

**MARCH 2023
BULLETIN**

FRIDAY NIGHT

6:00 PM WORSHIP SERVICES

**AT THIS TIME ALL SERVICES
WILL BE IN-PERSON and
via ZOOM**

Mar 03 Shabbat Service
Mar 10 Shabbat Service
Mar 17 Shabbat Service
Mar 24 Shabbat Service
Mar 31 Shabbat Service

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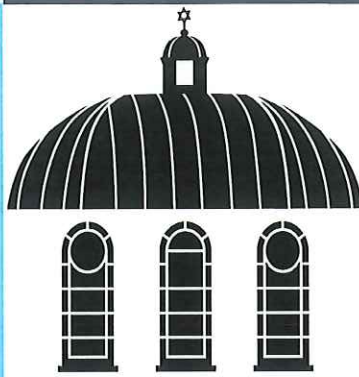
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RSVP Line**

When you need to RSVP for any
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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

Excerpt from the 129th Annual Congregational Dinner

Most of the biblical leaders in Judaism were figures who were not possessed of a great sense of destiny, determined from an early age on to achieve fame. If anything, they often doubted their own abilities. Many like Moses, became heroes of the right choice against their will. Why them? Why us? Who are we to be asked to perform a noble deed, or a courageous act? Yet very often, those people that have changed lives and mended people's pain, are just ordinary people. They did not have power, but they had something much more enduring, they had influence. Influence by the way they inspired others and spoke to the better angels of our natures, that kind of leadership of influence seeks no power, but it changes lives. It reminded me of one of my favourite paintings. The irises by Van Gogh. When I look at that painting, I don't just see the interplay of light and dark, the essence of spring captured in oil. I see the heaviness of the paint, the sense of movement, and luminosity desperately trying to shape failure into beauty. A flower is not just a flower, it is chaos shaped into resplendence, stretching upward towards daylight. Every act of creation uses the same matter from the universe and transforms the void into the potential for meaning. Every time we commit ourselves to a project, whether it is to better ourselves, to start a new position or to choose to belong to a community. Every time we make something positive out of our lives together we function as a mirror of God's decision to light up the world, and as such we have tremendous influence. The power of the influence of us, of community keeps enriching our understanding of our ancient texts and brings new melodies to the text of our siddur, with the beautiful musicianship of Angela and Dwight. We are truly blessed to have such a dedicated duo. Wilton's influence can be found in the smallest corners of our community. Not only does he care for our building, our Sifrei Torah, most importantly he cares for each and every one of us, with humour and an unshakeable belief in God. Leah's can do attitude guides this synagogue and keeps us connected. A special thank you to our Board of Trustees, Committee heads and committees, your care and dedication for this community is obvious. Thank you to Ken Parker, a president who despite himself, and with a little nudging, had the courage to take on the direction of this congregation. I believe in this community; you have kept your Jewish traditions and connectedness. Your influence is clear in the respect all the other faith traditions have for this synagogue. Your influence has been translated into hope, goodness, and decency for us and the overall Beaumont community.



Shehechianu Rabbi Chava Koster

FROM OUR TEMPLE PRESIDENT

Excerpt from 129th Annual Congregational Dinner

It is an honor and pleasure to be with you tonight as president for the 129th congregational dinner. My first year has brought challenges and rewards to my theme of I's, incentivize, inclusion, and innovation. I am proud to share the achievements of 2022 that began with the installation of Rabbi Koster. It was such a joy to see many different religious denominations welcome our new rabbi. Speaking of Joy, many thanks to her and her committee for their efforts on the installation. My mom always makes me proud. "Small but Mighty".



The first special Shabbat, featuring jazz music was innovative, inclusive and incentivized many to attend. It was special to have so many members and non-members enjoying Shabbat in our beautiful sanctuary. I want to thank Rabbi Koster for her creativity and effort making it successful. The Jazz Shabbat brought new faces in to our temple. We look forward to more special Shabbats.

The Rosinger Dinner was a HUGE success! It was attended by a wide swath of the Southeast Texas community. Our Love They Neighbor initiative was well represented by our honorees Allison Nathan Getz and Rev. Jim Fuller. Thanks to Cynthia Wolf and her committee for their commitment ensuring a very successful event. Due to their efforts the Rosinger Dinner continues to help keep Temple Emanuel relevant in our community.

My theme of I's, incentivize, inclusion, and innovation sparked the idea for our new massive Chanukah Menorah. We hope to use it to help create community interest and encourage members participation.

