

# TAO - The South Florida Center for Jewish Renewal

Since 1986



# SHALOM AND WELCOME



## Upcoming Programs & Events

TAO Events to  
Schedule  
August 28, 2008

### New this week

**NO Wisdom Class Monday, September 1.** Happy Labor Day.

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**First Choir Practice for the High Holy Days** is Wednesday, September 3 at 7pm at Between Heaven & Earth. If you have sung with our choir previously or would like to join this year, you are very welcome. Please call Heidi List at 954-979-1845 and let her know you are attending.

You can now register online for the High Holy Days... if you haven't done so already by mail. [Just click here.](#)

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There's a new **Heart to Heart** message and a new **Classified Ad** in this week's newsletter. Please check them out.

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**It takes a Community** and that's why we turn to our TAO family. Ron Gotlin kindly volunteered to take the helm of the set-up and break down of High Holy Day services as well as getting the space back in order at the end of each day for the following day. He and TAO need your help. If you can help put out books or papers or empty boxes and set up chairs, we are looking for you!

We set up the day prior to services and break down at the conclusion of Yom Kippur services. Please let us know if you can help and when.

**In addition we need ushers for all services.** Contact the office to offer your assistance. 954-252-1313.

### Welcome to TAO

At TAO, you find joy, meaning & purpose to life. We identify universal truths rooted in Torah, Kabbalah and other traditional Jewish sources and draw deeply on our inner truths, communal wisdom and spiritual traditions in accordance with the ongoing process of the living Torah.

Meditation, dance, chanting, song and music, present in Judaism throughout the ages, is an integral part of our services.

Join us and embark on a spiritual journey into your Jewish soul!

### Condolences

To Lisa Lachs and family on the passing of her beloved aunt, Selma Kooper.

### Healing Prayers



The following people may need help remembering they are whole and healthy.

Please, whenever you are with them and whenever you think about them... see them as

**Please volunteer to help with registration for High Holy Days** for a span of time prior to and during the beginning of each service. Thanks lots. Call to volunteer: 954-252-1313

## In the next 2 weeks

Sep 01 - **NO** Wisdom Class, Labor Day  
Sep 03 - Choir Practice for HH Days  
Sep 05 - Friday Shabbos Service

Sep 06 - Youth Spirituality Group  
Sep 07 - Programming Committee, RSVP now!

Sep 08 - Wisdom Class Movie, Anne Goldberg's

Sep 14 - Town Hall Meeting (Member Only Event)  
Sep 15 - Wisdom Class, Teshuva - Linda Weissman  
Sep 20 - Selichot Havdallah (Member Only Event)

[Click here to print a copy of the TAO calendar](#), to post on your refrigerator.

## For your information

Click and Go! Click any item "In this Issue" below, and you will go there directly.

Forward a copy of this email to friends and family who will enjoy TAO.

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whole and perfect.

Harvey Rothstein (Scott's father and Gay's husband), David Leonard (Kathy Leonard's son), Chris Hogan (cousin of Charles Tischler), David Silverman (Ken Gilgoff's uncle), Gabi Boraks (Carole Constad's cousin), Martin Sutker (Carole Constad's son-in-law), Patti Halprin, Sonia Maiden, Heather Kornick, Caren Vivado, Ephraim ben Mira Leah (Greg), Rochelle Tishchler's nephew, Barbara Berg, Adam Atkin, Angela Weiss, Wayne Andrew, Joni Fine, Edward Seitz, Karen Tina Sheskin, Yonah bat Mazel Tov, Yitzchak Ben Rachel Yisraelit, Brianna Dalnas, Myrna Greissman and Josh Gardner.

Please contact the office with requests for additions to the Healing Prayers and Condolences lists. We respect your desire to privacy and will only list with your permission. Please notify TAO office to remove names from healing.

## Transportation As One (TAO)



There are people from Miami to Aventura to Boca to Palm Beach who want to attend Services and Wisdom Class and are unable or uncomfortable driving. If you are willing to take someone with you, please email [Jenae](#), and we'll update the list to help make it easy for everyone to attend and participate in our events.

