

Shabbat Schedule June 2023

Please check the [website](#) and Shavuon for the most current information. *Masks will be required at services on June 2 and 3.*

Friday, June 2

Pride Shabbat Evening Service 7:00 pm
Candle Lighting 7:58 pm

Saturday, June 3

Parashat Nasso
Shabbat Morning Service 9:30 am
with Cantor Vera using *Mishkan T'filab*

Friday, June 9

Candle Lighting 8:03 pm

Saturday, June 10

Parashat B'ha'alot'cha
Shabbat Morning Service 9:30 am
with Phil Platcow using *Sim Shalom*
Weekly Parashah Study 1:00 pm

Friday, June 16

Membership Recognition 7:00 pm
Shabbat Evening Service
Candle Lighting 8:06 pm

Saturday, June 17

Parashat Sh'lach L'cha
Shabbat Morning Service 9:30 am
with Cantor Vera using *Mishkan T'filab*
Weekly Parashah Study noon

Friday, June 23

Candle Lighting 8:08 pm

Saturday, June 24

Parashat Korach
Shabbat Morning Service 9:30 am
with Mindy Harris using *Sim Shalom*

Friday, June 30

Candle Lighting 8:08 pm

Saturday, July 1

Shabbat Morning Service 9:30 am
with Rabbi Stevens using *Mishkan T'filab*
Israel Chavurah noon



Dear chevre,

The secular school year is concluding; the weather is bursting with heat and the promise of summer salt, sweat, and ocean. Within our own community, we are getting ready for a big change. I am preparing to leave Temple Emanu-El for a new job at the end of June, with a heart full of love and gratitude for my time here and the work and relationships with which you have entrusted me. And you, beloved members, are preparing to welcome, receive, and covenant with a new clergy leader:

Rabbi-to-be Ashira Stevens, who will be ordained on June 4 at Hebrew College and will start work as Temple Emanu-El's spiritual leader at the beginning of next month.

What if we start thinking about change as not just complicated, but divine in its messiness? What if we think about change itself as God?

Change is, by its nature, disruptive. It interrupts and remakes what has been. It can be a source of stress and distress. But change is where new growth begins. I want to offer you a framing for change in this time of transition for our temple. What if we start thinking about change as not just complicated, but divine in its messiness? What if we think about change itself as God?

Rabbi Toba Spitzer, in her book *God is Here: Reimagining the Divine*, imagines God as the process of becoming. She digs deep into the words of God to Moshe at the burning bush, when Moshe asks God to define God's self so that Moshe can properly answer the Israelites, who will be anxious to know the name of this ancestral deity who's newly present to their suffering and working on their liberation. God answers: "Ehyeh asher ehyeh."¹ Rabbi Spitzer translates this as "I am Becoming That I am Becoming."² God is not bound up into a solution or a certainty or even a powerful act of salvation. Rather, Rabbi Spitzer invites us to believe that God is potential. Whenever we, as humans, create or interact with newness, that's where we find God. When we surprise ourselves with a thought or an act, that's God. When we help someone else respond or innovate or grow in a way they hadn't thought possible, that's God. Rabbi Spitzer writes that "for [philosopher Alfred North] Whitehead, God was the answer to the question: If there are possibilities for becoming that have not yet existed, where does that possibility come from?"³ Some of our Jewish texts call God "M'kor haChayyim," wellspring of life. If to be alive means to have the capacity to change, then we can translate this name for God, too, as "Source of Possibility."

Potential is not neat, or comfortable. Something new requires an ending of what was, and loss hurts. Author Aleksandar Hemon retells a midrash of

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creation from B'reishit Rabbah 3:7 that holds both that pain and that potential, in the beginning of his exquisite novel of love and destruction and transformation, *The World and All That It Holds*. "The Holy One kept creating worlds and destroying them, creating worlds and destroying them, and then, just before giving up, He finally came up with this one."⁴ I have to believe that God mourned the destruction of part of God's creation—but God believed in the benefit of potential, and kept going. Like God, we believe in potential; we change, and allow our world to change with us, and look for new growth and new good in each new world we make. Perhaps we channel God when we change.

