



August, 2017

Dear Friends,

We are looking forward to the High Holiday season of 5778, which begins with Selichot on Saturday evening, September 16, 2017 at 9:00 pm. **This packet contains all of the information you will need for this year's High Holidays including a complete schedule of services on the reverse side of this letter.**

- **Please be reminded that you will need a ticket for each member of your family who will be attending the main service (recommended for ages 12 and up) and tickets are non-transferable.**
- Family members or guests who belong to other synagogues must submit a letter from their synagogue stating that they are members in good standing in order to receive reciprocal tickets to attend Services at Moriah. *Due to space constraints, we will only honor reciprocity from out of state USCI Synagogues.* Letters can be faxed to 847/948-8240.
- Once again, Moriah will continue the tradition of sending a New Year's card to each family in the congregation. The card will include an insert listing the families who choose to participate. The cost for participating is \$80. You can take part in this wonderful tradition by signing up for the first time or reviewing your listing from last year and make any edits on the order form. -
- A Memorial Book honoring your loved ones will be available for all Yizkor Services beginning with Yom Kippur. Please complete the enclosed blue form carefully and list husband & wife together (i.e. Rebecca & David Cohen). A copy of last year's Memorial Book will be made available (via email or in the office) for you to reference your previous listing.
- **This year**, Moriah is using a new High Holiday prayer book, the Koren Machzor. Members are strongly encouraged to purchase them for themselves, family members and guests. Additional donations are welcome to increase the Shul's supply of books and can be dedicated in memory or honor of a loved one. The two-volume set (\$50) can be purchased on the order form included in this mailing.
- Sukkot begins on Wednesday evening, October 4th. Schach (\$22/bundle) will be delivered to Moriah and available for pick-up beginning on Sunday, Oct. 1st. Lulav and Etrog (\$55.00/set) will be available for pick-up on Tuesday, Oct. 3rd, 9:00 am – 4:30 pm. **You can place your order for Schach/Lulav & Etrog using the enclosed payment order form.**

Please return your Ticket Reservation form (pink), Book of Remembrance form (blue) and your payment form (yellow) before Friday, August 25.

Thank you for your participation, cooperation and support -- *L'Shana Tova Tikatavu!*

Lisa Kaplan
Executive Director



2017 – 5778 MORIAH CONGREGATION HIGH HOLIDAY TICKET RESERVATION FORM

Please complete all of the information below to request tickets for your family members (beginning with adult members and including any college age students if they will be attending services). Children of members that are students are entitled to tickets – Please consider a suggested donation of \$100 for students 21+.

We will begin by assigning seats in the main service for members of your immediate family ages **12** and up.* Please fill out this form completely and return it to us before **August 25th** in order to ensure that we issue your seats for the services you will be attending.

Family Last Name _____

Please choose (or mark) which section(s) you would prefer to sit referencing the chart on the reverse side of this sheet, or state that you would like to sit as close as possible to where you sat last year.

Print the first & last name of each member of your family and which service(s) s/he will be attending below. Children under 12 are encouraged to attend our children’s services.

**We cannot guarantee that there will be adequate space to assign seats for children under 12. We’ll do our best to accommodate all requests as they are received.*

First & Last Name	Erev RH	RH 1	RH 2	KN	YK	Children’s Services

RH = Rosh Hashannah, KN = Kol Nidre, YK= Yom Kippur

Complimentary reciprocal tickets can be issued for family members belonging to another out of state USCJ synagogue who would like to attend High Holiday Services at Moriah. We require that you have the synagogue fax a letter stating that your family member(s)/friend(s) are members in good standing. Fax # 847/948-8240.

CHILDCARE

Supervised childcare for children ages 2-8 will be available for all Services. In order to have an adequate number of sitters, please pre-register all children. **Even if you are planning to stay with your child, there is a charge for this service.** Childcare is \$36 for the first child and \$18 for each additional child.

<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Child's Name</u>	<u>Age</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____



BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

We invite you to honor the memory of family members or other departed loved ones in Moriah Congregation's 5778 Book of Remembrance, which will be at the Yizkor Services throughout the year beginning with Yom Kippur.

Moriah Member's Name: _____

Section I: (Please Print Clearly)

The following member(s) of our family have passed away since Rosh HaShannah 5777/2016.

The person to be remembered

Your name(s) as you would like them printed

Section II: (Please Print Clearly)

Please include the following name(s) in the 5778/2017 Book of Remembrance

_____ same listing as last year

The person to be remembered

Your name(s) as you would like them printed

While there is not a charge for the listings, Tzedakah is an appropriate and meaningful way to memorialize your loved ones. We appreciate your generosity.

At this time of the year, we would also like to remind you of another way for you to embrace the time honored Jewish tradition of memorializing family members or deceased loved ones. **Yahrzeit plaques** are located in the hallway near the Thaler Social Hall and are lit the Friday night before the Yahrzeit is observed for that week. Your loved ones name may be inscribed on a memorial plaque with a gift of \$500.

See the ORDER FORM to make a donation for the Book of Remembrance and/or to purchase a Yahrzeit plaque.



High Holidays 5778 ORDER FORM

Name: _____

High Holidays

Total

New Year's Card (\$80):

\$ _____

____ same listing as last year (see cover letter)

or list as follows _____

Guest tickets for all Rosh Hashannah &
Yom Kippur Services (\$200/ticket)

of tickets _____

\$ _____

Koren Machzor (\$50/set):

of sets _____

\$ _____

High Holiday Baby Sitting:

(\$36/first child, \$18/additional)

of children _____

\$ _____

5778 Book of Remembrance

donation (*optional*)

\$ _____

Yahrzeit plaque

(\$500/plaque)

of plaques _____

\$ _____

Sukkot

Schach: (\$22/bundle)

of bundles _____

\$ _____

Lulav & Etrog: (\$55/set)

of sets _____

\$ _____

Total Amount Enclosed

\$ _____

To purchase flowers from Israel, see enclosed form. A separate check is required to confirm flower orders.

Please make checks payable to "Moriah Congregation" or enter credit card information below.

____ Find my check enclosed

____ I am paying by CREDIT CARD -(Please check one) VISA MC AmEx Discover

Credit Card # _____

Expiration Date _____ CVV# _____

Name _____

Phone _____

Sign here _____

Date _____

Please return this form no later than Friday, August 25th.