Even if you don't mind driving, it's the green thing to do! Carpooling will conserve gas

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It is a blessing to have you join us at our High Holy Day services and the ongoing celebration of Jewish Renewal.

Print forms and mail: [Member](#) · [Non-Members](#)

For High Holy Day services **we're back at the Westin Cypress Creek**, just east of I-95 on Cypress Creek Rd. The service schedule is:

**Rosh Hashanah 5769**

10am - Tuesday, September 30

10am - Wednesday, October 1

**Yom Kippur 5769**

6:30 pm - Wednesday, October 8

10:30 am - Thursday, October 9

Our special price for non-members is \$159 for adults, \$54 for students (13-21) and \$18 for children (6-12).

Members receive a discount for adult guests: \$136.

**As a reminder...**

TAO single memberships include one ticket to all High Holy Day services, and Family Memberships include two adult and up to two student tickets.

and offer the opportunity to enjoy your TAO friends at the same time.

Click [here](#) for a list of volunteers.

## Job Opportunities



TAO members looking for employers or employees are welcome to place a one paragraph announcement in the TAO newsletter at no charge. Employers wishing to [give Tzedakah](#) are invited to do so. Email your announcement to [Jenae@SalesPowerhouse.com](mailto:Jenae@SalesPowerhouse.com)

**Rochelle Tischler is seeking part or full time position.**

Excellent computer skills. Great phone personality. Full myriad of office skills. Good with people. Multi-tasker. Flexible. Contact Rochelle Tischler at (954) 249-6941 or [RTisch2147@aol.com](mailto:RTisch2147@aol.com).

**Bob Offer is seeking immediate work:**

Warehouse, maintenance, painting, etc. I'm good at organizing, event planning etc. I can do salaried selling and marketing of all types. I've opened and run four companies, two in Europe and, of course, can drum and play the flute. I can help you launch a new career in extreme life make-overs to help others avoid the mistakes I made (financial life planning), make-over spiritual and personal life purpose counseling, health, etc., do deep home cleaning and garage sales. References on request. Call Bob at (954) 801-8300 or [Bob@OfferInc.com](mailto:Bob@OfferInc.com)

You will relish in the Jewish Renewal experience anytime you wish throughout the year as you become a part of our TAO Family.

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**Annual Break-the-Fast Dinner and Dance**

Thursday night, October 9 after services is limited to 150.

Seats are available on a first come basis... register early to guarantee your seat.

Adults: \$44, Children 6-12: \$23

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Yom Kippur is distinguished by the Yizkor Memorial Service. In Yizkor (May He Remember) prayers, we ask Hashem to remember the souls of our loved ones who passed. These include primarily family members; husbands and wives, parents and grandparents, brothers and sisters, aunts and uncles and children. Whether you will be worshipping with us or not, we believe you will wish to have a memory of your departed loved ones included in the **Yizkor "Scroll of Remembrance" Book**. Special prayers for those recorded will be recited by the Rabbis.

You can also have their names permanently inscribed on the gorgeous, memorial [Yahrtzeit plaque](#).

May the New Year be one of abundant blessings for you, your dear ones and the world. We look forward to greeting you soon and worshipping together at the upcoming High Holy Day Services.

## Classified Ads

In this section, you may run a Classified ad for your business, garage sale, etc. It's \$36 (members) \$54 (non-members) and the ad runs for one month. NOTE: Newsletter is published on Thursday mornings. Ads received by Tuesdays will be in the following Thursday's newsletter. Each ad is up to five lines which may include a link to your website. Include a photo for only \$18 more. [Click here to purchase your ad.](#)



**ZU Galeria Fine Arts presents *Armaduras - Sculptures by Dora Fiser, a new exhibit***

September 14-30, 5:30-9:00pm

ZU Galeria Fine Arts:  
2248 SW 8th St., Miami 33135

## Heart to Heart



Share what's in your heart: simchas, gratitude, love, appreciation, life events. This is a sacred space where we give each other the gift of our words. \$18 donation per listing. [Share your heart.](#)



Thank you to friends and loved ones in our TAO Family for the outpouring of love and support on the recent untimely loss of my brother Steven. This is a very difficult time in our lives for our entire family. Knowing that you are all there provides us with great comfort. Thank you for caring.