When we are in the midst of change, we don't have answers to the big questions. What will this next part be like? How will I feel in it? The poet Rilke advises:

I want to ask you, dear sir, as best I can, to have patience about everything that is still unresolved in your heart; try to love *the questions themselves*, like locked rooms, like books written in a truly foreign language. Don't look for the answers now; they cannot be given to you yet because you cannot yet live them, and what matters is to live everything. For now, *live the questions*. If you do, then maybe, gradually, without your realizing it, some far-off day you will live your way into the answer.⁵

For change to root and grow, we need more than just the uncritical capacity to create and accept difference. We need a purpose to guide us, and we need to pay attention and check in with ourselves and one another as we go. Social justice activist adrienne maree brown calls this "adaptation with intention."⁶ This June, I invite you to create intentions for yourself by asking yourself these big questions, and then spend some time loving the questions themselves and living into, rather than chasing, the answers: What do you want your new rabbi to know about you? How do you want to relate to her? What are your personal Jewish values and goals? What are your worries? What do you dream of for this community? These questions will give robust kavannah, intention, to the

adaptation that Temple Emanu-El is making, and the whole community will benefit.

On the evening of Saturday, June 10, my friend and colleague Rabbi Sarah Noyovitz will lead you in a Havdalah ritual to acknowledge the shift from me to Rabbi-to-be Ashira. This ritual will support you, beloved community members, in setting intentions, framing questions, and sharing dreams for this next period of growthful change that you're stepping into. I hope you will all take advantage of this opportunity and come participate in the ritual; it will be both healing and helpful.

I'll close with the words Rabbi Spitzer imagines Moshe saying as he tells his enslaved siblings the name of the One who sent him, Ehyeh-asher-Ehyeh: "There is a Power in the universe Whose name is Becoming. What is now is not what will be in the future. This Power of transformation ... makes possible the most audacious change."⁷ Temple Emanu-El, we are capable of holy and audacious change, and I know in my bones that there is a world of good that you and Rabbi-to-be Ashira are going to create together.

Chizku, chizku v'imtzu. Wishing you every strength, every success, and every joy in this next stage, dear Temple Emanu-El. Thank you for the gifts you have given me, and for being exactly who you are. I can't wait to see what you do next.

L'shalom,
Cantor Vera

1. Sh'mot (Exodus) 3:14.
2. Toba Spitzer, *God Is Here: Reimagining the Divine* (New York: St. Martin's Essentials, 2022), 219.
3. Spitzer, *God Is Here*, 217.
4. Aleksandar Hemon, *The World and All That It Holds* (New York: Farrar, Straus & Giroux, 2023), 4.
5. Rainer Marie Rilke, *Letters to a Young Poet*, trans. Damion Searls (New York: Liveright Publishing Corporation, 2021), 22.
6. adrienne maree brown, *Emergent Strategy: Shaping Change, Changing Worlds* (Chico, CA: AK Press, 2017), 69-70, quoted in Spitzer, *God Is Here*, 229.
7. Spitzer, *God Is Here*, 220.



Confirmation Class Oral History Project

Each member of our confirmation class this year chose one person to sit down with for an oral history interview, learning from Temple members, friends, and family about their lives and values. In this bulletin, we present the second installment of the oral histories our class collected: Benjamin Fitts interviewed his father, Paul Fitts. [Listen to a recording of their conversation.](#)



UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS

SHABBAT EVENING SERVICES



June 2	Pride Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
June 16	Membership Recognition Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm

SHABBAT MORNING SERVICES

SATURDAYS AT 9:30 AM
HYBRID | IN PERSON AND VIA ZOOM

June 3, led by Cantor Vera
followed by farewell luncheon

June 10, led by Phil Platcow
followed by weekly parashah study

June 17, led by Cantor Vera
followed by weekly parashah study

June 24, led by Mindy Harris
no weekly parashah study

[Click to join via Zoom.](#)

REGENERATION!

