

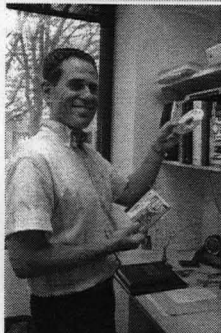
**Temple
Emanuel**

THE

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NEWSLETTER

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Cantor's Notes *By Cantor Peter Halpern*

Dear Friends,

I hope this finds you enjoying the summer - playing, reading and getting to the many things you may not have during the year. It was with great anticipation that I left California and returned to the northeast, where I was raised. It has been a voyage from the Hebrew Union College in New York to Amsterdam, Holland, to sunny Southern California and back - now with a wonderful, loving 2 year old son. Truly, it is a gift that the sun rises each day, full of new potential for meaningful work, special relationships, and the rich blessings of daily life.

I have great hopes as your new Cantor. I pray that I may offer you something during services that adds to your inner life. I hope we will sing together, and in time laugh and cry, as we share the intimate moments of our Jewish lives. I pray that I become someone you can trust, open your heart to, for some, confide in, and that you will feel you can come to me with any concerns. I pray that I may teach your children with kindness and inspiration and add beauty to the musical life at our Temple. I pray that I will be all that you envision your Cantor to be and more.

"Sing unto God all the earth. Sing unto God a new song."

CHECK OUT THE ISRAEL CENTERFOLD PAGES

SUMMER SERVICES

Friday, August 4
KABBALAT SHABBAT - 6 pm
Welcome the Sabbath
featuring Janet Sclaroff and
her music

Friday, August 11
Shabbat Evening Service - 8 pm
Idan Kligerman, Community
Shaliach at the Katz Jewish
Community Center
"How we can be Israel's
Ambassadors"

Friday, August 18
Tot Shabbat - 7 pm
Shabbat Evening Service - 8 pm
Dr. Marty Rosenberg, Professor,
Art History Rutgers University
"History of Synagogue
Architecture"

Friday, August 25
6:30 pm Light Shabbat Dinner
and a live Klezmer band
Farewell Summer Shabbat
Services and
Prospective Member Open House
- 8 pm
Lively Oneg Shabbat with music



**We deeply appreciate the
outpouring of notes,
cards and contributions
in honor of the marriage
of our children, Jon and
Jaime. We thank you for your
kindness, thoughtfulness and good
wishes.**

**Sincerely,
Peggy and Jerry David**

9/11 Memorial Service

Join us for a stirring
service of memory and
reflection.

*Five years later,
we dare not forget!*

Monday, September 11
at 7 pm in our Sanctuary



PRESIDENT'S Message

by Joyce C. Hoff



Let me draw a picture for you. It's the first true heat wave of the summer, I'm on vacation at the Shore trying to relax and enjoy time with my husband Matt and the leisurely days of summer. So...I go and check my email inbox and find the following note: Joyce, your Light article is late... again. Now this is not a surprising email to me, for I'm always late with my article and I know that the Temple never goes on vacation, especially in the summer. Vacation or not, here I am doing my presidential duty of letting you know more about our Temple, from my perspective.

Summer at Temple Emanuel is probably the busiest time of year. We hold Open Houses for prospective new members, do the paper work to make the High Holy Days as seamless as possible and freshen and clean our Religious School wing in preparation for September and the beginning of an exciting school year. All the while, we are treated to the happy voices of 2 and 3 year olds at play at Kamp Kayeetz. I, along with our hard working and committed Board members are busy planning the year's programming and re-energizing. Committees continue to meet all summer long, busily engaging themselves in providing ideas and people power – the essential ingredients of a successful synagogue.

You, our valued members, also have a role in helping Temple Emanuel continue as a strong congregation: Here are some ways you can help our Temple community:

- ◆ Encourage your unaffiliated friends to come to scheduled Open Houses to meet our clergy, staff and lay leaders. Our next Open House is scheduled for August 15 at 7 pm. Call Jane at (856) 489-0029 x15 and give her the name of your friend and she will follow up with an invitation. Of course, your friend or neighbor can also call Jane directly. On August 25 at 6:30 pm, please invite your unaffiliated friends and neighbors to join you for a light family dinner (\$10 family/\$5per person) and stay on for Shabbat Services at 8 pm. Please call Jane to let her know you will be attending.
- ◆ Join a committee. I know you hear that a lot, but we really want and need YOU! We will be holding Back to School Sunday, a special activities fair focusing on the many opportunities for participation available at Temple Emanuel, on September 10 (the first day of school) in the Social Hall. Plan on attending and choosing to become a more active member. In the interim, check Stephanie Ross' article about Social Action or Robin Miller's article about Caring Community. There are opportunities to help right now.
- ◆ Volunteer to be a High Holy Day reader. Maybe your Hebrew skills are just itching to get back out into the public. If reading is not your thing, contact Bruce Sachais, VP of Ritual and volunteer to usher.

Info on how to reach our staff and Officers is printed each month on the label page of The Light. Never hesitate to share your ideas, opinions or desire to become involved with any of us.

I would also like to take this opportunity to welcome Cantor Peter Halpern and his son Nathan to our Temple family. Cantor Peter joined us on July 1. He has been busy acclimating himself to our Temple and to the South Jersey area. A special committee, chaired by Tami Brody, has planned events designed specifically to help you meet and greet Cantor Peter. Check the Light for dates and times that fit your schedule. He is at services every Friday night, so join us for Shabbat and get to know him while enjoying his beautiful voice and the depth of musical knowledge he brings to our congregation.

As we all go about our lives this summer, and as I write this, our brothers and sisters in Israel are in the fight for the country's collective lives. Israel is always in our hearts, minds and prayers. Hopefully by the time you read this article, the conflict will be over and peace will reign in Israel. More information is available from the Union for Reform Judaism (www.URJ.org) and the Jewish Federation of Southern NJ (www.ifedsnj.org) on ways you can help.

Enjoy the rest of your summer.

B'Shalom,

Memo from MAYDA



As the song goes, "Summertime and the livin' is easy..." That may be true in other places, but not at Temple Emanuel. Summer is a time of rejuvenation, innovation and transformation. Summer allows us to plan, to vision, to dream of what can be – and then to put our plans into action.

New ideas stir from every corner of our synagogue, with committed volunteers and staff brainstorming fresh, unique and improved methods of reaching out to our Temple family. Vision is not enough, though, it is all in the doing. Our Temple's leadership hopes to make each of our members feel that they're at the very heart of things, not at the periphery. We want everyone to know that he or she makes a difference to the success of our Temple and to Jewish continuity.

As Ralph Nader said, **"The function of leadership is to produce more leaders, not more followers."** I invite you to become a Temple leader. Temple leadership is open to all members – there is no secret handshake, no top secret greeting – all that is required is a commitment to making Temple Emanuel the best it can be. I urge you to give me a call and let me know what area of Temple life interests you. Are you interested in Worship initiatives? Temple music? LifeLong Education? The Physical Plant? Membership? Finance? Fundraising? Social Action? Our Caring Community? Marketing and PR? Whatever your interest, talent or passion, we have it here.

Don't delay. Please write to me at mayda@templemanuel.org or call me at (856) 489-0029x13—your future is waiting. Just remember:

***We are not put on this earth for ourselves, but are placed here for each other.
If you are there always for others, then in time of need, someone will be there for you.***

I look forward to hearing from you and seeing you often at Temple Emanuel. I hope you enjoy the balance of the summer.

Mazel tov...

Nora and Marty Salzman on the engagement of their son Eric to Sara Rosen

Peggy and Rabbi Jerry David on the marriage of their son Jonathan to Jaime Smith

Mayda and Alan Clarke on the marriage of their daughter, Pamela to Aaron Sandonato

Estelle Cohen and Gussie Clarke on the marriage of their granddaughter Pamela Clarke to Aaron Sandonato

Andrea and Sam Garber on the birth of their son, Evan Mitchell Garber

Gary and Joanne Cohen on the engagement of their son, Jonathan to Jackie Kogan

Andi Kimball on the birth of her granddaughter, Britney Faith Greenblatt, daughter of Sheri and Rand Greenblatt

Barbara and Todd Wilen on the birth of their daughter, Rebekah Iliana Wilen

Melissa Kurtzman on her marriage to Arthur Goldman

Mark and Marsha Morrow on the engagement of their daughter Melissa to Rich

Elizabeth and Jeffrey Stone on the birth of their daughter, Alexandra Lily Stone

**Plan to attend Back to School
Sunday, September 10
From 9 am - 1 pm**

B *ruchim Ha-ba'im b'shem Adonai!* These are the words we use to welcome people to a special, sacred occasion, like a wedding or baby naming. This meaningful phrase translates as "welcome in the name of God."

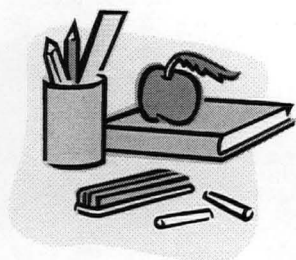
Welcoming the stranger is key facet of our tradition. We are reminded (and instructed) of this principle throughout the *Tanakh* (Torah, Prophets, & Writings). Extending a warm welcome to a new person or family into our community is truly a holy act. And the truth is, we benefit too, when we expand our circle and invite new people to join; they bring their talents, interests, passions, and vigor to our community, thereby enhancing the programs and energy in our lives.

We are blessed to have Cantor Peter Halpern and his son Nathan join our Temple Emanuel family. Cantor Halpern brings a wealth of experience, knowledge, and insights to us. I think you will find that he has an easy smile, friendly personality, and an honest dedication to the Jewish people. These qualities will serve our congregation well, during services, holidays, family simchas, and all occasions when we come together to worship and celebrate.



Please join me in welcoming Cantor Halpern & Nathan, *Bruchim Ha-ba'im b'shem Adonai!*

Be A Planner



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.

Religious School Sub-Committee

Chair: Elliott Roth

Next Meeting: September 5 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 6 weeks.

On the Agenda: Service Attendance, Confirmation Academy Changes, Accreditation

Family Education Committee

Chairs: Jessica Manelis

Next Meeting: September 7 at 7 pm

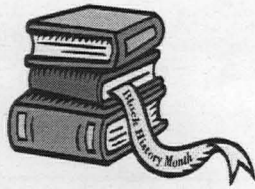
Guinness Book of World Records Dreidel Spin, Chocolate Seder, Blessing of the Pets, Sukkot Hayride, Shabbat Around the World, PJ Havdalah Party, and so much more. All these activities are brought to you by the Family Education Committee at Temple Emanuel. Join us and make the fun and learning happen again next year. Come with your ideas and suggestions for making Jewish learning family friendly.

Adult Education Committee

Chairs: Kelly Fineman and Julie Winkler

Next Meeting: September at 8 pm

Help organize our Adult Education Program for next year. Come with your ideas, suggestions and feedback. If you have an idea for a course, we can make it happen.



Temple Emanuel Book Club

Join Rabbi Geri Newburge, Rabbi Debbie Cohen and Peggy David, MSW, LCSW, each month to discuss a popular book with Jewish interest from 9:15 am-10:30 am. 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. Call 856-489-0029, x 10 to register. For a full year's calendar, call Rabbi Cohen.

Upcoming books are:

September 17 & 18 – Rabbi Geri Newburge, Everyman by Philip Roth

Philip Roth's new novel is a fiercely intimate yet universal story of loss, regret, and stoicism. Roth's everyman is a hero whose youthful sense of independence and confidence begins to be challenged when illness commences its attack in middle age. A successful commercial advertising artist, he is the father of two sons who despise him and a daughter who adores him. He is the brother of a good man whose physical well-being comes to arouse his bitter envy. He is the lonely ex-husband of three very different women with whom he has made a mess of marriage. Inevitably, he discovers that he has become what he does not want to be. In Everyman, Roth once again displays his hallmark incisiveness. From his first glimpse of death on the idyllic beaches of his childhood summers, through his vigorous, seemingly invincible prime, Roth's hero is a man bewildered not only by his own decline but by the unimaginable deaths of his contemporaries and those he has loved.

October 22 & 23 – Rabbi Deborah Cohen, Rashi's Daughters: Book 1 -- Joheved by Maggie Anton

Rashi, one of the greatest Jewish scholars who ever lived, had no sons, only three daughters. Much has been written about Rashi and his grandsons, the Tosafot, but almost nothing of his daughters. Legend has it that they were learned in a time when women were forbidden to study the sacred texts. Rashi's Daughters tells the story of these forgotten women.

SENIOR SCENE

By Gert Pastelnick
President, Henry Raich Senior Group

It is the middle of the summer. We have had some rain, and some very hot weather. But through it all, we are moving right along with plans for our September and October meetings. But, before I write about the exciting programs we have planned, I would like to make you aware of a fairly new committee in our Temple called The Caring Community. The committee will be serving the many needs of our Temple family. One of these needs will directly affect our senior family, as the committee is trying to develop a service to assist our members who do not have transportation to come to Temple services and functions. In the future, if you think you might want to avail yourself of this service, please call Eliane Strip at 856-667-4037. We need this information to assess the needs and develop a plan.

Now, moving right along... To start our Brown Bag season, our guest speaker on September 13 will be Ruth Bogutz. She will speak about Jewish Camden. This will bring back many memories for our members. October 20 is the date of our dinner and Senior Shabbat service. This is an evening that is always enjoyed by all. There will be much more information in the mail as we approach these two dates.

Hope the remainder of the summer is good for you. Look forward to seeing and greeting you in September.

We warmly welcome
our new members
into our Temple family...



Vickie and Ken Greenblatt
Jonathan, Brian and Michael

Jay Meyers

Pamela and Aaron Sandonato

Claire Silver

Elizabeth and Jeffrey Stone
Alexandra

Ellen and Mark Young
Aaron and Noah



Adult Education Offerings

September & October 2006 — To register for a course, call (856) 489-0029.

Adult Confirmation

**Adult Confirmation with Rabbi Jerome P. David, DD, Rabbi Geri Newburge
and Rabbi Deborah Bodin Cohen**

Tuesdays, 8-9 pm, beginning October 10

Our Adult Confirmation Program revolves around the three pillars of our faith: God, Torah and Israel. We will study each one to better understand Judaism and to explore our personal faith. Developing personal reflections — written, artistic or verbal — on these topics will be at the core of our program. Our year will climax with a Confirmation of Faith ceremony. We will also take field trips to Platt Memorial Chapel and the Sons of Israel Mikvah to study our traditions. **Open to All Jewish Adults at Temple Emanuel.** You do not need to have had a Bat or Bar Mitzvah and you do not need to read Hebrew. If you were Confirmed as teenager, you can revisit the experience and still participate.

Other Multi-Session Courses Beginning in September & October

Yoga & Jewish Meditation with Laura Markowitz

Thursdays, 7:30-8:30 pm

Explore the roots of Jewish meditation and experience the spiritual mind-body connection. Wear comfortable clothes and prepare to have fun! Session 1: September 14, 21, 28, October 5, 12, 19, 26, November 2, 16, 30, December 7, 14 Session 2: begins January 4 Session 3: begins March 29 Fee: \$55/session

Big Al's Yiddish Club with Al Rubin

Thursdays, 7:30-9 pm, Begins October 5

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. No boring drills. No memorization of words or conjugation of verbs. 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.

Jewish Humor with Rabbi Richard Levine

Five Tuesdays, 7- 8 pm

An opportunity to see how humor has enabled our people to laugh at ourselves, our community and our accomplishments, as well as confront the sorrows and setbacks of life, both personal and communal. This is a serious study filled with many chances to smile and to laugh. October 10, 17, 24, November 7, 14



***Mishkan T'filah:* The New Reform Siddur with Rabbi Jerome P. David, DD, Rabbi Geri Newburge and Rabbi Deborah Bodin Cohen**

Approximately every other Tuesday throughout the year, 1-2 pm, begins in October
The Reform movement has adopted a new siddur, *Mishkan T'filah*. Join us in exploring the history and contents of this new siddur. Build familiarity with this new prayer book and grow comfortable praying from it. Hebrew is not required for this class. October 10 & 24

Post B'nai Mitzvah Study Group with Rabbi Jerome P. David, DD

Approximately every other Tuesday throughout the year, noon– 1 pm, beginning in October
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. October 10 & 24

Improve Your Prayerbook Skills with Rabbi Geri Newburge

Approximately every other Tuesday, 1-2 pm, begins in October and extends to May
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. Textbook fee. October 17 & 31

Introduction to Hebrew with Rabbi Deborah Bodin Cohen

Tuesdays, noon-1 pm

Learn to decipher Hebrew and start building prayer book reading skills. An introductory course for the novice Hebrew reader. Textbook fee. Begins October 21.

