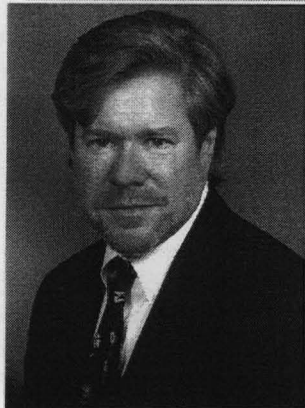


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From the **Rabbi's Study**

by Jerome P. David, D.D.

The High Holy Days are a solemn reminder that time is finite and all that anyone ever has is today because yesterday is gone, and tomorrow exists only in hope. They bid us to be very careful to grab hold of each and every day – don't wish them away! Live them!

Some time back I heard a radio commentator reflecting on his new appreciation for the NOW. I liked what he said, and I wanted to share it:

"When I was a kid, I lived with my mother and spent weekends with my father. Sunday nights meant just one thing: the long drive home....Bored, I'd gaze out the window and wait for the lone diversion – a tower that loomed over the greenery. Built to look like a windmill, it had a sign on it – 'The Batter: Real Home Cooking'. Next to it I knew there was a restaurant, but it was blocked from view.... Now, in my world there are only two kinds of food: what my working mother dished on the fly and what my father's second wife doled out by rote....But real home cooking – in my mind it was always breakfast... and the woman serving me would look like Aunt Bee and Mrs. Butterworth. Each time we sped past that sign, I'd picture that meal and long to say, 'Dad, pull off'. But I was just a kid, and he was always in a hurry – and the Sundays piled into dozens, then hundreds, and soon I was grown. In my travels I often drove that stretch and saw the windmill and the sign. But now I, too, was in a hurry, on the run, and so I'd say 'someday, but not now,' until a Sunday, not long ago as my tires ate that stretch and the shadow of the windmill swept over me. I watched it diminish in the rear-view mirror, then caught sight of the gray in my hair. And so I said, 'not some day- now,' and swerved off down the ramp. I pulled into the driveway, killed the engine and climbed out, but it was not as I had imagined. Where the building had stood, only a foundation remained, and up close the windmill was rusted and broken – thick weeds grew through cracks in the parking lot, and as I stood there, the wind raking my hair, disappointment filled me, and I blamed myself for my delay. If I had just acted sooner and kept the promise to my child-self."

The greatest deterrent to a full life of possibility is to postpone our living. How was it that Rabbi Hillel put it "Im lo achshav eimatai?" If not now, when?"

This day, not yesterday or tomorrow, but now - and let us rejoice in it!

Shana Tova. May it be a good New Year in which each day and every moment are lived fully.

High Holy Day Services

Services – 2005-5766

Erev Rosh Hashanah

Monday, October 3 8 pm

Rosh Hashanah Day

Tuesday, October 4

Early Service 9 am

Late Service 12:15 pm

*Family Service 3:30 pm

2nd Day Rosh Hashanah

Wednesday, October 5 10 am

Erev Yom Kippur

Wednesday, October 12

Kol Nidre Family Service 6:15 pm

Kol Nidre Service 8:30 pm

Yom Kippur Day

Thursday, October 13

Early Service 9 am

Late Service 12:15 pm

Afternoon Service 3:15 pm

Yizkor Service 4:15 pm

Followed by Ne'ila Service

Family Havdalah Service 6:30 pm

Concluding with light refreshments in the lobby

*This service is signed for the Hearing Impaired.

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PRESIDENT'S Message

by Joyce C. Hoff



Since Matt and I joined Temple Emanuel 15 years ago, preparing for the High Holy Days has always presented challenges for me as a mom. I'm sure many of you share the same issues and can relate. You see, the holidays were not only about praying for a happy, healthy and peaceful New Year and having our fate sealed in the Book of Life or preparing many healthy and delicious holiday meals. In our house, it was all about the clothes!

The clothes? Well, I must explain. Having three sons meant getting them out of soccer shorts and cleats, getting them into suits and real shoes (and if I was really lucky, a tie around each of their necks). When accomplished, it was like getting a shot on goal and scoring! Once this was expertly maneuvered, my next task was getting them into the sanctuary with their shirts still tucked in and shoes tied. As they have grown up, I still have the suit battle, but I have relaxed somewhat and don't stress as much about the way they look. I guess I

have matured too.

Maturing (not only them, but me too) means that those special times when we are together are rarer, and I have learned, more special. I yearn for those holidays when I would have all of them sitting with Matt, my mom and me, sharing the beauty of High Holy Day services. Again this year, our son Brian is away at school - too far away to come home for the holidays. I miss seeing him in the pews, maybe a little ruffled, sitting beside his brothers. David and Philip will participate in our family's time honored tradition of spending the High Holy Days together, hopefully enjoying - or at least listening to - the sermons and music. And this year, hearing their mom give the Kol Nidre Appeal.

As the holidays approach, I eagerly await the sound of children entering the building for High Holy Day enrichment programs and watching the teens who help make that program such a success. I am impatient for the sound of the music as Murray Savar strikes up the organ as we all enter the sanctuary to find our seats. This - accompanied by friends and neighbors greeting one another and wishing "Good Yuntuf" - always makes Temple Emanuel feel like home. You see, it is not about the clothes at all; it is about community and the joy of participating together as one voice. I hope you and your family, not only on the High Holy Days, but throughout the year, find the sense of community and spirit that is alive and well at Temple Emanuel.

I am happy you have chosen Temple Emanuel as your family's spiritual home. On behalf of the Executive Committee, the Board of Trustees, the clergy and staff I wish you a very happy and healthy New Year.

L'shanah Tovah from our family to yours,

High Holiday Junior Congregation Services for Young Congregants in Grades 4 and Above

For the second year, Temple Emanuel will be offering a new prayer option on the High Holy Days - a Junior Congregation. This service will be geared to young congregants in grades 4 and above, and will take place during both the early and late services on the mornings of Yom Kippur and Rosh Hashana (first day only!). The themes and liturgy of the High Holy Days will be presented in an age-appropriate manner.

Young congregants, who want to participate in this service, should attend the main service with their parents. Approximately half way through the main service, an announcement will be made from the pulpit and a brief interlude will be given for our young congregants to quietly leave the main sanctuary. Congregants in grades 4 and above are not required to participate in Junior congregation; it is an *optional* program. Parents may choose to have their children in these grades remain in the main sanctuary to pray with them.

Junior Congregation will take place in the Chapel and will be led by Rabbi Debbie Cohen.

Memo from MAYDA



At this time of year, we reflect on the year past and the year ahead. As our congregation greets 5766, many of us have much for which to be thankful. Each day brings new opportunities to learn, to grow, to study, to discover new and interesting questions for which to seek answers and the capacity to meet new friends.

For those members of our Temple family who are experiencing difficult days, it is a time for you to look to our Temple's Caring Community for support. Perhaps you should consider joining the caregiver's support group, attending a healing service, or calling about the support groups for those contemplating or experiencing divorce and separation.

As we join together for Rosh HaShanah and Yom Kippur, think not only of the Book of Life into which we all hope to be inscribed, but also about the book you are writing about your life each day. You are the main character in your story. Consider how your Judaism has played a role in your way of life and how you will transmit our heritage to others. Consider how your faith, your friends and/or community have enhanced your life.

I invite you to reflect on the following:

"Life is like a book with many different chapters, some tell of tragedy and others of triumph. Some chapters are dull and ordinary, others intense and exciting. The key to a successful life is to never stop on a difficult page and never quit on a tough chapter. Champions have the courage to keep turning the pages because they know a better chapter lies ahead."

Wishing you, and all those you love, a sweet year filled with peace, harmony, good health and success. May we all be here together to greet many years to come.

Looking forward to seeing you often at Temple Emanuel.

CANTOR'S NOTES



by Miriam Eskenasy



Just a few weeks ago, I spoke to a good friend from New York who had lost her daughter to cancer a couple of years ago. She has been the President of my student pulpit, East End Temple for a very long time. Her daughter's sickness lasted a couple of years and I watched as my friend and her family valiantly devoted themselves to their daughter. Since this tragic event happened, my friend has helped others in difficult situations. She was very supportive to Cantor Renee Coleson (East End Temple's first Cantor) who suffered from the same illness. She was there for other congregants who were suffering and is always open and eager to help others. What impressed me the most about this friend was how she used her grief to "...serve and bless the living." She made it her responsibility to help others – to help people understand and to help people embrace our great gift of life.

Many of us were quite devastated by the major event of the past month – Hurricane Katrina and its aftermath. I keep thinking about what happened, and what we are doing now to help all of those people who were so severely harmed, displaced and lost. Most of us jumped to do what we could – donate money, food and supplies.

