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The Spirit of Emanu-El

Celebrating our past, present and future on our 175th anniversary

Dear Friends,

By now, you may be familiar with our synagogue's founding story — our journey from a second-floor loft on the Lower East Side to our majestic Fifth Avenue sanctuary; our emergence from a small gathering of thirty-three German Jews into a proud congregation of 2,300 member households, among the largest Reform temples in our nation. That we have grown so dramatically over our 175 years is a testament to our success, but not its essence. Our progress was driven by a yearning and an ability to shape an American Judaism that better reflected the promise of the New World, a desire and a creativity to express our venerable faith in vibrant new ways.

Innovation. Bold aspirations. Love of Jewish culture and tradition. Relevance. Community. These have been hallmarks of Temple Emanu-El since our founding. And our 175th anniversary year will honor that marvelous legacy, and, just as significantly, anticipate our next chapter.

On Rosh Hashanah, I shared former temple president Louis Marshall's proposal ninety years ago to move our synagogue uptown from 43rd street



Senior Rabbi Joshua M. Davidson

to its current location at 65th and Fifth. On that historic occasion, he declared: "It is for us to carry forward the Ark of the Covenant...to enlarge our horizons, to become builders." When we consider the troubled and ever-changing world around us and recognize the role that such moral touchstones as faith and community play for us, we understand this anniversary as our time "to enlarge our horizons" and "carry forward the Ark."

In many ways, we have already begun. The Streicker Center continues to offer engaging events, classes and trips exploring Jewish history, thought and culture, and attracting members and non-members

Temple Emanu-El Through the Ages:



The congregation's first location: A rented second-floor loft at Grand & Clinton Streets on the Lower East Side.



In 1847, Temple Emanu-El moved north to a church on Chrystie Street, which was then rededicated.



In 1854, the temple moved farther uptown to another former church on 12th Street.

alike. The Bernard Museum's exhibitions, including the current exhibit on the life of Barbra Streisand, "Hello Gorgeous," have received critical acclaim. Emanu-El Explorers, Explorers on the Go, and many new Young Families programs offer Jewish educational opportunities tailored to the needs of parents throughout the city. "Gather" groups, successfully launched this year, connect our congregants in intimate settings and build communities within our congregation that are relevant to them and to their time of life. Steadily, over the past several years, we have expanded our offerings to improve the membership experience. And yet, much more remains to be done if our synagogue is truly to play a central role in our members' lives, throughout their lives.

At the same time, Temple Emanu-El is committed to effecting change beyond our walls. Our temple's social action efforts, including upcoming Tikkun Olam programs like Project Prom and Second Seder, provide meaningful ways for our members to make a difference in our local community. And we must reach further, exemplifying and amplifying the principles of Reform Judaism — not just for Jews, but also to build bridges to neighbors and friends who share our commitments to social responsibility, justice and equality in a diverse, often discordant, society, and to address the rise of anti-Semitism and other forms of hate.



Our first 175 years have been glorious. Temple Emanu-El has been blessed with good fortune and great leadership which recognized the potential of, and in, our congregation to lead the Jewish world, and worked hard to bring us from that rented loft to a New York City landmark. Together we must ensure that our next chapter is just as vibrant. More on that subject in the months ahead.

But now we celebrate! Throughout the course of the coming year we will rejoice in our historic past, exciting present and bright future. A special rededication service appropriately scheduled for Chanukah will feature noted government and Jewish community leaders. **But the celebration begins June 5th with a Shabbat evening for young and old and every age between. Following a brief 5:30 service, we will walk to the Central Park Zoo for the largest Shabbat dinner in the history of Temple Emanu-El. Be with us as, with great joy, we kick off our next 175 years!**

— Rabbi Joshua M. Davidson

From Grand & Clinton to Fifth & 65th



In 1868, the temple built their first permanent house of worship at Fifth Avenue and 43rd Street.



Temple Emanu-El consolidated with fellow Reform temple, Beth-El, in 1927.



The current historic sanctuary at Fifth Avenue and 65th Street was completed in 1929 and has been our home for over 90 years.



Left: Our Fifth Avenue Sanctuary filled with scaffolding during its restoration, 2004/2005. Right: Light shining through the stained glass in our Fifth Avenue Sanctuary, 2019.



The Stettenheim Library was named for Ivan M. Stettenheim, a student in our Religious School. This photo is from the 1950s.



Lazare Saminsky, Temple Emanu-El choir director, with the choir ca. 1948.



Photograph from the 100th Anniversary of the Congregation. New York, 1945.

 **175 YEARS**
TEMPLE EMANU-EL

“And now this is our mission: To carry forward the Ark of the Covenant – proudly, bravely, unafraid. To become builders. To lift up a voice of honesty, integrity and moral courage for our people and our country. To enlarge the horizons of synagogue life. And to sing a new song unto God.”

— Rabbi Joshua M. Davidson



The congregation's Judaica collection, formed in 1929 by a gift from Treasurer Henry Toch.



Emanu-El Marriage contract for William Weiss and Therese Lederer, October 3, 1858.



Students in Religious School Classrooms, ca. 1950.



Postcard of Temple Beth-El. New York, ca. 1900.



First Confirmation Class in current 65th Street Building's Fifth Avenue Sanctuary, 1931.



Interior of Temple Emanu-El, Fifth Avenue and 43rd Street, 1868. Engraving from Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper, October 3, 1868.

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ON THE COVER

Rabbis Davidson, Ehrlich and Gross-Prinz at the Central Park Zoo in anticipation of our upcoming Shabbat Dinner at the Zoo.

To learn more about this event, see page 15.



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Worship at Emanu-El



Sabbath Eve Lay-Led Union Prayer Book Minyan

Fridays, March 6 & April 3 | 5:15 PM

Please join us in Greenwald Hall for a lay-led Union Prayer Book Sabbath *minyan* in the tradition of the Temple's daily Sunset Service. Gather with friends old and new for a contemplative welcoming of the Sabbath, prior to our liturgy in the main sanctuary. If you have questions or are interested in volunteering to read on future dates, contact Dr. Frederick Roden at fsroden@aol.com.

Baby Shabbat

Fridays, March 6 & April 17 | 9:15 to 10:00 AM

Introduce your baby to the music and blessing of Shabbat and a taste of challah. For more information, see page 24.

Frida Night Live: Battling Bigotry

Friday, March 13 | Service: 6:00 PM

Fifth Avenue Sanctuary

For almost three decades, Abraham Foxman served as America's top cop on the anti-Semitism beat. Temple Emanu-El is honored to welcome Mr. Foxman, now head of the Center for the Study of Anti-Semitism at the Museum of Jewish Heritage, to talk about his life, his life's work and about keeping Jews alive. An extended oneg reception with live music will follow.

Teen Leadership Shabbat Kodesh

Friday, April 3 | 6:00 PM | Fifth Avenue Sanctuary

Join us for a lively Shabbat Kodesh service! This month's service will honor and be led by high school students who have taken on a leadership role within our congregational community. Join us for a Family Dinner after the service. While our service is open to all, the dinner requires registration. For more information, see page 20.

Eve of Passover & Passover Services

Wednesday, April 8 | 5:15 PM | Fifth Avenue Sanctuary

Thursday, April 9 | 10:30 AM | Fifth Avenue Sanctuary

Services for the beginning of Passover will be held in the Main Sanctuary. To accommodate first-night Seder plans of our members, Eve of Passover services on April 8 will be held at 5:15 PM. For more Passover events, see page 8.

