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**Welcome to our synagogue! ברוכים הבאים**

Avraham Etedgui, Rabbi

Dr. David Feldshon, President | Judge Jerry Berkowitz, Vice-President  
Lee Reinharz, Office Manager

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Ross Fishman, Music

**Ha'Azinu - האזינו**  
**September 23, 2017—3 Tishrei 5778**

Ha'azinu is a poem of 70 lines. Each verse consists of at least two lines that are parallel to each other in meaning.

In last week's parasha, Moses was commanded to write a song, containing Israel's experiences with God and the Torah, and warnings of what will happen if they abandon God's commandments. In this song, delivered on the last day of his life, Moses calls upon heaven and earth to be witnesses. Moses urges the people to consider their history and realize how special they are for all the things that God has done for them. He emphasizes that they will only find life and endure in the Land of Israel if they follow the Torah.

G-d then tells Moses to go up to Mount Nebo and, from there, view the entire land. But he will not be able to enter the land and will die on Mount Nebo.

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## This Day in Jewish History—3 Tishrei

The day after Rosh Hashana marks the Fast of Gedalia, one of the "minor fast days." It commemorates the tragic murder, 2,500 years ago, of a Jewish leader named Gedalia, which led to the end of Jewish settlement in Israel for many years. Also on Tishrei 3, in 1825, an American diplomat named Mordechai Manuel Noah laid the foundation stone for Ararat, the first modern-day attempt to establish a national Jewish homeland. To implement his plan, Noah petitioned the New York State legislature for rights to Grand Island, a 27-square-mile parcel of land located between Buffalo, New York and Niagara Falls. Noah also levied a "redemption tax" upon each Jew in the world. Despite a grand opening ceremony, the plan fizzled when no Jews moved to Ararat / Grand Island.



(courtesy of Aish.com—'Day in Jewish History')

### Our Prayers and Good Wishes for Refuah Shleimah to:

אבינו אבינו מלכנו שלח רפואה שלמה רפואת הנפש רפואת הגוף לחולי עמך  
אל נא רפא נא אל נא רפא נא לה שלח שלח רפואה שלמה לחולי עמך

Aveenu Aveenu Malkenu shelah refuah shleimah

Refuat Hanefesh Refuat Haguf Leholei leholei amecha

El na Refa nah—El na refah na lah

shellah shelah refuah sheleimah leholei amecha

(Our Father Our King—send complete healing to the sick of Your people

A healing of the soul and healing of the body to the sick of Your people.

Please o God Heal, Please o God Heal,)

David Fursetzer, Sally Leder, Shel Libson, Art Nettis, Alex Samuels, Phil Walstein

### Upcoming Birthdays and Anniversaries

#### Happy Birthday to:

- Jerome Ingber
- Dr. Archelle Georgiou Feldshon
- Anna Gusovsky
- Jayme Stoller

#### Happy Anniversary to:

- Anna & Boris Gusovsky
- Marilyn & Dean Renstrom
- Karin Vineretsky & Eli Sirotin

### You are Cordially Invited:

We invite you to stay after services for a Kiddush luncheon sponsored by the Scheepens and Zadaka Families in honor of Talia Eve (Chava) Scheepens's baby naming.

## Mazal Tov to:



Noam and Alex Scheepens  
on the birth and the baby naming of their daughter  
Talia Eve (Chava) Scheepens

Mazal Tov also to the grandparents:  
Robin (Ravital) and Yefet Zadaka and  
Sara and Maarten Scheepens

## High Holy Days 5778 at Sharei Chesed

Sharei Chesed wishes all of our members and friends 'Shana Tovah' as we prepare to enter the new year of 5778, and we hope that you will join us at our services.

Our service schedule for the coming week is as follows:

<b>Saturday September 23</b>	<b>Shabbat Shuvah (Kiddush lunch follows)</b>	9:30 am
<b>Friday Evening September 29</b>	<b>Kol Nidre</b>	6:30 pm
<b>Saturday September 30</b>	<b>Yom Kippur</b>	
	Shaharit	9:30 am
	Torah Service	10:30 am
	Yizkor / Musaf	11:30 am
	Recess	2:00 pm
	Mincha / Neilah	5:45 pm
	Ma'ariv and the Blowing of the Shovar	7:38 pm
<b>Wednesday Evening October 4</b>	<b>Erev Sukkot</b>	6:00 pm
<b>Thursday October 5</b>	<b>First Day of Sukkot (Kiddush lunch follows)</b>	
	Shaharit	9:30 am
	Mincha / Ma'ariv	6:00 pm
<b>Friday October 6</b>	<b>Second Day of Sukkot (Kiddush lunch follows)</b>	
	Shaharit	9:30 am

May you all be inscribed in the book of life and blessing,  
peace and prosperity, for a happy life and for peace.

**Yahrzeits for week of September 22 - September 29, 2017**

**2 Tisrei 5778 - 2 Tishrei 5778**

**Please help with the daily Minyan**

**Yahrzeit of**

**Remembered by**

**Friday, September 22nd (2 Tishrei)**

Sima Grinberg

Sima bat Yechiel

Rita Grinberg

**Saturday, September 23rd (3 Tishrei)**

Efim Aleynikov

Efim ben Abram

Semon Aleynikov

Inna

Inna bat David v'Revekka

Nadia & David Kaganovich

David Wilensky

David ben Yosef

Roz Strimling & Marvin Wilensky

**Sunday, September 24th (4 Tishrei)**

\*\* NO YAHRZEITS \*\*

**Monday, September 25th (5 Tishrei)**

Samuel Galbinsky

Shmuel ben Tzvi Hersh

Anatoly Galbinsky

Bessie Karch

Bela bat Moshe

Rakhil Rashap

Rachel bat Boris

Mariya Shafranskaya

Jules Shapiro

Yosef ben David v'Chana

**Tuesday, September 26th (6 Tishrei)**

\*\* NO YAHRZEITS \*\*

**Wednesday, September 27th (7 Tishrei)**

Jacob Goldberg

Yechiel ben Chaim Leib

Harold (Red) Goldberg

Morris Nettis

Moshe ben Yitzchak

Art Nettus

**Thursday, September 28th (8 Tishrei)**

Aizik Vaynberg

Zizik ben David

Sahra & Abram Vaynberg

David Vaynberg

Dovid Ben Mordechai

Sahra & Abram Vaynberg

Miriam Vaynberg

Miryam bat Avraham

Sahra & Abram Vaynberg

**Friday, September 29th (9 Tishrei)**

Menahem Kipnis

Menahem ben Shaya

Berta & Naum Kipnis

Lena Moskowitz

Leah Bat Ephraim

Jack Moskowitz

**Our condolences to**

**The Vodovoz Family for the passing of Ruben Voldovoz of blessed memory**

**The Cook / Huppert Family for the passing of Rita Cook of blessed memory**

**May their memories always be for a blessing.**