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Connecting Generations

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Public Temple Moments



As March begins, I want to mention two very public Temple Emanuel moments which make me so proud.

But first - I want to say how much I am looking forward to this summer when we will welcome Rabbi Amy Hertz to

Temple Emanuel as our newest Rabbi Educator. I hope that you saw the announcement last month. As we prepare for Rabbi Hertz and her wife Beth Goldstein to join our community, we will also have a number of opportunities, which we will announce soon, to express our gratitude to Rabbi Libby Fisher, to congratulate her for her three years with us, and to bless her as she takes her next steps with Congregation Kol Ami in White Plains, NY.

Public Temple Emanuel Moment #1: The Brand -New Permanent Art Installation Near Temple's Sanctuary Entrance. It is built to look like a road sign with one word on it in large-font Hebrew: Yerushalayim. Yerushalayim, or Jerusalem in English, is to our east which is where this Jerusalem-quarried limestone sign is pointing. In smaller characters under the Hebrew it says "6140 mi." which is the distance from Greensboro to Jerusalem.

In addition to the statue's simple beauty, there are so many creative ways to interpret its design, including why it is pointing slightly upwards. In a recent TikTok posting to the "Temple Emanuel" account, I shared a few creative teachings. If you haven't already seen it, I encourage you to take a few minutes to do so.

Dr. Jerry Plovsky deserves tremendous credit for dreaming up this project, working with dozens of people to assist with the design and the funding, and managing the many conversations with Temple stakeholders and decision-makers. I think that the appearance of this newest part of Temple is perfectly-timed and I look forward to celebrating its official dedication, likely during Shabbat services, in the near future.

Public Temple Emanuel Moment #2: A Feature Article In The Current Issue (March 2024) Of Our State Magazine. Entitled "Cookies With A Cause," this write-up highlights our Temple's annual Project Hamantaschen. Project Hamantaschen began during 2021 when some COVID restrictions were still in place. Knowing that Purim would not be taking place in-person, we sought a way to connect congregants nonetheless. We asked families to volunteer: bakers to make as many Hamantaschen as possible, others to make creative plates with the "cookies" on them, and still others to deliver these Purim goodies to Jewish seniors living throughout our area.

You likely have encountered Project Hamantaschen at some point over the past three years.

In this month's bulletin, you will see great opportunities to celebrate Purim this year. I look forward to seeing you at one or another of our gatherings.

But, I also hope that you will sign up to be part of Project Hamantaschen. For me, the recognition that Temple received in a statewide magazine confirms what we know: that our congregation finds the ways to lift up Judaism as well as our families, no matter their stage, age, or setting.

Thanks again to all who have made Project Hamantaschen so special for many years. A "thanks-in-advance" to all who will continue this tradition again in 2024. And a big Temple todah rabbah (Hebrew for thank you) to our friends at Our State magazine for sharing what we did with readers throughout the Old North State.

My best wishes and blessings,

Rabbi Andy Koren

Senior Rabbi

March Events

RSVP to these events at www.tegreensboro.org/upcomingevents

"First Friday" Shabbat at Greene Street | March 1 | 6:30pm

Join us for Shabbat Services at 713 North Greene Street. The service will also be livestreamed on Temple's Facebook and Vimeo pages.





Mahjong | Wednesday, March 6 and 20 | 6:30-8:30pm

Do you like to play mahjong? Come join us at Temple Emanuel on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month. Please reserve a spot online so we set up your table. Nancy Swanson and/or Sheryl Hirsh will be there to help. So grab your friends, and come play with us! Don't forget to bring your mahjong cards with you. *Please use the Administrative Entrance; front doors are kept locked for this program.*

Kehillah Wellness Workshop: Functional Fitness | Sunday, March 10 | 10:00am

Join Ariel Rubin for Kehilah Wellness workshops at Temple Emanuel! Ariel Rubin is a Kesher teacher and a Holistic Health Practitioner of R. E. L. HEALING ARTS, a wellness platform to support individuals and companies (R)estore and (E)levate (L)ife. RSVP online. No charge to attend.





