



SEPTEMBER 2021

ELUL-TISHRI 5781-5782

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Rabbi Mark Gross

and

Cantorial Soloist Hari Jacobsen Friday Evenings at 7:30 PM

Attend in person or via Live Streaming from the JCMI Website

Yalkut Mordechai: Notes from Rabbi Gross

A Month of Sadness, of Joy, and of Holiness

There is a certain poignancy to September, left over from our childhood memories of having to relinquish our Summer vacation freedom and go back to school. The excitement of new clothes, new school, and new book bags wasn't enough to offset that loss.

We feel a different kind of loss, as grown-ups, because the advent of the Jewish New Year in the Autumn involves the recitation on Yom Kippur of the "Yizkor" memorial prayer, keenly invoking a heart-felt awareness of those we love who are no longer with us to share the fresh beginning represented by this season.

In its own way, that fact emphasizes just how important the New Year season truly is, because it represents something important enough to experience with the ones we care about most. In our innermost heart of hearts, we resonate to the special melodies; the unique poetry of the *machzor*; the piercing sound of the *shofar*; and to the aura of sanctity that intimates the higher purposes to which our lives can be turned. The holiness of The Days of Awe consists precisely of their potential to, as our old red *Gates of Repentance* put it, "fill our fleeting days with abiding worth."

That potential for higher purpose should be a cause for joy, particularly since we get to rejoice together. After a long and arduous year of pandemic, pained by our enforced absence, we are beginning cautiously to return to live worship in our beautiful Temple home.

Last year Cantor Jacobsen and I conducted Rosh haShanah and Yom Kippur worship together in a hauntingly empty synagogue, live-streaming to our Temple members and other neighbors, who watched passively from Somewhere Outside. There was a particularly poignant sadness about that—being afar from one another; and there is a corresponding joy at our being able this year to celebrate the Ten Days and their message together under one roof.

Clearly our Congregational leadership are following the moving target of the ongoing pandemic, and are working together to establish and maintain policies minimizing the danger of public gatherings in an enclosed space. We know that our membership will respond to and support sensible precautions intended to keep us all safe, as a small price to pay for the privilege of being back together.

Because as exciting as new school shoes and new book bags may be, the joy of welcoming The New Year together is even better.

To our whole JCMI Temple family, and to friends and neighbors visiting this site and reading these words: a happy[er] and healthy[er] sweet New Year 5782.

For counseling, Jewish questions, or guitar lessons, the Rabbi is at your disposal any time by telephone 954-798-6037 or e-mail RabbiMarkGross@gmail.com.



JCMI Schedule of Services

<u>September, 2021 – Elul, 5781/Tishrei, 5782</u>

קבלת שבת *Qabbalat Shabbat* Worship - Friday evenings, 7:30 p.m.

Friday night worship convenes live in our beautiful Synagogue, using safe single-use contact-free prayerbooks, and will be simultaneously live-streamed by convenient one-click access from this link at our Congregational home page.

<u>Friday, Sept 03</u> - first-Friday-of-the-month "Celebration Shabbat," featuring blessing for everyone celebrating birthdays and anniversaries in the newly arrived month of September... and last Shabbat of the Old Year 5781.

Monday, Sept 06 - 7:30 p.m. Eve of Rosh haShanah, New Year 5782.

<u>Tuesday, Sept 07</u> - 10:00 a.m. Rosh haShanah worship and *shofar*-blowing.

Wednesday, Sept 08 - 11:00 a.m. oceanside *Tashlich* ceremony, meeting at (and departing from) the Synagogue.

<u>Friday, Sept 10</u> - return of our "Second-Friday Learning Shabbat," with emphasis tonight on the special High Holy Days themes reprised on this "Sabbath of Return."

Sunday, Sept 12 - 11:30 a.m. New Year's Cemetery visit, convening there.

Wednesday, Sept 15 - 7:30 p.m. Yom Kippur Eve "Kol Nidrei" service.

<u>Thursday, Sept 16</u> - 10:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Yom Kippur worship.

<u>Friday, Sept 17</u> - Shabbat worship.

<u>Friday, Sept 24</u> - Last-Friday-of-the-month Torah Shabbat is also Festival worship for Sukkot, harvest Feast of Booths, including a reprise of the "*Yizkor*" prayer.

