



SUKKOT 2018

NIGHTLY AT-THE-SUKKAH EVENTS

THEME: WATCHMEN ON THE WALL

Feel free to bring a picnic dinner for you and your family each night except for the first night, which is our congregational cookout (see below). On Saturday, September 29, please bring a dish to share for our annual taco night.

For each night, please bring a chair to sit in or blanket. You may also want to bring a jacket, light wrap, etc., as all activities will be outdoors (weather permitting) and the nights are beginning to get cooler. In the event of inclement weather, activities will be moved indoors to either Building 2 or the office. If you bring food, please remember that we will NOT be eating in the fellowship hall, but inside the *sukkah* or on the lawn (as weather permits).

Sunday, September 23 (6:00 p.m. for cookout): Join us as we kick-off our week of *Sukkot* activities. Plan to come early (around 5:00 p.m.) to help decorate the *sukkah*. Audrey will hold an edible *sukkah* contest for children who arrive early. CBA will provide the food: hamburgers, hot dogs, baked beans, coleslaw, and chips. We will eat picnic-style on the grounds around Building 2 and the *sukkah*, so remember to bring a chair or blanket.

Monday, September 24 (7:00-8:30 p.m.): Rabbi Rene will present a teaching on the lulav and Etrog. Afterwards, he will be available to answer any questions you may have about this joyous festival. You will then have an opportunity to say the traditional blessings with the lulav and Etrog, plus enjoy fellowship with your CBA family.

Tuesday, September 25 (7:00-8:30 p.m.): Back by popular demand—Bible trivia. After a successful run, Steve is retiring his role as “Pat Sajak” this year and Garry will step into his shoes. An added bonus: Laura will lead us in a time of prayer.

Wednesday, September 26 (7:00-8:30 p.m.): Cheryl and Nikki will introduce something new this year: impromptu Bible skits. Think you have what it takes to be an impromptu actor? Come on out and give it a try, while learning more about God’s Word.

Thursday, September 27 (7:00-8:30 p.m.): Sandra and Emma will host an evening of fun games for all ages. Come and enjoy the fellowship and excitement.

Friday, September 28 (7:00-9:00 p.m.): Since this is *Erev Shabbat*, we encourage you to bring your own dinner and fellowship with your CBA family. We will begin promptly at 7:00 p.m. with Shabbat prayers led by Steve and Cheryl. We will complete our evening with another back-by-popular-demand activity: karaoke (CBA-style, of course), hosted by Audrey. *Sukkot* is all about joy, so come on out and make a joyful (whether on-key or off-key) noise to our Lord! Just bring your own event-appropriate music on an MP3 player or other device that has a headphone jack so we can connect it to the karaoke machine—and don’t forget your lyrics. Then sing your heart out. Yes, it’s that simple.

Saturday, September 29 (6:00-8:30 p.m.): We will begin the evening with a taco dinner, after which we will have a short *Havdalah* service led by Steve and Cheryl. We will then encourage everyone to share testimonies (led by Lenina) and wrap up the night with fun and games (led by Audrey and Nikki).

Sunday, September 30 (6:00-8:30 p.m.): Our week of celebration will end with our annual tradition of the highly anticipated Ask-the-Rabbi with Rabbi Scott, a campfire, and make-your-own s’mores. (CBA will provide the ingredients—you just need to provide the roasting skills.) Is there a question you have been wanting to ask Rabbi Scott? Well, this is your opportunity. Come prepared to enjoy s’mores, fellowship, and get answers to your questions. Steve will host the evening.

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND PLAN TO JOIN US EACH EVENING OF SUKKOT AS WE FELLOWSHIP AND OBEY ADONAI’S COMMAND TO REJOICE DURING THE FEAST OF SUKKOT. THE CBA INTERCESSORY PRAYER TEAM LOOKS FORWARD TO CELEBRATING WITH YOU!

¹³You are to keep the festival of *Sukkot* for seven days after you have gathered the produce of your threshing-floor and winepress. ¹⁴Rejoice at your festival—you, your sons and daughters, your male and female slaves, the *L’vi’im*, and the foreigners, orphans and widows living among you. ¹⁵Seven days you are to keep the festival for *Adonai* your God in the place *Adonai* your God will choose, because *Adonai* your God will bless you in all your crops and in all your work, so you are to be full of joy!