Ladies Who Lunch | Tuesday, March 12 | 12:00noon

Ladies Who Lunch will take place at Bravo on Tuesday, March 12th at noon. RSVP to Barbara Scheck at 336-288-8630 or email beezart@aol.com. We are limited to 12 guests.

Purim Havdalah B'yachad | Saturday, March 16 | 5:00pm

Join us for a Havdalah service and Purim craft with your Temple Emanuel family. This program is designed for families with children in second grade or younger. RSVP Required by Thursday, March 14. Please sign up on the Temple website.





Discussion with October 7 Survivor | Monday, March 25 | 7:00pm

Temple Emanuel has an incredible opportunity to hear from a survivor of October 7. Please save the date and make plans to join us in-person on the evening of Monday, March 25.



Temple Emanuel's Stitching Group | Mondays | 1:00-3:00pm

Please join us in the Temple Emanuel library on Mondays at 1:00p, for fun and friendship while you work on your projects. Email <u>carolrauch@me.com</u> for questions and suggestions.

Coffee & Connections | Fridays | 10:00am | on Zoom

Connect with Temple Members through casual conversation during Coffee & Connections every Friday at 10:00a on Zoom. Grab your beverage of choice and join us!

Chevra Torah | Saturday mornings | 9:00 - 10:30am | In-person or on Zoom

The community is welcome to join us every Saturday morning at 9:00a, for our master class, Chevra Torah. This study group, led by one of our rabbis, explores the weekly Torah portion. No prerequisite knowledge is needed and all, are welcome to attend. Participation is free.

Temple Emanuel Calendar of Events March 2024 | Adar I - Adar II 5784 Information is subject to change.

Confirm at www.tegreensboro.org or with the Temple office.

March 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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 Adult Education Committee Meetings Kids Programs Services 	New/Special ProgramsSocial ProgramsCommunity Events				10a Coffee & Connections 6:30p Shabbat Service at Greene Street	9a B'nai Mitzvah Seminar 9a Chevra Torah 10:30a Shabbat Morning Service
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
9:30a Kesher 10a Brotherhood Stream Clean	1p Stitching Group	5p Kesher	6:30p Intro to Judaism 6:30p Mahjong 6:30p Brotherhood Bromeo Dinner	6:00p Executive Committee Meeting	10a Coffee & Connections 6:30p Disability Awareness and Inclusion Shabbat	9a Chevra Torah 6p Saging Class 7p BBYO Lock- In
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
9:30a Kesher 10a Kehilah Workshop 10a Cooking Club 10:30a Festival Meeting 12:15p Kesher High	1p Stitching Group 6:30p Terumah Committee Meeting 7:30p Board of Trustees Meeting	12p Ladies Who Lunch 5p Kesher 6p Membership Committee Meeting	6:30p Intro to Judaism	Project Hamantaschen Drop-off deadline	10a Coffee & Connections 6:30p Shabbat Service	9a Chevra Torah 10:30a Girl Scout Shabbat Morning Service 5p Purim Havdalah B'yachad
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
9:30a Kesher 10:30a Kesher Purim Party Project Hamantaschen Delivery	1p Stitching Group	5p Kesher 7p Education Committee Meeting	12p Friendship Circle 6:30p Intro to Judaism 6:30p Mahjong		10a Coffee & Connections 6:30p Shabbat Service	9a Chevra Torah w/ Kaddish 7:30p Estie: Community Megillah
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
9:30a Kesher 10:30a Festival Meeting	1p Stitching Group 7p Discussion with October 7 Survivor	7p Cong. Book Read	6:30p A History of Women Rabbis		10a Coffee & Connections 6:30p Shabbat Service	9a Chevra Torah 10:30a Shabbat Morning Service NCAA Game Watch Party
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Temple Talk with Paul



Welcome Rabbi Amy Hertz! Please join me in welcoming our new Rabbi Educator, Amy Hertz! Rabbi Hertz will begin working with us July 1st. Amy Epstein and the Search Committee quided us through the

rabbinic search process with dedication, professionalism, and kindness. It was truly a pleasure to be part of the process and see our community represented so well. Thank you and yasher koach.



