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**High Holy Days  
2018/5779**

Dear Congregant,

Shalom! As the summer months dwindle, we can sense the whirlwind of High Holiday activities just ahead. Our tradition teaches us that Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur provide meaningful opportunities for reflection and growth. We celebrate the birth of the world and how far we have come in the past year, all while looking out to a year ahead full of potential.

It is such a pleasure to watch our community gather, as friends and family embrace one another and shout, Shana Tovah! or Happy New Year! We welcome our entire community to our spiritual home this season. And we want to make sure that everyone who walks through our doors feels welcome.

Please carefully read through and fill out the following pages. Your information will help us prepare for the High Holy Days and deliver the best experience possible.

**In order to receive your High Holy Day Tickets, we ask the following:**

1. 25% of your 2018-19 PJTC dues commitment must be paid, and any remaining balance from the previous years must be settled (Gift Members excluded) by August 15.
2. All payments and/or special arrangements must be made in advance to receive tickets.
3. Complete and return all applicable request forms. (Forms are also available on our website.)
4. Select one of the payment options listed on Page 4.

PJTC offers the following seating options:

**General Seating** - Unreserved seats in the Social Hall

**Reserved Seating** - Sanctuary seats are available only for full dues paying members for an additional fee on a first-come, first-served basis. On the 2nd day of Rosh Hashanah, congregants will only be seated in the Sanctuary and no ticket is required.

**Life Seats** - Individually assigned seating in the reserved seat section. Contact the office for more information.

**Handicapped Parking** - The PJTC lot will be available for State issued Disabled Person Placard or Plates.

Please return all completed forms and payments to the office no later than Monday, August 13, 2018. If you have any questions, please call the office at 626.798.1161 or email us at [office@pjtc.net](mailto:office@pjtc.net).

L'Shanah Tovah,

*Rabbi Noam Raucher*

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*Jeff Landau*

Jeff Landau  
President



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## High Holy Days Schedule

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#### Selichot Program - Saturday, September 1

Dinner	6:00 PM
Parent Class: "Civil Discourse inside a Family"	6:45 PM
Youth Class: "High Holy Day Prep for Kids Ages 8-13"	6:45 PM
Service and Program	7:15 PM
Havdalah	7:45 PM
Adult Class: "Preparing your Souls for the High Holy Days"	8:15 PM

#### Rosh Hashanah

Erev Rosh Hashanah - Sunday, September 9 - 7:30 PM

First Day of Rosh Hashanah - Monday, September 10 - 9:00 AM

Rosh Hashanah Family Service and Community Tashlich Ritual (casting off our mistakes and sins)  
at L.A. County Arboretum -5:00 PM

Second Day Rosh Hashanah (no ticket required) - Tuesday, September 11 - 9:00 AM

#### Kol Nidre

Erev Yom Kippur- Tuesday, September 18 - 8:00 PM

#### Yom Kippur - Wednesday, September 19

Shacharit (Morning) and Yizkor	9:00 AM
Study Session	4:00 PM
Minchah (Afternoon)	5:00 PM
Ne'ilah (Closing)	6:00 PM
Havdalah (Separation)	7:30 PM
Break-the-Fast with Sisterhood following services	

#### High Holy Day Youth Programming 2018/5779

Erev Rosh Hashanah	7:30 PM - end of services
Rosh Hashanah	9:00 AM - end of services
Kol Nidre	7:30 PM - end of services
Yom Kippur	9:00 AM - end of services

(Check-in begins 10 minutes before the start of services.)



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# High Holy Days Tickets/ Totals

## Tickets for Temple Members

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

	NUMBER OF TICKETS		Price
Life Seat Holder	# of tickets _____		\$ \$0.00
Reserved Sanctuary Seats - Member - \$150	# of tickets _____		\$ _____
Reserved Sanctuary Seats - Guests - \$325	# of tickets _____		\$ _____
General Seating - Member - \$0.00 (Ages 13 +)	# of tickets _____		\$ \$0.00
General Seating - Guests - \$150	# of tickets _____		\$ _____
General Seating - Non Member - \$350	# of tickets _____		\$ _____
	<b>Total # of tickets</b> _____		<b>Total \$</b> _____

Children under 13 do not need a ticket for general seating.

## General Seating for Non-Member Tickets

This section is to be filled out ONLY if you are not a member of the temple and would like to purchase High Holy Day tickets. Fill in your information in the spaces below.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

<p><b>1.</b> _____ Name</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Address</p> <p>_____</p> <p>City                      State                      Zip</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Phone                      Email</p>	<p><b>2.</b> _____ Name</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Address</p> <p>_____</p> <p>City                      State                      Zip</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Phone                      Email</p>
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Ticket Total (see above)	# _____	\$ _____
Yom Kippur Appeal (see p.5)	Indicate donated amount: \$ _____	
Book of Remembrance Name - \$18/each (see p.7)	# _____	\$ _____
Etrog & Lulav Set (see p.8)	# _____	\$ _____
Youth Services Donation (see p.9)	Indicate donated amount: \$ _____	
<b>TOTAL (see p.4 for payment options)</b>	<b>Total Amount \$</b> _____	



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# High Holy Days Payment Options

## Payment Options

We are pleased to offer you four options of payments:

- 1) ACH (Automated Clearing House) direct transfer from your bank account free of charge
- 2) Check
- 3) Credit Card

*Because credit cards incur a substantial fee for the synagogue, we encourage you to pay by ACH (basically an automated check that authorizes a direct payment from your bank account to PJTC) or check.*

- 4) Transfer of securities.

