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# APPLES & HONEY 2024 (5785) HIGH HOLIDAY PROGRAMS FOR FAMILIES

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Apples & Honey Family Programs are offered as a gift to the community. In order to support our preparations and to ensure the safety of all members of our community, pre-registration is required.

Join us for lively and engaging services created just for families led by Rabbi Seth Castleman and Bob Smith. During our family experiences, in order to ensure the safety and well-being of our children, **parental participation and supervision is required.** We are delighted to offer a wide array of in-person opportunities with Zoom options when possible. Please note new locations for some of our Family Services allowing more space as well as the opportunity to experience the sanctity of the High Holidays.



**Wednesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>; Erev Rosh Hashanah Service, CBH Sanctuary** **5:00-5:30 p.m.**

Using familiar High Holy Day melodies, Rabbi Seth Castleman and Bob Smith will bring in the new year with joy, celebration, and community. *Zoom option is available; Zoom link shared with registration.*



**Thursday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>; Rosh Hashanah Day Family Service, CBH Sanctuary** **9:00-9:45 a.m.**

Our Rosh Hashanah experience continues with Rabbi Seth Castleman and Bob Smith with a family-friendly services that includes pieces of traditional liturgy in a meaningful spiritual experience that parents and children can enjoy together. *Zoom option is available; Zoom link shared with registration.*



**Thursday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>; Blessing for New Babies** **10:00 a.m.**  
**Reform Service, CBH Sanctuary** **Traditional Service, CBH Social Hall**

Please join either service during the first day of Rosh Hashana as we welcome and celebrate any families, parents, grandparents, and siblings who have welcomed a new baby into their family during the past year. Please join us with your new addition, either in person or with a photo, as we share a special blessing. Rabbi Bess or Rabbi Jeremy will start the service with a welcome followed immediately by the baby blessing. *Zoom option is available.*



**Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>; Community Tashlich; UC Davis Arboretum** **4:00 p.m.**

Join us for our Community Tashlich Service as part of our Rosh Hashanah celebration. This delightful casual service includes a symbolic casting off of sins as participants reflect upon the past year and prepare for new beginnings by tossing small pebbles into the water. Please dress comfortably and join us for this community event. More information is provided with registration.



**Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup>; Yom Kippur Day Family Service, CBH Social Hall** **9:00-9:45 a.m.**

Rabbi Seth Castleman and Bob Smith will lead us in a family-friendly service that includes traditional liturgy and music in a meaningful spiritual experience that parents and children can enjoy together. We invite you to wear white, symbolizing purity and holiness, one of the Yom Kippur traditions. *Zoom option is available; Zoom link shared with registration.*



**Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup>; Yom Kippur Break the Fast Family Service & BYO Dinner**  
**CBH Social Hall + Redwood Grove** **5:00-7:00 p.m.**

Join your friends and the CBH community as we return to our synagogue campus for a Break the Fast. Bring your family dinner and perhaps a picnic blanket (stay after in the Redwood Grove and supervise the children playing) for a short family-friendly service followed by one final blast of the shofar. Families are also invited to participate in the end of Neilah followed by Havdalah as we close our High Holiday celebrations.