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FROM THE RABBI



Power of One, In Eight Stanzas

One wee spark a beacon in the dark
One small cruse drives away the blues
One bright light pierces through the night

One kind act establishes a fact
One soft word heals a heart injured
One good deed saves the one in need

One sweet song makes the spirit strong
One good line comes in the nick of time
One brave stance wakes us from our trance

One pure oil worth the pain and toil
One soul free exults in liberty
One sharp brain unlocks the binding chains

One deep breath holds back the wings of Death
One warm smile dissolves the long exile
One firm shake invites us to partake

One strong hand liberates the land
One small band dares to take a stand
One mailed fist swings but look he missed

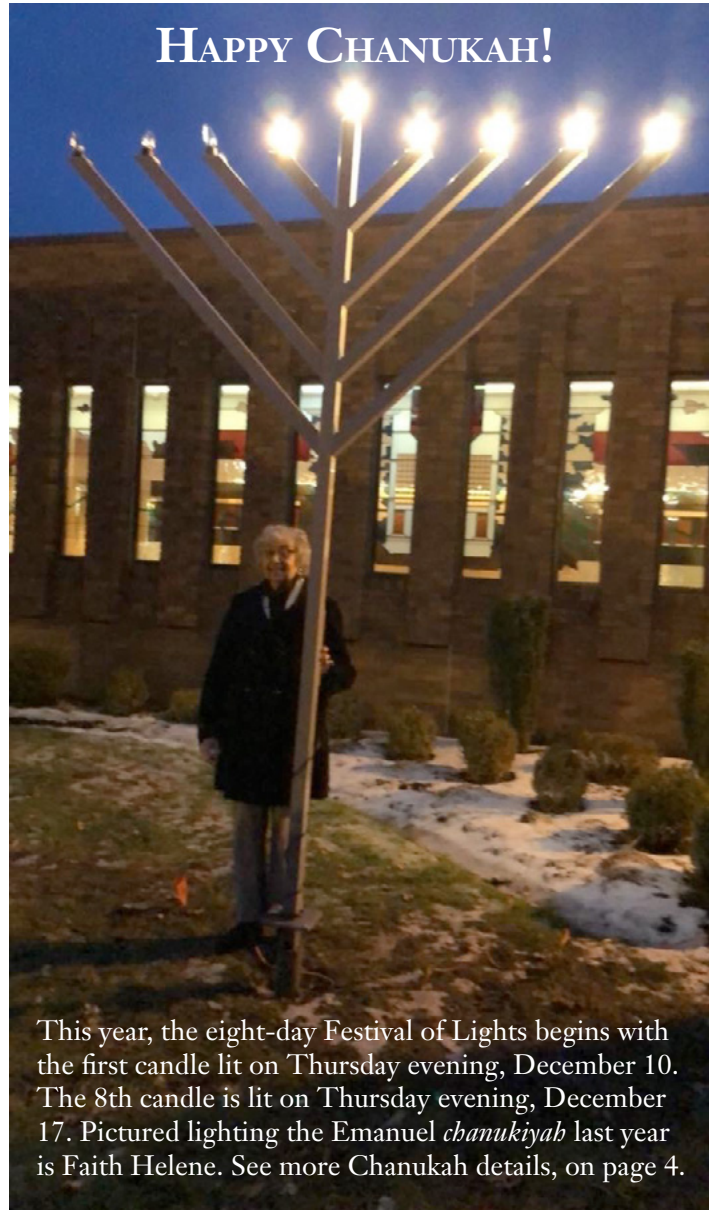
One broken Shrine repaired in record time
One cup oil redeems the sacred soil
One bright fest makes up for all the rest

Shine your light — stand up for what is right
Love this great — will triumph over hate
Hearts strong and pure — we sing out Maoz
Tzur!

Maoz Tzur-Rock of Ages

— David J. Small

HAPPY CHANUKAH!



This year, the eight-day Festival of Lights begins with the first candle lit on Thursday evening, December 10. The 8th candle is lit on Thursday evening, December 17. Pictured lighting the Emanuel *chanukiyah* last year is Faith Helene. See more Chanukah details, on page 4.

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

The following remarks are excerpted from a speech delivered by Emanuel President Mel Simon on Kol Nidre, 5781. The full text may be found on our website.



“Come — Gather Round People — Wherever You Roam — And Admit That the Waters Around You Have Grown.”

Those words were written by Bob Dylan in 1963. This year in 2020 they gave me comfort knowing we have faced dark times before.

