



Or Hadash: A Reconstructionist Congregation

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Dear Or Hadash Community,

We are in the process of preparing for the upcoming High Holiday season. As always, congregant participation is vital.

Please read the attached description of volunteer opportunities and service honors, and complete and return the form on the other side of this page, or respond to our upcoming phone-a-thon with your choices. We can coordinate your choices with times that our children are engaged in meaningful and enjoyable activities. Parents are welcome to join their children, and children are welcome to join their parents at all High Holiday events.

We look forward to beginning this New Year with you. Please take a moment to return the form so you can help guarantee that our congregational future is rich in participating members.

L'Shana Tovah!

Pat Steinberg
High Holiday Coordinator

OR HADASH HIGH HOLIDAY PARTICIPATION & VOLUNTEERS 2017/5778

Please circle the days you want to participate and choose as many volunteer opportunities as you wish. You will be contacted about the specifics. Feel free to contact Pat Steinberg at psteinbe@verizon.net, or Marilyn Kass-Jarvis at Marterp@verizon.net with any questions. Please mail or email the completed form to Marilyn at the following address:

PLEASE MAIL THIS FORM TO:

Marilyn Kass-Jarvis
513 Glen Echo
Philadelphia, PA 19119

or **EMAIL TO:**
marterp@verizon.net

Erev Rosh Hashanah, Sept. 9
Rosh Hashanah, Day 1, Sept. 10
Rosh Hashanah, Day 2, Sept. 11
Erev Yom Kippur (Kol Nidre), Sept. 18
Yom Kippur Morning, Sept. 19
Yom Kippur Afternoon, Sept. 19

- GREETING** greet congregants and guests, check attendance, hand out information.
- USHERING** hand out/return prayer books, offer information, monitor traffic flow, maintain quiet, etc.

SUPPLEMENTARY ENGLISH READINGS

Readings are available for one or two people (i.e., alternating verses or paragraphs):

Please check:

- English Reading for one person
- English reading for two people (alternating verses)

TORAH AND SERVICE HONORS

- Candle Lighting (individual, couple or family)
- Lifting or dressing the Torah (circle one)
- Carrying the Torah through the congregation
- Opening the Ark (children welcome)
- Holding the Torah (Kol Nidre)
- Blowing the Shofar (even if you do not have prior experience, everyone is welcome to bring a shofar to the end of Yom Kippur service)
- Closing the Ark (children welcome)

PARKING/ SCHLEPPING Volunteers

- Help with directing parking.

Name: _____

- Help with schlepping.

Phone or email: _____