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FROM THE RABBI

THE SPIRITUALITY OF **IMPERFECTION**

Rabbi Gelb faces the gathering of staff members at Camp Ramah in Palmer, Massachusetts, on a balmy June evening. It is a few days before the



campers arrive. Staff Week is the time a disparate collection of counselors are woven into a team who will be responsible for the safety, well-being, personal growth and joyful summer experience of hundreds of children. What would he say to us? How would he set the tone of the summer? What goals and priorities would he outline? After more than a decade away from camp, I am curious.

Years ago, I recall one of his first talks, based on famed basketball coach John Wooden's "Pyramid of Success." In that talk, Rabbi Gelb spoke about the hierarchy of needs, beginning with basic safety and daily well-being, and ascending into higher values, including teamwork, spiritual growth and love of Judaism. The director emphasized that unless the basic levels are accomplished, none of the higher goals would matter. Unless the children coming under our care can be safe and healthy, nothing else of importance can be accomplished. The most basic goals are, in a sense, the highest goals. He went on to propose that we err when we simply tell kids they are good or provide them with entertainment they passively consume. Much more powerful is

Don't Miss the Special Musical Selichot on September 17!

The Emanuel Synagogue is excited to bring vocalist Galeet Dardashti and her multi-sensory project "Monajat," for Selichot, on Saturday, Sept. 17, 2022, at 8:00 p.m.

Haunting recordings of the Jewish prayers of Selichot chanted by Dardashti's Iranian grandfather Yona Dardashti, a master singer of Persian classical music, inspire and waft through Dardashti's presentation. She reinvents the musical ritual of Selichot using digital technology to perform with an ensemble of Middle Eastern and jazz musicians.

The ritual event envelopes audiences with Persian melodies, poetic Hebrew texts, electronic soundscapes and video art. In conjunction with the live performance of "Monajat," video artist and designer Dmitry



Galeet Dardashti

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Kemell generates images in real time that float across multiple screens. The Emanuel Synagogue is the host of this year's community-wide Selichot service, which will follow the presentation, at 9:00 p.m. Members of Beth El Temple and B'nai Tikvoh Sholom will join us. Beth El and B'nai Tikvoh Sholom are co-sponsors of the program. There is no cost to attend this special evening at The Emanuel. Donations are always appreciated.

Save the Date: Hazzan Risman Installation and Concert

n Sunday, Nov. 20, 2022, at 4:00 p.m., at The Emanuel Synagogue, we will celebrate the installation of Hazzan Daniella Risman. Guest Cantors Nancy Abramson and Natasha Hirschhorn will be among the



Hazzan Daniella Risman

officiants.

The same day, "Arts at The Emanuel" will present: Joyful Noise! A Cantors' Cabaret, featuring Cantors Nancy Abramson, Gerald Cohen, Natasha Hirschhorn, Eliana Kissner and Gideon Zelermyer, with Cantor Joseph Ness conducting the Beth El Orchestra.

The concert will be held at 7:00 p.m., and will be followed by a dessert reception. Stay tuned for further details and ticket information.

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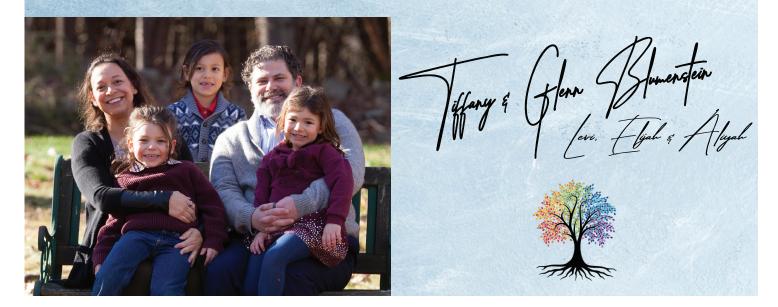
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From our family to yours, we wish you a Happy & Healthy New Year



FROM THE PRESIDENT Who By Fire

Our Yom Kippur liturgy which appears late in the Musaf services reminds us of the fragility of life. Leonard Cohen's song, "Who By Fire," tracks



the language of the *Unetanah Tokef* prayer. This song was a favorite of our Hazzan Sanford Cohn, of blessed memory. He loved Leonard's words and music because they reflect a gentle approach to spirituality and even a questioning of our beliefs. The song's lyrics are a riff on the words of the prayer but they are followed in each verse with the haunting question, Who Shall I Say is Calling? This line injects an element of doubt in the otherwise faithful reading of *Unetaneh Tokef*.

Do we get another year? If not, how will that unfold? How many will pass on and how many will be born, who will live and who will die? We ask these questions knowing there are no answers. We are not likely to be able to predict the future. Much of it is out of our hands. But we can predict our intentions. We know whether we have the intention to do Tikkun Olam, to repair the world, this year. We can inject that into our plans. We know if we intend to perform acts of loving kindness — this year, today, tomorrow. We already know whether we intend to see the good in every living creature.

