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FROM THE RABBI

*May the Source of Strength
who blessed ones before us
help us find the courage to
make our lives a blessing...*

— Debbie Friedman and Rabbi
Drorah Setel, Mishebeirach

How do we find courage in times of challenge and uncertainty? How do we keep our bearings, when so much of life seems to be beyond our control? This year as we gather for the holiest days of the year, we will reflect together on the themes of courage and blessing.

During the years, I have witnessed the sustaining impact of courage and the transcendent power of blessing in the lives of individuals, families and communities. The Emanuel Synagogue family aims to provide you with spiritual and personal resources to find courage and to create blessing in your lives.

As these Awesome Days approach, I want to thank you for your support of the Emanuel. Your spiritual and material contributions allow us to fulfill our sacred mission every day. Please come join us during the Fall Festivals, from Rosh Hashanah to Yom Kippur to Sukkot and Simchat Torah. We will share gratitude, remember our departed loved ones, make peace with each other and our Maker and envision a path towards a Good Year. May the coming year 5784 be one of true blessings for you and yours!

Lshana Tova Tikateivu.

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

With love,
David

— Rabbi David J. Small



FROM THE PRESIDENT

The High Holy Days will soon be here; a time of renewal, inspiration and reflection. This is an opportunity to renew acquaintances and friendships and redefine our relationships with each other. Our building is fully open for all services — if you have not yet returned, we welcome you to do so now and throughout the year.

We have an outstanding clergy and administrative team, a vibrant and growing membership, and we have opened our doors to all who wish to be members and live a Jewish life, including those of a different faith or cultural background. I look to the future with enthusiasm as we continue to build on our strengths while respecting tradition and seeking new



and innovative ways to connect with each other and the Almighty.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, Oct. 7, 2023, as we launch our major fundraiser to repair and restore our *Sifrei Torahs*. *Our Sacred Legacy: Up Close and Personal with the Torah* will kick off on Simchat Torah and culminate near Shavuot. Stay tuned!

Sunday, Nov. 19 will be the premiere of Ben Engel's latest play, *Domitilla*, directed by Adrian A. Durler and produced by Ken Simon, Alan Parker, and Marsha Wolfberg. The play tells the story of a trip to Rome by four Talmud rabbis in 95 CE. Ben's love of writing and his three earlier plays have become an Emanuel tradition of bringing our community together to enjoy the arts.

On behalf of the officers and Board of Trustees, I wish you a Shana Tova! May 5784 be a sweet, happy, and healthy new year for all of us, and may we all be inscribed in the Book of Life.

— Reesa F. Olins

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ימים נוראים – DAYS OF AWE
2023 / 5784

All services will be in person and
on Livestream; Erev RH will also be on Zoom

SELICHOT @ Beth El Temple
Saturday, September 9, 2023 - Refreshments & Program
at 8:00pm; Service at 9:00pm

CEMETERY SERVICES
Sunday, September 24 at 11:00am
The Emanuel Cemetery, Jordan Lane, Wethersfield

Sunday, September 24 at 12:00 noon
Beth Hillel Memorial Park, Wolcott Rd., East Granby

ROSH HASHANAH - SEPTEMBER 15-17, 2023

Erev – Friday, September 15
Mincha/Maariv (also Zoom) 6:00pm
Candles 6:43pm
Day I – Saturday September 16
Shacharit 8:30am
Children, Family & Teen Services 10:00am
Mincha/Maariv 6:00pm
Candles 7:41pm
Day II – Sunday, September 17
Shacharit 8:30am
Shofar Service – Main Sanctuary 10:00am
Children, Family & Teen Serv following Shofar
Shofar in the Lot 12:45pm
Tashlich at Trout Brook, WH 4:30pm
Tashlich at Farmington River, Simsbury 4:30pm
Mincha/Maariv 7:00pm
Havdalah 7:37pm

SHABBAT SHUVAH WEEKEND
SEPTEMBER 22-SEPTEMBER 23, 2023

Friday, September 22
Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/Maariv 6:00pm
Saturday, September 23
Morning Service 9:00am
Mincha/Maariv 6:45pm
Havdalah 7:27pm

YOM KIPPUR – SEPTEMBER 24-25, 2023

Erev YK – Sunday, September 24
Morning Minyan 8:00am
Mincha 6:00pm
Kol Nidre 6:15pm
Teen Kol Nidre 6:15pm
Candles 6:27pm
YK Day – Monday, September 25
Shacharit 9:00am
Children, Family & Teen Services 11:00am
Yizkor Sermon and Service 11:00am approx
Mincha/Book of Jonah 5:00pm
Ne'ilah 6:20pm
Children's Ne'ilah 6:50pm
Tekiah Gedolah 7:23pm
Maariv followed by Havdalah 7:30pm
Break the Fast 7:45pm

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

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Adult Ed Learning series with the Emanuel clergy in
preparation for the High Holy Days.



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BEN ENGEL'S NEW PLAY,
DOMITILLA, PREMIERES ON
NOVEMBER 19, 2023

Ben Engel's latest play,
Domitilla, will premiere
with a staged reading at
the Emanuel on Sunday,
Nov. 19 at 7 p.m. It





portrays a trip to Rome by four Talmud rabbis in 95
CE, and their entanglements (personal and political)
with the magnetic Flavia Domitilla (a Roman
aristocrat living an openly Jewish life), the Emperor
Domitian, and other Romans and Roman Jews.

Tickets will be available online starting in late
October, or before that by contacting the Emanuel
office at (860) 236-1275.



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:

<i>Baruch atah adonai eloheinu melech ha'olam asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu leisheiv basukkah</i>	ברוך אתה ה', אלוהינו מלך העולם, אשר קדשנו במצוותיו וציונו לישב בסוכה
<i>Baruch atah adonai eloheinu melech ha'olam asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu al n'tilat lulav.</i>	ברוך אתה ה', אלוהינו מלך העולם, אשר קדשנו במצוותיו וציונו על נטילת לולב
<i>Baruch atah adonai eloheinu melech ha'olam shecheyanu v'kiy'manu v'higyanu lazman hazeh.</i>	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 emanuelsynagogue.org for the most up to date schedule information.

