

**JUNE/JULY 2020
BULLETIN**

FRIDAY NIGHT

WORSHIP SERVICES

Due to the outbreak of Coronavirus, services have been suspended at the facilities of Temple Emanuel until further notice and it is deemed appropriate to resume.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND OUR RABBI ARE MONITORING THIS SITUATION CONSTANTLY AND WILL DETERMINE THE APPROPRIATE COURSE OF ACTION FOR IN-PERSON SERVICES TO RESUME

Rabbi

Rabbi Mathew D. Michaels

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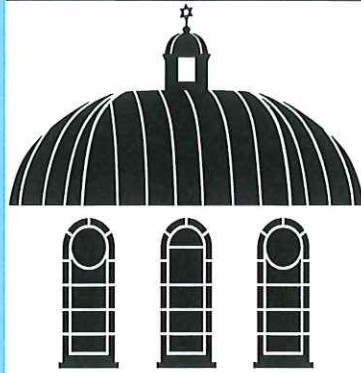
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RSVP Line**

When you need to RSVP for any Temple activity or meeting, Please call 832-6131 and press 3.

Please slowly and clearly state the name of the meeting or activity, names of those attending, and your contact number.



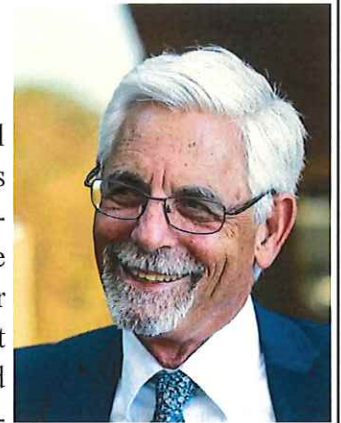
TEMPLE EMANUEL

A sacred Jewish journey to enrich lives.

FROM OUR TEMPLE RABBI

“Putting Life Into Perspective: Our Priorities”

I recently came upon a poem written by Michael Josephson, mostly known for his radio commentaries entitled “Character Counts.” His words speak eloquently to the values, Jewish values, we should strive to live by and which we have the responsibility to instill in our children. I share this piece with you in the hopes that you will reflect on its meaning to you personally, and how its message might help to shape our personal priorities especially during these very trying times.



The poem is titled: *What Will Matter*

Ready or not, some day it will all come to an end.

There will be no more sunrises, no minutes, hours, or days.

All the things you collected, whether treasured or forgotten, will pass to someone else.

Your wealth, fame, and temporal power will shrivel to irrelevance.

It will not matter what you owned or what you were owed.

Your grudges, resentments, frustrations and jealousies will finally disappear.

So too, your hopes, ambitions, plans and to-do lists will expire.

The wins and losses that once seemed so important will fade away.

It won't matter where you came from or what side of the tracks you live on at the end.

It won't matter whether you were beautiful or brilliant.

Even your gender and skin color will be irrelevant.

So what will matter? How will the value of your days be measured?

What will matter is not what you bought but what you built,

Not what you got but what you gave.

What will matter is not your success but your significance.

What will matter is not what you learned but what you taught.

What will matter is every act of integrity, compassion, courage or sacrifice that enriched, empowered or encouraged others to emulate your example.

What will matter is not your competence but your character.

What will matter is not how many people you knew, but how many will feel a lasting loss when you're gone.

What will matter is not your memories but the memories of those who loved you.

What will matter is how long you will be remembered, by whom and for what.

Living a life that matters doesn't happen by accident.

It's not a matter of circumstance but of choice.

Choose to live a life that matters.

L'Shalom,

Rabbi Mathew D. Michaels

As we continue to deal with COVID-19, please don't hesitate to be in touch with me directly, whether by phone, email or Facetime. We need each other now more than we ever imagined. By reaching out we connect with each other, we strengthen one another, and we help in the healing process. Please stay in touch and stay safe.