In conclusion I want to take this opportunity to thank the board and congregation for their support.

Ken Parker

President, Temple Emanuel

*Congratulations to Temple
Emanuel's new Board of
Trustee Bene` Rutman*



129th Annual Congregational Dinner



Sisterhood Birthday Luncheon



Judy Night receiving the Tree of Life Certificate for her years of service to Temple Emanuel Sisterhood



**2nd NIGHT COMMUNITY PASSOVER SEDER,
Thursday, April 6, 2023 6:00 PM**

Please RSVP to the Temple office by returning this form with your check
or by calling the Temple Office at (409) 832-6131.

Make Check Payable to TEMPLE EMANUEL

Reservation Deadline is Thursday, March 16, 2023
1120 Broadway, Beaumont, TX 77701

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Number attending: _____ Adults (\$50/Guest) _____ Children (Free)

_____ Check here if you would like to attend
but need financial assistance

B'nai Mitzvah

RYAN LEV WASSERSTEIN AND TRUMAN ZEV WASSERSTEIN

Ryan Lev Wasserstein and Truman Zev Wasserstein were called to the Torah as B'nai Mitzvah on Jan. 21, 2023, at Congregation Emanu El in Houston.

Ryan and Truman are the sons of Sallye Wolf and Brent Wasserstein. Their proud grandparents are Cynthia Roosth Wolf and Michael Wolf, of Beaumont; Dr. Jerry Wasserstein, of Houston; and Carol Newport Wasserstein, of blessed memory.

Ryan and Truman are seventh-grade students at The Emery/Weiner School where they play football, basketball and baseball.

For their B'nai Mitzvah project, Ryan and Truman volunteered at Greene Family Camp.

Truman shared, "Greene is not only our summer camp but our second home. The magic of camp is why we go back every year, and by repairing camp, we make that magic even more powerful." This coming summer will be their sixth at Greene.

For their tzedakah project, Ryan and Truman are donating 10% of their B'nai Mitzvah gifts to the Greene Family Camp Scholarship Fund.

Ryan shared, "GFC is a special and magical place to Truman and me. We hope our donation will help kids experience camp, regardless of their financial situation."



GISELE PARRA PHOTOGRAPHY
Ryan and Truman Wasserstein

Rabbi Samuel Rosinger Humanitarian Award

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Dear Temple Emanuel and Friends of Temple Emanuel,

As a follow up to the Rabbi Samuel Rosinger Humanitarian Award Dinner, we have received the following THANK YOUS:

- Suzanne Lewis, Department Head Social Studies/Advanced European History Teacher at Monsignor Kelly High School: "She (Mrs. Eisen) was wonderful, fantastic and one of the best speakers I have ever had! Thanks so much for reaching out!!!!!! NOTE: Anna Salton Eisen made presentations for two of Ms. Lewis' classrooms and was given a classroom set of books and a set was given to Kelly HS Library.
- Candace LeMasters, AP World History/AP European History Teacher at West Brook High School: "I want to thank you for contacting me about Mrs. Eisen. She is an amazing speaker and my students hung on to every word! It was such an honor to have her in our class..." NOTE: Anna made her presentation in the Library at West Brook where even students from others of Ms. LeMasters' Classrooms came that period to hear and was given a classroom set of books and a set was given to West Brook HS Library.
- Treyvon Trahan at Legacy Christian Academy Secondary: "Once again, thank you both so much for visiting our school last Friday, our students and teachers were greatly impacted by the presentation." NOTE: Anna made her presentation to a combined classroom including students of High School History Teacher Treyvon Trahan and Middle School English/Reading Teacher Carol Silver, and both teachers were given classroom sets of books. Their classrooms also function as libraries.
- Shannon Allen, Superintendent of Beaumont Independent School District: "Thank you for sharing the information with me...regarding the rare opportunity for Anna Salton Eisen to speak to some of our students...I am so glad our students had an opportunity to learn from such a valuable resource...Thanks again!"
- Jenny Angelo, Executive Director of Curriculum and Instruction of BISD for our sharing sets of books with the libraries of Beaumont ISD Early College High School, Beaumont United High School, and West Brook High School. "I have heard rave reviews regarding the speaker, Mrs. Eisen...Thank you so much, and please do not hesitate to reach out to us for future collaborations. We greatly appreciate the support!"
- Paul Eddy, Library Director of Beaumont Public Library System for sets of books shared. "...thank you and Temple Emanuel for your donation of the 5 sets of books...(which) will be placed at our circulating libraries for all citizens to check out and enjoy. Donations of this nature are essential to the library and add value and substance to each branch. It also helps further the goals and mission of the library..."