While we renew our vows this year and ask for forgiveness of our sins of last year, let us focus on what we can control going forward: our intentions to do good in the world and allow destiny or fate or God to do what she will. My wish for you on these High Holy Days of Awe is that you render unto God what is God's and render unto yourself the taking care of yourself and your loved ones and bringing your own love and kindness into our world.

L'Shana Tovah Tikatevu! — Ken Simon

L'DOR VADOR

I am sharing this remembrance and thoughts of gratitude expressed at a recent Bat Mitzvah in Vermont. Thank you to my friend and president of Beth El Temple, Steve Rabb, for sharing the following, delivered by Rena Citron. It is clear evidence that we often get it right. — Ken Simon

Shabbat shalom.

The Torah which Emma will be reading from this morning is special for our family, and I want to share the story behind it with you before she reads.

My siblings and I only learned the story in April during our mom's funeral.

Rabbi Emeritus Phillip Lazowski officiated at the funeral. He has known our family for generations, having served as rabbi for my grandparents, parents and siblings.

He recalled that our paternal grandparents — Emma's great-great-grandparents, Hyman and Lena Cohen — donated this Torah to the newly built Beth Shalom Synagogue in 1954. This was the synagogue's first Torah scroll, and he was their first rabbi. He also related that our grandmother traveled with him to New York to purchase this special Torah.

The Torah was relocated several times as a result of synagogue mergers, finally residing at The Emanuel Synagogue in West Hartford, which coincidentally is located two doors from the home where Shelly grew up.

Rabbi Lazowski, now in his 90s, is their Rabbi Emeritus. I called him to inquire where the Torah was, and he told me it was in storage at the Emanuel and could be easily identified because it was the smallest Torah there.

It was the beginning of my quest to bring the Torah to Vermont for this service.

I called Ken Simon, the synagogue president, who enthusiastically endorsed the idea.

I reached Rabbi Lazowski while he was on vacation, and he told me where to find it. I called Moshe Pinchover, the synagogue's ritual director, and together we identified the scroll, and he loaned it to me.

So, today, Emma will read from that Torah, the one which her great-great-grandparents donated in 1954. L'Dor Vador — from generation to generation.

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DAYS OF AWE – מים נוראים 2022 / 5783

All services will be in person (registration required) and on Livestream; Erev RH will also be on Zoom **SELICHOT** @ Emanuel Saturday, September 17, 2022 - Refreshments & Program at 8:00pm; Service at 9:00pm **CEMETERY SERVICES** Sunday, October 02, 2022 at 12:00 noon Beth Hillel Memorial Park, Wolcott Rd., East Granby Sunday, October 02, 2022 at 1:30 pm The Emanuel Cemetery, Jordan Lane, Wethersfield ROSH HASHANAH - SEPTEMBER 25-27, 2022 Erev - Sunday, September 25 RH Babayit – RH Edition (Zoom only) 5:30pm Mincha & Evening Service (also Zoom) 6:00pm Day I – Monday, September 26 Shacharit 8:30am 10:00am **Shofar Service - Main Sanctuary** Children, Family & Teen Serv following Shofar Shofar in the Lot 12:30pm Tashlich at Trout Brook. WH 4:30pm Tashlich at Farmington River, Simsbury 4:30pm Mincha/Maariv 6:00pm Day II - Tuesday, September 27 8:30am Shacharit 10:00am Shofar Service – Main Sanctuary Children, Family & Teen Serv following Shofar Mincha/Maariv 6:45pm Havdalah 7:20pm **SHABBAT SHUVAH WEEKEND - SEPTEMBER** 30-OCTOBER 02, 2022 Friday, September 30 Shabbat Babayit (Zoom only) 5:30pm Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Maariv 6:00pm Saturday, October 01 Morning Service 9:00am Mincha/Maariv (Zoom only) 6:30pm 7:13pm Havdalah Sunday, October 02 10:30am-12:00pm Tashlich Family Program at Camp Shalom, 425 Merriman Rd., Windsor **YOM KIPPUR** – OCTOBER 04-05, 2022 Erev YK – Tuesday, October 04 Morning Minyan 7:00am 6:00pm Mincha Kol Nidre 6:15pm

YK Day - Wednesday, October 05 Shacharit 9:00am Children, Family & Teen Services 11:00am Yizkor Sermon and Service 11:00am Mincha/Book of Jonah 5:00pm Ne'ilah 6:06pm Kids' Ne'ilah 6:30pm Tekiah Gedolah 7:06pm Maariv followed by Havdalah 7:12pm Break the Fast 7:30pm

May we all be written in the Book of Life for a good year!



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SUKKOT HOME OBSERVANCE

The Festival of Sukkot offers several opportunities for home observances.