Mishkan Hanefesh - Prayer Book Dedication

Reminder

Mishkan Hanefesh, our new High Holy Days prayer books, are in. Each Temple Emanuel member family has been honored with a bookplate in one set. You can still dedicate additional volumes in honor/memory of others at these levels:

\$36 per volume

\$108 for a 3 volume larger print set

To request a dedication, please contact the Temple Office (409-832-6131) or

templeoffice@emanuelbeaumont.org



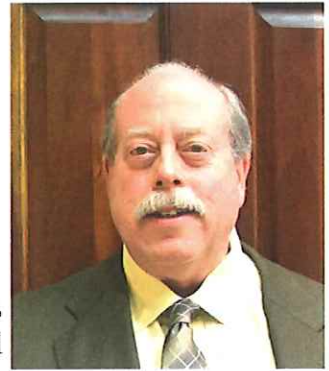
Sunday, June 21st

FROM OUR TEMPLE PRESIDENT

In Ongoing Pursuit Of: **Teshuvah**-Forgiveness and Acceptance,
Tefillah-Meaningful Worship, **Tzedakah**-Righteous Acts

Certainty in a Time of Uncertainty

The Covid-19 pandemic has created a tremendous amount of uncertainty, stress, fear and anxiety in our lives. So, what can we learn from our collective history and Judaic teachings in regards to coping with uncertainty?



In March of 2016, Time Magazine published an article by Alexandra Sifferlin entitled Knowing Something Bad is Coming Is More Bearable Than Uncertainty. She writes: “People like to know what is coming for them, even if it’s bad.” Following up on a study published in the journal, Nature Communications, she suggests that people are more stressed out when there is the possibility they will experience discomfort as opposed to when they know for sure something bad is coming. In the study people were shown a bunch of rocks and were asked to guess whether a snake was underneath them. When a snake was under a rock, the men and women received an electric shock on the back of their hand. The researchers measured how stressed the individuals felt and looked at physical markers of stress like pupil dilation and sweat. They found that most of the men and women felt more stressed when they were uncertain, compared to when they knew definitely the shock was coming. In other words, she suggests, “If you’re confident that something has gone well, or you’re certain it’s gone badly, you might not be as stressed as when you’re completely uncertain about the outcome.”

Rabbi Berel Wein, a noted scholar and lecturer in Israel, has written that “even a cursory knowledge of general and Jewish history will illustrate that there is no real certainty in any facet of life – health, wealth, success, power, national stability. etc. – and that uncertainty is the norm in human existence – privately, nationally, and internationally.” He writes that uncertainty is such an uncomfortable state of being that humans prefer to deny its persistent existence. However, he continues, “Judaism always preached this doctrine of uncertainty.” Since all human life is based upon the principle of uncertainty and there is no people in the world that has existed as long and as dangerously in the face of uncertainty as has the Jewish people, one should never be pessimistic or depressed, but instead have faith in the fact that the certainty of Jewish survival will conquer the uncertainties of the circumstances of general human existence. For Rabbi Wein the pinnacle of that certainty in our lives is the Torah, Jewish traditions, and the history and memories of the Jewish people. This is the certainty that allows us to survive even in uncertain times.

Lord Rabbi Jonathan Sacks once heard a D’var Torah delivered by his teacher, Rabbi Dr. Nachum Rabinovitch, based on Midrash Tanhuma on the story of Noah. After their long stay in the ark, Noah was instructed by God “come out of the ark.” On this the Midrash says: “Noah said to himself, since I only entered the ark with permission from God, shall I leave it without permission?” The Holy One blessed be He said to him: “Are you looking for permission? In that case I give you permission, as it says, ‘then God said to Noah, come out of the ark.’” Noah was paralyzed by uncertainty. He knew that nothing was going to be the same. It was easier to stay in the ark than to venture outside and meet all the challenges that might be present.

The Midrash then adds: "Said Rabbi Judah bar Ilai. If I had been there I would have smashed down the doors of the ark and taken myself out of it." Sacks states that the moral that Rabbi Rabinovitch drew from this was that when it comes to rebuilding a shattered world, you do not wait for permission. God gives us permission. He expects us to go on ahead.

For Rabbi Sacks, it meant that a significant part of faith is the courage to go forward, to venture out into the unknown. Our people's success shows that, as Sacks states: "Faith is the courage to take a risk for the sake of God or the Jewish people; to begin a journey to a distant destination knowing that there will be hazards along the way."

