



# BETH EL HEBREW CONGREGATION

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July 2010

Dear Fellow Congregant:

This year we usher in the Jewish New Year 5771 on Wednesday evening, September 8. Please join us as we worship together for inspiring and uplifting prayer, Shofar blasts, and song.

We have enclosed everything you need to know in this packet. Please review the information carefully, and do not hesitate to call the Temple office with questions or concerns.

→ This year – for the very first time - we have enclosed personalized tickets to members who have fulfilled their financial commitments. Temple member families are entitled to two (2) tickets. Single members will receive one (1) ticket with the option of requesting one (1) personalized guest ticket.

We have instituted this policy for several reasons. The primary reason is convenience – you no longer have to request tickets by mail. The Temple will also save on the cost of postage. In addition, our new membership software contains a wonderful High Holiday ticket module which makes it possible to track all tickets and to print the tickets “in house” – saving us the cost of printing. Finally, in today’s uncertain times, it is necessary to request that all who enter the Temple show their ticket. Rest assured that should your personalized ticket be misplaced, we will be able to replicate it immediately.

Please call or e-mail Moshe in the office if your ticket(s) is not enclosed.

Enclosed in this packet you will find:

- Beth El Hebrew Congregation Ticket Policy.
- Additional Ticket Request Form.
- Yom Kippur Book of Remembrance.
- Bulletin High Holy Day Greetings.
- Usher Sign-Up Form.
- Registration Form for Babysitting.
- Handicap Parking Request – Instructions.
- Schedule of Services.

Parking will be available on Seminary Road. You may also park at the Virginia Theological Seminary parking lots directly across from the Temple, as well as on Fort Williams Parkway, which is the street adjacent to the east side of Beth El.

On behalf of the entire Beth El Hebrew Congregation leadership, please accept my warm wishes for a restful and safe summer.

Warmly,

BETH EL HEBREW CONGREGATION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Moshe A. Teichman'.

Moshe A. Teichman

Brett R. Isserow  
Rabbi

Sharon Steinberg  
Cantor

Moshe A. Teichman  
Executive Director

Barry H. Smith  
Dir. of Education

Marsha H. Kaufman  
President

**BETH EL HEBREW CONGREGATION  
2010 TICKET POLICY**

Temple policy requires that members be current in their financial obligations to receive High Holy Day tickets. A member is current when all prior obligations are paid in full.

Please contact our Controller, Becky McMurry, at (703) 370-9400 with any questions concerning your financial obligations.

Moshe Teichman is always available to discuss and respond to special personal situations. Please contact him either by telephone or email with any anticipated problems or concerns.

**BETH EL HEBREW CONGREGATION TICKET POLICY:**

☛ SINGLE MEMBERS.....MAY REQUEST ONE (1) GUEST TICKET

☛ CHILDREN 18 AND UNDER ..... ADMITTED WITHOUT A TICKET

*(CHILDREN, AGE 10 AND UNDER ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND FAMILY SERVICES OR JUNIOR CONGREGATION [GRADES 4 – 7])*

☛ DEPENDENT CHILDREN (19 YEARS AND OLDER)..... ADMITTED WITH A TICKET - NO CHARGE  
Please complete the additional ticket request form.

☛ FULL-TIME COLLEGE STUDENTS..... ADMITTED BY PRESENTING VALID STUDENT I.D - NO CHARGE

☛ CONFIRMATION MEMBERSHIP ..... *A ten (10) year gift of membership to all confirmands of Beth El Confirmation classes beginning with the class of June 2000 - in appreciation for their continued study of Judaism.*..... ADMITTED WITH A TICKET - NO CHARGE

☛ IMMEDIATE RELATIVES OF MEMBERS..... \$60.00 EACH

**PLEASE NOTE:** The IMMEDIATE RELATIVES OF MEMBERS category includes children of members who are 22 years and older who are employed and/or not living at home. This category also includes parents, grandparents and visiting siblings of members.

☛ GUESTS ATTENDING SERVICES AT BETH EL FOR THE FIRST TIME ..... \$300.00 EACH

☛ VISITORS WHO HAVE ATTENDED SERVICES IN THE PAST ..... \$650.00 EACH

☛ TRAVELING MEMBERS OF URJ CONGREGATIONS:

The URJ and its 900 member congregations offer a **HIGH HOLY DAY COURTESY SEATING PLAN**. Beth El Members who are traveling in North America during the High Holy Days can be welcomed and worship in any Reform Synagogue. Guests who are members of other Reform Congregations may ask their home synagogue to fax or mail a completed URJ Courtesy Seating Request to the Beth El Hebrew Congregation office.