As I prepare and think about the High Holy Days, I keep coming back to a line that I remember from our Shiva service, ... "in truth, grief is a great teacher, when it sends us back to serve and bless the living..." How often I have thought of these words – and how powerful they have become when I think of my friend and others like her. And how apropos these words are to all of us as we enter into our season of renewal. We come together as a community to pray for a good year. A good year probably means similar things for each of us – including life, health, and prosperity.

In our liturgy it is written: On Rosh Hashana it is written and on Yom Kippur it is sealed. May you be sealed on this Rosh Hashana for a year filled with blessing, life and peace. I pray that in this new year, we will also seal our own destinies by strengthening ourselves and our community; by learning from others and striving everyday – not only in times of devastation and grief – to serve and bless the living.

Shana Tova Tikateivu v'Tikateimu.



Once upon a time, a young boy climbed in the apple orchards as his mother a baked sweet round challah for Rosh Hashana. He grew bored.

"What can I do now?" asked the boy.

After thinking for moment, the mother answered, "I think that you should go on a hike. See if you can find a little red house with no windows or doors, but with a star inside."

The boy was perplexed but liked challenges. He went from friend to friend asking where to find this little red house, but nobody knew where to direct him.

The boy went to his bubbe's house and she smiled and said, "Use your eyes to see the beauty of God's world, then maybe, you will find your little red house."

The little boy walked back through the orchards, thinking about his grandmother's words.

Just then he looked down and saw a shiny red apple that had fallen from a tree. He picked up the apple and ran back to his mother.

"I have found a little red house with no windows or doors," he said, holding the apple. "But, where is the star inside?"

His mother took the apple and sliced it in half. There in center, formed by tiny seeds, was a perfect star.

"L'shana Tovah," the mother said to her boy, as she dipped the apple in honey. "May you have a sweet year."

As we enter the High Holy Day season and the New Year of 5766, I wish you a very sweet new year. May it be a year of exploration, discovery and introspection for you and your family. I look forward to learning with you at Temple Emanuel and exploring Judaism with your child in our creative and caring Religious School and Pre-School. A year of challenging adventures awaits. I am excited to see what grow from the seeds of possibility.

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Great Stories of the Prophets with Rabbi Jerry David, , Rabbi Debbie Cohen & Rabbi Geri Newburge Selected Tuesdays 1-2 pm

Join in exploring the adventures, wisdom and spirit of the Prophets and discussing the life lessons contained in these stories.

October 11	Deborah	Rabbi Newburge
November 1	Samson	Rabbi David
November 15	Levite's Concubine	Rabbi Newburge
November 29	Hannah	Rabbi Cohen

"How-to Do" the High Holidays

Join us for the first of three workshops on "How-to Do" Jewish celebrations and living in your home. We will focus on the basics of Jewish rituals and how to make these rituals relevant to your family and children. Our first session will focus on the High Holidays and our second on Sukkot. Later in the year, we will have a workshop on home rituals. Our first is "How-to-Do" Sukkot on Monday, October 17, 9:15 to 10:30 am

Medical Ethics – A Chaplain's View with Rabbi Lewis Eron Tuesdays, 7-8 pm

A text-study and discussion of end-of-life issues, including long-term care, hospice, and making difficult decisions for aging loved ones. Continuing from September, this meets October 11 and November 1. There is no fee.

Post B'nai Mitzvah Study Group with Rabbi Jerry David Selected Tuesdays, Noon – 1 pm

This class is open to our adult learners who have completed their Adult B'nai Mitzvah ceremony. It is a unique class, which explores Jewish issues, values and liturgy with Rabbi David. This meets October 11, November 1, 15, 29

To register for a course, call (856) 489-0029. There may be a textbook charge for some courses.

Adult Education Courses

The following courses begin in October and November:

Big Al's Yiddish Club with Al Rubin ***Thursdays, 7:30-9 pm, continues October 20***

Why is there suddenly such a growing interest to learn a virtually dead language? And why, after all these years, does a slowly dying language of the ghetto become so chic? So where do you go to get a taste of the essence of this almost dead language that was spoken by many people not long ago? Temple Emanuel, of course.

This class goes where no other Yiddish class has gone before. No boring drills. No memorization of words or conjugation of verbs. Every attendee is an integral partner in learning. The class learns conversational Yiddish quickly through Yiddish music recordings. Prior experience is not necessary. Big Al Rubin, the class leader, spoke Yiddish as his first language. Join us for this genuinely fun evening.

Scrolling through Life: The Five Megillot with Rabbi Jerry David ***Selected Tuesdays, 8-9 pm***

The five scrolls – Song of Songs, Ruth, Lamentations, Ecclesiastes and Esther – reveal lessons for life. Let's "scroll" through them together. Classes will be held November 15, 22, 29, December 6, 13, 20.

Improve Your Prayerbook Skills with Rabbi Debbie Cohen ***Selected Tuesdays, 1-2 pm***

This is a course for students with some ability to read Hebrew and now want to improve their reading fluency and increase their knowledge of prayer vocabulary. There is a textbook fee. Classes will be held November 8 and 22.

Introduction to Hebrew with Cantor Miriam Eskenasy ***Selected Tuesdays, 7-8 pm***

Learn Ivrit! An introduction for students with no previous Hebrew knowledge. Learn to decipher Hebrew and build prayer book skills. Textbook fee only. November 15 to April 4.

Studio Arts & Jewish Memories with Rachel Bomze, MFA ***Selected Wednesdays, 9:30-11 am***

A multi-media studio arts class, including drawing, printmaking and painting. Create a book or box to display cherished Jewish memories. Rachel Bomze teaches art at several local universities. In this course, she will combine her love of art and Judaism together. Learn new artistic skills, think about your Jewish identity in a different way and leave with a beautiful heirloom art project. The \$35 fee includes basic supplies. This will be held November 16, 30, December 7, 14, 21.

Adult B'nai Mitzvah with Rabbi Geri Newburge ***Selected Tuesdays, Noon-1 pm***

Bat or Bar Mitzvah means being a "daughter" or "son" of the commandments. The B'nai Mitzvah ceremony celebrates our Jewish identity, Jewish knowledge and commitment. Becoming an Adult B'nai Mitzvah is a unique and spiritual experience. Consider participating in this special class, which culminates in a group B'nai Mitzvah ceremony. This course is open to adults who did not have a B'nai Mitzvah as a teenager and to adults who had a B'nai Mitzvah ceremony at the age of 13 and, now, want to experience B'nai Mitzvah through adult eyes. Basic Hebrew reading knowledge is necessary for this course. Classes are October 11, November 1, 15, 29.

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Lights, Cameras, Action ***Get Set for Another Season of Gefilte Flicks***

Join film enthusiast Gail Selznick on selected Sundays at 7 pm to watch and discuss films that explore the joys and dilemmas of being Jewish.

On October 23, the movie, "The Life of Emile Zola" will be shown. This biography of the famous French muckracking writer and his involvement in fighting the injustice of the Dreyfuss Affair. It won Best Picture, Best Supporting Actor and Best Screenplay at the Academy awards in 1937.

On November 13, "The Harmonists" will be shown. This is the story of a famous German male sextet, the "Comedian Harmonists." It spans the period of time from the day they first meet in 1927 to the day in 1934, when they become banned by the upcoming Nazis, because three of them are Jewish.

SENIOR SCENE

*by Gert Pastelnick
President, Henry Raich Senior Group*

As we find ourselves in the midst of our sacred High Holy Days, I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of the Henry Raich senior executive board, to extend a Leshana Tova Tikatevu, a good and healthy new year to all.

On Friday, October 21, at 6:30 pm, our very popular Senior Shabbat dinner will be held. Please join us there and meet our new Temple president, Joyce Hoff. After dinner join us for our Senior Shabbat service, which will be conducted by our senior group.

Please make a note of our meeting dates for this coming year. They are all on Wednesday, at 12 noon. Hope to see everyone there!

- ◆ November 16
- ◆ December 14
- ◆ January 18
- ◆ February 15
- ◆ March 15
- ◆ April 26
- ◆ May 17
- ◆ June 21



**Nancy Weiner on her
marriage to Gregg Wolfe**

**Ben Shore, son of
Susan Kaufman and
Michael Shore on
becoming an Eagle Scout**

**Jillian Cogan who was chosen to be a
delegate at the Panim Jewish Teen Leader-
ship summit in Washington DC.**



***Join an Education
Committee!
Give Us Your Insights***

The education offerings at Temple Emanuel are vast. We need your advice and suggestions to make them as meaningful and interesting as possible. Get involved and join an education committee. For more information about any of these committees, contact the committee chair or Rabbi Cohen, dbcohen@templemanuel.org, 856-489-0035. A full calendar of committee meetings will be available in September.