Uncertainty can paralyze us as it did to Noah. Although we would prefer to know the end result, good or bad, as the study above shows, this is not always possible. What we must do is to continue to have faith in God. Faith that an effective vaccine for the deadly virus will be found. Faith that an effective treatment for the Covid-19 disease will be found. Faith that our economy will eventually rebound. This is the faith that will allow us to move forward even as the end result remains unknown.

We are currently living in a time of great uncertainty. We are concerned for ourselves, our families, our state, our country, our people, and all of humanity. Despite this, we need to proceed forward with faith and hope. As Jews we have always been optimistic, we cannot afford not to be. **It is this very optimism and our faith that will allow us to have certainty in a time of uncertainty.** Our faith that this too shall pass and God will again deliver us from this Mizraim(narrow place) as he has always done in the past.

Kol Tuv,

Wayne Margolis, M.D.-Temple President

UPDATE:

Rabbi Samuel Rosinger Humanitarian Award Dinner

Recently a letter was mailed informing our community and congregation that the 2020 Rosinger Humanitarian Award Dinner has been cancelled. Unfortunately the letter also stated an incorrect date for the 2021 dinner. The correct date for the 2021 Rosinger Humanitarian Award Dinner is **Thursday, October 14, 2021** to be held at The Beaumont Event Centre'.

Cheryl Barenberg (Chairman), Marilyn Manson-Hayes (Co-Chair), Wayne Margolis, Allison Nathan Getz, Beverly Hickman-Hay, Richard Hayes, Ken Parker, Lois Rutman, Gene Thomas, Emily Wheeler and Cynthia Wolf

TEMPLE EMANUEL SOCIAL JUSTICE UPDATE (JUNE / JULY 2020)

Temple Emanuel Social Justice Committee plans, coordinates, and helps to execute the *Love Thy Neighbor* initiative of Temple Emanuel with intergenerational projects that impact lives and make a tikkun olam difference in Beaumont, Southeast Texas, nationally, and globally.

The time, talent and treasure of our congregational family are needed in fulfilling Social Justice Projects on behalf of Temple Emanuel and in supporting one of the goals of Temple Emanuel Board President-Dr. Wayne Margolis for TESJ Committee: to encourage Congregants to fulfill our Sacred obligation of *Tzedakah*, thereby making a tikkun olam difference!

THANK YOU in advance for choosing one of these Sacred Mitzvah Offering Blessings:

- 1) Please place cash or checks in the TESJ *Tzedakah* Box in Swerdlow-Roosth Social Hall.
- 2) Please send checks payable to Temple Emanuel for Social Justice Fund.
- 3) Please contact Jane Kaulfus (409.832.6131) in Temple Office to assist you with using your credit card.
- 4) Please share your time when there is a TESJ Project that is hands-on for making a tikkun olam difference!

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- **Taking care of oneself all the time and even more so during this time is not only important, it is the *mitzvah* of *shmirat haguf*.** We are created in the image of God. The body is a divine gift, so it is our individual responsibility to "take heed to thyself and take care of your lives" (Deuteronomy 4:9) and to "be extremely protective of your lives." (Deuteronomy 4:15) In so doing the *mitzvah* of *shmirat haguf*, you will be making a tikkun olam difference for yourself, for your family, for your congregational "family", and for your friends!
- ***Tzedakah* for Beaumont Pet's Alive, a No Kill Shelter, a tradition of Temple Emanuel:** Please consider a gift of *tzedakah* in any amount to help feed, shelter, and provide medical treatment to local homeless animals by either making your donation directly to Temple Emanuel with Memo Note for Beaumont Pet's Alive OR send your check payable to Beaumont Pet's Alive to Temple Emanuel. For those of you who charge, that's OK too. All donations received from April 1st to June 30th will be sent with a cover letter to Beaumont Pet's Alive. In advance, THANK YOU for your support of this project!

Please SAVE THESE Dates for Community Events:

- **Julie Rogers Gift of Life's Champagne and Ribs:** Thursday, July 9th as of now
- **The Tasting for Some Other Place:** Monday, August 17th as of now

Temple Emanuel Social Justice Committee

Please share future Save the Dates for upcoming Southeast Texas community events
with Cynthia Wolf, Chair of TESJ, at cwolf@gt.rr.com and THANK YOU!!!

THANK YOU



to **Arlette & Bruce Hoffer** for replacing the trees taken from the Orchard.