Sep 24 – 7:03

Shabbat Candle-lighting - traditionally no less than 18 minutes before local sundown.

<u>Aug 27</u> – 7:33	<u>Sep 10</u> – 7:18	
<u>Aug 27</u> – 7:33 <u>Sep 03</u> – 7:26	<u>Sep 17</u> – 7:10	

<u>Portion-of-the-Week Torah Study</u> - Saturday mornings, 9:30 a.m.

Rabbi Gross offers a presentation on, and leads discussion of, some aspect of the weekly Torah portion, meeting live in the Meer Center of our Synagogue building.

Those unable to attend our *parashah* study live may follow the session by Zoom (room i.d. 944-816-2391; passcode "GrossTorah"—case-sensitive). The associated study packet can be downloaded from the JCMI website on Friday morning.

<u>Sept 04 -</u>	Nitzavim	_Deuteronomy 29:9-30:20	lsaiah 61:10-63:9
<u>Sept 11 -</u>	vaYeileich-Shuvah	_Deuteronomy 31:1-30	Hosea 14:2-10,
			Micah 7:18-20, Joel 2:15-27
<u>Sept 18 -</u>	Ha'azinu	_Deuteronomy 32:1-52	II Samuel 22:1-51
Sept 25 -	Chol haMo'eid	Exodus 33:12-34:26	Ezekiel 38:18-39:16

Back to the Beach For Tashlich

After several years of walking to a nearby canal to conduct the New Year ritual of *Tashlich*, this month we will once more adjourn to the seaside, to gaze out to Eternity as we ceremonially cast away the vestigial husks of sin clinging to our souls.



We convene at the Synagogue at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 08, and will carpool and caravan from here.



Annual New Year Cemetery Visit

It is traditional to visit the resting place of our loved ones, during the Ten Days of Repentance, both to commune with their spirits at a time when their absence is particularly keenly felt, and to invoke their intervention On High for a good New Year.

On Sunday, September 12, Cantor Jacobsen and Rabbi Gross will be meeting participants at the Jewish section of the Marco Island Cemetery

at 11:30 a.m. to set the stage for personal meditations, and for shared worship.

About "Yizkor" on Yom Kippur

One of the highlights of the Jewish year is our tribute on Yom Kippur to those no longer with us, who have given us this sacred occasion as part of our precious spiritual legacy.

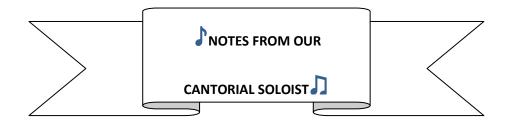
New members and visiting worshippers will want to note that there will not be a separate Day of Atonement Memorial Service; the "*Yizkor*" prayer will be recited in its traditional place, after the Torah and *Haftarah* selections at the Yom Kippur morning service.

Food on a Fast Day

The *uN'taneh Toqef* prayer that figures so visibly in our New Year liturgy affirms that "prayer and charity and repentance alter what is decreed for us."

Start your New Year with a charitable act, by being sure to bring canned goods to the Synagogue on Yom Kippur— the food you are not eating on that fast-day— as a contribution to support the ongoing needs of the poor in our community.







It's that especially precious time of year that sets aside the perfect excuse to say, "I'm sorry." For any time I didn't take the opportunity to say it – whether recently or decades ago – that doorway has opened for me. For any time I didn't even know I hurt someone, that doorway has opened for me. For any time I

have hurt myself, that doorway has opened for me. We're in that month before the High Holy Days that gifts us that entrée.

What a gift.

And if that's not enough of a present, we have Saturday evening, August 28th, S'lichot. Just in case that word escapes you, it's the plural of the Hebrew word, s'lichah (forgiveness). So, S'lichot is that exceptionally exquisite service of texts with the express purpose of inspiring forgiveness – both for granting and receiving. It's an intimate doozy. A personal favorite.

Of course, S'lichot is also the tone-setter for the immediately following High Holy Days; time to reflect on the past year; time to prepare for the new year; a fresh opportunity for many wonderful moments and deeds.

It's Disney World for the soul and spirit; it takes time to get there, but it puts zip in your step for a long time to come.

Wherever you are for these most extraordinary times – JCMI, another congregation, "streamland," wherever – may these most special days bring you a most wonderful, precious new year of 5782.

And to anyone whom I have offended in any way, I am very sorry.

