My Final Note

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Once upon a time, there was a young girl who fell in love. She didn't fall in love with a person; she fell in love with music, specifically the music she heard in Temple. She tried to remember melodies and practiced very, very hard to learn each song. One day her rabbi heard her practicing and asked her if she would like to learn more! The young girl said yes with a big smile and an even bigger heart. The rabbi was very happy and made sure that she sang with all the Sunday school classes and with the Shabbat (adult!) Choir! She was very happy! One day the rabbi went to visit the girl and her parents because she was growing up and thinking, “What will I do with my life?” The rabbi was very happy, because he knew he had an answer for her! They sat down together and the rabbi showed her a picture and said, “This is what I think you could do, and I will help make it happen!” The girl looked at the picture...it was a cantor! A LADY Cantor! The girl's face lit up! "I can do that?" she asked. "Yes!" said the rabbi, "Of course!" “I know what I'm going to be!” she said as she danced around the room. “I'm going to be a cantor!” she sang. So, the girl moved to New York City to learn to be the best cantor she could be. She worked very, very hard and finally her dream came true...she was a cantor!

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Individuals are inspired to fulfill their Jewish identity and participate actively in our dynamic Reform Jewish religious community.

Join our email list and receive information and updates about our programs. Email stark@EmanuelDenver.org to be added to the list.

**WORSHIP SERVICES**

**FRIDAYS:** 5:30 p.m. A Kabbalat Shabbat service is held every Friday in the Feiner Family Chapel.

**SATURDAYS:** 9:00 a.m. Parshat Hashavuah (Torah study) in Room B/C • 10:30 a.m. Community Worship services in the Social Hall, followed by a light kiddush snack.

**SHABBAT WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

**Friday, December 4**
7:00 Family Service, 7:30 p.m. Worship Service. Torah Portion: Vayeshev. An Oneg Shabbat will follow services.

**Saturday, December 5**
9:45 a.m. Shabbat Meditation
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service

**Friday, December 11**
5:30 p.m. Hanukkah Hoopla (only service of evening). Torah Portion: Miketz. Hanukkah cookies will be served during the concert sponsored by Dave and Jenny Biermann in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Alec Biermann.

**Saturday, December 12**
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Alec Biermann Bar Mitzvah

**Friday, December 18**
7:30 p.m. Worship Service. Torah Portion: Vayigash. An Oneg Shabbat will follow services sponsored by the Seba Family in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Loric Seba.

**Saturday, December 19**
9:00 a.m. Young Family Shabbat Experience (YFSE)
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Loric Seba Bar Mitzvah

**Friday, January 22 – Shabbat Shira Celebrating Cantor Heit**
7:30 p.m. Worship Service. Torah Portion: Beshalach. An Oneg Shabbat will follow services.

**Saturday, January 23**
9:00 a.m. Young Family Shabbat Experience (YFSE)
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Ari Abrams-Flohr Bar Mitzvah

**Friday, January 29**
7:30 p.m. Worship Service. Torah Portion: Yitro. An Oneg Shabbat will follow services sponsored by Marvin and Judi Wolf in honor of their grandson, Caleb Chayet.

**Saturday, January 30**
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Caleb Chayet Bar Mitzvah

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Shabbat Dinners
Let us do the cooking and provide a warm Shabbat experience for you and your family. Join us for Shabbat dinner at 6:00 p.m. Friday, December 4 and 6:15 p.m. on Friday, December 18, January 15, January 22 and January 29. Please note on Friday, December 11 dinner will be at 6:15 p.m. for the Hanukah Hoopla and on Friday, January 8 dinner will be at 7:00 p.m. for Shwayder Reunion Camp Shabbat. Bring the whole family! Call 303.388.4013 to make reservations by Wednesday for the week you plan to attend.

- Temple members: $14 Adults, $8 Children (5-12 years old)
- Non-members: $18 Adults, $9 Children (5-12 years old)

Young Family Shabbat Experience
Friday, December 11 – Hanukah Hoopla!
All families are invited to our congregation-wide celebration of Hanukah.
5:30 p.m. – Service, 6:30 p.m. – Dinner/Concert.

