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FREE REFORM JEWISH HIGH HOLY DAYS SERVICES For College Students and Young Adults Away from Home

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

ROSH HASHANAH

Evening Service: Sunday, October 2 -- 6 pm Morning Service: Monday, October 3 -- 10 am

YOM KIPPUR

Evening Service: Tuesday, October 11 -- 8 pm Morning Service: Wednesday, October 12 -- 10 am

Services will be held at St. Bart's, Park Ave. at 51st St., New York, NY 10022

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ABOUT OUR SERVICES:

For 50 years, the High Holy Days Committee of the New York Metropolitan Conference of MRJ has reached out to college, graduate and professional school students away from home, as well as faculty and military personnel, to provide a place to celebrate the High Holy Days.

The services are currently held at St. Bart's in midtown Manhattan and are led by Rabbi Leonard A. Schoolman. 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. Jason Roberts.

Our services for college youth, a once-a-year congregation, are dedicated to the late Bernie Silverman, beloved leader of the Committee for over 30 years. His ideals and vision created a lasting sense of tolerance and community. Our services are referred to as "Bernie's Services" in his honor. Bernie's wife, Naomi Gale Silverman, continues to coordinate our services and serve as an inspiration to our Committee.

Further information on our services, the music, and excerpts from past sermons by Rabbi Schoolman can be found on our website: www.BerniesServices.org