Erev Sukkot, Friday, September 29

Evening Services.....	6:00 PM
Candle Lighting.....	6:18 PM

Sukkot

Saturday, September 30

Services	9:00 AM
Minha/Maariv	6:00 PM
Candle Lighting.....	7:17 PM

Sunday, October 1

Services	9:00 AM
Minha/Maariv	6:30 PM
Havdalah	7:13 PM

Hoshanah Rabah, Friday, October 6

Evening Minyan	5:45 PM
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Sh'mini Atzeret, Saturday October 7

Morning Service	9:00 AM
Tot Shabbat/Family Services.....	10:30 AM
<i>Yizkor Service approximately 11:00 AM</i>	
Mincha Gedola Services.....	1:30 PM
Evening Minyan	6:15 PM
Candle Lighting.....	7:05 PM

Simchat Torah

Erev Simchat Torah, Saturday Evening, October 7

Dinner for families with school age and younger children ...	5:30PM
Maariv	6:00 PM
Plush Torah Parade.....	6:15 PM
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hakafot: Singing, Dancing and Marching with the Torah Scrolls • Multiple Torah Roll — guided tour of the Torah — see an Entire Torah Scroll unrolled! • Special Flags for Children • Special Aliyah for Children 	
Havdalah	8:15 PM
Simchat Torah Café	8:30 PM

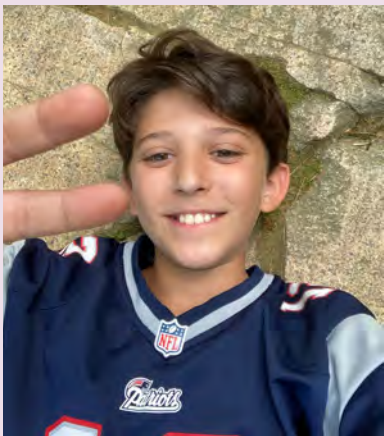
Simhat Torah Day, Sunday, October 8

9:00 AM Morning Service Begins — 10:00 AM Hakafot	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singing and Dancing with the Torah Scrolls • Group Torah Honors for everyone • Special Aliyah for Children • Kiddush Lunch Following the Service 	
Minha/Maariv	6:15 PM
Havdalah	7:01 PM

EMANUEL'S B'NAI MITZVAH



Daniel Godel, son of Mira & Nir Godel, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, Sept. 9, 2023.



Lucas Jordan Magalhaes, son of Andre & Jeni Magalhaes, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, Oct. 14, 2023.



Noah Juaquin Cruz, son of Yeshiva Cohen-Cruz and Nery Cruz, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, Oct. 21, 2023.

A BIG EMANUEL WELCOME TO OUR NEW STUDENT CANTOR

The Emanuel is excited to announce Max Silverstone (he/him), a fifth (and final) year student of the H. L. Miller Cantorial School at the Jewish Theological Seminary (JTS), who will be our Student Cantor this year. Max will be at The Emanuel under the auspices of the JTS Resnick Internship Program.

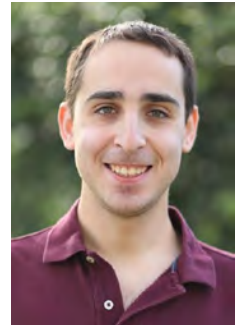
Emanuel's portion of funding will be provided by a generous contribution from Drs. Donald and Regina Miller and the Emanuel Religious School budget. Emanuel has a well-established Rabbinical Intern program; this is the second time we have been invited to host a JTS Resnick Fellow. This partnership reflects positively on the congregation and offers us the chance to enjoy working with Max throughout the coming school year while furthering the growth of a future leader.

Before attending JTS, Max graduated from Brandeis University, where he studied Judaic Studies and Music, and was an active leader in Brandeis Hillel. Max ran the campus Conservative Minyan for 5 semesters; and sang, beatboxed, and music directed in Manginah, Brandeis' co-ed Jewish a cappella group.

A lifelong New Yorker, Max grew up attending Park Avenue Synagogue,

where he found his love for liturgical music and community engagement. Max has also spent 16 summers at Camp Ramah in the Berkshires, first as a camper, then as a music specialist, where he created one of camp's most popular activities, Jewkulele. Max attributes Ramah as a transformative experience that shaped him into the Jewish leader he is today, and he is always looking for ways to share Ramah *ruach* (spirit) with others. This past summer, Max completed a unit of clinical pastoral education, where he served as chaplain at Project Ore, a senior center in Manhattan's East Village offering hot meals and social services to senior citizens.

Max lives on Manhattan's Upper West Side with his partner, Hannah Reikes, a teacher at the Heschel School. In his spare time, he likes to bike, rock climb, do photography, and collect vintage postcards. Max looks forward to meeting, learning with and praying with all members of the Emanuel Synagogue community.



Max Silverstone



Congratulations to those volunteers honored at The Emanuel's 104th annual meeting in June for their outstanding work on behalf of the synagogue. Pictured from left, Rick Lasker; Bonnie Lasker; Executive Director Kobi Benita, Howard Smith, Outgoing President Ken Simon, Amy Dembo, Tom Mastronarde and Rabbi Small. Not pictured is Regina Miller, who was also honored for extraordinary volunteerism.

OUR SACRED LEGACY: UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL WITH THE TORAH

Submitted by Tamar Margolis

Under the leadership of co-chairs Randie Fierberg, Tamar Margolis and their Steering Committee, The Emanuel has initiated the process of evaluating and repairing our 22 *Sifrei Torah*. This project will kick off Saturday evening, October 7, on Simchat Torah, when we dance with and celebrate the Torah. We are excited to roll out a full scroll for all to see and experience.