Payment by ACH (Automated Clearing House) PJTC's Preferred method of Payment

Bank Account Number \_\_\_\_\_ Bank Routing Number \_\_\_\_\_

You can also attach a voided check to set up ACH.

Check Payable to PJTC with "HH Tickets" in Memo Line

Credit Card Authorization (fill in the spaces below)

Securities

## Credit Card Payment

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

AM EXP

VISA

MASTERCARD

NAME ON CARD \_\_\_\_\_

CARD # \_\_\_\_\_

EXPIRATION DATE \_\_\_\_\_ VERIFICATION # \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT (from bottom of page 3) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please consider adding 3% to cover credit card processing \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL AMOUNT \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

Please Note: ALL information is needed to process your payment.



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## High Holy Days Yom Kippur Appeal

### Yom Kippur Appeal

Dear Congregant,

We are so glad you are part of the PJTC family. Thank you for choosing to be a member of our congregation and for your dedication to our synagogue and to Jewish life. You sustain us!

We could not exist without the dues you contribute. However, these funds represent only 33% of our annual revenue. **To keep our doors open**, we must make up the balance through school tuition (8%), rentals/other (13%) and -- most importantly -- voluntary contributions (46%). We need your additional help.

As you know, we strive to welcome all who walk through our doors seeking a Jewish home to pray, to learn, to connect and to celebrate with us. So, along with paying the salaries of our beloved clergy and staff, **contributions above dues enable us to:**

- provide Membership Dues Relief for people who want to be a part of our family, but have financial challenges. **With your support, we won't let anyone feel unwelcome!**
- provide Religious Schools scholarships for needy families. **With your support, we won't let any student be denied!**
- provide scholarships for Jewish Camps, as well as USY & Kadima Programs. **With your support, we won't let any children be left out!**

Please contribute to our Yom Kippur Appeal. Only through this additional giving can we continue to keep our dues as low as we possibly can and still function as a vital synagogue community, welcoming to all. If you are able, consider joining our **Guardians program** (those who pledge \$750 or more over and above their dues – a fun and lively group!). See details about the Guardians on our website: [www.pjtc.net/giving](http://www.pjtc.net/giving).

Thank you very much for your kind consideration. We do hope we can count on your support. Please complete the reverse side of this sheet, or make your gift online at [www.pjtc.net/giving](http://www.pjtc.net/giving). (In order to designate your gift to the Yom Kippur Appeal, click on the General Fund line in the drop-down menu.) Every gift, no matter the amount, is needed, appreciated and will be put to the very best use.

With warmest regards,

Jeffrey Landau  
President of the Board  
[jl4624@pacbell.net](mailto:jl4624@pacbell.net)



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High Holy Days Yom Kippur Appeal

Yes, I want to help PJTC continue to serve "all who walk through our doors."

Please accept my Yom Kippur Appeal gift of:

[ ] \$100 [ ] \$500 [ ] \$750 [ ] \$1,000 [ ] Other \$\_\_\_\_\_

[ ] I/We wish to pay this gift as follows (fill in shaded section below)

OR [ ] I/We wish to include my/our Yom Kippur Appeal donation commitment on pages 3 & 4. (skip shaded section below)

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone (day): \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Check enclosed (made out to Pasadena Jewish Temple & Center or PJTC). Mail to PJTC at: 1434 N. Altadena Drive, Pasadena CA 91107

Please charge my credit card: [ ] VISA [ ] MasterCard [ ] American Express

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV #: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] I/We could like to make this a tribute gift (for outright gift):

In memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

In honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

Please notify (name and address - we do not indicate the amount):

\_\_\_\_\_

Indicate that the gift came from:

\_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Please contact me about joining the Guardians.

[ ] Please contact me about including PJTC in my estate plans.

For more information, please e-mail gail@pjtc.net or call

626-798-1161 x121. Thank you very much for your generosity and caring.



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## High Holy Days Plaques/Book of Remembrance

### High Holy Days Memorial Plaques

On Yom Kippur, it is customary to honor the memory of departed family members. We have permanent bronze memorial plaque boards in Galpert Sanctuary. If you are interested in purchasing a memorial plaque, contact [theresa@pjtc.net](mailto:theresa@pjtc.net).

Cost: \$420 each plaque

**(Note: Memorial Plaques will be delivered to PJTC and affixed after the High Holy Days.)**

### High Holy Days Book of Remembrance

It is the custom of our congregation to publish a Book of Remembrance in which we list the names of those in our circle of family and friends who have died within the year and in the past. We include the names listed on the memorial plaques in the sanctuary. You may wish to include other loved ones as well. Please fill out the names of those being remembered on the form below. We invite your participation in this cherished tradition.

