

Havurat Tikvah Welcomes Visitors for High Holidays 5768

A Reconstructionist Thought: The hallmark of Reconstructionist congregations is our warm, welcoming and inclusive atmosphere. We readily embrace all Jews: those who have been raised in observant and/or traditional backgrounds, those who have converted in other Jewish traditions, and those who are returning to their people. The High Holidays is a time that the community comes together as a united people, in a united cause: as a community we look within and to others for reconciliation and spiritual growth. We search our souls to make our way clear with the community and with our spiritual focus.

Join us in our High Holiday services:

September 8 at 8 PM we reflect and prepare for the Days of Awe the prayers of Selichot

September 13 at 10 AM together we embrace Rosh Hashanah Day One

September 13 at 3 PM we gather for Tashlich (location to be announced at the AM service)

September 14 at 10 AM we observe Rosh Hashanah Day Two

September 21 at 7 PM we start seating for our 7:15 PM Kol Nidre service

September 22 at 10 AM we unite for Yom Kippur, to be written for one more year in the Book of Life

October 4 at 6:30 PM we will celebrate Simchat Torah with a catered dinner, and the dedication of our new Torah with Rabbi Kevin Hale

October 6 at 10:00 AM we will celebrate Shabbat with our new Torah

Havurat Tikvah's Selichot is a moving service, made warmer by the community of friends and family. Our new student Rabbi, Arlene Berger, will celebrate Selichot with us. Our Rosh Hashanah service underlines our commitment to and participation in true community. Kol Nidre brings out the artists in our community, as well as our intention to cleanse our spiritual selves of the year's short comings in prepara-

tion for Yom Kippur's final prayer - to be written into the Book of Life for 5768.

Havurat Tikvah is an affiliate of the Jewish Reconstructionist Federation and we celebrate all services and many events in the Fellowship Hall of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, 2201 Springdale Ave. (at Magnolia) in

the Dilworth neighborhood of Charlotte.

For an updated calendar and information for Havurat Tikvah, visit the HT website at www.HavuratTikvah.org or call 704-545-0894. ☆



Jewish Reconstructionist Federation



Havurah of Hope

Rosh Hashanah in Cabarrus County

Are you looking for a Jewish community near the University, Concord, or Harrisburg areas? Congregation Havurat Olam is a welcoming community that meets regularly in Concord, NC for relaxed, friendly services and social events.

Currently, Congregation Havurat Olam offers two Friday night services a month led by rabbinic intern Dr. Barbara Thiede. Second Fridays feature a student-centered and child-friendly service. Fourth Fridays offer an adult-oriented service. All Friday services begin at 7 PM.

High Holy Day Services at Havurat Olam will be offered at the following times:

Erev Rosh Hashanah

September 12, 7:30 PM

Rosh Hashanah,

September 13, 9:30-11:30 AM

followed by Tashlich.

Kol Nidre

September 21, 7:30 PM.

Yom Kippur

September 22, 9:30-11:30 AM.

Neilah and Break Fast,

time to be announced.

Non-members will be asked for donations to cover our costs. This year, we are looking forward to enjoying the sounds of our beautiful new shofar.

Havurat Olam also offers adult education and religious school instruction for grades K-5.

Havurat Olam welcomes Jewish and Interfaith families and individuals and encourages members to help determine the shape of every service and every celebration, to become involved in outreach and social action, and to explore their spiritual needs and individual relationship to Judaism in a safe and supportive setting. Congregation Havurat

Olam is an independent Jewish congregation that seeks to create a community that is comfortable and welcoming for area Jews, but also active and involved in the world we live in.

Havurat Olam meets at McGill Baptist Church, 5300 Poplar Tent Rd., Concord, NC, near I-85 exit 54. For more information, please visit our website at www.havuratolam.org or call 704-720-2577. ☆



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