Friday, January 8 – 6:00 p.m.
Young Family Shabbat Experience is designed to provide families with children ages 1-6 with a meaningful Shabbat experience that includes Shabbat dinner (with rituals), Shabbat worship and programming to build community. The schedule for Young Family Shabbat Experience is:
6:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.
> Catered Shabbat Dinner (Reservations required)
  - Temple members: $13 Adults, $7 Children (5-12 years old)
  - Non-members: $18 Adults, $9 Children (5-12 years old)
6:45 p.m. – 7:20 p.m.
> Shabbat Worship – singing, stories, movement, & more (all invited)
7:20 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
> Oneg (Dessert) / Program (all invited)

Reservations for Shabbat dinner are required by the Wednesday prior and can be made online at www.EmanuelDenver.org/YFSE. You can bring your own dinner if you choose (no pork or shellfish please), but please make a reservation so we know how many to expect.

Saturday, December 19 – 9:00 a.m.
Saturday, January 16 – 9:00 a.m.
Our Shabbat morning Young Family Shabbat Experience begins at 9:00 a.m. with a light breakfast (bagels and cream cheese) followed by Shabbat Worship and a project. This is a perfect way to celebrate Shabbat morning with your family.

No reservations are required for Shabbat morning. For more information, please contact Cantor Elizabeth Sacks or Ron Leff.

Shabbat Meditation
Saturday, December 5 and Saturday, January 2
9:45 a.m.–10:15 a.m. in the Seminar Room (inside the Social Hall)
Start your Shabbat morning at Temple and access your spirituality through Jewish meditation. Dr. Eileen Yager, Jim Sharon and Ruth Sharon lead this ongoing opportunity. Questions? Contact Eileen at eyager@unm.edu.
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My dear friends that is my story. Short and sweet. For over 40 years, I have had a love affair with the music of the Reform Movement. It has been such a profound honor to have been able to be a part of the world of Jewish music, especially these past years here at Temple Emanuel. Being one of the first women (and youngest) in this profession was a bit of a challenge as you might imagine! From not having a ladies’ room on the academic floor at HUC, to being told “you sing too high!” It was an adventure to say the least! I have had the privilege of being with families in joy and sorrow, sharing the bimah with B’nai Mitzvah students, wedding couples, newborns, Jews by Choice, and amazing rabbis and cantors!

To you, the members of Temple Emanuel, my family by choice, my gratitude is unbounded! You have welcomed me and my family with open hearts and arms and we have all become family. I have loved every minute with you and will hold you in my heart always.

To my rabbis, past and present, thank you for your inspiration, words, prayers, support, encouragement, and for taking a chance on and giving a chance to this pink-a-holic, flibbertigibbet, emotional, energetic, blingy person!

To my amazing Co-Cantor, Cantor Sacks, it has been such a joy to have been able to spend these years together. You are an inspiration and I know that the musical future of Emanuel and our movement are in good hands! I am proud to hand you the reins and to call you colleague and friend.

To all my students, thank you for being my teachers! I have learned more from you than you will ever know.

My “b’sheirt,” Matthew, what can I say? We have been together since this journey began and you have supported, loved, challenged, and guided me. I could not have done any of this without you. I know that sometimes, it was not easy to be “Lucky,” the Cantor’s husband, but you have done it all with such grace and love! Thank you.

David, you are the light of our eyes and our future. Thank you for being…you!

Thelma, my “Mother-in-Love,” you rock my world! Thank you for your love, support, and Matthew!

Now I say shalom, l’hitraot, and thank you. You all have had a profound impact on my life, my family’s life and together we have had an impact on the world of Reform Judaism. May we all go from strength to strength.

TO YOU, THE MEMBERS OF TEMPLE EMANUEL, MY FAMILY BY CHOICE, MY GRATITUDE IS UNBOUNDED!

Shabbat Shira

Each year, when the Torah portion, Beshalach is chanted, we celebrate Shabbat Shira, the Sabbath of Song. On this Shabbat we celebrate the world of Jewish music and its wonderful gifts. This year is no exception. It will be my last Shabbat Shira here at Temple and I want to give you a gift. My gift is my voice and all of the music that I have been privileged to bring to you. Please join me on Friday, January 22 as together we celebrate the legacy of the music of the Reform Movement, past, present, and future. – Cantor Heit

Mitzvah Gift

Sign-up to volunteer with the JEWISHcolorado Christmas Mitzvah Project! Join this community wide effort and lend a hand to local hospitals, assisted living facilities, shelters, and other organizations over the Christmas holiday. We will match you with a volunteer project of your choice on either December 24th or December 25th. No special skills are required. Examples of volunteer tasks include preparing meals, collecting gifts, answer phone calls, facilitating activities, and staffing gift shops.