Eve of Conclusion of Passover & Conclusion of Passover Services

Tuesday, April 14 | 6:00 PM | Beth-El Chapel

Wednesday, April 15 | 10:30 AM | Beth-El Chapel

Services for the Conclusion of Passover will be held in the Beth-El Chapel. The Wednesday, April 15, service will also be a memorial service. It is one of four times each year when we mourn together (*Yizkor*) and recite the memorial prayers to remember those whom we have loved and lost.

"An exceptional and little-known story of humanity: the rescue of Jews in Albania during the Holocaust" with Ambassador Besiana Kadare

Friday, April 17 | 6:00 PM | Fifth Avenue Sanctuary

Temple Emanu-El is honored to welcome Ambassador Besiana Kadare, Permanent Representative of Albania to the United Nations, as our special guest speaker. In advance of Yom HaShoah, the Ambassador will tell the incredible but largely unknown story of how Albania became a safe haven for Jews during the Holocaust. Please join us for this meaningful service. All are welcome.

Young Families Shabbat

Saturday, April 18 | 9:30 to 11:00 AM | One East 65th Street

Young Families Shabbat is geared specifically for preschool and Nursery School aged students and their families. For more information, see page 24.



VOTE REFORM

GIVE REFORM A VOICE IN ISRAEL

To learn more & vote, visit emanuelnyc.org/votereform



Torah at a Glance

The following are weekly readings for March and April 2020. View our preaching schedule and more at www.emanuelnyc.org/services.

T'tzaveh

(Read Saturday, March 7)
Exodus 27:20-30:10

Ki Tisa

(Read Saturday, March 14)
Exodus 30:11-34:35

Vayak'heil - P'kudei

(Read Saturday, March 21)
Exodus 35:1-40:38

Vayikra

(Read Saturday, March 28)
Leviticus 1:1-5:26

Tzav

(Read Saturday, April 4)
Leviticus 6:1-8:36

Chol HaMo-eid Pesach

(Read Saturday, April 11)
Holidays Exodus 33:12-34:266

Sh'mini

(Read Saturday, April 18)
Leviticus 9:1-11:47

Tazria-Metzora

(Read Saturday, April 25)
Leviticus 12:1 - 15:33

WEEKLY TORAH STUDY

Torah study sessions take place each Saturday from 9:15 to 10:15 AM. All are welcome to attend. Through engaging, thoughtful conversation and lively debate, we plumb the depths of our most important sacred text and discover themes in the narrative that still affect our lives today.

An exceptional story of humanity:

The rescue of Jews in Albania during the Holocaust



with

Ambassador Besiana Kadare

Permanent Representative of Albania to the United Nations

Friday, April 17 | 6:00 PM

For more information, see page 6.
All are welcome.

Yom HaShoah

Annual Gathering of Remembrance

April 19 | 2:00 PM | Fifth Avenue Sanctuary

Each year, we come together as a community and say, "we will never forget." This commemoration is sponsored by the Museum of Jewish Heritage: A Living Memorial to the Holocaust. Reservations are required. Temple members, please contact Mark Heutlinger at 212-507-9511. Nonmembers may contact AGR@mjhny.org or 646-437-4227.



Homebound Delivery & Second Seder

Packing of meals for homebound seniors will be held Sunday, April 5, beginning at 9:00 AM. Delivery drivers should report at 9:45 AM. Enter at 10 East 66th Street; a continental breakfast will be provided. Second Seder will be served on Thursday, April 9.

Please tear out and return this page or complete this form online at bit.ly/secondseder

Volunteer Registration Form:

- Yes, I (we) will be able to pack homebound bags.
- Yes, I (we) have a car and will be available for homebound delivery.
- Yes, I (we) will volunteer for Second Seder.

Total number of volunteers: _____

Second Seder Job Performance (please pick one)

- Setting tables (1:00 PM, all ages welcome)
- Kitchen Staff for meal preparation (1:30 PM, adults only during cooking)
- Bus Escort (3:30 PM, adults only; report to assigned senior center location)
- Table service (4:00 PM, all ages welcome)
- Elevator service (4:30 PM, ages 14 and over)
- Preparation of bus bags (6:00 PM, all ages welcome)

Name of person completing form:

Volunteer First Name:

Volunteer Last Name:

Preferred email address:

Preferred phone number:

- I am enclosing a contribution to help defray program costs.

Saviv Passover Seder

April 9, 7:00 PM

205 E. Houston



KATZ'S DELICATESSEN

Visit saviv.org for more information



Women's Seder

Please join us as we celebrate women's voices through the ages — led by women, for women.

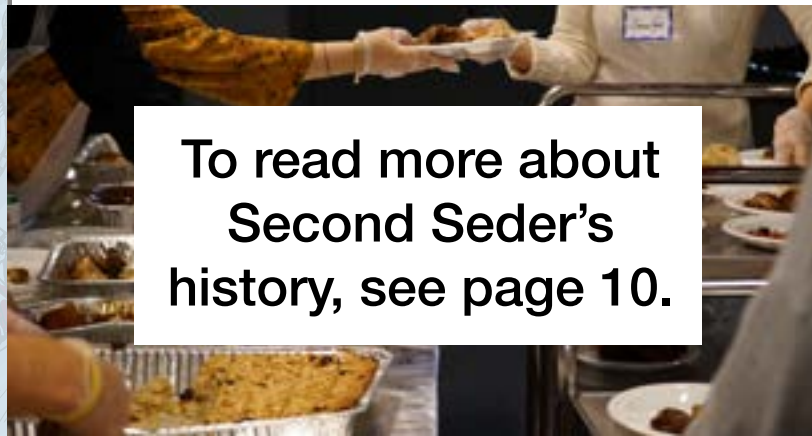
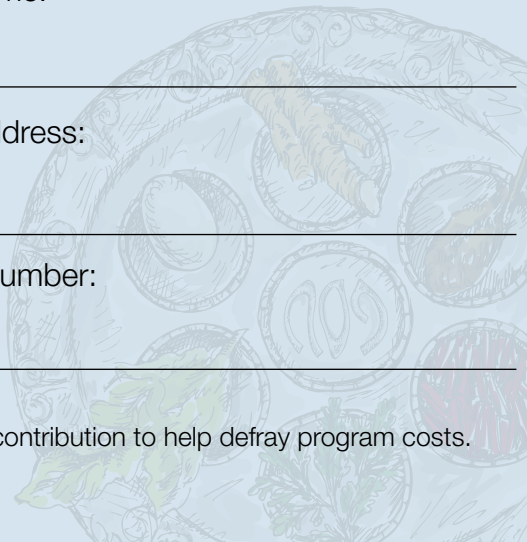


Sunday, March 29, 2020

Doors open at 10:00 AM

For more information and to RSVP, please visit emanuelnyc.org/womensseder.

To read more about
Second Seder's
history, see page 10.





NO HATE, NO FEAR



SOLIDARITY MARCH



On Sunday, January 5, Temple Emanu-El came together to take part in the “No Hate. No Fear.” Solidarity March. A sizeable contingent of congregants, including Rabbis Davidson, Ehrlich, Gross-Prinz and Sapadin, attended alongside our fellow New Yorkers.