Rabbi Amy Hertz

The Jewish Festival is April 7, 2024. Our largest fundraiser of the year brings in over half



of our total annual fundraising dollars in one day - but it takes a village to organize and make this event successful. Please register online to volunteer and become a Friend of the Festival with a donation of \$100

or more. The festival is our chance to welcome our neighbors and familiarize the larger community with Temple Emanuel and Judaism. Hopefully, we will do our small part to counteract ignorance and fear about Jewish people, traditions, and organizations. While you browse the food and activities (before or after volunteering) look for some new and exciting offerings, such as Israeli Whiskey tasting.

We need you. Volunteering is easy and rewarding and starts with

joining a committee.
Take a look at some
opportunities online at
www.tegreensboro.org/
get-involved or call the
Temple office. Your
ideas and input are
needed, and it doesn't
have to be a huge
commitment. There are
many different ways to
help, and it's a wonderful



way to get to know Temple members you might not otherwise meet. You will meet and get to know your Board of Trustees members, which is a great way to be informed about what's happening at your Temple.

Warm weather pickleball is here. I'm going to try it, and I hope to see lots of you there! The pickleball court is set up on the basketball court, just call the office and set up a time.

Paul Benson

Congregation President

Adult Education Opportunity

A History of Women Rabbis | Wednesday Evenings, March 27, April 3, 10, and 17 | 7:00pm | Hybrid

In this four-session series, we will spotlight a few of the significant women from the 1500s to the early modern period who held quasirabbinic status in their communities, and compare and contrast the ordinations of Rabbis Sally Priesand and Regina Jonas. (Who? Come find out!)

Scouts, Trailblazers,
Pathfinders, Explorers:
A History of Women
Rabbis

With Rabbi Libby Fisher Wednesday evenings March 27, April 3, 10, and 17 at 7pm In-person AND Online

Brotherhood News



As the weather continues to show signs of spring and the cherry tree blossoms and daffodils are starting to bloom, the Brotherhood is certainly looking ahead to a full list of projects.

On Saturday, March 2 Brotherhood will be assisting

with parking lot duty for Sanctuary House's Annual Fundraiser, being put on at Temple Emanuel this year. Our Annual Stream Cleaning will take place on Sunday, March 3 at 10 am. Join us as it is a casual walk through the woods off of Hobbs road by the lake while we schmooze and clean up any debris we find. This is done as a public service in partnership with the Greensboro Dept of Parks & Recreation.

A date has been set for our next Brotherhood (Bromeo's) Dinner at Sarah's Kabobs on Market St for Wednesday, March 6 at 6:30pm. Feel free to join us for conversation and great food.

The Jewish Festival is rapidly approaching on Sunday, April 7 from 11am-5pm. It takes an entire village of people working together to make the Festival come to fruition. If you are ready, willing and able to become a volunteer please go to the Jewish Festival website www.gsojfest.org and sign up. You will find

there are other ways to support the festival even if you are not physically able to work as a volunteer.

Brotherhood's Annual Weekend Beach Retreat will be held on Saturday, April 13. Please join us for fun, laughs, comradery and a great time. Contact myself at (917) 886-3556 or Gregg Wiener, at (336) 207-1637, for more information.

If you are an avid, beginner or skilled golfer, please join the Brotherhood on Sunday, June 2, for the Brotherhood's Annual Fundraising Golf Tournament. It is a blast and I hope you will join us. For information please contact Gregg Wiener at (336) 207-1637 for further information.

Our next Brotherhood meeting will be held on Sunday, March 31 at 10am. If you have not been to a meeting, please feel free to drop by, grab some breakfast, schmooze a while, and get to know the other members of Temple Emanuel's Brotherhood. You are always welcome.

Regards,

Bill Moran

Brotherhood President

Thought of the Day- You can choose to be kind or right, but if you choose to be kind you are always right.

Mazal tov to the Temple Brotherhood and the Temple community for collecting 843 pounds of food for the JFS Food Pantry during the Soup-er bowl. Thank you to everyone who dropped off food that morning. The JFS Food Pantry is in a constant need for food, we will continue to find ways of collecting food to support their efforts to feed those in need.



Special NCAA Events at Temple Emanuel

Temple Emanuel is holding two NCAA bracket competitions, one for the men's and one for the women's tournament.

Visit the Temple website to learn how to enter.