For more information and to register to volunteer, visit http://www.jewishcolorado.org/christmasmitzvahproject/. Please invite your friends and family to join you. The more the merrier! Questions, please contact Laura Don, ldon@jewishcolorado.org / 303.316.6476.
The Psalmist wrote: “Shiru Ladonai Shir Chadash - Sing a new song unto God.” From the very beginning of the formation of our people, music has helped to define our understanding of what it means to be part of a sacred community.

Temple Emanuel is a singing congregation. Music is an integral part of our worship and our daily lives. No one person has had a greater musical impact and embodied the power, beauty, and spiritual depth of song than our beloved Cantor Regina Heit. For over 20 years she has blessed our bimah with her musicianship, energy, spiritual depth, and love.

As we prepare for her retirement in the end of January, it is important to take the time to recognize and celebrate her incredible contribution – not only to our congregation and the Denver Jewish Community, but to the Jewish people as a whole.

As one of the first women to receive the title “Cantor” from the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, Cantor Heit has been a trailblazer and revolutionary. She came to Temple Emanuel as our first cantor. Through her passion and perseverance, she changed us: she taught us an entirely new way to respond to prayer. Not only has she stirred our souls with her soaring voice, but her kindness, compassion, boundless energy, enthusiasm, and empathy have impacted so many of us who have been fortunate to have had her in our lives.

Cantor Heit may be retiring from the full-time pulpit, but she will remain part of the Temple Emanuel family as Cantor Emerita. She plans to follow the guidelines set by the American Conference of Cantors (ACC) for retirement and emeritus status. As such, during the first year of her retirement, she will not be around the Temple that much so as to allow Cantor Sacks to fully establish herself as our new Senior Cantor. She will always be a part of our Temple family – and for that, we are so very fortunate.

On a personal note, I want to thank Cantor Heit for her partnership. I feel blessed to be able to call her my colleague, co-worker, and friend. I know that I speak for all of us at Temple when I wish her all the best in her retirement from the pulpit. Regina – may this next chapter of your and Matthew’s lives bring you strength and fulfillment. Thank you for sharing your spiritual and musical journey with us. We are all the better because of your many gifts.

Celebrate the Engagement of Rabbi Brian Immerman and Jenny Topolosky!

In early February, Rabbi Brian Immerman will stand underneath the chuppah with his bride, Jenny Topolosky as they enter into the sacred covenant of marriage. We are thrilled to be able to share in their joy and that of their families’ as well. On Friday night, January 29, at our 7:30 p.m. Erev Shabbat service, Rabbi Immerman and Jenny will be called to the Torah for an aufruf – a traditional blessing prior to a wedding. The entire congregation is invited to attend this special service. In addition, the Temple will be co-sponsoring a festive oneg in their honor following the service – along with Judi and Marvin Wolf who are celebrating the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, Caleb Chayet. We look forward to wishing everyone a hearty Mazal Tov!

WELCOME New Members

David Adelstein, Jill Tullman, Noah, Emma, & Manny
Roger Hauptman & Jennifer Horn, Harrison, Shea, & Ellysen
Andrea Jacobs, Gunnar & Kendall
John & Amy Pregulman, Goldie
Charles & JoAnn Schloss
Don & Jenny Strasburg, Wyatt
Gilberte Walden
Mike & Sarah Weinberger, Zachary

GOT TUNA?

Jewish Family Service depends on us for tuna.
Thank you for continuing to bring cans of tuna when you come to Temple!
Join us for the 2016 Annual Fundraising Concert
By Lori Snyder, Co-Chair

The 2016 Temple Emanuel annual fundraiser concert will be on Saturday, January 23. This evening is special in several ways. The evening will be honoring our beloved Senior Cantor Regina Heit as she retires after 20 years of service to Temple Emanuel. This will be a time for Temple Emanuel’s members to come together and celebrate her extraordinary contributions to our congregation, our community, and the Jewish people.