Workshops & Movies

Gefilte Flicks Movie Series: *Ushpizin* with Steve Lubetkin

Sunday, October 8, 7 pm

Join us for the first movies of our series. *Ushpizin* is a critically acclaimed movie from Israel. Set during the Sukkot holiday, *Ushpizin* takes a revealing and humorous look at the lives of Ultra-Orthodox Jews learning and loving in modern Israel. No need to register.

How-to-Do Sukkot with Rabbi Deborah Bodin Cohen

Monday, September 20, 9:15-10:30 am

Sukkot is a fabulous, hands-on holiday for children and adult. Bring sukkot into your home. Learn the basics of Sukkot for your home – how to build a sukkah, how to shake a lulav and etrog, recipes, customs of inviting guests to your celebration. Special emphasis on making the holiday kid-friendly. Join us for a fun and informative morning.

Shabbat Recipes: Quick and Delicious with Jason & Stacy Clarke

Monday, October 23, 7 pm

Always in a rush on Friday afternoon? Would love to make a special Shabbat meal but have problems finding the time? Join two local chefs in learning to cook delicious meals for Shabbat quickly and simply. Classic Jewish recipes made simple. \$18 for demonstration and tasting

Temple Emanuel Offers High Holiday Junior Congregation

Temple Emanuel offers a prayer option on the High Holidays for young people – 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 Holiday 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.



PROJECT BOOKBAG

Temple Emanuel's School Supplies Drive for Camden

Pencils: \$0.99

Notebook: \$1.50

Crayons: \$1.50

Markers \$2.50

Glue: \$0.99

Cost of a good education: PRICELESS

Would you like to contribute to the learning of a child attending Cooper's Poynt or Sharp Schools in Camden?

When you purchase school supplies for your children, please adopt a child in need by purchasing extra supplies. We will be collecting new or gently used bookbags filled with school supplies (i.e. paper, notebooks, glue, scissors, markers, Crayons, pencils). Any donations should be deposited in the foyer of the religious school from August 15 – September 15. We will also be accepting monetary donations to purchase uniforms for the students at these schools. Any such donations should be made to Temple Emanuel's Tzedakah Collective and designated, "Project Bookbag."

Thanks,
The Social Action Committee

Spring is in the air!

The lazy days of Summer are around the corner!

Time to start thinking about the High Holidays!!

Temple Emanuel Sisterhood never fails to offer the unique and exciting....

This year we are selling Jewish New Year cards
artistically designed by one of our own—

Cards will be available in packs of
10, and contain 5 cards of each
design plus envelopes.

Only

\$12.00 per pack!

Each pack will be packaged for
your convenience. Note cards
measure 5.5 x 4.25 and are in
full color.

Full color versions of the cards are
on display in the Temple Main
Office, Religious School Office,
and the Temple website.

**All orders must be placed
by August 1, 2006.**

You will be contacted with
delivery information.

Jessica Manelis



*Inside: Wishing you and your
family a peaceful, happy and
healthy New Year.*



*Inside: May the New Year be
filled with the promise of
peace, health and happiness.
L'Shanah Tovah*

For more information, please
contact Debra Berger at
856-384-0058

Order Form

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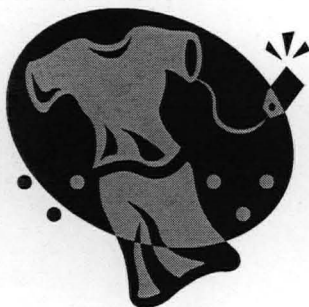
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Please make check payable to Temple Emanuel Sisterhood and send to:
Temple Emanuel Sisterhood, 1101 Springdale Rd., Cherry Hill, NJ 08003
Attn. High Holiday Cards

SISTERHOOD

by Felice Friedman
Sisterhood President



It is August - a time for vacations and shopping for school supplies. With Labor Day weekend not too far into the future we look ahead to all of the wonderful programs Sisterhood will be doing this year. Our opening event will take place on Monday, September 18, at the Regency Palace in Mt. Laurel. Invitations will soon be in your mailboxes for our Fashion Show. This year's fashions will be modeled by some of our Temple Emanuel children. Fashions will be for those special occasions in our lives, Bar/Bat Mitzvah, Sweet 16 and many others. We look forward to seeing you.

October will be a very busy month for Sisterhood. We will be having our Paid-Up Membership Brunch on Sunday October 15. Please plan to spend the morning with us. Have a bagel, a cup of coffee and chat with some old and new friends. Also in October we will have our second Party Showcase. This event will take place on October 29 in the Social Hall. Planning a party? Come and see all that our vendors can offer.

It is Membership time again. Please check "yes" on your bill next to Sisterhood. We would love to have you join us for programs and to be part of the upcoming committees. Whether you have an hour or many hours we have something for you. If you would like to find out about volunteering or about Sisterhood programming please contact me at felicef@comcast.net or at 856-482-9146.

Don't forget, we sell gift cards and scrip all summer long. Contact Jesschasen@aol.com or 609-929-4726. Have a good rest of the summer.

Temple Emanuel Parenting Teens – It's a Growing Season 2006-2007 Programs

Wednesday Nights 7-8:30 at Temple Emanuel, Look for dates in the next issue of the Light

Building on the discussions of our prior programs, Temple Emanuel will continue *It's a Growing Season – Parenting Teens* this fall on Wednesday nights from 7 to 8:30 on selected dates to be announced in the next issue of the Light.

It is commonly recognized that one of the main developmental tasks of adolescence is to separate from parents, and that peer influence takes on greater and greater importance during teen years. Still, there is no substitute for the parent-teen relationship. Parenting means giving your teenagers love, time, boundaries, and encouragement to think for themselves. The journey is packed with rough roads and we hope the programs planned will help you navigate them successfully.

Our first program will be "Internet Safety and Our Kids." While on-line computer exploration opens a world of possibilities for young people, expands their horizons and exposes them to different cultures and ways of life, hitting the information highway also exposes them to dangers. A study commissioned by Cox Communications and NCMEC found that 61% of 13 to 17 year olds have a personal profile on sites such as Myspace, Friendster, or Xanga and 14% have actually met face-to-face with a person they had known only through the Internet. The survey also found that families talking to teens about Internet safety helps reduce some youth exposure to potential threats and encourages teens to make safer online decisions. Join us for an evening when we talk about how to help your child make good choices online. The date of the program will be announced next month.



Temple Emanuel Karaoke Idol Night (American Idol - Our Way)

Save the Date

Saturday, October 28, 2006

8 - 9 NOSH HOUR – BYOB

(set-ups available)

9 - Midnight Dinner Buffet & Dessert

catered by The Kibitz Room

Audience decides the winner so bring your cheering section!!

No Talent Required or Turned Away

RSVP by October 18th

\$35 per person

Warning: This event is intended as a F-U-N
raiser, not a Fund raiser. Come prepared to sing,
laugh and have a great evening!

Food and Fun!

For more info please contact:
Adrienne Mintz at 609-868-2813 or
Jane Vortreflich at 856-489-0029 X15

Religious School – Dates to Remember

Please mark these important dates on your calendar.

- September 10– First Day of Religious School
- September 10 – 7th Grade Apple Picking
- September 11 – First Day of Haddonfield Class
- September 12 & 13 – First Day of Hebrew School and Confirmation Academy
- September 19 & 20 – Orientation for High Holiday Enrichment Teen Volunteers
- **September 24 – No School, Rosh Hashana**
- September 29 – Shabbat Shuva – 5th grade honoring
- October 2 – No Haddonfield Class – Yom Kippur
- October 8 – 3rd grade Sukkah Hop with Families
- October 8 – 7th Grade Sukkah Build
- October 13 – Consecration, 7 pm
- October 13-15 – 4th Grade Trip to Camp Harlam
- October 18 – 6th Grade Family B'nai Mitzvah Mall
- October 29 – 1st Grade Family Education

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 has been added by a devoted family to be enshrined in our Memorial Chapel.

MIRIAM B. AURITT
Mother of Jane Rose

JEROME FORMAN
Husband of Judith Forman
Father and Grandfather,
Tammy and Todd Lipschultz and
Ivy and Alan Sutton and families

MARILYN SUE FRIEDMAN
Sister of Stuart Friedman

LILLIAN SHENDER
Mother of Judith Forman
Grandmother and Great-Grandmother of
Tammy and Todd Lipschultz and
Ivy and Alan Sutton and families

MEN'S CLUB NEWS

It is summertime and the Men's Club is on summer holiday. (Actually the Men's Club officers are spending the summer planning our upcoming programs and events.)

Starting in September, we will be active again with another year of Sunday Brunches, Sporting events and other Parent-Child events.

What is Men's Club? It is a great way for the men of Temple Emanuel to become more involved. Our monthly Sunday Brunches are a great a place to network with others. Our Sports tournaments are a great way to continue intramural level sports (we host both social and competitive teams.)

If you are already involved, I hope to see you in September. If you are not already involved, this is a great year to start. Join us in September for Sunday Brunch.

For questions about Men's Club, contact Stephen Ehrlich (email: Steve@cyberEhrlich.com or phone 856-424-6669)

SAVE THE DATES!!!!

Please join us as we celebrate the
Installation of Cantor Peter Halpern on

Friday, September 8th at 6:15 pm for dinner and
Installation Shabbat at 8 pm

On Sunday, September 10th at 1 pm we will welcome
Cantor Peter at a Meet & Greet Family Barbecue.

If you are interested in joining in the planning of
these events contact Tami Brody at
brody-tami@cooperhealth.edu or at (856)414-9292

PRE-SCHOOL

by Lyn Harley
Pre-School Director



Kamp Kayeetz Campers Enjoy a Summer of Discovery

Campers at the Pre-School's summer program, Kamp Kayeetz, had a great time exploring, discovering and playing. Each week, through art, song and activities, the children experienced a world of discovery. The summer began with a trip to the "wild, wild, West!" The children rode a real pony and were taught how to square dance. They were then off on a safari where they discovered lots of wild animals, including dinosaurs. The children raced their matchbox cars in "Kayeetz 500" and enjoyed the tropical atmosphere during "surfing USA" week. They literally jumped for joy during "Olympic and Carnival" week as they cheered, competed, and played games devised by their counselors. The highlight at the end of the camp season was a show where the children sang the songs they had been taught by our music specialist, for their parents.

Each day as the campers enjoyed water play, arts & crafts, and music, laughter and excitement could be heard throughout the synagogue. A special thank you to all the wonderful CIT's, junior counselors and head counselors for making this a fun-filled summer! Thanks to our dance and music specialists, Karen Arensberg, Alexis Birnbaum and Larissa Stewart for adding that extra sparkle throughout the summer. A special and very hearty Todah Robah to Debbie Jeffreys for supervising the camp program so lovingly and efficiently.

To all our parents, thank you for sharing your child with us this summer. I hope to see you this fall. Our upcoming PACT (Parent and Child Together) are as follows:

- ***Ima (Mommy) and Me (Birth to 8 months)***

Do you have a baby between birth and 8 months? Are you looking for fun and informative mornings out with your baby? Do you want to meet other moms and babies? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, then Temple Emanuel's *Ima (Mommy) & Me* class is for you. It is a class for moms and their babies between birth and 8 months of age to get together and have a great time. The whole spectrum of fun is covered from songs to finger plays, to music, and information. Each week a speaker will present information and materials relevant to this age level. Topics may include safety, dental health, and developmentally appropriate toys to name a few.

- ***Awaken Your Senses (9 to 17 months)***

This program will focus on gross and fine motor activities that will stimulate your child's senses, peak curiosity, and encourage exploration. In addition to providing a playful, active and comfortable environment that promotes positive socialization for the children, it is our hope that PACT will provide a relaxed setting that promotes a sense of community for parents and caregivers of same-aged children. Our "Young Explorers" experience the world around them through all their senses. Each week children and parents will have fun and explore music, games, and the enjoyment of making things happen. Through your child's natural curiosity, he/she will play and learn. Whatever the weekly theme might be, the excitement and joy of this age will be fun for everyone.

- ***Toddler Territory (15 – 28 months)***

Each week an exciting theme will be explored at every sensory level of development. Enjoy songs, activities and fun as you and your child meet new friends. Toddler Territory is a wonderful introduction to our Pre-School program. This is a delightful age, so come explore this territory and savor the experience.

- ***Mommy/Baby Yoga (newborns up to 9 months)***

Enjoy a wonderful new class with your little one. Learn how to do yoga with your baby to help you both relax and strengthen that very special mother/child bond.

- ***Save My Sanity (Yoga for Mommies)***

Need a little time for Mom? We all do! Come and enjoy this wonderful new class designed just for you! Come, stretch, relax and re-energize with us. Wear comfortable clothes, bring a mat or a beach towel. (Babysitting available.)

Please call the Pre-School office at (856) 489-0034 for information regarding the dates/days and times these classes will be offered and/or to request a registration form.

YOUTH GROUP

by Sandy Umansky

A new year approaches; a new beginning is here. Youth Group is ready for changes, excitement, learning, and above all, the chance to experience hands-on Jewish living! Please mark your calendars for the events and activities that Youth Group plans: each one will enrich your life and make you proud to be part of Temple Emanuel.

Our senior youth group, TEFTY, has a new executive board comprised of the most dedicated and enthusiastic leaders: Co-presidents: Derek Bruno and Hallie Brettler; Religious & Cultural VP Melanie Rivkin; Social Action VP Sarah Katz; Membership VP Carolyn Strum; Co-secretaries: Lauryn Cohen & Arielle Karpf; Treasurer: Glenn Fritsch; Liaisons to Caring Community Michelle Bruno & Laura Flanagan, and NFTY/PAR Executive Board Representatives Allie Cogan, Jillian Cogan & Becca Dittrich.

This coming year will be filled with social action projects to help our world and our synagogue; with Shabbat services written and led by our very own teens; and with appealing social programs that will widen everyone's circle of friends and peers. Please make every effort to become part of this; you will help your temple, your world and yourself!

TEFTY Jr., our junior youth group for fifth through eighth graders, will also be very involved in social action and social events throughout the year. Please look for monthly flyers and RSVP ASAP! Learning how to help others while helping yourself is a direct goal of youth group, one that is essential to growing up Jewishly!

Our Senior Youth Group is very involved in Regional Youth Group, NFTY/PAR. TEFTY members eagerly anticipate the seven conventions held annually. This year, both the URJ's Biennial Convention and the National convention for NFTY will take place in Philadelphia! This is a first for both events; our teens are already planning to attend both...and to learn and grow with the programming and activities for over 2,000 fellow teens!

TEFTY will be working diligently to raise scholarship monies to allow as many Temple Emanuel teens the incredible opportunity to share in these life-changing conferences as possible. Car washes, garage sales, bake sales...babysitting, leaf-raking...TEFTY will do it all!

I hope that some or all of the activities that Youth Group engages in will reach out to you, our Temple Emanuel teens; I hope that you will be interested enough to attend one event... and then another, and then another! I also hope that you will benefit from the feeling of belonging that unifies so many of our members, all amazing and involved teens.

For more information or just to talk, contact me at sandyumansky@comcast.net or (856) 429-6227.

In Memoriam

Our Temple Emanuel family mourns the passing of

MARCIA GLOVER BANKS
Cousin of Kim Cohn

RYAN MATTHEW DANIELS
Nephew of Barbara and Jay Klazmer

BRUCE GOLDBLATT
Father of Gail Saline

SYLVIA GOTTLIEB
Mother of Franklin Drachman

IAN HARVEY
Husband of Linda Harvey
Father of Betsy, Abby and Heather

MICHAEL THOMAS RUSSO
Grandfather of Trish Kipnis

DOROTHY LERNER
Mother of Martin Lerner

LILYAN TERRY LISKER
Mother of Deborah Lisker

EDWARD MORROW
Father of Harry Morrow
Grandfather of Iris Snyder

MILDRED WEINSTEIN
Mother of Ceil Keim

Religious School Registration for 2006-2007/5767

Registrations for Religious School are Due! Please return them in a timely fashion.

