



KOL NIDRE

10 Tishrei 5785

Friday, October 11, 2024

National United Methodist Church

It has been told to you, what is good, and what Adonai requires of you:
Only to do justice, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with your God.

Micah 6:8

**Services this evening are led by
Rabbi Zemel, Rabbi Beraha, Rabbi Crawley, Rabbi Slakman,
and Rabbi Frank.**

Torah Holders	Rapha Beraha, Lee Futrovsky, Rielle Miller Gabriel, and Ed Wendel
Candles	p. 9
Sermon	Past Presidents <i>What I Tried to Do Here,</i> Rabbi Daniel G. Zemel
Artist in Residence	Philip Mayer, percussion
Student Cantor	Dana Bederson
Musicians	José Luiz Martins, piano; Pepe Gonzalez, bass; Kate Rears, cello; Abe Mamet, French horn; Dan Mack, mandolin and guitar; Nancy Illman, violin; Nathan Lofton, choir conductor
Kol Nidre Choir	Eli Blum, Heather Moran, Rabbi Slakman David Adler, David Asher, Gideon Culman, Lora Ferguson, Lois Fishman, Genie Grohman, Jennifer Gruber, Emily Hall, Stephanie Kaufman, Zachary Bergold Lynch, Nancy McKemie, Bill Page, Suzanne Saunders, John Sylak-Glassman, Sonia White
Greetings	Rielle Miller Gabriel

Lecha Eli Teshukati

Lecha eli teshukati, becha cheshki ve'ahavati
Lecha libi vechilyotai, lecha ruchi venishmati

Lecha yadai lecha raglai
u'mimach hee techunati
Lecha atsmi lecha dami ve'ori im geviyati

Lecha einai verayonai vtsoorati vetavniti
Lecha ruchi lecha kochi u'mivtachi vetikvati

Veyavoe yamei sheeloom,
v'teekrav et pekoodati
Veshemach et sheemati hoo meod
zati vey'a'reiti

Oomi yaamod l'fanecha,
oomi yehiye temoorati
Ve'ech cheshbon lecha ehten,
ve'ech etzdak b'taanati

U'ma ani u'ma chaiyai u'ma kochi ve'otsmati
Kekash nidaf me'od nehedaf ve'ech tizkor
meshugati.

My passion and my longings,
God, are for you.
My deepest desires and my loves,
God, are for you.
My heart and my kidneys, my spirit and my
breath, my hands and and my legs, my
character and my intuition.
My bones and my blood, my skin and my
eyes, my thoughts and my shape, my trust
and my hope.

לָךְ אֵלֵי תִשׁוּקָתִי בְּךָ חֶשְׁקִי וְאַהֲבָתִי
לָךְ לְבִי וְכָלִיוֹתַי לָךְ רוּחִי וְנִשְׁמָתִי

לָךְ יָדַי לְרַגְלֵי וּמִמַּח הִיא תִכְוֶנְתִּי
לָךְ עֲצָמֵי לָךְ דָּמִי וְעוֹרִי עִם גּוֹיֹתַי

לָךְ עֵינַי וְרַעֲיוֹנַי וְצוֹרְתֵי וְתִבְנִיתִי
לָךְ רוּחִי לָךְ כָּחִי וּמִבְטָחִי וְתִקְוֹתִי

יָבֵאוּ יָמֵי שְׁלוֹם וְתִקְרַב עֵת פְּקֻדָּתִי
שְׁמַעְךָ עֵת שְׁמַעְתִּיהוּ מְאֹד זְעַתִּי
וְיֵרָאֵתִי

וּיְמֵי יַעֲמֵד לְפָנֶיךָ וּיְמֵי יִהְיֶה תִּמְוֹרְתֵךְ
וְאֵיךְ חֶשְׁבוֹן לָךְ אָתָּן וְאֵיךְ אֶצְדַּק
בְּטַעֲנֹתַי

וּיְמָה אֲנִי וּיְמָה חַיִּי וּיְמָה כָּחִי וְעֲצָמֹתַי
כְּקֹשׁ נֹדֵף מְאֹד נִהָדָף וְאֵי תִזְכָּר
מְשׁוּגָתִי.