L'Shanah Tovah uM'tukah (May you be inscribed in the Book of Life for a good year.



Good Health, Happiness, Peace 5782

On behalf of the Officers and Board of Directors, we send our best wishes to the Congregants and their families for a joyous New Year 5782. We are blessed to welcome the New Year in person within our beautiful Synagogue after the situation from last year that kept us all home. For those who are not in the area or prefer to remain at home, virtual Holy Days will be available using the live stream link on our website.



In view of the rise in Covid cases the Board of Directors, based on guidance provided by the Task Force, revised the criteria for admission to the Synagogue, beginning Friday, August 13, 2021. These safety measures shall continue during all Synagogue events, until further notice. We ask that all attendees be vaccinated a minimum of 14 days prior to attending service, please wear appropriate masks, and observe social distancing.

Upgrading our safety protocols while still gathering for meals was counter intuitive, so with much regret, we also cancelled all Synagogue sponsored events where food was to be served. Our Task Force will continue to monitor the Covid numbers in Collier County and offer recommendations to the Board of Directors in an effort to make decision based on the most timely information. We remain thankful for the efforts of the Task Force whose primary objective is the safety of our members.

We look forward to celebrating the Holy Days with its moving liturgy and melodies. L'Shanah Tovah!

Sue R. Baum

Lulav-Waving: A Hands-on New Year Tradition

Although it remains uncertain whether we will be able to erect, and to share the pleasure of being together in, our beautiful JCMI *sukkah* this year, you can still fulfill the important hands-on *mitzvah* of waving the *lulav* and *etrog*, in fulfillment of the Torah's mandate:

וּלְקַחְתֶּם לָכֶם פְּרִי עֵץ חָדָר

"You are to take yourselves the citron fruit,

בַּפֹת תִּמָרִים וַעֲנַף עֵץ-עָבת וְעַרְבֵי-נָחַל

palm fronds, and sprigs of myrtle and willow,

וּשְׂמַחְתֶּם לִפְנֵי יְהֹוָה אֱלֹהֵיכֶם שִׁבְעַת יָמִים

and you are to rejoice before The Eternal One seven days"

- Leviticus 23:40

We have obtained two sets of Sukkot harvest bouquets from Israel, which as of September 20 will be at your disposal throughout the holiday (including instructions for making the most of the moment!). Call Tina or Marion in the JCMI Office to make arrangements to come by and honor the season.



Friday evening services can still be accessed using the Live Stream link found on our JCMI website – instructions are available upon request but are also found in the Wednesday email.

September

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
					Services 7:30PM	Torah Study 9:30AM
5	6 Labor Day	7	8 Tashlich 11AM	9	10	11
	Erev Rosh haShanah 7:30PM	Rosh haShanah 10AM			Services 7:30PM	Torah Study 9:30 AM
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Cemetery Service 11:30AM			Yom Kippur Eve 7:30PM	Yom Kippur 10AM 3:30PM	Services 7:30PM	Torah Study 9:30 AM
19 Decorate the	20 Sukkot	21 Sukkot	22	23	24 Services 7:30 PM	25
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26	27	28	29	30		
		Sh'mini Atzeret				



October Anniversaries

- 10 Elliott & Rivka Mascoop
- 27 Alan & Dalia Zuckerman



October Birthdays

- 2 Nora Joel
- 5 Nancy Margolis
- 7 Eddie Saeks
- 7 Bert Thompson
- 8 Dianne Bonfield
- 9 Stephen Chasin
- 11 Joe Atkin
- 13 Steven Singer
- 13 Jerry Lerner
- 15 Jean Bunten
- 17 Elaine Hankin
- 17 Grace Plager
- 18 Maxine Shapiro
- 20 Esta Alliker
- 20 Mort Reisfeld
- 20 Leo Wertheim
- 22 Richard Rosenberg
- 24 Sheila Donner
- 27 Sue Kluger





My most sincere thanks for the birthday wishes sent my way! It's always so nice to hear from my JCMI family!

