

July 2023

Dear Fellow Congregant:

Looking forward to the High Holidays, we thought you would like an explanation of Temple Israel's High Holiday ticket process.

With membership, families receive two adult tickets and tickets for all children under age 21. Additional tickets for children over the age of 21 may be purchased for \$125 each. Tickets for other adult family members are available at \$165 each. Non-members may purchase tickets at \$375 each. We are asking that you please add an additional \$72 per seat to help defray the cost of synagogue security for the High Holidays.

According to our Temple's long-standing practice, we make High Holiday seats available at no charge to needy individuals, full-time college students, and active military personnel.

To be courteous and fair to everyone, we ask that you consider the following information when ordering your tickets:

1. Each person attending High Holiday services must have a ticket. Tickets are issued for specific seats (as in a theater), and you are expected to occupy the seat designated on your ticket.
2. Tickets are non-transferable.
3. Inter-married spouse members and individual members may reserve tickets for themselves, their spouses, and children.
4. Each year, all but a few seats are reserved in advance; please do not assume that an unoccupied seat is an available seat.
5. Tickets cannot be purchased for non-relatives at the member rates.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in adhering to the spirit of our ticket process. We are all working diligently to make our High Holiday services meaningful and dignified.

If you have further questions, please call the temple office, 631 727-3191.

The High Holiday Committee

2023 - High Holidays - 5784

Our High Holiday and Ritual Committees,
Rabbi Rascoe, and Cantor Zeitlen
are planning a beautiful holiday season this year.

SELICHOT

Sat., Sept 9, services/program 8:00 PM

ROSH HASHANAH

Fri., Sept. 15, 7:00 PM

Sat., Sept. 16, 9:00 AM & 6:30 PM

Sun., Sept. 17, 10:00 AM, followed by lunch.

Tashlikh followed by Minḥah at the riverfront after lunch.

YOM KIPPUR:

Sun., Sept. 24, Kol Nidre, 6:15 PM. sharp

Mon., Sept. 25, 9:00 AM with Yizkor following Torah Service

Minḥah followed by Ne'ilah & Break the Fast, time TBA

- The Zoom link for all High Holiday Services will be made available closer to the holidays.
- Holiday prayer books are available to borrow – contact the office for details.
- We request that every effort be made to stay for the entire service. If you do not feel well, please do not come to services. If you have been exposed to someone who has or who may have Covid-19, please stay at home.
- Temple Israel of Riverhead reserves the right to deny entrance to anyone.

Sukkot

Fri., Sept. 29, 7:00 PM.

Sat., Sept. 30, 9:30 AM, Sun., Oct. 1, 9:30 AM

Shemini Atzeret

Fri., Oct. 6, 7:00 PM

Sat., Oct 7, 9:30 AM, Yizkor following Torah Service

Simchat Torah

Saturday evening, Oct. 7, time TBA

Sun., Oct 8, 9:30 AM.

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Reservations due to the temple office by no later than August 31st.

High Holidays 2023

Selichot: Sat. evening, Sept. 9
Erev Rosh Hashanah: Fri. evening, Sept. 15
Rosh Hashanah 1st day: Sat. morning, Sept 16
Rosh Hashanah 2nd day: Sun. morning, Sept 17
Kol Nidre: Sun. evening, Sept. 24
Yom Kippur: Mon. morning, Sept. 25

You will receive the complete schedule along with your tickets.

For members in good standing, including pew owners, (dues must be current) we offer first choice for seat reservations. Please use the form below to reserve the number of seats you would like. *Late reservations may not be accepted.*

Complete all sections that apply on the form below. Mail form with your payment by August 31st.

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Mail to: Temple Israel of Riverhead PO Box 1531, Riverhead, NY 11901

Name _____ Phone # _____

Address _____

_____ Email address _____

I am a paid-up member of Temple Israel and wish to reserve seats for the 2023 High Holidays.

