



Suggested home items for the East End Temple virtual 2nd Night Seder

Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel taught that Judaism is a religion of time. He reminds us of the importance of honoring the sacred events that are so much a part of our calendar. This year as we celebrate the second Passover Seder online, we will consecrate the time we spend together as a *Kehilah Kedosha*, a holy community. We respectfully hope that we can be present for each other, and try not to multi-task.

The Hagadah—will be made available as a pdf. We suggest printing it in advance for home use.

Of course, the items below are suggestions:

Two candles (or more), and matches

A Seder plate with ritual items (a standard dinner plate is fine) Here is a description:

<https://reformjudaism.org/jewish-holidays/passover/learn-about-passover-seder-plate>

Wine or grape juice—a cup or glass for each seder guest, plus the traditional extra cup of wine or juice for the Prophet Elijah

Water—for each seder guest, plus an extra cup of water to honor the Prophet Miriam

For hand washing: pouring water on the hands over a basin is traditional, but hand wipes will do.

Karpas—a non-bitter vegetable such as parsley or celery.

Chazeret is also included in some traditions—plain lettuce

A roasted lamb shankbone or chicken leg bone (or a roasted beet), and a roasted egg

Maror—a bitter vegetable, such as a radish, romaine, or horseradish

Charoset—chopped fruit, (or applesauce), with chopped nuts, sweetened with a little wine or juice. If you are interested, there are thousands of recipe variations online.

A dish of salt water

Matzah—3 boards of matzah for the blessing is traditional. Cover them with a napkin or matzah cover.

If you follow the Afikoman tradition, you might have on hand reward(s) for the child/children who find the piece of matzah that you've hidden earlier in the seder.

We will be taking a very brief break for a nosh before we go on to finish this seder. You might plan to have an easy appetizer at hand for the break. After the seder concludes, we will each resume our dinners.