Blessing and waving the *arba minim*, a.k.a. the *lulav* and *etrog*, can be done every day of the Festival except on Shabbat. Sitting in the sukkah can be done any day of the festival.

Don't own a *lulav* and *etrog*? Come use the set we have at The Emanuel.

Don't have a sukkah this year? Visit a friend or neighbor who has one. Also, the sukkah at The Emanuel is available for you.

Eating a meal or snack and even sleeping in the sukkah enhances the fulfillment of the mitzvah, "To dwell in the sukkah."

The blessings that are said for each of these mitzvot are included below:

Baruch atah adonai eloheinu melech ha'olamasher kid'shanu	ברוך אתה ה', אלוהינו מלך העולם, אשר קדשנו
b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu leisheiv basukkah	במצוותיו וציוונו לישב בסוכה
Baruch atah adonai eloheinu melech ha'olam asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu al n'tilat lulav.	ברוך אתה ה', אלוהינו מלך העולם, אשר קדשנו במצוותיו וציוונו על נטילת לולב
Baruch atah adonai eloheinu melech ha'olam shecheyanu v'kiy'manu v'higyanu lazman hazeh.	ברוך אתה ה', אלוהינו מלך העולם, שהחיינו וקיימנו והגיענו לזמן הזה

SUKKOT AND SIMCHAT TORAH

Note: As this went to press in August, service times and plans are subject to change, based on current Covid-19 safety guidelines. Visit <u>emanuelsynagogue.org</u> for the most up to date schedule information.

SUKKOT

Erev Sukkot, Sunday, October 9	
Evening Services	6:00 pm
Candle Lighting	6:02 pm
Monday, October 10	
Services	9:00 am

Tuesday, Oct. 11

Services	9:00 am
Mincha/Maariv	6:30 pm
Havdalah	6:56 pm

SHEMNI ATZERET

Sunday, October 16

Hoshanah Rabbah morning service	8:00 am
Erev Shemini Atzeret evening minyan	6:00 pm
Candle Lighting	5:50 pm
Monday, Oct. 17	
Monday, Oct. 17 Shemini Atzeret Services	9:00 am

SIMCHAT TORAH

Erev Simchat Torah, Monday, Oct. 17 Mincha/Maariv	5:30 pm
Hakafot	
• Singing, Dancing and Marching with the Torah Scrolls	
• Torah Roll-guided Torah tour—see an entire Torah Scro	oll unrolled!
Special Flags for Children	
Special Aliyot for Children	
Candle Lighting	6:49 pm
Simchat Torah Café after services	
Simchat Torah Day, Tuesday, Oct. 18 Morning Services Hakafot	
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Group Torah honors for everyone	
Kiddush lunch following the service	
Mincha/Maariv	
Havdalah	. 6:45 pm

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the sense of self-respect a camper attains by accomplishing something, learning a new skill, making an item in arts class, competing together on a team sport and learning to lead a prayer. I was impressed by this directed, excellenceoriented approach.

Consequently, I was intrigued and mildly surprised when Rabbi Gelb opened his talk this Staff Week with a reference to a new book entitled, "The Spirituality of Imperfection." In this book, he explained, the authors encourage us to overcome our fear of making a mistake. Feeling we need to be perfect can paralyze us or worse, lead us to be less than honest with others and ourselves when we make a mistake. Embracing and learning from our mistakes is a key to growth and improvement. Accepting failure leads to success. Kids today are under all kinds of pressure from school, society, social media and the crises of the world around them. In addition to keeping them safe and healthy, our role is to create an emotionally and socially safe environment for our campers to try new skills, make new friends and learn from their mistakes.

Approaching the *Yamim Noraim*, the High Holy Days, Rabbi Gelb's talk on "The Spirituality of Imperfection" continues to resonate with me. Here is a way of framing the inner and outer work of the Season of Repentance toward a positive direction. Delving into our many mistakes and failures in the past year and in our lives to date, we gain the opportunity to transcend the suffering we experience as a result of those failures and develop the will and hopefulness to envision doing better in the coming year and in the years ahead.

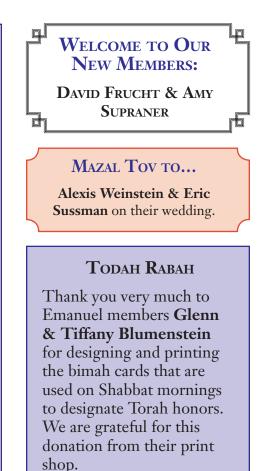
Sometimes these changes are incremental, other times; we experience a profound transformation that changes the direction and quality of our lives. If we commit to the process, these Awesome Days offer us the opportunity to conduct a "cheshbon nefesb," a "soul accounting" to embrace our mistakes and failures as guideposts to doing better. Relinquishing the shame and emotional pain born of our need to be perfect and our fear of failure, we are paradoxically better equipped to succeed when we acknowledge how we have failed. May this season be one of inner courage, compassionate self-honesty and hopeful growth for us all.

