




# Temple Beth Sholom

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חזק חזק ונתחזק  
Be strong, be strong, and may we be strengthened.



The High Holidays (Rosh HaShana-Evening of 9/24 to Evening of 9/26) and Yom Kippur-Evening of 10/3 to Evening of 10/4) offer many different opportunities to the Jewish people.

To some, the opportunity to show off their new fall outfits is important.

To others these special days allow old friends and relatives to meet and eat well after synagogue (Rosh HaShana, Yom Kippur Break Fast) and before (Yom Kippur Evening).

Still others travel to be with family and take the opportunity to vacation (appropriate for Lake Havasu).

The Torah commands the Jewish people to have a holy convocation on these days, so any by-products from these meetings (food or fashion) are allowed.

However, perhaps the greatest byproduct (above and beyond the required prayer, asking forgiveness and giving Tsedaka) that is afforded the Jewish communities of the world on the High Holidays is the opportunity to meet and take a Chesbone (assessment), both as individuals and as a people, of the year that has passed and seek the comfort to know that there are others who are like-minded and feel as they do .

The (soon to be) passed year of 5774 has proven to be one of the most difficult as Israel's need to defend itself from constant over-border threats and attacks has impacted the entire Jewish world in a backlash of anti-Israel and antisemitic demonstrations, violence and accusations (encouraged by biased and inaccurate media reporting).

So this year the opportunity to strengthen our pride and resolve as a people in the face of adversity is perhaps one of the best of all the various opportunities that present themselves on Rosh HaShana and Yom Kippur to the Jewish people.

Please join us as TBS celebrates the High Holidays.


L'Shana Tova! Happy (5775) New Year!

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Newsletter editor and webmaster

Stan Coffield

## President's Corner

My fellow congregants,

Next week we begin observance of the High Holidays. The Jewish New Year also marks the beginning of a new year for our Temple. The church that has for many years provided an income stream to the Temple has found a new more convenient location and will no longer be renting space from us. The financial implications for our small group are profound. If anyone is aware of a group that would like to rent space please get that information to one of the board members. Judy will be taking orders for gift cards (see article below) for Food City/Bashas and Smiths. Please help support the temple by making use of these cards. If anyone is aware of other fundraising methods that we might be able to employ, I would ask that you get that information to a board member as well. Lastly, please sign up for the "smile" program at [www.smile.amazon.com](http://www.smile.amazon.com) and list our temple so that we can benefit from that program as well. I hope that each of you has a wonderful new year,

L'Shana Tova!

Stan Coffield

Dear Friends and family of Congregation Beth Sholom,

I just wanted to remind everyone of the opportunity to benefit the Temple by purchasing the gift cards for Basha/Food City and Smiths. The holidays will soon be upon us and we can purchase these gift cards to use as thank you notes to those we want to acknowledge. I know I am going to buy many of them for that purpose! We do want to PREORDER the cards so that we don't tie up our funds. With that in mind, please notify me of your wish to buy these gift cards, which store, how much you want to spend and in what denominations you would like. Make checks out to Temple Beth Sholom, let me know what and how many, and mail to Judy Selberg at 3698 Winifred Way, Lake Havasu City, AZ 86404. Include your phone number so I can contact you when they come in and we can arrange to meet and give you the cards. Thank you and Shanah Tovah  
Judy

## September Yartzheits

Joel Galst	Remembered by	Lester Galst	on September	6
Alayne Stern	Remembered by	Paul & Judy Selberg	on September	15
Allegra Fieldman	Remembered by	Laurie Feest	on September	15
Herbert Bond	Remembered by	Linda Dux	on September	18
John Raymond Fetz	Remembered by	John Fetz	on September	19
Stuart Simon	Remembered by	Joy Simon	on September	22
Eugene A. Stauss	Remembered by	Jill Fetz	on September	23