The project will culminate near Shavuot marrying the finalization of the Torah project with the festival that commemorates receiving the Torah at *Har Sinai* (Mount Sinai).

This project is our major fundraiser for the 2023-24 fiscal year. We will all have opportunities to get up close and personal with the Torah, including small intimate sessions with our *sofer* (scribe) and educational experiences to learn about the Torah, its history, and the physical properties of the scrolls. Volunteers are always appreciated, and we would love to hear from those who are interested in joining in this exciting project in any capacity.

Please stay tuned for announcements regarding the multitude of engaging events that are planned for this project.

Please contact Tamar Margolis (tamar.margolis@yahoo.com) or Randie Fierberg (Randie79@aol.com) to volunteer or for more information.



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Marcus Leef & Stephanie Weissglas, in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Hannah Leef

David & Cindy Gerber, in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Antonio Gerber

Merle & David Harris, in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary

Dr. Leon & Jean Chameides, in honor of their 62nd wedding anniversary and their birthdays

JULY

Stuart & Beth Katten, in honor of Regina Miller and the Kiddush Crew who prepare Saturday Kiddush and those who operate Zoom for services

Dr. Seymour & Judy Melnick, in honor of Seymour chanting the Haftarah

Ben & Joan Engel, in honor of the birth of their granddaughter, Laura June Engel

The Emanuel Synagogue

Kobi & Simi Benita, in honor of the Kiddush Crew and in honor of Simi's first time chanting a Haftarah

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS:

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MIRIAM & JOANNA ENGEL, WITH LAURA JUNE

STACY FARBER & KEITH REVOET, WITH JULIA AND LANA

DRS. JASON & GINA GLUCK WITH BRENDAN, DYLAN AND AVA

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BARBARA SACK

JARED & ALIZA TEICHMAN WITH HUNTER

STEFANIE LEVISON WEISS, WITH BRAYDEN AND ISSABELLAH

ERIC & JESSICA ZACHS

MAZAL TOV TO...

Erik Schulwolf & Alexandra Abed on the birth of their daughter, Emma Abed-Schulwolf. Mazal Tov also to grandparents **Lisa Levy and Jim Schulwolf**.

ADULT EDUCATION NEWS

by Ona Mastronarde

During the summer, we heard some of the history of Jews in Florida, going back to colonial days, from Marcia Jo Zerivitz of the Jewish Museum of Florida. We also had the chance to gain some insight into the controversy in Israel concerning the functioning of the Israeli judicial system, from Sam Sokol, a reporter for Haaretz.

We look forward to a new year of study of current events and traditional texts with the Natalie Ziplow Study Group, led by Rabbi Small. The group meets on Zoom Thursdays from 10:30-11:45 a.m., beginning Oct. 5.

COMING UP:

Wednesday, Sept. 6, noon: Hazzan Daniella Risman and Hazzan Moshe Pinchover will teach on “Music and Modes of the Awesome Days,” in preparation for the High Holy Days.

Thursday, Sept. 21, 8:30 p.m.: Louis Schmidt will present “The Untold Story of How the Stories Were Told.” He will discuss his involvement with the USC Shoah Foundation interviewing survivors and the remarkable videotaped conversations he conducted with the unforgettable martyrs of one of world history’s darkest periods. He is the winner of three Emmy and Four Ace Awards and as well as the Silver Medal from the International Television Festival of New York. He was formerly a reporter for *LOOK* Magazine and a Senior Producer for the National Football League for 33 years, producing HBO’s award winning show “Inside the NFL” for 16 seasons.

Thursday, Oct. 5, 10:30 a.m.: Natalie Ziplow Study Group begins. We look forward to a new year of lively discussion and study of current events and Jewish wisdom with Rabbi Small. To register for Zoom sessions, contact Lisa Taylor, 860-236-1275 ext. 116 or lisat@emanuelsynagogue.org.

Sunday, Oct. 15, 10:30 a.m.: Author A.J. Sidransky will be in person at The Emanuel to discuss his new book, *Incident at San Miguel*. This will be a joint program with Sisterhood. One reviewer called the book a “riveting tale of heartbreak, loss, and forgiveness. We see the Cuban Revolution in an entirely new light as several generations of a Jewish Cuban family grapple with the dreams and disillusionments of a historical moment.”

Thursday, Oct. 26, 8:30 p.m.: “A Physician’s Personal Account of the Yom Kippur War”: Itzhak Brook, M.D., M.Sc, Professor of Pediatrics at Georgetown University School of Medicine in Washington, D.C., will describe the historical background of the Yom Kippur War and its effects on Israeli society, as well as his personal experiences and challenges as a battalion physician in the Sinai.

Please let us know if there is a topic, speaker or Jewish program that interests you. You can send your ideas to me at otmastron@sbcglobal.net.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS

by Barbara Fink

As I spend my summer preparing for the new school year, I often look for quotes or songs that will inspire me, the kids and their families. This year, I came across a song commissioned by the 92nd Street Y in 2021 by Elana Arian entitled “Begin Again.” This song says exactly what I feel each September as we enter a new school year and a new Jewish Year.

We begin again. We begin in hope, with believing, with our hearts and minds open to never stop learning. We begin in strength and with our arms open to welcome the weary among us. We hope the sweetness of the New Year will never end and that we don’t take anything for granted. Each September, I am inspired to begin anew, start fresh with our families and children and begin again the formal and informal Jewish education that we have become accustomed to. I look forward to beginning again with all of you, whether it is during Religious School, family programs, Shabbat dinners or services or holiday parties or all of the above.

Let’s not take this *kehillah* (community) for granted and begin again together!