This crucial event, organized by the UJA-Federation of New York—in partnership with JCRC-NY, ADL-NY, AJC-NY, and the New York Board of Rabbis—was held in light of the ongoing and persistent attacks against our community, and called upon New Yorkers of all backgrounds to unite and march as one across the Brooklyn Bridge, followed by a rally in Columbus Park.

To see more photos of this important event, visit emanuelnyc.org/solidaritymarch.



Second Seder: 44 Years of Service

The Tikkun Olam committee's annual Second Seder is one of Temple Emanu-El's longest-running community service projects. For 44 years, we have opened our doors to hundreds of elderly Jews from senior centers throughout the city. They join us for a community seder, staffed by dedicated congregants who volunteer their time to make this special evening possible. Many of our guests do not have the resources to observe a traditional Passover seder, and some would otherwise likely spend the holiday alone. For some in our congregation, Second Seder has grown from a community service project to an intergenerational Passover tradition as their families come back year after year to serve the greater Jewish community.

Lesley and David Koepfel are among the congregants who champion this project; without them it would not be feasible. They and their three children have been involved with Second Seder for almost 15 years and this year will be no different. Lesley plays an integral preparatory role, as she and fellow congregant Juliet Cooper coordinate our volunteers by assigning different jobs based on age, experience, time available, and desire to help in a specific area. There are a number of duties still to be fulfilled this year by our volunteers regarding guest transportation, table service, food preparation, setup, and more. When asked which areas are still in the greatest need of volunteers, Lesley mentioned, "The biggest challenge lies in pre-assigning a table captain for each individual table. Table captains stay with their assigned table for the entire Seder making sure the table is clean, the guests have everything they need, and everyone at the table is served at the same time."



From left: Lesley Koepfel, Juliet Cooper, and Rabbi Joshua Davidson light candles at Second Seder 2019.

In addition to table captains, we are looking for table runners, who are given a rolling cart by the kitchen staff filled with food to serve to one or two tables at a time. We are also always in need of helping hands to pack bags of Passover foods for our guests to take with them when they leave.

These are just a few of many ways to get involved with this monumental community service project. If you and your family would like to lend your efforts to Second Seder 5780, we ask that you view a full list of volunteer duties and complete the form on page 8 or at emanuelnyc.org/2ndseder. Once you've completed the form, Lesley or Juliet will reach out to discuss your preferences and availability.

The Heritage Society

Save the Date

The Heritage Society Spring Luncheon

May 20, 2020 | One East 65th Street

Invitation to follow.

What is The Heritage Society?

Established to thank and honor our many generous members and friends who have included a donation to Congregation Emanu-El in their estate plan, The Heritage Society consists of Emanu-El's most devoted members and friends. These gifts, to be received in the future, will ensure

Emanu-El's continued leadership and excellence just as earlier bequests have helped to build the Emanu-El of today.

This is a sacred bond linking generation to generation. If you have already provided for a gift to the temple in your estate plan, or for more information about how to include a bequest to Emanu-El, please contact Robyn Cimbol at

212-507-9524 or rcimbol@emanuelnyc.org.

Emanu-El Cares partners with CancerCare

Emanu-El Cares is a resource for temple members through life's journey, celebrating whenever possible and supporting when necessary. If you are dealing with cancer, we encourage you to take advantage of the resources offered by CancerCare, such as free counseling by professional oncology social workers for patients and caregivers; support groups to help you cope and connect with others; education workshops to become informed about cancer-related issues. CancerCare may also help defray the cost of treatment, such as co-pays, transportation to doctors and hospitals, for those who qualify financially.

To learn more: www.cancercare.org. For all of their free support services: call **800-813-HOPE (4673)**. To speak with the clergy, contact Rabbi Amy Ehrlich (**212-744-1400, ext 206**) or email: aehrich@emanuelnyc.org

To read a very personal account, from the shock of a diagnosis to the comfort found in a support group, read the essay written by Stephen Fields at emanuelnyc.org/cancercare.

Emanu-El Cares

The Emanu-El Cares initiative was created to support, care for and celebrate every member of our congregation through a variety of programs and opportunities. As we support each other, we grow stronger.



Celebrating, Supporting & Comforting our Congregation | A Community Where Every Individual Matters



What Matters Group Presentation

Thursday, March 12 | 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Who will speak for you in the event you cannot? A Health Care Proxy appoints your Health Care Agent, who is someone who knows just what is important to you and who will pursue the kind of medical care you would want.

A trained facilitator will explain how simple Advanced Care Planning can provide you and your loved ones with peace of mind. We look forward to having you join the conversation. To RSVP, please email us at WhatMatters@emanuelnyc.org.

Book Discussion with Rabbi Amy B. Ehrlich

Thursday, May 7 | 10:30 AM
Stettenheim Library

All are welcome to join us for a discussion of the popular and poignant memoir, *When Breath Becomes Air*, by Paul Kalanithi. His personal journey from neurosurgeon to patient leaves us with important lessons on identity, illness and courage, and the legacy each of us leave. Come share your thoughts and learn more about how you can become an advocate for your own health.

Please RSVP to WhatMatters@emanuelnyc.org.

Community as Family



Mondays, March 23, April 20 | 6:00 PM
One East 65th Street

Temple members of all ages without close family, or who may be anticipating “aging solo,” are invited to Community as Family, a cordial group which empowers our later years by developing diverse meaningful relationships, learning how to access important resources, and thinking strategically about the future. Light refreshments will be served. For more information, contact us at **212-507-9603** or communityasfamily@emanuelnyc.org.

Marking a meaningful moment

Are you, or is someone you know in our community, facing a life-changing moment — the birth of a child, a wedding, a death in the family, illness or a hospital stay? Please contact Emanu-El Cares by calling **Rabbi Amy Ehrlich** at **212-507-9606** or emailing emanuelcares@emanuelnyc.org.

RESOLVE: The National Infertility Association

Tuesday, March 31, Thursday, April 23 | 6:30 PM - 7:45 PM
One East 65th Street

Struggling to build a family?
Currently pursuing infertility treatments, donor egg or sperm?



Considering adoption? Looking to connect with others on a similar journey? We invite you and your loved ones to join RESOLVE's Upper East Side General Infertility Peer-Led Support Group. Monthly meetings are held at no cost. Participation and regular attendance are voluntary. To RSVP for a meeting, or contact the volunteer support group leaders, please email us at mjkstrong@gmail.com. Feel supported, empowered and less isolated. Join us and see that you are not alone.

DOROT is our Partner in Caring!

While Yael Kornfeld, our social worker, is on maternity leave, all members who are supporting a family member aged 60+ can still reach out to DOROT if you have a need for a home visit, short-term counseling, escorts to medical appointments, and caregiver support. DOROT has vast offerings, including intergenerational programs, on-site classes at DOROT, and more! Don't hesitate to ask for help or get involved.



To speak with a DOROT staff member about programs or community resources, please call the Resource Line at **212-769-2850**, or email us at info@dorotusa.org. You can also visit DOROT online at dorotusa.org.

Community



For more information about our community events, visit emanuelnyc.org/calendar or call us at 212-744-1400.

Women's Auxiliary

Community Shabbat Dinner featuring "Irena Gut: Only a Girl," created and performed by Janet Rodgers

Friday, March 6, 2020 | 7:15 PM | One East 65th Street



Following our 6:00 PM worship service, join The Women's Auxiliary for Shabbat Dinner featuring a 50-minute solo performance in poetry and prose created by Janet Rodgers.

