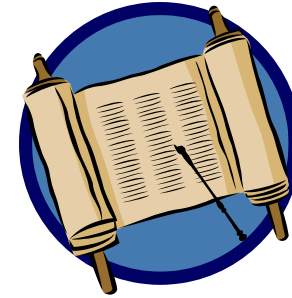


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Celebrate 5770 (2009-2010) with
Simchas and Seudahs
Festivals and Feasts

It is taught that no *simchah*, holiday or joyous celebration can be complete without a *seudah*, a celebratory meal. We at Temple Jeremiah take both *simchah* and *seudah* very seriously—they help us build our extended Jeremiah family.

Look inside for the festival calendar and opportunities to celebrate together!

ימים נוראים Days of Awe

Selichot

Saturday, September 12, 2009

The Saturday evening preceding Rosh Hashanah begins the Days of Awe with self-reflection, learning and worship.

6:30 p.m. dinner

7:15 p.m. study on the meaning of the Kol Nidrei prayer with our Cantor and Rabbis

8:30 p.m. worship



Rosh Hashanah

Literally, "the head of the year," Rosh Hashanah celebrates the Beginning of the world as we celebrate the possibility of our own new beginnings through community, prayer and *teshuvah*.

Friday, September 18, 2009, 6:30 or 8:30 p.m. services

**Saturday, September 19, 2009, 9:00 or 11:00 a.m. services,
2:00 p.m. Children's Worship**

Yom Kippur

The Day of Atonement moves us from Kol Nidrei through personal and communal confessions of our transgressions, to study and meditation and finally to the beautiful Neilah service when the metaphorical gates of repentance close. During the afternoon services our congregants share their personal stories, their musical talents and our commitment to the extended Jeremiah family.

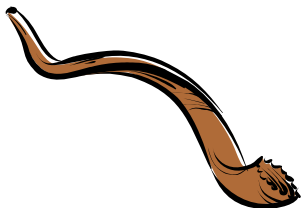
Sunday, September 27, 2009, 6:30 or 8:30 p.m. Kol Nidrei

**Monday, September 28, 2009, 9:00 or
11:00 a.m. services,**

2:00 p.m. Children's Worship

2:00 p.m. High Holy Day Study

**3:30 p.m. Afternoon, Yizkor and Neilah
Services**



פסח Passover

Matzah, Mishpacha and Menschlikeit—also known as the Jeremiah Extended Family Seder Matching Program

Monday, March 29, 2010, First Seder



Traditionally celebrated in the home, the Seder is a perfect time to open our doors as well as accept invitations to enlarge our family by sharing the mitzvah of retelling the Exodus from Egypt. If you are interested in expanding your Seder celebration as either host or guest, please contact Rabbi Greenberg to learn more.

Matza Brie and Miracles

Tuesday, March 30, 2010, 10:00 a.m.

We rejoice in our freedom from slavery, the miracles of our redemption and the *matza brie* (fried matza) lovingly prepared by our Jeremiah clergy.

Passover Service

Monday, April 5, 2010, 8:00 a.m.

We continue our celebration of Passover with the festival service and Yizkor.

שבועות Shavuot

Shavuot Service, Tikkun and Cheesecake

Tuesday, May 18, 2010, 6:30 p.m.

We welcome Shavuot and the gift of Torah with the traditional dairy meal, study of the holiday's themes and a festival service .



Shavuot with a Shmear: Breakfast and Service

Wednesday, May 19, 2010, 8:00 a.m.

Continue the celebration of Shavuot together with a festival service, Yizkor and a light breakfast of bagels with a shmear of cream cheese

Confirmation & Dedication of the Torah of Our Own

Sunday, May 23, 2010, 10:00 a.m.

Thanksgiving

Wednesday, November 25, 2009 8:00 p.m.

Winnetka Interfaith Council Thanksgiving Observance

In celebration of our 50th birthday as a congregation and the strong relationships with our interfaith neighbors, we will host area faith communities in our shared observance of our national day of Thanksgiving.