The winner for each competition wins bragging rights and \$100 tzedakah will be given to an organization of their choice.

In addition to the bracket tournament Temple will be hosting a watch party of one of the games on March 30, (time TBA). Make sure to mark your calendars for this special event.

Passover at Temple





Passover is on its way!

Join us at Temple for our Second Night Seder on Tuesday, April 23 at 6:00pm. If you are a family with young children, we encourage you to join us for our (shorter) L'Dor VaDor Family Seder at 4:00pm. Watch for more information about these seders and sign-up on the Temple website when registration opens.

Passover Events and Services

Prince of Egypt Class

Sunday, April 21 at 1:00pm

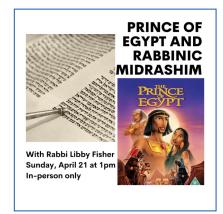
Passover Shabbat Service

Friday, April 26 at 6:30pm

Passover Shabbat Morning Service Saturday, April 27 at 10:30am

Matzah Pizza Party

Sunday, April 28 at 5:30pm





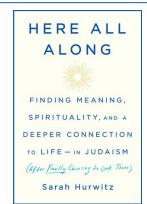
Passover Yizkor Service (Greene Street Campus)

Monday, April 29 at 5:45pm

Congregational Book Read Discussion

March 26 at 7:00pm

Join us on Tuesday, March 26 at 7:00pm for our annual Congregational Book Read Discussion. This year's book is "Here All Along: Finding Meaning Spirituality, and a Deeper Connection to Life in Judaism" by Sarah Hurwitz. We invite you to read the book (available as an ebook and audio book), then join us March 26 for a group discussion with the Rabbis.



Purim at Temple

Cooking Club: Hamantaschen Sunday, March 10 at 10:00am

On Sunday, March 10 at 10:00am, Wendee and Alexa Cutler will be leading a Cooking Club, where we will be baking hamantaschen for Project Hamantaschen. If you want to socialize with fellow bakers or learn how to bake hamantaschen, we invite you to join us that morning in the Temple Emanuel Kitchen.





Project Hamantaschen!

Project Hamantaschen is happening now and we need volunteers to bake hamantaschen, make Purim cards, pack bags, and deliver the goodies to Jewish seniors in our community. Visit http://tinyurl.com/projecthamantaschen to sign up to help. Packing bags will take place on Friday, March 15th and deliveries will happen on the afternoon of Sunday, March 17th. If you have any questions, please email Brooklyn Flatt at:

<u>kesher@tegreensboro.org</u> or Shira Snyder at: <u>ssnyder@tegreensboro.org</u>.

Estie: Community Megillah Reading

Join us at Temple on Saturday, March 23 at 7:30pm for a Barbie-themed, Community Megillah Reading. The night will include an interactive Purim spiel, cupcakes, hamantaschen and other sweets, and a costume contest.

The spiel will be in the style of a reader's theater, which is an interactive style of theater that does not require advance rehearsals. This allows anyone who comes to the celebration ,and who wants to be a part of the spiel, the ability to do so.

There is no cost to attend, but please sign up on our website so we can plan accordingly.



March Birthdays and Anniversaries

Adult Birthdays

- 1 Sue Weisenfeld Ken Rotenstreich Karen Dresser Karen Spira Kent Dewey Mikhail Bochkis Sean Balogh 2 Anne Parsons Brad Procton Eileen Silber Seth Cohen Caroline Panzer 3 Rhoda Winepol
- 5 Amanda Rotenstreich Ranara Rahimova
- 6 Bill Meyerhoffer Lorraine Katz Sheryl Lieb
- 7 Erica Aronson
- 8 Susan Strumwasser Larry Goldberg Linda Silverstein Brendan Younger Marnie Ruskin
- 9 Marcia Berger Don Eckstein Sagi Waroczyk
- 10 Joel Heller
- 11 Hannah Fernandez-Kniseley José Villalba Ken Eisenberg Lowell Rauch
- 12 Ruth Berkelhammer Liza Fishbeyn Jessie Schlosberg
- 13 Maxine Colchamiro Rachel Villalba Dora Ilyasova
- 14 Richard Aronson Sarah Lanse
- 15 Gerald Clawson16 Corky Segal
- Larry Blumenfeld Heather Garner Anita Kumar
 - Samuel Kniseley, III