♥♥ With love,  
Renee Greene & Family ♥♥

View [pictures](#) of the July 4 Picnic & Drumming Circle.

[Read about the cruise](#) and Rabbi Marc's teachings.

View [pictures](#) of the 40th Tribute to Rabbi Marc.

## Upcoming TAO Events

**September 7, 2008**  
Programming Meeting

**September 14, 2008**  
Town Hall Meeting  
Members Only Event

**September 20, 2008**  
Havdallah / Selichot  
Members Only Event

**High Holy Days Services**  
Westin Hotel, Cypress Creek Road (east) & I-95

Questions? 786-443-5872 or  
[www.ZuGaleria.com](http://www.ZuGaleria.com), [www.ZuGaleria.Skyrock.com](http://www.ZuGaleria.Skyrock.com).

### Are sales lower than you need?

Do you know what you can do to increase sales? Nationally recognized sales expert, Jenae Rubin can help. Call 954-476-0067 or click here...  
[Overcome.Overcoming.Objections - SalesPowerhouse.com](http://Overcome.Overcoming.Objections-SalesPowerhouse.com)

Join Our Mailing List!

## Sept 3 - Choir Practice

**7pm**

Between Heaven and Earth



Join us for our first Choir practice for the High Holy Days. If you would like to join us (first timers or return members), please call Heidi List and let her know you'll be attending. 954-979-1845.

## Sept 5 - Friday Shabbos Service



**Bring a friend, your children and grandchildren.**

*Share the joy.*

In our sacred services, you will feel a sense of belonging to a committed and loving group.

### Services:

First & Third Fridays  
Fourth Saturday (Unless noted otherwise)  
Summer Schedule Varies

### Regular Friday Night Services

7:10 - Cantorial Chants  
7:30 - Services Begin

### September 5 Service

"Everything You Wanted to Know About Rosh Hashanah and Were Afraid to Ask!" Our Holy Rabbis will answer your questions about this Holiday at the lively "Ask the Rabbi" discussion at this Service. Come prepared to learn and ask.

*Rosh Hashanah*  
Tuesday September 30  
Wednesday, October 1

*Yom Kippur*  
Kol Nidre - Wednesday,  
October 8 (evening)  
Thursday, October 9

## Oneg Sponsors

Please sponsor a Friday Shabbos or Saturday Shabbat Oneg, contact Renee or Dee at (954) 252-1313.

## Great Books & CDs



**2008 Miraculous Living Calendars** are available.

Order them [here](#). Only \$15 each.

**Miraculous Living**, by Rabbi Shoni Labowitz *Miraculous Living* draws on the teachings of the Kabbalah including intention, wisdom, understanding, compassion, strength, harmony, success, glory, creativity, and nobility. Meditations are included in each chapter. For more

details and to order, click [here](#).



**Revive - New CD by Arik, Rabbi Marc's brother**

I (Rabbi Arik) am thrilled to announce the arrival of my new Jewish music CD, *Revive*. There are some original and some favorites that I recorded with my musical collaborator

**Please help set up and break down.** You may just show up (at about 6:30pm) or contact the office (954-252-1313) for details or to advise us of your wish to help. Thanks for this mitzvah.

**Please help with cleanup after Friday Services.** Very few people do, and it's a lot of pressure on the Rabbi and the few who are. Thank you so much!!

**If you are willing to help sign in attendees to Services,** please call Dee at the office: 954-252-1313.

## Upcoming Service Schedule

Schedule these dates in your calendar:

### Summer 2008

Sept 20 - Saturday, Havdallah/Selichot

### High Holy Days 2008

Sept 30 - Rosh Hashanah, Westin Hotel

Oct 1 - Rosh Hashanah, Westin Hotel

Oct 8 - Yom Kippur, Kol Nidre

Oct 9 - Yom Kippur

Oct 17 - Friday night, Sukkot

Oct 24 - Friday night, Simchat Torah

**Back to the First and Third Fridays and regular monthly Saturday Services** (see schedule under Saturday Services article)

Nov 7 and 21

Dec 5 and 19

### 2009

Jan 2 and 16

Feb 6 and 20

Mar 6 and 20

Apr 3 and 17

May 1 and 15

Jun 5 and 19

## Oneg Sponsors

**Celebrate your special occasion** (birthday, anniversary, promotion) or say thank you or honor someone special by sponsoring an Oneg. Full and partial sponsorships are possible. Sponsorships benefit your business too as it is publicized at the service, in our newsletter and website. The Rabbi will personally acknowledge and thank you.