Religious School Committee

Chair: Elliott Roth

Next Meeting: November 21 at 7:30 pm

This committee reviews the curriculum and policies of the religious school, making suggestions and recommendations to improve the educational experience of our young people. The committee meets approximately every six weeks. The agenda for 2005-2006 year includes: Accreditation Process for the Religious School and Bringing Technology into our Classrooms.

Family Education Committee

Chairs: Jessica Manelis

Next Meeting: December 5 at 7 pm

This committee plans and implements programming to involve families learning about Judaism together. The committee meets four times a year. The agenda for 2005-2006 includes: Planning our New Programs, including Guinness Book of World Records Driedel Spin, and Family Shabbaton at Appel Farms.

Adult Education Committee

Chairs: Irene Kauffman & Robin Miller

Next Meeting: December 5 at 8 pm

This committee sets and evaluates the adult education offerings at the congregation. The committee meets four times a year. The agenda for 2005-2006 includes: Planning our New Programs, including Temple Emanuel Book Club, and Jewish Studio Arts.



**Bar/Bat Mitzvahs –
October 2005**

Saturday, October 1

Bar Mitzvah of **LUCAS REID YELOWITZ**
Son of Linda and Benjamin Yelowitz

Bat Mitzvah of **ALEXA BRITTANY SHALIT**
Daughter of Scott and Janis Shalit

Havdalah Service

Bat Mitzvah of **TIFFANY MARGEUX
KUPERSCHMIDT**
Daughter of Pamela and Harry Kuperschmidt

Saturday, October 8

Bar Mitzvah of **SAMUEL ANTHONY KRAMER**
Son of Ben and Dusti Kramer

Havdalah Service

Bat Mitzvah of **SAMANTHA BARI FOLKMAN**
Daughter of Beth and Ben Folkman

Saturday, October 15

Bar Mitzvah of **TAYLOR BRODY**
Son of Tamara and Jeffrey Brody

Bat Mitzvah of **KARA MICHELLE LAMBSON**
Daughter of Linda and David Lambson

Saturday, October 22

Bat Mitzvah of **ABBY ELIZABETH TARKEN**
Daughter of Hilary Daniels and
Wayne Tarken

Havdalah Service

Bat Mitzvah of **ERICA DANIEL KREPOW**
Daughter of Cathy and David Krepow

Saturday, October 29

Bat Mitzvah of **MARIELLE TAMARA AUSTIN**
Daughter of Pamela and Tom Austin

Bat Mitzvah of **SUZANNE MICHELLE SCHATZ**
Daughter of Mary and Kevin Schatz

Havdalah Service

Bat Mitzvah of **SAMANTHA LEE SEIGLE**
Daughter of Nancy and Gary Seigle



In Memoriam

PATRICK ALLEMAN
Brother of Sandra Schwartz

CLAIRE AYES
Mother of Janis Shalit

PAULINE BURNSTEIN
Mother of Stephen Burnstein

ADELE KATZ
Mother of Samuel Katz

ERNST METZGER
Uncle of Fred Stern

**L'Zecher Olam
for an Everlasting Memorial**

We record with love and dignity those whose lives
are forever remembered in our Temple. The
following names of a loved one have been added
by a devoted family to be enshrined in our
Memorial Chapel.

ROSE BERLINSKY
HENRY BERLINSKY
Grandmother and Grandfather of
Bruce Sachais

E. ELIZABETH FINEMAN
Mother of Marshall and Henry Fineman

September came and went very quickly. Now that we are back in the school and carpooling mode our thoughts turn to the High Holidays just a few days away. On behalf of the Sisterhood Board we want to wish you a healthy New Year and an easy fast.

I want to take this opportunity to thank Cathy Krepow, Beverly Volpe and their committee for the wonderful job they did on Bingo Night. I hope all who attended had a nice evening. A special thank you goes to Tim Pinsky, who did a fabulous job as our Bingo caller.

Terry Haber and Lori Wallach and the Room Parents are busily getting ready to start distributing the special treats to the Religious School. We will be starting off our year with apples and honey. The apples this year were picked and donated to us by the 7th Grade Religious School class. We were their Mitzvah of the month. We want to thank them for thinking of us.

Please join us for the Paid-Up Membership Brunch on Sunday October 23rd. If you haven't joined Sisterhood already please consider it soon, we would love to have you. This year the Sisterhood Brunch is being chaired by DJ Whitley and Jessica Chasen. It promises to be a lovely morning.

Don't forget to mark your calendars, for Sunday November 6th. Our first Party Showcase is shaping up to be a wonderful event. What a great way to see all of the area party vendors in one room. It's never too early to start planning. We look forward to seeing you there!

L'Shanah Tova!

King David and Rabbi David Rabbi David's family history as told to Phillip Miller

Question: What do a Rabbi, an architect and a teacher have in common?

Answer: They are the accomplished sons of Rabbi Jerry David & Peggy David: Ben the Rabbi, Jon the architect and Adam the teacher. And, they are the latest generation of Davids. Generations that possibly go all the way back to King David. Yes, I did say King David.

King David is one of the most important figures in Jewish history. Born in 907 BCE, he reigned as King of Israel for 40 years, dying at age 70 in 837 BCE. King David established Jerusalem as Israel's capital, choosing a place that Jacob called "the gate of heaven."

When you put the name David (as Rabbi David did) into the Yad Vashem "Hall of Names" computers, they will print out page after page, tracing the David family name all the way back to the last name to print out - King David.

OK, this may or may not prove to be a direct link to King David, but how many of us have documents recording the family history back to the 1500's and 1600's? Rabbi David does, thanks to an industrious member of the David family in the 1920's or '30's who took the time to research and record his findings (in German). According to these documents most of Rabbi David's relatives lived in or nearby Cologne, Germany, for hundreds of years. Who knows? Maybe relatives of King David went on vacation and liked Germany so

much they stayed.

The David family has lived through centuries of Jewish history. In fact, a ring that Rabbi David cherishes and wears all the time was passed down through generations of his father's side of the family. Looking at his ring, Rabbi David remarked, "This all that is left of my grandparents. It is a perpetual memory of my roots. At my ordination, I felt my grandparents' presence."

If that ring could talk it would tell us of the ups and downs of Jewish history. Like a roller coaster riding through generations, it would tell of the highs of the happy occasions and the downs of the sufferings.

The David's Fashionable Dress Shop

Rabbi David's grandfather, Karl David, and his wife Paula, made their home in Cologne, Germany. His mother's parents, Jakob and Selma Kaufmann, were originally from Romania and had settled near Berlin.

Karl David owned a well-established, very prominent dress shop in Cologne. It had been there for years, catering to both Jewish and non-Jewish clientele. The large glass windows always displayed the latest fashions.

Despite the Nazi movement gaining momentum, business was good until Nov. 9th and 10th, 1938. That

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Family Education Day in October

Come learn with your child! These programs are planned for parents and children to learn together.
Mark your calendars

October 9 – 2nd Grade

October 16 – 1st Grade Family Education

October 23 – 3rd Grade Sukkah Hop

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night there was a tremendous sound of shattering glass resounding all over Cologne. This included Rabbi David's grandfather's women's clothing store. Yes! Kristallnacht.

Kristallnacht left the David's store, along with hundreds of others vandalized and destroyed. A few days later on Nov. 12, 1938 the Nazis fined the Jews one billion marks for damages relating to Kristallnacht. And on Nov 15, 1938, Jewish pupils were expelled from all non-Jewish German schools. The Jews of now Nazi Germany were traumatized.

Nazi Germany was gaining momentum against the Jews. No longer was any German allowed to buy from a Jew. This time, the Jewish roller coaster was no longer on the way up. It was going down a very steep grade.

With the handwriting (literally) "Oust Jews" on the walls, the Davids decided painfully and sorrowfully that after several centuries and many generations of living in Germany it was time to get out while the Germans were still allowing passage.

For Rabbi David's aging grandparents, who spent their entire adult life living in Cologne, this was a very excruciating, gut wrenching decision. But the decision was made to leave Nazi Germany for America.

The Davids were allowed to take with them any possessions they wanted, but only 10 German marks per person.

There was also a Catch-22. It was not only necessary to obtain a passport to get out, but also proper documents showing they had a sponsor who would board them and provide jobs.