- 17 Linda Fleishman Patrick Neff Vickie Kilimanjaro Gail Bernstein
- 18 Todd Gers
 Clay Burton
- 19 Jay Eisenberg Sidney Stern, III 20 Jennifer Summer
- Jill Jackson Tony Lo Giudice Dan Waksman
- 22 Jennifer Sadock Andy Koren Leta Pius
- 23 Tracy Simon
 Dana Schleien
 Barbara Shyloski
 Allen Greenstein
- 24 Marla Schexnider Joel Liebling
- Paul Mengert 25 Deb McKinney
- Anna Feller 26 Stacy Fuller
- Stacey Cunningham 27 Brandon Singerman
- Bradley Kamlet 28 Yitzhak Maaravi
- 28 Yıtzhak Maara Bonnie Miller
- 29 Maryann Abrahams Mike Marshall Barry Strulson
 - Jeff Fuller
- Ted Berger 30 Paul Jalazo
- Maxine Yager
- 31 Jaime Brown Neil Aberman Katherine Taylor Bernie Mann

Children Birthdays

- 1 Becca Knapp
- 2 Benny McClanahan
- 3 Conner Kamlet
- 4 Ben Williams Francesca Maisano
- 5 Tobias Pikler Kelsey Weissburg
- 6 Rebecca Aronson Marley Wall
- 9 Mychaella Bowen Zoe McKeon Zavier Singerman
- 13 Danny Kime
- Noga Wasserberg 14 Ethan Monosoff
- 16 Myah Greenstein

- 17 Noah Regal Marion Neff
- 18 Noah Geier Amelia Fisher Aiden Kranz
- 19 Woody Sellars Samantha Schlosberg
- 21 Kara Maxwell Miles Reichle
- 25 Elena LeBauer Josh Schwarz
- 27 Noah Strasser
- 29 Naomi Kleiner
- 30 Julie Katz
- 31 Braylin Lanse-Fisher

Anniversaries

3 Kelly & Glenn Drew
Carmen & Mel Kriegsman
4 Lani & Stone Yeatts
7 Deb & Mike McKinney
8 Chagit & Terry Kahn
Michele & Matt Slaine
15 Laura Denhardt
& Barry Romberg

17 Joe & Michele Basile

24 Mary & Scott Van der Linden Kim & Howard Benson 26 Lauran & Steve Epstein 27 Sharon & Jared Gibbs 28 Lynn & Kevin MacDonald 29 Renee & Lanny Miller 30 Elizabeth & Richard Aronson

Mazal Tov!

Mazal Tov to Valentina Giraldo and Tom Gromko on the birth of their son, Simón Oliver Giraldo-Gromko, on Thursday, February 1st.

Mazal Tov to Marissa & Brooks Lanier on the birth of their daughter, Nora Marielle Lanier on Sunday, February 11. Mazal Tov also to Nora's grandparents: Victoria & Ron Milstein, Martha & Brian Harvey, and Susan & Terry Lanier.

Mazal Tov to Sarah and Matt Schiavone on the birth of their daughter, Sophia Nicole Schiavone, on Tuesday, February 22. Mazal Tov also to Sophia's grandparents: Emily & Robert Nudelman and Jill & Tony Schiavone.

March Yahrzeits

Please note that Shabbat Services and Chevra Torah will be held online and in-person this month, unless otherwise noted.

Yahrzeits are read during Shabbat Services on Friday night and the following Saturday morning.

(If there is no Saturday morning service, they will be read at the end of Chevra Torah, at approximately 10:15am)

To be read at
Shabbat Services
on Friday, March
1, at 6:30pm at the
<u>Greene Street</u>
Campus &
Saturday, March 2,
at 10:30am (at
Shabbat Morning
Services, in-person
only)

Frank Prager Jack Stein *Celia Goldfarb Jerry Gottman Eli Marcus *Harvey Yoffe *Ira Gottlieb *Jeff Kottler Maurice Samuels William Trotter Jessie Krueger Ed Adderholdt *Esther Magid Robert Dreyer Jerry Leitner Charles Napier Frieda Reich Judy Wisan *Shirley Kalina