*Have fun, make new friends,
nosh, and share your interests
or talents with others!*

*Friday, June 2 | 1:30 pm
Starensier Assembly*

[RSVP to Lisa](#) in the Temple office, and let her know if you need a ride to this program. The Chesed Committee will be glad to make arrangements.

PRIDE SHABBAT

We celebrate Pride with music and words from the deep wells of queer Jewish Torah.

Zane Diamond (any pronouns), executive assistant at Keshet, will speak from a personal and Jewish perspective about trans identity, experience, and rights.

FRIDAY, JUNE 2 | 7:00 PM
Hybrid; chapel and [Zoom](#)



FAREWELL CANTOR VERA

*Join members of the community
for a kiddush luncheon after
Shabbat morning services*

*Saturday, June 3 | noon
(in lieu of Israel Chavurah)*

Spirited Aging Together

Tuesday, June 6 @ 10:00 am

From Aging to Saging
by Rabbi Zalman Schachter-Shalomi

Meeting this month at a member's home.
Please contact the Temple office for the address

Hybrid; Join at <https://bit.ly/TEspiritedAgingTogether>

Sponsored by the Temple Emanu-El Chesed Committee

UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS

HAVDALAH RITUAL OF TRANSITION
WITH RABBI SARAH NOYOVITZ



SATURDAY, JUNE 10 | 7:30 PM
IN PERSON ONLY | CHAPEL

This short evening program uses the framework of Havdalah—wine, spices, candle, separation—to allow our community to ritualize the transition from one spiritual leader to the next. Phil Platcow will assist in the ritual.

*Membership Recognition and Board Installation
Shabbat Evening Service
Recognizing*

Janet Kapp Kopel
**Volunteer
of the Year**
Joy Silvey



Friday, June 16 | 7:00 pm
Hybrid; join us in the sanctuary or [via Zoom](#).

Upcoming Temple Meetings

Executive Committee
June 14 @ 7:00 pm

Investment Committee
July 25 @ 4:00 pm



J-PLAY!
For infants up to pre-K



J-Play! is a periodic Sunday morning playgroup designed for children ages infant to pre-K. Temple membership is not required for J-Play!



Sundays, 9:30-11:00 am
June 11, July 23, and August 20

Outdoor location provided on registration.
RSVP to office@TempleEmanu-El.org



hello
Summer



*Notes from
the office—*

- Moving? Email change? Please send us your new address.
- The deadline for articles and news for the July bulletin is June 20. Send your information to office@TempleEmanu-El.org.

CHESED COMMITTEE / TEMPLE COMMUNITY

The Chesed Committee is excited to share programming updates from our latest committee and in-person Regenerations! meeting at the end of April.

After three years of COVID, with limitations on our personal contact, we are happy to announce the following changes in the support we provide to members:



In-person visits: We will now resume in-person visits to those who receive Chesed holiday packages.

Funeral services: We will now be able to be in mourners' homes during a funeral, to assist with setting up the meal or to just be a helpful presence.

Regeneration: Our monthly Regeneration! meetings are being restructured to broaden participation and direction and are now open to those who are of retirement age. If this includes you, please consider joining in!

- At our recent meeting, we discussed adding some social activities. Do you have a favorite game, hobby, interest, or activity that you'd like to share? Is there something you wish to learn?
- Cantor Vera's teachings on spiritual issues have been a meaningful part of our meetings and will hopefully be continued with our new rabbi. Can we continue to talk together, laugh together, nosh together?
- And find a new name together? *Regeneration!* was my suggestion, but we're open to other ideas.
- Meetings have generally been held on the last Friday of the month at 1:30 pm. This is open to change as well.

The Chesed Committee welcomes your suggestions; please be in touch!

A final note: The inimitable warmth, support, and meaningful wisdom that Cantor Vera has shared at each meeting will be sorely missed. We wish her the best in her new position.