As music is such an important part of the Jewish holidays and Shabbat services, how appropriate that we celebrate with a musical program that evening. Cantor Heit was our first Cantor and being a woman we are delighted to have the headliner “FourTelling” perform at this event. This group includes four of the leading women of contemporary Jewish Music – Michelle Citrin, Beth Schafer, Julie Silver, and Peri Smilow. These four women will share with us their internationally acclaimed music. This truly will be an evening to remember.

The evening is a Temple fundraiser and the entire congregation is invited to attend. Ticket prices start at $36. All tickets include a dessert reception after the concert. Sponsorship opportunities are available from $500 up to $20,000. For more information about sponsorship, contact Francie Miran at 303.388.4013, ext. 335 or miran@EmanuelDenver.org. You can purchase tickets at www.EmanuelDenver.org/annual-fundraiser. Again, the entire congregation is encouraged to participate in this special musical evening and tribute Cantor Heit.

Why Support this Fundraising Effort
By Gary Wagner, Co-Chair

Our family has been a member of Temple Emanuel for three years. During that time, Temple has provided us with a spiritual home and a community that we never had before. This is a priceless gift for which we will always be grateful. During the last three years, I have noticed both as a congregant and Board Trustee that our honoree Cantor Heit and all of our clergy work around the clock. In addition to planning innovations in music and worship for both Shabbat and Holy Days, the clergy officiate and provide support to multiple life cycle events day after day. Last year our clergy named and blessed 40 babies, ushered 49 B’nai Mitzvah into adulthood, joined 17 couples in marriage, and officiated and offered comfort at 74 funerals. In addition, the Temple provided over $111,000 in scholarships to those in need.

We, as a congregation, are supporting this fundraiser to further our capabilities in music and worship, to support the work of Cantor Heit and all of the clergy, as well as to meet the increasing need for scholarships. This wonderful concert event has become a critical and necessary piece of funding to meet these needs.

My family’s connection to the Temple is just beginning. Many of you have experienced the support of the clergy at multiple life cycle events from generation to generation. Each congregant has their own connection, their own story, about Cantor Heit, or another member of the clergy. We honor these connections and the work of the clergy with a gift to this fundraiser concert.
Why We Give on Hanukah

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Giving, in many forms, is proscribed in our religion and ingrained in our culture. We give to those in need, we give to support that in which we believe and we even give gelt to our children this time of year. Here at Temple Emanuel we see giving and overwhelming generosity every day. Our passion for social justice as well as our commitment to taking care of our community is evident. This type of dedication and the size of our congregation require your financial support. So that we continue to keep our finances strong, I ask you to consider making an additional year-end gift to Temple Emanuel.

There are tax benefits to making your charitable contributions prior to December 31, 2015. Remember that contributions to the Temple Emanuel Early Childhood Center and Shwayder Camp qualify for Colorado’s Childcare Contribution Credit. Please consult your tax advisor for details.

As we look ahead to the secular new year, I want to offer some ideas for new year’s resolutions that may enrich your life, positively impact our community and continue to make Temple Emanuel a central part of your life in 2016.

* Commit yourself to a cause – give time, financial resources, and talent to a cause you are passionate about. Looking for ideas? Call us; we have vast resources and will gladly connect you with the right people!

* Learn – pick a topic that interests you. Come to Temple for a single class or sign up for a lecture series!

* Grow spiritually – participate regularly in Shabbat services. Regular attendance not your thing? Consider coming for Shabbat Unplugged, Hanukah Hoopla, or other special services!

Build relationships. Connect with others at the many programs Temple offers!

We hope to see you and hear from you often!

Wishing you good health, prosperity and a happy 2016!

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Hanukah – A Festival of Values

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The glow of candles, the smell of oil, the taste of sweet treats, the sounds of joy – the sensations of the Hanukah season are welcome and familiar. Each year we celebrate this holiday, this festival of light, in the midst of darkness. As the sunshine wanes and our days grow shorter, Hanukah is a beacon of joy, calling us back to remember warmth and hope.

While it is easy to celebrate Hanukah quite simply – we light the candles, we eat the latkes, we sing the songs – the story and traditions of Hanukah can also push us to explore and confront some of the most fundamental values of our Jewish heritage. This year, I invite you to unpack this well-known holiday. To the right is a series of themes/ideas – 8 themes for 8 nights – and for each theme, a set of questions to help you delve into its meaning and importance. As you light the candles each evening, reflect on these themes and discuss the questions with those around you. May we all have a Chag Urim Sameach – a season of light, of joy, of hope, and of meaning.

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8 Themes for 8 Nights

LIGHT - What is light? Where does it come from?
What does it mean to have a light inside of you?

ADVERSITY - What does it feel like when we encounter difficulties in our lives? Can you remember a time when you experienced hardship or danger? How do you respond in times of trouble?

BRAVERY - What does it mean to be brave? Can you think of a time when you were brave? What makes people brave?

FREEDOM - What does it mean to be free? How are you free? What does it feel like to be free?

FAMILY/COMMUNITY – To whom do you turn for help and support? Can you think of a time when you solved a problem/overcame a difficulty with the help of others? How does it feel to work together with family and community to tackle a problem?

CREATION – What does it mean to create something? What have you created in this past year and what do you hope to create in this coming year? How does it feel to create?

REDEDICATION - What does it mean to dedicate yourself to something? How might we re-dedicate areas in our homes? What values can we re-dedicate ourselves to?

MIRACLES - What is a miracle? What does a miracle look like? Do you know of any miracles? What do you think makes miracles?
Learning Together, Doing Together

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Over the last few months I’ve written about Temple’s transition to a new model of engagement known as “Relational Judaism,” and have been discussing the Twelve Principles of Relational Judaism that Dr. Ron Wolfson articulates in his book, Relational Judaism: Using the Power of Relationships to Transform the Jewish Community. The third principle is Learning Together, Doing Together.

For “The People of the Book,” learning is one of our most revered core values. And while it’s certainly possible for one to learn solo (by reading a book or searching the Internet), it’s the Jewish way to learn in community. When two or more people sit around the table studying together, sharing their insights and experiences, learning with and from one another, they create a true relational experience. Putting that learning into action, whether it’s sharing a meal, working on a committee, or laboring with others on a mitzvah project, brings that learning to life and cements the communal relationship through shared experiences. Doing together means being together, working with others who share our interests and passions. We channel our newfound insights to the service of Tikkun Olam, repairing the world.

The pages of this Temple Bulletin are filled with opportunities for both learning and doing: Shabbat Torah Study, weekly Talmud class, Intro to Judaism, Lunch and Learn, speakers and scholar-in-residence weekends, arts and culture programming, our Sisterhood and Brotherhood, and so much more. If by chance you don’t see something here that speaks to your passions, be in touch with me and I’ll do my best to connect you with others who are looking to learn and to do, to get involved and get connected.

As always, I look forward to engaging with you, to hearing your story, to getting to know you and to learning what you most desire from our Temple community.

Habitat Interfaith Alliance

Save the date for the HIA’s soup cook off, Saturday, January 30 at 6:30 p.m. The cook-off will take place at Christ the King Catholic Church, 830 Elm Street, Denver 80220. This is an event that is fun and delicious for the whole family. If you have a favorite soup you would like to donate contact us.

Save the date for the HIA Annual Used Book Sale Sunday, February 7 – Monday, February 15. It will take place at First Universalist, 4101 East Hampden, Denver, 80222.

Please contact Steve or Susie Wilensky at susanwilensky@msn.com for more information.

RMRC (Rocky Mountain Rabbinical Council) Community News

A Jewish Response to addiction and recovery—groups are being launched.

We are pleased to announce all-inclusive weekly addiction support groups for individuals and their families suffering from addictions. For more information please call Betsy at 720.941.2655 or email rmrcitj@gmail.com

Weekly meetings:
• Mondays: Har HaShem 12:00 p.m.–1:30 p.m. – Overeaters Anonymous
• Tuesdays: BMH/Bj, 7:00 p.m. – TBD
• Tuesdays: Har HaShem 6:30 p.m.–7:30 p.m. – Narcotics Anonymous
• Thursdays: Temple Sinai, 7:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m. – AA and Al-non

Love You to the Moon & Back...

You are personally invited to a wonderful night filled with music, excellent food, open-bar, and more! On Saturday, April 16th Temple Emanuel ECC will have it’s annual auction...Love You to the Moon & Back! Help us raise $75,000 so that we can provide scholarships to kids and create an outdoor natural play space that will encourage intellectual, emotional, social, spiritual, and physical growth. This beautiful, peaceful space can also be used as a place to worship, congregate, and celebrate. Help us raise this money so that we may all benefit from nature!
We begin our celebration of Hanukah on Sunday evening, December 6, with the lighting of the first candle. The celebration of Hanukah is a time for rejoicing, a time to celebrate freedom, a time to be proud of our religion, and a time for families to be together. The lighting of the Hanukah candles is a wonderful opportunity for families to join together - be sure to make it a special time. In your family’s celebration, it is important to remember exactly what we are observing. Hanukah symbolizes the fight against totalitarianism in all forms. The struggle was waged in a particular context, but its implications were and are universal - a festival of liberty and freedom. Hanukah celebrates more than the independence of one people; it glorifies the right to freedom for all.

Check the Temple website for Hanukah resources to enhance your family’s celebration – www.EmanuelDenver.org/learning/JewishHome

LIBRARY

Library News

By Rita Dahlke • dahlke@EmanuelDenver.org • ext. 346

Book Club with a Twist:
Tuesday, December 22, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Theme: Blind Date with a Book. The Blind part is picking a book by the description written on a brown bag. The Date part is cuddling up with the book in your favorite reading spot. Come to the library to pick-up your date.

Tuesday January 26, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Book: Not Me by Michael Lavigne
Heshel Rosenheim gives his son a box of journals. These journals reveal that Heshel might not be a holocaust survivor at all – he might in fact been a Nazi.

Shabbat in the Afternoon:
Saturday December 19, 7:00 p.m.
Classic Cinema (no cost): Everything Illuminated starring Elijah Wood
Discussion led by Cantor Sacks after film.

Saturday, January 9, 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Host: Alison McKelvy
RSVP to dahlke@EmanuelDenver.org
Begin the year with learning about the history and enjoying stories and food from the Czech Republic.
Potluck style - Let's enjoy some Czech food!

Sunday January 10, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Classic Cuisine: Join us for an afternoon of coffee tasting and learning about The History of Jews and Coffee. Talk about coffee and Jewish history, halachic laws discussed by rabbis, and more!

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday 9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Tuesday 9:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday 9:30 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Thursday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Friday, December 4 & January 8
After services – Birthday Books
Saturday 9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Registration is Open!

By Jodie Abrams • abrams@EmanuelDenver.org • ext. 314

Cabins are filling up quickly so fill out a camper application today! To register, go to www.shwayder.com and click the “Register Now” button on the homepage.

Will this be your first summer at Jewish sleepaway camp? You may qualify for a $700 grant. To learn more and apply go to www.onehappycamper.org.

Join us for our annual Shwayder Camp Reunion Shabbat!

Come celebrate Shwayder Camp Shabbat! On Friday, January 8 we will be holding our annual Shwayder Camp Reunion Shabbat at Temple Emanuel. The camp style Shabbat celebration will begin at 5:30 p.m. with a pre-service oneg and Kabbalat Shabbat. The service will begin at 6:00 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:00 p.m., and a song session. Please contact Simi Adler, adler@shwayder.com if your camper wants to participate in the service. If you would like to join us for dinner please RSVP. Dinner is $14 for adults and $8 for children (5-12 years old). If you will be joining for the service only, no RSVP is necessary. We encourage everyone to wear white as we do at camp in the summer!

Consider making a donation to Shwayder Camp before the end of the year.

Donations made to the Shwayder Camp Campaign can be advantageous towards your income tax obligation. Donations will qualify for Colorado’s Child Care Contribution Credit which may be taken against your Colorado State income tax liability equal to 50% of your contribution. Consider making a donation before the end of the year.

YOUTH ENGAGEMENT

JYG

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Attention 7th and 8th Grade Parents:

What is JYG? JYG stands for Junior Youth Group. It refers to our 7th and 8th graders at Temple Emanuel. JYG weekend is a wonderful event for them to get to know others their age in the NFTY MV Region (North American Federation for Temple Youth in the Missouri Valley Region). This includes 7th and 8th graders in Colorado, Kansas, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, southern Illinois, and Wyoming. We will all join together for a weekend of fun and learning - celebrating Shabbat, participating in fun programs, and making new friends.

JYG Informational Meeting: Sunday, December 6, 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. in the South Social Hall. I will be there to answer any questions you may have regarding JYG for your 7th or 8th grader. Refreshments will be provided.

Our belief at Temple Emanuel is that money should never be a barrier to a teen’s participation in such a unique event like this. Scholarships are always available! Just email me at kaplan@EmanuelDenver.org.
With Hanukah just around the corner, what better way to get in the spirit of the holiday than to join the great cooks of Sisterhood in the Temple kitchen on **Tuesday, December 8 at 6:00 p.m.** as we prepare latkes to be served at Temple’s Hanukah Hoopla. Bring an apron, pot holders, and spatula and, if you have it, an electric frying pan. Light “adult” snacks will be served and we will light candles for the third night of Hanukah. No RSVP necessary. We have a lot of fun and you will not want to miss it.

**On Sunday, December 13,** Sisterhood will partner with the Religious School in collecting gifts for less fortunate families in our community through our Matanah Project. To adopt an individual or family or to volunteer to help load gifts and take them to the agencies for distribution, contact Lauren Eigner at 303.713.1999 or Eigner@comcast.net.

Sisterhood has launched a new **Tikkun Olam project** this year to support **Jewish Family Service’s 2016 Lunchbox Express program.** Bring new or gently-used kids books, especially for elementary school-age kids, and new school supplies to Sisterhood events. We need your help throughout the year.

**Save the Date:**
- **Thursday, January 14** - Jewish Author’s Night at Temple, time TBD
- **Saturday, January 30** - Havdalah with Potluck Dinner at Temple, time TBD
- **Thursday, February 18** - PMS Night (Pizza, Movies and Sundaes) at Temple

**Sisterhood’s “Me Time Mahj.”** For dates and details contact Wendy Glazer at bdglaz@aol.com, 303.906.9000, or Judy Rothman at Jrothman11@gmail.com, 303.329.6063.

Watch your e-mail, Temple eNotes and Friday night bulletins for more information on these and other Sisterhood events. Also, check out our website at www.emanueldenver.org/programs/sisterhood. Happy Hanukah!

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**Hanukah Hoopla Latkes**

4 large potatoes, peeled 1 medium onion (grated)
3 tbs. matzo meal 1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. baking powder 1 egg beaten
vegetable oil for frying

Grate potatoes into a large bowl; squeeze out excess water. Add grated onion and eggs. Mix well. Stir in matzo meal, salt and baking powder. Heat oil in a large skillet over medium heat. Drop the potato mixture by spoonfuls into the hot oil, flattening and spreading them out. Fry, turning once, so the pancakes are golden brown and crisp on both sides. Drain on paper towels.

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**Brotherhood News**

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The Brotherhood has some exciting programs we’re supporting and pleased to be a part of. Check Temple enotes for the next Brotherhood Bagels and Lox breakfast. A new program we’re pleased to assist with is the “Movie Night” that Temple Librarian, Rita Dahlke coordinates. Mark your calendars! Our Bonfils Brotherhood Blood Drive is coming up Sunday, March 6. We would like to thank Matthew Heit for his many years of service to create and manage this yearly event. Thank you to Howard Pitter for taking the reins and coordinating this mitzvah. You will receive more information about the blood drive at the beginning of the year. Happy Hanukah!
The names listed below are taken from the memorial plaques in the Meditation Room. Names are read at the Friday evening and Saturday morning Shabbat services following the date of death. To find out how to purchase a plaque, contact Patricia Lackner, ext. 308. To have other names read on a Friday evening, call the Temple by Friday noon.

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Sandell W. Winter_e
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- Leonard Rivkin – father of Bart (Marcy) Rivkin
- Lila Siegel – mother of Richard (Lisa) Siegel
- Francine Shafton – mother of Janet (Mark Supernand) Bronitsky

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Friday, December 11

Celebrate the Festival of Lights with friends and family at Temple. Sisterhood cooks up the latkes for that homemade touch!

5:30 p.m.  Worship in the sanctuary (bring your Hanukah menorah and candles and we will light them together at the beginning of the service)

6:15 p.m.  Dinner in the Social Hall with latkes made by the Sisterhood and activities for kids

7:00 p.m.  Hanukah Concert with Steve Brodsky and Friends

Make dinner reservations by Wednesday, December 9, at www.EmanuelDenver.org/hoopla or 303.388.4013.

Members: $14 adults • $8 kids (5-12 years old). Non-members: $18 adults • $9 kids (5–12 years old)