_____ Member seats, including unmarried children to age 21

_____ Member children over 21 at \$125 per person = \$ _____

_____ Member other adult family members at \$165 per person = \$ _____

• Please add \$72 per seat for Synagogue Security at \$72 per = \$ _____

Names of all _____,
ticket holders and _____,
relationship: _____,

I am not a member of Temple Israel of Riverhead and wish to reserve seats for the 2023 High Holidays. I enclose a check for the following seats:

_____ Number of non-members at \$375 per person = \$ _____

Please add \$72 per seat for Synagogue Security at \$72 per seat = \$ _____

I am a member of Temple Israel and would like to purchase pew seats. Please contact me about selecting and purchasing these seats.

To help us to plan seating for all, please check which services you will attend:

Rosh Hashanah: First day Second day Kol Nidre Yom Kippur day

Ticket Holder Names for High Holidays

Dear Members and Friends:

Please list below the English and Hebrew names (for example, Shira Bat Avram, Ari Ben Mordechai) of those family members for whom you have reserved tickets to our High Holiday services. **Please have all attendees' proof of vaccination and this list submitted to the Temple by August 31, 2023.**

English Name	Hebrew Name

Please mail this form to:

Temple Israel of Riverhead
PO Box 1531
Riverhead, NY 11901

Deadline: August 31, 2023

Placing Names on the Yizkor List—Yom Kippur

We will memorialize the names of the dear departed during the Yizkor Service, as we have done in the past.

According to tradition, Tzedakah—the giving of charity—is an integral part of the Memorial service. In that spirit, you may have the names of the departed inscribed in a beautiful Yizkor service booklet, including names on the memorial plaques.

To have names memorialized in this booklet, please send a donation of \$18 per name. Mail this form, with names printed clearly, along with your check.

All names in the booklet and on plaques will be read during the Yizkor service.

Memorialized by

In loving memory of

Example:

Congregation Temple Israel	Rabbi Chaim Gerlitz

Submitted by: _____ Total donation \$ _____

Please make your check payable to **Temple Israel of Riverhead** and mail to Temple Israel of Riverhead, PO Box 1531, Riverhead, NY 11901 by no later than August 31, 2023.

High Holiday Sponsors Needed

Yizkor Book, Flowers, and Food

Yizkor Book 5784

For the upcoming High Holidays, we are again preparing our annual memorial book containing the Yizkor Memorial Service, special readings and meditations, and the names of our members' departed loved ones. This Yizkor Book will be distributed to Temple Israel's worshipers during Yom Kippur's Yizkor Service, and then used for memorial services conducted at other times during the year. You can sponsor the printing of this book with a \$900.00 donation. The book will acknowledge your sponsorship and memorialize your loved ones. Temple Israel will be very grateful for your assistance.

High Holiday Flowers

If you wish to help beautify the Temple during the High Holidays, you may do so by donating the flowers for Rosh Hashanah (\$360.00) and/or for Yom Kippur (\$360.00).

Donor: _____

In Honor of In Memory of

Rosh Hashanah Yom Kippur

Luncheon, Sunday, Sept. 17th

On the second day of Rosh Hashanah, Sunday, Sept. 17th services start late and end early. Following services, we convene for a beautiful and delicious luncheon in the social hall. Please contact the temple office if you would like to sponsor the luncheon for \$720.00 (can be a shared sponsorship), in honor or memory of someone, or just like this.

Break-the-Fast, Monday, Sept. 25th

At the conclusion of Yom Kippur, there is a sumptuous break-the-fast in our social hall after Ne'ilah. There are several sponsorships available, at \$250.00 each. Please consider being a sponsor and joining us for this community event.

Deadline for all sponsorships: Aug. 31st

Please make checks payable to **Temple Israel of Riverhead** and send your donation to: **Temple Israel of Riverhead**, PO Box 1531, Riverhead, NY 11901. All sponsorships are greatly appreciated, and all sponsors will be recognized in the announcements at services.