As the President of your Board of Trustees it is my duty to charge you with the task of supporting our 101-year-old sacred community that we lovingly call The Emanuel Synagogue. If you accept this task, I promise you will be rewarded. If you give to your synagogue and support her, she will be there for you, a strong foundation when the winds of change shift.

This year I stand before you again. With more wrinkles upon my brow and less hair upon my head, I am no longer a reluctant solicitor. I am here to talk to you about promises. When I accepted the Presidency I made a promise. Tonight I fulfill that promise. I need your support.

Let me first tell you your Emanuel family supports you and cares about you. We are strong. We are connected. We hope you and your families are well, but if you are not or are in need of a hand or someone to talk to or you need a ride, call or email me or Rabbi Small — if you need anything at all.

Let me also tell you about a group of committed and effective leaders who generously support our synagogue and give of their time. Tonight many of the readers you will hear from were chosen because of their roles as chairs of our standing committees. They are an amazing team.

How can you help? Let me count the ways. You can volunteer to run a program or you can Zoom host a minyan, or you can write a check, you can plan a celebration, or you can serve on a committee or you can write a check, or you can chair a capital campaign or be a producer of an Emanuel Theater production, and you can write a check. There are literally hundreds of ways to support your synagogue.

In March as we celebrated Purim, the pandemic touched down in the Jewish community of New Rochelle. Rabbi Small and I met to assess our options and develop a plan. We realized that closing our doors was inevitable and that we needed to act quickly. We convened the professional and lay leadership to plan for a synagogue without walls. We consulted with health care professionals. During five days in

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. ONCE SAID THE ULTIMATE MEASURE OF A MAN IS NOT WHERE HE STANDS IN MOMENTS OF COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE BUT WHERE HE STANDS AT A TIME OF CHALLENGE AND CONTROVERSY. WE HAVE BEEN CHALLENGED.

March we literally reimagined and assembled a synagogue in the cloud — a synagogue for the age of Corona.

In those moments we committed to daily continue services, to devise a b’nai mitzvah ritual with meaning and joy and to stay connected to each other. Thank you Rabbi Small, Rabbi Lazowski, Hazzan Pinchover, Rabbi Lefkowitz, and rabbinic intern Jessica Dell’Era. To teach our children, thank you Barbara Fink and teachers,

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From the President, continued

Debbie Mehlman, Gilana Levavi, Jennifer Molinari, Ruth Cion, Robin Rosenthal, Sarah Baden, Erik Martin, Nancy Fichman, Carolyn Topol, Beth Polebaum, Fern Cohen, Cantor Cohn, Rabbi Small, Alan Berkowitz, Jessica Dell’Era, and office administrator, Gail Mackey.

To engage our congregants, thank you Josh Cohen. To close our building but entrust its care and cleanliness to an amazing custodial crew, thank you. And as our staff transitioned to home offices they continued to serve our congregation — thank you.

Thanks to Rabbi David Small who developed a home based ritual, our b’nai mitzvah families were able to welcome family and guests from around the world and the entire congregation into their living rooms as their children were called to the bimah in a sanctuary in their homes. This was truly one of the Emanuel miracles born out of the pandemic. Our synagogue continued to thrive as a lay-professional partnership. We offered adult programming and family services. A Task Force chaired by Ken Simon and Peter Graber-Lipperman was formed to guide us safely as we slowly return to a connected community in person. We persevered.

Martin Luther King Jr. once said the ultimate measure of a man is not where he stands in moments of comfort and convenience but where he stands at a time of challenge and

A SWEET NEW YEAR!

Approximately 400 High Holiday prayerbooks (machzorim) were distributed for loan in several drive-by pick-ups in the Emanuel parking lot. Blue canvas bags were distributed filled with the prayerbooks, Yizkor book, a beautiful card from Sisterhood designed by artist Beth Goldberg, a High Holiday “ticket” with services schedules and wine and Crown food coupons. Sisterhood and Brotherhood members, volunteers from the Religious School and the Board of Trustees helped greet congregants with Shana Tova wishes.

Thank you to ALL who helped and to those who participated in our inaugural Shana Tova Project fundraiser. Close to \$12,000 was raised to help offset the shortfall caused by COVID related financial strains on our synagogue community.

controversy. We have been challenged.