Moving between narration (prose) and poetic form, this epic performance poem tells the true story of Irena Gut, a young, Catholic Polish girl who saved the lives of 12 young Jewish professionals from extermination by the Nazis during WWII. Then, at the end of the war when Poland was taken over by the Soviets, these 12 Jewish men and women saved her. It is a story of love, compassion, courage and human respect. Please RSVP at emanuelnyc.org/calendar by March 2. Cost is \$50 for Women's Auxiliary and Men's Club members; \$60 for all other temple members and their guests.

The Women's Auxiliary Book Club

Thursday, March 26 | 2:00 PM | One East 65th Street

Cantor Mo Glazman will interview famed author, travel writer and food critic Amy Rosen about her latest Jewish cookbook, *Kosher Style*. Cantor Glazman will ask her about her process as a writer and food critic. Amy Rosen is a James Beard nominee and award-winning freelance journalist. She also launched enRoute magazine's Best New Restaurants in Canada feature as its first restaurant critic. She develops recipes for *Food & Drink* and such brands as Lindt. Light refreshments will be served. Copies of her book will be available for purchase for \$20. There is no charge for this event, but reservations are required. RSVP by Tuesday, March 24, at emanuelnyc.org/calendar.



A Trip through Time: Tenement Museum

Tuesday, March 31, 2020 | 10:00 AM | One East 65th Street

Once home to an estimated 15,000 people from more than 20 nations between 1863 and 2000, the Lower East

Side Tenement Museum now provides an interesting look into the lives of its former residents and the history of New York. Lunch and pricing details to follow. RSVP by March 24 at emanuelnyc.org/calendar. This event is open only to temple members and their guests.



The Women's Auxiliary Book Club

Thursday, April 23, 2020 | 2:00 PM | One East 65th Street

Rabbi Davidson will join us for our April Book Club discussion. Book title and summary to follow. There is no charge for this event but registration is required. Please RSVP by April 21. This event is open only to temple members.

On the Road Again... Washington's Headquarters State Historic Site & Tour of Dia: Beacon

Thursday, April 30, 2020 | Meet at One East 65th Street
Check-in: 8:00 AM | Departs temple: 8:15 AM

Washington's Headquarters is the nation's first publicly owned historic site. It was in the Hasbrouck family's Dutch style farmhouse that General Washington spent the most time at any military headquarters. Lunch will follow at Blu Pointe Restaurant with scenic Hudson River views. After lunch, a guided tour of Dia: Beacon, Riggio Galleries; it is the museum for the Dia Art Foundation's collection of art from the 1960s to the present. The museum is situated on the banks of the Hudson River in Beacon, New York. Roundtrip bus transportation provided. Cost is \$135 for Women's Auxiliary, and Men's Club members; \$145 for all other temple members and their guests. Please RSVP by April 24 at emanuelnyc.org/calendar. This event is open only to temple members and their guests.



Men's Club & Club 65

Club 65: "Hello Gorgeous" Discussion & Museum Tour

Tuesday, March 10 | 11:00 AM | One East 65th Street

Herbert & Eileen Bernard Museum Curator Warren Klein will discuss the current museum exhibition, "Hello Gorgeous," and lead us in a detailed tour of the museum. Please RSVP at emanuelnyc.org/calendar.

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“My Million Dollar Mom” Film and Discussion About Dementia: Fulfilling Mitzvot Within The Family

Sunday, March 15 | 10:00 AM | One East 65th Street



Author, screenwriter, producer and member of the Men of Reform Judaism at Keneseth Israel in Elkins Park, PA, Ross Schriftman will present his 32-minute, award-winning short film, which is a drama inspired by Ross’ story

of his caring for his mom, who lived with dementia. A panel discussion will follow with special guests Kevin Jameson, Volunteer President of the Dementia Society of America, and Dr. Steven Mandel, a prominent New York neurologist. Please register at emanuelnyc.org/calendar.

The Oath and the Office:

A Guide to The Constitution for Future Presidents

Sunday, April 5 | 10:00 AM | One East 65th Street



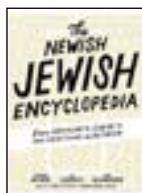
In today’s fraught political climate, it often seems as if we must become constitutional law scholars just to understand the news from Washington, let alone make a responsible decision at the polls.

Constitutional law scholar and Brown University political science professor Corey Brettschneider guides us through the Constitution and explains the powers — and limits — that it places on the presidency. From the document itself and from American history’s most famous court cases, we learn why certain powers were granted to the presidency, how the Bill of Rights limits those powers, and what “we the people” can do to influence the nation’s highest public office

— including, if need be, removing the person in it. Please register at emanuelnyc.org/calendar.

Club 65: “The Newish Jewish Encyclopedia” Book Discussion with Author Stephanie Butnick

Tuesday, April 14 | 11:00 AM | One East 65th Street



Stephanie Butnick, author of *The Newish Jewish Encyclopedia* and host of Tablet Magazine’s popular Unorthodox podcast, will discuss her book, which offers a truly unorthodox approach to Judaism. It allows each reader to find his or her point of

connection with the culture, religion and traditions. Please RSVP at emanuelnyc.org/calendar.

“Playing for Peace” with Arielle Thomas Sabol

Thursday, April 16 | 7:00 PM | One East 65th Street

Please join us for the showing of a

30-minute documentary film entitled *Playing for Peace*. We will be joined for this event by the Israeli-American director, Arielle Sabol, who will discuss the filming of the documentary and its overarching conversation around peace and coexistence. The film follows an Israeli football club, composed of Jews, Christians, and Muslims, as they attempt to overcome a 40-year championship drought and difficult past by advancing further than any Israeli team in Europe’s most prestigious football tournament. The film will leave you wondering: If peace is possible here, where else is it possible? The screening will be followed by a discussion guided by the filmmaker and a Q&A opportunity. Please register at emanuelnyc.org/calendar.



Young Artists

CONCERT SERIES

Sunday, March 15, 2020

Admission to each concert is free and open to the public. Enter at the Marvin and Elizabeth Cassell Community House (One East 65th Street). Concerts are held on Sunday afternoons at 3 PM at Greenwald Hall.



Jiacheng Xiong, Pianist, became a Prize Winner of the 2016 New York International Piano Competition, a biennial event presented under the auspices of The Stecher and Horowitz Foundation.

Sponsored by the Stecher & Horowitz Foundation, this series presents the prize winners of the biennial New York International Piano Competition.



Annual Meeting of the Congregation

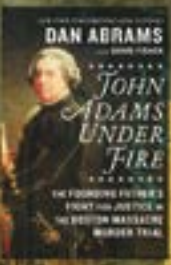
Thursday, May 21, 2020 | 5:30 PM

Reception to follow.

The annual meeting of the members of Congregation Emanu-El of the City of New York will be held in Greenwald Hall, Marvin and Elisabeth Cassell Community House, One East 65th Street, New York City.

Information about the annual meeting will be mailed separately and will include details on membership dues and seating information for the 2020-2021 fiscal year.