To sponsor an upcoming Oneg, call the office to schedule: 954-252-1313.

and flute player  
extraordinaire, Maxxine Smith.

Maxxine and I recorded "Simu Lev" ("Give Your Heart," in Hebrew). People responded so positively, we decided to record another (slightly better produced) CD. We're excited about the result.

You can (preferably) buy the CDs directly from me. *Revive* is \$18 and *Simu Lev* is \$15. Or get both for only \$30 plus \$2 for shipping.

To order, please make a check payable to "Simu Lev" and send to: Arik Labowitz, 2203 Spaulding Ave., Berkeley, CA 94703

The CDs are also available on CD Baby ([www.CDbaby.com](http://www.CDbaby.com)), with [samples to listen to](#).

If you know a Jewish bookstore, synagogue, community, or friends that might be interested in buying or promoting this music, please let me know.

I hope you enjoy the music!  
Arik

## Ongoing TAO Programs

### Affiliate Relationships

When you buy through the ads in our newsletter or the ones on the TAO home or links pages, TAO receives a donation for every purchase you make. It's an easy way to give, and we appreciate it. Thank you! [Amazon.com](http://Amazon.com) - You know them for new, like new, and used books, DVDs & VHS. You can also buy BRAND NAME clothing & accessories; computer, office supplies & electronics, food, groceries & household items; health &

**Feel free to bring a dish to share too!** Please write your name on homemade dishes for people who would like recipes. Thanks!

## Shabbos Food Drive

Please bring canned food to services for those who are hungry every day of the year. We are helping the Broward County Cooperative Feeding Program, so bring non-perishable food to services. Each time we bring our dancing feet to prayer and to The Holy One, we can fill our hands with cans. Help continue our mission.

## Location

ArtServe, 1350 East Sunrise Blvd, Ft. Lauderdale

[Directions](#)

## Sept 6 - Young Spirituality Group

**6:30 pm**

The group will meet at the home of Sara & Avery Liss in Miami Beach. Open to those in their 20's-30's.

The topic for discussion is up to you this time! Please email or call Andrea with discussion ideas.

Bring a friend. Make a friend,

Andrea

### R.S.V.P. for directions

Questions? Contact chairperson

[Andrea\\_Santiago@msn.com](mailto:Andrea_Santiago@msn.com).

## Sept 7 - Programming Meeting

**12:30pm**

### It's time again to plan TAO's magical programming meeting

Our wonderful classes and events are possible because of the dedication and hard work of our volunteers. If you have programming ideas, would like to participate in this meeting, or possibly chair or volunteer at an event, please join us at the home of Renee Greene and Michael Fish.

RSVP's are a must. [Directions](#). Please call Anne Goldberg 954-476-0110.

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## Tree of Life



Expressing the unique spiritual grace and energy

reflecting our loving Oneness. . . that's our Tree of Life.

Gift a leaf as to your loved ones. Each honors a person or couple. Celebrate birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, births, marriages. . . life!

[Order a leaf](#) and show someone how much you love them. . . forever.

## Cartridges for kids

Please save your used printer and fax cartridges, cell phones, laptops, and pda's. Bring them to services or the TAO office. You will help save the environment and raise much needed funds.

If you own or work at a

## Sep 7 - Sunday Hebrew Classes



Sundays  
11:00-12:30

Learn how to read Hebrew. Classes are held three Sundays a month.

### Upcoming Schedule

Sep - 14, 21

### Location

Penny Cheever's home in Fort Lauderdale, off I-95 & Davie Blvd. Directions will be sent to those who sign-up in advance.