1. Current Religious School students should have received Registration Forms by mail. If you need a registration form, please call the Religious School office, (856) 489-0035. We would be happy to send it to you.
2. Receiving registrations in a timely fashion helps us to better plan for next year. We understand that some sports and other activities schedules are not announced until August. Even if you are not sure of your session choice, please return your registration with your "best guess" of your choice. You can always call and make a change later. Having your registration, even if your session choice changes, helps us to plan for the year.
3. Registration will take place on an ongoing basis. We will make every effort to accommodate your request for a specific session or day of the week. Returning your forms early will better ensure that you get your first choice of date and times.
4. Hours for Hebrew school will be altered next year. Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon Hebrew school will meet from 4:15 to 6:15 pm. Wednesday night 6th & 7th grade will meet from 7 to 8:30 pm.
5. Temple Emanuel is offering a new option for 8th and 9th graders – a program on Monday nights in Haddonfield. This program will lead to Confirmation and is designed to be a smaller, more intimate class than our Tuesday night program.
6. Students in Grades K&1 and 8-11th attend class once a week. Students in 2nd grade choose between attending HeadStart Hebrew and Judaica or just Judaica. Students in Grades 3-6 attend twice a week, midweek for Hebrew and on Sundays for Judaica. Students in Grade 7 attend on Wednesday nights and have a monthly trip.

We look forward to learning with your child next year!

How-to-Do Sukkot Workshop

With Rabbi Deborah Cohen



Monday, September 20, 9:15-10:30 am
 Sukkot is a fabulous, hands-on holiday for children and adult. Bring sukkot into your home. Learn the basics of Sukkot for your home — how to build a sukkah, how to shake a lulav and etrog, recipes, customs of inviting guests to your celebration. Special emphasis on making the holiday kid-friendly. Join us for a fun and informative morning.

Register through the synagogue (856-489-0029) or pre-school office (856-489-0035).

¹⁶ **MEMBERSHIP**

The excitement is still building around our membership committee. Since June we have had a series of very successful Open House events. During the month of August we have two more events planned. We will hold a **Prospective Member Open House on Tuesday, August 15, at 7pm** featuring "make your own sundaes", music, clowns, crafts and face painting for children. **We also invite our prospective members and our entire congregation to join us on Friday, August 25, at 6:30pm for dinner and Klezmer music and Shabbat Services at 8pm.** Please invite your unaffiliated friends and neighbors to attend and learn more about what Temple Emanuel has to offer. Please contact Jane Vortreflich with the names of those people you would like her to contact or with other membership questions at (856)489-0029 x15.

As always our meetings are full of fun and open to everyone, so come out and join us. Remember the future of our Temple depends on Recruitment, Integration and Retention of members. Make the most of your affiliation with Temple Emanuel by **getting involved**. You will find that you will make new long lasting friends and have a "**feeling of belonging**" each time you participate in a Temple event.

Your Temple offers so many varied programs and services for you. Our next scheduled F-U-N Raiser event is Temple Emanuel Karaoke Idol Night (American Idol Our Way).

Look for the Save the Date flyer in this month LIGHT for details.

Please call our Membership Committee to find out about all of the exciting events we have planned, contact Robin Miller VP of Membership (609)685-1819



TREE OF LIFE

**Jerri Pinsky
Chairperson**

Proudly displayed in the Temple's social hall, the **Tree of Life** is a constant reminder of the happy events that touched your life and the life of your family and friends.

Commemorate births, Bar and Bat Mitzvahs, weddings, anniversaries, graduations, achievements and other milestones by adding an inscribed leaf or rock to our **Tree of Life**.

Season after season, year after year, the **Tree of Life** will keep the joy and memories of your simcha in the hearts and minds of those who shared in the celebration.

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

DONOR

Gail & Jeff Saline

Longtime friends

Bruce, Kim & Katarina

Michael & Susan Spivak

Debbie & Scott Jeffreys

IN HONOR OF

Bar Mitzvah of Joshua Saline
Bar Mitzvah of Austin Saline

Nan & Art Stein's 60th Anniversary

The Konefsky Family

Bat Mitzvah of Shayna Spivak

Bat Mitzvah of Stefanie Jeffreys

**Sign up to
volunteer now!**

Israel

Understanding Today's Conflict

**We Stand Together
for Israel & Pray
for Peace**

Hezbollah (Arabic: meaning Party of God) is a Lebanese political party and military resistance movement founded in 1982 by the Ayatollah Khomeini of Iran. Hezbollah is the main political party and military organization representing the Shia community, Lebanon's largest religious bloc. It is also a recognized political party in Lebanon and holds 18% of the seats in the Lebanese parliament. It opposes the West, seeks to create a Muslim fundamentalist state modeled on Iran. Hezbollah is believed responsible for nearly 200 attacks since 1982.

Hamas (Arabic meaning Zeal and an acronym for Arab Resistance Movement) Hamas is the largest and most influential Palestinian militant movement, founded in 1987. In January 2006, the group won the Palestinian Authority's general legislative elections. Since attaining power, Hamas has continued its refusal to recognize the state of Israel. Hamas grew out of the Muslim Brotherhood, a religious and political organization founded in Egypt with branches throughout the Arab world. The first Hamas suicide bombing took place in 1993. Hamas is responsible for more than 350 attacks.

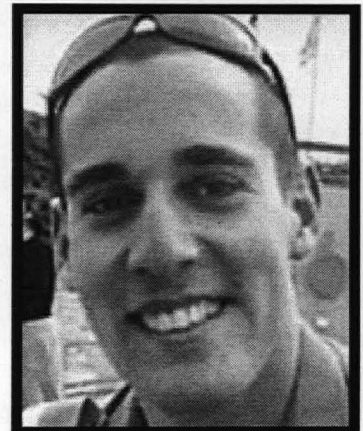


As I write, Israel once again is battling to protect herself. The battles are necessary, but no less painful. My family worries about our cousins, Hilary & Aviella, in Jerusalem and the West Bank. Both just had new babies and Hilary's husband will likely be called up to join his army unit. My aunt and uncle are making final preparations to make aliyah in September and these plans will certainly continue. Their apartment in Jerusalem is already purchased.

I know that, in times like this, there is uncertainty and confusion. We want to do something to help our fellow Jews in Israel but feel helpless. We want an venue for our prayers and hopes. We hear news reports and read newspapers articles and try to make sense of the information. I have collected articles from various places for this insert. I hope that it will help in some small measure.

Idan Kligerman, the community Shliach or Israel emissary from our sister community of Arad, knew one of the soldiers killed on June 25 by Hamas militants. Idan writes: "Hanan Barak was a 21 years young officer that commanded the tank that was attacked. He fought bravely to react to the horrible attack but he couldn't, and so did Pavel, his soldier who died too. (Another soldier, Gilad Shalit was captured.) Hanan was in my sister's, Maritsah's and Shiran's (two Israel counselors at the JCC in Medford) class, born and raised in Arad. "The man with the biggest heart I have ever met" say his friends. "We had plans for a wedding" cried his girl friend. Arad is a very special place where everybody knows everybody and when a tragedy like this happens, we all come together. Arad mourns and the rest of Israel is praying and begging for Gilad to come home healthy and alive."

E-mails of support and condolence for Hanan's family can be sent to this email: Idan@jfedsnj.org. Idan will speak at Temple Emanuel on August 11 during Shabbat services



Pictured: Lt. Hanan Barak, 20, killed on June 25 by Hamas militants.

Understanding the Conflict

(an article from Hebrew University in Jerusalem, Florence Melton Adult Mini-School, written by Dr. Jonathan Mirvis)

The recent events in Israel, both on the southern and northern borders, have radically changed the situation in the country with an atmosphere of uncertainty in the air. With the situation in a state of flux it is difficult to make far reaching conclusions and thus these are merely first thoughts on the issues at hand.

Political Background

Both in Gaza and on the Lebanese border Israel is facing similar situations. In both areas the ruling forces are fundamentalist Moslem terrorist organizations. In Gaza it is the Hamas and on the northern border it is the Hezbollah. Both organizations are supported by Iran who provides them with both military and financial support. On both borders we have similar scenarios that precipitated the crisis; in the south the Hamas dug a tunnel into the Kerem Shalom army base and captured Gilad Shalit and in the north the Hezbollah ambushed an Israeli patrol vehicle on Israel's side of the border, killing eight soldiers and kidnapping two, Ehud Goldwasser and Eldad Regev.

What do these organizations want?

Tactically both organizations have similar aims. They have both launched rocket attacks on Israeli towns and have both kidnapped soldiers. In addition are both demanding the same price for freeing the kidnapped soldiers, a mass release of terrorists held in Israeli prisons. They want to pressurize Israel into a prisoner settlement with Israel having to pay a heavy price in the process. *Strategically* their aims differ. The Hezbollah want to be recognized first and foremost by the Palestinians as the guardians of their rights and ultimate saviors. They believe that the more Palestinian prisoners they can free the higher will be their standing in the Palestinian street. Hamas, on the other hand, feel that they have popular support and they are striving for international legitimacy. They are desperate for the Israeli government to recognize them as legitimate partners and to negotiate with them. They claim that only they can guarantee peace in the Gaza Strip and they want to negotiate a settlement that will give them the legitimacy they aspire to.

What does Israel Want?

Tactically Israel wants to release her kidnapped soldiers at a minimum price and restore peace and quiet both to Gaza and the northern border. *Strategically* Israel wants to change the "rules of the game" on both fronts. These changes will include the following:

1. The kidnapping of Israel soldiers will not be considered a worthwhile option for the terrorist organizations.
2. In the north the Lebanese army will take control of Lebanon's southern border in keeping with the UN resolutions and remove the Hezbollah from the area.
3. In Gaza either Hamas will agree to lay down their arms or continue to suffer international alienation.

What are the chances of Israel achieving her tactical aims?

1. In Gaza Israel has far more of an advantage than in the north. In the Gaza Strip Israel has a major intelligence presence and thus has a strong chance of releasing Gilad Shalit using military means. The military ability of Hamas is very limited.
2. In the north the situation is far more complicated. Without the ability to physically release the kidnapped soldiers Israel will have to pay a heavy price for their release as has been the case with previous kidnappings. Militarily the Hezbollah is a well armed militia with the ability to strike cities across the Galilee region and thus Israel is facing a complicated challenge.

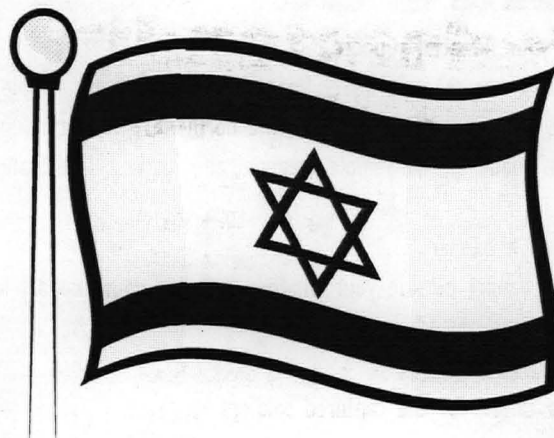
What are the chances of Israel achieving her strategic goals?

To achieve these goals this military venture taken by the Israeli Government will require time, determination and popular support. A supportive population that maintains its morale will be strategically important in order to allow the Government and army the stamina and patience to change the rules of the game.

This support and high morale cannot be taken for granted. All soldiers are very much civilians and many civilians have been drafted now into the military. The army patrol unit that was attacked on the northern border comprised reservists (*miluimniks*) on their last days of service. This unit comprised married men and fathers, many of whom participated in the tragic fighting in Jenin during the Intifada where many of their colleagues were killed.

What are the implications of the conflict for the Israeli population?

Multiple cities in the north have suffered rocket attacks leaving casualties and damage to property. In the Upper Galilee life has almost come to a standstill. Many families have moved south to spend this summer "vacation" with family and friends while those remaining behind remain in their shelters.



Economically this conflagration is certain to take its toll. The Tel Aviv Stock Exchange has dropped significantly since the crisis began. The cities in the north may suffer financial disaster with July and August being the tourist season and the expected massive cancellation of reservations.

What can the Jews in the Diaspora do to help the situation?

The support of Diaspora Jewry will be of strategic importance for Israel in the coming weeks. This support will be crucial to enable Israel to withstand the international political pressures and to indicate to the Israeli population that Israel is not alone.

From a practical point of view the tremendous vote of confidence in Israel reflected by the waves of tourists over the past two years must continue. This barometer of support is crucial as it strengthens the Israelis and of course contributes to the economy.

Prayer for Peace at this Time of Conflict

Adapted from a prayer by the Chief Rabbi of Israel

May the One who blessed our ancestors watch over and protect the Israeli soldiers taken hostage in recent days, Gilad Shalit, Ehud Goldwasser and Eldad Regev, and all others who are deprived of the blessing of freedom.

May God have compassion on them and grant them a speedy and safe return to their homes. May God save them and bring them from captivity to freedom, from enslavement to redemption, from darkness to light.

May the Holy One of Blessing grant them and all those wounded in the current violence a complete healing, a healing of spirit and a healing of body, strengthening their hearts, fortifying their courage, and soon letting them know joy and gladness.

May God bring peace to the land of Israel and all lands, and soon bring about the day when nation shall not lift up sword against nation nor learn war anymore, and let us say Amen.

What Can You Do to Help?

- Send your financial support
 - The crisis has taken a heavy financial toll on Israel. Temple Emanuel will be collecting funds to send the Reform Kibbutz Yahel, in the Negev, where many people from the north have sought refuge and to organizations conducting emergency campaigns. Please send donations made out to Temple Emanuel and marked "We Stand with Israel."
- Hang up a banner
 - Hang a banner outside your window declaring your support for Israel. Even a simple "We Stand With Israel" banner makes a strong statement to passerby.
- Light a candle for the captured soldiers
 - Light three candles in your window—one each for the captured soldiers. Make this part of your daily routine and invite others to join you.
- Call Israeli friends and relatives
 - Speaking with people in Israel lets them know that they have friends overseas that are thinking of them. It also allows you to hear about what is happening directly from Israel. Ask them how the story is being reported there.
- Write letters to the editor of your local paper
 - Did you know that the most read section of a newspaper is the Opinion Section? People read letters to the editor and are often influenced by what they say. An e-mail address to send the letters is provided on the newspaper's editorial page. When writing a letter, refer to a specific article, write the day that the article appears, be concise and provide your contact information.
- Contact our political leaders
 - The House and Senate overwhelmingly passed resolutions strongly backing Israel's right to self-defense and condemning Hizballah and Hamas—and their sponsors Iran and Syria—for launching unprovoked acts of war against the Jewish state. The House passed the measure 410 to 8 while the Senate approved the resolution unanimously. Please thank our members of Congress for supporting Israel at this critical time. Congressional offices keep a tally of calls to gauge public sentiment in the district. Call the Capitol switchboard, 202.225.3121 to connect to your Member's office.

How to Contact Our Representatives and Senators

Senator Frank Lautenberg, Hart Senate Office Building, Suite 324, Washington, DC 20510
Senator Robert Menendez, Hart Senate Office Building, Suite 502, Washington, DC 20510
Representative Jim Saxton, 2217 RHOB, Washington, DC 20515
Representative Robert Andrews, 2439 RHOB, Washington, DC 20515

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The State of Israel has a special hold on our soul. Israel is the very essence of our being. The Torah that spells out for us a way of life and a religious destiny also binds us to a land, and Jewish life cannot be sustained without Israel at its core.... Israel's pain is our pain; her safety, our gladness.... -- Rabbi Eric H. Yoffie, President, Union for Reform Judaism



Family Forum on Israel

Friday, August 11 6:30 pm

Presentation, Discussion & Shabbat Pizza Dinner

We all have questions about the crisis in Israel. To help answer your questions, we are organizing a Family Forum on Israel for adults and children alike. Join us before services on August 11. Idan Kligerman, the community shliach (Israel emissary) will present an overview of the situation and lead a discussion about the crisis.

\$5/Individual \$10/Family

Please call 856-489-0029 to RSVP.

Temple Emanuel Caring Community

"Let us be part of each others lives"

We are happy that the entire Temple Emanuel family has been actively involved in the on-going growth and development of our Caring Community programs.