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DEFENDING THE ENEMY: JOHN ADAMS AND THE BOSTON MASSACRE

DAN ABRAMS
IN CONVERSATION WITH
MEGYN KELLY



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ANTI-SEMITISM

CONFRONTING THE
OLDEST PREJUDICE
... AT HOME

THE HATE THAT STILL WON'T DIE IN THE US

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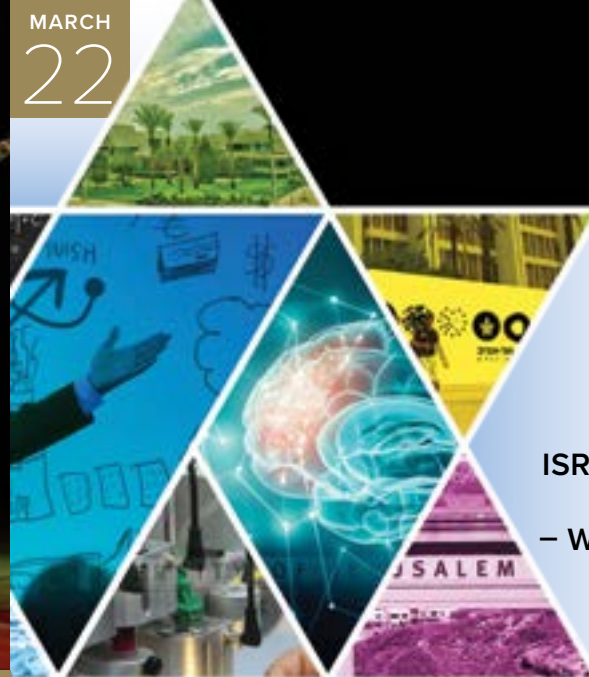
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THE
CUTTING
EDGE OF
ISRAELI HIGHER
EDUCATION
- WITHOUT THE
HOMEWORK!

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MINISTER OF THE UNITED KINGDOM | 2016-2019

VICENTE FOX

FORMER PRESIDENT OF MEXICO | 2000-2006

EHUD BARAK

FORMER PRIME MINISTER OF ISRAEL | 1999-2001

Three world leaders
look forward, and
back, at America's
place on the
international stage.

Moderated by
Fareed Zakaria,
host of CNN's *GPS*
and *Washington Post*
columnist.

1-DAY ISRAELI UNIVERSITY



Sponsored by:
Caren Barness in loving memory of her
husband Amnon S. Barness



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ABRAHAM FOXMAN BATTLING BIGOTRY

Lessons from a half century on the frontlines
against anti-Semitism

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WORDLESS MUSIC PRESENTS:

WALTZ WITH BASHIR

AN ARI FOLMAN FILM

WITH A LIVE 25-PIECE ORCHESTRA

A unique screening of the Israeli
film about a soldier searching for
lost memories, with live orchestra

APRIL
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Orchestra of St. Luke's

Returns for the 40th time, celebrating
composers in the springtime of their lives.

COMING IN JUNE

TEMPLE EMANU-EL TURNS 175!

This Spring we begin the yearlong celebration of the 175th anniversary of our congregation, marking Emanu-El's exciting journey from a bare loft on the Lower East Side to our majestic sanctuary on Fifth Avenue, and from 33 members to 2,300 households.

And on June 5, we invite you to kick-off the celebration with a special Shabbat Dinner at the Central Park Zoo, where:

Longtime members will reunite with old friends

New members will feel the warm embrace of the Emanu-El community

Young professionals will clink glasses and celebrate under the stars

Children will marvel at a fun animated film, giggle at their specially-painted Shabbat faces and enjoy a private visit with the animals.

Friday, June 5

Beginning at 5:30 PM with a brief, special service at Temple Emanu-El

\$36 Adult | \$18 Child (under 18)

Free admission for children under 5

RSVP at EmanuelNYC.org/Zoo



175 YEARS TEMPLE EMANU-EL

SKIRBALL ACADEMY CLASSES

BEGIN APRIL 20



DR. DIANE M. SHARON

BATTLE OF THE GODS:
THE MYTHS OF BAAL VS.
THE GOD OF ISRAEL

Mondays, 12:00 – 1:30 PM



DR. ERIC GOLDMAN

THE FRENCH JEWISH
EXPERIENCE ON THE
SILVER SCREEN

Mondays, 6:15 – 9:00 PM



MARTIN KAUFMAN

THE BANALITY OF EVIL:
HANNAH ARENDT'S
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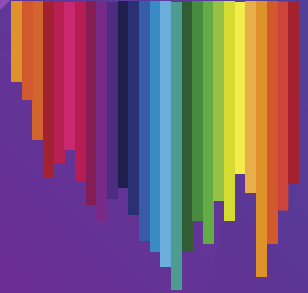
Mondays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM



MIRIAM MEIR

BEGINNING HEBREW

Mondays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM



**TOBI KAHN
RABBA WENDY AMSELLEM**

ARTISTS' BEIT MIDRASH

WINTER & SPRING SESSIONS

Mondays, 7:00 – 9:00 PM

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DR. DANIEL RYNHOLD

ORTHODOX ATHEISM?
THE THOUGHT OF
YESHAYAHU LEIBOWITZ

Tuesdays, 12:30 – 2:00 PM



SHANNON SARNA

BAKE YOUR WAY INTO
JUDAISM

Tuesdays, 6:00 – 8:00 PM



DR. DAVID E. KAUFMAN

NEW YORK JEWS AND THE
MAKING OF AMERICAN POP
CULTURE

Tuesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM



RABBI JANET ROBERTS

INTRODUCTION TO
JUDAISM: A MODERN TAKE
ON JEWISH LIFE

Tuesdays, 6:30 – 8:30 PM



**RABBI JOSEPH A.
SKLOOT, PHD**

JEWISH-CHRISTIAN
RELATIONS IN THE MODERN
WORLD, PART II

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM



MIRIAM MEIR

INTERMEDIATE HEBREW

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM



DR. DAVID KRAEMER

THE JEWISH TRADITION
OF PROTEST

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM



DR. JOAN KRETSCHMER

FROM MOZART TO WAGNER:
A HISTORY OF GERMAN
OPERA

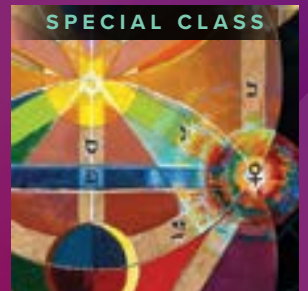
Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM



DR. MARK W. WEISSTUCH

THE TRIAL OF
JESUS: A JEWISH
PERSPECTIVE

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM



RABBI DAVID WOLPE

JEWISH MYSTICISM:
THE SPARK OF THE SOUL

Various Dates

Hella Gorgeous

Extended through June 30, 2020!

Irene Sharaff (designer)
Barbara Matera (seamstress)
Costume for Funny Girl
1967

This iconic gown is worn by Streisand when she sings the hit song "People" in the film version of *Funny Girl*. The costume was designed with a shawl, which was not used in the filming of the movie.

From the Collection of Blanche, Norman, and Paul Hyams.

THE STETTENHEIM LIBRARY PROUDLY PRESENTS

THE NEWHOUSE AUTHOR'S SERIES, HONORING THEODORE AND CAROLINE NEWHOUSE AND SUSAN NEWHOUSE.

WOMEN ON THE MOVE: the series

Young? Not so young? Stay-at-home mom? Professional? Retired? Caught in between? Who cares?

Women keep on going . . . and an extraordinary lineup of bestselling authors will talk about the trials and tribulations of those who have.