Debbie and our family join me in wishing our Emanuel Family a "*L'Shanah Tovah Tikateivu*!" May you all be written into the Book of Life for a Good Year!

— Rabbi David J. Small



Emanuel members attended the Life & Legacy Program Year One Community Celebration, on June 12 at the Mandell JCC. From left, Mel Simon, Ken Simon, Angela Epstein and Dr. Sheila Silverman, with Jacob Schreiber, President & CEO, Jewish Community Foundation, Gayle Temkin, Chair, Board of Trustees, Jewish Community Foundation, and Elana MacGilpin, Development Officer, Jewish Community Foundation. Emanuel Synagogue is one of 14 community partners in this initiative to promote after-lifetime giving to build endowments that will provide financial stability to local Jewish day schools, synagogues, social service organizations and other Jewish organizations.



EMANUEL'S B'NAI MITZVAH



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Isabella Callie Brown, daughter of Daniela Brown and Michael Brown, will become a Bat Mitzvah on Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022.

Ethan Shtern, son of Gabe Shtern and Robyn Kahn, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, Sept. 17, 2022 at Beth David Synagogue.





Tia Emrick, daughter of Myra Emrick and Dan Emrick, will become a Bat Mitzvah on Saturday, Oct. 8, 2022.

Milo Cohen, son of Drs. Jeffrey and Jennifer Cohen, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, Oct. 22, 2022.





Aaron and Alanna Malley, children of Ken Malley and the late Sara Kaplan (of blessed memory), will become B'nai Mitzvah on Saturday, Oct. 29, 2022.

HILLEL ALEX B. LEBED FAMILY FUND

Dear Emanuel Family,

During these challenging times, I want to ensure you all know about an important synagogue fund *the Beth Hillel Alex B. Lebed Family Fund*.

The Beth Hillel Alex B. Lebed Family Fund was established many years ago by Alex's parents, Hank and Anne Lebed, to provide financial assistance for professional help to members (or members of their families) experiencing psychological and emotional issues (with a preference for youth). The Fund makes distributions for: professional counseling and services if there is a financial need; to assist a child in crisis; and/or to assist a family experiencing difficult emotional and behavioral issues. The fund has also been used for educational purposes (for example, a program on learning how to recognize mental health issues). Decisions regarding distributions are made by a committee that includes Rabbi Small, the synagogue president (or his or her designee), a nurse, several social workers and a psychiatrist.

We have been able to help multiple families. The Fund is held at the Jewish Community Foundation and has grown during the years.

If you or a loved one needs financial assistance, please contact Rabbi David Small at 860.236.1275 or me, Shirley Morrison, Committee Chair, at 860.527.8731 to discuss the availability of funds for help. **Per Hank's request, all personal details will be kept in strict confidence (no names will be shared by the initial contact with members of the Committee)**. The Committee administering the Fund's sole objective is to provide monies to a family needing help. The Committee is also discussing holding an educational program such as the one described above.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Stay well, Shirley Morrison

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Religious School News

by Barbara Fink

I often talk about Rick Recht's song "Laasok B'divrei Torah" at the beginning of the school year. The title literally means to deal with the Torah and it is also the end of the blessing that we say before studying Torah. We always begin our Religious School year with reciting this *bracha*, which helps us remember there is a connection between what we do every day and being Jewish. I absolutely love the chorus because it says exactly that:

It's everything we do, everything we say Everything we are *Laasok b'divrei Torah*, *Torah*, *Laasok b'divrei Torah* It's what we do, what we say, It's how we live our lives with meaning every day.

We are preparing to welcome a new tenant to our building which will bring some new challenges and opportunities for us as a *kehilah*. First, as we have rented out our library space, we have had to make some physical changes. With gratitude to Jennifer Molinari, you will see we have made the hallway in the Religious School wing into our very own Jewish children's library. Jewish books line the walls and are now accessible to kids of all ages from birth-teen years at all times. It has brightened up what once was a dull hallway.

Next, our kids will once again have the opportunity to learn about the Jewish values of *hachnasat orchim* (welcoming the guest) and *kavod* (respect) as we share our space with guests of the Children's Museum and use some of their classroom space on Sundays. We will have to be mindful again that not all supplies belong to us, and we need to be respectful of other's property.

We are hoping we will be able to collaborate with the museum to bring you some new and innovative family programs and are looking forward to forming a new *chaverut* (friendship) with them.

I am excited that some of our annual programs will be back this fall, including in-person Family Services, Tashlich at Camp Shalom, Pizza in the Hut, Simchat Torah celebration, and The Haunted Shul, to name a few. We will continue to usher in Shabbat together on Zoom during Shabbat Babayit.

I look forward to seeing you all and learning with you and your children again this year!

TEENS: REGISTER NOW FOR JTCONNECT!