As we promised we have used what we learned from the surveys themselves, and from individual comments and feedback to develop REAL responses to REAL needs. It became clear that the areas we need to focus on were:

Illness, Health and Sacred Aging- Sheila Stern, Chair (in need of a co-chair)

1. **Bereavement Support and Follow-up**
2. **Caregiver Support**
3. **Transportation Issues-** Eliane & Joe Strip, Chairs- (we need volunteers to drive Congregants to Services and Temple programs as well deliver food to those in need)
4. **Meals-** Irene Kauffman, Chair
5. **Separation and Divorce Support Group**

Our Kids- Kedushat HaGuf (The Sanctity of the Body)-Russ Weitz, Melissa Eisenberg and Rhea Brekke, Chairs

1. **Early Childhood-** Conception thru the beginning years.
2. **Pre Teen / Teens-** Puberty, Sexual Issues, Self destructive Behaviors, Teen Suicide/Addiction.
3. **Off To College-** Empty Nesters

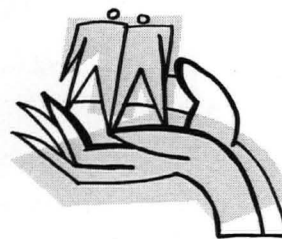
If you have any needs related to the areas listed above, our Rabbis are always here for you. You may also contact Jane Vortreflich at Temple Emanuel office, (856)489-0029.

We know that Caring Community will bring many blessings, the blessing of helping others, and the blessing of accepting help when you are in need. In order for Caring Community to thrive we need YOU, we cannot do this alone. Please volunteer a bit of your time, participate or join any of the committees listed above. We also have co-chair positions available so come out and get involved. Your Temple family needs you.

We thank all of you who are already part of Caring Community and invite all of Temple Emanuel to join us on our journey.

Robin Miller-Caring Community Co-Chair

Adrienne Mintz-Caring Community Co-Chair



BACK TO SCHOOL SUNDAY

September 10 9 am-1 pm

Join us for refreshments & a chance to meet & talk about all of the "goings on" at Temple Emanuel!

Learn about Siterhood, Men's Club, Youth Groups, Adult Ed & more!



PIZZA IN THE HUT

Friday, October 6

5:30 pm Sukkah Decorating

6 pm Shabbat Sukkot Pizza Dinner

A family friendly welcome to the holiday. Temple Emanuel invites you to be our guest for pizza & decorating the congregational sukkah. A festive Shabbat Sukkot service will follow.

No fee, but please return the below form so we can order enough pizza.

Pizza in the Hut Sign-Up Form

Family Name:

Phone Number:

of Adults:

#of Children:

Please return to Temple Emanuel by September 29.

Questions? Call 856-489-0029



ORDER A SUKKAH AND A LULAV & ETROG A GREAT FAMILY PROJECT — GIVE IT A TRY!

Sukkah Orders: Due September 26

Two types of Sukkot are available— Wood and No-Tools Aluminum

- The Wood Sukkot are easy to assembly (and we have skilled Sukkah builders to help you), but you need to buy the lumber yourself. All you need is a screw-driver. You are ordering the joints, connectors, directions and tarp walls.
- The No-Tools Aluminum Sukkot come with all the supplies and require no tools for assembly.
- Log on to www.sukkot.com for pictures and more information.
- Roofs and decorations available. If you are interested in other items, talk with Rabbi Cohen.

Lulav and Etrog Orders:

Buy Lulav and Etrog Sets through the Congregation and bring yours to synagogue and Religious School on sukkot to “wave” while marching.

If Sukkot is New for You — Let us help you learn about it.

Sukkah and Lulav & Etrog Order Form — Questions? Speak with Rabbi Cohen

What is a Sukkah?

A Sukkah is a temporary dwelling that we build to remind ourselves of the wanderings in the desert. They are fun to build and even more fun to decorate. We are told to invite friends into our sukkah. It is a great family project!

What is a Lulav and Etrog?

A Lulav and Etrog are produce from the Land of Israel that we use on Sukkot. They are beautiful, smell great and have many symbolic meanings in Judaism. We parade with our Lulav and Etrog on Sukkot.

Name _____

Phone _____

Deadline: September 15

Return Your form to the
Religious School Office, 1101
Springdale Road, 489-0029.
Cherry Hill, NJ 08003
Make your check out to
Temple Emanuel.

1. Wooden Sukkot, include tarp walls
8X8 \$105 (Estimated
Lumber Cost: \$35)
8X12 \$135 (Estimated
Lumber Cost:\$50)

2. Aluminum No-Tools Sukkot, all supplies
including tarp walls and roof beams
8X8 Size \$290
8X12 Size \$315

3. Lulav & Etrog \$35

Total: _____

Shofar Making Sign-Up Sheet

Family Name:

Phone #:

of Children Making a Shofar:

Amount Enclosed:

Cost per Child Making a Shofar: \$10

Deadline to RSVP: September 8

Return this form to our receptionists, Andrea Miller, Cindi Schiffman or Debbie Katz, at the Temple Emanuel, 1101 Springdale Road, Cherry Hill, NJ 08003. Checks should be made out to Temple Emanuel.

Make Your Own Shofar Workshop



A Family Event Evening
September 14, 7 pm

Join a special guest Rabbi Kahan in learning the ancient craft of shofar making. Parents will help their children make a shofar from a ram's horn. Each child will leave at the end of the evening with a individually-made shofar. Rabbi David will invite all participants onto the bimah (pulpit) during the high holidays to share their shofar creations. Please note: Making a shofar involves cutting and sawing. Children need to be accompanied by an adult. The workshop is recommended for children in grades 2 and above.

Please Register us for the family 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

Family Hayride at Springdale Farms

October 7 at 5:30 pm

\$13/Adult

\$11/Child

Children Under 2 — Free

One of the annual family highlights of the year at Temple Emanuel. A relaxed evening together. Always a lot of fun and a great way to celebrate the holiday. Please join us as we pick pumpkins, have a camp-fire complete with hot dogs and toasted marshmallows, and celebrate Havdalah together.

Please register using the above form.

Phone Numbers: Office 856-489-0029

Rel. School 856-489-0035

Pre-School 856-489-0034

TEMPLE EMANUEL

AUGUST 2006



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 7 pm Choir Practice	2	3 7:30 pm Sisterhood Board Meeting 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	4 6 pm ♦ Kabbalat Shabbat ♦ Guest: Janet Sclaroff	5 10 am Torah Study
6	7	8 7 pm Choir Practice	9	10 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	11 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service—Guest: Idan Kligerman, Shaliach	12 10 am Torah Study
13	14 7:30 pm Exec. Board Mtg.	15 ♦ 7 pm Prospective Member Open House ♦	16	17 8:30 am to 5 pm Lifeline Stroke Screening	18 7 pm Tot Shabbat 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service—Guest: Dr. Marty Rosenberg, Professor, Art History, Rutger's University	19 10 am Torah Study
20	21	22 7 pm Choir Practice	23	24 7:30 pm Ritual Committee 7:30 pm Yoga & Meditation	25 ♦ 6:30 pm Dinner and Kelzmer Music ♦ 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service Prospective Member Open House	26 10 am Torah Study
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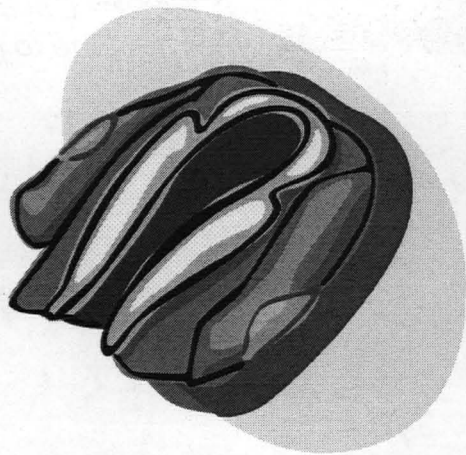
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4 ♦ Labor Day ♦	5 7 pm Choir Practice 7 pm PS Parent Orientation 7:30 pm RS Sub Committee	6 6 pm RS Teachers Mtg.	7 7 pm Family Ed Mtg. 7:30 pm Sist. Board Mtg. 7:30 pm President's Council Meeting 8 pm Adult Ed Mtg.	8 ♦ 6:15 pm Shabbat Dinner ♦ 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service—Installation of Cantor Peter Halpern	9 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service B'nai Mitzvot of CARLY JOY MC CANCE and BRANDON SOKOLOFF 6:15 pm Havdalah Service Bat Mitzvah of JENNIFER PAIGE COHEN
10 ♦ 9 am Back to School Sunday ♦ Afternoon Barbecue in honor of Cantor Halpern ♦ 7th Grade Apple Picking	11 ♦ 7 pm 9/11 Service ♦ 8 pm Exec. Bd. Mtg. 1st Haddonfield RS	12 7 pm Choir Practice 7 pm Casserole Cooking 1st RS/Confirmation	13 12 Noon Senior Group Brown Bag Lunch and Discussion 1st RS Classes	14 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation 7 Shofar Making Workshop	15 7 pm Tot Shabbat 7:30 pm Shabbat Evening Service—Camp Harlam	16 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service—Bat Mitzvah of SARAH WINT 10 pm Selichot Service
17 9:15 pm TE Book Club 9:30 am StarLight Found. Mtg. 10 am Men's Club Breakfast Meeting ♦ Tefity—Dorney Park Tefity, jr event TBA ♦	18 9:15 am TE Book Club ♦ Sisterhood Fashion Show at the Regency Palace ♦	19 6:15 pm HHDay Enrichment Training 7 pm Choir Practice 8 pm Adult Confirmation	20 ♦ 9:15 am "How to Do—Sukkot" ♦ 7:30 pm Ritual Comm. Mtg.	21 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	22 ♦ EREV ROSH HASHANAH ♦ 8 pm Service	23 ♦ ROSH HASHANAH ♦ 9 am Early Service 12:15 pm Late Service 3:30 pm Family Service
24 10 am-12 pm ♦ 2nd DAY ROSH HASHANAH SERVICE ♦	25 7:30 pm TE Board of Trustees	26 7 pm Choir Practice 8 pm Adult Confirmation	27	28 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	29 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service—5th Grade Honoring	30 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service Bat Mitzvah of JULIEANNE KATE BERTINO 6:15 pm Havdalah Service—Bar Mitzvah of BRETT DANIEL ROSEMAN

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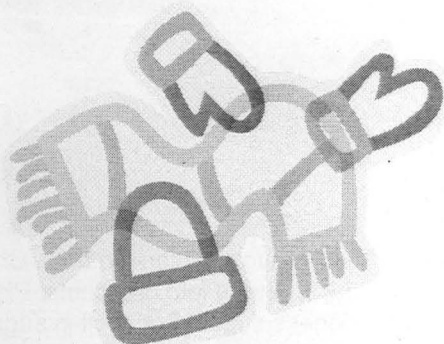
**Like a cat basking in a patch of sun,
We all enjoy that feeling of well being
and satisfaction.**

**The warmth provides comfort that we all need,
It is something on which our minds and bodies feed,**

**So, as you enjoy your dose of summer sun,
Please look ahead to how you can help someone.**

**Soon the winter cold will be upon us all,
You can help to spread the warmth this Winter and Fall.**

**You can provide comfort to someone that you don't even know,
By donating hats, gloves, scarves, and coats to protect those in need
when the temperature drops low!**



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Rabbi E Newburge's C I P E S

Celebrating Rosh Chodesh...

In the Jewish calendar, the appearance of a tiny sliver of the waxing new moon is observed every month as a period of renewal. Rosh Chodesh, literally "the head of the month," is celebrated 11 times a year, when a new moon appears in the night sky and a new month begins. (The first new moon of the year is a separate holiday, Rosh Hashanah.) On the evening of August 24 we celebrate the new month of Elul (the Hebrew month when we begin our preparations, spiritually and physically, for the coming High Holy Days).

Almond Crescents

- 1 cup soft butter
- 1/2 cup confectioner's sugar
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 2 1/4 cups white flour
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 3/4 cup finely chopped almonds

Mix butter, sugar and vanilla thoroughly. Blend flour and salt. Add to butter mixture. Stir thoroughly. Blend in nuts. Chill until very cold (approximately 2 hours). Heat oven to 400 degrees. Roll dough into 1" balls. Shape into crescents. Place on ungreased baking sheet. Bake 10-12 minutes (until lightly browned). Roll in confectioner's sugar. Cool, roll in sugar again. (Makes 4 dozen cookies.)

Adapted from the web site of the Bureau of Jewish Education, San Francisco.

August 5th **Va'etchanan**
Deuteronomy 3:23-7:11

In this week's Torah portion, Moses continues to retell the story of the Israelites 40 years in the desert. Va'etchanan means "And I pleaded" with God to allow me (Moses) to go into the Promised Land. Moses is told to go up to Mount Pisgah and look, but he will not cross the Jordan River. Joshua will be the leader of the people and take them into the land that Moses may only see from afar. The parasha concludes with Moses telling the people to faithfully observe all the laws and rules given them by God.

August 12th **Ekev**
Deuteronomy 7:12 – 11:25

The name of this week's parasha is Ekev which literally means "on the heels of." "Ekev" can also be understood as "the consequence of" or "the result of." In this parasha "the result of" the Israelites following the rules means that they will continue to enjoy the benefits of the covenant made by God with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. These benefits include: health, abundant produce, and fertility. Parashat Ekev includes the words which are part of the second paragraph of the Sh'ma: "Therefore impress these My words upon your heart: bind them as a sign on your hand, and let them serve as a symbol on your forehead, and teach them to your children-reciting them when you stay at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise up; and inscribe them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates (Deut. 11:18-20)

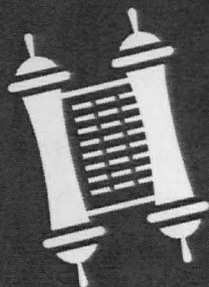
August 19th **Re'eh**
Deuteronomy 11:26-16:17

God speaks to the people of Israel throughout this week's parasha, beginning with the word "re'eh," "see". "See, this

day I set before you blessing and curse: blessing, if you obey the commandments of God... and curse, if you do not obey the commandments..." Once the people enter into the Promised Land, they are to totally destroy the religious sites belonging to others. The first fruits, grains, wines, oils and first born of every flock must be brought to the place of worship designated by God and eaten there. Animals with cleft hoofs and which chew their cud may be eaten in addition to anything that lives in water that has fins and scales. Birds that are not birds of prey may also be consumed. A kid boiled in the milk of its mother is also forbidden. On the first day of the month of Aviv, a Passover sacrifice is to be offered. No leavening may be consumed for seven days. The people are to count seven weeks from this time and then observe Shavuot, the Festival of Weeks. After the harvest, the people shall observe Sukkot, the Festival of Booths for seven days, again rejoicing with family. If all this is done, God will bless the people, their crops, and all that they do.

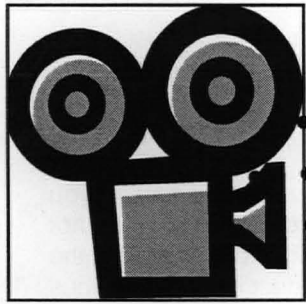
August 26th **Shofetim**
Deuteronomy 16:18-21:9

Once the Israelites enter into the Land they are commanded to set up courts of law within their settlements. Judges are instructed to be fair and impartial, to refuse bribes, and to favor no one in court. Moses continues to warn the people against idolatry. The Torah text anticipates that someday the Israelites might desire to establish a monarchy to rule over them. Moses gives the people guidelines for choosing a king: he must be an Israelite, he should not have many wives, be wealthy, and the "Teaching" (Torah Law) is to guide him at all times. The parasha concludes with Moses discussing the rules by which Israel is to conduct war.



Shabbat Morning Torah Study

Our Shabbat Morning Torah Study group meets throughout the year. During the school year, we meet every Shabbat morning at 9:15 am. Beginning in July, we meet at 10 am for remainder of the summer. Newcomers to Torah Study are encouraged to come. We read selections from the weekly Torah portion together and have a lively and engaging discussion. Come be part of our study community. Coffee is served – what could better?



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October 8 at 7 pm

Join us for the first movies of our series. *Ushpizin* is a critically acclaimed movie from Israel. Set during the Sukkot holiday, *Ushpizin* takes a revealing and humorous look at the lives of Ultra-Orthodox Jews learning and loving in modern Israel.