## In Memory of Elizabeth "Betty" Lupu Mondschein

*Betty passed away in her sleep early Thursday, October 10th, 2013. She was 95. Betty was born in Manhattan and raised in Astoria, NY. She graduated from Julia Richman High School and began her working career shortly after graduation. She worked in Manhattan for Harmon, Lichtenstein and Company, and on Long Island for Security National Bank. She, her husband David, and daughter Elissa, moved to Lake Havasu City from Hauppauge, NY in 1976. She worked at the LHC Board of Realtors from 1979-1984, for later for Jerry Springberg and Associates.*

*Betty and David were community activists from the start of their lives here. From 1978 to 1988 she was a member of the Mohave Community College Performing Arts committee. Betty was a founding member of the LHC Community Orchestra in 1978, and helped form the Lake Havasu Community College Foundation in 1979. The LHCC Foundation was dissolved in 1990 when the funds were donated to MCC and the memberships merged.*

*In 1982 Betty was among the founding members of the Allied Arts Council. She worked with the Council to develop the Spotlight on the Arts. Betty became an honorary member of the Council in the spring of 2013.*

*Betty was a lifetime member of the MCC Foundation, the friends of the Library, the Lighthouse Foundation, the Lake Havasu Higher Education Foundation, the K-12 Foundation, NARFE, and the Allied Arts Council. She was active in the Democratic Party for over 50 years, including locally with the Democratic Association of Lake Havasu City.*

*She and her husband, David, were active members of Temple Beth Sholom in the late 1980s and early 90s. In addition to English, Betty spoke Romanian, Aromanian (the Vlach language), and some Greek.*

*Betty is survived by her daughter Elissa, of Oakland, CA; her sister Alexandria (Sandy) Lupu, of Lake Havasu City; nephew Thomas (Priscilla) Carameta; niece Vivianne (William) Falcone; grand-nephew James Carameta (Los Angeles); and many other grand nephews and nieces, and numerous cousins.*

*Betty was preceded in death by her husband, David.*

### **Temple Beth Sholom**

#### **Rabbi Elliot Rosenbaum**

#### **2014 TBS Board of Directors**

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## **Sponsors are needed for Oneg Shabat.**

Oneg sponsorship requires that you supply refreshments for the congregation  
or simply donate \$30.00 to buy the items.

### **Schedule of Upcoming services**

**ROSH HASHANA** (begins evening of Wednesday, September 24 and ends evening of Friday, September 26)

**Rosh Hashana Evening Prayers: Wednesday, September 24- 7:30 PM**

**Rosh Hashana Morning Prayers: Thursday, September 25- 10 AM**

**SHABBAT T'SHUVA** Friday Evening Shabbat Prayers: September 26- 7:30 PM

**Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: September 27- 10 AM**

**YOM KIPPUR** (begins Friday evening, October 3 and ends Saturday evening October 4)

**Kol Nidre/Yom Kippur Evening Prayers: Friday, October 3- 5:45 PM**

**Yom Kippur Morning Prayers: Saturday, October 4- 10 AM**

**Yom Kippur Afternoon Prayers & N'illa (closing) service-Saturday, October 4- 5 PM**

**SUKKOT** (begins evening of Wednesday, October 8 and ends evening of Wednesday, October 15)

**Sukkot Evening Service: Wednesday, October 8- 7:30 PM**

**Friday Evening Shabbat Prayers: October 10- 7:30 PM**

**Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: October 11- 10 AM**

**SIMCHAT TORAH** (Begins evening of October 16 ends evening of October 17)

**Simchat Torah Evening Prayers: Thursday, October 16-7:30 PM**

**Friday Evening Shabbat Prayers: October 24- 7:30 PM**

**Saturday Shabbat Torah Class: October 25- 10 AM**



### **Our thanks for donations from the following congregants**

To Andrea Coffield for her wonderful home made treats  
and to Jill Fetz for the DELICIOUS home baked challahs

***Our Next Board Meeting will be held ???***

***6:30pm at the Temple.***

***We will attempt to have ALL board meetings  
on the last Tuesday of each month***

***Plan on attending, show your support of TBS Everyone is welcome***