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5785 High Holidays / Yizkor Memorial Book

Dear Friends,

The High Holidays are fast approaching. We are in the process of putting together our congregation's annual Yizkor Memorial Book for the new year, 5785. Please review your family's Memorial Yizkor listing from last year (enclosed) and note any changes or updates if you would like to participate again this year.

The suggested donation is **\$7 per name memorialized**. Those who wish to give an additional **Thanksgiving Offering** will also be listed on a separate page of the memorial book. Memorial book donations can be made out to "Agudas Israel Congregation" & mailed to the shul, or done online via Zelle Transfer or PayPal. If you need assistance, please contact Christina in the office.



The famous *piyyut* (religious poem) *Unetannah tokef* says between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur there is an opportunity "to avert the severe decree" through three actions: repentance, prayer, and charity.

We hope you will join us either **in-person or virtually on Zoom**, for this year's High Holiday services led by our wonderful and talented Cantor, Hazzan Dr. Ramón Tasat, his lovely wife Roanne Pitluk and our very own Richard Kline. The complete High Holiday Services schedule is enclosed.

Please RSVP w/ the office if you plan to attend AIC's 5785 High Holiday services.

A YAHRZEIT MEDITATION

Eternal God, as we honor the memory of our dearly departed loved ones, we recall the trials and joys, happy moments and times of sorrow that we experienced together. These memories form a bond between us that time cannot erase. Grant that the memories evoked by Yahrzeit observance brings us solace in moments of loneliness, and that those memories inspire us to become more closely united with those who remain and face the years to come with courage. As we honor the bond between the living and those who no longer walk the earth, we pray that all their souls may be bound up in the bond of eternal life.

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5785/2024 High Holiday Schedule

ROSH HASHANAH 5785

Wed. Oct. 2, 2024 - Erev Rosh Hashanah

6:15 PM Evening Service w/ Cantor Ramón Tasat

6:32 PM  Hazleton

Thurs. Oct. 3, 2024 - RH Day I

9:30 AM Morning Service w/ Cantor Ramón Tasat

6:15 PM Evening service w/ Cantor Ramón Tasat

7:22 PM  Hazleton

Fri. Oct. 4, 2024 - RH Day II

9:30 AM Morning Service w/ Cantor Ramón Tasat

6:28 PM Shabbat  Hazleton

YOM KIPPUR

Fri. Oct. 11, 2024 - Erev Yom Kippur

6:00 PM Kol Nidre Service w/ Cantor Ramón Tasat

6:17 PM  Hazleton

Sat. Oct. 12, 2024 - Yom Kippur Day

***9:30 AM** Shabbat Service w/ Cantor Ramón Tasat**Yizkor Service*

5:00 PM Evening Service w/ Cantor Ramón Tasat

5:00 PM - Minha, 6:30 PM - Neilah, 7:15 PM - Shofar

7:08 PM  *Havdalah*

SUKKOT

Wed Oct. 16 Erev Sukkot - Wed Oct. 23, 2024 Sukkot VII

AIC Sukkot Service schedule TBA

6:51 PM  **Shemini Atzeret**  - **Thurs. Oct. 24, 2024**

5:50 PM  **Simchat Torah**  - **Fri. Oct. 25, 2024**

6:48 PM  *Havdalah* **Sat. Oct. 26, 2024**