חנוכה

Chanukah

Friday, December 18, 2009

6:30 p.m. Congregational Chanukah Dinner

7:30 p.m. H(OUR) Shabbat and Chanukah Celebration

At Chanukah we dedicate (the root word of the holiday!) ourselves to bringing the joy of the festival of lights to our darkened world. As we have welcomed the tradition of gift-giving into our homes, so too, do we bring gifts of social justice, caring and support to our extended community.



פורים

Purim

“It’s a Whirlyball Purim,
Charlie Brown”

Saturday, February 27 2010, Time TBD

“Celebrate so as to not know the difference between Haman and Mordechai!” Join the adult Jeremiah community to celebrate the failure of Haman’s evil plan through satire and silliness; fun and friends.



Sunday, February 28, 2010

9:30 a.m. 7th Annual Shushan Shuffle

11:00 a.m. Purim Shpiel

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Purim Carnival

סכות\שמחת תורה

Sukkot/Simchat Torah

Pizza in the Hut & Shabbat!

Friday, October 2, 2009

Welcome Sukkot with your choice of Jeremiah traditions! Sukkot begins on Shabbat this year, so our usual Tot Shabbat and Erev Shabbat services will be enhanced with joy as we celebrate the Festival of Booths.

6:30 p.m. Tot Shabbat/Sukkot—a family-friendly festival celebration filled with music and stories

6:50 p.m. Pizza in the Hut—enjoy a pizza dinner and decorating our congregational Sukkah

8:00 p.m. Shabbat/Sukkot worship



Study, Starbucks & the Sukkah

Saturday, October 3, 2009,

9:00 a.m. Study, Starbucks & the Sukkah

11:00 a.m. Shabbat and Festival Service

Enjoy breakfast in the Sukkah as we study the day’s special Torah reading. The Shabbat and Sukkot festival service follows.

Simchat Torah & Shabbat Celebration

Friday, October 9, 2009

7:00 p.m. dinner

8:00 p.m. worship

Dance the *Hora* with the Torah as we delight in the gift of Torah with a congregational dinner, dancing to the melodies of the Maxwell Street Klezmer Band and unrolling the entire Torah scroll so our 5769 B’nai Mitzvah can remind us of the fullness of its teaching.



Saturday, October 10, 2009

9:00 a.m. study & shmear

11:00 a.m. worship & Yizkor

Pirke Avot teaches, *ayn Torah, ayn kemach; ayn kemach, ayn Torah*: without Torah there is no sustenance, and without sustenance there is no Torah. Celebrate both Torah and food with breakfast and the festival service including Yizkor.

Chagim, Holidays & Observances

5770/2009-2010

Pesach is about departures ~ Shavuot is about arrivals ~ Sukkot is about the journey

Selichot Saturday, September 12, 2009

Erev Rosh Hashanah Friday, September 18, 2009

Rosh Hashanah Saturday, September 19, 2009

Kol Nidre Sunday, September 27, 2009

Yom Kippur Monday, September 28, 2009

Erev Sukkot Friday, October 2, 2009

Sukkot October 3-9, 2009

Erev Simchat Torah Friday, October 9, 2009

Simchat Torah Saturday, October 10, 2009

Thanksgiving Wednesday, November 25, 2009

1st Chanukah Candle Friday, December 11, 2009

Chanukah December 12-19, 2009

Erev Tu B'Shevat Friday, January 29, 2010

Tu B'Shevat Saturday, January 30, 2010

Erev Purim Saturday, February 27, 2010

Purim Sunday, February 28, 2010

First Seder Monday, March 29, 2010

Passover March 29—April 5, 2010

Yom HaShoah Sunday, April 11, 2010

Yom HaAtzmaut Monday, April 19, 2010

Erev Shavuot Tuesday, May 18, 2010

Shavuot Wednesday, May 19, 2010

*Confirmation & Dedication of the
Torah of our Own* Sunday, May 23, 2010

Tisha B'Av Tuesday, July 20, 2010



To learn more about any of these worship and study opportunities or to volunteer, please contact the temple office at 847/441-5760.