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High Holy Days Committee
Of the New York Metropolitan Conference of Men of Reform Judaism*
HIGH HOLY DAYS SERVICES FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS
and YOUNG ADULTS AWAY FROM HOME

Our 43rd Year

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The High Holy Days Committee of the New York Metropolitan Conference of Men of Reform Judaism is again sponsoring FREE Reform High Holy Days services for Reform Jewish college students and young adults away from home.

For over 40 years, this unique organization has reached out to college, graduate and professional school students as well as faculty and military personnel. The services are currently held at St. Bart's in mid-town Manhattan and are led by Rabbi Leonard A. Schoolman, Director of St. Bart's Center for Religious Inquiry. The music for the services is provided by accomplished soloists from St. Bart's choir, who sing the traditional Hebrew and Aramaic melodies under the direction of Dr. Paolo Bordignon.

Our services for college youth, which we call a "once-a-year congregation," are dedicated to the late Bernie Silverman, beloved leader of our committee for over 30 years. His ideals and vision created a lasting sense of tolerance and community spirit. The committee is now coordinated by his wife, Naomi Gale Silverman, and chaired by Craig Mende.

The entire all-volunteer committee hopes that our work will continue to be publicized so that college students and other young adults away from home will be able to find a congregation for the holidays.

We thank you in advance for your help. L'SHANA TOVA.

The High Holy Days Committee

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Further information on our services, the music, and excerpts from Rabbi Schoolman's sermons from last year can be found on our website: www.BerniesServices.org

Services held at St. Bart's, Park Avenue at 51st Street, New York, NY 10022

ROSH HASHANAH:

Evening Service: Friday, Sept. 18 -- 6 pm
Morning Service: Saturday, Sept. 19 -- 10 am

YOM KIPPUR:

Kol Nidre: Sunday, Sept. 27 -- 8 pm
Morning Service: Monday, Sept. 28 --10 am
Yitzkor 1 pm (approx)
Torah Study 3 pm
Ne'ilah 5 pm