Because what am I?
And what is my life?
What is my strength and what is my
influence?
Like fallen straw swept away,
How will my mistakes be remembered?
May I find protection and home
in your hidden light.
And beneath the shade of your wings
grant me space to remain.

Shalom Aleichem

Shalom aleichem, malachei hashareit,
malachei Elyon,
mimelech mal'chei hamlachim,
HaKadosh Baruch Hu.

שְׁלוֹם עֲלֵיכֶם, מַלְאָכֵי הַשָּׁרֵת,
מַלְאָכֵי עֲלִיּוֹן,
מִמְלֶךְ מַלְכֵי הַמַּלְאָכִים,
הַקְּדוֹשׁ בְּרוּךְ הוּא.

Bo-achem l'shalom, malachei hashalom,
malachei Elyon,
mimelech mal'chei hamlachim,
HaKadosh Baruch Hu.

בּוֹאֲכֶם לְשָׁלוֹם, מַלְאָכֵי הַשָּׁלוֹם,
מַלְאָכֵי עֲלִיּוֹן,
מִמְלֶךְ מַלְכֵי הַמַּלְאָכִים,
הַקְּדוֹשׁ בְּרוּךְ הוּא.

Bar'chuni l'shalom, malachei hashalom,
malachei Elyon,
mimelech mal'chei hamlachim,
HaKadosh Baruch Hu.

בְּרַכּוּנִי לְשָׁלוֹם, מַלְאָכֵי הַשָּׁלוֹם,
מַלְאָכֵי עֲלִיּוֹן,
מִמְלֶךְ מַלְכֵי הַמַּלְאָכִים,
הַקְּדוֹשׁ בְּרוּךְ הוּא.

Tzeit'chem l'shalom, malachei hashalom,
malachei Elyon,
mimelech mal'chei hamlachim,
HaKadosh Baruch Hu.

צֵאתְכֶם לְשָׁלוֹם, מַלְאָכֵי הַשָּׁלוֹם,
מַלְאָכֵי עֲלִיּוֹן,
מִמְלֶךְ מַלְכֵי הַמַּלְאָכִים,
הַקְּדוֹשׁ בְּרוּךְ הוּא.

Peace be to you... Enter in peace...

Bless me with peace... Depart in peace...

O ministering angels, messengers of the Most High, Majesty of majesties, Holy One of Blessing.

O messengers of peace, angels of the Most High, Majesty of majesties, Holy One of Blessing.

Hashkivenu

Ma Tovv

Hashkiveinu Adonai Eloheinu l'shalom,
V'haamideinu Shomreinu, l'chaim
Ufros aleinu sukkat sh'lomecha,
ufros aleinu sukkat sh'lomecha, Amen.

הַשְׁכִּיבֵנוּ יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ לְשָׁלוֹם,
וְהַעֲמִידֵנוּ שׁוֹמְרֵינוּ לְחַיִּים
וּפְרוֹשׁ עָלֵינוּ סֻכַּת שְׁלוֹמְךָ, אָמֵן.

Shelter them beneath your wings, O Adonai
Guard them from all harmful things, O Adonai
Keep them safe throughout the night
'til they wake with morning's light
Teach us, God, wrong from right. Amen.

Yah, Ana Emtza'acha?

Yah, ana emtza'acha?
M'kom'cha na'alah v'ne'elam!
V'anah lo emtza'acha?
K'vodcha maleh olam!

יְהָ, אַנָּה אֶמְצָאָךְ?
מִקוֹמְךָ נֵעְלָה וְנֵעָלַם!
וְאַנָּה לֹא אֶמְצָאָךְ?
כְּבוֹדְךָ מִלֵּא עוֹלָם!

Darashti kirvatcha
B'chol libi k'raticha
Uv'tzeiti likratcha
Likrati m'tzaticha.

