

virus, we have some good news and some bad news.

The bad news first: Based on guidance from the Union for Reform Judaism, the American Guild of Temple Musicians, and the Lancaster County Health Department, we have made the difficult decision to continue streaming services via Zoom and our website until after the High Holy Days. This means all Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur services will be virtual.

Now, for the good news: By making the decision to go completely remote and not offer a hybrid option, we will be able to engage many members in similar or enhanced ways from our typical in-person service. For example, many will be able to read Torah or read from the prayer book without leaving their seat! We will be able to provide fully accessible services to our congregants.

The Pulpit Committee is working hard to ensure that engagement in the Days of Awe will be just as Awesome (pun intended) as they have always been. Be on the lookout for more detailed information in the near future.

As always, if you have questions or feedback about any of the Pulpit Committee's activities, please forward them to Steve Kaup, the Temple's Music Director.

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today, **Wednesday, August 5**
from **4:00 - 6:00 pm** via Zoom.

[Registration with this form](#) is required. Once you register you will be emailed the Zoom invitation.

Also, our first Community Conversation, which is open to the public, is scheduled for **Tuesday, August 11 at 7:00 pm**. Registration is required and limited to 25 participants, so sign up soon at this link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYoc-GqqDkpE9FRsESTY9kwS1m07470ZSvC>

More dates will be added soon!

RABBI SEARCH COMMITTEE UPDATE

Todah rabah to the entire search committee which includes SST members **Yoel Swartz-Taylor, Alan Frank, Dan Senft** and **Nichollette Seigfreid**, along with TI representatives **Seth Harris, Dan Friedman**, and **Mike Eppel**. And an additional shout out to our chairs, **Anne Rickover** and **Ken Bloom**, who, respectively, represent the Temple and the Synagogue in this undertaking. Under their leadership, the committee has created an inclusive and thoughtful process during extraordinary times. It has been a pleasure to partner with the folks from Tifereth Israel on this committee and there really is a feeling of "two congregations, one