

KOL MEVASSER

A Gift from God

By Rabbi Hagay Batzri

Yom Kippur is the holiest day of the year. It's a gift that God gave us to show his acknowledgement and understanding of human nature. He knows that we fall into error and make mistakes because in us He combined the essence of spirit with the physicality of a body.

The Torah say in Leviticus (Vayikra) 16:30:
"For on this day, it shall be forgiven you, to

purify you from all your sins; before the Lord shall you be cleansed." God requests only three things in order to give us this gift of forgiveness:

1. *Kharta* or Regret—We must sincerely apologize for what we did.
2. *Viduy* or Confession—We must acknowledge that what we did was, in fact, wrong.

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KJ Schedule

Erev Yom Kippur
Friday, October 7, 2011

Selichot Prayers	5:30 am
Shaharit/Morning Prayer.....	6:30 am
Minhah/Afternoon	2:00 pm
Candle Lighting.....	6:11 pm
Fast Begins.....	6:11 pm
KOL NIDRE	6:30 pm

Yom Kippur
Shabbat / Saturday, October 8, 2011

Shaharit/Morning Prayer.....	7:30 am
Guest Speaker: Rabbi Seidenfeld.....	during services
Minhah	4:00 pm
NEILAH.....	6:00 pm
Fast Ends.....	6:49 pm

Weekdays

Sunday, October 9, 2011

Shaharit/Morning Prayer.....	7:30 am
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Mon., October 10 to Wed., October 12, 2011

Shaharit/Morning Prayer	6:30 am
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Sukkoth

Wednesday, October 12, 2011

Shaharit/Morning Prayer	6:30 am
Minhah/Arbith.....	6:00 pm
Yom Tov Candle Lighting	6:05 pm

Thursday, October 13, 2011

Shaharit/Morning Prayer	9:00 am
Minhah/Arbith.....	6:00 pm
Yom Tov Candle Lighting	7:07 pm

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THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF KAHAL JOSEPH

INVITES YOU TO OUR

Legacy of Kindness
Gala Tribute Dinner

HONORING

Moselle and Michael Amron

SUNDAY, THE SIXTH OF NOVEMBER

TWO THOUSAND AND ELEVEN

SIX O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING



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Friday, October 14, 2011

Shaharit/Morning Prayer	8:30 am
Minhah/Arbith	6:00 pm
Shabbat Candle Lighting	6:02 pm

Shabbat of Sukkoth

Saturday, October 15, 2011

Shabbat Shaharit/Morning Prayer	8:30 am
Tehillim/Women's Reading from the Psalms	4:30 pm
Rabbi Batzri's Class	4:45 pm
Shabbat Minhah, Seudah Shlisheet & Arbit	5:30 pm
Motzei Shabbat	7:04 pm

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3. *Kaballa Le'atid* or Change in Behavior—We must accept a commitment for the future; we must promise and strive not to repeat the same mistake.

In line with this process, I would like to state on behalf of our beautiful community, with faith that each of you agrees with me: *We declare forgiveness to each other, and we love each other; we accept the unique differences in each one of us.* That is what makes us one, unified before Hashem.

May Hashem receive our prayers and *Teshuva* (Turning towards God) with love together with the prayers of all Jewish people wherever they may be. Amen.

We wish you "Gmar Hatima Tova"—May you be inscribed in the book of life.

Shana Tova U'Mevorechet

About Our Congregation

Kahal Joseph Congregation, established in 1959, is a Sephardic synagogue following the traditions of Baghdad.

Our beautiful Bet Kneset illuminated by stained glass windows featuring words and scenes from the Tanakh creates an environment conducive to prayer and contemplation.

We invite you to our inclusive, authentic, traditional

Refuah Shlemah

Prayers for Complete Healing

We invite you to pray for members of our community who are recovering from illness. We are currently updating list of individuals who would like to be included in KJ's communal prayers for Refuah Shlemah which translates as Complete Healing. Please call the office if you wish to have the name of a loved one in this section. Give the English and Hebrew names, and renew the notice every two weeks with a call to 310-474-0559.