JTConnect welcomes 8th-12th grade students from all levels of Jewish observance, affiliation and knowledge. Together, teens examine religion, history and traditions through innovative, hands-on programming that includes classroom study, volunteer projects and special events. To register, visit jtconnect.org/registration/ register. Questions? Call (860) 727-6110 or email office@jtconnect.org

ADULT EDUCATION NEWS

by Ona Mastronarde

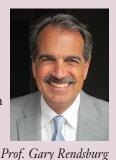
In July, the Adult Education Committee presented a virtual tour of the new ANU – Museum of the Jewish People in Tel Aviv. We were able to see many of the exhibits and get a taste of what we would experience if we got the chance to visit in person.

For the 2022-2023 year, the Emanuel Adult Education Committee will be co-sponsoring an exciting eight-part series on Zoom: "Jewish History from Biblical Times to the Present." Programs will be once a month, Thursday nights, Sept. 15-April 27, at 8:30 p.m. See details on the first two presentations below.

Rabbi Small will begin fall study with the Natalie Ziplow Study Group Thursday, Sept. 22, using both traditional texts and current events.

COMING UP:

• Thursday, Sept. 15, 8:30 p.m. Gary Rendsburg, Distinguished Professor of Jewish Studies and History, and Blanche and Irving Laurie Chair in Jewish History, Rutgers University, will present, "In Search of Ancient Israel: Historical Roots of the Biblical Narrative."



• Thursday, Oct. 6, 8:30 p.m. Carol Meyers, Mary Grace Wilson Professor Emerita of Religious Studies, Duke University, will discuss, "Women as Ritual Experts in Ancient Israel."

• The Natalie Ziplow Study Group with Rabbi Small will resume Thursday mornings at 10:30 a.m., beginning Sept. 22. All are welcome!

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Prof. Carol Meyers

Please check your weekly Emanuel Updates, the Emanuel Synagogue website, and the Emanuel Mishpacha Facebook page for information on upcoming programs and registration links. We remind you that pre-registration is required for Emanuel Adult Education programs on Zoom in order to ensure a secure and meaningful experience. Participants must register on the link provided in the weekly Updates or on the Emanuel website. When possible, recordings of programs will be available on the Emanuel website, by scrolling down to the bottom of the page and clicking on the red YouTube button.

EMANUEL RELIGIOUS SCHOOL | 2022-2023 5783 CALENDAR

(Calendar is subject to change)

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MEET EMANUEL'S NEW STUDENT RABBI, SASSOON ("SASS") OROL BROWN

The Emanuel Synagogue is excited to announce the appointment of our next Student Rabbi, Sassoon "Sass" Orol Brown (they/them), a third-year rabbinical student at The Jewish Theological Seminary in New York.

Sass will conduct our Youth and Family High Holy Day services and will come to Emanuel one weekend a month during the school year to work with our young people and to support services and learning for all ages. Sass will also serve Emanuel via online access on a weekly basis, including Shabbat Babayit on Fridays at 5:30 p.m., and weekly adult Torah study on Shabbat afternoons.

Before coming to New York, Sass grew up and worked in the Jewish community in Raleigh, NC. Sass ran youth groups and programs for Beth Meyer Synagogue, taught Jewish music at the shul's preschool, and worked as the song leader for their childhood JCC day camp. Sass also organized with Carolina Jews for Justice.

In summer 2021, Sass completed their first unit of Clinical Pastoral Education, working as a chaplain intern for The Fortune Society and The New Jewish Home. During this past school year, they worked as a Slifka-Nadich rabbinical student intern with USY, and served as the advisor to USY's Jews of Color, Indigenous, Sephardi, and Mizrahi teen cohort. Sass participated in JTS's first Gender, Torah, and Tradition Fellowship. They were also selected for a Wexner Graduate Fellowship.

Sass studied Communications and Creative Writing at UNC-Chapel Hill, where they received an Academy of American Poets prize. Sass also earned



Sass Orol Brown

a Masters of Fine Arts in Creative Writing from North Carolina State University. While at NC State, they wrote a book of queer and Jewish-themed poetry called "The Shortest Skirt in Shul," published by Ben Yehuda Press in 2021.

Sass and their partner, Sari-Rose Brown, just welcomed the birth of their first child, Henya. Sass loves writing songs and poems, playing long board games, and cooking their grandparents' recipes.

This year's rabbinical internship is being underwritten by a generous contribution from Regina and Don Miller.



Bagels, **Blocks**

and Beyond

Bagels, Blocks and Beyond is a series of events held throughout the year for children and parents to experience Jewish holidays together.

9/18/22 10:30-12 New Year!

10/12/22 5:30 pm "Pizza in the Hut" (Pizza dinner in the sukkah!)

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Meets in outdoors (weather permitting) at 10:30 am.

We sing songs and prayers, read stories, and play age appropriate games. The program concludes with Adon Olam on the bima followed by

Kiddush lunch with the entire Emanuel community.



Dates:

Monday, Oct. 10th SUKKAH-PALOOZAH!!

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Anja Rosenberg Kosher Food Pantry West Hartford Food Bank Bloomfield Food Bank

Please write the check to: The Emanuel Synagogue (write B'Yadeynu FOOD DRIVE in the memo line) Address to: The Emanuel Synagogue 160 Mohegan Drive

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Questions? Contact Risa Davidson at 860-930-7486 or risagdavidson@gmail.com; or JanetWallans at 860-278-4596, Janetcw@sbcglobal.net

If every Emanuel household were to donate \$10 we could potentially raise over \$5,000 to combat food insecurity in our community!

NEHAMA

We extend beartfelt condolences and support to the families of:

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JULY

Mark & Jaime Seltzer and family, in memory of Mark's brother, Steven Seltzer

Bea Mitlak, in honor of her 90th birthday

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Dan & Joni Fine and Saul & Joanne Pasternack, in honor of Joni's and Joanne's 80th birthdays

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COME ENJOY THE REDEDICATED BANKS GARDEN

by Barbara Snyder

The Banks Garden — in the courtyard accessible through the lobby in The Emanuel Synagogue — was first created in 1973 by members of the Banks family in memory of Emanuel member Goodman Banks. Every year on his yarzheit, the Banks Family make contributions to maintain the garden.

After many years as a Biblical Garden, designed by Ellen Weingold, it was redesigned (due to our climate) as a perennial garden. In August 2019, trees were cut down. The following spring, the garden was cleaned, mulched and pruned by West Hartford Landscaping. Patti Lenda from Moscarillo's Garden Shop designed the new garden and the garden shop planted two sections of perennials to integrate with the rest of the garden. Judy Silver donated "The Rising Sun Red Bud Tree" in memory of her beloved stepmother Winnie G. Miller.



Flowers bloom along the crescent-shaped wall in the Banks Garden.

This July, a rededication of the garden took place so members could see how the garden has been lovingly revived. Rabbi David Small thanked those who work diligently to keep the garden in good condition. This includes Arlan Lieblick, who started the cleanup three years ago and gives a great deal of her time and knowledge to this garden, and also her committee of volunteers — Madalyn Levy, Shirley Stengel



Judy Silver donated "The Rising Sun Red Bud Tree" in memory of her stepmother:

and Barbara Snyder. Thank you to Regina Miller for providing refreshments and to Executive Director Kobi Benita and Rick Lasker of the House Committee for supporting garden efforts.

At the reception, the following letter from Sherry Banks-Cohn was read by Barbara Snyder:

My name is Sherry Banks-Cohn and I am writing this on behalf of my sister; Marilyn Banks Hamilton, and our extended families. Marilyn and I are the daughters of Goodman Banks.

We are so pleased the Emanuel Synagogue has devoted so much time and effort to maintain and enhance the garden since its first planting in 1973, following the passing of my father. This living memorial offers peaceful respite in tumultuous times, and our family is so privileged to be involved in that, in some small way. Nature draws people outside and together.



Rabbi David Small recited the "Shehecheyanu" blessing at the July rededication of the Banks Garden.

My father loved the synagogue and the support and warmth it offered our family over the years. We are grateful to the synagogue and hope the Goodman Banks Memorial Garden provides comfort and happiness to congregants for many years to come. We thank you.

Gratefully, Sherry Banks-Cohn

All members and visitors are invited to enter the garden to relax on the benches and enjoy the beautiful plantings!

News From The SISTERHOOD

by Fern Cohen, President

Shalom! Where did the summer go? We are back to school and the High Holidays are quickly approaching Wishing you, your family and loved ones a Shanah Tovah!

Sisterhood has been planning many new programs for 2022-2023. We hope many more of you will join us this year.

We are always looking for new programming ideas. Do you have a special skill or talent? Please let us know.

SAVE THE DATES:

Sept. 14 Joint meeting at Beth El Temple with author Marilyn Rothstein, 7:00 p.m.

- Sept. 15 Sisterhood "Get Healthy, Eat Healthy Together" session, 4:00 p.m.
- Oct. 12 Meet and Greet New Members in the Sukkah, 7:30 p.m.
- Nov. 10 Paid-up Membership Dinner, 6:30 p.m.
- Nov. 13 Mah Jongg Tournament, 9:00 a.m.

Stay tuned for more programs. Check Tuesday weekly eblasts, The Emanuel website and Sisterhood FB page.

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H ope everyone had an enjoyable, safe and fun summer. September brings the beginning of the school year both secular and religious. September also brings our High Holidays. We will be offering a 25% discount on all items purchased for use during the High Holidays. We have beautiful apple and honey dishes, kippot, talleisim, kiddush cups, candles, candlesticks and more.