SISTERHOOD SCHMOOZE

We are pleased to say again Deli-Day was a huge success. Deli-Day is an event that is enjoyed and supported by so many in our community. It is a lot of hard work. But when we see the smiling faces, hear the laughter and are told by so many how wonderful Deli-Day is we push the hard work out of our minds. Sisterhood would be remiss if we did not say how thankful we are to the men of Temple that are willing each year to help us in so many ways.

The following slate of Sisterhood officers and board members were reviewed and approved at the May 20, 2020 Sisterhood Board meeting. The term will be for 2 years beginning July 1, 2020 and running through June 30, 2022.

President - Cheryl Barenberg
Recording Secretary - Beverly Hay
Corresponding Secretary - Lori Alter
Treasurer - Allison Nathan Getz
Co-Vice President - Sherry Horwitz
Co-Vice President - Laura Thomas
District Representative - Fern Roos
Parliamentarian - Judy Night
Membership - Kathy Johnson
Member at Large - Rita Davis

We have also started working on the 2020 Book of Remembrance. You should have received a mailed form with last year's listing. You can also find the form on page 12 of this bulletin. Laura Thomas has graciously accepted the role of Chairman for the Memorial Book this year. Her email and telephone number are listed on the form.

We will all be together again. In the meantime please continue to take care, wash your hands, wear masks and social distance.

With our love and blessing...

Laura, Sherry and Rita

COLLEGE BOUND STUDENTS

If you have a student who will be attending college in the fall, please let the Sisterhood know. We send "care packages" during the year to our students to let them know we are thinking about them.

You can contact the Temple Office at (409) 832-6131 or by email
(templeoffice@emanuelbeaumont.org)

JULY YAHRZEITS

Week Ending 7/4 to be Read 7/3

Abraham Adler
 Jennie Belgrade
 Perl Brookner
 Ida Elster
 Mrs. Toby Horwitz
 Jack Koshkin
 Carl Waldman
 Ella K. Wyde
 Shirley Ann Getz
 Fannie F. Goldstein
 June Gayle Vaxler Hall
 Arnold Markowitz
 Hyman Sukman
 Dr. David Bennett
 Jessica Dworkin
 David Elkins
 Morton Mandel
 Adele Silverberg
 Isabel Markowitz
 Charles W. Phillips
 Fanny Norman Goldstein
 Hildegard Linz Kern
 Robert Lemon
 Sara Crager Swope
 Norman Szafir
 Donald E. Johnson
 Alexander Klein, Jr.
 Ruth Solomon
 Morris Solotorovsky

Week Ending 7/11 to be Read 7/10

Rabbi Avery Grossfield
 Selma Horwitz
 Edna Barr Sandman
 Jennie Greenberg
 Mother of A. Swartz
 Barbara Goldstein
 Hester P. Greenberg
 Sophia Kaplan
 Albert Plettman
 Abraham R. Gray
 Quentin Klein
 Henry Kramer
 Mollie Bagelman
 Esther Herman
 Helen Goldstein Levy
 Jeanette Smyth
 Louise Y. Snelgrove
 Louis B. Cohen
 Simon Cohn
 Lillie Lipoff
 Selma Jackson Weiss
 Jacob Loeb Eisen
 Rose W. Lederer
 Erich Liebmann

Week Ending 7/18 to be Read 7/17

Jake Gossen
 Alvin Unick
 Fannie Blieden
 Ada Lee Clark Duplechin
 Zelda Glober
 David Mitrani
 Bess Wolfson
 Ralph Night
 Irving Sonny Friedman
 Charles S. Petrova
 Meyar R. Weiss
 Rebecca Wyde
 Mattie Loeb Bliss
 Fannie Simkin Breen
 Harold Saltzman
 Pearl Speer
 Max Altman
 Rabbi Arthur Bluhm
 Alte Sternberg Blum
 Laes Chess
 Mildred Dugan
 Sam Wagner

Week Ending 7/25 to be Read 7/24

Oscar Davis
 Jay W. HERNs
 Stephenie Esther Shapiro
 Andrew Teitelbaum
 Iona Doss
 Arthur M. Kaufman
 Dave Vener
 George Swerdlow
 Pearl Feigenbaum
 Isidor Goldblum
 Miriam Silverberg
 Marguerite Kahn Sommer
 Edna Rose Falk
 Bob Franzel
 Pauline Weill Leavy