KAHAL JOSEPH TREE OF LIFE

Check out the Tree of Life in the lobby. The tree is sprouting many new leaves. Help fill out our tree with life. Celebrate your loved ones by ordering a leaf—a donation of \$126 a leaf. Order 4 & get the 5th free. For more information, contact Yvette Dabby—ydabby@sbcglobal.net.

In Memoriam

We remember the following *yahrzeits*, the annual anniversary of passings, for the week of October 8th to 15th. It is customary to light a memorial candle and donate *tzedakah*. Family members are encouraged to attend prayer services in honor of loved ones on the Shabbat preceding the *yahrzeit*. To update information please call 310.474.0559.

Shabbat / 10 Tishrei

Flora Jacob *Farha bat Dina*

Monday / 12 Tishrei

Ian Carlos *Ian ben Mishelle*

Edna Jonah *Simha bat Ruth*

Ezekiel Ezra Judah *Yehezkel Ezra ben Meir Yehuda*

Sasson Lelah *Sasson ben Aharon*

Moshe ben *Yaacov Shalom*

Wednesday / 14 Tishrei

Georgina Moses *Sarah bat Simcha*

Naji Shaaya *Naji Shaaya*

Regina Shaby *Regina bat Haviva*

Thursday / 15 Tishrei

David Sulman Aslan *David Sulman Aslan*

Raina Murad Aslan *Raina Murad Aslan*

Shabbat / 17 Tishrei

Ezekiel Moses *Yehezkel ben Sassoon*

Salim Youssefmir *Salim ben Amin*

Condolences

to the family of
David Cohen, z"l

brother of

Maurice Cohen, & Emma Rubin
*May Hashem comfort them together
with all the mourners of Tzion.*

Adon Ha'Selichot

From Rabbi Hagay Batzri listen on YouTube at <http://youtube/uLfUMGhLw7g>

Ruler of forgiveness
[who] examines our hearts
Revealer of depths
Speaker of justice.

We have sinned before you; have mercy upon us.

Majestic with wonders
From times of old, comforting us
Remembering the covenant with our ancestors
Weighing our insides.

We have sinned before you; have mercy upon us.

Good and beneficent to His creations
Knower of all that is hidden
Conquering sin
Clothed in righteousness.

We have sinned before you; have mercy upon us.

Filled with giving merit
Raised with praises
Forgiving for those filled with sin
Answering when we call.

We have sinned before you; have mercy upon us.

Actualizing salvation
Seeing into the future
Calling upon the generations
Riding upon the heavens
Hearing our prayer
Perfect in words.

We have sinned before you; have mercy upon us.

Adon haselichot
Bochen levavot
Goleh amukot
Dover tzedakot
Chatanu lefaneicha, rachem aleinu.

Hadur benifla'ot
Vatik benechamot
Zocher b'rit avot
Choker kelayot
Chatanu lefaneicha, rachem aleinu.

Tov U'metiv labriyot
Yodeah kol nistarot
Kovesh avonot
Lovesh tzedakot
Chatanu lefaneicha, rachem aleinu.

Male zakiyut
Nora tehilot
Soleach avonot
Oneh be'et zarot
Chatanu lefaneicha, rachem aleinu.

Po-el yeshu-ot
Tzofe atidot
Kore hadorot
Rochev aravot
Shome-ah tefilot
Temim da-ot
Chatanu lefaneicha, rachem aleinu.