Isabel Price

September Weekly Yahrtseit List

August 29, 2021 - September 4, 2021

21 Elul – 27 Elul

Aaron Heiblum* Margaret Hirsch Joseph Horowitz* Paul Novack* Stephan Plager

Cilly Reussenberger*

September 5, 2021 – September 11, 2021

28 Elul – 5 Tishri

Ben Blau

Golda Epstein *
Deborah Exler*

Isadore Meyer Goldstein*

Sarah Hankin Samuel Jacksier Irvin Kamenetz*

Dorothy Drazen Margolis

Alex Reminick*
Jack Rudolph*
Marilyn Schwartz

Holocaust Victims Tuller*

Louis Wischnia

Charles William Wolfson*

September 12, 2021 – September 18, 2021

6 Tishri – 12 Tishri

David Alliker *
Leah Bernat

Etta LeBlang Bunten Ann J. Connelly* Fred Farber*

William Greenberg*
Sidney R. Hoffman*
Morris Kendall*
Helen Tender Krawitz

Howard Miller*
Mildred Pullman*
Jacob Rosen*

Sheldon J. Rosenfield*
Dr. Leonard Rosenman*

Isaac J. Silverstein*
Inga Wertheim

Phillip Zelman

<u>September 19, 2021 – September 25, 2021</u>

13 Tishri – 19 Tishri

Morris Alliker Bernard Berner

Morton David Braun*
Phillip Burkons *
Sonia Burkons*
Ann Dresner

Beverly Germaine* Dr. Stephen Hechler* Sam Hollander

Wendy Weisberg Katchman*

Joseph Katz*
May Lipsitt
Lou Siegel
Harry Snyder*
Jerry Weiner*

September 26, 2021 – October 2, 2021

 $20\ Tishri-26\ Tishri$

Carl Abeson
Alicia Ciulla
Olga Greenstein*
Abe Grosky
Lillian Hyman*
Jeanne Kahn*
Harry Katz
Leonard Lang

Margaret Schmalheiser Lipsitz*

Louis Parish Harriet K. Peltin* Irving Seinfeld Harry Soloway Gussy Steinhauer Mark Sugerman* Ahuva Tuchman

Bernice Werber Weisberg*

Ethel Werber*

*Denotes a Yahrtseit Plaque. Yahrtseits will be recited during the Shabbat Services in the week that they occur.

We Appreciate the Thoughtfulness of Those Who Support JCMI

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(Best wishes for a speedy recovery)

Jack Jacobsen from

Sandra Hechler Beth & Irv Povlow

Audrey Snyder from

Ellie Bittman Sandra Hechler

Don Schwartz from

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Barbara Silver and her Family On the forthcoming marriage of Hannah & Jacob - Ellie Bittman

WITH SINCERE SYMPATHY TO

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The Office is open Mon. through Fri. - 9 am to 1 pm

Event Information can be found in the monthly **Messenger**, the weekly **Monday Email** and online at the JCMI website: www.marcojcmi.com

Call the office for the following special items:

- Honor your loved ones with a Yahrtseit Plaque \$250
- Mark a special occasion with a Chai Leaf for the Tree of Life \$200, or a Walk of Honor Paver -\$100
- Health & Caring if you have information concerning our members. Hospital visits by the Rabbi and the Cantor can be arranged by calling the Office ~ Have a rose in a bud vase sent with your well wishes - \$17.50.
- Mitzvah Cards are available at the minimum cost of \$5.00 each, though a larger donation is always appreciated
- Bequest Form requires only the signature of a legal witness to be valid forms available at the Office.

Office Notes:

Any information for the **JCMI Messenger** must be turned in to the office *no later than the 20th* of the preceding month.

Any updates to the **Monday Email** must be sent to the office no later than Thursday of the preceding week.



Flowers on the Bimah

We can, once again, take sponsors for flowers on the Bimah. So, nice to get back to some measure of normality. If you would like to sponsor an arrangement, **they are only \$70 per arrangement.** Call the office and let us know when and for what occasion – we look forward to making our Bimah beautiful again!



JEWISH CONGREGATION OF MARCO ISLAND Rabbi Mark Gross - Cantorial Soloist Hari Jacobsen HIGH HOLY DAYS SCHEDULE 5782/2021

S'LICHOT PENITENTIAL RITUAL

Saturday, August 28, 2021 8:30PM Program and Worship

EVE of ROSH HASHANAH 5782

Monday, September 6, 2021 7:30PM Worship inaugurating the New Year

ROSH HASHANAH, 5782

Tuesday, September 7, 2021 10:00AM Worship, Torah and Shofar service

Weds., September 8, 2021 11:00AM Tashlich Waterside Meditative Ritual,

convenes at JCMI.

