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AND TEMPLE SINAI FOR



# A VIRTUAL CAMPFIRE

**Havdalah and Kumzits**

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8 AT 8PM  
VIA ZOOM

As the Shabbat departs, we will join together with soulful songs to give us hope and to lift our spirits.

If you're interested in leading a song, please contact Cantor Steve at [cantorsteve@ohavizedek.org](mailto:cantorsteve@ohavizedek.org) or Rabbi Edleson at [rabbi@templesinaivt.org](mailto:rabbi@templesinaivt.org)

## TEMPLE SINAI SERVICES AND EVENTS

Day	Date	Time	Description
	8/1-8/9		<b>Rabbi on Vacation</b> (but will be there for next weekend's Singalong Havdalah [Kumsitz] and the Sisterhood Book Club.)
Fri	8/7	6:30pm	<p><b>SHABBAT CELEBRATION w/ RABBI JAN SALZMAN and our CANTOR MARK LEOPOLD.</b></p>  <p>Rabbi is on vacation this week, so please show up and welcome Rabbi Salzman who will be leading services for us.</p>
Sat	8/8	9:30-10:30	<p><b>On-your-own MORNING SERVICE</b></p> <p>Even though we won't be having services together on Zoom, take this time to step into prayer in your own way, with your own words, and at your own pace. Maybe outside?</p>
Sat	8/8	10:30-12	<p><b>On-your-own TORAH STUDY: <u>EIKEV</u></b> (ctrl+ click for text, audio, and modern commentaries on the portion.) (We won't be meeting by Zoom this week.)</p>
Sat	8/8	8 pm	<p><b>KUMSITZ AND HAVDALAH SINAI AND OHAVI ZEDEK</b></p> <p>A <i>Kumsitz</i> (meaning 'come sit" in Yiddish) is a musical gathering, where we sit around the camp fire and sing songs. Even though we can't gather in person, we will get together (at your own fire if you have service and data) and sing campfire songs in English and in Hebrew, and we will have our HavdalaH together. ZOOM link on OZ's site.</p>
Fri	8/21-22	7:30 pm	<p><b>SAVE THE DATE - Shabbat/Rosh Hodesh ELUL Concert</b></p> <p><b>JOE BUCHANAN</b></p> <p><i>Americana with a Jewish Soul (see email)</i></p> 

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## Shalom Temple Sinai!

Happy Tu b'Av! Tu b'Av, ( the 15<sup>th</sup> of Av) is Jewish Valentines Day, a day devoted to love. It was an ancient tradition that fell out of practice but has been revived in recent decades. With all that is happening around, it is good to give thanks for the love we have in our lives.



I'm on vacation this week, Rabbi Jan Salzman and Mark Leopold will be leading Shabbat Services, and *I'll be back* for **Saturday Night's KUMSITZ** with Ohavi Zedek. A Kumsitz is

basically a Jewish campfire singalong, but this year, it will be virtual. We'll also enjoy Havdalah together.



Also, do put our **JOE BUCHANAN** concert on your calendars. He is an outstanding musician and storyteller, and we are lucky to have him here. Here is a link to his website with videos, songs, etc: <https://joebuchananmusic.com/home>



And a special THANK YOU to Evan Traylor and to everyone who turned out to hear him. His time with our Social Action Committee, his sermon and the discussion following were enlightening, thoughtful and inspiring. We'll be following him as he begins his rabbinic studies and career.

Now, back to vacation... Shalom, David