Cost: \$18.00 each name

**Please type or print clearly.**

Name of Deceased: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Of \_\_\_\_\_

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Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Of \_\_\_\_\_

**All listings must be received at the Temple office by:**

**Monday, August 13.**

We cannot guarantee inclusion of listings received after this date.



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# High Holy Days Lulav Set/Parking

## Lulav and Etrog Set

Shaking the Lulav and Etrog (palm frond and yellow citron fruit) is a lovely traditional ritual of the Sukkot holiday. We are pleased to make these sets available by order. Please indicate the number and types of sets.

Prices include shipping and handling. Orders must be sent in by Monday, August 13.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Regular Set \_\_\_\_\_ x \$45.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Deluxe \_\_\_\_\_ x \$50.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL : \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE : \_\_\_\_\_

You will be notified when your order is available for pick-up at PJTC.

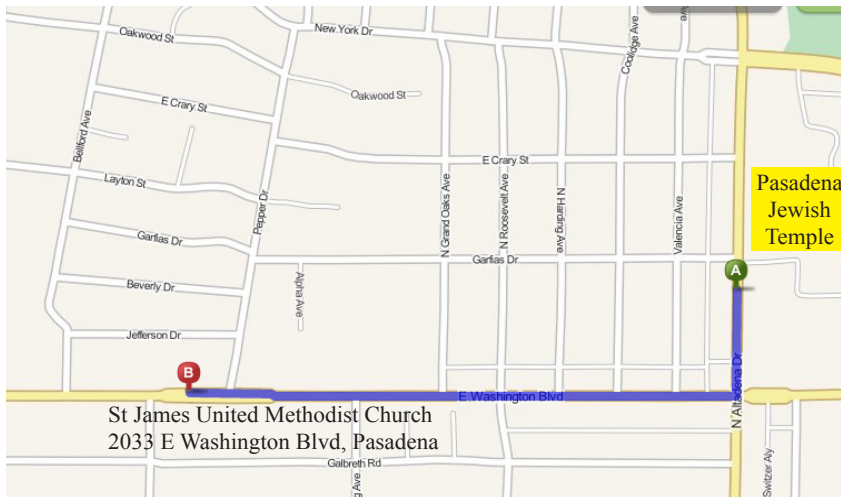
## Parking Reservation for Handicapped Congregants & Shomrei Zahav

Parking on the PJTC campus during the High Holy Days is limited to members who are handicapped or are Shomrei Zahav (Golden Guardian donors). These parking spaces are available by reservation only, and will be provided on a first-come, first-served basis, one per family.

If all PJTC campus parking spaces are full, members are welcome to **drive in and drop off** those needing easy access to the synagogue and/or utilize the offsite parking and shuttle service described below.

Please check one of the following to reserve your parking space:

- Parking Space for handicapped congregants  
**Requires valid, CA approved Disabled Person Placard or Plate.**
- Shomrei Zahav Donors



## Offsite Parking

Please note that additional parking is available at St. James Church, 2033 E. Washington Blvd. Parking attendants will be on hand to direct you. Parking is **not** permitted on the private road on the north and east side of the synagogue. A shuttle will be running between St. James parking facility and the temple. *No shuttle service 2nd day Rosh Hashanah.*





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# High Holy Days Youth Programming

## High Holy Days Youth Programming

In our effort to make the High Holy Days a full family experience, we have created a varied, multi-experiential program for children 2 years to 18 years.

Your children will have the opportunity to experience parts of the community worship service as well as interactive, meaningful and creative activities designed for each grade level and led by our talented Religious School teachers.

### **Rosh Hashanah (1st Day Only) Schedule**

Erev Rosh Hashanah 7:30 PM to end of services  
Morning Service 9:00 AM to end of services

### **Yom Kippur Schedule**

Kol Nidre 7:30 PM to end of services  
Morning Service 9:00 AM to end of services

### **Child Care (2-5 years old, potty trained)**

- High Holy Days traditions and customs taught through art, story, music, and movement.

### **Kindershule (K-2nd graders)**

- Kindershule includes a tefillah (prayer) experience, as well as an exploration of the High Holy Days through art, story, music and movement.

### **Jr Congregation (3rd - 7th graders)**

- Jr Congregation will include a tefillah (prayer) experience and electives. Electives will involve the themes of the day through different modes. After tefillah (prayer), students engage with the holiday through different activities planned by our LBSRS faculty.

### **Teens (8th - 12th graders)**

- Post-Bnai Mitzvah students will ask questions, give mini-sermons, and laugh as they enjoy their own space during the Torah service on Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur mornings. The afternoon Yom Kippur Study Session is open to all teens.

**Online Pre-registration is required for all youth programs.**

(Programs may be cancelled if not enough children are pre-registered, minimum of 5.)

To pre-register and for more information please visit

**<http://www.pjtc.net/school/high-holiday-youth-programs/>**

**There is no fee to participate in the program, although donations are encouraged to offset the costs.**

**Donations can be made to PJTC and included on the total page.**

**Families who do not register or are absent without cancellation will be charged a \$50 fee.**