Philip Goldfine
 Sylvia Goldstein
 Simon Greenberg
 Abraham Levine

Week Ending 8/1 to be Read 7/31

Sam Byer
 Hirsh Elkins
 Hazel Hancken
 Gerald Klein
 Jessie Lipschitz
 Benjamin Protas
 Mr. A. Walker
 Harry Shapiro
 Celia Tobias Alter
 Sarah Klein
 M. Louis Levy
 Frederick S. Roos
 Leo Schneider
 Abraham Diamond
 Hortense Klein
 I. Jake Abelman
 Lawrence H. Blum
 Eva D. Levy
 Estell Gura Lieboff
 Anita L. Mechanic
 Samuel Rosenbaum
 Kurt Seligman

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5 13 tamuz	6 14 tamuz	7 15 tamuz	8 16 tamuz CANADA DAY	9 17 tamuz	10 18 tamuz	11 19 tamuz INDEPENDENCE DAY <i>Chukat-Balak</i>
12 20 tamuz	13 21 tamuz	14 22 tamuz	15 23 tamuz	16 24 tamuz FAST OF TAMUZ	17 25 tamuz	18 26 tamuz <i>Pinchas</i>
19 27 tamuz	20 28 tamuz	21 29 tamuz	22 1 av	23 2 av	24 3 av	25 4 av <i>Matot-Massei</i>
26 5 av	27 6 av	28 7 av	29 8 av ROSH CHODESH EREV TISHA B'AV	30 9 av TISHA B'AV	31 10 av	SHABBAT CHAZON <i>Devarim</i>

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 9 sivan	2 10 sivan	3 11 sivan	4 12 sivan	5 13 sivan 6:00 pm Shabbat Services conducted by Rabbi Michaels (Zoom)	6 14 sivan 9:00 am Torah Study conducted by Rabbi Michaels (Zoom)
7 15 sivan	8 16 sivan	9 17 sivan	10 18 sivan	11 19 sivan	12 20 sivan 6:00 pm Shabbat Services conducted by Rabbi Berger (Zoom)	13 21 sivan 9:00 am Torah Study conducted by Rabbi Berger (Zoom)
14 22 sivan	15 23 sivan	16 24 sivan	17 25 sivan	18 26 sivan	19 27 sivan 6:00 pm Shabbat Services conducted by Rabbi Michaels (Zoom)	20 28 sivan 9:00 am Torah Study conducted by Rabbi Michaels (Zoom) <i>Beha'alekcha</i>
FLAG DAY			6:30 pm BOT MEETING			SUMMER BEGINS <i>Shelach</i>
21 29 sivan	22 30 sivan	23 1 tamuz	24 2 tamuz	25 3 tamuz	26 4 tamuz 6:00 pm Shabbat Services conducted by Rabbi Michaels (Zoom)	27 5 tamuz 9:00 am Torah Study conducted by Rabbi Michaels (Zoom)
FATHERS' DAY	ROSH CHODESH	ROSH CHODESH				<i>Korach</i>
28 6 tamuz	29 7 tamuz	30 8 tamuz		MAY S M T W T F S 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 th 25 26 27 28 29 30	JULY S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	

JUNE YAHRZEITS

Week Ending 6/6 to be Read 6/5

G. Davis Clark
 Herman Lefkovits
 David Robert Abelman
 Sherwin Elkins
 Israel Friedman
 Bessie Fruhman
 Bonnie Goldstein
 William Kuhn
 Irene E. Polansky
 Samuel M. Polansky
 Moise Schornstein
 Sam Finegold
 Hyman Blieden
 Evelyn Finegold
 Eugene Karpel
 May J. Levy
 Rebecca Selber
 Jack Walker
 Delphine Mina Apfel
 Nettie Ginsberg
 Sheldon Greenberg
 Yetta Levin
 Nathan Liebling
 Annie Perl
 Sarah Simpson

