



# SELICHOT

## PROGRAM AND SERVICE

**Saturday, September 21, 2019**

*Congregation Beth Torah (6100 W. 127<sup>th</sup> St. OP, KS 66209)*

**8:00 p.m. DESSERT RECEPTION**

**8:45 p.m. HAVDALAH**

**9:00-10:00 p.m. PROGRAM**

Join our Community's Rabbis for Study and Conversation as we explore

**Hillel and Shamai: *What we can learn from Hillel and Shamai - Discord and Unity in Jewish Texts***

Explore texts that teach us how we can listen, challenge and connect with one another and be mindful, compassionate and generous in the year ahead, and how to discuss difficult topics in a civil manner.

***Jewish Pluralism: Discord and Unity in the Machzor Liturgy***

*Rabbis Doug Alpert and Sarah Smiley*

***Who's in and Who's out? An interactive Game on the Messiness of Coalitions***

*Rabbis David Glickman and Jonathan Rudnick*

***Vows and Their Consequences: Jewish Views on the Power of our Words***

*Rabbis Jon Kleinman, Monica Kleinman, Beryl Padorr*

***The Peaceful Path to Repentance***

*Rabbis Moshe Grussgott and Herbert Mandl*

***Hillel vs. Shamai – And You Shall Choose Life: A Question of Abortion in Jewish Life***

*Rabbis Javier Cattapan, Alan Londy, and Arthur Nemitoff*

**10:10 p.m. SELICHOT SERVICE**

*The late hour and the themes articulated in the liturgy will prepare the congregation for the Days of Awe and set the tone for the days ahead.*

*Led by Rabbis Alpert, Cattapan, Glickman, J. Kleinman, M. Kleinman, Leighton, Londy, Nemitoff, Padorr, Rudnick, Smiley, Steigman, Hazzan Ben Yehuda and a musical leadership team of soloists from congregations across the community and a community choir under the direction of Lara Steinel*

*Selichot services also take place at Midnight at Kehilath Israel and 1:05 am. at Beth Israel Abraham and Voliner.*

**To Register or for additional information, visit**

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