“Begin Again,” by Elana Arian

Amen

We begin again

We begin in hope

We begin with believing

We begin with our hearts staying open to all of the
gifts we’re receiving

We begin in faith Amen

We begin with returning Amen

We begin with our minds broken open to lessons we’ll
never stop learning

We begin again

Amen

We begin again

We begin in strength amen

We begin seeking justice amen

We begin with our arms stretching open to welcome
the weary among us

Begin again begin again

May the sweetness of this New Year never end

Begin again begin again

May we never take for granted where we’ve been

We begin again amen

We begin in truth amen

We begin with forgiveness amen

We begin with our eyes focused open to notice the
sacred with in us

Begin again begin again

Amen

EMANUEL RELIGIOUS SCHOOL | 2023-24 5784 TENTATIVE CALENDAR

4 Labor Day
8 Shabbat dinner
10 First Day of Religious School
17 No School
16-17 Rosh Hashanah
24 No school- Erev Yom Kippur
25 Yom Kippur

SEPTEMBER '23						
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3 Family Services-6th graders read Torah
11 World Wide Wrap (6th and 7th grade family program)
23 Shabbat Services/Dinner-K/1 participation

1 Sukkot Family Program (during services)
1-8 Sukkot/Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah
4 Pizza in the Hut
7 Simchat Torah Party
13 Shabbat Services/Dinner
15 7th grade family program
25 Haunted shul

OCTOBER '23						
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2 Family Services-6th graders read Torah
6 3rd grade parent meeting
10 6th grade family program
15 Shabbat Services/Dinner-4th grade participation
23 Purim Party
24 delayed opening- Purim program
30 Matan Siddur (3rd grade)
31 6th grade/K "Trip to Israel"

3 Shabbat Services/Dinner
18 Family Services
19 6th grade special program (just kids)
24 [Thanksgiving Day](#)

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5 Shabbat Services/Dinner-6th and 7th grade participation
18 Yom Hashoah
20 Family Services-5th graders read Torah
28 Field Day
23-30 Passover
24 No School

1 Shabbat Services/Dinner- 2nd and 3rd grade participation
3 7th grade family program
7-15 Chanukah
13 Chanukah Glow Party
16 Family Services
17 3rd grade family program

DECEMBER '23						
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4 Family Services
15 Tzedekah Walk
17 Shabbat Services/Dinner
18 Shabbat Jams
19 Last day

6 Family Services- 6th graders read Torah
7 4th grade l'dor vador family program
21 6th grade family program and Matan Tanach
26 Shabbat Services/Dinner- 5th grade participation
28 3rd and 4th grade community program

JANUARY '24						
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12-13 Shavuot

GREEN = SCHOOL DAY **RED** = NO SCHOOL **PURPLE** = HOLIDAY **BLUE** = FAMILY SERVICES

News From The SISTERHOOD

by Rachel Arnett, President

One of the things I love most about the High Holidays is the focus on our ability as human beings to reflect and repent. Our practice is a beautiful and sobering reminder that we are not perfect, but we can continue to make progress in caring for others and ourselves. We are able to repent for the mistakes we have made, and in doing so, we can renew our dedication to *tzedek* and *tikkun olam*.

There is something comforting for me in the notion that an entire congregation of people is taking time to stop, slow down and reflect. When we make our apologies to others and when we toss the breadcrumbs of *taslich*, we make a conscious choice to acknowledge our shortcomings, and in doing so, give ourselves a chance to try something different and be better versions of ourselves in the year(s) to come.

As I begin this New Year along with all of you, it is my hope that I will serve Sisterhood well during my presidency, and it is my hope that Sisterhood, our programming, etc., will continue to support and empower the women of our congregation. Please stop and say "hi" if you see me in services!

L'shanah Tovah Tikatevu and be well!

Upcoming Dates:

Thursday, Oct. 4 New Member Meet-and-Greet in the Sukkah

Thursday, Nov. 9 Paid-Up Membership Dinner

JUDAIC SHOP OFFERS HIGH HOLIDAY ITEMS

The High Holidays are here, and we are your go-to place to purchase that new apple and honey dish, serving tray, challah board or anything else to adorn your holiday table. We are proud to have a beautiful assortment of Michael Aram items as well as items from your favorite Judaic vendors such as Beames, Gary Rosenthal and Michal Golan, to name a few.

Need a hostess gift? Now that Hebrew School is back in session on Sunday mornings, we are open from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Come visit us on Sunday mornings or call for an appointment (Debbie 860-798-9355; Carol 860-930-4424). We are sure you will not be disappointed!

L'Shana Tova,

— Debbie Bettan & Carol Fishman



Emanuel Sisterhood leaders Fern Cohen and Debra Bettan were at the Women's League convention in Chicago on July 18 to receive the "Jewels in the Crown" award. The Sisterhood was awarded for their programming during the past three years.

NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS 5784/2023

Sue and Bruce Bergman and Family

Barbara and Stephen Berns and Family

Fern and Joel Cohen and Family

Jan and Syd Elkin

Norman Famely

Bella and Judd Fink and Family

Beth S. Goldberg and Family

Jackie Isaacson and Lou Blumenfeld

Geri, Jerry, Hannah and Sarah Kaizer; Emily, Jonathan, Mackenzie and Jeremiah Murphy

Joel and Deborah Kent and Family

The Kleinmans: Naomi and Joel; Aaron, Elena and Russell; Leah; and Rachel

Sheryl and Stuart Kopel

Allen and Judith Kronick

Elaine and Arthur Levison, Rosanne Levison, Stefanie Weiss

Loretta Levy and Family

Madalyn Levy

Joyce and Mickey Libbin

Deborah and Peter Mehlman

Regina and Don Miller

Bea Mitlak and Family

Joanne and Saul Pasternack

Barbara Reisner

Dianne Rothkopf; Laura, Travis, Lilien, and Briella Woodward

Ellen and Harvey Schiller and Family

LISA'S JEWISH BOOKS CORNER

by Lisa Lenkiewicz

A new year on the calendar, a new year of Jewish books! But there are several Jewish books published in 2023 we have yet to discuss in this column due to space constraints.