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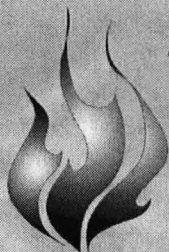
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Marriage of Jonathan David & Jaime Smith	Randi & Bruce Bard
Marriage of Pamela Clarke & Aaron Sandomato	Shirley & Al Chess
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Kelly Fineman – Bat Mitzvah	Ceil Keim
Megan Sobel – Graduation	Betsy, Dennis, Rachel, Jara & Emily Karpf
Adult Bat Mitzvah Class of 2006	Sheila & Fred Stern
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Herbert Stern	Fred & Sheila Stern
Bruce Goldblatt – Father of Gail Saline	Meredith & Eric Berkowitz
Josephine Roubicek	Lisa Van Dyk
Ian Harvey	Jessica Manelis
Mildred Weinstein – Mother of Ceil Keim	Carole & Asher Price
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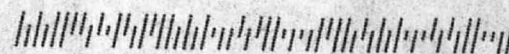
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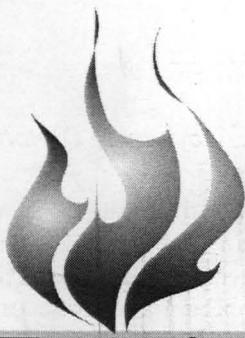
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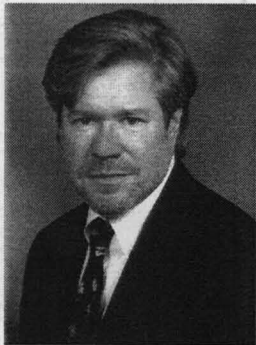




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From the **Rabbi's Study**

by *Jerome P. David, D.D.*

The question is..... "what does our newly energized Caring Community and the story of Hagar in the Bible have in common?" The answer - More than you might think. Read on....

When Abraham and Sarah confront the fact that, after many years of marriage, they haven't had children, Sarah suggests that Abraham take the servant girl, Hagar, as a second wife and have a child with her. It works, they have a son, but then Sarah resents Hagar for being able to do what she couldn't do, and prevails upon Abraham to get rid of the maid and her child, Abraham's first-born son. They are sent out into the desert. After a few days, they are out of food and water. The child is at the point of death, and Hagar is so depressed by her situation that she doesn't even have the energy to comfort him. She puts him down and goes off by herself and cries because her life has become a story of loss and pain and unrelieved misery.

Then we read that God sends an angel who says to Hagar, "go to the child and take him by the hand." That's the answer. That's the magic bullet. The cure for the sense of futility, that sense that life has lost its savor and there is no point in getting up in the morning, can be summed up in four words – *find somebody to help*.

When Hagar stops feeling sorry for herself and reaches out to someone, the Torah tells us that, "Her eyes were opened" and now the world looks different to her. Now she can see all sorts of life-enhancing resources that she wasn't seeing before.

In a similar way, we are deeply committed to transforming our Caring Community into a life-enhancing resource for our Temple family. Our synagogue community is like a small town consisting of a several thousand people – if you add in the children, grandchildren and close relatives. The Rabbis, Cantor, and professional staff need your helping hands to be responsive to real needs. Through Caring Community you strengthen our hands and we all grow stronger.

With Jon and Jaime's upcoming marriage, it reminds me of something that happened "a few years ago" (or so it seems!). When Peggy and I were planning to get married, we started calling our few relatives and sharing the good news with them. Peggy's mom called all her friends and said, "Peggy is *finally* engaged." (P.S. Peggy was 19 and I was 20.) I called one elderly relative of mine in Cincinnati and said, "Have you heard the good news? I'm getting married." Instead of saying, "Oy, mazel tov! I am so happy for you," she said, "How could I hear, nobody ever calls me."

The cure for loneliness, for rejection and abandonment, the cure for that dreaded feeling that your life is pointless, is Hagar's cure. Find someone to help.

Please look for the Caring Community column in The Light, respond to the survey, let Rabbi Newburge, Robin Miller or Adrienne Mintz know that you want to lend your helping hand.



Please join our family on Friday, June 9th at 8 pm at Shabbat Evening services
for the Aufruf of our son, Jonathan and his fiancée, Jaime.
A special Oneg Shabbat will be held following the service.

Celebrate this wonderful simcha with us

Rabbi Jerry and Peggy David



Celebrating our past...Committing to our future

PRESIDENT'S Message

by Joyce C. Hoff



I'm always amazed at the poise and confidence shown by our youth as they become B'nai Mitzvah. Sometimes a child becoming a "man" or "woman" has many insights from which we adults can learn. I recently attended Sam Korach's Bar Mitzvah. His Torah portion, B'midbar -- the first parasha in the book of Numbers -- is about counting. Specifically, it's about counting the Israelites wandering in the desert. Sam's D'var Torah and his interpretation and understanding of this portion was eloquently written and spoken. He gave pause to all of us in attendance.

Counting...to be counted...to be counted upon. What does this mean to us today, over 3000 years from the time of Moses? What relevancy and significance can we attribute to quantifying people? Can it be that each of us counts for something and can be counted upon to make a difference? I know that I count on each of you to care about Temple Emanuel and Jewish continuity. When I look back on my first year as your president, I would have to work hard to count all of the joyous moments and difficult challenges we have faced together as a community.

Counting...Sometimes I count the time between events or meetings or just the time to get this article in for publication. I count my blessings for our wonderful Executive Board team and Board of Trustees and their spouses/partners for their devotion to Temple Emanuel. I can't even count all of the hours so many of our members devote to our Temple. Volunteers all.

To be counted upon...Men's Club, Sisterhood, Choirs, Reach for the Stars volunteers, committee members from every facet of congregational life all pulling together to make Temple Emanuel special. People coming out in numbers, being counted, for the Katrina Hurricane Relief project (also started with a simple gesture from a bar mitzvah, Max Brekke.) And there are all the others, the ones who can always be counted upon to do the nameless tasks that keep our Temple running smoothly. Sometimes, these unnamed volunteers do not get enough thanks for their efforts, so please know how much I count on you and offer my sincere gratitude for all of your efforts.

I want to thank all of you for allowing me to count on you -- for your generous spirit and for sharing your time and talent. I want to remind our B'nai Mitzvah students (who make us and their families proud), that they are now counted as part of our Jewish community. I want to wish the high school students, who are having their Confirmation on June 2nd, mazel tov on continuing your Jewish education and that I will count on you to be part of the ELITE program next year.

No thank you would be complete without recognizing the wonderful and hardworking staff at Temple Emanuel. I know I can always count on them to "be there" to meet the needs of our congregation.

I wish all of you a fun and safe summer and I hope you will make all of your days count. Thank you for the honor of serving you as your President.

L'shalom,



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 have been added by a devoted family to be enshrined in our Memorial Chapel.

MIRIAM B. AURITT
Mother of Jane Rose

Memo from MAYDA



My daughter Pamela is getting married. She will marry her beloved Aaron on July 1st at Temple Emanuel. All of you who have planned weddings or a Bar/Bat Mitzvah can relate to the many last minute details that have taken over our lives. Our family and friends from near and far will join together to celebrate "my baby's" wedding, and we are knee deep in preparation for their special day.

I have tried to teach my children the importance of the marriage, not the wedding. I have tried to get them to focus on the life they will build together, not the color of the tablecloths or flowers. It is my hope that this one day will always resonate as a wonderful memory – but without the compatible, companionable, caring, thoughtful, kind, sharing life that will hopefully follow this blessed event, it would be meaningless.

It is with love for Pamela and Aaron and the life they are about to embark on together that I share the following:

At the wondrous moment you were born, as you took your first breath, a great celebration was held in the heavens and twelve magnificent gifts were granted to you.

The first gift is STRENGTH. May you remember to call upon it whenever you need it.

The second gift is BEAUTY. May your deeds reflect its depth.

The third gift is COURAGE. May you speak and act with confidence and use courage to follow your own path.

The fourth gift is COMPASSION. May you be gentle with yourself and others. May you forgive those who hurt you and yourself when you make mistakes.

The fifth gift is HOPE. Through each passage and season, may you trust the goodness of life.

The sixth gift is JOY. May it keep your heart open and filled with light.

The seventh gift is TALENT. May you discover your own special abilities and contribute them toward a better world.

The eighth gift is IMAGINATION. May it nourish your visions and dreams.

The ninth gift is REVERENCE. May you appreciate the wonder that you are and the miracle of all creation.

The tenth gift is WISDOM. Guiding your way, wisdom will lead you through knowledge to understanding. May you hear its soft voice.

The eleventh gift is LOVE. It will grow each time you give it away.

The twelfth gift is FAITH. May you believe.

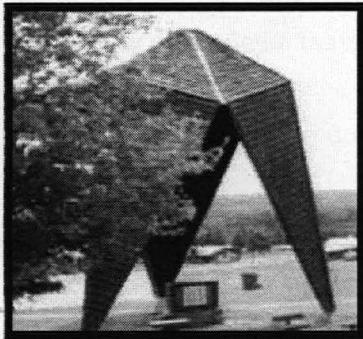
Use your gifts well, Pamela and Aaron. Recognize each other's strengths, forgive and support each other's weaknesses and identify and remember those things that you admire and trust in each other. May you always be as happy as you are today, and remember to pass these gifts on to your children.

B'Shalom,

Mayda (Mom)

Calling all URJ CAMP HARLAM ALUMNI!

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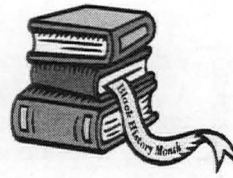


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- Purchase alumni merchandise

**SAVE THE DATE—ALUMNI DAY 2006
SATURDAY JULY 29 AT CAMP HARLAM**



Help Plan the Adult and Family Education Program for Next Year

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.

Religious School Sub-Committee

Chair: Elliott Roth

Next Meeting: June 5 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.

On the Agenda: Speakers' Series for Next Year, Food Policy at the School, Service Attendance.

Family Education Committee

Chair: Jessica Manelis

Next Meeting: June 6 at 7 pm

Guinness Book of World Records Dreidel Spin, Chocolate Seder, Blessing of the Pets, Sukkot Hayride, Shabbat Around the World, PJ Havdalah Party, and much more. All brought to you by the Family Education Committee at Temple Emanuel. Join us and make the fun and learning happen again next year. Come with your ideas and suggestions for making Jewish learning family friendly.

Adult Education Committee

Chair: Kelly Fineman

Next Meeting: June 6 at 8 pm

Help organize our Adult Education Program for next year. Come with your ideas, suggestions and feedback. If you have an idea for a course, we can make it happen.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR 2006-2007/5767

Current Religious School students should have received **registration forms** by mail. If you need a registration form, please call Jean Klein in the Religious School office, at 856-489-0035. We will be happy to send it to you.

1. Please return your registration form to the Religious School by June 30. Receiving registrations in a timely fashion helps us to better plan for next year. We understand that some sports and other activity schedules are not announced until August. Even if you are not sure of your session choice, please return your registration indicating the "best guess" of your choice. You can always call and make a change later. Having your registration, even if your session choice changes, helps us to plan for the year.
2. Registration will take place on an ongoing basis. We will make every effort to accommodate your request for a specific session or day of the week. Returning your forms early will better ensure that you get your first choice of date and times.
3. Hours for Hebrew school have been changed for next year. Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon Hebrew school will meet from 4:15 to 6:15 pm. Wednesday night 6th & 7th grade will meet from 7 to 8:30 pm.
4. Temple Emanuel is offering a new option for 8th and 9th graders – a program in Haddonfield on Monday night. This program will lead to Confirmation and is designed to be a smaller, more intimate class than our Tuesday night program.
5. Students in Grades K&1 and 8-11th attend class once a week. Students in 2nd grade choose between attending HeadStart Hebrew and Judaica or just Judaica. Students in Grades 3-6 attend twice a week, midweek for Hebrew and Sundays for Judaica. Students in Grade 7 attend on Wednesday nights and have a monthly trip.

Temple Emanuel Religious School Schedule

Classes will be offered at the following times:
YOU MUST CHOOSE ONE CLASS FROM EACH GROUP

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| ♦ Pre-School Sundays | Sunday 9:-11 am only |
|
Judaica | |
| ♦ K-6th | Sunday 9:-11 am
Or
Sunday 10:30-12:30 pm |
| ♦ 7th | Wednesday 7-8:30 pm plus monthly trip |
| ♦ 8th-10th | Tuesday 7-9 pm or |
| ♦ 8th & 9th in Haddonfield | Monday 7-8:30 pm |
| ♦ 11th & 12th | Tuesday 7-8:30 pm |
|
and
Hebrew | |
| ♦ 2nd-5th grade | Tuesday 4:15-6:15 pm
or
Wednesday. 4:15-6:15 pm |
| ♦ 2nd and 3rd grade | Parent Child Hebrew Wednesday 6:30-8 pm |
| ♦ 6th -7th grade | Wednesday 7-8:30 pm |

CANTOR'S NOTES



by Miriam Eskenasy



Dear Congregants,

This is my last Light article to the Temple Emanuel membership. During the past couple of years I have tried to focus my articles on teaching about Jewish music, Judaism, liturgy, holidays, etc. I am finding out that many of you have actually read my articles and enjoyed them. I am glad about that and am pleased that through the writing of these articles, I was able to contribute to your Jewish education in some way.

This article however, being my last, will focus on our saying goodbye. In the past two years, we have gotten to know one another. I have enjoyed the process of getting to know you and I grew to love you both individually and collectively.

I spent a considerable amount of time with our youth, especially our 12- and 13 year-old b'nai mitzvah students. Working with you all has made my time at Temple Emanuel a lot of fun and very rewarding as well. I hope you will continue to ask questions, to learn Torah and to grow in your knowledge of Judaism and its teachings (and don't forget those accents!).

I have also enjoyed studying and teaching Torah and Hebrew to those who wanted to learn. I want to thank you for opening your hearts and minds to enable us to share our knowledge and study together.

Thank you to all of you who have showed me your support and kindness these past few months. As I move forward through life, I am comforted by the knowledge that our time together was fruitful and positive and that I am fulfilling the mission bestowed upon me at my investiture from the Hebrew Union College.

I am sure there are many more things to say and more people to thank, but for now, let me just close by asking you to keep singing, to be open to learning, to be open to new experiences and to continue to grow as Jews (it does happen at any age!). Please feel free to drop by my office in the next few weeks so that we can say good-bye personally!

Summer Shabbat Services

at Temple Emanuel



Our Friday Evening Shabbat Services continue throughout the summer months.

Our services this summer will be held at 8 pm with the exception of our Family Kabbalat Shabbat Service which will be held on Friday, July 7th and Friday, August 4th at 6 pm. Tot Shabbats will be held on Friday, July 21st and Friday, August 18th at 7pm in the Chapel. As an added feature to our summer services, we will be providing the opportunity for several of our members and members of the community to share their interests and thoughts by means of a sermonette or D'var Torah. Watch your mail for a full listing our all of our summer services.

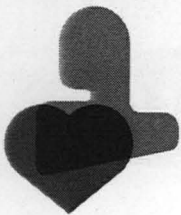
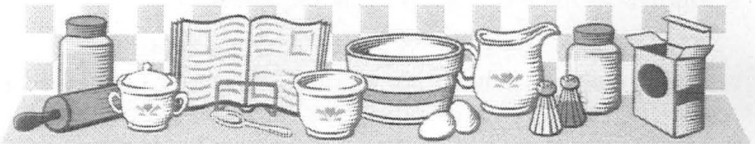
During my fourth year of rabbinical school at Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, I served a student pulpit in Austin, TX. The cantorial soloist there, Tiffany, was a woman of about my age. She was amazing to work with and we soon became close friends. Although my stint in Austin ended well over three years ago, Tiffany remains a great friend and confidant.

Tiffany grew up in New Orleans, and most of her family, as well as her husband's family, are still there. Hurricane Katrina devastated their home (to say the least). They are slowly rebuilding their lives in New Orleans. Of course the changes in their life are unfathomable to those of us who did not experience this devastating disaster. Little things that we take for granted become seemingly insurmountable challenges. As Tiffany and I caught up by phone, she gave me the update on her family. Passover and the seders were not just emotional, but required much more work than usual- all of the family recipes were washed away by the flood waters.

Nothing can replace the sentimental value of these recipes (the oil that was dropped on the recipe card last year, or the smudge from a child's finger), even if they can be replicated with any proximity to the original. But as Jews we can offer our own reminiscences and recipes that are near and dear, so in the future the holidays celebrated by our southern neighbors might be made just a little bit sweeter.

