I find myself praying for another miracle. Support for Israel is at an all-time low, and antisemitism is on the rise. The propaganda machine against Israel is relentless, and it's hard to distinguish fact from fiction. The integrity of journalism seems compromised, with many outlets prioritizing ideology over truth.

But I'm holding onto hope, inspired by Israel's remarkable history. From its rebirth as a state in 1948, against all odds, to its victories in the Six-Day War and the Yom Kippur War, Israel has consistently demonstrated resilience and determination. Recent successes against Iran and Hezbollah further demonstrate its strength and resolve. These moments remind me that even in the face of overwhelming challenges, faith, unity, and determination can lead to miraculous outcomes.

Just as the Mets' improbable victory was a testament to the power of teamwork and determination, I believe that Israel and Jews worldwide will be vindicated. The truth will surface, and those who have been spreading misinformation will be held accountable. It may take time, but I have faith that justice will prevail. In the midst of uncertainty, it's essential to hold onto our values, our faith, and our community. Let's stand together, support one another, and pray for the miracle that Israel and Jews worldwide need. Just as the Year of the Miracle Mets will forever be etched in my memory, I believe that this moment will be a turning point in history, and we will emerge stronger and more united than ever.

August 2025

Dear Friends,

In the Hebrew year 5786, we stand individually and collectively before G-d and pray for forgiveness, health, and a sweet life. In addition to praying, we should do communal introspection on behalf of our beloved Temple Emanu-El. We should be working together to make our synagogue a more welcoming congregation, a place for all who are seeking a spot to belong.

Our new location is a comfortable and inviting place to worship and gather. It creates a very warm and friendly environment for our congregants. Our Rabbi Shaul Praver, who is very interested in the growth of our congregation, has been working hard to teach our young congregants Jewish traditions and the Hebrew language. It is his plan and ours to attract new members who will sustain our existence for many years to come.

Commitment and dedicated service are keys to a stronger and more energetic community. We need your intellectual, physical, spiritual, and financial commitment to make this journey possible.

Please remember that we decided to continue our journey instead of giving up. Let's go forth ahead to make sure that our memories and those of our ancestors can be handed down to the new generation. We can't do this without you.

We wish you and your loved ones, a Healthy and a Happy New Year!!

Please fill out the 2025 pledge and return it as soon as you can. Take notice of our new address.

L'ShanahTovah,
Varda Wendroff
Irene Kravitz

Name: _____

2024 Kol Nidre _____ 2025 Kol Nidre _____

TRIBUTES

Please send tributes and payments directly to the Temple or call 201.436.4499

CONDOLENCES...

TO: LYNN RAFAEL & FAMILY- IN MEMORY OF DANIEL RAFAEL ל"י, BELOVED HUSBAND, FATHER, GRANDFATHER, AND FRIEND.

FROM: ROZ FELSTEIN

TO: STEVEN ROCKOFF FAMILY- IN MEMORY OF YOUR BELOVED BROTHER ROY ROCKOFF ל"י,

FROM: ELLEN & BILL BRODERICK

MAZAL TOV...

TO: DR. & MRS. SAM KAYE- "HAPPY SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY!"

FROM: ROZ FELSTEIN

YAHREZEIT DONATIONS...

FROM:

**EvaLynn Hollander Greenberg
Marilyn Werber**

FOR:

**Lena H. Hollander
Philip Werber**

BELOVED:

**Grandmother
Husband**

KOL NIDREI 2025



Diane & Marshall Duberstein

SOCIAL

On Friday, August 15th, congregants of Temple Emanuel and Temple Beth Am met in Hudson County Park to spend some time together. They shared some stories, ate snacks, and played charades. It was a very pleasant gathering.

We hope to continue meeting together and enjoy each other's company.

SELIHOT: Sat. evening, Sept. 13th at 8:00 PM

Erev Rosh Hashanah: Mon, Sept. 22nd - 6:00 PM

Rosh Hashanah: Tues. & Wed.. Sept. 23rd. & 24th

Shaharit	9:30 AM
Torah Reading	9:45 AM
Shofar	10:30 AM
Beginners' Service	10:30AM
Musaf & Shofar	11:10 AM

TASHLICH in the Park

Tuesday, September 23rd.

**(Bayonne Hudson County Pk. - 42nd St.
& Newark Bay)**

Kol Nidre: Wed., October 1st.