Kentucky Bound

Remember, this was the era of the Great Depression. No one had any money. After writing to and being turned down by many relatives, the Davids did locate a wealthy relative residing in Kentucky since before WW I. So Rabbi David's father and mother and grandparents wrote to Colonel Kaufmann of Newport, Kentucky, and asked him to sponsor them. Colonel Kaufmann replied he would. Colonel Kaufmann was Rabbi David's mother's father's brother, in other words, not a very close relative.

It was touch-and-go. But after many anxious months and much correspondence they finally got the necessary papers and documentation to leave Germany. So with as many worthy possessions as they could possibly carry and with the maximum amount of currency allowed, 10 German marks per person, they were all ready to leave Germany for America.

A Last Minute Decision

Alice and Herbert David, Rabbi David's parents, arrived in Newport, Kentucky, in 1939. However, at the last minute Rabbi David's mother's parents, Jakob and Selma Kaufmann, who were probably in their mid sixties, decided not to go at this time. They decided to come at a later date. This decision proved to be tragic.

When Jakob and Selma finally decided to come over, it was too late. The Nazis were no longer letting Jews out of Germany. The Davids did receive one letter circa 1940 saying they had tried very hard, but could not get out of Germany. After that one letter, the Davids in Kentucky never heard from them again. They made numerous attempts to try to locate them, but all in vain. Rabbi David said his mother had a feeling of guilt the rest of her life.

So after centuries of living in Germany, Rabbi David's grandparents were the last generation. His father's father died of natural causes there, and the final chapter was written in blood in Hitler's Nazi Germany extermination camps. The rest of his family and relatives perished in Hitler's notorious death camps.

Multiply this tragedy by 6,000,000 and you have the worst catastrophe ever in Jewish History.

...To be continued in next month's Light

"It's not fair," the recalcitrant child yells as he stamps his foot! It is so difficult in the innocence and simplicity of a child's mind to accept what he perceives as unfairness. It is human nature to try to impose order on our world. The way that we do that is to fool ourselves into thinking that life follows the rules of cause and effect. If I do the right thing, then good things will happen. Unfortunately, that is not always the case.

One of the harshest realities of adulthood is the realization that life is not always fair! Is it fair that thousands of good people were left homeless by Hurricane Katrina? Is it fair that innocent children go hungry every day in a world filled with excess? Is it fair that good people with so much to offer are cut down in their primes by disease? Of course not!

The mitzvah of tzedakah is the Jewish response to trying to restore a semblance of fairness to an unjust world. In fact, it comes from the Hebrew root word for "righteousness or justice." Tzedakah is often used synonymously with charity, however the words are not interchangeable. Charity comes from the Latin root word for, "love," and refers to something extra that you do when you feel like being generous. Tzedakah on the other hand, is a commandment. It is incumbent on Jews to give tzedakah in order to try to restore fairness to an unbalanced world.

According to Talmudic law (Bava Batra 98), tzedakah is so important that it is equal in importance to all of the other commandments combined!

So, the bad news is that there is unfairness and misery in the world. However, the good news is that we can all make a difference by doing our part to combat the inequities that exist. Helping our fellow human beings is a win, win situation. Not only does the person suffering benefit, but the donor of the assistance receives satisfaction as well. It is comforting when we hear stories of hope in the darkest hours of tragedy.

Think of the courageous Gentiles during the Holocaust who risked their own lives to help their Jewish neighbors. More recently, I am reminded of the news coverage at the Superdome in New Orleans in the

days immediately following the flooding of the city. A woman cried out in anguish for insulin to save a desperate child. Miraculously from the crowd, a syringe of insulin appeared. Somewhere in that sea of humanity, a diabetic who was hungry, thirsty and medically at risk himself shared some of his precious medication to help someone in more immediate need. That is the true spirit of tzedakah! The donor of that insulin could not control the wrath of mother nature but, he did have the

power to ease the suffering of a fellow human being. Talk about acting in the image of God! Elie Wiesel once said:

"If I want to come closer to God, it is only by coming closer to my fellow human being. If I am not your friend, I am not God's friend."

Elie Wiesel

"If I want to come closer to God, it is only by coming closer to my fellow human being. If I am not your friend, I am not God's friend."

In December 2001, the Tzedakah Collective was established by the Social Action Committee at Temple Emanuel to enable congregants to pool their resources in an effort to make a greater impact on improving the lives of those in need in our community. Congregants are encouraged to mark life cycle events (i.e. births, weddings, b'nai mitzvahs, deaths) by making honorary or memorial donations to the fund. Disbursements are made several times a year to local, regional, national, and international organizations dedicated to ameliorating human suffering. To date, over \$8,000 has been distributed. Most recently, an emergency donation of \$2,000 was made to the Hurricane Katrina Disaster Relief Fund established by the Union of Reform Judaism. I hope that all Temple Emanuel families will consider making donations to the Tzedakah Collective in the future to mark your life cycle events.

The Social Action Committee is furiously planning many opportunities to fulfill the mitzvah of tzedakah. We are involved in several relief activities to assist victims of Hurricane Katrina. In addition, we will be holding a food drive at services on Yom Kippur. The food collected will be sorted on October 15th at 10 am. We need many volunteers for this activity. The annual walkathon to benefit the Tzedakah Collective

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by Lyn Harley



What a wonderful start to the school year! As the new Director of the Pre-School program, I have been delighted and impressed by the energy, caring, commitment, and professionalism of The Pre-School staff. From the moment I walked in the door I was surrounded by a swirl of activity focused on making sure everything was ready and perfect for our very important learners - your preschoolers!

Our preparations paid off! The children smoothly sailed into their classrooms and busily began their "work" – playing, learning, making new friends, adjusting to new routines and discovering that The Pre-School at Temple Emanuel is the most wonderful place in the world to learn and grow!

I am extremely happy to have the opportunity to work with this incredible staff, and the most amazing children in South Jersey. As a Speech Language Specialist, who has spent the last 15 years exclusively in pre-school, my focus will be on communication in all aspects of the preschool – among the children, staff, parents, Temple and community. Please do not hesitate to share your ideas, concerns and thoughts. I look forward to meeting you and working with you throughout the year.

Step into a world of happiness and learning! Visit the Pre-School at Temple Emanuel! As the holiday season in now upon us, I will be adding a prayer of thanks for enabling me to taste the sweetness of being part of the family at The Pre-School at Temple Emanuel!

To save one life is to save the world.

The next Temple Emanuel blood drive will be SUNDAY OCTOBER 30TH, from 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM in the social hall.

There are two ways to make an appointment:

1) Call the temple office at 856-489-0029

or

2) go to www.pleasegiveblood.org/donate and use code 6C31



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will be held on October 16th from 9 am to 12 noon at Cooper River Park. The cost is \$18.00 per family, plus whatever additional sponsorship that participants can muster. Families are encouraged to attend. Please call the office to pre-register.

In November, we will be asking families to donate food for Thanksgiving. This will include an opportunity for congregants to sign up to donate the ingredients for a complete meal for a needy family for the holiday. Those meals will be delivered to the synagogue on the evening of November 21st. On that evening, we will also be holding a religious service for peace to honor the brave Americans serving in the armed forces in Afghanistan and Iraq. Following that service, congregants will be given the opportunity to write letters to service men and women and to make care packages. On December 4th from 9 am – 12 noon, we will be holding a Mitzvah Mall. This will be an opportunity for congregants to interact with people from local community organizations and to make donations in honor of loved ones as Hanukkah gifts.

Finally, later in December we will be holding our annual holiday toy drive.

Volunteers are needed for all of the aforementioned events. We welcome B'nai Mitzvah students and their families as well as all members of the congregation eager to help to make the world a little bit better place! I would love to hear from you with your ideas and your offers of assistance at, schleper247@comcast.net.

YOUTH GROUP

by Sandy Umansky

The new year is fast approaching, and the Temple is filled with the positive energy and zeal that each new year brings with it. Yet this new year is different on many levels for all of us; we are all more aware of and appreciative of our families, our possessions, our routines - our lives.

Hurricane Katrina and its devastation opened our eyes to the meaning of loss and destruction; it also opened our eyes to the power of commitment, to the dedication of all peoples to help those in need.

Youth Group is an incredible movement within our synagogue; it provides a social outlet, a spiritual awakening, a social action venue for our teens and pre-teens alike. Tefty and Tefty Junior give our youth the chance to grow and learn while having fun. What more can you want for your children?

This year our youth groups have already grown and have learned how to be part of our larger caring community. Spearheaded by Becca Ditttrich and led by Jill and Allie Cogan, Tefty held a bake sale on the first day of Sunday school. Helping the Sisterhood sell Wal-Mart cards and raffle a pair of Eagles tickets, we raised over \$1,200 for Katrina evacuees. The feeling of giving and making a difference totally energized our youth group. We know that this year will find us committed to being there where we can aid and assist.

