

## For Our Youth & Young Families



### Two Young Family Services in the tent!

First Day of Rosh Hashanah, 4:00-4:45 pm

Yom Kippur 2:30-3:15 pm

These services are designed for families with young children. Come celebrate the new year with song, stories, prayer, shofar blowing and you!

Led by Rabbi Brusso, Cantor Herman and Rabbi Sacks.

**Free and open to the community. No tickets required. Bring your family & friends.**

Following the Rosh Hashanah service, all are invited to join us at Shoppers Park in Mount Kisco, for Tashlich - the ritual tossing of breadcrumbs into the water to represent the casting away of our sins.

Tashlich begins at 5:15 followed by Mincha/Maariv at 5:30

### Children's Program

**for K-7th Grade: 10:45 am-12:45 pm**

The Children's Program for High Holy Days, designed for kindergarten to seventh grade, will balance holiday celebration with learning, community building, and fun! This program will include interactive and age-appropriate activities for each grade such as songs, stories, creative projects, text and poetry discussion, drama and Tefillot (Services) taught by our talented staff, many of whom are our beloved *Kulanu Learning Program* teachers.

Snacks will be served on both days of Rosh Hashanah to all students (K-7th grade) and on Yom Kippur to younger students (K-3rd grade.) Please do not bring outside food.

On Yom Kippur, older students (4th-7th grade) who wish may bring a nut-free snack.

All children in the *Kulanu Learning Program* are automatically enrolled in the Children's Program. Other children (visiting or non-enrolled) **MUST** contact Joanne at [JWagner@bettorah.org](mailto:JWagner@bettorah.org).

Check-In locations and schedule will be posted throughout the building for parents to view the scope of the program and location of groups.

For more information, please contact Gina Fass, Director, *Kulanu Learning Program*

[gfass@bettorah.org](mailto:gfass@bettorah.org).

L'Shanah Tova

### Babysitting

**9:30 am-1:00 pm**

As always during the High Holy Days, we will offer on-site babysitting for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Childcare hours are from 9:30 am through 1:00 pm.

Childcare will be available to preschool age children (ages two, three, and four). School-aged children are expected to participate in the children's program or sit quietly with their families. Because space is limited, childcare is available on a first-come, first-served basis. Children who are not pre-registered will not be admitted into the babysitting rooms. All children must be registered in advance using the registration form *below*.

Since writing is prohibited in synagogue during holidays, we will provide your child with a preprinted nametag. If you must send your child with a sippy cup, please label it clearly with your child's first and last name. Water, juice, and a peanut-free snack will be provided.

The fee for babysitting is \$18.00 per child per day. Please return the registration form below and your payment to the main office by August 31<sup>st</sup>. Your confirmation will be emailed to you upon receipt. If there is no space available for your child, you will be notified by email.

L'Shanah Tova

Mindy Citera, Director, Bet Torah Nursery School

### Attention Teens

We need you to help with the High Holy Days programming for our children. For more information and to sign up online, visit [www.bettorah.org/Teen-Volunteers](http://www.bettorah.org/Teen-Volunteers).

Pre-registration is required. Walk-in teen volunteers not accepted.

Please sign up by Friday, September 20<sup>th</sup>.

### High Holy Days Babysitting Registration Form

Child's Name(s)	_____
Child's Age(s)	_____
Parent Name(s)	_____
Phone	_____ Cell _____
Parent email	_____
Allergies	_____
Babysitting Requested for	<input type="checkbox"/> Rosh Hashanah Day 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Rosh Hashanah Day 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Yom Kippur