Sets of Books mentioned above:

- The 23rd Psalm: A Holocaust Memoir by George Salton and his daughter Anna Salton Eisen
- Pillar of Salt: A Daughter's Life in the Shadow of The Holocaust by Anna Salton Eisen and her son Aaron Eisen

NOTE: A few sets of books are available on a first-come basis by notifying Leah Trahan (409.832.6131) in the Temple Office. Once you call Leah, your name will be placed on a set of books. Please stop by the Temple Office when Leah is there to pick up the set of books that will be on hold for you. As a reminder, the sets of books were generously donated by The Will Crenshaw Family and The Wayne Reaud Family in honor of and love for Allison Nathan Getz and her legacy of service for Temple Emanuel, Beaumont, and Southeast Texas.

THANKS and HEALTH!

Cynthia Wolf, Chair

2022 Rabbi Samuel Rosinger Humanitarian Award Dinner

SAVE THE DATE: Thursday, October 19, 2023 for 2023 Rabbi Samuel Rosinger Humanitarian Award Dinner

*Cynthia & Michael Wolf invite you to
"Celebrate the Newlyweds"*

Amanda & Marc Wolf

(who were married Sunday, February 19, 2023 in NYC)

Friday, April 14, 2023

Temple Emanuel

1120 Broadway

Beaumont, TX

Forrest Street Entrance

6:00 pm Shabbat Services in Main Sanctuary

*7:00 - 9:00 pm Food & Fellowship
in Swerdlow-Roosth Social Hall*

RSVP by April 5th

Templeoffice@emanuelbeaumont.org

or 409.832.6131

SISTERHOOD SCHMOOZE—MARCH 2023

Temple Emanuel Sisterhood has had a busy start to 2023. We recognized long-term Sisterhood member Judy Night who moved to Dallas at the end of January 2023 with a leaf on the Tree of Life for her years of service. Judy's support of Temple Emanuel Sisterhood and her all around help with various project will be missed. If you are ever in the Dallas area call Judy, I am sure she would love to catch up.

Sisterhood will again be hosting a **Mahj Day of Fun** in the spring of 2023. The tentative date is Wednesday, April 26, 2023, with an Earth Day theme. Sisterhood is looking for the following volunteers to help with this fundraiser:

- ◆ Mahj Day mail out flyer and/or Registration
- ◆ Door Prizes
- ◆ Tables & Mahj sets set-up
- ◆ Food table setup
- ◆ Tear down & clean up

We will follow our usual format of a light breakfast upon arrival, 2 rounds of three games before lunch and 2 rounds of three games after lunch. Of course, snacks/drinks will be available throughout the day.

If you would like to help, please notify me at cabarnberg@yahoo.com or 409-350-1157.

Lastly, I would like to ask that if you have had the opportunity to receive the Friday night Shabbat flowers following services could you kindly bring back the vases for the arrangements and/or any vases you may have received with those arrangements. Sisterhood has been paying for these since we have previously returned those to the florist for reuse week over week.

As always, I am available should you have any questions, comments, or concerns. Stay well and see you around Temple!

Kol tuv

Cheryl

President, Temple Emanuel Sisterhood

WRJ SW District President

MARCH 2023 YAHRZEITS

Week Ending 3/4 to be Read 3/3

Frances Goldfine Austin
Sara Litvin Franklin
Isidore Roos
Jacob A. Szafir
Solomon Engel Gordon
David Greenberger
Zipporah Hoffer
Yetta M. Protas
Dr. Harold Roosth
Dr. Sigmund Blum
Henry Greene
Annie Kessler
Ruth Lefkovits
Herman Cohen
Maxine Dulaney
Belle S. Goldfine
Lenore Bliss Gosky
F. Mencie Hirshfeifer
Mamie S. Krone
Lee C. Zuber
Nelson Alter
Bernice Bluestein
Mollie Levy Born
Ethel Doblin
Eve Franzel
Bernice Rozner Berger Ham
Goldie Horwitz
Viola Kramer
Julie Parker
Hyman Sharfstein
Doris Waldman Spector
Dr. Joseph Cohen
Bertha Barey
Blanche Plettman
Beatrice L. Reddoch
Joseph Sharfstein

Week Ending 3/25 to be Read 3/24

Henny Liebmann
Elizabeth A. Rawles
Anna Greenberg
Aymin Waldman
Leslie S. Levy
Natalie Krasnow Corman
Frank Dover

Week Ending 3/11 to be Read 3/10

Doris Rosinger Levy
Marga Steinhart
Isaac Levin
Kenneth Neel
Sylvan Sommer
Regina B. Cohen
Miriam Cohen Schwartz
Max Swiren
Abraham Eisen
Stanley B. Goldstein
Toni Kern
Sam Klugman
Joseph Lederer
Irving Schwartz
Harold D. Greenberg
Howard L. Kane
Dorothy M. Lefkovits
Charles Mielz
Charles Miller
Isidore Protas
Ann Batsell
Gertrude Bender
Freda Crager
Ione Sternberg Ney
Minnie Falkowitz
Abe Kolba
Alyce Ney
Louise Scheps

Dorothy Faye Hosen
Irvin Bud Kassoff
Anna Leaman
Gitel Markewich
Slyvia C. Miller
Martha Lea Stein
Duane Joseph Curry
Irving Davis
Emil Holtzen
Anna Blum
Simon Philip Dover
Herman Globber
Morris Greenspan
Sam Night
Herman A. Philipson

Week Ending 3/18 to be Read 3/17

Max H. Haber
Hadassah Jacobs
Leon R. Levy
Jennie Toomim
Jack Mechanic
Louis Schwartz
Abe Elkins
Hal Lawrence Gale
Esther Glasomitzky
Florence Lynne
Austin Holtzman
Anna Leaman
Max Spector
Bessie Sukman
Sam Hertzman
Estelle Carrow
Sarah M. Greenberg
Sarah Miriam Greenberg
Ursula Lefkowitz
Regina Schneider
Jacob Louis Zuber
Dennis Alter
Susan Miller Bailey
Martha Haase
Billy Roberts
Andy Witebsky

**Yahrzeits for
March 26—April 1
are listed on the
April Yahrzeits
page**

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5 12 adar	6 13 adar FAST OF ESTHER MEGILLAH READING	7 14 adar PURIM	8 15 adar 11:30am - TESS Schnooze Noon - TESS Board Mtg.	9 16 adar	10 17 adar 6:00pm Shabbat Services Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)	11 18 adar 9:00am Torah Study with Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM) <i>Ki Tsa</i> SHABBAT PARAH
12 19 adar	13 20 adar	14 21 adar	15 22 adar SHUSHAN PURIM	16 23 adar	17 24 adar 6:00pm Shabbat Services Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)	18 25 adar 9:00am Torah Study with Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)
19 26 adar	20 27 adar	21 28 adar 5:30pm Ritual Committee Mtg	22 29 adar 6:30pm - BOT Meeting	23 1 nisan	24 2 nisan 6:00pm Shabbat Services Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)	25 3 nisan 9:00am Torah Study with Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)
26 4 nisan	27 5 nisan	28 6 nisan	29 7 nisan	30 8 nisan ROSH CHODESH	31 9 nisan 6:00pm Shabbat Services Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)	

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<p>9</p> <p>18 nisan</p> <p>EASTER INTERMEDIATE DAY PASSOVER</p>	<p>10</p> <p>19 nisan</p> <p>INTERMEDIATE DAY PASSOVER</p>	<p>11</p> <p>20 nisan</p> <p>SEARCH FOR CHAMETZ INTERMEDIATE DAY PASSOVER</p>	<p>12</p> <p>21 nisan</p> <p>FIRST SEDER</p>	<p>13</p> <p>22 nisan</p> <p>PASSOVER</p>	<p>14</p> <p>23 nisan</p> <p></p> <p>6:00pm Shabbat Services Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)</p>	<p>15</p> <p>24 nisan</p> <p></p> <p>9:00am Torah Study with Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)</p> <p>INTERMEDIATE DAY PASSOVER</p>
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<p>23</p> <p>2 yyar</p>	<p>24</p> <p>3 yyar</p>	<p>25</p> <p>4 yyar</p> <p>YOM HASHOAH</p>	<p>26</p> <p>5 yyar</p> <p>6:30pm - BOT Meeting</p>	<p>27</p> <p>6 yyar</p>	<p>28</p> <p>7 yyar</p> <p></p> <p>6:00pm Shabbat Services Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)</p>	<p>29</p> <p>8 yyar</p> <p></p> <p>9:00am Torah Study with Rabbi Koster (IN-person & ZOOM)</p>
<p>30</p> <p>9 yyar</p>		<p>YOM HAZIKARON</p>	<p>YOM HA'ATZMAUT</p>			<p><i>Achrei Mot-Kedoshim</i></p>