Please send me your favorite holiday recipes (Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Chanukkah, Purim, Passover, Shavuot), with a special, related memory (or two). Feel free to share this article with others- this way we can cast as wide a net as possible. The recipes will be compiled into a booklet and made available to all of the effected congregations down south. Recipes are due by June 15, 2006.

Send recipes to:
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gnewburge@templemanuel.org
1101 Springdale Road
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Caring Community

*By Adrienne Mintz and Robin Miller
Co-Chairs*



Temple Emanuel's Caring Community has been very busy setting the ground work necessary to create a successful program. Thank you to all who have completed and returned the congregational survey that you received in the mail or on-line. If you haven't sent yours in, it is not too late. Please let us hear from your household. The survey results will allow us to "really" know who we are as a Temple Community. We think we know, but we don't "really" know unless we ask. Your responses are important and helpful. Keep in mind that we may never be able to meet every member's needs every time. We WILL try!

Our entire Temple family will be part of the development of our Caring Community. The children in our Religious School have already done so by creating the Get Well and Cheer-up cards that are sent when we learn of illness or loss in a member household. The Membership Committee cooked meals that are now in the Temple freezer to be delivered to members dealing with illness.

All Caring Community meetings are listed in The Light and on-line. Please join us. We encourage participation from everyone for everyone.

SISTERHOOD

*by Felice Friedman
Sisterhood President*

It's hard to believe it is June and a year out of my two year term has gone by. This passed year brought a lot of new ideas and people to our Sisterhood. In the fall we had our first Party Showcase, which was a huge success. Our programming for winter included a Craft Day and a morning of relaxation. This spring we introduced a Sisterhood Meeting combined with a program for all Sisterhood members and all through the summer we will be selling New Years cards designed by the editor of The Dish (our Sisterhood Newsletter) Jessica Manelis. I can't thank the board and committee members enough for all of their hard work and dedication this year.

This summer we will be very busy planning our Fashion Show which will take place on Monday, September 18th at the Regency Palace. Invitations will be going out in the mail in August. If you would like to join this committee please email Jessica Manelis at alex25@comcast.net.

Our other committee that will be meeting this summer is for the Party Showcase 2006. Debra Berger will be heading up this committee please email her at Debrab7416@aol.com if you would like to become involved. The more the merrier.

Please check out the two designs we have this year for New Years Day cards. You can see the samples on the order form and on the Sisterhood Bulletin Board located near the Religious School Office. Deadline for ordering is August 1st. The cost is 10 cards for \$12.

June is also the time when we can choose to become a member of Sisterhood. We would welcome you to become involved in our organization. We have a great deal of programming to offer women of all ages. Please check the "yes" box when looking at your Temple bill. If you have any questions please contact me at 856-482-9146 or email me at felicef@comcast.net.

Have a safe summer!

MEN'S CLUB

*by Steve Ehrlich
Men's Club President*

While our Sunday Brunches are over until next September, I still remember all the great Sundays we had together. This has been a fantastic year, and I thank everyone who participated. I hope to see everyone again in September. And for those of you who missed out this year, please do join us in September.

During the summer, the Men's Club exec board plans for next year. If you are interested in joining the exec board, please let me know. We are always looking for a few more men to help plan in implement our Men's Club programming.

Also, if you have an idea for a future Men's Club Sunday Brunch topic, or if you can suggest a great speaker, please let me know. We are always looking for a diverse range of topics, and your ideas will help us find the best programs.

On June 7th, the Men's Club will be holding our annual Golf Outing and everyone (and I mean everyone) is welcome to join in the fun. We had a fantastic time last June, and this year promises to be even better.

Join us on June 23rd for Men's Club Shabbat.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

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THIS WILL BE A FUN EVENT YOU
WON'T WANT TO MISS!!

HELP BE PART OF THIS EXCITING
COMMITTEE - THERE IS MUCH
PLANNING TO BE DONE AND WE NEED
YOUR INPUT.

JOIN US AT OUR FIRST COMMITTEE
MEETING ON **MONDAY, JUNE 5TH** at
7:30 pm

To RSVP to this informational meeting or if
you have any questions, contact Rob Mintz
at robert31858@aol.com or Jane Vortreflich
at (856) 489-0029 x15.

We look forward to seeing you on June 5th

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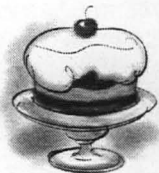
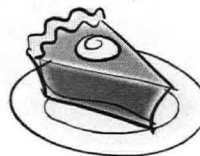
*by Gert Pastelnick
President, Henry Raich Senior Group*

Join the Henry Raich Senior Group for a very special final Brown Bag Lunch meeting of this season. The date of this very entertaining afternoon that will feature Murray Savar and his music is June 21 at 12 noon.

If you have been attending our brown bag meetings during the year, you know that our June meeting is not to be missed. Bring a light lunch, since we put out an array of wonderful goodies prepared by our senior executive board, and our senior members.

If you have an exceptional homemade desert recipe and would like to participate, there is still time to do so. Call Elaine Kooperstein at 428-2766, to let her know what you would like to bring.

We look forward to greeting you with a warm welcome that afternoon.



Membership By Robin Miller

Summer is a time for sunshine, flowers and FUN!

Come join in the fun at the Temple Emanuel Membership Committee and help us plan new events for the coming year. No one ever said that meetings have to be boring, so bring your fresh ideas to our table.

In order to grow our Temple and keep it strong, we all need to get more involved. A beautiful garden is made up of many different flowers. They nurture each other, protect each other and go through all the seasons in their lives together. This is how it needs to be at Temple Emanuel.

I mentioned last month that membership consists of RECRUITMENT, INTEGRATION and RETENTION of our members, so please share your positive Temple Emanuel experiences with your friends and invite them to join you at the next event you participate in.

SOCIAL ACTION

by Stephanie Ross

Human nature is a funny thing. We talk about the "big picture," but spend most of our lives concerned with the minutia of everyday life. How many people spend more time each day counting their blessings than complaining about the traffic they are in or deciding what to make for dinner? Putting life in perspective is something that we have to train ourselves to do. I hope that this poem helps you in that endeavor.

A MOTHER'S KISS

*In Cherry Hill, NJ, a mother kisses her sleeping child good night,
She gazes at the angelic face and smiles with delight.*

*Thousands of miles away in Darfur, Sudan, a mother kisses her sleeping child good night,
She gazes at the gaunt, little face and trembles with fright.*

*In Cherry Hill, NJ, a mother kisses her child as he leaves for school the next day,
She calls, "Do well on your test, and remember, after school you have a date to play."*

*In Darfur, Sudan, a mother kisses her child at the start of a new day,
"Stay close to me," she warns. "If they come, grab your baby sister, and run away."*

*Later that day in New Jersey, the child bounds off the bus and runs home for a snack,
In Darfur the child has no food, and his home is gone because his family was attacked.*

*At dinnertime, the child in New Jersey says, "Mom, I had a very bad day. I got two wrong on my test, I hated my lunch,
and my best friend could not play."*

*In Darfur, Sudan there was no dinner, and the hungry child cried, "I had a very bad day,"
"My father, brothers and sisters were killed by strangers, only mom and I got away."*

*That night, in Cherry Hill, NJ, the mother tucked her child into bed,
"I promise to love and protect you as long as I live," she said.*

*In Darfur, "I love you, but I can't protect you, and I don't know how long I will live," the mother cries,
She prays that the other mothers of the world will somehow hear her, "Please somebody help us before my whole family dies!"*

Please consider the bigger picture as you go through your life. As we learn to put our problems into perspective, we can truly appreciate the Jewish teaching that we are all responsible for one another. Indifference is a sin! Elie Wiesel, Holocaust survivor and Nobel Peace prizewinner once said, referring to the victims of genocide, "Let us remember what hurts the victim most, is not the cruelty of the oppressor, but the silence of the bystander." Therefore, it is essential that we put our empathy for the victims in Darfur into action. We can only wonder how many Jews would have been saved during the Holocaust if the world had been awakened from its slumber of indifference sooner.

Six months ago, most of us had never heard of Darfur, Sudan. Recently, we have been inundated with information about the crisis in Darfur in the news media. Just south of Egypt, the site of the Jews' delivery from slavery over 3,000 years ago, there exists a modern crisis of monumental proportions. As unfathomable as it seems, the Sudanese government has sanctioned the killing of an estimated 300,000 of its citizens and the displacement of 2,000,000 more! Whether or not we understand the "why" and "how," it is essential that we join the Jewish community in taking action to stop the genocide.

If you are wondering what you can do to make a difference half a world away, please start by educating yourself about the crisis by visiting the following websites: www.savedarfur.org, www.ajws.org, www.jewishsouthjersey.org. When you visit these websites, you will have the opportunity to email President Bush urging him to take a leadership role in forming a multinational force to protect the people of Darfur.

Finally, if you have not already, please join our fundraising efforts at Temple Emanuel to bring humanitarian relief to the refugees from Darfur. Contributions should be made payable to Temple Emanuel and designated for the Dollars for Darfur campaign on the memo line.

PRE-SCHOOL

by Lyn Harley
Pre-School Director



May at the Pre-School was filled with lots of fun activities celebrating how wonderful it is to be Jewish. We began the month with a celebration of Yom Ha'Atzmaut (Israel Independence Day). We built the Kotel (Western Wall), each child adding his/her own brick and after it was built notes were placed between the bricks. Our festivities continued as the children "boarded a plane" for a trip to Israel with tickets and passports in hand. Yummy birthday cake was next with 58 shining candles. Our celebration wouldn't have been complete without fun activities including dancing the hora, tossing falafel into a giant pita, gardening on a Kibbutz and digging for ancient artifacts!

Lag B'Omer was brought to life as the children learned in our "cave," hearing Bible stories. In order to trick the Roman soldiers, who forbid Jewish learning, the children quickly ran to play games at the sound of their horses' hooves and then enjoyed a festive picnic.

The children have been learning about the mitzvah of Tzedakah throughout the year, but this month the entire school helped support the fight to cure Multiple Sclerosis. Their contributions were acknowledged by placing a "shoe" with their name on it on the walls of the hallway. They all took a "step" to end this terrible disease, and I applaud their efforts!

Another special event was observed on May 5th. We honored our teachers at Friday evening's Tot Shabbat service followed by an ice cream oneg. We further celebrated Teacher Appreciation Week with a Teacher Appreciation Breakfast. This breakfast is a small token of the appreciation I feel for the dedication and love they bring to each and every day they spend with the children. Through making learning fun, they make a difference in the lives of children. Their jobs include wonder, discovery, hugs and visions for our future. They provide children with a place to grow, share, laugh, play and learn. How lucky we are to have them share their days with our children!

We enjoyed sharing our end-of-the-year Kabbalat Shabbat with our families and Rabbis. They have shared our Friday mornings with us and have helped to make Judaism come alive through prayer, tradition and song. It is truly a pleasure and an inspiration to see our Jewish heritage come alive through our young children's sense of joy and wonder!

On behalf of my staff and myself, I wish everyone a relaxing and safe summer. Congratulations to all our pre-schoolers moving on to Kindergarten. We will certainly miss them and wish them much success as they embark on their educational journey. We are confident that we have provided them with all the tools for success, and that they have received the foundation for a love of learning that will last throughout their lifetime. Although our school year is coming to an end, I look forward to seeing many of you at our camp or one of our parenting programs this summer.

It's not too late...

Registration for PACT (Parent And Child Together), Preschool, Kindergarten Enrichment & Kamp Kayeetz programs is now taking place. Please call the preschool office at 856-489-0034 for detailed info and to find out if space is still available for your little one to come share in the fun!!

2-year-olds

Tuesday & Thursday 9:15- 11:30 with option of adding Friday Shabbat Tot class

January 2's

Monday & Wednesday 9:15 - 11:45 beginning Jan 2007
for children that were born between October 1, 2004 and March 31, 2005

3-year-olds

Monday - Friday 9:00 - 11:45 or Mon., Wed., & Fri. 9:00 - 11:45

4-year-olds

Monday - Friday 9:00 - 11:45

Lunch, Enrichment & Enrichment+ available for 3's and 4's

options from 11:45 - 4:30

Ima (Mommy) and Me (birth - 9 mos.)

Awaken Your Senses (9 mos. - 15 mos.)

Toddler Territory (15 mos. - 28 mos.)

**New classes: Mommy & Baby Yoga
Save My Sanity-Yoga for Mommies**

YOUTH GROUP

by Sandy Umansky

June, the time of graduations, confirmations, milestones, the end of one school year, the anticipation of a new one just two short months away... June has always heralded many things for Youth Group, and this June is no exception.

Tefty elections for Executive Officers will have taken place. New leaders will mingle with seasoned officers to form a core of dedicated teens willing to give their time and caring to make Temple Emanuel youth groups shine. Final social events will help to ease the shift of the incredible seniors who will be leaving for college: Briana Kerensky, Abby Eron, Janna Lambson, Jana Karpf, Ben Bryman, and Scott Faye. Their impact upon Youth Group will remain.

Social Action events will also inspire old and new members alike. Working with the Tzedakah group of our Temple, youth groups will spearhead a Trash-to-Treasure Yard Sale, raising money for Darfur, and for scholarships. Prayer will also enhance our teens lives, as we all pray together at Youth Group Shabbat.

The many facets of youth groups appeal to teens on so many varied levels; I can only hope that as you read this last article of this school year, you will be encouraged to find your very own passion in youth group. Read the following quotes from some of Temple Emanuel's teen leaders and see if inspiration follows:

- "I do youth group because it helps me form my Jewish identity. Through youth group, I am able to meet Jewish teens, further my education, and experience other ways to express myself. Youth group allows me to take a leadership role and have fun while learning about Judaism." J. Cogan
- "It is somewhere I can go to really be me." A. Cogan
- "I love doing fun activities like bowling, movie nights, etc., with amazing people. At each new event, I meet nice new people my age." A. Karpf

I wish each and every single one of you a glorious summer full of rest, rejuvenation, and above all, fun! I also wanted to tell every single high-school teen about the up-coming regional youth group convention, Summer Bi-Regionals. This incredible week is from August 22-25, held at Camp Harlam. Teens from all over Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Maryland, Delaware and Virginia will meet and learn and live Jewishly. Please contact me at sandyumansky@comcast.net with any questions if you're interested in attending.



Mazel Tov....

Mitzi and Al Wolf and
Roz and Ernie Jellinek
on the marriage of their grandson,
Matthew Benjamin Wolf to
Nicole Lynn Fox



New Members

We warmly welcome our new members into our
Temple family...

Debbie and Alan Soler

**Because the land will always have
Those who are in need—
Because of them, I command you saying:
You must open your hand
To your brother/sister.**

Deuteronomy 15:11

At Temple Emanuel, our family of families makes us all brothers and sisters. As Jews, the mitzvah of tzedakah is paramount.

With your June 2006 statement you will find a letter requesting you to consider joining one of our Advanced Giving Circles. The generosity of those members who choose to help in this way enables us to make membership and education achievable for all who seek it.

Please refer to the chart below which indicates how your generosity can be separated into monthly payments.

Thank you for considering helping us help others.

If you have any questions about this, or other means of giving, please contact Bruce Sachais at bsachais77590@comcast.net or Joyce Hoff at jhoff10@verizon.net.