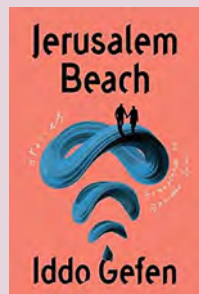
Jerusalem Beach, a book of short stories that draws on Israeli author Iddo Gefen's background as a neurocognitive researcher, won this year's Sami Rohr Prize for Jewish Literature.

One reviewer wrote that the 13 stories in his collection cover "virtual realities, the Middle East, and the furthest reaches of the solar system." A description from its publisher called the book a group of "snapshots of contemporary life in Israel."

For the first time, the prize was given to the author of a book in Hebrew and its translator. The prize alternates between honoring fiction and non-fiction works each year.

This year's finalists include *The Lost Shtetl* by Max Gross, *I'd Like to Say Sorry, But There's No One to Say Sorry To* by the Polish-Jewish writer Mikolaj Grynberg and *The Book of V* by Anna Solomon.

A book I enjoyed and member Barbara Berns



recommended is *Code Name Sapphire*, by Pam Jenoff. Inspired by true stories, the historical fiction book is about Holocaust resistance. In 1942, Hannah Martel has narrowly escaped Nazi Germany, but when her ship bound for America is turned away at port, she goes to her cousin Lily in Brussels. Fearful for her life, she returns to the dangerous underground work she left behind, joining the Sapphire Line, a secret resistance network.

Right now, I am reading *Kantika*, by Barbara Graver. "Kantika" is the Ladino word for "song," and the book is fashioned like a ballad. The reader follows Sephardic Jewish woman Rebecca Cohen, whose family must leave 20th century Istanbul for Barcelona. Rebecca eventually ends up in New York for an arranged second marriage. The central message seems to be family is home, wherever you land.

A new book came out in August from 2013 National Book Award winner James McBride. Called *The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store*, per Penguin Random House, it is about "how much the people who live on the margins of white, Christian America struggle and what they must do to survive." Set in Chicken Hill, a community in Pottstown, Pennsylvania, where Jewish immigrants and African Americans struggle side-by-side, the book tells the story of Chona and Moshe, a Jewish couple, and Nate Timblin, a leader in the Black community of Chicken Hill, and their plan to protect a deaf boy from being institutionalized by the state.

JTCONNECT KICKOFF CELEBRATION ON SEPT. 10!

JTConnect will hold a kickoff celebration on Sunday, Sept. 10, 12:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m., at Solomon Schechter Day School, 26 Buena Vista Road, in West Hartford.

Open to 8th-12th graders and their families, the event will include several fun activities such as relay races, inflatable obstacle course and sports and games. Kosher pizza lunch will be served.

Learn about JTConnect, meet new friends and reconnect with old ones. Register online: linktr.ee/jtconnect. For more information, contact Caroline Poland, at caroline@jtconnect.org or 860-727-6157.

SUPPORT EMANUEL — BUY GIFT CARDS NOW! PROGRAM DISCONTINUED IN DECEMBER

The Emanuel is still selling gift cards, but only until the end of this calendar year. As of Dec. 31, 2023, Emanuel is discontinuing the gift card program as it is now. We have VISA, Amazon, Dunkin' Donuts, Starbucks, Panera, Dick's and GAP available for \$10 and \$25. These are just a few of the many cards still in stock. Please be in touch with Joanne Pasternack for any questions at saulyo66@gmail.com or (860) 243-0442.

NEHAMA

Heartfelt condolences and support to the families of:

Al Blatter

Martha Ehrlich, grandmother of Josh (Evelyn) Cohen; great-grandmother of Jacob and Maddie Cohen

Marsha Kamins, wife of Michael Kamins; mother of Matthew Kamins (Laurian Banciulescu) and Andrew Kamins (Thomas Pitchford)

Louis Lopez Jr., father of Tiffany (Glenn) Blumenstein; grandfather of Levi, Elijah and Aliyah Blumenstein

Milton Levin, husband of Ann Levin

Morton Mussman, uncle of Dianne Rothkopf

Sandra Sholovitz, mother of Jeremy (Sara) Sholovitz; grandmother of Avi and Eli Sholovitz

Jack Vogel

Lowell Waldo, husband of Millicent Waldo





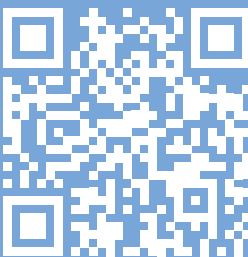
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News From The BROTHERHOOD

by Philip Thierman, President

Shalom, Emanuel Friends!

I hope you all had a wonderful summer and were able to enjoy the beautiful weather, beach, outdoors, great food and good times.

We had a wonderful 2022-2023 calendar year and plan to continue that momentum into 2023-2024. Thank you very much to all our sponsors, volunteers, board committee, and attendees who made our events not only successful but memorable as well.

The Brotherhood would also like to personally thank the following sponsors for events this past year:

