

THE
VILLAGE
TEMPLE
SYNAPLEX™
SHABBAT

Friday,
October 12 &
Saturday,
October 13



Co-sponsored by



**Shabbat with a new twist at The Village Temple. Join us.
Friday, October 12:**

6:00 - 6:30 pm — **Kol Ram**

A meditative, musical warm-up to Shabbat with Rabbi Koster and Daniel Leanse

6:30 - 8:00 pm — **Junior Congregation**

Lead and participate in a service for kids, run by kids. The Junior Congregation's own Shabbat Dinner is followed by a musical, interactive Shabbat program for children, ages 8–12.

6:00 - 9:00 pm — **“Shabbat Kinder Care”**

Food, crafts, songs, stories and creative fun to introduce our youngest members to the joy of Shabbat. For children, ages 3 to 7.

6:30 - 8:00 pm — **Ethiopian Erev Shabbat Service**

Celebrate Shabbat while learning about Ethiopian Jewish history, culture and worship. Led by Rabbi Koster with Beejhy Barhany, Director of Beta Israel of North America (BINA) and friends.

8:00 - 9:00 pm — **Ethiopian Shabbat Dinner**

Catered by Massawa. Reservations Required.

9:00 - 10:00 — **Coffee Ceremony, Dessert & Conversation**

Coffee and dessert with BINA Director Beejhy Barhany and other special guests

Saturday, October 13

10:30am - noon — **Shabbat Morning Service**

6:00 - 7:00pm — **Kids Drumming Circle**

Facilitated by Akiva Wharton (Akiva the Believer). For children and parents, all ages.

7:00 - 7:30pm — **Havdallah Service**

7:30 - 9:00pm — **Documentary Film: Video Flour, directed by Avishai Mekonen**

with post-screening filmmaker discussion. Film sponsored by THE WELL: The Education Institute of The Village Temple ☆ Rose and Adolph Alexander Film and Lecture Series

Make your dinner reservations by Friday October 5

☆ \$25 per person, children 13 and under free

☆ Kinder Care is available from 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm during services & dinner for children ages 2–7

Name _____ Email Address _____

_____ Ethiopian Shabbat Dinner \$25 per person, children 13 and under free

_____ Kinder Care (no charge, but advance reservations required). Please include names and ages below.

Yes - I would be willing to sponsor a Synaplex Shabbat event ___\$18 ___\$36 ___\$54 ___\$72 ___\$90 ___\$108 ___ Other

Mail form and your check to: The Village Temple 33 East 12th Street, NY, NY 10003. For additional information: 212-674-2340.

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