A recent Youth Group Shabbat was a meaningful and inspirational evening, one that combined the power of our dedication to Judaism and our enjoyment of being together as a group. Both Tefty and Tefty Junior combined forces for the service, led by Abby Eron and Janna Lambson. A family pot-luck dinner preceded services and was a success as well.

Socially, youth groups also meet the needs of our teen members. Tefty Junior, with many Tefty members acting as chaperones/role models, enjoyed an opening dinner together at LoneStar Restaurant. Tefty is anticipating a Fall night out in October.

Our participation in our region's combined youth groups, NFTY/PAR, is very strong in Tefty. We have two representatives from Tefty serving on regional executive board: Allie and Jill Cogan are Social Action and Religious and Cultural Vice presidents, respectively. Leadership Training Institute found six Tefty members learning how to better lead Tefty to greatness! Everyone is looking forward to Fall Kallah (convention) from October 21-23 at Camp Harlam. Please mark your calendars now and try to be part of this awesome week-end of excitement, meeting new friends, and living Jewishly.

Of course, we want every single teen at Temple Emanuel to plan to participate in Winsty, the Winter Convention that we are hosting right here at Temple Emanuel. January 13-15 - Martin Luther King Weekend - will surely be memorable for all of us.

It is important that we all remember the power of being a teenager; certainly, each one can change the world. Together, united in youth group, we can change our world and ourselves. I am looking forward to seeing each and every single one of you in youth group!

Religious School – Dates to Remember

Please mark these important dates on your calendar for upcoming Shabbat services, meetings and vacations.

October 4 & 5 – Rosh Hashana, no school

October 7 – Shabbat Shuva & 5th Grade Honoring

October 18 – Sukkot, no school

October 24 – Consecration for Kindergarten Students, 7 pm

October 25 – Simchat Torah, no School



New Members

We warmly welcome you into our Temple family

Tracey and Stuart Diamond

Joshua, Ethan and Chloe

Dawn and Jay Fayer

Zachary, Eliza, Zev and Ethan

Stephanie and Ted Fisch

Jason and Jared

Carol and Michael Freilick

Michelle

Beverly and Mark Goldberg

Renee and John Hibbs

Meghan and Kaelin

Ellyn and Michael Kerner

Jaclyn, Lauren and Erica

Lori and Mark Kossow

Bailey and Jordyn

Jackie and Mark Lazzaro

Brittany and Elysia

Tammi and Jason Leinhauser

Samantha, Emily and Gavin

Alisa and Scott Modena

Sophia

Rhonda Newman

Brooke

Elisa and Robert Riesenbach

Benjamin and Leo

Amy and Michael Schiff

Aaron and Jacob

Frances and Daniel Smith

Robin

Robyn and Stephen Soffer

Zachary, Amber, William and Forrest

Bonita Sternberg

Debbie Warshauer

Cindy and Philip Wasdick

Allison and Jonathan

Katie and Larry Weissman

Louis Welfare

Julie and Andrew Winkler

Madeline and Katherine

Marjorie and Richard Zimmerman

Gabrielle and Jacob

KOL EMANUEL

by Beth Strum

Kol Emanuel has been busy rehearsing for the High Holidays with music and prayers that go back thousands of years. Kol Emanuel, under the direction of Julia Zavadsky, will usher in the eves of Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur (Kol Nidre).

In our ongoing musical bios of our dedicated members, this month we learn about Jane Kresman.

"Music has always been a part of my life," says Jane. "My mother was a talented pianist and a polonaise, mazurka or waltz could often be heard in my home."

Jane began her musical training at the age of 5 when she began piano lessons.

"Evenings in the Catskills were often spent sitting outside at the bungalow colony listening to my parents and their friends from my father's home town of Opatov, Poland as they sang the familiar Yiddish folk songs that I still love today," remembers Jane. "My first organized group singing was when I participated in 'Sing!' – the annual vocal competitions that were held in all Brooklyn high schools."

As an elementary school teacher, Jane always made sure there was a piano in her classroom in order to incorporate music into all areas of learning.

Jane's sister, a member of Temple Emanuel, urged Jane to attend a rehearsal of Kol Emanuel seven years ago. She has been singing with the group ever since.

"I am continually inspired by our wonderful director, Julia, and the other voices of Kol Emanuel," she says.

Blessing of the Pets

On the week that we read about Noah's Ark, let's create our own Noah's Ark – right here at Temple Emanuel. Bring your dog, cat, rabbit, goldfish, iguana, ferret... for a special Blessing of the Pets. (Yes, your rabbis love pets, too.)

Bring your pet to the Temple Emanuel parking lot on November 6 at 1:30 pm for this special event. However, if your pet would not have done well on Noah's Ark (if he or she is aggressive or unfriendly to strangers), we ask that you not bring him.

We will be collecting pet food and toys to donate to the local animal shelter at that time.

If you plan on participating, please RSVP to (856) 489-0029.

Ways we can help with the Katrina Disaster....

As a Temple family our thoughts and prayers are with those who have lost so much as a result of the deadly Hurricane Katrina. Yet we must also turn prayers into deeds of loving kindness and acts of real assistance. We have embarked on the following efforts and are seeking additional ways to help.

We read in the Torah that every person is responsible for one another. We take our responsibilities to heart, with a full heart, commitment and a lot of love. The victims of Katrina do not stand alone.



Rabbi Jerome P. David

Karnival for Katrina -- Temple Emanuel's Response to Hurricane Katrina

In keeping with our tradition of Tikkun Olam, "repairing the world", Temple Emanuel will hold a carnival to benefit those affected by Hurricane Katrina. This carnival is one of the Temple's many responses to hurricane relief.

Karnival for Katrina will take place on Sunday, October 16, 2005, from 12:30 P.M. until 4:30 P.M. Circus Time Amusements and Entertainment will provide the rides, games, prizes, crafts, and carnival snacks. Dance to the rhythms of DJ Connection, meet special personalities, clowns, face painters and more. Munch on carnival food and join in on the fun to be had. All the while you will be doing your part for Tikkun Olam.

Admission is \$10.00 per child (3-18), \$5.00 per adult (over 18) and children under 3 are admitted free. Your admission price includes rides, games, and crafts. Food will be available for an additional charge. ALL proceeds benefit the victims of Hurricane Katrina. Come help us help them.

For further information call Mayda Clarke at 856 489-0029

In addition to this we have several other committees. Please watch your Temple Emails for more information

October 1 - Nitzavim Deuteronomy 29:9 - 30:20

Moses continues his farewell speech to the people. He tells the Israelites that "you are standing" (in Hebrew "nitzavim") this day before God to conclude the covenant. This covenant binds the Israelites to God and God to the Israelites and was made not only with those present that day but also with all Israel, past, present and future.

October 8 - Vayeilech Deuteronomy 31:1-30

Moses prepares the people for his death and announces that Joshua will succeed him. He instructs the priests and the elders regarding the importance of reading the Torah. God informs Moses that upon his death, the people will commit idolatry and "many evils and troubles shall befall them." God tells Moses to teach the people a poem that will "be My witness."

October 15 - Ha'azinu Deuteronomy 32:1 - 52

Parashat Ha'azinu is the shortest parasha in the Torah. It consists of only one chapter of just fifty-two lines. The first 47 lines are a song that Moses sings at the threshold of the Promised Land, within hearing distance of all the people of Israel. *Ha'azinu hashamayim*, he begins. "Give ear, O heavens, let me speak; let the earth hear the words I utter!" In the concluding five lines, God speaks to Moses, telling him to climb Mount Nebo and view the Promised Land from there, for he will die on that mountain.

October 22 - Shabbat Chol HaMoed Sukkot

The Torah portion for *Shabbat Chol HaMo-eid Sukkot* (Exodus 33:12-34:26) prepares us for Simchat Torah.

On the Shabbat before the Simchat Torah celebration, we are given a strong textual reminder that seeing is believing. It comes in the midst of a crisis of faith for Moses: "Now, if I have truly gained Your favor, pray let me know Your ways" (Exodus 33:13) followed by "Oh, let me behold [*har'eini*] Your Presence!" (Exodus 33:18) Moses is an ordinary human being with an extraordinary relationship to God. When all the pressures of leadership and its responsibilities become too much to bear, Moses declares a need to see God, to actually experience the reality of God's existence. His is more than a crisis of faith. Moses has a burning need to know that despite everything that has gone wrong between Israel and God (e.g., the golden calf episode), God still favors Moses.