Al & Nancy Fichman, in memory of Barbara Fink's mom, Lois Labendz; **Anne Renee**, in memory of Marvin Selsky and Harold Greenbaum; **Bob & Carol Tellar**, in honor of their granddaughters and in honor of warm weather in Florida; **Deb & Joel Kent**, wishing good health to Sheila Frankel and in honor of Israel75; **Don & Regina Miller**, in honor of the Brotherhood; **Donald Leef**, in honor of his grandson's good mid-term grades; **Elaine & Howard Smith**, in honor of Ken Simon and Mel Simon; **Gail & Jeff Adler**, in honor of their grandchildren; **Gary Cohen**, in honor of Ryan's 21st birthday and having passed his first two actuarial exams; **Harvey & Ellen Schiller**, in honor of wedding of son Paul to Kelly Hart and in honor of their grandchildren; **Joyce Flescher**, in honor of Regina Miller and all the Zoom folks; **Judy Silver**, in honor of the Brotherhood; **Ken Malley**, in honor of Israel 75; **Kit Blumenstein**, in memory of Amber Kathleen Blumenstein; **Kobi & Simi Benita**, in honor of Sisterhood and Brotherhood; **Lance Goldberg**, in honor of Paul & Susan Goldberg; **Rona Gollob**; **Mark Goldberg**, in honor of Ellie; **Marshall Soltz**, wishing a refuah shlemah to Marc Segalman and Janet Wallans; **Mel Simon**, in honor of Danielle, Kira, and Talia Simon and in honor of his co-chair Ken Malley in Celebration of Israel 75; **Michael Kamins**, in honor of Brotherhood; **Mickey Libbin**, in honor of Israel 75; **Mike Altschuler**, in honor of ADL speaker Kira Simon and in honor of his grandson Joshua's 11th birthday; **Monica & Robert Pepperman**, in memory of Lazar Mandler and Sheldon Pepperman; **Neal & Sarah Rubinfeld**, in honor of the State of Israel and in honor of their family; **Norman Famely**, in memory of Max Famely; **Ori Clare**, in honor of Brotherhood; **Pete Mehlman**, in honor of Brotherhood and in honor of his amazing wife Debbie; **Rabbi David Small**, in honor of Kira Simon; **Renee Zetoff**, in honor of the wonderful Brotherhood; **Roberta**

Buland, in memory of her parents, Lilian and Joseph; **Ron Schwartz**, in honor of and in memory of Sandra Schwartz; **Sara & Israel Blum**, in memory of Joseph Borns; **Sheila Silverman**, in memory of Charles Eilenberg; **Sheryl & Stuart Kopel**, in memory of Selig Lesnoy and Byron Kopel; **Stan Miller & Emily Lebovitz-Miller**, in honor of Israel75; **Stan the Bridge Man Kerry**, in memory of Sandy Sobel; **Steve Welk**, in memory of Barry Siegal; **Joel Cohen**, in honor of Fern Cohen's birthday.

The Emanuel Brotherhood operates all year round, and we are ready to host or co-host events. Volunteers are always needed so we can have successful events. If you are not on our email distribution list already, please contact Bob Tellar at rtellar@aol.com so you can stay in the loop. Volunteering at or attending our events is a great way to either schmooze, eat, learn, and/or catch up with friends and family at the Emanuel. It is a great way to meet people in the community and create camaraderie in our congregation.

The Brotherhood is looking forward to getting back to our regular scheduled programs and more. Below is a listing of upcoming events. Be on the lookout for more events and dates.

SAVE THE DATES!

Sept. 10: Build the Sukkah Afternoon — Volunteers needed!

Oct. 18: Brotherhood Paid- Up Dinner — Guest Speakers State Rep. Tammy Exum & State Sen. Derek Slap will reflect on their recent AIPAC trip to Israel

TBD: Dinner with Rabbi Small

Feb. 11, 2024: FJMC Worldwide Wrap

TBD: Dinner with Hazzan Risman

TBD: Community Shabbat Dinner

TBD: Brotherhood Shabbat

Hope to see you soon. *L'Shana Tovah Tikatevu!*



From left, Ken Malley and Marshall Soltz man the grills at the Religious School end-of-year celebration.

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MEYER & SHEILA FRANKEL
Joel & Deb Kent
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HYLA SKLAR
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In Honor of
The birth of BEN & JOAN ENGEL's granddaughter
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SUE & BRUCE BERGMAN FUND

In Honor of
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In Appreciation of
The EMANUEL BROTHERHOOD and all the volunteers
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In Appreciation of
KOBI BENITA
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In Honor of
The graduation of LINDA & MARTIN STEIN's granddaughter Avery Schiff
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In Memory of
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Wishing Good Health to
SHERYL KOPEL
Saul & Joanne Pasternack

CANTOR DISCRETIONARY FUND

In Honor of
CANTOR RISMAN, for her awesome performance at the Cantors' Cabaret
Barbara & Stephen Berns

CARING FUND

In Appreciation of
The Caring Committee's kindness
Carolyn & Michael Levine

In Honor of
The birth of LISA LEVY & JIM SCHULWOLF's granddaughter
Allen & Judith Kronick
EVELYN SIMONS, on her special birthday
Laura & Nate Friedman and Marsha Barry
Our aliyah in honor of the birth of our great-grandson
Cadence and the medical school graduation of our granddaughter Dr. Madeleine Spitzler
Robert & Sandi Rudnicki

In Memory of
FRANCES DOBROVOLSKY
Alan & Marilyn Goodman
DEBRA DWORETSKY
Alan & Sharon Budkofsky
MARSHA KAMINS

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Michael Kamins

Wishing Good Health to

TOM BARBER

Faith Parker

STEVEN ZELMAN

Lorraine & Tom Barber, Sandi & Marc Needelman

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In Honor of
The birth of ARLENE & DAN NEIDITZ' great-granddaughter
Jan & Syd Elkin
The birth of BEN & JOAN ENGEL's granddaughter
Jan & Syd Elkin

DANIEL & JOAN FINE FUND

In Memory of
MAX FINE
Joni & Dan Fine

FLOWERS FUND

In Honor of
LEON & JEAN CHAMEIDES' wedding anniversary and their birthdays
Barbara & Gerald Sperber