The conversations will be moderated by **Zibby Owens**, writer and creator of the popular podcast "Moms Don't Have Time to Read Books," one of *O: The Oprah Magazine's* favorite book podcasts.

\$50 for all 3 programs | \$25 for individual program
Includes light lunch and a copy of the book

Tuesday, May 5 | 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM



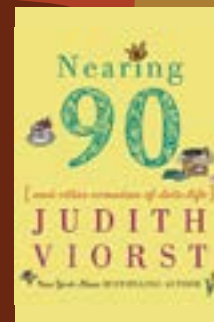
Laura Zigman, bestselling author, will discuss her new novel, *Separation Anxiety*, the hilarious yet tender tale of a wife and mother whose life is unraveling and the disastrous steps she takes to course-correct the middle age limbo of relationships, career and belief in herself.

Tuesday, May 12 | 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM



Taffy Brodesser-Akner's runaway bestseller *Fleishman Is in Trouble* is a whip-smart, blisteringly satirical novel about marriage, divorce and modern relationships. She will join us to discuss trying to have it all.

Tuesday, May 19 | 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM



Judith Viorst, author of the *New York Times* bestseller *Necessary Losses*, will talk about her new book, *Nearing 90*, which tackles the complicated joys and everyday tribulations of becoming a nonagenarian with signature savvy and humor.



To learn more about the success of last year's Project Prom, visit emanuelnyc.org/projectprom19.



Project Prom

Donations & Volunteers Needed

*Donation drop-off: One East 65th Street
Set up: April 21, 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Dress selection: April 22 & 23, 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM*

Once again, Temple Emanu-El will help more than 250 low-income New York City high school seniors to shine at their spring proms. In partnership with Park Avenue Synagogue, we will provide a "boutique" shopping experience, aimed at providing these young women with free prom ensembles.

Help us make Project Prom a success again this year.

There are three easy ways for you to participate:

- We are accepting donations of NEW or gently used, youthful-looking spring/summer formal dresses. Please make sure dresses are clean and in good condition. We are also in need of NEW evening shoes, evening bags and jewelry. Please drop off donations to Temple Emanu-El's 65th Street lobby. Unfortunately, we are unable to accept used shoes at this time.
- Help set up on Tuesday, April 21 from 10 AM to 4 PM
- Assist girls with dress selections on Wednesday, April 22 and Thursday, April 23 from 10 AM to 6 PM.

Temple members interested in volunteering should contact the Tikkun Olam Committee at tikkunolam@emanuelnyc.org. Please provide your contact information phone number and email address, as well as the days and times you are available to help.



Children's Village Christmas Party

On Friday, December 27, Temple Emanu-El hosted the Children's Village Annual Holiday party in I. M. Wise Hall. What a truly wonderful and festive celebration as over 280 children and their foster parents enjoyed a delicious meal and scrumptious desserts.

To read more about the Children's Village Christmas Party and view more photos from the event, visit emanuelnyc.org/childrensvillage

Emanu-El EXPLORERS

...ON THE GO!

A new, free program from Temple Emanu-El

Popping up in your
neighborhood!

Greenwich Village | Tribeca | Chelsea

“The stories of the Jewish people are stories of courage and resilience; of grappling with making decisions about fairness and kindness. We’re going to explore those stories together and find out how we can bring them into our own lives,” explained Saul Kaiserman, Director of Lifelong Learning at Temple Emanu-El.

Emanu-El Explorers on the Go is a new program, bringing Emanu-El’s wildly successful Emanu-El Explorers program directly to communities around New York City. Explorers on the Go is also part of PJ Library’s community partners program, allowing us to reach more families and keep our program completely free.

“All of our activities are rooted in Jewish tradition but meaningful to everyone who is seeking to build communities of goodness, fairness, kindness and love,” Kaiserman said.



Learn more and spread the word:
emanuelnyc.org/onthego



Sign up to receive the gift of Jewish bedtime stories and songs each month – at no cost to your family! Visit newyork.pjlibrary.org.

Tikkun Olam & Volunteering

For more information about these programs, contact the Tikkun Olam Committee at tikkunolam@emanuelnyc.org.

Sunday Lunch Program

Every Sunday | 10:00 AM | One East 65th Street

For more than 35 years, Congregation Emanu-El has been preparing meals for those in need, whether they are homeless, underemployed or food insecure. We particularly need volunteers on holiday weekends and during the summer. In addition to preparing meals, the Sunday Lunch Program also collects paperback books and travel-size toiletries throughout the year. Items can be dropped off at the temple; bags should be marked “Sunday Lunch Program — Donation.” Please contact us at slp@emanuelnyc.org with any questions.

Stitch’n Time

Sundays, March 15, April 19 | 11:00 AM

6th Floor Lounge

Stitch’n Time participants knit warm scarves and caps for

clients of Temple Emanu-El’s Sunday Lunch Program, as well as knitted goods for children and other adults in need. Both experienced and novice knitters are invited to join us. Participation is limited to members of the congregation. Instruction is available for those who need assistance. Yarn and patterns are provided, but you must bring your own needles (#8).

Ronald McDonald House

Tuesdays, March 17, April 21 | 5:00 PM

405 East 73rd Street

Once a month, under the sponsorship of the Women’s Auxiliary, Emanu-El congregants serve dinner and organize art projects and entertainment for the families residing at New York City’s Ronald McDonald House. Volunteers must register with the Women’s Auxiliary: **212-744-1400, ext. 235**. Open only to temple members.

Religious School



For more information about these events, contact the Religious School at **212-507-9546** or school@emanuelnyc.org.

Jurassic Purim Family Celebration

Sunday, March 8 | All events listed below:

Congregational Purim Shpiel | 11:00 AM | Fifth Ave. Sanctuary

Mini-Carnival (Young Families/Nursery School) | 11:30 AM

Annual Purim Carnival | 12:00 PM | I.M. Wise Hall

Our Purim celebration will be dino-mite! First, temple clergy and staff will perform a *shpiel*

65 million years in the making, followed by the age-old favorite carnival with games, crafts, food and more. Too old

for games? Then help out at the event! Contact Jackie Schreiber at

jschreiber@emanuelnyc.org for more information.



Teen Leadership Shabbat Kodesh & Family Dinner

Friday, April 3 | 6:00 PM (service) | Fifth Avenue Sanctuary

Friday, April 3 | 7:00 PM (dinner) | Wise Hall

This month's service will honor and be led by high school students who have taken on a leadership role within our congregational community. Family Dinner will follow the service; tickets are \$55 before Monday, March 30, and \$75 after. Please register at emanuelnyc.org/familydinner.

The Blessings of Bread Part 2: Matzah Making (PreK-2nd Grade Family Program)

Sunday, April 5 & Monday, April 6

With so much freedom in our lives, why does it feel like we can never catch up? Families of pre-kindergarten through second graders and Explorers and are invited to beat the clock and make *matzah* in 18 minutes or less, and find out why this humble bread is the star of the Passover Seder.