October 29 - Bereshit

Genesis 1:1 - 6:8

"Bereshit bara Elohim et ha-shamayim v'et ha-aretz...." "In the beginning, God created the heaven and the earth." So begins the book of Genesis, the first of the Five Books of Moses. Genesis 1:1-2:3 tells of how God created the world. God separates light from darkness, day from night and land from water. God makes the earth sprout trees and plants, and sets the sun and the moon in the sky. Fish and birds, creeping creatures, cattle and wild beasts are created by God before God makes man and woman, who are created in God's image and are to rule over the whole earth and all that is in it. As God creates each of these things, God pauses to see that they are good. Having finished the work of creation on the seventh day after beginning, God blesses the seventh day and declares it holy.

Shabbat Morning Torah Study



Our Shabbat Morning Torah Study group meets each Shabbat morning at 9:15 am, except on a few selected holiday weekends. Our first meeting of the year will be September 10. It is lead by Rabbi David, Rabbi Newburge Rabbi Cohen, Cantor Eskenasy and lay-leaders. Newcomers to Torah Study are encouraged to come. We read selections from the weekly Torah portion together and have lively and engaging discussion. Coffee is served - what could better?

No registration required.

October 1	Nitzavim	Stephen Ehrlich
October 8	Vayeilech	Dennis Karpf
October 15	Ha'azinu	Cantor Eskenasy
October 22	Chol HaMoed Sukkot	Rabbi Newburge
October 29	Bereshit	Bruce Sachais
November 5	Noach	Rabbi David
November 12/NJEA	Lech Lecha	Stephen Ehrlich
November 19	Vayera	Rabbi Cohen
Nov. 26/Thanksgiving	Chaye Sarah	Lay-Leader

Please Register us for the Sukkot Hayride:

Family Name:

Address:

Phone Number:

of Adults:

of Children:

Amount included:

Return your form to 1101 Springdale Road, Cherry Hill, NJ 08003. Make your check out to Temple Emanuel

Sukkot Hayride at Springdale Farms

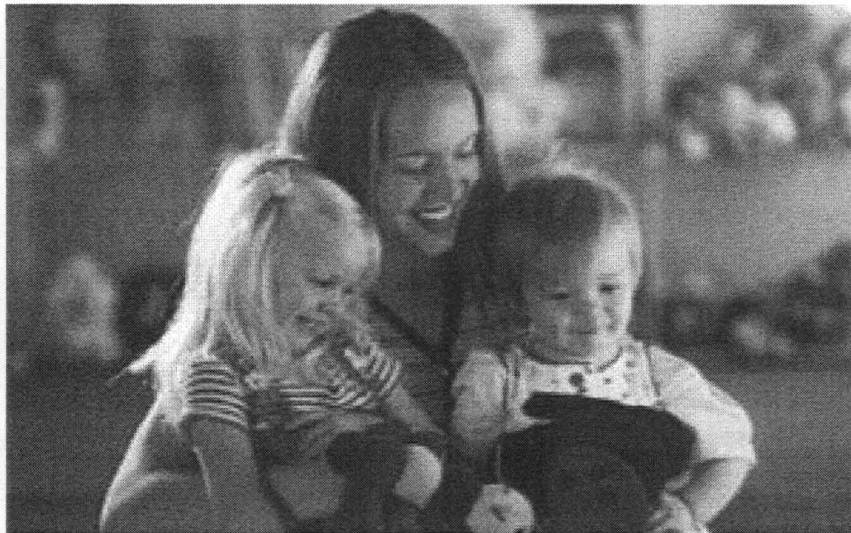
October 22, 5:15 pm

\$13 /Adult

\$11 /Child

Children Under 2 — Free

Join us on our annual Sukkot Hayride. We will pick pumpkins, have a camp-fire complete with hot dogs and toasted marshmallows and celebrate Havdalah together. Please register by October 10, using the above form.



Temple Emanuel Baby-Sitter List

Do you need a baby-sitter? Rabbi Cohen is compiling a list of teenagers in our congregation who are looking for baby-sitting jobs. In addition to contact information, the list includes each teenager's grade level, experience, preferred hours, access to transportation and home neighborhood. If you would like a copy of the list, please e-mail Rabbi Cohen at dbcohen@templemanuel.org or call her at 856-489-0035.

Teenagers who would like to be included on the list should also contact Rabbi Cohen for a form to fill out.

TREE OF LIFE

Jerri Punsky
Chairperson



It has been my pleasure to serve as chairperson of the **Tree of Life** since it was installed on the wall outside the Social Hall. Every Tuesday, when I arrive at the Temple, good news about our members is waiting for me. This unique space will provide generations to come and glimpse into past simchas and tributes.

Please don't let our **Tree** fill up without honoring someone in your family. Next time you are visiting the Temple, walk by and choose a leaf to be reserved. As you will notice, the **Tree** is quite full. Place your orders now by calling Irene Strauss in the Temple office for details and an order form.

The newest additions to the **Tree** include:

DONOR

Shelley & John Adler

Betsy & Dennis Karpf

IN HONOR OF

Reserved 4 leaves

Reserved 1 leaf

Join the Club

The Aleph-Bet Family Club is a group of families with infants, toddlers and young children, celebrating our Judaism and socializing together. It is open to all - Temple Emanuel members, non-members, and pre-school families.

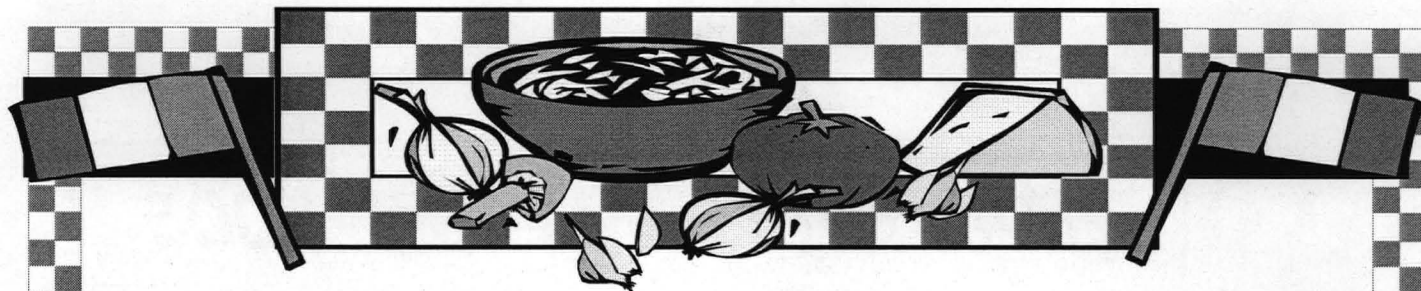
On October 13, join us for a covered-dish Yom Kippur Break-the-Fast at the home of David, Rabbi Debbie and Arianna Cohen at 7:30 pm. It will be a relaxing and enjoyable way to set out on a new year. Each family should bring a salad, dairy dish or dessert to share. When you RSVP, please tell us what you plan on bringing. RSVP by calling the Temple Emanuel office at 489-0029 or the pre-school at 489-0034. Please ask for the Cohen's address and directions when you call.

Save the date! On November 5, the Aleph Bet Family Club will have a Bowling and Havdalah night at 4 pm. It will be \$8.00 per person (except for infants). Free pizza and beverages are included! More information will follow.

New Members Shabbat

Friday, October 28, 2005
8 pm

Please join us at New Member Shabbat as we warmly welcome our new families into our congregational family on Friday, October 28th at 8 p.m. All of our new members are invited to celebrate with us at a Shabbat Dinner prior to the Service at 6:30 pm.. If you are a new Temple member and would like to join us for dinner, please R.S.V.P. to Debbie or Andrea at (856)489-0029, Ext 10. A personal invitation will be mailed to you shortly. We look forward to meeting and welcoming all of our new families into our synagogue.



5th Annual
Shabbat Around the World:
Celebrating Diversity in Judaism
Sponsored by Temple Emanuel & Stars of David

Italian Shabbat Feast

November 4
6:30 pm dinner 8 pm service
\$16/adult \$8/child over 3

Students in Kindergarten to 4th grade will have artwork displayed as part of this special evening.

Dinner Menu:

A Variety of Antipasto, Chicken Scallopine with sautéed spinach Mushroom raviolis in basil marinara sauce, Brushetta with crostini, garlic bread

Children's Menu:

Caesar salad, chicken fingers and rigatoni in marinara sauce

Dessert: Italian Ice, cookies and Biscotti

Please Register for the Shabbat Around the World dinner by October 28. Please make your check out to Temple Emanuel.