## Sep 8 - Wisdom Class



Mondays  
7pm

### Summer Schedule

Sep 01 - No Class - Labor Day  
Sep 08 - Movie at Anne's home  
Sep 15 - Linda Weissman - Teshuva

### Sep 8 - Motivational Movie Monday Continues

Listen to Lynne McTaggart, author of "The Field" discuss the quantum connection in relationships: how our thoughts (both positive and negative) affect ourselves and others, and how our attitude, intention and mindfulness affect our daily lives in real and measurable ways. Last year CDs from this series prompted exciting discussions. Once again, this session promises to awaken and inspire us to follow the wisdom of Psalm 34, "Care for your words. They make your world." As always, healthy snacks to share are always welcome. Popcorn and soft drinks supplied. PLEASE RSVP to Anne directly at 954-476-0110. [Address & Directions](#)

### Sep 15 - "Teshuva & the 13 Attributes"

We recite the 13 Attributes on the High Holy Days. What are they, and how does this relate to Rosh Hashanah? Explore the significance of this High Holy Day recitation. Linda Weissman, facilitator.

### Returning in the Fall. . .

Join Monday night Wisdom Class from the comfort of your home. Once again, you can attend virtually... via telephone from home or while you're on the road. [Read more and register.](#)

business that is willing to help collect these items, contact Renee at the office. We will arrange for pick-ups at businesses throughout Dade, Broward and Palm Beach Counties. Thank you for helping.

### TAO Networking...

A place where members showcase their business. Look for "Networking" on the home page under "Find it Fast." Members may add their listing, by clicking on "Join Network" in top right corner. Your listing will appear the day your membership status is verified. If you wish to offer a discount to TAO members, indicate such.

### Friends Make TAO More Fun!

**Forward a copy of this email** to your friends and family. There's a link in the bottom left corner of this email. Clicking here allows you to send it to multiple people at once and to add a note telling them what events you are going to and invite them to join you. The more the merrier!

### Patrons

We apologize for any oversights. Please let us know if we forgot to list you. List updated quarterly.

Adam & Pearl Atkin  
Elaine Bloom  
Jo Bacher Bloom  
Ken Fisher  
Patti Halprin  
Fleur & Bob Heaton  
Rochelle & Richard Horowitz  
Sandy King  
Dianne & Nolan Lerner  
Roz & Robert Perlmutter



**At Wisdom Classes, we begin with a sweet prayer set to music.** We sing, chant and dance together, opening our hearts and our minds. Then Rabbi Marc leads us through a magical, mystical journey into the wisdom of our sages. We are transfixed by his wisdom, compassion and humor. You must experience this class to understand how powerful it is. Join us and see for yourself how wise and special our teacher is and how refreshed you will feel when you leave from this evening.

\$10 donation at venue or [online](#).

**Location & Directions**

Between Heaven & Earth Health Center  
3601 W. Commercial Blvd., #25, Ft. Lauderdale.

## Sept 14 - Town Hall Meeting



TAO's Town Hall Meeting & Board Installation is at Rabbi Marc's home September 14 at 4pm. Current members only are invited to join us for coffee and cake and interact with our Board and Rabbis. What a great opportunity to meet up and go out to dinner with your friends after. We look forward to seeing you there.

## Sep 16 - Women's Spirituality Group



**Third Tuesday  
7 pm**

Women's Spirituality Group is a sacred circle of spiritual women who want to grow and share their souls. Participation requires no prior experience, just an open heart and willingness to be in the company of loving, accepting friends. We neither solve problems nor give advice; we listen and learn, love and accept. Join us.

**Location & Directions:** Myrna Wolf's home

**Facilitator:** Marcia Sweedler

**RSVP -** [MyrnaWolf07@comcast.net](mailto:MyrnaWolf07@comcast.net) or 954-370-4528.

If you are not on the email list for the women's spirituality group and would like to be, email Marcia Sweedler at [MSweedle@nova.edu](mailto:MSweedle@nova.edu).

**\*NOTE: Non-Members may attend two Member Events as Guests before joining TAO.**

Sharon Raddock  
Joan Rosenwasser  
Florence Ross & Andy Leeds  
Kim & Scott Rothstein  
Elena & Bruce Sher  
Bob Schwartz  
Barry Snyder  
Marcia Sweedler  
Carrie Wasserman  
Lisa & Doug Weiner  
Ethelind Wiener & Renee Deleeuw  
Linda & Jeffrey Weissman  
Irene Yovu

## Volunteers

We apologize for any oversights. Please let us know if we forgot to list you. List updated quarterly.

