

# Yom Kippur Open Mic - A JRC Tradition!



Please refer to JRC's website, [JRCtogether.org](https://www.jrc.together.org), for up-to-date information, registration links, and a list of FAQs, as our Covid restrictions may change in response to the Delta variant.

## Included in 9/16 Yom Kippur Morning Service via Zoom:

**Purpose:** A traditional Yom Kippur service includes a Musaf, an additional service—featuring Avodah—the offering of the High Priest. Similarly, JRC's Open Mic provides an opportunity for JRC members to make a personal offering by sharing reflections as we move into a new year. It is thoughtful reflections of diverse congregant voices that makes Open Mic so rich each year. We invite your participation via Zoom!

### Guidelines:

- Reflections may be in any narrative form: for example prose or poetry, and express a personal perspective
- Opinions should be expressed in a way that is sensitive to the congregation and to the privacy of congregational members.
- Reflections should be no longer than 500 words or 3 ½ minutes in length.

Reflections must be submitted to the V.P. for Ritual Practice, Marla Baker, before the start of Rosh Hashanah at [marla.hillel@gmail.com](mailto:marla.hillel@gmail.com). The V.P. for Ritual Practice retains the right to ask for revisions or to exclude any piece that doesn't meet guidelines.

**Deadline for submission: Monday, 9/6**

If you have any questions, please email [info@jrc.together.org](mailto:info@jrc.together.org) or call us at (847) 328-7678

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