Shabbat Around the World Dinner

Family Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

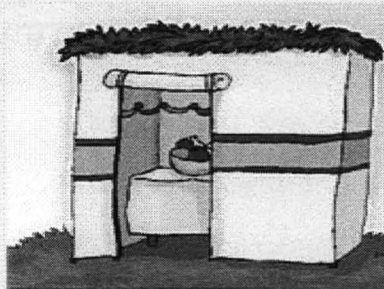
of Adults: _____ # of Children over 3: _____

Total included: _____

Monday October 17, 2005

Temple Emanuel presents...

Pizza in the Hut



It's almost time for Sukkot!

Join us for decorating, dinner & fun
in our sukkah!

6pm: Sukkah Decorating

6:45: Dinner in the Sukkah

7:15: Fun-Family Service

After services: An opportunity for
adult study

RSVP to Temple Office at (856)489-0029.

For Questions contact Rabbi Geri Newburge at (856)489-
0029 x16, or gnewburge@templemanuel.org

Temple Emanuel Book Club

Call 856-489-0029 to Register.



Join Rabbi Geri Newburge, Rabbi Debbie Cohen and Peggy David, MSW, LCSW, each month to discuss a popular book with Jewish interest. To fit your schedule, the book will be discussed twice, once on Sunday and once on Monday. You need only come to one of the discussions.

Contact Rabbi Cohen for a full year's calendar.

October 30 & 31 - Peggy David, MSW, LCSW

Book: Jephte's Daughter by Naomi Ragen

Abraham Ha-Levi, a wealthy Los Angeles businessman, is the sole heir to a 300-year-old Hasidic dynasty. Believing himself unworthy to take on the mantle of leadership, he makes a solemn vow to God to continue the distinguished lineage through his only child, Batsheva.

Check your e-mail for update.



2006 ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!!

NO PRICE INCREASE FROM LAST YEAR!!

SOUTH JERSEY EDITION: \$30

PHILADELPHIA NORTH: \$25

PHILADELPHIA WEST \$25

Contact Cathy Krepow at 856-795-7560 for more information.

Books are available in the Temple Office.

MAKES A GREAT GIFT!

TZEDAKAH COLLECTIVE FAMILY WALKATHON

WHEN: Sunday, October 16, 2005

9 – 11:30 a.m.

WHERE: Cooper River Park

New Location: We will start at the covered picnic area at Rte. 130 & West Park Blvd.

(Distance - 4 miles around the river)

COST: \$18 per family

We encourage walkers to obtain additional individual sponsorship. Maybe someone would “hire” you to walk for them!

PURPOSE: To raise money for T.E.’s Tzedakah Collective which has distributed over \$11,000 to a variety of charities since 2002.

REGISTRATION: Pre-register via mail or call the temple office@ (856) 489-0029. Event day registration at the park

QUESTIONS: Stephanie Ross – schleper247@comcast.net

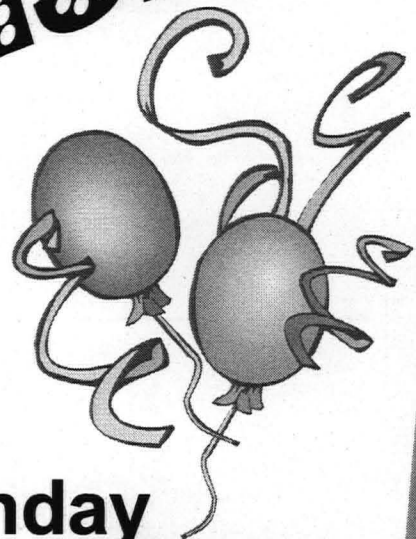
NAME: _____

PHONE: _____ **DONATION:** _____

Please mail to: Temple Emanuel, 1101, Springdale Rd.,
Cherry Hill, N.J. 08003

Temple Emanuel Sisterhood
Presents:

PARTY SHOWCASE 2005



**Sunday
November 6, 2005
10 am - 2 pm**

**Having a Bar/Bat Mitzvah, Sweet 16 or any other type of occasion...
then you don't want to miss out!**

Come check out these Professionals:

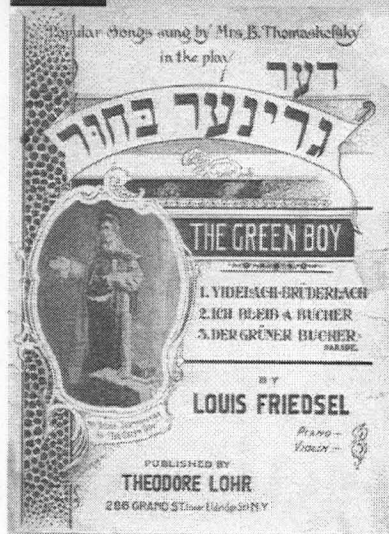
Caterers	Photographers	Videographers
Decorators	Invitations	Bands & DJ's
Hotels	Party Favors	and more!!!

*For more information, call: Debra @ 856-384-0058

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PRIZES!**



Big Al's Yiddish Club

At Temple Emanuel

Thursdays, 7:30-9: PM

Continues October 20

For more information, call 489-0029

Learn conversational Yiddish in a relaxed, informal, enjoyable format, using English transliteration of Yiddish songs. No homework.

All levels invited.

SHIREI HAYELADIM

Come join Temple Emanuel's children's choir!

- Learn new fun Jewish songs
- Sing with your friends
- Sing at Shabbat services
- Have fun!

We rehearse on Sundays from 12:30-1:30 pm

Whenever Hebrew School is in session and sing at Shabbat Family services

For more information, tell your parents to call

Cantor Miriam Eskenasy at 489-0035 extension 21

Family Tile Workshop

*with artist Donna Moskowitz
November 20*

Arrive between 2 and 3 pm. \$18/Tile

Have you seen the beautiful family tiles at the Religious School entrance?

Create one with YOUR family's name and Jewish images that are important to you.

Leave your family's mark at Temple Emanuel.

Proceeds from the day will support educational programming at the congregation. The tiles are 8 inches by 8 inches, if you would like to plan out your design in advance.

Questions? Contact Rabbi Cohen, 856-489-0035
dbcohen@templemanuel.org.

Return this form to Temple Emanuel by November 10. Sign us up for the Family Tile Workshop!

Family Name:

Amount Enclosed:

Make your payable to Temple Emanuel, 1101 Springdale Road, Cherry Hill, NJ 08003.

WE GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Our Temple Funds provide a beautiful way to remember someone special and, at the same time, help to maintain several worthwhile synagogue projects.

**For more than a decade, we have requested a minimum contribution of \$5.
As times continue to change, we are now requesting a minimum contribution of \$10.**

Rabbi Jerome P. David Education Fund

To enhance religious school education.

In Honor Of	Donor
Joyce Hoff-Presidency	Ellie & Bob Treuhaff
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To beautify & maintain the building.

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To enhance adult education programming.

In Memory Of	Donor
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Camp Scholarship Fund

To enable our children to attend a Jewish camp.

In Memory Of	Donor
Lillian Wolf	Al & Mitzi Wolf
	Debby & Brian Baratz

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To endow the Temple Choir & other musical Programs at the Temple.

In Honor Of	Donor
Samantha Tajfel-Bat Mitzvah	Norma Spector
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In Memory Of	Donor
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Jean Gordon	Sandra Gordon

Gates of Repentance

High Holy Day prayer book with bookplate.

In Memory Of	Donor
Maurice Volin	Shelley, Steve, Allison,
Rebecca, Whitney	Sufias
Simon J. Miller	Shelley Figures & Ira Miller

Library Fund

To purchase a variety of Jewish interest books.

In Honor Of	Donor
Anna & Molly Birnbaum	Heather, Evan, Danny, & Mason
Bat Mitzvah Ruth Levinthal	Min Portner
In Memory Of	Donor
Betty Fischer	Gail Greenberg
James N. Barroway	Ruth Goldberg
Lillian Lees	Rena, Paul, & Matt Alpert

Natal Israel Scholarship Fund

To make scholarships available for Conf. & Post-Confirmation students to participate in educational experiences in Israel.

In Memory Of	Donor
Bernard Cohen	Linda & Barry Kelly

Prayerbook Fund

Shabbat & Festival prayer books with Bookplate.

