

Al Cheit: We have missed the mark

Our custom at Chochmat HaLev is to invite and include community voices in our "על חטא" / Al Cheit" prayer — the Yom Kippur liturgy that lists the ways in which we have collectively "missed the mark" in the past year. Throughout the service, we select and read anonymously from these moving confessions to represent the range of missteps which we, as individuals and as community, have made.

(Examples: I used harmful language in anger with my friend; I abused alcohol; I mocked my parents' spiritual practice; I lied about my income.)

I have missed the mark, in regards to myself, by:

I have missed the mark, in regards to others, by:

I've missed the mark, in regards to community & the broader world, by: