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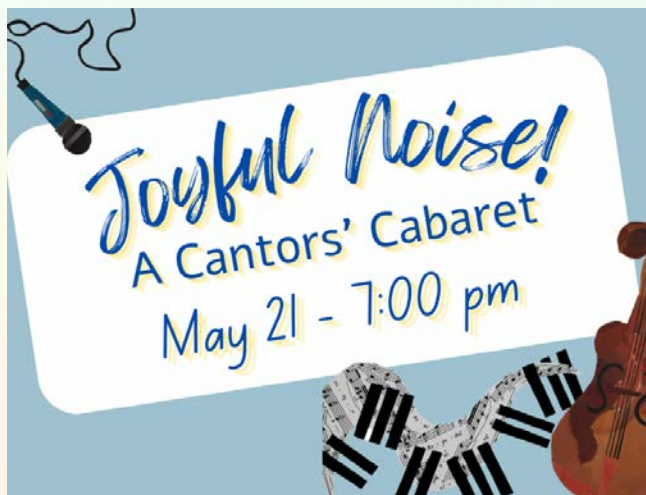
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7:00 pm Concert, followed by a dessert reception.

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You are cordially invited to attend...

Emanuel's 104th Annual Meeting

**will be held on
Tuesday, June 20 at 7:30 p.m.**

Please join us as we install incoming Officers and Trustees.

We will welcome our new Officers and Trustees and honor those Trustees who are cycling off our Board of Trustees.

We will also hear remarks from the President, honor special volunteers and receive news on the amazing work our Committees do every day for The Emanuel.

Please join us for minyan at 7:00 p.m. prior to our Annual Meeting.

Additional information will be provided in future e-blasts and in the official notice of the meeting.

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS:

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THEY MADE IT HAPPEN: EMANUEL, CHILDREN'S MUSEUM AND REALTOR LISA SADINSKY RECEIVE CoSTAR IMPACT AWARD

THE AWARD HIGHLIGHTS COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE TRANSACTION THAT HAVE TRANSFORMED THEIR MARKETS

The Emanuel Synagogue, The Children's Museum and Emanuel member and realtor Lisa Cudrin Sadinsky are the recipients of a CoStar Impact Award as Hartford's lease of the year.

Judged by real estate professionals who work in the market, the award recognizes the efforts of the synagogue, The Children's Museum and Lisa Sadinsky to find a viable solution for housing the museum — a local institution — when the owner of the museum's building sold the land last year to a developer to be turned into a luxury condo complex.

The Emanuel was looking for an educational tenant to occupy its former school wing, which had closed during the pandemic.

After signing a lease for the space at the Emanuel, museum leaders refit the classrooms into animal habitats and exhibit space in addition to designing a preschool program space. Sadinsky, a real estate broker with Broder Commercial in West Hartford, said there were many challenges in converting the space to meet the needs of the museum, but what the parties have in common, is the "best interest of our community's children and their education."

Lisa added her own children received their preschool education at the museum's preschool and their religious foundation at The Emanuel.

"We learn from an early age that civic responsibility requires us to care for our neighbors, especially in times of need. Countless hours of community and congregation-based conversation was required to make this a successful



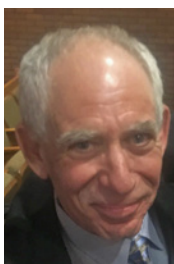
From left: Emanuel Synagogue President Ken Simon, Emanuel member and Broder Commercial Real Estate's Lisa Sadinsky, Emanuel Executive Director Kobi Benita, Rabbi David Small and The Children's Museum Director of Operations Beth Weller. Missing from photo is Michael Werle, executive director of The Children's Museum & Preschool.

partnership, not to mention a fast-track zoning process," she said, adding, "The museum is now once again open to the public, the preschool has full occupancy, and the Emanuel was able to help a beloved neighbor in need and has a great tenant as a result. It is absolutely a win for tenant, owner and the community at large in so many ways."

A huge *Todah Rabbah* to Emanuel board member Atty. Mitchell Jaffe, who donated countless hours of legal work for the transaction and Howard Smith, chair of the Emanuel House Committee. *Kol Hakavod* to all involved!

FROM THE PRESIDENT: L'HITRAOT

L'hitraot — I will see you later. What a beautiful word. It is not goodbye; it is not final but is an ongoing promise to see each other again. That is how I feel as I leave the Presidency of The Emanuel Synagogue in the capable hands of Reesa Olins. Reesa has been so invaluable to me during these two years, and I extend a huge *Todah Rabbah*, *Yasher Koach* and best of luck in your new term as President.



We have toiled together these last two years to reclaim our *Kehilla* from the troubles of COVID-19. First, we stayed safe, by Zoom and Livestream; then we slowly opened our doors, and then we came back into the building. We welcomed a new Cantor, Daniella Risman, and we said a sad goodbye to our Cantor Emeritus, Sandy Cohn. We paid tribute to our Rabbis and their wives in a beautiful weekend of celebration. We had large and larger crowds at our Hanukah and Purim celebrations. We produced Ben Engel's play "Havdalah" and supported it with a scholarly lecture and Hazzan Risman's first short form concert featuring the last performance by our beloved Cantor Cohn on our Emanuel *bimah*. Another beautiful concert honored the Installation of Hazzan Risman. We look forward to May 21, our first large concert since November 2019.

On the ritual side of things, we had two beautiful *Yamim Noraim*. The 5782 edition saw us registering and requiring COVID vaccinations with restricted seating. In 5783, we were fully open; services were well attended and extremely meaningful under the steady leadership of Rabbi Small, Rabbi Lazowski, Hazzan Risman, and Ritual Director Moshe Pinchover. As security issues have been at the fore of everything we do, our Executor Director Kobi Benita led the team in helping to keep us all safe. Thanks to all of you for what you do.

Our Selichot service in 2022, organized by our Hazzan, was one of the most memorable in recent years featuring a beautiful concert by Galeet Dardashti. We celebrated beautiful B'nai Mitzvah, *Aufrufim* and other lifecycle events such as birthdays and anniversaries. We had lovely Sisterhood and Brotherhood Shabbat Services. We mourned our losses and remembered our loved ones. We dedicated a new Levin Family Sukkah and renewed the Goodman Banks Garden. We opened our doors just a little bit wider with our diversity, inclusion and membership initiatives.

We went solar and achieved financial benefits as a result: Thank you, Tom Mastronarde, Mel Simon, Howard Smith and Rick Lasker. We created a beautiful publication, "The Book of Gratitude," which marked

memorable moments during COVID. Thank you, Alan Parker. It was and continues to be joyful spending Saturdays after Shabbat services together discussing everything, enjoying company and having a nosh. Thanks to Regina Miller, Bonnie Lasker and their team of volunteers and to Jeff Adler and the Brotherhood for their hard work in the kitchen. In addition, Josh Cohen has engaged us with great programming and delicious food and drink throughout the year.

We have done a lot together. I have tried to keep my promise to you to love our synagogue and work hard to help move it forward. One of my obligations as President is to assure our finances are sound. Thanks to Michael Kamins, Mickey Libbin and Amy Dembo for helping all of us to understand the numbers. Kobi Benita recognized our needs long ago and

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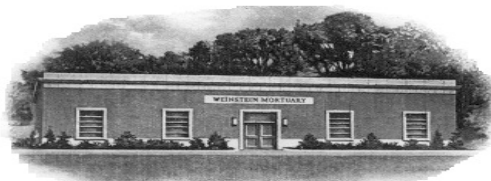
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ODE TO ISRAEL AT 75

Israel at 75 struggles now to grow
and thrive

Riven by conflict she tries to find
A meeting of civic heart and mind

Beset by threat from far and near
She vies to protect all that she holds dear
A national home for every Jew
A shining banner of white and blue
A place for Arabs and refugees, too.

May she always protect minority rights
And defend her people through the darkest nights
A home for exiles o'er centuries denied
One People now sovereign with dignity and pride
Home to innovators and inventors
A modern Jewish Cultural center
Searches for peace with enemies and neighbors
Develops technology to enhance human labor

Supports long life, health and food production
Her cities buzz with new construction
I pray her leaders awaken to wisdom and reason
And find common ground in this Holy Season

They must reach a new accord however steep the cost
Let them forge a common plan before all be lost
From the beaches of Tel Aviv to the hills of Galil
She is no mere dream — Israel is real!

May We who dwell in other lands so far and wide
Greet Israel with our respect and hasten to her side
Share triumph hope and heartache, and learn from
each other
Embrace our kin as beloved Sister and Brother

Over sea and the land, beneath the shining sky
Let us pray for her good — *Am Yisrael Chai!*

— Rabbi David J. Small



HUGE TODAH RABBAH TO THE LEVINS FOR GENEROUS DONATION TO SUSTAIN KIBBITZ & NOSH

A huge *Todah Rabbah* to Sheryl and Boris Levin for their generous donation to the Kibbitz & Nosh weekly program for preschoolers and their families. The Thursday playdates (which include lunch!), have been very successful. Several families who have been attending have now joined as Emanuel members.

"We made a donation to sustain the Kibbitz & Nosh program for many reasons. Most importantly, the program has attracted many young families to our community. This demographic will help to secure a future for the Emanuel Synagogue for many years to come. L'dor v'dor," said Sheryl Levin.

If you would like to contribute to help sustain Kibbitz & Nosh, please either make a donation online or make your check payable to The Emanuel Synagogue. You may mail it or drop it off in the locked box under the awning. We appreciate all donations!



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helped forge an incredibly positive relationship with The Children's Museum and the School. We have received good reviews for this partnership. As a result, we have upgraded that part of our building in the HVAC and electrical supply areas, which bodes well for future use of our building. A percentage of our budget relies on fundraising for balance. We believe it is as important to be excellent as to be financially prudent, so we try to be both. Please contribute to our Israel75 fundraising events and enjoy the concert and other programming. There is something for everyone.

I have had the luxury of presiding over a Religious School that runs itself. Thank you to Barbara Fink, Gail Mackey, Deb Zuckerman, Hannah Zwiebel and the Board of Ed for flawlessly turning our school into the best. *Yasher Koach!*

Finally, to Lisa Taylor, Lisa Lenkiewicz, Kathy Hart and Wendy Greco in the office who help keep my humor positive and are the friendly faces of our synagogue. Thanks to Joe Ward, Juan Zavala and Derrick Daley who make everything magically happen. Thank you to Joyce Hyde for her creative marketing and website work, and to Karen Piacenta for her diligent attention to our cemetery needs. All of these folks work hard to make The Emanuel the great place that it is. And finally, to all the unnamed volunteers who make additional wonders happen, *Yishar Kochabem*, and I will see you in *shul*, helping with the next project.

— Ken Simon

ADULT EDUCATION NEWS

by Ona Mastronarde

A highlight of our March programs was a talk by Rabbi Gordon Tucker, Vice Chancellor of Religious Life and Engagement at the Jewish Theological Seminary, our first Adult Education Committee in-person presentation in three years. Rabbi Tucker stimulated us to think about our place among other life forms and how we fit into the natural world.



Rabbi Gordon Tucker, vice chancellor of Religious Life and Engagement at the Jewish Theological Seminary, was the guest lecturer at an Emanuel Adult Education Committee event in March co-sponsored by Beth El Temple. From left, Rabbi Jim Rosen, Steve Rabb, Phil Schlossberg, Rabbi Tucker and Rabbi David Small.

March and April presentations from the “Jewish History from Biblical Times to the Present” series included “Sephardic Experiences of the Holocaust” and “Awake My People: Antisemitism and the Jewish Encounter with Modernity.” We also had the opportunity to watch the movie “Shalom Taiwan,” followed by a discussion about the Jewish community of Taiwan, “tour” the Old Quarter of London and Yad Vashem in Jerusalem, and hear some thoughts about “Who Wrote the Torah.” Finally, the week before Pesach we heard about “300 Ways to Create an Unforgettable Seder.”

Rabbi Small led discussions on Israeli politics and delved into text readings with the Natalie Ziplow study group Thursday mornings.

COMING UP:

• **Thursday, May 11, 8:30 p.m.: Cantor Benjie Ellen Schiller**, Rabbi Lawrence A. Hoffman Professor of Liturgy, Worship and Ritual and Professor of Cantorial Arts, HUC-JIR will discuss “**How Music Speaks: The Prayer Within the Song**,” using music and reflection to explore the

NEHAMA

Heartfelt condolences and support to the families of:

Miriam Elfenbaum, mother of Michael (Anna) Elfenbaum; grandmother of Harry, Abie and Sophie Elfenbaum

Barbara Finkel, mother of Amy (Steven) Dembo, grandmother of Rachel, Lauren and Jacob Dembo; sister of Nancy Swilling

Anne Goldman, mother of Leslie (George) Friedland and Robert (Nicole Hewes) Goldman

Muriel Hoff, mother of David (Nina) Hoff; grandmother of Esther Hoff

Ira Levin, father of Nancy, Jane and Jackie Levin; father-in-law of Jeffrey Renert

Bill Newman, husband of Joan Newman

Jonathan Rome, son of Debbie Rome

Selma Schwartz, mother of Jerry (Janet) Schwartz and Jonathan (Janet) Schwartz



relationship between song, sound, and meaning within our communal prayer.

• **Thursday, May 18, 8:30 p.m.: “Facing West: The True Story of One Family’s Journey from India to Israel 1945-1955”;** Rahel Musleah, an award winning New York based journalist, author, singer, speaker and educator who was born in Calcutta, the seventh generation of a Calcutta Jewish family that traces its roots to 17th century Baghdad, will give a vivid portrait of life in Palestine (Israel) on the brink of statehood through original letters, archival photos, pioneer songs of the period and Baghdadi-Indian Jewish songs that express the yearning for Zion.

• **Sunday May 21, 12:30 p.m.: Live Walking Tour of Jewish Berlin** with Yoav and Natalie Sapir.

• **Sunday, June 11, 12 p.m.: David Wagenuis** will take us on a **Live Walking Tour of Jewish Amsterdam**.

• **The Natalie Ziplow Study Group** with Rabbi Small will continue to meet on Zoom Thursday mornings at 10:30 a.m. All are welcome to join in the discussion and study sessions!

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. The actual Zoom link will be sent out to registered participants by email.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS

by Barbara Fink

A *Kehilah Kadosha*, a holy community. When I hear that phrase, I think about my Emanuel *Kehilah*. I think about how we cultivate our *kehilah* each day. I think about the successful programs like the opening day Religious School breakfast, Tashlich, Pizza in the Hut, the Chanukah Olympics, our Simchat Torah and Purim services and parties, Kibbitz and Nosh every Thursday, Shabbat Babayit and all of the Shabbat dinners and Kiddushim. I think about the remarkable learning that went on during our B'nai Mitzvah family series for our 6th and 7th graders. I think about how our 3rd graders learned to read enough Hebrew that they can lead *T'filot* in the Sanctuary on Shabbat. How our 5th and 6th graders read Torah in our family services each month. I think about how we have made Judaism come alive for our kids during programs such as "The Haunted Shul," our Shema Bear program at Build a Bear and Matzah Factory. I think about how many *Shabbatot* and *chaggim* we spent together praying and how much we have enjoyed each other's company. This school year has been amazing, and it is all because of our wonderful Emanuel *Kehilah Kadosha*.

I sincerely thank all of the families



3rd graders Leora Kropsky, Maddie Cohen, Ben Talit and Levi Jacobson daven in Banks Garden.

for their support, for sharing their children with us and for helping to create this *Kehilah Kadosha*. I can't thank the outstanding faculty of our Religious School our early childhood programs enough:

Sarah Baden, Fern Cohen, Doron Feller, Nancy Fichman, Lance Goldberg, Lev Kropsky, Jennifer Molinari, Beckie Sahl, Karen Schlossberg, Rabbi Small, Cantor Risman, Allie Weiner, Sass Brown, Janice Barshay and Gail Mackey.

Our teen aides bring so much enthusiasm each week and are great role models to the younger kids. Thank you to: Adam Diaz Matos, Rebecca Diaz Matos, Hannah Fink, Barak Goldberg, Ryan Leef, Lake Piekarsky, Jonah Schulman, Ethan Shtern, Hannah Shtern and Jonah Rosenberg.



Sunday, Feb. 12, was the World Wide Wrap, an annual program sponsored by the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs to explain the mitzvah of putting on tefillin. Emanuel's 6th and 7th graders were treated to breakfast by the Emanuel Brotherhood and then participated in a tefillin workshop. Photo by Marshall Soltz



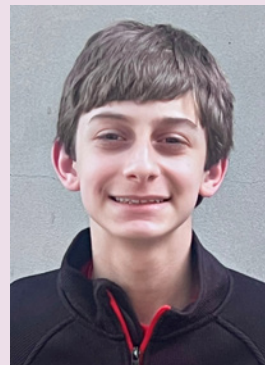
5th grader Avi Sholovitz gets ready to read Torah with Cantor Risman as siblings Eli and Lily Talit look on.

Without them, nothing is possible. They give their all to everything they do. They try new things to make learning fun for our kids and really excel at everything. *Kol Hakavod* to them for a successful year of learning!

EMANUEL'S B'NAI MITZVAH



Hannah Leah Leef, daughter of Marcus Leef & Stephanie Weissglas, will become a Bat Mitzvah on Saturday, June 3, 2023.



Antonio Joseph Gerber, son of Cynthia & David Gerber, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, June 10, 2023.

News From The SISTERHOOD

by Fern Cohen

Shalom! What a wonderful Sisterhood Shabbat on March 18! There were more than 60 women participating, including Illona Roll, president of the NAR (North Atlantic Region), who read Torah. Several women participated for the first time. Judy Silver, our Lay Rabbi, did an outstanding job.

Lisa Lenkiewicz beautifully chanted the long Haftorah and Judy Fox did the very long Maftir Torah reading. Services were followed by a beautiful Kiddush chaired by Bonnie Lasker. A huge thank you to Arlan Lieblick and her committee for making the most delicious rugelach! A big *Todah Rabbah* to Brotherhood for serving. We will return the favor on Brotherhood Shabbat on May 20.



Gail Mackey and Elaine Smith helped bake hamantaschen for Purim.

Torah Fund News

From Sue Bergman and Debbie Mehlman, our Torah Fund co-chairs: This year's dinner, honoring Fern Cohen as the Chayei Olam recipient, will be held on Wednesday, May 10, at 6:30 p.m. Registration is due on May 1. Reservations will not be allowed after that date.

Upcoming: **May 10** Torah Fund Dinner
June 13 Sisterhood Installation



Arlan Lieblick, Renee Zetoff, Deb Kent and Marshall Soltz made rugelach for Sisterhood Shabbat. Contact Arlan for the recipe!

Sisterhood New Year's Greetings 5784



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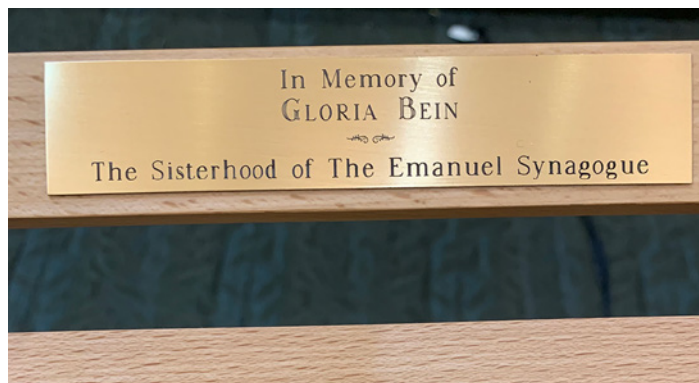
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Please fill out the form and send it with a minimum contribution of \$10 per family payable to Emanuel Sisterhood by July 20, 2023 to: Geri Kaizer, P.O. Box 514 Goshen, CT 06756. Monies received after this date cannot be guaranteed submission for the newsletter.

SHOP THE SALE WALL IN THE SISTERHOOD JUDAIC SHOP

Spring has arrived! Hope everyone enjoyed their Pesach Seder with family and friends and have memories to treasure forever. It's not too late to purchase holiday items for the rest of the year. Need a Bar/Bat Mitzvah, wedding, hostess or birthday gift? We have you covered! We also have new tallitot for all ages. Come visit us in the shop to see our new merchandise. In order to make room for new inventory, we have created a Sale Wall with markdowns up to 70% off.

We are open on Sunday mornings during Religious School hours in May, or by appointment. Contact Debbie Bettan 860-798-9355 or Carol Fishman 860-930-4424 for appointment.



During Sisterhood Shabbat, the Sisterhood dedicated a book stand and book with the Torah readings in memory of Gloria Bein.

News From The BROTHERHOOD

by Philip Thierman, President

Shalom Emanuel Friends! Happy Spring! What a busy time it has been. The Brotherhood has been very active during 5783. I hear that people have been very pleased with our programming and delicious catered events. Many thanks to the Brotherhood Board & Members who consistently help with all our food prep, hosting, serving and cleanup. It is a big effort! Shout out to the Sisterhood who also give us a very helpful hand, even when we do not ask. Thank you so much! Their willingness to help is much appreciated.

The Emanuel Brotherhood is actively seeking a new Vice President. If you have the time and would like to volunteer, please contact me to discuss. The BH operates nearly all year round, and the Emanuel members are always looking for an event to attend to either schmooze, eat, learn, and/or catch up with friends and family. It is a great way to meet people in the community.

Most recently, we held the following successful programs: ADL Guest Speaker Breakfast (the Emanuel's very own Kira Simon) learning about antisemitism; Worldwide Wrap Breakfast for the Religious School teaching the younger generation the tradition of tefillin; Erev Purim Café with a luau theme; the Annual Dinner with Hazzan Risman; and breakfast for the Adult Education lecture by Rabbi Gordon Tucker.



Brotherhood members gathered to prepare the dinner for the Purim Palooza. Special thanks to Don Miller, Alan Goodman, Peter Mehlman, Mickey Libbin, Joe Geoghegan, Mark Goldberg, Stu Kopel, Marshall Soltz, Paul Kornman, Jeff Adler, Delfo Tringali, Mark Jacobson, Josh Cohen and Ken Malley. Photo by Bob Tellar

I hope you all had a wonderful Pesach and are enjoying the warmer weather. Below is a listing of our upcoming events. Looking forward to seeing you!

Upcoming:

- May 20** Brotherhood Shabbat
- June 8-11** The Retreat 2023 at Camp Ramah, Palmer, MA ([click here for camp info](#))
- June 29-July 2** FJMC Annual Convention in Philadelphia ([click here for Convention info](#))



More than 60 people attended Brotherhood's "Annual Dinner with the Hazzan" in March. Hazzan Risman entertained with niggunim. A four-course dinner included meatball appetizers (compliments of Mickey Libbin), oven-roasted turkey (compliments of Mark Goldberg), and eggplant lasagna, and all the trimmings. (Photo by Bob Tellar)



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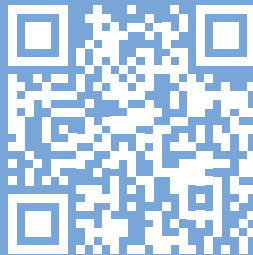
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 10 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 25th Day of the Omer <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	2 11 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 26th Day of the Omer Ritual Committee 7:45pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	3 12 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 27th Day of the Omer <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	4 13 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 28th Day of the Omer Ziplow Group 10:30am Kibbitz & Nosh 11am <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	5 14 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 29th Day of the Omer Pesach Sheni Taste of Israel BBQ 6pm <i>Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 4:45pm</i> Candles 7:35pm	6 15 Iyyar Parashat Emor 30th Day of the Omer Services 9am Israel 75 Shabbat Learning Jewish Prayer Class 9:15am Tot Shabbat/Family Services 10:30am <i>Minha/Maariv 7:45pm</i> Havdalah 8:34pm
7 16 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 8am</i> 31st Day of the Omer Lag B'Omer Field Day 9am Israel 75 Keynote Lecture 7:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	8 17 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 32nd Day of the Omer Brotherhood Board 7:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	9 18 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 33rd Day of the Omer Lag B'Omer Sisterhood Board 7:30pm Board of Ed 7:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	10 19 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 34th Day of the Omer Sisterhood Torah Fund Dinner 6:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	11 20 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 35th Day of the Omer Ziplow Group 10:30am Kibbitz & Nosh 11am Adult Ed Comm 7:30pm Exec Comm 7:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	12 21 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 36th Day of the Omer <i>Shabbat Babayit 5:30pm</i> <i>Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 6pm</i> Candles 7:43pm	13 22 Iyyar Parashat Behar-Bechukotai 37th Day of the Omer Services 9am Chapel Minyan 9:30am <i>Minha/Maariv 8pm</i> Havdalah 8:42pm
14 23 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 8am</i> 38th Day of the Omer Mother's Day <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	15 24 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 39th Day of the Omer <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	16 25 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 40th Day of the Omer Board of Trustees 7:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	17 26 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 41st Day of the Omer Tzedakah Walk 4pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	18 27 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 42nd Day of the Omer Last Ziplow Study Group 10:30am Kibbitz & Nosh 11am <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	19 28 Iyyar <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 43rd Day of the Omer Yom Yerushalayim USY Shabbat Dinner 7pm <i>Shabbat Babayit 5:30pm</i> <i>Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 6pm</i> Candles 7:50pm	20 29 Iyyar Parashat Bemidbar 44th Day of the Omer Brotherhood Shabbat Services 9am <i>Minha/Maariv 8pm</i> Havdalah 8:49pm
21 1 Sivan <i>Shaharit 8am</i> 45th Day of the Omer Rosh Hodesh Sivan Cantors' Cabaret 7pm *see events below <i>Minha/Maariv 6pm</i>	22 2 Sivan <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 46th Day of the Omer JT Connect Teen Philanthropy Celebration & Senior Send-off 6:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	23 3 Sivan <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 47th Day of the Omer <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	24 4 Sivan <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 48th Day of the Omer <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	25 5 Sivan <i>Shaharit 7am</i> 49th Day of the Omer Erev Shavuot Kibbitz & Nosh 11am Tikkun Leyl Shavuot 8:30pm <i>Minha/Maariv 7:45pm</i> Candles 7:55pm	26 6 Sivan Shavuot I Services 9am <i>Minha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 6pm</i> Candles 7:56pm	27 7 Sivan Shavuot II Services 9am Yizkor approx. 11am <i>Minha/Maariv 8:15pm</i> Havdalah 8:55pm
28 8 Sivan <i>Shaharit 8am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	29 9 Sivan <i>Shaharit 8am</i> Memorial Day <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	30 10 Sivan <i>Shaharit 7am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	31 11 Sivan <i>Shaharit 7am</i> <i>Minha/Maariv 7pm</i>	*May 21 events: Last Day Religious School 9am; First Responders Appreciation BBQ/ Touch-a-Truck 11am; Adult Ed Virtual Program: Jewish Berlin 12:30pm		