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						1 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service Bar Mitzvah of LUCAS REID YELOWITZ and Bat Mitzvah of ALEXA BRITTANY SHALIT 6:15 pm Havdalah Service Bat Mitzvah of TIFFANY MARGEAUX KUPERSCHMIDT
2	3 EREV ROSH HASHANAH 8 pm Service	4 ROSH HASHANAH 9 am-Early Service 12:15 pm Late Service 3:30 pm Family Service	5 2nd DAY ROSH HASHANAH 10 am Service	6 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	7 7 pm Tot Shabbat 7:30 pm Shabbat Evening Family Service—5th Grade Honoring Shabbat Shuvah Children's Choir Alternative Service	8 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Service Morning Bar Mitzvah of SAMUEL ANTHONY KRAMER 5 pm Havdalah Service Bat Mitzvah of SAMANTHA BARI FOLKMAN
9 9 am 2nd Grade Family Ed Program 10 am Men's Club Meeting 10:30 am Finance Comm.	10 7 pm Youth Comm. 7:30 pm Exec. Board Meeting	11 12 Noon Adult Bnai Mitzvah Class Post Bnai Mitzvah Class 1 pm Stories of the Prophets 7 pm Casserole Cooking Choir Practice Adult Academy	12 EREV YOM KIPPUR Kol Nidre Family Service—6:15 pm Kol Nidre Service—8:30 pm	13 YOM KIPPUR 9 am Early Service 12:15 pm Late Service 3:15 pm Afternoon Service 4:15 pm Yizkor Service Followed by Ne'ila Service 6:30 pm Family Havdalah 7 pm Aleph Bet Break the Fast	14 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service	15 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service Bar Mitzvah of TAYLOR BRODY and Bat Mitzvah of KARA MICHELLE LAMBSON
16 Tzedakah Collective Walkathon at Cooper River Park 12:30 Carnival for Katrina 12:30 pm Chaverim 4 pm Tefty Jr. Bowling Party	17 EREV SUKKOT 9:15 "How to" Workshop - Sukkot 6 pm Sukkah Decorating, Dinner and Service	18 SUKKOT No School 10:30 am Sukkot Service	19 7:30 pm Men's Study Group	20 7 pm Bereavement Group 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation Yiddish Class Ritual Committee	21 6 pm Senior Shabbat Dinner 7 pm Tot Shabbat Junior Congregation 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service—Senior Shabbat Service Tefty Fall Kallah	22 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service Bat Mitzvah of ABBY ELIZABETH TARKEN 5:15 pm Sukkot Hayride 6:15 pm Havdalah Service Bat Mitzvah of ERICA DANIELLE KREPOW Tefty Fall Kallah
23 9 am 3rd Grade Family Ed Program 10 am Men's Post Bnai Mitzvah Class 10:30 am Sisterhood Paid-up Membership Brunch 12:30 pm Club Noar 3 pm Interfaith Discussion Group 7 pm Gefilte Flicks Tefty Fall Kallah	24 EREV SIMCHAT TORAH 7 pm Simchat Torah and Consecration Service	25 No School SIMCHAT TORAH	26	27 7 pm Bereavement Group 7:30 pm Membership Committee	28 6:30 pm New Member Shabbat Dinner 8 pm Shabbat Evening Torah Service NEW MEMBER SHABBAT	29 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service Bat Mitzvah of MARIELLE TAMARA AUSTIN and SUZANNE MICHELLE SCHATZ 6:15 pm Havdalah Service Bat Mitzvah of SAMANTHA LEE SEIGLE
30 9 am Red Cross Blood Drive 9:15 am TE Book Club 12th Grade "Packing For College" 7 pm Jewish Journey to Parenthood	31 9:15 am TE Book Club 8 pm TE Board of Trustees					

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November 2005

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 12 Noon Adult B'nai Mitzvah Class Post B'nai Mitzvah Class 1 pm Stories of the Prophets 7 pm Choir Practice 7 pm Adult Academy	2 7:30 pm Men's Study Group	3	4 6 pm Shabbat Around the World Dinner 7 pm Tot Shabbat 7:30 pm Shabbat Evening Family Service Shabbat Around the World with Children's Choir Alternative Service	5 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service Bar Mitzvah of REMY JORDAN KAHN and Bat Mitzvah of ZOE BIANCA KAHN 4 pm Aleph Bet Bowling Party 6:15 pm Havdalah Service Bat Mitzvah of SANDRA MICHELLE GOLDLUST
6 9 am-3 pm SISTERHOOD PARTY EXPO 12:30 pm Chaverim 1:30 pm Blessing of the Pets 4 pm Teffy Jr. Rock Climbing 7 pm A Jewish Journey to Parenthood	7 7:30 pm Men's Post B'nai Mitzvah Class	8 1 pm Prayerbook Skills 7 pm Casserole Cooking Choir Practice No School	9 No School	10 7 pm Bereavement Group 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation Yiddish Class Ritual Committee NJEA	11 7 pm Singles Shabbat 8 pm Shabbat Evening Torah Service NJEA	12 9:15 am Torah Study Bar Mitzvah of ANDREW BERGER 6:15 pm Havdalah Service—Bar Mitzvah of DILLON COREY MILLER NJEA
13 7 pm Gefilte Flicks A Jewish Journey to Parenthood NJEA No School	14 7 pm Youth Committee 7:30 pm Exec. Board Meeting	15 12 Noon Adult B'nai Mitzvah Class Post B'nai Mitzvah Class 1 pm Stories of the Prophets 7 pm Choir Practice Adult Hebrew 8 pm Adult Academy with Rabbi David	16 9:30 am Studio Arts Class 12 Noon Senior Group Brown Bag Lunch and Discussion	17 7 pm Bereavement Group 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation Yiddish Class	18 6 pm Pre School Shabbat Dinner 7 pm Tot Shabbat 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service	19 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service 6:15 pm Havdalah Service—Bat Mitzvah of MARISSA AMBER GOTLEIB and ASHLEY MORGAN GOTLEIB
20 9:15 am Temple Emanuel Book Club 9:30 am Social Action Committee 10 am Men's Club Breakfast Meeting 10:30 am Finance Committee Mtg. 12:30 pm Club Noar 7th Grade Trip to Liberty Museum	21 9:15 am Temple Emanuel Book Club 7 pm Thanksgiving Food Sorting, Casserole Cooking and Service for Peace 7:30 pm RS Sub-Comm. Meeting. Men's Post B'nai Mitzvah	22 1 pm Prayerbook Skills 7 pm Choir Practice Adult Hebrew 8 pm Adult Academy with Rabbi David	23 No School TEFFY Jr Plymouth Rock Hop at JCC	24 Thanksgiving	25 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service	26 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service Bar Mitzvah of JORDAN IAN MUCHNIK 6:15 PM Havdalah Service—Bar Mitzvah of JORDAN SCOTT FRIEDMAN
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Preparation Time: 15 minutes

Baking Time: 60-75 minutes

Ingredients

- 1 cup very strong coffee (I use decaf)
- 1-3/4 cups honey
- 4 extra large eggs
- 4 tbsp. canola oil
- 1-1/4 cups packed dark brown sugar
- 3-1/2 cups unbleached flour
- 1 tbsp. baking powder
- 1 tsp. baking soda
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp. ginger

1/4 tsp. cloves

1/4 tsp. nutmeg

1 cup whole or half candied or plain almonds

1 cup raisins

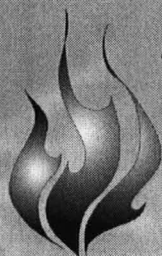
Preheat oven to 300 degrees. Grease and flour 2 9x5 inch loaf pans or one 9x13 pan. Set aside.

In a saucepan, combine the honey and coffee and bring to a boil. Cool and set aside.

In a large mixing bowl, blend the eggs, brown sugar and oil. Do not over-beat.

Sift the flour, baking powder and baking soda and spices together. Stir the flour and honey into the eggs alternating and ending with the liquid. Stir in the raisins. Blend well. Pour into the prepared pans and place the almonds over the cake. Bake for 60-70 minutes, or until the cake springs back. Let sit overnight before serving





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August 26, 2005

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SUNDAY, 10/16

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SUNDAY, 11/6

Rock Climbing, 4-6pm

WEDNESDAY, 11/23

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SATURDAY, 12/3

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TEFTY/TEFTY Jr Ski Trip

JANUARY 13-15

TEFTY hosts NFTY-PAR
Convention- Let's help out!!

SUNDAY, 1/29

Super Sunday @ JCC

SUNDAY, 2/12

Dinner & Movie Night

SUNDAY, 3/12

Purim Carnival 9am-3pm

FRIDAY, 3/17

Youth Group Potluck Dinner &
Services

SUNDAY, 4/2

Golf Fun

SUNDAY, 5/7

Open Event

SUNDAY, 6/4

Dorney Park

*For all youth group questions:
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