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- Lisa and Debbie



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News From The **BROTHERHOOD**

by Philip Thierman, President

Hello Fellow Congregants,

s I write this column, we are in the middle of summer. By the time you read this, the kids will be headed back to school and the High Holidays will be approaching. The Brotherhood has been active during the summer and has a few interesting events lined up for September and October.

Key Summer Events:

- On June 9, we honored our volunteers at the Annual Brotherhood David Rappaport Memorial Dinner. Many thanks to all who participated and to those who were recognized. Yasher Koach!
- On June 9-12, the New England Region of the FJMC • held their annual retreat at Camp Ramah, in Palmer, MA. This was a successful event! Looking forward to getting more people involved from The Emanuel to attend next year's 76th annual retreat.

Upcoming Events:

- Sunday, Sept. 18 at 9:00 a.m. Brotherhood builds • the sukkah. Please give us a hand.
- Sunday, Oct. 9 at 9:30 a.m. Brotherhood Political Forum at The Emanuel. Come listen to those running for office.
- Thursday, Oct. 13 at 6:30 p.m. Scotch in the Sukkah



Volunteers were recognized at the annual David Rappaport Memorial Dinner, sponsored by the Brotherhood.



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In Memory of RUTH GOLD & STUART GOLDBERGER Joan Smith

October 2022

Tishrei/Cheshvan 5782/5783

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 6 Tishrei Parashat Vayelech Shabbat Shuvah Services 9am Tot Shabbat/ Family Services 10:30am Minha/Maariv 6:30pm Havdalah 7:13pm
2 7 Tishrei Sba <u>h</u> arit 8am Tashlich Family Program 10:30am@ Camp Shalom BH Cemetery Svcs 12:00pm ES Cemetery Svcs 1:30pm Minha/Maariv 6:15pm	3 8 Tishrei <i>Sha<u>b</u>arit 7am</i> Brotherhood Board 7pm <i>Min<u>b</u>a/Maariv 6:15pm</i>	4 9 Tishrei Sba <u>b</u> arit 7am Erev Yom Kippur Min <u>b</u> a 6pm Maariv/Kol Nidre 6:15pm Candles 6:10pm	5 10 Tishrei Services 9am Yom Kippur Yizkor 11am Min <u>b</u> a 5pm Havdalab 7:12pm Break the Fast 7:30pm	6 11 Tishrei Shaharit 7am Ziplow Study Group 10:30am Executive Committee 7:30pm Adult Ed Virtual Program: "Women in Ancient Israel" 8:30pm Minha/Maariv 6:15pm	7 12 Tishrei Sba <u>b</u> arit 7am Sbabbat Babayit 5:30pm Min <u>h</u> a/Kabbalat Sbabbat/ Maariv 6pm Candles 6:05pm	8 13 Tishrei Parashat Haazimu Services 9am Chapel Minyan 9:30am Bat Mitzvah: Tia Emrick Minba/Maariv 6:15pm Havdalab 7:01pm
9 14 Tishrei Sha <u>h</u> arit 8am Erev Sukkot No Religious School Brotherhood Political Forum 9:30am Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6pm Candles 6:02pm	10 15 Tishrei Services 9am Sukkot I Min <u>b</u> a/Maariv 6pm Candles 7pm	11 16 Tishrei Services 9am Sukkot II Sisterhood Board 7:30pm <i>Min<u>b</u>a/Maariv 6:30pm Havdalab 6:56pm</i>	12 17 Tishrei <i>Sha<u>b</u>arit 7am</i> Pizza in the Hut 5:30pm Sisterhood Meet and Greet 7:30pm <i>Min<u>b</u>a/Maariv 6:15pm</i>	13 18 Tishrei Sha <u>h</u> arit Tam Ziplow Study Group 10:30am Sisterhood "Get Healthy" 4pm Scotch in the Sukkah 6:30pm Adult Ed Board 7:30pm Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6:15pm	14 19 Tishrei Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Shabbat Babayit 5:30pm Min <u>h</u> a/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 5:45pm Candles 5:54pm	15 20 Tishrei Chol Hamoed Sukkot Services 9am <i>Min<u>b</u>a/Maariv 6pm</i> <i>Havdalab 6:50pm</i>
16 21 Tishrei Sha <u>h</u> arit 8am Hoshanah Rabbah 7th Grade Family Ed Program 9am Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6pm Candles 5:50pm	17 22 Tishrei Services 9am/Yizkor Shemini Atzeret Erev Simchat Torah Min <u>ba</u> /Maariv 5:30pm Hakafot 6pm Candles 6:49pm Simchat Torah Café 7:30pm	18 23 Tishrei Services 9am Simchat Torah Hakafot 10am followed by Kiddush Board of Trustees 7:30pm Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6:15pm	19 24 Tishrei Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 5:45pm	20 25 Tishrei Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Ziplow Study Group 10:30am Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 5:45pm	21 26 Tishrei Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Shabbat Babayit 5:30pm Min <u>h</u> a/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 5:45pm Candles 5:43pm	22 27 Tishrei Parasbat Bereshit Services 9am Bar Mitzvah: Milo Cohen Comedy Night: "Yid- Lid Crisis" @Mandell JCC 8pm Minha/Maariv 6pm Havdalah 6:39pm
23 28 Tishrei Sba <u>h</u> arit 8am Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 5:45pm 30 5 Cheshvan	24 29 Tishrei Sba <u>h</u> arit 7am Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 5:45pm 31 6 Cheshvan	25 30 Tishrei Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Rosh <u>H</u> odesh Cheshvan	26 1 Cheshvan <i>Sha<u>h</u>arit 7am</i> Haunted Shul 4pm	27 2 Cheshvan <i>Sha<u>h</u>arit 7am</i> Ziplow Study Group 10:30am	28 3 Cheshvan Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am	29 4 Cheshvan Parashat Noach Services 9am B'nai Mitzvah: Aaron & Alanna
Sha <u>h</u> arit 8am Mitzvah Fair 12pm Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 5:30pm	Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am	Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 5:45pm	Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 5:45pm	Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 5:45pm	Shabbat Babayit 5:30pm Min <u>h</u> a/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 5:30pm Candles 5:33pm	Malley Min <u>ba</u> /Maariv 5:45pm Havdalah 6:29pm