To be read at **Shabbat Services** on Friday, March 8, at 6:30pm (Disability Awareness and **Inclusion Shabbat)** & Saturday, March 9 (at the end of Chevra Torah) Carleen Hubbard Siegfried Goodman Warren Bass Mark Ritter Renee Katz *Leonard Guyes Benjamin Lipson

*Dorothy Melnikof

James Simmons

Marc Hamburger

*Seymour Levin

Jesse Daugherty

Stanley Moss

Jerome Malevan

*Christiane Wayser

William Savino

To be read at **Shabbat Services** on Friday, March 15, at 6:30pm & Saturday, March 16, at 10:30am (at **Girl Scout Shabbat Morning Services**) Bernard Friedman Lena Heller Milton Sommers *Norman Block Oscar Schwartz Roberta Summerell Ruth Wineburg Siggie Robinson Bill Thompson *Jerry Hyman William Kastern Jeanne Simons Morris Sklut Nathan Jay Ruth Branch *Walter Nudelman Frances Bass Rigsbee Rita Lichtenstein Dora Lubowsky *Joel Fleishman Lawrence Cohen Marilyn Goldberg *Ronald Wolock *Alvin Hamburger Trudy & Mickey Thompson Sophie Morgenstern Lebauer

To be read at **Shabbat Services** on Friday, March 22, at 6:30pm & Saturday, March 23 (at the end of Chevra Torah) *Gwendolyn **Bougess** Julius Freedman *Charles Leipham Merrillee Deitch *Robert Cone Farley Fisher Sol Silverman Al Herman **Doris Rowe** *Elaine Gottlieb Gertrude Unger Frank Freeman *Henry Tager Irene Goland John Seay *Muriel Pines Dara Lansat *David Geier *Jack Rachlin Max Farb Jack Pollack Mildred Evans *Philip Gottlieb

*Richard Jackson

To be read at Shabbat Services on Friday, March 29, at 6:30pm & Saturday, March 30, at 10:30am (at Shabbat Morning Services)

Esther Eisenberg Illein Youngman *Philip Delman **Robert Lavietes** *David Bank **Ethel Rosenthal** Barbara Lewis *Carolyn King *Helen Markowitz Lewis Key *Helen Milstein Herman Unger *John Kilimanjaro Rebecca Fine *Richard Alberti *Cathy Wainer Harry Eisenberg Stephen Gerofsky Frank Feller *Hans Youngman John Lerner *Max Block Taira Saksonskava Londa Cooke *Morris Sokoloff Norman Axelrod

* A yahrzeit plaque for these loved ones will be lit in the Memorial Room during the month of March.

In Memoriam

Joan Milman, Mother of Scott Milman, on February 3.

Arthur Bernard Nagler, Father of Faryl (Mark) Podolle, on Thursday, February 8.

Ted Goga, Father of Sondra (Simon) Solomon, on Wednesday, February 21.

Brett Shapiro, Son of Donna and Mark Shapiro, on Thursday, February 22.

Contributions

We are grateful to the following for their generous donations to Temple Emanuel's various funds. If you would like to make a contribution in memory or in honor of someone, please refer to the back page of this bulletin or go to www.tegreensboro.org/donation.

Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund

Sylvia and Amy Torchinsky, in memory of Karen Mendelsohn and in honor of Karen's wife and caregiver, Janet Howard Mary Berkelhammer, in memory of Rita Guyes and Kay Stern

Chesed Fund

Karen Dresser, in appreciation of Brenda Henley, Paula Justice and Donna Allred for their caring and help during her recent illness

Early Childhood Engagement Center

<u>Anne & Paul Gulley</u>, for classroom books and supplies

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<u>Mary Berkelhammer</u>, in memory of Marilyn Benson and Lois Bass Murphy

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<u>Deb Schoenhoff & Jerry Plovsky</u>, in memory of Eric Gottlieb and Raymond Barry <u>Michael & Beth Scher</u>, in memory of

<u>Michael & Beth Scher</u>, in memory of Rosalyn Scher Stetson Clark

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<u>Martin Goldfarb</u>, in memory of Barbara Berlin