Week Ending 6/13 to be Read 6/12

Abraham E. Massman
 Jennie Miller
 Leon Rosenthal
 Morris Dugan
 Tina Goldblum
 Pauline M. Gordon
 Peter Oshman
 Pauline Schwerin
 Celia Simons Goldman
 Sprincy Greenberg
 Morris Hirshleifer
 Hyman Massin
 Shirley Massin
 Louis Perl
 Thomas H. Ayer
 Virginia Ayer
 Berdie Diamond Chaisson
 Lena Elkins
 Marian Feigelson
 Marvin Reuben
 Irving Elias "Sonny" Breen
 Slyvia "Cissy" Friedman Chernoff
 Fannie Benson
 Carlton R. Cormier
 Pauline K. Mayer
 Charles Miller
 Dorothy Theise

Week Ending 6/20 to be Read 6/19

Baile Bagelman
 Anne Berger
 Gladys Koshkin
 Maurice "Maury" Meyers
 Udis Samuelson Shapiro
 Miriam Tiras
 Julius J. Goudchaux
 Sam Sharfstein
 Esther Friedman Cohen
 Hamilton Faulk
 Susan Van Slyke
 Benjamin Blum
 Sophie Rachlin Levin
 Natalie S. Stein
 Susan Sampson Howlett
 Carmen Robbins
 Nathan Brookner

Week Ending 6/27 to be Read 6/26

Barnett Dunner
 Abe Klein
 Maurice Lederer
 Lea Rabinovitch
 Leizer Rabinovitch
 Mortimer Rosenberg
 Sadie Sosno
 Lolly Black
 Herbert Shapiro
 Dr. Sigmund B. Herman
 Miriam Dover Lefkovits
 Abraham Selber
 Louise Demuth
 Dr. Louis Goldstein
 Ilene B. Vann
 Benjamin Falkowitz
 Harold Alex Feigelson
 Samuel K. Levy
 Louis Silverman

If you would like to receive a Yahrzeit date reminder card from the Temple Office following the death of a loved one, simply contact the office at your earliest convenience.

Temple Office telephone number is (409) 832-6131

Dave Bagelman
 Norma E. Goldstein
 Karl Haase
 Raymond Lefkowitz

TEMPLE EMANUEL GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGES THE FOLLOWING DONATIONS:**Memorial & Tribute Fund**

In honor of
Temple Emanuel
by: Arthur Victoria & Family

In memory of the mother
of Paul Hay
Edith Catherine Hay
by: Miriam & Jim Thompson

In memory of the mother
of Paul Hay
Edith Catherine Hay
by: Harold Eisen

High Holy Days Music

In honor of the birth
of **Judy Night's**
great granddaughter
by: Cheryl & Andrew Barenberg

Floral Fund

In loving memory of
my mother/grandmother
Dagmar Goldstein
by: Herb Goldstein/
Linda Goldstein

In loving memory of my
beloved sister,
Ilene Barbara Vann
by: Beverly Hickman-Hay

In loving memory of
Myrtle M. Burch
by: Judy Granger

Rabbi Discretionary Fund

In honor of the birth of
Karen Lampe's
Granddaughter
by: Cheryl & Andrew Barenberg

In honor of the birth of
Karen Lampe's
Granddaughter
by: Lois Rutman

In loving memory of
Virginia & Thomas Ayer
by: Barbara Ayer Forbert

Cemetery Fund

In loving memory of
Sylvia (Cissy) Chernoff
by: Rene' & Mike Spector

In loving memory of
Udis Samuelson Shapiro
by: Rene' & Mike Spector

In loving memory of
Nettie & Bill Kuhn
by: Toni Young

In loving memory of
Jerry Klein
Quentin Klein
by: Pat Klein & Family

In loving memory of my
mother/grandmother
Betty Bemel Night
by: Allan Night/
Katie & Nadav Night
Orry & Carly Night

In memory of the mother
of Paul Hay
Edith Catherine Hay
by: Sarah Hawes

**Floral Fund**

Please consider honoring the memory of your loved ones by sponsoring the Pulpit flowers for our Friday evening Shabbat Worship. Temple Emanuel observes the Yahrzeits of approximately 1,100 people during the course of the year. Your contribution to the Floral Fund will help beautify our sanctuary, our worship and add blessing to the memories of all of our loved ones and members who have died in years past.