Cherish our Emanuel Synagogue. Support her with all your might, with all your soul, and with all your heart so that she is there not only for you but for all of us and not only for today but for tomorrow and beyond. That shall be our reward. — Mel Simon

RECENT EVENTS AT THE EMANUEL

SCOTCH IN THE SUKKAH

Two dozen men gathered in The Emanuel parking lot during Sukkot for an evening of scotch taste-testing and football watching on a big screen. Thank you to Jacob Studenroth of The Wise Old Dog for an informative talk on the different types of scotch, and hat tip to engagement coordinator Josh Cohen and our custodians for a successful event.



Below: Lee Gold. Right: Mark Merritt.



TASHLICH AT CAMP SHALOM

Emanuel Religious School members and families, under the leadership of director Barbara Fink and engagement coordinator Josh Cohen, enjoyed a unique experience during the High Holy Days when they gathered at Camp Shalom to learn about the ritual of Tashlich. They performed the ritual at the waterfront, enjoyed picnics on the lawn and were treated to dessert from an ice cream truck. Kol Hakavod to all who made this day one to remember.



All photos by Eitan Ehrlich

Chanukah

On Friday, the Chanukah candles are lit before dark and before the Shabbat lights...
On Saturday evening, the Chanukah candles follow Havdala, at home after dark.

הדלקת נרות HADLAKAT NEIROT CANDLELIGHTING

ברוך אתה הי *Barukh atab Adonai*
אלהינו מלך העולם *Eloheinu melekh ba-olam*
אשר קדשנו במצוותיו *Asher kidsbanu b'mitzvotav*
וצננו *V'tzivanu*
להדליק נר של חנוכה. *L'hadlik ner shel Hanukkah.*

Praised are You, Adonai,
Our God, Ruler of the universe,
Who made us holy through the commandments
and commanded us
to kindle the Hanukkah lights.

שעשה נסים SHEH'ASAH NISSIM לאבותינו LA'AVOTEINU THE ONE WHO DID MIRACLES FOR OUR ANCESTORS

ברוך אתה הי *Barukh atab Adonai*
אלהינו מלך העולם *Eloheinu melekh ba-olam,*
שעשה נסים לאבותינו *Sheb'asah nissim la'avoteinu*
בימים ההם *Ba-yamim ba-beim*
בזמן הזה. *Ba-z'man ha-zeh.*

Praised are You, Adonai,
Our God, Ruler of the universe,

שֶׁהֶחַיֵנוּ SHEHEHEYANU WHO HAS GIVEN US LIFE (on the first night only:)

ברוך אתה הי *Barukh atab Adonai*
אלהינו מלך העולם *Eloheinu melekh ba-olam*
שֶׁהֶחַיֵנוּ *sheheheyanu*
וקימנו *v'ki-y'manu*
והגיינו *v'higiyanu*
לזמן הזה. *la-z'man ha-zeh.*

Praised are You, Adonai,
Our God, Ruler of the universe,
Who has given us life
and sustained us
and enabled us to reach
this season.



CHANUKAH IS DECEMBER
10-17, 2020. LIGHT
THE FIRST CHANUKAH
CANDLE THURSDAY
NIGHT, DECEMBER 10,
AFTER 5:00 P.M.

מַעוֹז צוֹר MAOZ TZUR— ROCK OF AGES

מַעוֹז צוֹר יְשׁוּעָתִי *Maoz tzur y'shu-ab-ti,*
לָךְ נָאָה לְשַׁבָּח. *L'kha na-eh l'shabei-ab.*
תִּכּוֹן בַּיִת תְּפִלָּתִי *Tikkon beit t'filati*
וְשָׁם תּוֹדָה נִזְבַּח. *V'sham todah n'zabei-ab.*
לַעֵת תִּכְיִן מַטְבָּח *L'eit takhin mat'bei-ab*
מִצָּר הַמִּנְבָּח. *Mi-tzar ha-m'nabei-ab,*
אֶז אֶגְמֹר בְּשִׁיר מִזְמוֹר *Az egmor b'sbir mizmor*
חֲנֻכַּת הַמְּנֻבָּח. *Hanukkat ha-miz'bei-ab.*

Rock of Ages, let our song praise Your saving power.
You amid the raging throng were our sheltering tower.
Furious they assailed us, but Your help availed us.
And Your word broke their sword when our own strength failed us.

*The candles: Set from right to left
and light from left to right.*



B'YADEYNU NEWS

by Janet Wallans and Risa Davidson, Co-chairs

The B'Yadeynu/Social Action Committee and Connecticut Immigrant and Refugee Coalition will host a virtual event on Sunday, November 8th at 7:30 p.m. Learn about refugees, asylum seekers and immigrants from CT advocates on the ground offering assistance. Guest speakers are Father Thomas Walsh and Alan Dornan.

