



Welcome to
Temple Beth El of Augusta, Maine

embracing a spirit of community, lifelong Jewish learning, commitment to inclusiveness, and active participation in Jewish life in Central Maine

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TEMPLE BETH EL

HIGH HOLIDAYS 5779



ROSH HASHANAH

Sunday, September 9 7:00pm Erev
Rosh Hashanah Services

Monday, September 10

8:15am Children's Service (birth to grade 2)

9:30am Morning Services followed by
Lipman Kiddush Lunch

9:30am Service for grades 3-7 (at
the Shuman Center)

2:00pm Taslich at the Hallowell
waterfront park

Tuesday, September 11 9:30am

Morning Services followed by
Kiddush lunch



SHABBAT SHUVAH

**Saturday,
September 15**

10:30am Torah
Study followed by
Kiddush lunch



YOM KIPPUR

Tuesday, September 18 7:00 pm Kol Nidre

Wednesday, September 19

8:15am Children's Service (birth to grade 2)

9:30am Morning Services with Yizkor 9:30am
Service for grades 3-7 (at the Shuman
Center)

1:00pm Text study and discussion led by
member Bob Adler

2:45pm Meditation Service

4:00pm Afternoon Services with discussion

5:30pm Musaf (Additional) Service

6:30pm Neilah Services

7:15pm Havdallah

7:30pm Break Fast



SUKKOT



ATZERET/SIMCHAT TORAH

Sunday, September 23 9:30am Sukkah building and
decorating with the Hebrew School students

Wednesday, September 26 5:30pm Soup & Study in
the Sukkah

Friday, September 28 5:00pm Sukkot celebration with
cider pressing, crafts and stories 6:00pm Shabbat
services followed by potluck dinner in the sukkah

Saturday, September 29 10:30am Torah study
followed by potluck lunch in the Sukkah

Sunday, September 30 5:15pm Pizza dinner

6:00pm Atzeret/Simchat Torah services

Monday, October 1 8:30am Atzeret/Simchat Torah
services with Yizkor

Join Us for the High Holidays

As the dog days of summer wind down (hopefully), our thoughts turn to the upcoming High Holidays, which fall early this year on the Roman calendar. On behalf of the Board of Directors, I'd like to extend an invitation to all members, the Central Maine community, and visitors to the area to attend all, or any, of our High Holiday services starting with our Erev Rosh Hashanah service on September 9th. As a preview to the new seating configuration that will be part of the Temple's building renovation project, we will have our seats arranged in an amphitheater style facing east for the Erev Rosh Hashanah service. As always, the Temple will not require tickets or membership to attend any of our High Holiday Services. Of course, donations or new memberships are always welcome.

I look forward to seeing you at the Temple,

Chuck Cohen, TBE President

High Holiday Parking

Please park in the TBE lots or on the TBE property if possible. Please leave the spots closest to the door for our congregants who have challenges with mobility. If you need to park on Seall Street, please park only on the side closest to the synagogue

Food Contributions

For the Lipman Kiddush Lunch on Monday, September 10, Rosh Hashanah, contributions of fruit or dessert would be welcome. For the Break Fast on Wednesday, September 19, Yom Kippur, contributions of fruit, salads, kugels, or desserts would be welcome. Please bring something to share for these community meals.



Selichot Service @ TBE Wednesday, Sept. 5th 6-7:30 pm

Please join us for a Selichot Service to prepare for the Days of Awe. We'll start with a brief service and then hear from Pastor Chrissy Cataldo of Winthrop Congregational Church and Rabbi Asch, who will explore the concepts of sin and forgiveness from both Christian and Jewish perspectives. There will then be time for Q & A and discussion. After that, we'll take 10 minutes or so for people to write their own confessions that we will use in our Yom Kippur service, accompanied by harpist Deborah Sandler. *Please bring a snack to share at a brief social time after.*