Members of Beth El traveling out of town may request a Courtesy Seating Request from the Temple office to be sent to the congregation they plan to visit.

**HIGH HOLIDAY TICKETS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE**



Handicap parking is available on a first-come, first-served basis for those with handicap placards. Spaces are limited. Please call or email the Temple Office ([office@bethelhebrew.org](mailto:office@bethelhebrew.org)) if you need a handicap parking space.

**BETH EL HEBREW CONGREGATION**  
**2010 ADDITIONAL TICKET REQUEST**  
**PLEASE RETURN TO THE OFFICE BY JULY 26, 2010**

NAME OF MEMBER(S) REQUESTING TICKETS: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE: HOME # \_\_\_\_\_ DAYTIME # \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

→ **TICKETS FOR DEPENDENT CHILDREN - 19 years and older:**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ age: \_\_\_\_\_ NO CHARGE

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ age: \_\_\_\_\_ NO CHARGE

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ age: \_\_\_\_\_ NO CHARGE

CHILDREN 18 AND UNDER ARE NOT REQUIRED TO HAVE TICKETS.

**FULL-TIME COLLEGE STUDENTS ARE ADMITTED BY PRESENTING A VALID STUDENT I.D - NO CHARGE.**

→ **TICKET FOR CONFIRMANDS** – Beginning with the BEHC Confirmation class of June, 2000.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ NO CHARGE

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ NO CHARGE

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→ **TICKETS FOR IMMEDIATE RELATIVES OF MEMBERS**

The IMMEDIATE RELATIVES OF MEMBERS category includes children of members who are 22 years and older who are employed and/or not living at home. This category also includes parents, grandparents and visiting siblings of members.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ \$60.00

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ \$60.00

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→ **TICKETS FOR NON-MEMBER VISITORS**

(PLEASE CONSIDER MEMBERSHIP AT BETH EL. WE WOULD LOVE TO WELCOME YOU INTO OUR BETH EL FAMILY.)

→ **GUESTS ATTENDING HIGH HOLY DAY SERVICES AT BETH EL FOR THE FIRST TIME.**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ \$300.00

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ \$300.00

→ **GUESTS WHO HAVE ATTENDED HIGH HOLY DAY SERVICES AT BETH EL IN THE PAST.**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ \$650.00

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ \$650.00

Total number of tickets requested: \_\_\_\_\_ Total amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make check payable to:  
Mail to:

BETH EL HEBREW CONGREGATION  
HIGH HOLY DAY TICKETS  
Beth El Hebrew Congregation  
3830 Seminary Road  
Alexandria, VA 22304

**BETH EL HEBREW CONGREGATION**

**YOM KIPPUR BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE - 2010**

Names of congregants and their relatives who have passed away since Yom Kippur, September 28, 2009, will be read during the Memorial (*Yizkor*) Service and will be listed in the Yom Kippur Book of Remembrance.

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Date of Death

To include the name(s) of a relative or a friend(s), who passed away more than one (1) year ago - please complete the form below

A minimum offering of \$18.00 per name is suggested.

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name

Remembered By (Individuals and/or Families):

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Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

To allow time to publish, please return your request to the office by August 12, 2010.

Please make check payable to Beth El Hebrew Congregation and return this form to.

**Beth El Hebrew Congregation  
YOM KIPPUR BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE  
3830 Seminary Road  
Alexandria, VA 22304**

**BETH EL HEBREW CONGREGATION**

**HOLIDAY GREETINGS IN THE TEMPLE BULLETIN - 2010**

Extend holiday greetings to your friends in the Temple community by placing a New Year's Greeting in the September 2010 issue of **THE BULLETIN**.

Please complete the form below and return it with your holiday greeting contribution of \$36. Listings are limited to one line. Please complete your name as you wish it to appear.