דָּרַשְׁתִּי קִרְבְּתְךָ,
בְּכָל-לִבִּי קִרְאתִיךָ,
וּבְצִאתִי לְקִרְאתְךָ -
לְקִרְאתִי מִצִּאתִיךָ.

*God, where might I find You? Your domain is high and hidden.
Yet, where shall I not find You? Your glory fills the world.
I yearn for Your nearness. I call to You with all my heart.
And in going out to meet You I find You coming toward me.*

We Remember Those Lost to Violence in Washington, DC

Eric Alexander, 30, Hyattsville, MD; Najee Dickens, 33, NE DC;
Teresa Francisco, 53, NE DC; Dominic Johnson, 34, Capitol Heights, MD;
Tiara Thompson, 43, NW DC

Yahrzeit

Robert David Allender, Phyllis Appel Bell, Anita Beloff, Laurel Bergold,
Tessie Birman, Raymond Busker, Jean Dattner, Charles Davisson, Esther Dunsay,
Isabel Field, Charlotte Funston, Josef Karl Gartner, Harvey Gershbein,
Samuel Gottlieb, Edward Greenberg, Simon Hadley, Irene Heskes, Milton Hillman,
Constance D. Jacob, Meryl Klarin, Paul Lavilla, Donna Newman, William Paul,
Jonathan Regunberg, Daniel Rosenbaum, Harold Rosenberg, Donald Rothberg,
Joel Rudick, Margery Waxman, Jean Wentworth

Schedule of Yom Kippur Services | October 12

Young Children's Service *at Temple Micah* – 9:00 am (no livestream available)

Family-Friendly Service *at Temple Micah* – 10:30 am (no livestream available)

Sanctuary Service at NUMC – 10:30 am (**livestream available**)

1:15 – Ask the Rabbis

2:15 – Break

3:00 – Guest Speaker Diana Butler Bass: *Finding Home - A Spiritual Longing
and a Moral Challenge*

4:15 – Afternoon Services

5785 Underwear Drive: Bring Donations to NUMC Tomorrow, October 12

The 6th Grade class is conducting our annual underwear drive to support those in need through the Community Council for the Homeless/Friendship Place. Return your bags full of new underwear on Yom Kippur morning at NUMC! Please note that after Yom Kippur, all donations of underwear must be made via the QR code and wishlist on our website. We are unable to take donations at 2829 Wisconsin Avenue NW—thank you for your understanding.

Diana Butler Bass: Finding Home - A Spiritual Longing and a Moral Challenge

National United Methodist Church sanctuary, 3:00 pm, October 12

Diana Butler Bass is an American historian of Christianity and an advocate for progressive Christianity. She is the author of eleven books. (Rabbi Zemel has read and recommends them all.) She earned a PhD in religious studies from Duke University with an emphasis on American ecclesiastical history. Dr. Bass's articles have appeared in the *New York Times* and *Washington Post*, as well as many other publications. She authors a Substack newsletter, *The Cottage* (another Rabbi Zemel recommendation). Dr. Bass has lectured at Micah many times over the years. Rabbi Zemel is honored to count her as a dear friend.

Erev Sukkot in the Sukkah – October 16

Join us to welcome Shabbat in our sukkah at 6:30 pm Wednesday, October 16. (Please note: no livestream is available in the sukkah.)

Erev Simchat Torah Service – October 23

5:30 pm, with pizza party following

This in-person service is open to all – no registration required. See our weekly email on October 15 to join the pizza party (optional, \$8 per person).

Simchat Torah Service - October 24

10:15 am, Temple Micah Sukkah

Immediately following Sukkot, we observe Simchat Torah, celebrating the completion of the annual reading of the Torah and affirming Torah as one of the pillars on which we build our lives. This in-person service is open to all – no registration required. Please note: no livestream is available in the sukkah.

Temple Micah acknowledges our space stands on the traditional territory of the Piscataway and Nacotchtank (Anacostan) peoples. We pay respect to their elders past and present and recognize their stewardship of this land and the vital contribution of indigenous peoples to this nation we share.