Advanced Giving

<u>Level</u>	<u>Cost/year</u>	<u>Cost/month</u>
Contributing	\$500	\$41.67
Sustaining	\$1000	\$83.33
Benefactor	\$1800	\$150.00
Guardian	\$3600	\$300.00

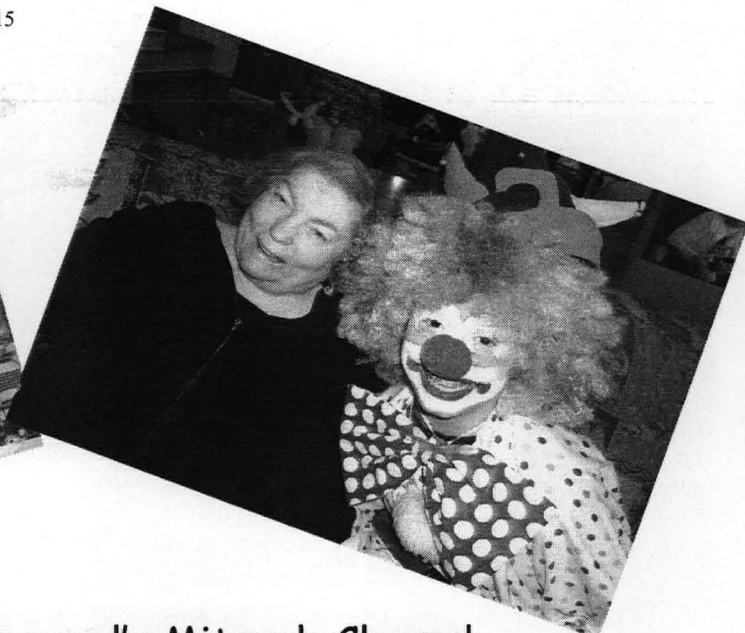
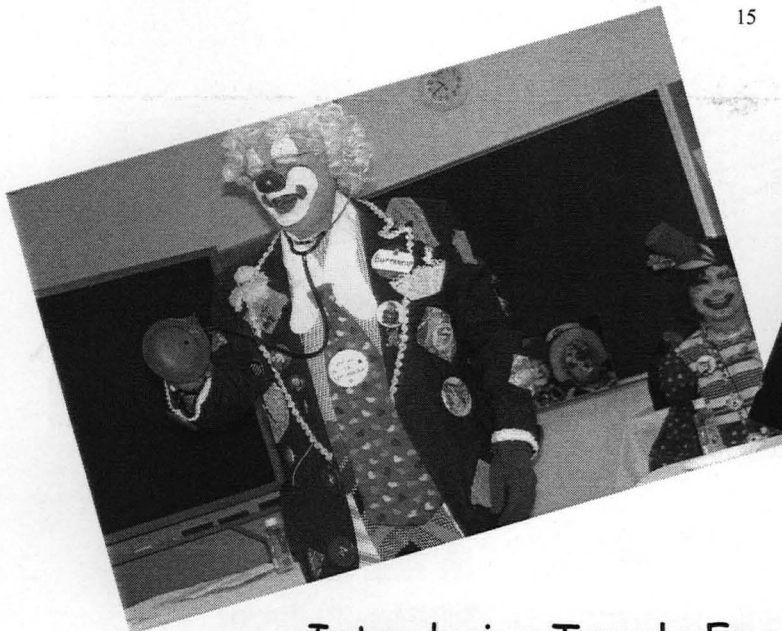


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Temple Emanuel Religious School Attendance Awards 2005-2006/5766

**(for missing no classes or only 1 class during
the school year —
Kindergarten to 6th grade only)**

Scott Abrams	Arianna Gesmondi	Ethan O'Neil
Andrew Adler	Sarah Goldberg	Matthew Propp
Samantha Baker	Zachary Goldberg	Zach Propp
Zachary Bard	Julia Goldsmith	Andrew Rosenthal
Ryan Belfer	Samantha Goldstein	Michell Rothstein
Julie Benbassat	Erica Goodman	Sarah Saady
Cody Bruner	Hannah Goodman	Amanda Schechtman
Frankie Bruner	David Gottlieb	Evan Schechtman
Aaron Calder	Stephen Gottlieb	Aaron Schiff
Gabrielle Calder	Rachel Green	Ilana Schwartzberg
Hailey Cohen	Jared Grika	Anthony Scialabba
Jessica Cohen	Emma Hollenberg	Michael Slutsky
Jonathan Cohen	Victoria Kalbacher	Jeffrey Soffer
Joshua Cohen	Emily Karpf	Dylan Solden
Louis Cohn	Zach Kasdin	Jeremy Soler
Robert Cooper	Katerina Konefsky	Jaimie Susson
Ian Eichen	Bailey Kossow	Maxine Turchin
Casey Eisenberg	Gwen Kramer	Kevin Walder
Diana Faye	Bradley Krell	Michael Wallach
Hannah Feldman	Brittany Lazzaro	Andrew Warkala
Jason Fisch	Megan McCance	John Warkala
Rebecca Fisher	Simon Michel	Benjamin Weinberg
Sydney Forman	Scott Nickelsberg	Daniel Zeiberg
Michelle Freilick	Steven Oberlander	Julie Zeiberg
Rachel Friedman	Jennifer Oberman	Eric Zimmerman
Samantha Gelman	Sarah Oberman	



Introducing Temple Emanuel's Mitzvah Clowns!

At the end of April, members of Temple Emanuel were trained as mitzvah clowns — clowns that make a difference by going to hospitals, nursing homes and assisted livings. The clown troupe went to an Assisted Living for an on-site training. More trips are being planned. The program was supported by a grant from the Jewish Community Foundation. If you are interested in joining the troupe, please contact Rabbi Debbie Cohen, 489-0035, dbcohen@templeemanuel.org.



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TE & the SJ Interfaith Coalition after the rally.

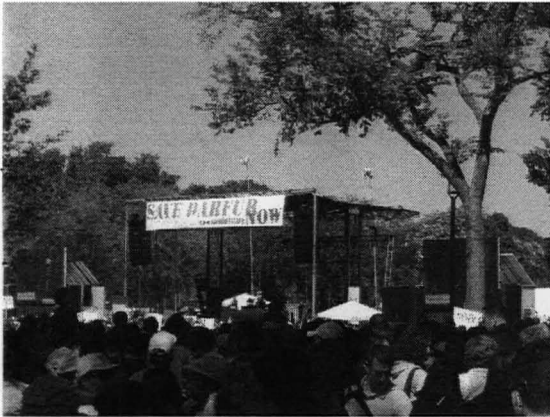


TE with the JCRC's Interfaith Coalition



The Conde Family & Rabbi Geri Newburge

Temple Emanuel at the Darfur Rally in Washington, D.C.

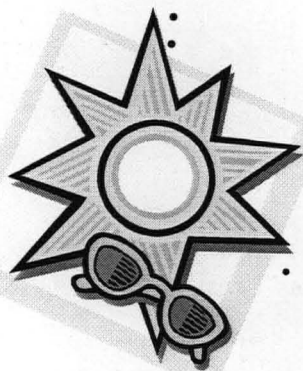


Betsy & Emily Karpf, Nadine & Kurt Bomze & Rabbi Newburge & Jay. (bel)



15,000 rally for Darfur





Summer Time

Temple Emanuel Education Insert

Kayetz means
Summer in Hebrew!

FROM RABBI DEBORAH COHEN, RABBI FOR LIFELONG EDUCATION

Looking Forward . . .



Although summer is just beginning, we are looking forward to next year's Religious School. There will be a few additions and changes to our Religious School program that families should keep in mind when planning for next year.

1. Hebrew School hours will be altered next year. Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon classes will meet from 4:15 to 6:15 pm. 6th & 7th Grade on Wednesday night classes will meet from 7 to 8:30 pm. Increasing traffic in our area necessitated this change, as both our teachers and students were having difficulties arriving on time. We will have a supervised snack area beginning at 3:45 pm for students who arrive early.

2. Religious School families should have received their registration packets in the mail. If you have not received a packet, please contact Jean Klein at 856-489-0035. If you have any questions about registration, please do not hesitate to contact me. I would be happy to talk about our program, curriculum or placements. If your child has a special learning or health need, please let us know so that we can plan accordingly.

3. Please return your registrations forms even if you are not sure of the day or session that your child will be attending. Make your best guess. You can always call with a change later. Having your registration will help us to plan for his or her education in the coming year by ordering textbooks and following up with any special concerns that you might have.

Puzzle Answers
Across
1. Ben
3. Tammuz
5. Portman
7. Ahava
10. Catskills
13. Medford
16. Six
17. Teva
18. Koutax
21. Windsurfing
22. Shemesh
24. Oranges

Down
1. Birthright
2. Spitz
4. Margate
6. Numbers
8. Harlam
9. Maccabiah
11. Tu
12. Gortex
14. Dreyfuss
15. Gaga
19. Pomeios
20. Tisha
22. Shavuot
23. Eliat

4. We will be offering a new option for 8th & 9th graders. Students in these grades can begin Confirmation Academy at our new satellite program in Haddonfield. This program will meet on Monday evenings from 7 to 8:30 pm, offering flexibility of time and more intimate learning environment. Students in this program will rejoin the synagogue-based Tuesday program in 10th grade.

I wish you a relaxing summer. I hope to see you often in the synagogue building. Have fun in the shemesh (sun) this Kayetz (summer)!

Months of Tammuz and Av

Tammuz begins June 27

Tammuz is the fourth month of the Jewish calendar and falls in June & July.

Tradition ascribes to the 17th of Tammuz a number of tragedies from various epochs in Jewish history. The fast commemorates these catastrophes, the most notable of which are: Moses' breaking of the first tablets of covenant upon finding the Israelites worshipping a golden calf;

Av begins July 26

Av is the fifth month of the Jewish calendar and falls in July & August.

Tisha B'Av (the 9th of Av) is a fast day marking the destruction of both Temples - the first by the Babylonians in 586 B.C.E. and the second by the Romans in 70 C.E. There is a tradition that the Messiah will be born on Tisha B'Av and thus that out of destruction, redemption is born.

Looking for Some Summer Reading?

The National Jewish Book Awards were recently announced. And the winners are. . .

Book of the Year — "A Year of Love and Darkness" by Amos Oz

Fiction — "The Final Solution" by Michael Chabon, a detective story about a mute Jewish boy in England, circa 1944.

Modern Jewish Thought and Experience — "After Amancipation" by David Ellenson, President of Hebrew Union College

Women's Studies — "The Modern Jewish Girls' Guide to Guilt" by Ruth Andrew Ellenson

Jewish family literature — "A Box of Candles" by Laurie A. Jacobs, illustrated by Shelly Ephraim.

American Jewish history — "The Chosen: The Hidden History of Exclusion at Harvard, Yale and Princeton" by Jerome Karabel

Anthologies — "Who We Are: On Being (and Not Being) A Jewish American Writer," edited by Derek Rubin.

Biography/memoir — "Ester and Ruzya" by Massa Gessen

Young Adult Literature — "Real Time" by Pnina Moed Kass

Contemporary Jewish Life and Practice — "The Book of Customs" by Scott-Martin Kosofsky

History — "Salonica, City of Ghosts" by Mark Mazower

Holocaust Studies — "History on Trial: My Day in Court with David Irving" by Deborah Lipstadt

Illustrated Children's Books — "The Travels of Benjamin of Tudela: Through Three Continents in the 12th Century" by Uri Shulevitz

Judaism and the Fourth of July

On July 4, we will celebrate our freedom as Americans. Certainly, though, the love of freedom is not only an American ideal but at the heart of Judaism as well. The Jewish community has flourished because of the freedom that United States allows. Author Yosef Abramowitz writes, "By celebrating the Fourth of July in the context of our Jewish values, rituals, and history, we teach our children that Judaism is not merely an activity that we can begin and end, but rather a total identity and way of life. Celebrating July Fourth has helped Jews to comfortably become part of the American mosaic."



Did you know? The Liberty Bell's famous statement, "Proclaim liberty throughout the land and all its inhabitants thereof" comes from the Torah, Leviticus 25.

Did you know? Many Jews were instrumental in the Revolutionary War. Joseph Simon, a founder of the Jewish community in Lancaster, PA, also was a supplier of arms to the Continental Army. Hayyim Solomon was one of the major financiers of the Revolutionary War. There were many decorated Jewish soldiers and officers during the war including Mordechai Sheftall (also known as "The Great Rebel"), David Nunez Cardoza, Solomon Bush, Manuel M. Noah, Francis Salvador (also known as the "Paul Revere of the South").

Summer Fun Idea: On the Shabbat nearest to July 4th, make challah braided with dough colored red, white & blue.

Did you know? George Washington issued "the first presidential declaration of the free and equal status of Jewish-American citizens." It declared: "May the Children of the Stock of Abraham, who dwell in this land, continue to merit and enjoy the good will of the other Inhabitants; while every one shall sit under his own vine and fig tree, and there shall be none to make him afraid."

Tu B'av — Day of Romance, August 9

Tu B'av, the 15th of Av, is one of the lesser-known days on the Jewish calendar, which is surprising since its focus is that ever-popular subject: romance.

On Tu B'Av, according to the Talmud, young women would borrow white clothing—so no one would stand out by their wealth—and dance in the vineyards, where single males would watch with a hopeful eye. The Talmud states that the young men were advised to choose wisely and not focus only on a woman's physical beauty, but on her overall virtues. States the Talmud, "Vanity is false, and physical beauty is empty, [but] a God-fearing woman is to be praised (Ta'anit 31a)."

One Tu B'Av link to women is that on this day the ban against marrying outside the tribe was lifted. In the desert, the daughters of Tzelafchad had come to Moses to ask that they receive their father's inheritance, since they had no brothers. God told Moses to OK it, but that the daughters had to marry within their tribe of Binyamin, so that the land would remain in their tribe. After the Jews crossed into Israel, this restriction was lifted—on the 15th of Av.

So if you go dancing on Tu B'Av, put on your best white shirt. And remember your white dancing shoes.
(From Zipple.com)

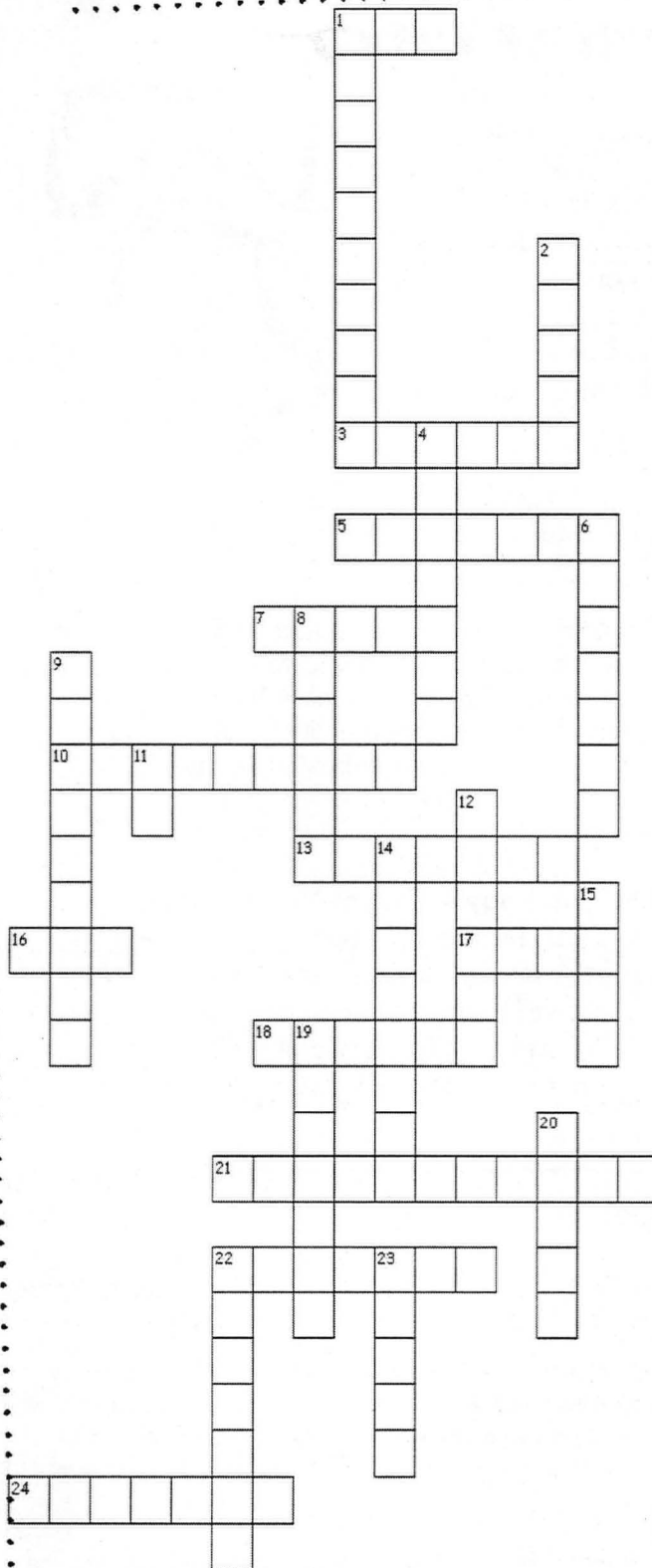
Summer Fun Crossword Puzzle

Across

1. 1st in Pair of Ice Creams Kings
3. Hebrew Summer Month
5. Space Princess in 3 Summer Blockbusters
7. Israeli Sunscreen & Lotion
10. Popular Vacation Spot in 50s & 60s
13. Town of Local JCC Camp
16. Number of Days in June 1967 War
17. Israeli Sandal Company
18. Jewish Boy of Summer
21. Sport of 2004 Israeli Gold
22. Sun in Hebrew
24. Fruit from Kibbutz Yahel in Negev

Down

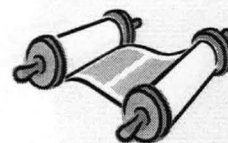
1. ____ Israel -- Free College Tour
2. Jewish Diver
4. Destination Down-the-Shore
6. Book of Torah Read in Summer
8. Reform Camp in Poconos
9. Jewish Olympics
11. ____ B'Av Day of Love and Romance
12. Israeli Swimsuit Designer
14. Jewish Actor in Jaws
15. Israel Camp Game, Similar to Dodge Ball
19. Fruit from Jaffa
20. ____ B'Av Day of Mourning



(The answers are on the first page of this Summer Time Education Insert Education.)