אָדוֹן הַסְּלִיחוֹת
בוֹחֵן לְקַבּוֹת
גּוֹלֵה עֲמוּקוֹת
דּוֹבֵר צְדָקוֹת
חֲטָאנוּ לְפָנֶיךָ רַחֵם עָלֵינוּ

הַדּוֹר בְּנִפְלְאוֹת
וְתִיק בְּנִחְמוֹת
זוֹכֵר בְּרִית אָבוֹת
חוֹקֵר כְּלִיּוֹת
חֲטָאנוּ לְפָנֶיךָ רַחֵם עָלֵינוּ

טוֹב וּמְטִיב לְבָרִיּוֹת
יּוֹדֵעַ כָּל נִסְתָּרוֹת
כּוֹבֵשׁ עֲוֹנוֹת
לוֹבֵשׁ צְדָקוֹת
חֲטָאנוּ לְפָנֶיךָ רַחֵם עָלֵינוּ

מְלֵא זַכִּיּוֹת
נוֹרָא תְהִלּוֹת
סוֹלֵחַ עֲוֹנוֹת
עוֹנֵה בְעֵת צָרוֹת
חֲטָאנוּ לְפָנֶיךָ רַחֵם עָלֵינוּ

פוֹעֵל יְשׁוּעוֹת
צוֹפֵה עֲתִידוֹת
קוֹרֵא הַדּוֹרוֹת
רוֹכֵב עַרְבוֹת
שׁוֹמֵעַ תְּפִלוֹת
תְּמִים דְּעוֹת
חֲטָאנוּ לְפָנֶיךָ רַחֵם עָלֵינוּ

Kahal Joseph Congregation

YOM KIPPUR CHILDREN'S ROOM

Friday, October 7, 2011

6:00 pm to 9:30 pm

Saturday, October 8, 2011

10:00 am to 6:00 pm



LEGO Play Party
11:30 am

**Amazing
Reptiles!**
2:00 pm



Fantastic Patrick
Comedy with Awesome Stunts
Juggling & Unicycle
5:00 pm

Please note: All children must have wristbands to enter the building.
All strollers must be parked outside the building.

Children's Room Closes at 6:00 PM on Saturday
Please pick up your child promptly before Neilah

Get Ready for Sukkot!

Reserve your own
LULAV & ETROG
\$40



Lulavim & Etrogim used in the Sukkoth processions known as *hakafot* are available through Kahal Joseph. Please call Sarah in the office at 310.474.0559 by Monday, October 10th to reserve your set and fulfill the customs, rituals and mitzvot of Sukkoth.

Kahal Joseph Congregation
Welcomes

Yom Kippur
Guest Speaker & Youth Leader

**Rabbi Shlomo
Seidenfeld**



***Einstein's Challenge:
The Recipe for Sustained
Inspiration & Perspective***
Yom Kippur Morning
Saturday, October 8th
after Morning Torah Reading

***Glowing in the Dark:
How Struggle Illuminates Our Lives***
Yom Kippur Evening
Saturday, October 8th
during Neilah, Closing Prayer Service

Teen & Young Adult Program
Interactive & Hyperactive Dialogues
With Rabbi Seidenfeld
Yom Kippur Day & Afternoon
Saturday, October 8th
In the Library during Torah Readings

Thank You

to all who contributed to the Children's Room

- ◆ Sigal and Jonathan Kelly for arranging entertainment
- ◆ Molly Jalali for assisting with staffing and supervision
- ◆ Sarah Bouchoucha, Dafna Ezran, Penina Meghnagi-Solomon for assisting with logistics & planning
- ◆ Noga & Ilan Saig, Rosa & staff for caring for the kids
- ◆ Board Members Ron Einy, Jonathan Kelly, Neil Sheff, Selena Dallal, Rafi Itzhaki, & Anita Wozniak for donating time & effort
- ◆ For donating food and snacks: Anita Wozniak, Ezran-Young Family, Sheff Family, Selena Dallal, Karen Askenazi and those who contributed after presstime.



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CLASSES ARE ENROLLING

NOTICE TO PARENTS

1. Children under 5 years old must be supervised by parent when using KIDS ZONE upstairs.
2. No child is allowed in the synagogue lobby or hallways without constant supervision by a parent or guardian.
3. We are not responsible for children walking out the front door.
4. During High Holy Days, children must have reservations & wristbands to enter the synagogue.