Elsie Adler Holocaust Memorial Program



Sunday, April 19: 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM | **Monday, April 20:** 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

I.M. Wise Hall, One East 65th Street

This year's speaker, **Jacques Strauss**, was born in Wurzburg, Germany, in 1935 and moved with his family to France in 1938. When the war started, Jacques' father joined the Foreign Legion and served in Morocco. Meanwhile, Jacques, his mother and sister were arrested and held in successive internment camps for over two years, until his father was able to locate them and have them released in Sens, where they could live freely as a family. In 1942, his parents were arrested and sent to Auschwitz. Jacques, 6 years old, and his sister Margot, 11 years old, wound up in a Jewish orphanage in Paris where a Turkish Jewish family decided to take both children to their home in Paris. In 1943, when all Turkish Jews were ordered to return to their country of origin, one of the daughters decided to remain in Paris to keep caring for the children. They moved from place to place until the liberation of Paris in August 1944.

These sessions are made possible by the **Elsie Adler Memorial Holocaust Program**, created by her caring family and friends to honor the memory of Emanu-El's longtime, generous member Elsie Adler. All Religious School parents and Temple members are welcome to attend. Students in grades 5 through 7 will attend as part of their regular school day. For additional information, contact the Religious School office at **212-507-9546** or school@emanuelnyc.org.

FAMILY ISRAEL TRIP

Airline tickets available now!

Food | Fun | Culture | Community



This year in Jerusalem!



December 24, 2020,
to January 3, 2021

Led by
Rabbi Joshua Davidson
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For more information,
visit us online at:

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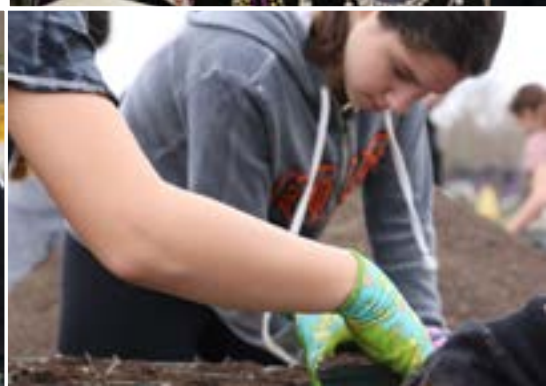


TEMPLE EMANU-EL TEENS

Trip to New Orleans



Over MLK Weekend, our 8th graders traveled to the city of jazz, beignets and Mardi Gras with Temple Israel, Temple Shaaray Tefila and Congregation Beth Elohim. From volunteering with ArcGNO and NOLA Greenroots to exploring the French Quarter and sampling all the beignets, we took a big bite out of New Orleans!





TEMPLE EMANU-EL

NURSERY SCHOOL



Summer Program

Temple Emanu-El Nursery School is pleased to offer the following Summer Camp Programs for 2020. Children must be at least 2 years and 6 months by June 2020 to enroll in these programs.

Dates and tuitions for this year's sessions:

I. June 8 – June 18 | 2 Weeks | \$1,640

Children who choose this option will be placed with their peers.

II. June 8 – June 25 | 3 Weeks | \$2,165

This program works well for older children who may be attending another camp beginning in late June. Younger children who choose this option will be placed with their peers.

III. June 29 – July 23 | 4 Weeks | \$2,885

For those who may be away in June, we offer a four-week July option. Your child will join an existing, age-appropriate group.

IV. June 8 – July 23 | 7 Weeks | \$4,840

Our seven-week program; children will be grouped by age with their peers.

The transition to camp is particularly easy, as groups are led by our experienced Nursery School teachers. Our air-conditioned rooms provide a bright, welcoming environment for all campers. A typical day of Summer Camp includes playtime in our classrooms, arts and crafts, dramatic play, block building, LEGOs, and lots of outdoor play. The children will enjoy wading pools, bubble tables, and sprinklers on our rooftop playgrounds. Our music and yoga teachers come weekly to work with each group. Campers bring their own lunch from home.

For enrollment forms or if you have any questions regarding summer programs, please contact Susanne Fischer at sfischer@emanuelynyc.org or **212-507-9531**. Also note that space is limited, and enrollment is on a first-come basis. You do not have to be enrolled in the Nursery School to attend Summer Camp, so please feel free to share this information with your friends at other schools.



Young Families



Young Families of Emanu-El is a vibrant group for children from babies through Nursery School, and their families who enjoy celebrating Jewish time together: Shabbat and holidays, parenting, Storytime and singing. Come join the fun! For more information and future event dates, contact youngfamilies@emanuelnyc.org or visit emanuelnyc.org/youngfamilies.

To register in advance, please visit emanuelnyc.org/youngfamilies.

Baby Bop

*Tuesdays; March 3, 10, 31 & April 7, 14, 21, 28
11:00 to 11:45 AM | 10 East 66th Street*

Baby Bop is a program for families to experience music and movement, Jewish holidays and simple prayers, a bit of Hebrew and free play. Dynamic musician Hadar Orshalimy expertly leads this intimate group with her enchanting voice and engaging style. Geared for children 6 months to 30 months old.

Young Families Planning Committee

*Thursday, March 5 & Wednesday, April 1
9:15 AM to 10:15 AM | One East 65th Street*

Members are welcome to help us plan engaging events for your children!

Baby Fingers

*Thursdays; March 5, 12 & April 2, 23, 30
11:00 to 11:45 AM | 10 East 66th Street*

Bond with your child through creative communication and self-expression, songs and musical play. Whether you intend to incorporate sign language in your life for the long term or simply during this pre-verbal and developing verbal time, watch in awe as your child discovers the world of language. See the research come to life as music and sign language both aid in the development of language and literacy.

Baby Shabbat

*Fridays; March 6 & April 17 | 9:15 to 10:00 AM
One East 65th Street*

Introduce your baby to the music and blessing of Shabbat and a taste of *challah* with Rabbi Amy Ehrlich and dynamic musician Hadar Orshalimy. Proud grandparents are welcome to join us, too! There is no charge for this program, but please register in advance.

Young Families Purim Carnival

*Sunday March 8 | 11:30 AM to 12:00 PM
One East 65th Street*

A special mini-carnival will be open for Young Families and

Nursery School-aged Families starting at 11:30 AM until 12:00, when older children and adults will join us. For more information, visit page 20.

Storytime: Babies of the Book

*Thursdays; March 12 & April 23 | 10:00 to 10:45 AM
One East 65th Street*

Babies and toddlers up to age three (with their trusted adult) are invited to join us for stories, songs and fun. Each session focuses on a theme or a Jewish holiday. Please register in advance.

Bye Bye Matzah, Hello Challah

Thursday, April 16 | 11:00 AM | One East 65th Street

Join us to mark the end of Passover, with a story and some fun. We'll braid, decorate and combine all the yummy *challah* ingredients into a delicious treat for you to bake at home, in time for Shabbat. For more information and to register, please visit emanuelnyc.org/yfcalendar.

Young Families Shabbat

Saturday, April 18 | 9:30 to 11:00 AM | One East 65th Street

Young Families Shabbat is geared specifically for preschool and Nursery School students and their families. Join Rabbi Amy Ehrlich for a meaningful way to celebrate Shabbat with your family. There is no charge for this program, but please register in advance.

PJ's and Play

Thursday, April 23 | 5:15 to 6:15 PM | 10 East 66th Street

Let's face the most challenging hour of the day together! Bring your child/ren (5 and younger) to play with pals, followed by a quick dinner. From 5:15 to 5:45, we will have free play. From 5:45 to 6:15, we will hold a kid-friendly dinner, with wine for exhausted parents. Please register in advance; space is limited. Friends are welcome. Please visit emanuelnyc.org/yfcalendar for more information and to register.