In Memory of
MARSHA KAMINS
Jill Stoner

GENERAL FUND

In Honor of
REESA OLINS, for becoming president of The Emanuel
Deborah & Peter Mehlman, Barbara & Stephen Berns
STEVE & BARBARA BERNs' birthdays, anniversary and wishing Steve good health
Barbara Reisner
ANTONIO GERBER's Bar Mitzvah
Bella & Judd Fink
KEN SIMON, for his wonderful work as president
Bella & Judd Fink, Howard & Elaine Smith, William & Sandra Rosenbaum
The birth of LISA LEVY & JIM SCHULWOLF's granddaughter
Bella & Judd Fink
The birth of BEN & JOAN ENGEL's granddaughter
Bella & Judd Fink
EVELYN SIMONS' special birthday
Gerri Wile
JOYCE FLESCHER, on her special birthday
Marshall Soltz
The marriage of ARLENE & DAN NEIDITZ' grandson and the birth of their great-granddaughter
Rona Gollob

In Memory of
MILTON LEVIN
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BETH & BENJAMIN GOLDBERG FUND

In Honor of
BETH GOLDBERG's art exhibit at the JCC
Barbara & Stephen Berns

MYRON WEINER's 97th birthday and MYRON & RUTH WEINER's anniversary

Beth S. Goldberg
RABBI & RUTH LAZOWSKI's birthdays
Beth S. Goldberg
RABBI SMALL's birthday
Beth S. Goldberg

The dedication of the Butterfly Project at the Mandell JCC in memory of the 1.5 million Jewish children killed in the Holocaust

Beth S. Goldberg
My art exhibit at the Mandell JCC

Beth S. Goldberg
BETH POLEBAUM's daughter SHOSHI COHN's engagement and son GAVI COHN's graduation from UConn Medical School
Beth S. Goldberg

In Memory of
MARSHA KAMINS
Beth S. Goldberg

HARRIS FAMILY FUND

In Honor of
MERLE & DAVID HARRIS' 60th wedding anniversary
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In Honor of
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Jay Smith

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In Memory of
ABRAHAM & ANNA TORCHINSKY & SAMUEL LBOVITZ
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In Memory of
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Anita Mancoll

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In Honor of
SEYMOUR MELNICK, for chanting the Haftorah on the 76th anniversary of his Bar Mitzvah
Gail & Jeff Adler

DONALD & REGINA MILLER FUND

In Honor of
DON MILLER's birthday
Jay Smith

MINYONAIRES FUND

In Honor of
MERLE & DAVID HARRIS' 60th wedding anniversary
Art & Reba Nassau
FERN & JOEL COHEN's 57th wedding anniversary
Bella & Judd Fink

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MURRAY FINK
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Gladys Mondshein

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Gladys Mondshein

Wishing Good Health to
PAUL GOLDBERG
Gladys Mondshein

MUSIC FUND

In Appreciation of
The morning minyan and wonderful clergy
Connie & Henry Smilowitz
HAZZAN RISMAN, for singing a special song for me at the Sisterhood Torah Fund dinner
Fern Cohen

In Honor of
LEON & JEAN CHAMEIDES' birthdays and their 62nd wedding anniversary
Barbara & David Klau
FERN & JOEL COHEN's 57th wedding anniversary
Barbara Snyder, Sandi & Marc Needelman
HAZZAN RISMAN's birthday
Jay Smith
The birth of BEN & JOAN ENGEL's granddaughter
Pam & Ken Simon

RABBI LAZOWSKI DISCRETIONARY FUND

In Appreciation of
RABBI & RUTH LAZOWSKI, for attending the Sisterhood Torah Fund dinner and for their beautiful words

Fern Cohen
RABBI & RUTH LAZOWSKI, for their Memorial Day Holiday hospitality
Marshall Soltz
MATTHEW FRIEDMAN, for his friendship and hospitality
Marshall Soltz
KEITH SEGALMAN, for his friendship and hospitality
Marshall Soltz
RABBI LAZOWSKI's Lunch & Learn program
Robert Teitelman & Reesa Olins

In Honor of
The marriage of RABBI & RUTH LAZOWSKI's grandson Jonah Lazowski
Bella & Judd Fink
RABBI LAZOWSKI's 93rd birthday
Bella & Judd Fink, Marshall Soltz, Sue & Bruce Bergman
RABBI LAZOWSKI
David Kamins
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In Honor of
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In Appreciation of
RABBI SMALL, everyone on the Emanuel staff and the tribute to Sandy in Hazzan Daniella Risman's beautiful concert, at the one-year mark since the passing of Cantor Sandy Cohn (z"l)
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RABBI SMALL, for his touching words for my Sisterhood award

Fern Cohen

RABBI SMALL, for his support and kindness after our mother's passing

Michael & Andy Freed

RABBI SMALL, for leading the bris of our grandson Penny & Mike Gitberg and Emilee & Taylor Maus

In Honor of

MERLE & DAVID HARRIS' 60th wedding anniversary
Allen & Judith Kronick, Rhoda Steinberg

RABBI SMALL's birthday

Barbara & Stephen Berns, Bella & Judd Fink, Sue & Bruce Bergman

JOYCE FLESCHER's special birthday
Lorraine & Tom Barber

LEON & JEAN CHAMEIDES' 62nd wedding anniversary and LEON & JEAN's birthdays

Lori Gottlieb, Michael Altschuler, Michael & Naomi Cohen

RABBI SMALL's birthday and in appreciation of his prayer for our son

Mickey & Joyce Libbin

The birth of BEN & JOAN ENGEL's granddaughter and MIRIAM & JOANNA ENGEL's daughter

Renee Zetoff

MICKEY & JOYCE LIBBIN's special birthdays
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In Honor of

The birth of ARLENE & DAN NEIDITZ' great-granddaughter and on the marriage of their grandson Michael Brown