2024 Teacher Holocaust Educational Trip to Poland

Ben & Betty Cone, Sally B. Cone,
David & Jo Delman, Gary & Ellen
Fischer, Barry & Kathy Frank, Zev &
Bernice Harel, Sue Klau, Paul & May
Gayle Mengert, Ken & Debby Miller,
Allison Murphy, Pamela Haber &
Jason Mostofsky, Stuart Mostofsky,
Allison Murphy, Tom & Linda Sloan,
Strasser Family
Stanley & Dorothy Frank Family
Foundation
Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation
NC Holocaust Foundation, in
memory of Steve Mostofsky

Jerusalem Arrow Sculpture

Jerry Plovsky & Deb Schoenhoff

Kilimanjaro Library Fund

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March of the Living

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Gene & Marlene Baruch, in honor of Sue Klau

<u>Janet Webb and Alan Guyes</u>, for the wonderful support from Rabbi Koren and the Temple community and in memory of Rita Guyes

<u>Barbara & Arthur Sohn</u>, in memory of Rita Guyes

Betty & David Leinwand, in memory of Edward "Eddie" Morton Leinwand Clara Jean Berry, in honor of Lynn and Gerald's 45th Wedding Anniversary

<u>Lon Tytell</u>, in memory of Rosita Tytell

Tzedakah for Israel

Karen & Andrew Brod, Irene Cohen, Carol Cone Douglas, Phyllis Goldman, Sue Klau, Joel & Simone Liebling, Midge Pines, Jeannette Rosenbaum, Jerry & Marnie Ruskin, Grace Sheldon for a pair of boots for the IDF

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2006-08

2008-10

2010-12

2012-14

2014-16

2016-18 2018-20

2020-22

March Shabbat & Holiday Service Schedule

Services are livestreamed and in-person, unless otherwise noted.

Friday, March 1

6:30 p.m. - Shabbat Service at Greene Street

Saturday, March 2

9:00 a.m. - Chevra Torah (In-person & on Zoom)

10:30 a.m. - Shabbat Morning Services (In-person only)

Friday, March 8

6:30 p.m. - Disability Awareness and Inclusion Shabbat Service

Saturday, March 9

Bill Moran

9:00 a.m. - Chevra Torah with Kaddish (In-person & on Zoom)

Friday, March 15

6:30 p.m. - Shabbat Service

Saturday, March 16

9:00 a.m. - Chevra Torah (In-person & on Zoom)

10:30 a.m. - Girl Scout Shabbat Morning Services (In-person only) 5:00 p.m. - Havdalah B'yachad

(In-person only)

Friday, March 22

6:30 p.m. - Shabbat Service

Saturday, March 23

9:00 a.m. - Chevra Torah with Kaddish (In-person & on Zoom)

7:30 p.m. - Estie: Community Megillah Reading (In-person only)

Friday, March 29

6:30 p.m. - Shabbat Service

Saturday, March 30

9:00 a.m. - Chevra Torah (In-person & on Zoom)

10:30 a.m. - Shabbat Morning Services (In-person only)

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Temple Emanuel strives to be a place of *Keruv*, of closeness to God and Jewish culture. Temple Emanuel's mission is to bring its congregants closer to: *Tikkun Olam* - The commitment to repair God's world through the pursuit of justice; Tikkun *Nefesh* - Personal and spiritual growth as a Jew and as a human being; *Talmud Torah* - Life-long study of Torah and of Jewish history and tradition; *Am Yisrael* - The Jewish people, in Greensboro, the United States, Israel, and worldwide; Eretz *Yisrael* - The land, people, and the state of Israel; *Mishpacha* -A sense of extended family through a warm and supportive atmosphere and Reform Judaism - Its principles and values.

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Temple Emanuel is committed to inclusivity: *Hachnasat Orchim* (Hospitality) means welcoming people of different cultural backgrounds, races, nationalities, sexual orientations, genders, gender identities, gender expressions, physical and mental abilities, and ages. We recognize Jewish identity from both matrilineal and patrilineal descent. Our Rabbis are open to officiating at Jewish ceremonies for interfaith marriages. Appreciating the critical role played by non-Jewish parents in the upbringing of Jewish children, we encourage full participation in congregational and religious life by interfaith families.

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