Sharyn Russell
Chair, Chesed Committee



COMMUNITY NEWS

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Peter Brash

Jacob Curdo

MAZEL TOV

Morry Korinow, on winning the President's Club award at his job, US Foods

Peter Brash, on becoming Jewish April 30 at Mayyim Hayyim Community Mikvah

Jacob Curdo, on becoming Jewish May 14 at Mayyim Hayyim Community Mikvah

Richard Rosenberg, on the marriage of his grandson Ryan Rosengard to Sami Trinchetto. Ryan is the son of retired U.S. Army Colonel Mark Rosengard and his wife, Lynn Wagner, and Sami is the daughter of Thomas and Cheri Trinchetto.

To our confirmands, *Ben Fitts, Zack Hannula, Jacqueline Lampron, and Angelina Lucia*, as they reaffirm their commitment to Judaism and share the fruits of their year of study together. Mazal tov!

Isabelle Nagy, on graduating from North Shore Community College with an associate's degree in arts

Claire Breger-Belsky, on receiving their master of fine arts in literary translation from the University of Iowa

TODAH RABBAH

Pete Brash and Jacob Curdo, for sponsoring kiddush

Joy Silvey, for leading Torah service

Trudy Zakin, for her years of service, as we wish her well on her retirement from the Religious School

Zoom Techs *Sandra Kassin-Deardorff, Andrea Pentabona, and Joy Silvey*



TEMPLE COMMUNITY

Temple Committees

Contact [Lisa Anthony](#) or any of the chairs below to join a committee.

Adult Education	Lynn Dreyfuss Martin
Antiracism	Karen Godek
Budget	Judd Nathan
Chesed	Sharyn Russell
Communications	Paula Breger
Dues	Kevin Miller
Fundraising	In need of chair
HaSifriyah (Library)	Paula Breger
House	In need of chair
Investment	Judd Nathan
Membership Outreach	Shelly Gladstein
Music	Rachel Hanson
PTO	Alicia and Morry Korinow
Religious Practices	Sandra Kassin-Deardorff
Religious School	Shoshana Dodge
Renovations	Kevin Miller
Security	In need of chair
Social	Scott Hannula
Social Action	Lisa Herzl
Trusts/Wills/Bequests	In need of chair
Windows to the Future	In need of chair

Happy Birthday!

Barbara Berman
Genia Brindis
Eleanor Evans
Jessica Evans
Stephen Fleet
Loren Goldstein
Grace Hanson
Jasper-Joseph Kapanga-Ndjibu
Alma Klinetsky
David Merker
David Paul
Leona Paul
Ándrea Pentabona
Sally Popowitz
Jules Rutstein
Benjamin Rys
Stephen Sall
Jacob Spunt
Craig Stimmel
Robin Zaremba

Temple Leadership and Administration 2023-2024

Executive Committee

Jennifer Lampron	President
Scott Hannula	Secretary
Paula Breger	Assistant Secretary
Judd Nathan	Treasurer
Loren Goldstein	Past President

Board of Directors

Shelly Gladstein	2024
Karen Godek	2025
Rachel Hanson	2025
Sandra Kassin-Deardorff	2024
Joy Silvey	2025

Temple Administration

Vera Broekhuysen, Cantor
Ira L. Korinow, Rabbi Emeritus
Mindy Harris, Religious School Director
Lisa A. Anthony, Executive Administrator
Paula Breger, Communications Director
Lynn Dreyfuss Martin, Religious School Administrative Assistant
Sheila Brown, Bookkeeper

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DONATIONS

BRODY FAMILY FUND

Pearl Shyavitz, in loving memory of her mother, Beatrice Gerber, on her yahrzeit

DR HAROLD S. COHEN AND FAMILY FUND

Ronnie Cohen, in loving memory of her father, Dr. Harold S. Cohen, on his yahrzeit

MAX AND CLARE GREENSTEIN FUND

Joyce Cohen, in loving memory of her grandmother Jennie Greenstein on her yahrzeit

RABBI ABRAHAM AND SONIA JACOBSON FUND

Marshall and Ruth Myers, in loving memory of his mother, Ethel Myers, on her yahrzeit

JEWISH CONTINUITY FUND

Rachel Rosengard, in honor of her father, Richard Rosengard, on his special birthday in May