NEW YEAR CEMETERY SERVICE

Sunday, September 12, 2021 11:30AM Convene at the Jewish Memorial Garden

in the Marco Island Cemetery.

YOM KIPPUR EVE - KOL NIDREI

Weds., September 15, 2021 7:30PM "Kol Nidrei" Service

YOM KIPPUR - Day of Atonement

Thursday, September 16, 2021 10:00AM Worship, includes "Yizkor" Memorial

3:30PM Afternoon Worship and Ne'ilah

Admission to all New Year worship services is available at no charge to all JCMI members in good standing.

Unaffiliated guests are welcome to worship with us, in consideration of a contribution to the Congregation of \$100 as a New Year gift.

SAVE THESE DATES

PLEASE NOTE: Event dates and venue are subject to change.

These programs are exciting, entertaining and informative. Don't miss one. We encourage you to save this reminder page and mark the events on your calendar!

"5781-5782"

September 2021

August 28th - S'lichot Service	8:30 PM
6th - Erev Rosh haShanah Service	7:30 PM
7th - Rosh haShanah Service	10:00 AM
8th - Tashlich Ceremony at JCMI	11:00 AM
12th - New Year Cemetery Visit	11:30 AM
15th - Kol Nidrei Eve Service	7:30 PM
16th - Yom Kippur Morning Service	10:00 AM
16th - Yom Kippur Afternoon Service	3:30 PM
24th - Sukkot Shabbat	7:30 PM

October 2021

1st - Simchat Torah - Yizkor	7:30 PM
Bingo Season Begins TBD	5:30 PM

November 2021

7th - Fall Back at Bedtime Tonight	
16th - Book Club	11:00 AM
23rd - Interfaith Unity Service	7:00 PM

December 2021

5th - Comm. Chanukah Celebration	5:30 PM
21st - Book Club	11:00 AM
12th - Film Festival	2:00 PM

Ongoing Events Throughout the Season:

Mondays - Bingo at 5:30PM (tentative start Oct.)

Tuesdays - Duplicate Bridge at 1:00PM (starts Jan.)

Wednesdays - Club Bridge at 1:00PM

Thursdays - Mah Jongg at 11:00AM (starts Dec.)

January 2022

9th - Film Festival	2:00 PM
15th - Cultural Series	7:30 PM
18th - Book Club	11:00 AM
22nd - Motown Magic Concert	7:30 PM
23rd - Rabbi's Life Long Learning	9:30 AM
28th - Cantor's Sermon in Song	7:30 PM

February 2022

5th - Cultural Series	7:30 PM
10th - Mah Jongg Tournament	8:30 AM
13th - Film Festival	2:00 PM
15th - Book Club	11:00 AM
19th - Alter Eagles	7:30 PM
25th - Federation Shabbat	7:30 PM
27th - Rabbi's Life Long Learning	9:30 AM

March 2022

10th - JCMI Annual Meeting	7:00 PM
12th - Cultural Series	7:30 PM
13th - Spring Forward at Bedtime Ton	ight
15th - Book Club	11:00 AM
17th - Jewish Book Festival	1:00 PM
18th - PurinyMgillah Reading	7:30 PM
20th - Film Festival	2:00 PM
27th - Rabbi's Life Long Learning	9:30 AM

April 2022

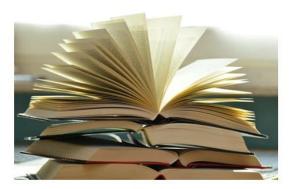
19th - Book Club 11:00 AM 15th - Congregational Passover Seder 6:30 PM

Fridays - Evening Services at 7:30 PM

Saturdays - Torah Study 9:30AM Aug.28 through April

Saturdays - Services following Torah Study Jan. 1 through Mar.

2021-2022 Women's Book Club



Our 14th Season Held the third Tuesday of each month at 11:00AM Located at the Jewish Congregation of Marco Island 991 Winterberry Drive

November 16, 2021

The Vanishing Half

Brit Bennett

December 21, 2021

The Duke and I Julia Quinn

January 18, 2022

The Scarlet Letter

Nathaniel Hawthorne

February 15, 2022

The Shell Seekers

Rosamunde Pilcher

March 15, 2022

The Book of Lost Names

Kristin Harmel

April 19, 2022

Inheritance

Dani Shapiro

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