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4 8 Elul <i>Sha<u>h</u>arit 8am</i>	5 9 Elul Sha <u>h</u> arit 8am Labor Day Office Closed	6 10 Elul Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Ritual Committee 7:30pm	7 11 Elul Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am	8 12 Elul Sba <u>b</u> arit 7am Adult Ed Board 7:30pm Executive Committee 7:30pm	9 13 Elul Sba <u>h</u> arit 7am Shabbat Babayit 5:30pm Min <u>h</u> a/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 6pm	10 14 Elul Parasbat Ki Tetze Services 9am Chapel Minyan 9:30am Minba/Maariv 7pm
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11 15 Elul <i>Sha<u>h</u>arit 8am</i> First Day Religious School 9am Sisterhood Women's League Virtual Program 1:30pm <i>Min<u>h</u>a/Maariv 6:45pm</i>	12 16 Elul <i>Sha<u>h</u>arit 7am</i> Brotherhood Board 7:30pm <i>Min<u>h</u>a/Maariv 6:45pm</i>	13 17 Elul Sba <u>h</u> arit 7am Board of Ed 7:30pm Sisterhood Board 7:30pm	14 18 Elul <i>Sha<u>h</u>arit 7am</i> Sisterhood Book Talk 7pm @ Beth El <i>Min<u>h</u>a/Maariv 6:45pm</i>	15 19 Elul Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Sisterhood "Get Healthy" Program 4pm Adult Ed Virtual Program: "Jewish History from Biblical Times" 8:30pm Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6:45pm	16 20 Elul Sba <u>b</u> arit 7am Sbabbat Babayit 5:30pm Min <u>h</u> a/Kabbalat Sbabbat/ Maariv 6pm Candles 6:41pm	17 21 Elul Parashat Ki Tavo Services 9am Bar Mitzvah: Ethan Shtern@ Beth David Minha/Maariv 6:45pm Havdalah 7:37pm Selichot 9pm
18 22 Elul <i>Sba<u>b</u>arit 8am</i> Bagels, Blocks & Beyond 10:30am JTConnect Starts 10:30am	19 23 Elul Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6:45pm	20 24 Elul Shaharit 7am Board of Trustees 7:30pm Minha/Maariv 6:45pm	21 25 Elul Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6:45pm	22 26 Elul <i>Sba<u>b</u>arit 7am</i> Ziplow Study Group 10:30am <i>Min<u>b</u>a/Maariv 6:45pm</i>	23 27 Elul Sba <u>b</u> arit 7am Sbabbat Babayit 5:30pm Min <u>b</u> a/Kabbalat Sbabbat/ Maariv 6pm	24 28 Elul Parashat Nitzavim Services 9am
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25 29 Enti Sha <u>h</u> arit 8am Erev Rosh Hashanah No Religious School Rosh Hashanah Babayit 5:30pm (Zoom) Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6pm (Zoom)	Rosh Hashanah I Services 8:30am Shofar in the Lot approx. 12:40pm Tashlich 4:30pm <i>Minba/Maariv 6pm</i>	Rosh Hashanah II Services 8:30am	Sha <u>h</u> arit 7am Fast of Gedaliah	Sba <u>b</u> arit 7am Ziplow Study Group 10:30am	Min <u>h</u> a/Kabbalat Sbabbat/ Maariv 6pm	
Candles 6:25pm	Candles 7:24pm	Candles 7:20pm	Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6:30pm	Min <u>h</u> a/Maariv 6:30pm	Candles 6:17pm	