Andi, Scott, Adam, and Zack Hannula, in honor of Trudy Zakin's retirement from the Religious School

Michael and Amy Sherr, in appreciation for Lotsa Helping Hands and the Temple community for their kind support during Michael's recovery; in honor of David and Mattie Paul on the birth of their grandson, Anderson Bayne; in honor of Andi and Scott Hannula, on the confirmation of their son Zack Philip Hannula; and in honor of Jenn and Derik Lampron, on the confirmation of their daughter Jacqueline Leah Lampron

Judy and Mitch Kroner, thinking of Amy and Michael Sherr and wishing Michael a full recovery

Sharyn Russell, congratulations to Claire Breger-Belsky on receiving their master of fine arts in literary translation from the University of Iowa

JANET & KEN KOPEL FAMILY CONTINUITY FUND

Allan Kopel, in honor of Trudy Zakin's retirement from the Religious School

GAIL AND RABBI IRA KORINOW FAMILY CONTINUITY FUND

Rabbi Ira Korinow, in loving memory of his father, Maurice Korinow, on his yahrzeit

RICHARD & MIRIAM LEWIS FUND

Miriam Lewis Levinson, in loving memory of her husband Harry Levinson on his yahrzeit

PASSOVER FUNDRAISER

David and Mattie Paul

Jonathan Goldfield

Lynn Dreyfuss Martin

Steven and Gwen Larsen

Matthew Shwom and Allison Geary

Barry and Susan Hantman

Judd Nathan

Howard and Caren Hantman

Michael and Amy Sherr

Marc Klein

PAUL FAMILY FUND

Debbi Levasseur, in honor of David and Mattie Paul on the birth of their grandson, Anderson Bayne

ABRAHAM AND ESTHER ROSEN FUND

Lynne Buchhalter, in loving memory of her grandmother Esther T. Rosen on her yahrzeit

JEROME AND SELMA ROSENGARD FUND

Peter Rosengard, in loving memory of his father and mother, Jerome and Selma Rosengard, on their yahrzeits

MOSES SHYAVITZ FUND

Gerald Shyavitz, in loving memory of his father, Moses Shyavitz, his grandmother Fannie Porton, and his uncle Irving Shyavitz on their yahrzeits

Pearl Shyavitz, in loving memory of her father, Abraham Gerber, on his yahrzeit

Yahrzeit Fund

Marc Klein, in loving memory of his mother, Miriam Klein, on her yahrzeit

Ron Weiss, in loving memory of his grandmother Rose Douglas on her yahrzeit

Ralph Brindis, in loving memory of his father, Bernard Brindis, on his yahrzeit

Ross and Amy Moldoff, in loving memory of her father, Jacob Price, and her grandfather Sidney Robbins on their yahrzeits

Fred Coltin, in loving memory of his father, Edwin Coltin, on his yahrzeit

Andi Hannula, in loving memory of her father, Barry Goldman, on his yahrzeit

Stephen and Sandi Lundquist, in loving memory of her brother Robert Baker on his yahrzeit

Pauline Fisher, in loving memory of her mother, Ella Garber, on her yahrzeit

Kenneth Isaacs, in loving memory of his father, Ralph L. Isaacs, on his yahrzeit

Irving Freedman, in loving memory of his grandfather Maurice Freedman and his great-grandmother Ida Rickless on their yahrzeits

Lauren Sidel-Walsh, in loving memory of her father, Norman Sidel, on his yahrzeit

Beverly Sidel, in loving memory of her father, Edward Gilman, and her husband, Norman Sidel, on their yahrzeits