B'Nai Mitzvot-June

- June 3 Bat Mitzvah of MELISSA FRANCESCA SIMON
Daughter of Sandra and Lawrence Simon
- Bar Mitzvah of ANDREW SCOTT CAVE
Son of Shari and William Cave
- Havdalah Service
Bat Mitzvah of SAMANTHA MICHELLE PERZIN
Daughter of Melissa and Adam Perzin
- June 10 Bat Mitzvah of EVE ELIZABETH SEIDMAN and SARA JEWEL SEIDMAN
Daughters of Wendy and Jay Seidman
- Havdalah Service
Bat Mitzvah of BRITTNEY NICOLE TUFF and
Bar Mitzvah of JAKE DAVID TUFF
Children of Mindy and Larry Tuff
- June 17 Bat Mitzvah of EMILY SCHNALL
Daughter of Barbara and Bruce Schnall
- Bar Mitzvah of JARED COOPER
Son of Tammi and Mitch Cooper
- Havdalah Service
Bar Mitzvah of ALEX MATTHEW KRAUS
Son of Jill and Jeffrey Kraus
- June 24 Havdalah Service
Bat Mitzvah of STEFANIE BLAINE JEFFREYS
Daughter of Debbie and Scott Jeffreys



Tree Of Life- Jerri Pinsky



It almost seems impossible that June is here, and another year of Temple activities are behind us. From September until now, the building has housed quite a few happy life cycle events. We Temple Emanuel members know how to celebrate.

Did you or someone you love have a special event this year? It's not too late to commemorate this occasion, by engraving a leaf on Our Tree Of Life. What a wonderful way to share your personal simcha with your Temple family.

I am happy to report the Temple office is open for business all summer long. I will still place orders and hang newly engraved leaves every Tuesday. If you need more information stop by or call the Temple. I wish you all a healthy, safe, and peaceful summer.

LEAVES

DONORS

Melissa & Adam Perzin

Mindi & Leo Gottleib

Joan & Mike Stern

Debbie & Scott Jeffreys

Linda & Bruce Sachais

IN HONOR OF

Bat Mitzvah of Samantha Perzin

Bar Mitzvah of Brandon Perzin

B'Not Mitzvah of Marissa & Ashley Gottleib

Rosie Hymerling's Special Birthday

Bat Mitzvah of Stefanie Jeffreys

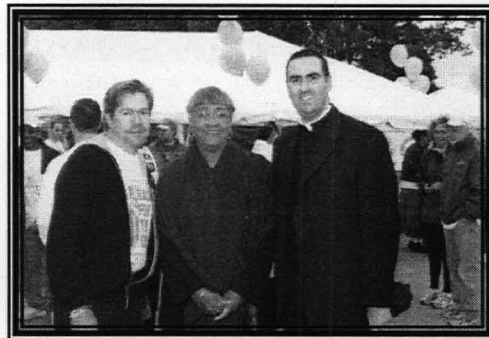
Bat Mitzvah of Sarah Sachais

Reserved one leaf

TEMPLE EMANUEL²² AT THE Mother's Day Race for the Cure



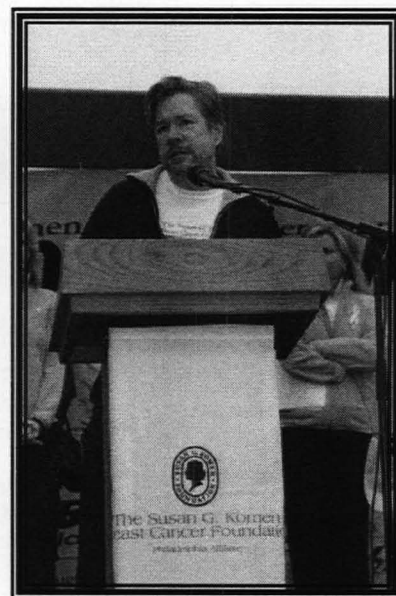
On the steps of the Art Museum.



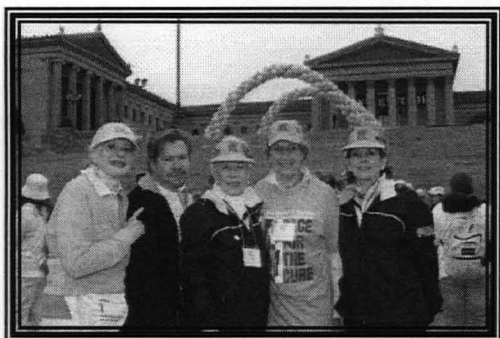
Race for the Cure Clergy



Brenda Korach, Joanne Rosen, Robin
Miller & Irene Kauffman.



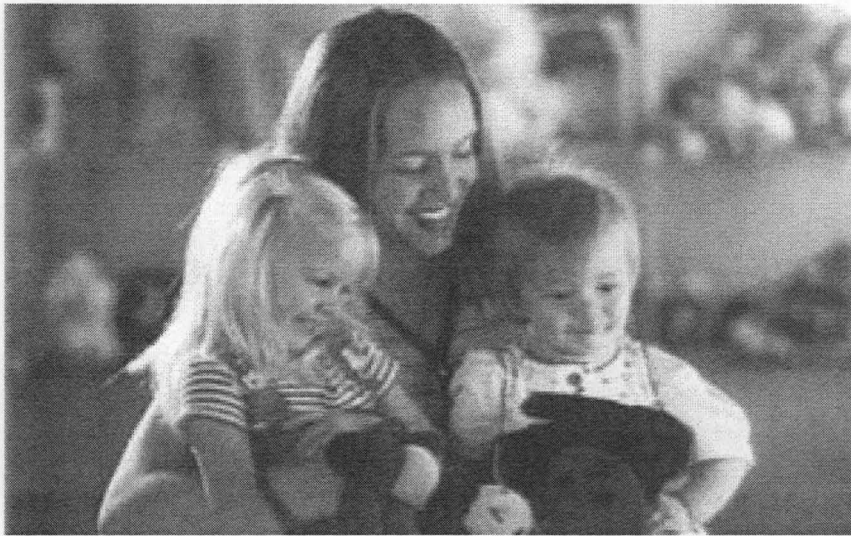
Rabbi David gives the invocation.



TE Walkers



Our TE Race for the Cure Team.



Temple Emanuel Baby-Sitter List

Do you need a baby-sitter? Rabbi Cohen is a 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.



SPREAD THE WARMTH

Knitting is the latest craze,
It is a great way to relax after busy days.

The Social Action Committee challenges all knitters
young and old,
Listen carefully because our proposal is bold.

We all start knitting hats, gloves, scarves, and such,
Be sure to be creative, and add your personal touch!

Donate your creations by the High Holy days
in the Fall,
613 knitted items, the number of mitzvot in the Torah
is what we would like to collect in all!

Just as we are taught to wrap ourselves in the
Torah's mitzvot,
We hope to wrap the needy in warm scarves,
hats & coats.

If you would like to join us in our knitting quest,
Just turn in your knitted creations to the temple office,
and we will store them with the rest.

So start your needles clicking, "ready, set, and go,"
Rest assured your efforts will show you care to someone
that you don't even know!

Questions? Stephanie Weinberger wgbunch8@aol.com
Stephanie Ross schleper247@comcast.net

Summer of Justice 2006

This summer there are two exciting opportunities for individuals and families interested in dynamic activities of Social Justice and *Tikkun Olam*. The **Tzevet Mitzvot: Adult Mitzvah Corps** will be based at the URJ Jacobs Camp, Utica, MS, July 2-8, 2006. In addition to working, studying, and worshipping together, the program will include fireworks and a day trip to New Orleans. The **Family Mitzvah Corps** will take place at the URJ Kutz Camp, Warwick, NY, August 9-13, 2006. Counselors and staff will offer separate specialized activities for parents and kids. Go to www.rac.org/mitzvahcorps for more information.

A New Torah E-Mail Study Guide

After two successful years of "10 Minutes of Torah," the Union for Reform Judaism is adding a new dimension to its e-mail Jewish study programs: *Eilu V'eilu*. Like "10 Minutes," *Eilu V'eilu* will be delivered to your e-mail inbox, but it differs in that *Eilu V'eilu* will give you a chance to participate, ask questions, and get responses from some of today's most brilliant Jewish scholars. *Eilu V'eilu* will be organized around a four-week cycle: During Week One, you will receive position papers authored by two scholars. Week Two will be devoted to a dialogue and discussion between the scholars, and during Week Three, they'll respond to the questions that you sent in. The entire debate will be summarized in Week Four. For more information, or to sign up, please visit the Web site at <http://urj.org/torah/ten/eilu/>.

Getting Ready for College

Have you decided where to go to college, or thinking about where to apply? The KESHER Directory at www.keshernet.com/directory will help you consider your Jewish experience on campus.

At college, with the endless opportunities for getting



involved in athletics, Greek life, cultural activities, and more, it is easy for the Jewish commitments of new college students to get lost in the shuffle. Attending a school with a strong Reform Jewish community will provide you with an important outlet for Jewish expression. It will keep you

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 6 pm Confirmation Dinner ♦Erev Shavuot ♦	2 10 am CONFIRMATION SERVICE 6 pm Youth Group Shabbat Dinner 7 pm Tot Shabbat 7:30 pm Shabbat Evening Family Service— Youth Group Shabbat 7:30 pm Alternative Service ♦Shavuot ♦ <i>Honoring Sandy Umansky</i>	3 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service—Bar Mitzvah of ANDREW SCOTT CAVE And Bat Mitzvah of MELISSA FRANCESCA SIMON 6:15 pm Havdalah Service Bat Mitzvah of SAMANTHA MICHELLE PERZIN
4 TEFTY/TEFTY JR— <i>Dorney Park</i> 9 am Red Cross Blood Drive 5 pm Advanced Givers' Reception ♦Social Action Mitzvah Day ♦	5 7 pm Youth Committee 7:30 pm RS Sub Committee Meeting 7:30 pm Social Action Mtg. 7:30 pm American Idol Mtg.	6 7 pm Choir Practice 7 pm Family Ed Mtg. 7:30 pm StarLight Foundation Mtg. 8 pm Adult Ed Mtg.	7 ♦Men's Club Golf Outing ♦	8 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation 7:30 pm Sisterhood Program	9 7 pm Junior Congregation 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service	10 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service Bat Mitzvah of EVE ELIZABETH AND SARA JEWEL SEIDMAN 6:15 pm Havdalah Service Bat Mitzvah of BRITTNEY NICOLE TUFF and JAKE DAVID TUFF
11 10:30 am Finance Committee Meeting ♦10th & 11th Grade Trip to Washington ♦	12 7:30 pm Exec. Board Meeting	13 7 pm Casserole Cooking 7 pm Choir Practice	14 7:30 pm Membership Committee Meeting	15 7:30 pm Ritual Committee Meeting 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	16 7 pm Tot Shabbat 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service Farewell Service for Cantor Miriam Eskenasy	17 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service—Bat Mitzvah of EMILY SCHNALL and Bar Mitzvah of JARED COOPER 6:15 pm Havdalah Service Bar Mitzvah of ALEX MATTHEW KRAUS
18 ♦Father's Day ♦	19	20 7 pm Choir Practice	21 12 pm Senior Group Brown Bag Lunch and Discussion	22 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	23 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service Kol Emanuel ♦ Men's Club Shabbat ♦	24 9:15 am Torah Study 10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service 5:30 pm Havdalah Service Bat Mitzvah of STEFANIE BLAINE JEFFREYS
25	26 7:30 pm TE Board of Trustees Meeting	27 No Choir Practice 7 pm Prospective Member Open house	28	29 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	30 8 pm Shabbat	

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JULY 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 10 am Torah Study
2	3 Office Closed	4 Office Closed ◆ Independence Day ◆	5	6 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	7 6 pm Kabbalat Shabbat with Janet Sclaroff and her music Meet and Greet Cantor Peter Halpern	8 10 am Torah Study
9	10 7:30 pm Exec. Board Meeting	11 No Choir Practice 7 pm Casserole Cooking	12 7 pm PROSPECTIVE MEMBER OPEN HOUSE	13 7 pm PROSPECTIVE MEMBER OPEN HOUSE 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation 7:30 pm Sisterhood Board Meeting	14 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service with Guest, Dr. Janine Sobel, President, Jewish Federation of Southern New Jersey	15 10 Torah Study
16	17	18 7 pm Choir Practice	19	20 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	21 7 pm Tot Shabbat 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service Elise Conde will talk about her volunteer work for Katrina in New Orleans	22 10 am Torah Study
23	24	25 7 pm Choir Practice	26	27 7:30 pm Yoga and Meditation	28 8 pm Shabbat Evening Service	29 10 am Torah Study
30	31 7:30 pm TE Board of Trustees					

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June 3 Second Day Shavuot
Deuteronomy 14:22-16:16

The Torah portion elaborates on tithing, remission of loans, to be warm-hearted and charitable to others, law of a Jewish bondsman and concludes with the Three Pilgrimage Festivals (when everyone came up to the Temple in Jerusalem to celebrate) - Passover, Shavuot and Sukkot. The message is that as long as we as a people continue to accept the Torah and live according to the Torah all will be well. Only through learning Torah and fulfilling the commandments can we ensure our survival as a people and our identity as Jews

June 10 Naso
Numbers 4:21-7:89

The special role of the Levites is explained in this week's Torah portion, Naso. Parashat Naso opens with God instructing Moses to take a census of two families of the tribe of Levi, the Gershonites and the Merarites. The census counts only males age thirty to fifty. God also instructs Moses to teach Aaron a special three-part blessing, which Aaron and the priests are to use to bless the people of Israel. The blessing is found in Numbers 6:24-26:

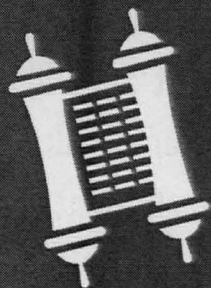
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June 17 Beha'alotecha
Numbers 8:1 – 12:16

This Torah portion begins with God telling Moses to instruct Aaron about how to kindle the lights (Beha'alotecha et ha neiros) of the Menorah. The Israelites are reminded to celebrate Passover. God commands Moses to have two silver trumpets made and then blown by Aaron's sons for a variety of reasons. God instructs Moses to appoint 70 elders to share the burden of ruling the people.

June 24 Sh'lach L'cha
Numbers 13:1 – 15:41

In this Torah portion God tells Moses to send—Sh'lach L'cha-- twelve men, a leader from each tribe, to scout the land of Canaan. Moses instructs the scouts (or in Hebrew "spies") to go first to the Negev and then proceed up into the hill country. The scouts are to determine the quality of the land and the strength of the people inhabiting the land.



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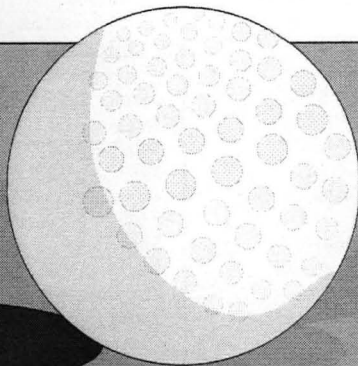
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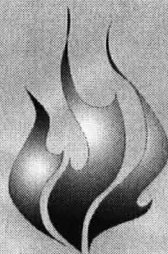
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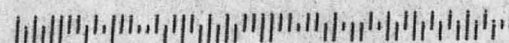
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