Father Walsh has been a priest in Hartford at both St. Anne's Church on Park and Putnam Streets and Saint Augustine's Church. He spent a year in Mexico so that he could help serve the growing Spanish speaking population in Hartford.

Alan Dornan is a social and community activist and philanthropist dedicated to assisting all immigrants and refugees. He is an active board member of Connecticut Immigrant and Refugee Coalition (CIRC) and chair of its fundraising committee.

Both speakers have helped hundreds of Central American families, most of whom are undocumented but want to become naturalized.

Please check weekly Emanuel updates in November for more information and the link to this event.

This year, the annual turkey drive will not be held due to the pandemic. Donations to Foodshare will be accepted during the month of November. The need is greater than ever, so please consider a donation. Foodshare is able to stretch a dollar — for every dollar donated they are able to purchase \$10 worth of food. Please make checks payable to Emanuel Synagogue and write Foodshare in the memo line.

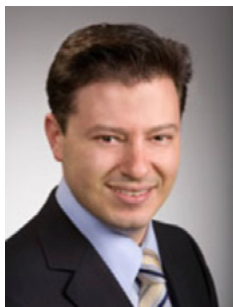
News From The BROTHERHOOD

by Jeff Adler, President

Thank you to everyone who attended our programs last month. We will continue our Sunday speaker series on Zoom in November. On Sunday, November 15th at 9:30 a.m., Mark Shekman, M.D., will speak on "Is Joint Replacement Surgery Right for You?"

On Wednesday, December 2nd, we will have a Zoom program with Rabbi Small. Brotherhood continues to work on scheduling some additional programs for November and December. Additional information on all these events will be provided in the weekly Emanuel Synagogue updates and by email distribution.

If you have any suggestions for future programs or questions about the Brotherhood, please contact me at jeffreya.adler@gmail.com.

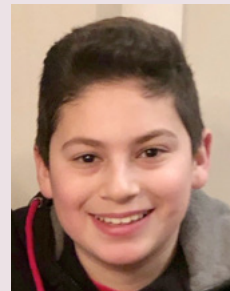


Dr. Mark Shekman

EMANUEL'S B'NAI MITZVAH



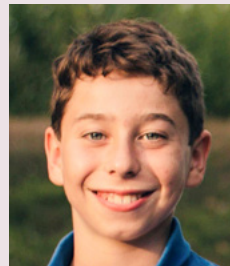
Jethro Ebrlich, son of Elizabeth and Grant Ebrlich, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, November 21, 2020.



Adam Matthew Gold, son of Monica and Lee Gold, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, December 5, 2020.



Tyler Rudnick, son of Rachel and Jason Rudnick, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, December 12, 2020. He is the grandson of Dr. Michael and Marcia Krinsky and Joan Rudnick.



Jonah Schulman, son of Jessica Rubin and Gary Schulman, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, December 19, 2020.

These four appeared as recent newborns on the cover of our January-February 2008 edition!



Courtesy Monica Gold

ADULT EDUCATION NEWS

by Ona Mastronarde

In October, Emanuel member Monique Faison Ross spoke about her book *Playing Dead: A Memoir of Terror and Survival*, as she addressed the role of the Jewish community in preventing domestic violence. In addition, Lois Roman, a trustee of the Memorial Scrolls Trust (MST), explained how artifacts were hidden and saved during the Shoah, along with the Holocaust Torah now housed at the Emanuel.



Herb Keinon

COMING UP:

- **Sunday, Nov. 22, 1:00 p.m.:** Herb Keinon, an American-born Israeli journalist and columnist for The Jerusalem Post, will speak on Zoom on, "Israel at 72: Is This the Child We Prayed For?"
- **December (date to be announced):** Stuart S. Miller, Professor of Hebrew, History and Judaic Studies, chair of the Hebrew and Judaic Studies Section in the Department of Literature, Cultures, and Languages, and Director of the Center for Judaic Studies and Contemporary Jewish Life at UConn will speak on Zoom about "The Real Story of Hanukkah." Watch for more information in the weekly email updates.
- **The Natalie Ziplow Study Group** with Rabbi Small will continue to meet on Zoom Thursday mornings at 10:30 a.m. All are welcome!

Zoom links and telephone numbers may be found in the weekly email updates, on the Emanuel Synagogue website (emanuelsynagogue.org) and on The Emanuel Facebook page.