Roberta Glazer, in loving memory of her sister Ellen Barnstein on her yahrzeit

DONATIONS

Michael Beden, in loving memory of his grandfather Moses Beden on his yahrzeit
Ann Gorevitz, in loving memory of her husband, Richard Gorevitz, on his yahrzeit
Janet Damelin, in loving memory of her grandmother Sarah Reva Silverman on her yahrzeit
Judy Kroner, in loving memory of her father, Hyman Greenbaum, on his yahrzeit
Jane Lord, in loving memory of her grandfather Herman W. Goldberg on his yahrzeit
Deborah Wise, in loving memory of her mother, Ann Young, on her yahrzeit
William Wise, in loving memory of his father, Harry S. Wise, on his yahrzeit
Nathan Berman, in loving memory of his father, Nathan Berman, on his yahrzeit
Thelma Grant Caparell, in loving memory of her grandfather Max Jacobs on his yahrzeit
Richard Rosengard, in loving memory of his aunt Alice Bloom on her yahrzeit
Nathan Shafmaster, in loving memory of his father, Louis Shafmaster, on his yahrzeit
Karen Eandler, in loving memory of her mother, Julia Berman Cohen, on her yahrzeit

TRUDY ZAKIN FAMILY CONTINUITY FUND

In honor of Trudy Zakin's retirement from the Temple Emanu-El Religious School

Judy and Mitch Kroner

Andrea Rosebach

Nancy and Michael LaFleur

Mike, Dori, Maya, Yael, and Talia Zakin

Aimee Albert

Marsha and Sheldon Rubin

Andi, Scott, Adam, and Zack Hannula

Fran Eisenman and Ronald Herskowitz

Neal Gordon

Fredi Anne Hurwitz

Melanie and Andrew Zakin

Sharyn Russell

Robin Taylor

Laura Flieder

Paul Elkind

Ann, Michael, Ari, Morgan, and Ramie Jacobson

Michael and Amy Sherr

Chloe and Cheryl Isabelle-Alper

Steven and Gwen Larsen

Cantor Steven and Myrna Dress

Debbi, Andrea, and Avi Levasseur

Trudy and Mitch Zakin, in loving memory of her father, Stanley Dress, and his father, David Zakin, on their yahrzeits; in honor of the confirmands, Ben Fitts, Zack Hannula, Jacqueline Lampron, and Angelina Lucia; and in appreciation of my retirement luncheon/tribute, the creation of a family continuity fund, and for the special Temple Emanu-El community

To donate online,
please click here.



Thank you
for your support!

MONTH-AT-A-GLANCE

June

June 2	Regeneration!	1:30 pm
	Pride Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
June 3	Shabbat Morning Service	9:30 am
	Farewell Cantor Vera Kiddush Luncheon	noon
June 6	Spirited Aging Together	10:00 am
June 10	Shabbat Morning Service	9:30 am
	Weekly Parashah Study	1:00 pm
	Havdalah Ritual of Transition	7:30 pm
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June 14	Executive Committee Meeting	7:00 pm
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June 17	Shabbat Morning Service	9:30 am
	Weekly Parashah Study	noon
June 23-25	High School Trip to New York City	
June 24	Shabbat Morning Service	9:30 am

REMEMBERING THOSE AT YAHRZEIT

June 2 & 3

14th of Sivan

Julia Berman Cohen
Philip Cohen
Shirley Darling
Stanley Dress
Frieda Feldman
Max Friedman
Beatrice Gerber
Bernard Goldberg
Louis Gordett
Lillian Hall
Ralph F. Jonas
Louis Kaufman
Marshall Levine
Gertrude Loew
Julius Pamis
Ida Rickless
Jerome Rosengard
Rachel Stolberg
Moses Streisfield
Louis Vigman
Celia Zembler

June 10

21st of Sivan

Dora Alter
Abraham Apteker
Adele Ash
Lena Bakerman
William Berman
Anne Biberman
Jacob Boorstein
Stanley Bornstein
Harry Brown
Frieda Buckman
James Edelstein
Sophie Fleet
Dora Genson
Abraham Gerber
Max Glazer
Eva Grad
Philip Greenstein
Regina Jachimowicz
Fannie Levine Kantofsky
Bessie Karelitz
Maurice Korinow

Jane Ornsteen Cohen

Charlotte M. Ralby
Albert Saron
Michael Shirley
Isadore Wise

June 16 & 17

28th of Sivan

Etta Agronin
Melvin Ash
Alice H. Bell
Samuel Bernstein
Alice Bloom
Yale Canter
Dr. Harold Cohen
Harry Cohen
Gertrude Coltin
Clara Kort
Bertha Kremer
Theodore Lang
Anne Lebowitz
Jere Maxmen
Robert Ornsteen