Elaine Bloom  
Penny Cheever  
Carole Constad  
Trudi Degrazia  
Joyce Finn  
Carey Frank  
Kate GeMeiner  
Anne Goldberg  
Sandy Goldman  
Joyce Goobic  
Patti Halprin  
Bob Heaton  
Fleur Heaton  
Rhonda Hey  
Carol Himmel  
Les Himmel  
Herb Hoffman  
Sandy King  
Richard Kramer  
Alan Kurtzman  
Paulina Labowitz  
Kathy Leonard  
Donna Levine  
Heidi List  
Ynge Ljung  
Rivka Maidan  
Scott Mayer  
Gail Rogers  
Karen Rosenfeld  
Florence Ross  
Jenae Rubin  
Dee Sacks  
Andrea Santiago  
Norma Seegal

## Sept 20 - Selichot Havdallah

**Join us at September 20 at 9 p.m. Selichot Service as we prepare for the High Holy Days.** This is a time for reflecting on love and relationships, especially your love and relationship to yourself, to God, to the Divine nature within you.

As is our tradition at TAO, the Mikvah ritual (immersion in the pool) will be part of the Selichot program, so please bring your bathing suit and towel.

This is a pot-luck event, so also please bring a vegetarian, dairy or parve dish to share.

Many thanks to **Rochelle Horowitz** who volunteered to coordinate the food and manage the clean up at Florence's home. Please contact Rochelle to help with set up and clean up: 954-530-5873 or [Rochor20@aol.com](mailto:Rochor20@aol.com).



**When:** Beginning at 9 p.m.

**Where:** Home of Florence Ross & Andrew Leeds

4401 Queen Palm Lane, Tamarac, [Directions](#)

**R.S.V.P.** to the Office

954-252-1313 or [TAOAdmin@TAOCenter.net](mailto:TAOAdmin@TAOCenter.net).

**NOTE:** This is a Member Event for those who renewed membership. [Click here to renew now](#).

## Membership Dues - Due NOW!



It's that time of year again. Time to Renew your commitment and love to TAO and your TAO friends.

### Membership Benefits

- Free Admission to High Holy Days
- Admission to July 26 Member Appreciation Party!
- Saturday Shabbos Services at Rabbi's Home
- Discounts at TAO Events
- Reduced Advertising Rates in this Newsletter
- Attendance at Member Only Events like Women's and Men's Spirituality Groups

Shirley Shelpman  
Marti Sinnreich  
Helen Skinner  
Hindy Stegman  
Caren Vivado  
Janice Weintraub  
Arnie Welber  
Linda & Jeffrey Weissman  
Myrna Wolf  
Elyn Zerfas

## Join a Committee

Participating on a committee enriches your life and builds meaningful relationships. Call TAO today: 954-252-1313 or a Committee Chairperson. Thank you.

## Board of Directors

### Rabbis

Rabbi Phil Labowitz  
Rabbi Marc Labowitz

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### President

Myrna Wolf

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### High Holy Days

Dee Sacks

### Membership

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### Spirituality Groups

Men - Rabbi Marc  
Women - Marcia Sweedler  
Youth - Andrea Santiago

### Nichum (Bereavement)

Kate GeMeiner

### Oneg

**And most importantly, you** will support and be a part of a joyous, loving community. *Nothing beats that!*

Your membership empowers TAO and Jewish Renewal. Your participation is crucial to the continuation and growth of a home for us. Just as in an election where each vote counts, your personal contribution tells us that you care and are willing to be counted as a supporter of our Jewish Renewal Center. Your membership allows the continued growth of our community.

Please review and consider donating the higher level of membership if at all possible, for there truly are some that cannot afford even the basic level of giving. We turn no one away. Anyone who wants to pray with us is welcome.

What you derive from membership is priceless and often cannot be put into words, but without the price, we can't offer the service.