The suggested minimum contribution to the Floral Fund is \$25.00. Please make checks payable to:

Temple Emanuel Sisterhood

Name of person making the donation: _____ Amount \$ _____

Email/Cell of above person: _____ Check # _____

PLEASE contact Jane Kaulfus in Temple Office IF you want to charge this to your account on file.

Temple Emanuel Sisterhood 2020 Memorial Book

*****Deadline is August 10th*****

Dear Friends,

On behalf of the women of Temple Emanuel Sisterhood, THANK YOU for supporting the 2020 Memorial Book that will be available during *Yizkor* Memorial Services the afternoon of *Yom Kippur*. Please consider making a "chai"er donation than what the numbers in the following chart indicate, as to benefit the many *mitzvah* projects of Temple Emanuel Sisterhood, especially in providing Scholarships for the children of our Religious School to attend Jewish summer camps:

Chai donation	Loved ones per <u>first names</u> remembered:
\$36.00	up to 6 names
\$54.00	up to 9 names
\$72.00	up to 12 names
\$90.00	up to 15 names
\$108.00	up to 18 names
\$Other plus \$18.00	for each additional 3 names

Each individual first name is a separate listing.

(Examples: Anna Leaman is one listing; Anna and Morris Leaman are two listings; but Mr. and Mrs. Morris Leaman is one listing.)

If you have multiple groupings that you memorialize, which means that the donors name is written more than one time, please include extra Chai donation(s) to cover the separate listing(s).

Each new grouping starts a new Chai donation. **THANK YOU!**

_____ Please add a minimum of \$10.00 to your donation to be listed in special remembrance page for victims of Holocaust and to other acts of terrorism; adult children are separate listing.

_____ Please include \$5.00 for postage should you want the 2020 Memorial Book mailed to you

_____ If you would like to memorialize a loved one with a full-page tribute (\$400), please contact Laura Thomas at 409-719-6914 for full-page sample wording

THANK YOU for supporting Temple Emanuel Sisterhood

Checks made payable to Temple Emanuel Sisterhood may be sent to:

Laura Thomas * 4620 Baywood Lane * Beaumont, TX 77706

Please PRINT exactly how you want your listing to read and please call if you have a question.

If the same as last year, just write SAME AS LAST YEAR.

Any questions, please contact Laura

409-719-6914/laura.nana.51@gmail.com

IN LOVING MEMORY OF _____

By _____

****Donations received after August 10th will be included in Loving Memory Addendum****

***Mazel Tov* to our 2020 GRADUATES**



MICAH DUGAN

Graduate of Bell Creek Academy—Riverview, Florida
Attending University of South Florida
Son of Paige & Seth Dugan
Grandson of Esterlyn & Al Dugan
Nephew of Bene' & Dan Rutman

VICTORIA MARGOLIS

Graduate of Texas Tech Health Science Center—El Paso, Texas with her Master's
Degree in Biomedical Sciences with a GPA of 4.0
Daughter of Susan & Dr. Wayne Margolis

JAKE NATHAN

Graduate of University of Texas Business School
Grandson of Iris & Jerry Nathan

BAILEY ROOS

Graduate of Arizona State University with a B.S. in Finance from the Barrett Honor Program
Bailey will be working at Black Rock in Princeton, New Jersey
Daughter of Debbie & Marty Roos (San Antonio)
Granddaughter of Fern & Stephen (z"l) Roos

HARRISON WILLIAM RUTMAN

Graduate of Anderson High School - Austin, Texas
Plans are to study in Israel next year under the Young Judea College Program
Son of Sharon & Dr. Steven Rutman
Grandson of Lois & Rabbi Herbert (z"l) Rutman
Grandson of Diane & Leonard Rubin of Norman, OK

SAM RUTMAN

Graduate of West Brook—Magna Cum Laude
Attending Lone Star College—Cypress, Texas studying Cyber Security
Son of Bene' & Dan Rutman
Grandson of Lois & Rabbi Herbert (z"l) Rutman
Grandson of Esterlyn & Al Dugan