Parenting at Emanu-El

Register for 2020-2021 now!

Dr. Juliet Cooper and Rabbi Amy Ehrlich lead enriching groups that support families and children in various stages of early life. Engage in educational and supportive parenting discussions as your child enjoys stimulating, age-appropriate activities with our Parenting Program staff. Visit emanuelnyc.org/parenting for more information and to sign up.

The following classes take place September 2020 through May 2021:

New Parents

(2- to 14-month-olds)

Mondays, 10:45 to 11:45 AM

Toddlers

(15- to 24-month-olds)

Mondays, 9:15 AM to 10:15 AM

Twos

(2- to 14-month-olds)

Wednesdays & Fridays, 9:15 to 10:30 AM

Growing Families

(for parents with two or more children)

Fridays, 11:00 AM to 11:55 AM

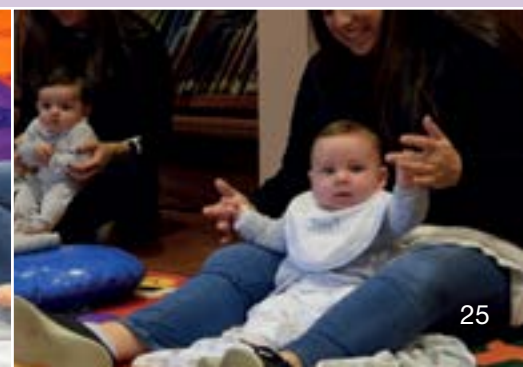
Working Moms

(for working parents of children
newborn to five years old)

Fridays (monthly); 12:30 to 1:30 PM

For dates and to register, visit emanuelnyc.org/parenting.

Plan ahead! Sign up for Fall and Spring semesters at emanuelnyc.org/parenting.



HOST YOUR EVENT

AT TEMPLE EMANU-EL

We have quality catering options for a *Kiddush* lunch after a *bar* or *bat mitzvah* ceremony, a reception for a baby naming or *bris*, or any other life-cycle event, including *shiva*.

Contact Rachel Sackman at **212-507-9574** or rsackman@emanuelnyc.org to learn more and schedule your event today.



ISAAC MAYER WISE HALL

Capacity: 350 seated
300 with dance space



LEVENTRITT ROOM

Capacity: 100 seated
125 cocktails



GENE L. BLUMENTHAL HALL

Capacity: 200 seated
150 with dance space

TEMPLE EMANU-EL — Clergy, Officers and Staff

Clergy

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Amy B. Ehrlich, *Rabbi*
Sara Y. Sapadin, *Associate Rabbi*
Andrue J. Kahn, *Assistant Rabbi*
Rachel Gross-Prinz, *Assistant Rabbi*

Mo Glazman, *Senior Cantor*
Alexandra Kurland, *Cantorial Intern*

Dr. Ronald B. Sobel, *Senior Rabbi Emeritus*
Dr. David M. Posner, *Senior Rabbi Emeritus*, מו"ק
Lori A. Corrsin, *Cantor Emerita*

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Marjorie Shuster, *Librarian, Ivan M. Stettenheim Library*

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Susanne Fischer, *Director, Administration & Enrollment*
Gabrielle Savoldelli, *Assistant Director, Nursery School*

Funerals

Charles S. Salomon, *Funeral Director*

Services

WEEKLY SERVICES

Friday Evening
Fifth Avenue Sanctuary
Organ recital at 5:45 PM
Service begins at 6:00 PM

Saturday Morning
Fifth Avenue Sanctuary
Torah Study at 9:15 AM
Organ recital at 10:15 AM
Service begins at 10:30 AM

DAILY SUNSET SERVICES

Sunday-Thursday at 5:30 PM
Marvin and Elisabeth Cassell
Community House
One East 65th Street

FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED

A hearing loop is installed in the Fifth Avenue Sanctuary and the Beth-El Chapel; switch aid to T-coil. Headsets and neck loops are available.

WATCH SERVICES ONLINE

All Shabbat and most holiday services are broadcast online on the following channels:
emanuelnyc.org/broadcast
[facebook.com/emanuelnyc](https://www.facebook.com/emanuelnyc)

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The Cemeteries of Congregation Emanu-El SALEM FIELDS and BETH-EL

A limited number of above-ground crypts are available in our community mausoleum. For information, please call Mark Heutlinger at the Temple Office, **212-507-9511**.



Charles S. Salomon

THE UNIVERSAL FUNERAL CHAPEL

1076 Madison Avenue | **212-753-5300**
Our service is available in the temple, home or our chapel.



Life-Cycle Events

Bimah flowers at our upcoming worship services have been donated by the following congregants:

For the Sabbath of March 6 and 7:

- Carol L. Klapper in loving memory of her mother, *Frances Klapper*
- Phyllis Brodsky in loving memory of her beloved aunt *Eleanore Gorochow*

For the Sabbath of March 20 and 21:

- Roger L. Strong and family in loving memory of his father, *Leon W. Strong*
- Dr. Sandra P. Gluck in loving memory of her mother, *Harriet Prusock*

For the Sabbath of March 27 and 28:

- In loving memory of *Edith Fisch*

For the Sabbath of April 3 and 4:

- Judie and Howard Ganek in loving memory of our dear mother, *Elizabeth Goldstein*

For the Sabbath of April 10 and 11:

- Alexandra and Caroline Elenowitz-Hess, Carl, Carol, Robert and Peter Hess in loving memory of *Jonathan Morris Hess*

For the Sabbath of April 17 and 18:

- Ann Coleman Poll in loving memory of her parents, *Mildred* and *Jacques G. Coleman*
- Suzanne Sloan in loving memory of *Peter Moore*

For the Sabbath of April 24 and 25:

- Robert, Ann and Jessica Freedman in loving memory of *Felix C. Fertig*
- Robin M. Laden in loving memory of my father, *Leonard Laden*

NEW: Dates for a Bar or Bat Mitzvah service may now be scheduled beginning in 3rd grade. For more information, visit emanuelnyc.org/bnaimitzvah.

The following students of our Religious School will become *b'nai mitzvah* in March and April:

March 7, 2020

- *Alicia Weiner*, daughter of Brooke Efron and Ross Weiner
- *Sara Elbaum*, daughter of Abby and Richard Elbaum

April 4, 2020

- *Kate Gelb*, daughter of Kara, z"l, and Andrew Gelb
- *Alice Wasserman*, daughter of Amy and Lester Wasserman

April 11, 2020

- *Samantha Porres*, daughter of Margaret Streicker Porres and Eric Porres

April 18, 2020

- *Joshua Racz*, son of Alexa and Greg Racz
- *Margot Levy*, daughter of Lauren and Darren Levy

April 25, 2020

- *Helena Davidson*, daughter of Mia and Joshua Davidson



With great joy,

Cantor Mia and Rabbi Joshua Davidson invite our Temple Emanu-El community to celebrate with us as our daughter

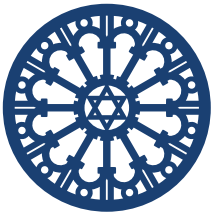
Lena

becomes Bat Mitzvah.

Saturday, April 25th

at Ten-thirty in the morning
Temple Emanu-El, Fifth Avenue at 65th Street
Festive Kiddush to follow.

Please, no gifts.



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