Rueben Parker

Kathryn F. Phillips
James Rabinovitz
Elizabeth Robin
Esther T. Rosen
Selma Rosengard
Maryjo Rutstein
Maxine H. Scher
Louis Shafmaster
Edward Swartz
Frank Traister
Harry Wise
Ann Young
David Zakin
Meyer Zelman

June 24

5th of Tammuz

Fannie Barson
Lena Berkovich
Letty Berkovich
Morry S. Berlin
Larry Cowan

Eunice Feinberg

Nathan Feldman
Murray Finkel
Sarah Forman
Herman Fox
Herman Goldberg
Philip Goldberg
Morris Goldfield
Anne Goldstein
Louis Hartman
Rita Hurwitz
Samuel Katz
Sidney Kotzen
Susan Levene
Vicki Novick
Jacob Price
Raymond Robin
Morris Sacarob
Milton Scher
Joseph Shain
Phillip Sidel
David Traister
Stella Wise



Lotsa Helping Hands
create community

To receive help in your time of need,
call one of the following LHH coordinators:

Cantor Vera	978.373.3861
Sharyn Russell	978.372.5777
Lisa Anthony	978.373.3861

Trusts, Wills, and Bequests

If you are interested in discussing
gift and naming opportunities, please contact
Cantor Vera (CantorB@TempleEmanu-El.org)

or

Lisa (office@TempleEmanu-El.org).

Thank you!

★ TEMPLE EMANU-EL ★

Honor Your Father and Your Mother

It is a widely observed Jewish tradition to commemorate the passing of a loved one by memorializing those that have departed with a yahrzeit plaque on a dedicated memorial wall.

At Temple Emanu-El, these plaques are lit on the yahrzeit, or anniversary of death, and for Yizkor services.

Plaques are inscribed with the name of the deceased in both English and Hebrew as well as the date of the person's death. They are available to view whenever the sanctuary is open.

The one-time cost of the plaque is \$300. To purchase a plaque in honor of a departed loved one, [order online](#) or contact Lisa or Cantor Vera at 978.373.3861.

COMMUNITY

We are a welcoming, diverse, Reform, sacred community committed to embracing and implementing the principles of tikkun olam.

Through prayer, study, and social interactions, we honor and share our Judaic values across all generations.



Sacred Hearts Food Pantry 13 Carleton Avenue, Bradford

Drop off
Monday–Friday (8:00–11:00 am)

Pick up for Haverhill residents in need
Monday, Wednesday, and Friday (8:00–11:00 am)

Sacred Hearts Parish Food Pantry serves 1,000–1,200 families each week. Many families in our area are now out of work and facing financial crisis. The Sacred Hearts Food Pantry gives a helping hand to those in need.



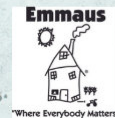
Please consider donating nonperishable food items.

Cook for Mitch's Place It's a Mitzvah!

For many years, Temple Emanu-El members have prepared meals for Mitch's Place, an overnight shelter for men which is part of the Emmaus network in downtown Haverhill.

If you are interested in participating in this mitzvah, please contact Lisa Herzl at lherzl@gmail.com.

Please do not drop meals off at Mitch's Place without first contacting Lisa.



With care and compassion, Ruth's House, Inc. provides clothing and employment training opportunities to individuals and families in need throughout the Greater Merrimack Valley.

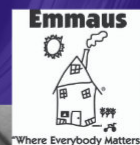
To donate goods, money, or time, visit www.ruthshouse.org

Ruth's House
111 Lafayette Square
Haverhill, Massachusetts

SUPPORT EMMAUS

Emmaus provides emergency shelter and develops affordable housing in the Lower Merrimack Valley to help families and individuals facing homelessness rebuild their lives.

Visit [Emmaus' website](http://Emmaus.org) to learn more and get involved.



We'll miss you, Cantor Vera!





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