Bella & Judd Fink

FRED & JUDY FOX's anniversary

Jay Smith

The birth of LISA LEVY & JIM SCHULWOLF's granddaughter

Joel & Deb Kent

In Memory of

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1 16 Tishrei Services 9am Sukkot K-7 Family Program 9am <i>Mincha/Maariv 6:30pm</i> <i>Havdalah 7:13pm</i>	2 17 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> <i>Mincha/Maariv 6:15pm</i>	3 18 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Ritual Committee 7:45pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 6:15pm</i>	4 19 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Religious School Pizza in the Hut 5:30pm Sisterhood Meet and Greet in the Sukkah 7pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 6:15pm</i>	5 20 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Kibbitz & Nosh 11am Scotch in the Sukkah 7pm Executive Comm 7:30pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 6:15pm</i>	6 21 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> <i>Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 5:45pm</i> <i>Candles 6:07pm</i>	7 22 Tishrei Shemini Atzeret/ Erev Simchat Torah Services 9am/Yizkor 11am Tot Shabbat/Family Services 10:30am Children's Dinner 5:30pm Simchat Torah Party and Torah Repair Kickoff <i>Mincha 12:30pm/Maariv 6pm</i> <i>Candles 7:05pm</i>
8 23 Tishrei Services 9am Simchat Torah No Religious School Lunch & Learn 12pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 6:15pm</i> <i>Havdalah 7:01pm</i>	9 24 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 8am</i> <i>Mincha/Maariv 6pm</i>	10 25 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Sisterhood Board 7:30pm Board of Ed 7:30pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 6pm</i>	11 26 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> No Religious School <i>Mincha/Maariv 6pm</i>	12 27 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Ziplow Study Group Begins 10:30am Kibbitz & Nosh 11am Adult Ed Board 7pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 6pm</i>	13 28 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Community Shabbat Dinner 6:15pm <i>Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 5:15pm</i> <i>Candles 5:55pm</i>	14 29 Tishrei Parashat Bereshit Services 9am Bar Mitzvah: Lucas Magalhaes <i>Mincha/Maariv 6pm</i> <i>Havdalah 6:52pm</i>
15 30 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 8am</i> Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan 7th Grade Family Program 9am Religious School 9am <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	16 1 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Brotherhood Board 7:30pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	17 2 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Board of Trustees 7:30pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	18 3 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Religious School 4pm Brotherhood Paid-Up Membership Dinner 6:30pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	19 4 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Ziplow Study Group #2 10:30am Kibbitz & Nosh 11am <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	20 5 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> <i>Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 5:45pm</i> <i>Candles 5:44pm</i>	21 6 Cheshvan Parashat Noach Services 9am Bar Mitzvah: Noah Cruz <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i> <i>Havdalah 6:41pm</i>
22 7 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 8am</i> Sisterhood Mah Jongg Tournament 8:30am Religious School 9am <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	23 8 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	24 9 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	25 10 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Religious School 4pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	26 11 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Ziplow Study Group #3 10:30am Kibbitz & Nosh 11am Adult Ed Virtual Program 8:30pm <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i>	27 12 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> <i>Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 5:30pm</i> <i>Candles 5:34pm</i>	28 13 Cheshvan Parashat Lech Lecha Services 9am <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:45pm</i> <i>Havdalah 6:31pm</i>
29 14 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 8am</i> Religious School 9am <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:30pm</i>	30 15 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:30pm</i>	31 16 Cheshvan <i>Shacharit 7am</i> <i>Mincha/Maariv 5:30pm</i>		Also: Oct. 7: Plush Torah Parade and Hakafot 6:15 pm Simchat Torah Cafe 8:30pm	Oct. 15: Adult Ed Author Lecture 10:30am	



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<p>3 17 Elul <i>Shacharit 8am</i></p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>4 18 Elul <i>Shacharit 8am</i> Labor Day Office Closed</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>5 19 Elul <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Ritual Committee 7:45pm</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>6 20 Elul <i>Shacharit 7am</i></p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>7 21 Elul <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Kibbitz & Nosh 11am Executive Comm 7:30pm</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>8 22 Elul <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Community Shabbat Dinner 6:15pm</p> <p><i>Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 5:15pm Candles 6:55pm</i></p>	<p>9 23 Elul <i>Parashat Nitzavim/Vayeilech</i> Services 9am Bar Mitzvah: Daniel Godel Chapel Minyan 9:30am Leil Selichot @ Beth El Temple <i>Mincha/Seudah Sblisbit/ Maariv 6:15pm Program 8pm Selichot 9pm</i></p>
<p>10 24 Elul <i>Shacharit 8am</i> First Day Religious School 9am First Day JTConnect 10:30am <i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>11 25 Elul <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Brotherhood Board 7:30pm</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>12 26 Elul <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Sisterhood Board 7:30pm Board of Ed 8:30pm</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>13 27 Elul <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Religious School 4pm</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>14 28 Elul <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Kibbitz & Nosh 11am Adult Ed Board 8:30pm</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 7pm</i></p>	<p>15 29 Elul <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Erev Rosh Hashanah</p> <p><i>Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 6pm Candles 6:43pm</i></p>	<p>16 1 Tishrei Rosh Hashanah 5784 Services 8:30am Children/Family/ Teen Services 10am <i>Mincha/Maariv 6pm Havdalah 7:41pm</i></p>
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<p>24 9 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 8am</i> No Religious School Erev Yom Kippur Cemetery Services ES-11am/BH-12pm <i>Mincha 6pm Kol Nidre 6:15pm Candles 6:27pm</i></p>	<p>25 10 Tishrei Yom Kippur Services 9am Children/Family/ Teen Services 11am Yizkor 11am <i>Mincha 5pm Havdalah 7:30pm Break the Fast 7:45pm</i></p>	<p>26 11 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i></p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 6:30pm</i></p>	<p>27 12 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Religious School 4pm</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 6:30pm</i></p>	<p>28 13 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Kibbitz & Nosh 11am</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 6:30pm</i></p>	<p>29 14 Tishrei <i>Shacharit 7am</i> Erev Sukkot</p> <p><i>Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat/ Maariv 6pm Candles 6:18pm</i></p>	<p>30 15 Tishrei Sukkot I Services 9am</p> <p><i>Mincha/Maariv 6pm Havdalah 7:17pm</i></p>