NEHAMA

We extend heartfelt condolences and support to the families of:

Cyma Gurji Abrams, sister of Edna (David) Shamash

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JTConnect kicked off the year with a socially distanced celebration at Auerfarm. Teens came to reconnect with their friends, pick vegetables which were donated to Foodshare, tie dye JTConnect shirts and enjoy Ben & Jerry's ice cream.



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THANKSGIVING PUMPKIN PIE BAKE

Sunday, November 22, 2020

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News From The SISTERHOOD

by Fern Coben, President

This fall, we all enjoyed an informative program on CBD, chaired by Debbie Mehlman. Our presenter, Dennis So of Fine Fettle Pharmacy, shared a lot of information on CBD and answered questions which helped us understand the product a little better.

In October, impersonator Joni Lambert entertained at our annual Sisterhood Paid-Up Membership event. Sisterhood made a donation to the Kosher Food Pantry in lieu of holding a dinner.

For upcoming events, please read the weekly eblast and check the Sisterhood page on the Emanuel website.

A warm welcome to new Sisterhood members Carol Welk, Lynne Schenkel, Joleen Cramer and Bronya Shnyder. We look forward to seeing you at our meetings and events.

JUDAIC SHOP NEWS

Hoping everyone had an enjoyable holiday season. When the synagogue reopens, we will reopen the Judaic Shop. In the interim, we can meet you at the shop to make purchases. Just call Debbie or Lisa and we can set up a time to meet safely — with masks and social distancing.

Chanukah is coming soon. We stock all of your needs for Chanukah including candles, menorahs, dreidels and serving trays. We have many gift items as well.

Please call us: Lisa Tesser at (860) 805-0539 or Debbie Bettan at (860) 798-9355.

Everyone stay safe and keep well!

MAZAL TOV!

Dr. Jay Smith, on the birth of his great-granddaughter, Ryann Morganstern



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of my becoming a Bar Mitzvah
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granddaughter's Bat Mitzvah
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6 20 Kislev <i>Shabharit 8am</i> 6th Grade Family Program 9am <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	7 21 Kislev <i>Shabharit 7am</i> Brotherhood Board 7:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	8 22 Kislev <i>Shabharit 7am</i> Sisterhood Board 7pm Board of Ed 7:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	9 23 Kislev <i>Shabharit 7am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	10 24 Kislev <i>Shabharit 7am</i> Chanukah 1 Candle Ziplow Study Group 10:30am <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	11 25 Kislev <i>Shabharit 7am</i> Chanukah 2 Candles <i>Shabbat Babayit 5:30pm</i> Candles 4:02pm <i>Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 4:15pm</i>	12 26 Kislev <i>Parashat Vayeshev</i> Chanukah 3 Candles Services 9am Bar Mitzvah: Tyler Rudnick <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i> Havdalah 5pm
13 27 Kislev <i>Shabharit 8am</i> Chanukah 4 Candles <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	14 28 Kislev <i>Shabharit 7am</i> Chanukah 5 Candles <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	15 29 Kislev <i>Shabharit 7am</i> Chanukah 6 Candles Board of Trustees 7:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	16 1 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> Chanukah 7 Candles Rosh Hodesh Tevet Synagogue Chanukah Party TBD <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	17 2 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> Chanukah 8 Candles Ziplow Study Group 10:30am <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	18 3 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> <i>Shabbat Babayit 5:30pm</i> Candles 4:04pm <i>Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 4:15pm</i>	19 4 Tevet <i>Parashat Miketz</i> Services 9am Bar Mitzvah: Jonah Schulman <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i> Havdalah 5:02pm
20 5 Tevet <i>Shabharit 8am</i> Brotherhood Speaker/Zoom 9:30am <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	21 6 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	22 7 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> Adult Ed Board 7:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	23 8 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	24 9 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	25 10 Tevet <i>Shabharit 8am</i> Christmas Day <i>Shabbat Babayit 5:30pm</i> Candles 4:08pm <i>Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 4:15pm</i>	26 11 Tevet <i>Parashat Vayigash</i> Services 9am <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i> Havdalah 5:06pm
27 12 Tevet <i>Shabharit 8am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	28 13 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	29 14 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	30 15 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>	31 16 Tevet <i>Shabharit 7am</i> New Year's Eve <i>Minha/Maariv 4:15pm</i>		

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The screenshot shows the Emanuel Synagogue website with sections for Prayer Service, Upcoming Events, and Highlights. The Prayer Service section lists dates from June 7-14, 2020, including Morning Minyan and Parent Support Group. The Upcoming Events section mentions virtual options due to COVID-19. The Highlights section features 'Our Religious School' and 'Our Community' with a YouTube video.

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