APRIL 2023 YAHRZEITS

Week Ending 4/1 to be Read 3/31

Harry Bennett
Samuel Cohen
Jeff Greenberg
Aron Gross
Julius M. Gordon
Aaron Rose
Joan Krafte
Celia Harris
Nettye Leibson
Philip Liebman
John K. Levy
Jennie K. Szafir
Marian Goldstein
Rosalee L. R. Mellinger
Albert Morton Klein
Ruth Wyde Hall
I.B. "Butch" Hoffer
Rachel Trachtenberg

Carl Muller
Lynn R. Mechanic
Anne Vaxler
Elise Eisenstadt
Joe Feldman
Ida Klugman
William Bell

Week Ending 4/8 to be Read 4/7

Harold Kaplan
Miriam Fannette Brookner
Henry Lubel
Alex Eli Martin
C.P. Snelgrove
Beth Eisen
Harvey Golob
Clara Greenspan
Sidney Kelman
Bernard F. Kessler
Harry Robbins
Rhea Levy Sommer
Eleanor Perlstein Weinbaum
Raudee Lynn Solotorovsky
Hanna H. Bluhm
Bennett Friedlander
Addie Lee Stewart Hawes
Louis Horwitz
Sidney Henry Levy, Jr.
Howard Martin

Week Ending 4/22 to be Read 4/21

Agnes Ladner
Wilbur Shapiro
Gussie Waldman
Max Abraham Goldfine
John Dave Holland
Hattie Diamond Edelman
Carl E. Lovell
Joseph Rosenthal
Jayne Eisen
Max Hirsch
Sarah Spector
Anna Rose Swartz
Charles H. Naman
Melissa Ann Rogers
Catherine Rosenberg
Herbert H. Friedman
Esidore J. Goldstein
Oscar N. Eldridge
Janice D. Gordon
Dora Horwitz
Carrie Levy
Carrie Schwartz Zeve

Week Ending 4/15 to be Read 4/14

Barbara Ellen Blumstein
Pauline Deutser
Mollie Gedaly
Gertrude Rosinger
Stanford S. Schwartz
Fannie Hyman
Samuel Swartz
Milton Bender
Robert H. Rawles
Jesse M. Saxon
Nelle P. Herns
Rose Krasnow
Franne Michaels
Rene' Spector
Nathan Speer
Joseph F. Bittensky
Richard Jacobs
Morris Klein
Emanuel Toomim

Week Ending 4/29 to be Read 4/28

Mike Aceto
Ezero I. Greenberg
Morris Tettenbaum
Golde Bruckner
J. Bruckner
Pearl Janowitz
Donna Gold
Adele Kariel
Samuel Feigenbaum
Gertrude Greenberg
Murray Herbert Hoffer
Mary Jane Horwitz
Leo Williams
Russell Batsell
Sadie Elkins
Lionel Forbert
Sadye Barsky Forbert
Annette Gedaly
Macie Paula Goldstein
Manfred R. Levy
Volodimir Nemerinsky
Dorothy Greenberg Bushman
Bernard Deutser

Annie Feigelson
Annie Lee Goldstein
Conrad Krafte
Murray P. Smyth
Bess Wunderman
Genevieve Bumar
Jennie Kramer
Sadie Levinson
Sarah L. Levy
Florence Melasky
Pearl Rose
Daniel Wunderman

TEMPLE EMANUEL SOCIAL JUSTICE MITZVAH OPPORTUNITIES

MARCH AND BEYOND

Temple Emanuel Social Justice *Mitzvah* Opportunities March 2023 and Beyond

Each Temple Emanuel Social Justice Project continues to INCENTIVIZE Temple Members and Friends of Temple Emanuel to participate in the *tikkun olam* aspect of Temple Emanuel's *Love Thy Neighbor* Initiative and, therefore, the life of Temple Emanuel and the part that Temple Emanuel plays in Beaumont, Southeast Texas, and Beyond...thus helping to fulfill an important part of President Ken's mission for his term.

Menu of Tzedakah for your consideration in any amount is needed for each of the following:

- Humanitarian Relief in the form of day to day necessities for over 1,000 Ukrainians - women, children, babies, and the elderly - under the umbrella of Ester Felt's care. Ester, an American Jewish woman living in Germany since her husband is in the Military, is also the Lay Leader contact for Jewish troops. She has added another dimension to her *mitzvot*.
- Humanitarian Relief for the Jewish Community of Turkey which has been greatly affected by the earthquake. Jewish Federation of North America through its partners on the ground partner are providing what's needed at this time and will continue to monitor/fulfill the needs.
- Family Services of Southeast Texas for needs of the clients of the Women's and Children's Shelter.
- Kosher for Passover for Jewish Troops in AFRICOM...but there will, of course, there are also the Ukrainians who are Jewish who will also be at Passover Seders.
- Others: Beaumont Pets Alive, a no-kill animal shelter; Market to HOPE (Help Other People Eat), a free market that serves as a supplement for low income individuals/families; Salvation Army for its local homeless shelter; Stable Spirit for equine therapy scholarships for those needing assistance with mental and physical health services throughout the year.

SAVE THE DATE: Monsignor Salvadore Culotta is being honored at Breakfast with the Bishop – Saturday, April 29th at St. Jude's. More information in April Bulletin.

THANK YOU from Temple Emanuel Social Justice Committee!

TEMPLE EMANUEL SOCIAL JUSTICE MITZVAH OPPORTUNITIES
MARCH AND BEYOND CONTINUES

Dear Congregational Family and Friends of Temple Emanuel, TESJ Committee provides a plethora of TORAH IN ACTION opportunities to support Temple Emanuel's *Love Thy Neighbor* Initiative. PLEASE designate what you want your *tikkun olam mitzvah* dollars to support.

Here's how to support what speaks to your heart:

1. Please write a check payable to Temple Emanuel with Memo Note for Social Justice/the name of the TESJ project or projects that you wish to support and how much for each.
2. OR, please send your check(s) to Temple Emanuel but payable to the specific non-profit(s). Your check(s) will be included with the letter(s) written to the non-profits.
3. OR, please call Leah Trahan in Temple Office 409.832.6131 to charge your Tzedakah.
4. OR, please visit www.emanuelbeaumont.org and click on the DONATE button.

THANK YOU, Congregational Family and Friends of Temple Emanuel!

THANK YOU from Temple Emanuel Social Justice Committee

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MORE LOVE THY NEIGHBOR TIKKUN OLAM NEWS:

30% of the Proceeds of the 2022 Rabbi Samuel Rosinger Humanitarian Award Dinner were distributed from the Becky and Edwin Gale Love Thy Neighbor Fund as follows to help local non-profits:

<i>25%</i>	<i>\$20,900.00</i>	<i>Some Other Place</i>
		<i>as advertised prior to Humanitarian Award Dinner</i>
<i>2½%</i>	<i>\$2,090.00</i>	<i>Nutrition & Services for Seniors</i>
<i>2½%</i>	<i>\$2,090.00</i>	<i>Southeast Texas Food Bank</i>
		<i>as determined by members of Humanitarian Award Committee</i>

Additional funds will be used as needed for Love Thy Neighbor Programming.

THANK YOU from Humanitarian Award Committee for ALL SUPPORT!

SAVE THE DATE:

***2023 Rabbi Samuel Rosinger Humanitarian Award Dinner
Thursday, October 19, 2023***



**March Shabbat Hostesses
and Greeters**

03/03 ~ Esterlyn & Al Dugan
 03/10 ~ Susan & Wayne Margolis
 03/17 ~ Arlette & Bruce Hoffer, Brandy Johnson
 03/24 ~ Marilyn & Richard Hayes, Kate Roberts
 03/31 ~ Sherry & Paul Horwitz, Tracie Horwitz



**Wendie Nordgren
& Mike Spector**


Anniversary List - March
 20 ~ Lori & Brian Alter


Birthday List - March
 2 ~ Brian Alter 23 ~ Sherry Horwitz
 9 ~ Judy Night 24 ~ Beverly Hickman
 13 ~ Gloria Seligman 28 ~ Betty Greenberg
 20 ~ Rabbi Chava Koster 29 ~ Kate Roberts



Shout out to those who came and helped in the cemetery with Mike Spector

⇒ *Stephen Eisen & Sofie Wheeler*
 ⇒ *Arlette & Bruce Hoffer*
 ⇒ *Nancy Meyer*

Your assistance to keep our cemeteries thriving is greatly appreciated!