**YOUR LISTINGS MUST BE RECEIVED BY AUGUST 9, 2010**

**New Year's greetings in The BULLETIN for:**

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**(Please print or type)**

Remittance of \$36 is enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make check payable to Beth El Hebrew Congregation.**

**Send this form together with your check to:**

**Beth El Hebrew Congregation  
The Bulletin Holiday Greeting  
3830 Seminary Road  
Alexandria, VA 22 304**

BETH EL HEBREW CONGREGATION

2010 USHER SIGN-UP FORM



*Uncle Lennie Wants You!*

Name/s: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Information

Telephone Number: Day \_\_\_\_\_ Evening \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

**I/WE WOULD LIKE TO USHER AT THE FOLLOWING SERVICES:**

**Erev Rosh Hashanah – Wednesday, September 8, 2010**

\_\_\_\_\_ 8:00 PM - Eve of Rosh Hashanah Service

**Rosh Hashanah - Thursday, September 9, 2010**

\_\_\_\_\_ 10:00 AM - Rosh Hashanah Morning Service

\_\_\_\_\_ 1:00 PM - Family Service

\_\_\_\_\_ 2:00 PM - Jr. Congregation Service

**Kol Nidre - Friday, September 17, 2010**

\_\_\_\_\_ 8:00 PM Kol Nidre Service

**Yom Kippur - Saturday, September 18, 2010**

\_\_\_\_\_ 10:00 AM – Yom Kippur Morning Service

\_\_\_\_\_ 1:00 PM - Family Service

\_\_\_\_\_ 2:00 PM - Jr. Congregation Service

\_\_\_\_\_ 3:15 PM - Afternoon Service

\_\_\_\_\_ 4:45 PM - Yizkor and Neilah Service

Lennie Goldman – Coordinator of Ushers - will happily reply to questions/concerns  
you have about enlisting in the “Usher Corps.”

Please call Lennie at 703-978-3953

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO LENNIE – BY AUGUST 23, 2010**

Mr. Leonard Goldman  
8317 Briar Creek Drive  
Annandale, VA 22003



**BABYSITTING – 2010**  
**FOR AGES 8 AND UNDER**

➡ For planning purposes and for your child’s safety, it is **absolutely imperative** that you please complete this form if you plan to place your child(ren) in babysitting.

It will be our pleasure to babysit for your child(ren) during services – at no cost to you.

Please return the completed form by no later than **August 23, 2010**.

Babysitting is provided by Beth El Hebrew Congregation at no cost; however *contributions will be sincerely appreciated*. Sitters will arrive 30 minutes prior to each service.

➡ **PLEASE NOTE:** PARENTS REQUESTING BABYSITTING ARE REQUESTED TO SPEND ABOUT 30 MINUTES TO HELP WITH THE BABYSITTING.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Evening phone number \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s), age(s), and dates of birth of child(ren):

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**Baby Sitting Schedule**

_____ Erev Rosh Hashanah	Wednesday, September 8, 2010	8:00 P.M.
_____ Rosh Hashanah	Thursday, September 9, 2010	10:00 A.M.
_____ Kol Nidre	Friday, September 17, 2010	8:00 P.M.
_____ Yom Kippur	Saturday, September 18, 2010	10:00 A.M.

Please check here if your child(ren) have permission to play on the playground. Yes  No

Please dress your child(ren) accordingly.



## **SCHEDULE OF HIGH HOLIDAY SERVICES AND OBSERVANCES**

**SELICHOT** - Our traditional Selichot program and service takes place Saturday, September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2010.

The program begins 8:00 PM, dessert at 9:00 PM. Selichot service begins at 10:00 PM. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Please watch The Bulletin for further details.



### **Erev Rosh Hashanah, Wednesday, September 8, 2010**

8:00 p.m. - Eve of Rosh Hashanah Service

### **Rosh Hashanah, Thursday, September 9, 2010**

10:00 a.m. - Rosh Hashanah Morning Service

1:00 p.m. - Family Service (for infants through 3rd grade)

2:00 p.m. - Junior Congregation Service (4<sup>th</sup> through 7<sup>th</sup> grades)

### **Picnic/Tashlich Service, Sunday, September 12, 2010**

10:30 a.m. - Picnic at Burke Lake Park

11:00 a.m. - Tashlich Service

### **Kol Nidre, Friday, September 17, 2010**

8:00 p.m. - Kol Nidre Service

### **Yom Kippur, Saturday, September 18, 2010**

10:00 a.m. - Yom Kippur Morning Service

1:00 p.m. - Family Service (for infants through 3rd grade)

1:15 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. - Study/Discussion/Music Program

2:00 p.m. - Junior Congregation Service (4<sup>th</sup> through 7<sup>th</sup> grade)

3:15 p.m. - Afternoon Service

4:45 p.m. - Yizkor and Neilah Service