[Join online now.](#)  
[Review membership packages and print forms.](#)

## Reminders



**Parents... Does your high school student need Community Service Hours?** TAO and Rabbi Marc have many opportunities to fulfill service hour requirements. Call the Rabbi at 954-822-8430 or Anne Goldberg at 954-476-0770 to volunteer.

**It's time to renew your membership.** Help us save mailing costs and be eco-friendly. Register online now. Remember... High Holy Day tickets are included with membership.

[Join Now](#) · [Review Membership & Mail Forms](#)

**Do you have a timeshare you're not using or are willing to donate** to TAO for fundraising? Please contact the office with details: 954-252-1313.

**Run a classified ad or advertise your business** in this newsletter. It's very affordable... and tzedakah to TAO. What a great double benefit! Look at the article below. [Click here](#) to purchase your classified ad. Each ad runs for one month. WOW!

Tell someone how much you appreciate them. Write a Heart to Heart message. Donation is only \$18. What a mitzva! Click [here](#) to start.

Anne Goldberg  
Patti Halprin  
Fleur Heaton  
Sandy King  
Gail Rogers  
Marti Sinnreich  
Caren Vivado  
Elyn Zervas

### Spirit at Sea

Marcia Sweedler  
Trudi DiGrazia

### Women's Spirituality Group

Marcia Sweedler

### Youth Spirituality Group

Andrea Santiago

### Choir & Musicians

Cary Frank  
Anne Goldberg  
Joyce Goobic  
Bob Heaton  
Rebbetzin Paulina

## Nourish Your Soul



Donations to TAO are tax deductible.

Sponsor this newsletter or make a

[donation](#). We are, as always, so grateful for your passion and love for TAO.

Newsletter sponsorships are \$180 for one week and \$480 for four. Call 954-252-1313 to reserve your dates.

Your support makes a huge impact on the work we do. Many of us, without TAO, would not be affiliated. TAO, The South Florida Center for Jewish Renewal, brings a special connection to you, the Divine and Judaism.

**Please remember TAO in your will.**

## Oct 18 - Men's Spirituality Group



**1:00-2:30pm**  
Saturdays after service

Rabbi Marc facilitates. Invite a friend or neighbor to learn and enjoy.\*

**This group is growing and well attended. If you haven't been (in a while,) come. You'll be glad you did.**

We want to make sure we don't lose the ability to continue to have events at the Rabbi's home, so please follow one of these procedures regarding parking:

1. If you can, please park on Flamingo and enter through the back. It's a brief walk and it allows the closer parking spots for those who can not walk as far.
2. Drive to the Rabbi's house. An attendant will give you a handout with the places you may park. **YOU MAY NOT PARK ANYWHERE YOU WISH** other than on Flamingo. Rabbi Marc did a lot of work to secure parking places acceptable to his development's Board and the City. We must respect the allotments and not park elsewhere.

Please respect the neighbors if they should ask you to move your car or not park in their swale - even if they had previously given permission to park there. By being respectful of their wishes, it will guarantee fewer problems in the future.

### **Upcoming Meetings, 2008**

No Meetings in July or August

Oct 18

Nov 29 (Fifth Saturday)

### **Location**

Men's Spirituality Group is at the home of Rabbi Marc and Paulina Labowitz following Saturday Shabbos service.

**\*NOTE: Non-members may attend twice before joining TAO.**

## Help Needed

**We are creating a Bikur Cholim (Comforting the Infirm)** and are looking for places to visit and we would love your input. Please let us know of Hospitals, ACLF's, Nursing or Rehab Facilities, Homes for the Blind, etc. you would like us to include in our tour.

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**Chair our P.R. Committee.** Call Myrna Wolf to volunteer or for answers to questions: (954) 370-4528 or [MyrnaWolf07@comcast.net](mailto:MyrnaWolf07@comcast.net)

**We are searching for new office space** in close proximity to Hiatus and 595 in Davie. If you have 3-4 rooms you are willing to lease to TAO, please let us know.

## Wednesdays with Rabbi Marc



### **Wednesday afternoons** *By appointment*

Every Wednesday, Rabbi Marc holds office hours by appointment. Call 954-252-1313 to schedule a private meeting.

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