BIRTHDAY LIST - JUNE

- | | |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| 3 ~ Regina Rogers | 27 ~ John Goebel |
| 8 ~ Ken Parker | 27 ~ Sharon Joffe |
| 11 ~ Sam Parker | 27 ~ Susan Mandel |
| 11 ~ Sofie Wheeler | 28 ~ Neil Fogal |
| 13 ~ Marsha Hoffer | 28 ~ Gene Thomas |
| 21 ~ Joel Berger | 30 ~ Iris Nathan |
| 25 ~ Anne Demuth | |

Anniversary List - June

- 5 ~ Natalie & S.L. Greenberg
- 12 ~ Cheryl & Andrew Barenberg
- 14 ~ Ania & Stephen Bender
- 18 ~ Sarah & Kenny Mann

BIRTHDAY LIST - JULY

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| 7 ~ Andrew Barenberg | 25 ~ Mike Getz |
| 8 ~ Marc Greenberg | 26 ~ Lois Rutman |
| 20 ~ Eric Lawrence | 27 ~ Mike Spector |
| 23 ~ Dan Rutman | 28 ~ Phyllis Lawrence |

Anniversary List - July

- 5 ~ Iris & Jerry Nathan
- 14 ~ Esterlyn & Al Dugan
- 15 ~ Laura & Gene Thomas
- 20 ~ Anne & Jeff Demuth
- 27 ~ Mindy & Jay Eisen
- 29 ~ Debra & Stephen Diamond

**Shabbat Hostesses and Greeters
For the Month of June
(SUSPENDED UNTIL
FURTHER NOTICE)**

- June 5 - Cara & Dan Eisen
Elayne LeTraunik
- June 12 - Arlette & Bruce Hoffer
- June 19 - Sharon Joffe
- June 26 - Pat Klein
Iris & Jerry Nathan

**Shabbat Hostesses and Greeters
For the Month of July
(SUSPENDED UNTIL
FURTHER NOTICE)**

- July 3 - Dawn & Joel Berger
- July 10 - Arlette & Bruce Hoffer
- July 17 - Cheryl & Andrew Barenberg
- July 24 - Sarah & Kenny Mann
Laura & Gene Thomas
- July 31 - Allison & Mike Getz

**CONDUCTING SERVICES
& TORAH STUDY**

June 5-6, 2020 Rabbi Michaels
 June 12-13, 2020 Rabbi Berger
 June 19-20, 2020 Rabbi Michaels
 June 26-27, 2020 Rabbi Michaels

**CONDUCTING SERVICES
& TORAH STUDY**

We welcome back for the month of July, Elias Chajet, once our ISJL fellow and now a Student Rabbi. He will be conducting services on the following dates:

July 3-4, 2020
 July 10-11, 2020
 July 17-18, 2020
 July 24-25, 2020
 July 31-August 1, 2020

Mazel Tov

to **Karen Lampe** on the birth
 of granddaughter
SYDNEY MAE LAMPE
 May 13, 2020 - Denver, CO
 7 lbs, 4 ozs; 20" long
 MOM: Kara Lampe
 BIG SISTER: Davi Rose Lampe
 GRANDMA (Safta): Karen Lampe

Mazel Tov

to **Judy Night** on the birth of
 great granddaughter
TEDDY SAGE MALASHOCK
 April 16, 2020 - 6 lbs, 5 ozs
 PARENTS: Stevie & Jason Malashock
 GRANDPARENTS: Andy & Jeff Levy
 GREAT-GRANDPARENT: Judy Night

Mazel Tov

to **Cara & Dan Eisen** on the birth
 of grandson
HAYES EDWARD WOMACK
 With babies it brings hope and joy

Welcome

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Mission Statement:
Temple Emanuel:
 A sacred Jewish journey to enrich lives
 Core Values:

- I. We believe the Jewish life-journey has the power to change lives.
- II. We are committed to lifelong learning.
- III. We are committed to meaningful, relevant, and engaging worship.
- IV. We are committed to being an inclusive community open to everyone who wishes to join us for worship and study.
- V. We are committed to our sacred responsibility of being a "light unto the nations" as the Jewish voice of southeast Texas.
- VI. We are committed to being a part of the worldwide Jewish community.
- VII. We are committed to the survival and welfare of the State of Israel.

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Lois Rutman, Mammogram Van
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Sherry Horwitz, Robin Goebel, Gail Williams, Sukkot Dinner
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Sisterhood Membership, Deli Day Event, Break-fast

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