Minhah	6:00 PM
Kol Nidre:	6:30 PM

Yom Kippur: Thur., October 2nd.

Shaharit	9:30 AM
Yiskor	12:00PM
Minhah Honors (Aliyot)	4:30 PM
Neilah ends	7:10 PM
Shofar & Break-the-Fast	7:50 PM

Erev Sukkot: Monday, October 6th

Sukkot– Tuesday October 7th-13th.

CHOL HAMOED SUKKOT– Thur. Oct. 9th-12th

Shemini Atzeret (Yizkor)- Tuesday, October 14th

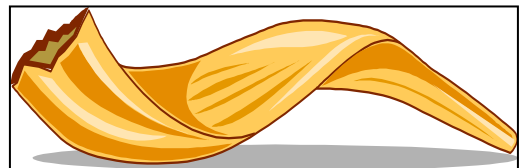
Simchat Torah– Wednesday, October 15th

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HIGH HOLIDAY SCHEDULE



**Ruler of the universe,
fulfill the worthy wishes of my heart;
grant me,**

**and my entire family the privilege
of doing Your will wholeheartedly.
Help us to overcome the evil impulse
and let Your Torah be our portion.
Make us worthy of sensing Your presence.
Touch our lives with the spirit of wisdom and
insight, of resolution and strength,
of knowing and revering You.
May it be Your will, *Adonai* our G d,
G d of our ancestors, that we have the privi-
lege
of doing deeds that are good in Your sight,
walking in paths of honesty.
Instill in us the holiness of Your mitzvot,
so that we may be worthy of
a long and happy life, as well as life eternal.
Guard us from evil deeds and evil times
that threaten the world.
May all who trust in *Adonai*
be embraced by loving kindness.**

AMEN

Y AHRZEIT

August 31-September 6/7-13 Elul

Jacob Kresch, Jennie Zeik, Lazar Cozcewirth, Joseph Slutsky, Herman Sturcz, Louis Mordecai Berger, Esther Finkelstein, Jack Tart, Sonia Susselman, Sarah Garfinkle, J. Joseph Spiegel, Pearl Dubowsky, Simon Lichtenfeld, William Sklar

September 7-13/14-20 Elul

Celia Levine, Esther Berger, Sarah Cozcewirth, Mary Hecht, Marian B. Drogin, Michael M. Eisenberg, Elizabeth Goldenberg, Irving, Rosenhahn, Aaron A. Melinker, Max Margulies, James Batlan Epstein, Sophie Feinberg, Shirley Rosner, Sidney Geltzeiler, Irving Gold, Charles Adler, Albert Resnick, Pearl Gunin Fishman

September 14-20/21-27 Elul

Gussie Henne, Harriett Streich, Etta Baer, Samuel Shapiro, Philip Werber, Ruth Abrahams Epstein, Harry I. Goodman, Mary Berlin, Nathan Stroll, Albert Bloom, Mark Konigsberg, Leah Troum, Sarah L. Trambitsky, Marilyn K. Weiss, Annie Guterman, Jeanette Mamanette Levy, Murray A. Aronson, Bessie Bramson, Edward I. Adler

September 21-27/28 Elul-5 Tishrei

Pearl Sandick, Rose S. Rose, David Schwibner, Paula Weissman, Herman Fleher, William Shapiro, Louis Sugerman, Solomon Simon, Dr. Bernard Gurland, Max Manny Sommer, Chanah Sarah Ravitt, Fannie Gross, Gussie Sklar, Ascher Rose, Dr. Bernard M. Altschuler, June Susan Millner, Irving Rogow, Miriam R. Balinky, Hyman Lebowitz, Laura Kamerman

September 28-October 4/6-12 Tishrei

William Hochhauser, Rochelle Konigsberg Henriques, Edith Cromnick Margulies, Myrtle Levy, Ray Levy Epstein, Irving Cohen, Sarah Strassman, Leo Slomovitz, Samuel W. Topilow, Louis Chodash, Sara (Sus) Eisenstat, Max Shipotofsky, Bernhard Pollak, Miriam Block

September 2025

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

	1 LABOR DAY	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 BOARD	9	10	11	12	13 Selichot
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 EREV ROSH HA- SHANAH	23 RSOH HASHANAH	24 ROSH HASHANAH	25	26	27
28	29	30				

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