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SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Friday, June 2
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
6:45 p.m. BBQ Dinner & Rabbi Richard Address
Torah Portion: Naes
A Pre-Oneg will be sponsored by Jane and Eric Tupil in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Jack Tupil and the family of Avery Harris in honor of her Aufrid with Joey Friedman.

Saturday, June 3
9:45 a.m. Shabbat Meditation
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Jack Tupil Bar Mitzvah

Friday, June 9
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Young Family Shabbat Experience (YFSE)
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
Torah Portion: Beahalecha.
A Pre-Oneg will be sponsored by Yelena and Scott Kipper in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Samuel Kipper.
6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner & Magic Max Magic Show

Saturday, June 10
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Samuel Kipper Bar Mitzvah

Friday, June 16
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
Torah Portion: Shalach.
A Pre-Oneg will be sponsored by Barbara and Don Tobias in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, Judith Tobias.
6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner

Saturday, June 17
9:00 a.m. Young Family Shabbat Experience (YFSE)
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Erika Meinhart Bat Mitzvah

Friday, July 7
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
Torah Portion: Balak.
A Pre-Oneg will be sponsored by Robert and Michelle Lapidow in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, Jacob Lapidow.
6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner

Saturday, July 8
9:00 a.m. Jacob Lapidow Bar Mitzvah
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
11:30 a.m. Maddox Heumann Bar Mitzvah

Friday, July 14
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Young Family Shabbat Experience (YFSE)
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
Torah Portion: Pinchas.
6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner

Saturday, July 15
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Erika Meinhart Bat Mitzvah

Friday, July 21
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
Torah portioin: Matot-Massei.
6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner & Tim Sparks Concert

Saturday, July 22
9:00 a.m. Young Family Shabbat Experience (YFSE)
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service

Friday, July 28
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
Torah Portion: Dariazn.
A Pre-Oneg will be sponsored by Terry and Heidi Dunfert in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their daughter, Margaux Dunfert.
6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner & Kimsutz Campfire

Saturday, July 29
9:00 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Ella Stern Bat Mitzvah

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE continued

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10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Margaux Dunfert Bat Mitzvah

Friday, August 4
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
Torah Portion: Vaytscham.
A Pre-Oneg will be sponsored by Max and Ille Botie in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of their great granddaughter, Brianna Roscbach and Brett and Jennifer Nathan in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Emma Nathan.
6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner

Saturday, August 5
9:00 a.m. Brianna Roscbach Bar Mitzvah
12:00 a.m. Shabbat Meditation
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
11:30 a.m. Nathan Bat Mitzvah

Friday, August 11
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
Torah Portion: Elor.
A Pre-Oneg will be sponsored by Phyllis and Maurice (‘57) Katz in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, Zachary Fitzjarrell, and Kerri Saliman and Cam Weprin in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Nina Weprin.
6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner

Saturday, August 12
9:00 a.m. Zachary Fitzjarrell Bar Mitzvah
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
11:30 a.m. Nina Weprin Bat Mitzvah

Friday, August 18
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Young Family Shabbat Worship Service
6:00 a.m. Worship Service – Volunteer Appreciation Shabbat Service
Torah Portion: Behach.
A Pre-Oneg will be sponsored by David and Natalie Zatir in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, Zachary Zatir.
6:45 p.m. BBQ Dinner and Sababa Concert

Saturday, August 19
9:00 a.m. Young Family Shabbat Experience (YFSE)
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Zachary Zatir Bar Mitzvah

Friday, August 25
5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg
6:00 p.m. Shabbat Really Unplugged
Torah Portion: Shemoth.
A Pre-Oneg will be sponsored by the Stern family in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their daughter, Ella Stern.
6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner

Saturday, August 26
10:30 a.m. Community Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Ella Stern Bat Mitzvah

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We will have a different worship schedule for the summer months. Our weekly times will be:
Friday: 5:30 p.m. Pre-Oneg • 6:00 p.m. Worship • 6:45 p.m. Picnic Dinner
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. Torah Study • 10:30 a.m. Community Worship
Celebrate Shabbat at Temple Emanuel!

Join us for these exciting summer worship special events! Each of these guest artists will perform during the 6:45 p.m. picnic dinner following our 6:00 p.m. summer worship service.

**Friday, June 2**

**That Long and Winding Road: What Shall We Do With The Time We Have?**

A look at how sacred texts can create a profile of positive aging. Rabbi Richard F. Address, D.Min., is the founder of JewishSacredAging.com.

Rabbi Address has devoted his career to helping transform synagogues into caring communities that recognize the unique spiritual challenges facing older members and their families. His work has been based on the belief that a congregation, to be a true “caring community,” must be founded on a theology of sacred relationships.

**Friday, June 9**

**Magic Max!**

Max Davidson is an award-winning 17-year old magician. He attends the world-renowned Tannen’s Magic Camp every year, and has performed for crowds of 1,000 people. Max focuses on bringing the best quality magic to as many people as possible, and his 11 years of experience make him one of the top young magicians in Denver.

**Friday, July 28**

**Kumsitz Campfire**

Join the Temple clergy for a joyous, energetic sing-along around the campfire! Your favorite Shabbat songs, folk songs, Israeli songs, and classic campfire songs will all be part of the mix. Bring your blankets, lawn chairs, and of course your voice as we sing our way through a summer Shabbat evening under the stars. Acoustic instruments are welcome too!

**Friday, August 18**

**Sababa! Cool. Jewish. Music.**

Steve Brodsky, Scott Leader, Robbie Sherwin

Join us for Volunteer Appreciation Shabbat as we welcome back Sababa, featuring our own Steve Brodsky.

We are Sababa: three musicians from three different time zones, playing three different instruments and singing in intricate three-part harmony. We are three friends, grateful for the opportunity to make cool Jewish music for thousands of people in dozens of communities across the country. We are three composers and performers, humbled by the privilege of sharing amazing interactions with new friends and fans who have welcomed us into their synagogues, their schools, their homes, and their hearts. And we are three travelers sharing a musical journey, blessed by the personal connections we’ve made and the sacred moments we’ve shared that are powerful, moving, and deeply meaningful.

**Friday, July 21**

**Tim Sparks Guitar Concert**

Tim Sparks has been redefining the acoustic guitar repertoire since he won the National Fingerpicking Championship in 1993 with a ground-breaking arrangement of Tchaikovsky’s *Nutcracker Suite*. Sparks continues to surprise, challenge, and thrill audiences with his diverse repertoire and stunning technique. Equally at home with Country Blues, Jazz or World Music, Sparks’ extraordinary ability has earned him an international reputation as one of the most innovative guitarists working today.
Dear Friends,

Over the past several years, our Clergy team has been evaluating our Shabbat evening worship schedule. Each Friday evening, we strive to create a Shabbat experience that exemplifies:

- Meaningful community connections
- Transformative worship experiences, and
- Compelling learning opportunities

To help us with our evaluation and to consider various options, we created a special task force of Temple members from a wide variety of demographic groups.

Following the very successful model of summer worship that we implemented four years ago and after careful consideration and consultation with members of the congregation, we have decided to shift our regular Friday evening service time to 6:00 p.m. Similar to our summer model, we will begin with a 5:30 p.m. “pre-Oneg,” followed by a 6:00 p.m. service that will include reading from the Torah and end by 7:15 p.m. This 6:00 p.m. service will replace both the 5:30 p.m. Kabbalat Shabbat service and the 7:30 p.m. Friday night service.

There are many other components of the changes that will be taking place—including special programming, Shabbat dinners, Shabbat Unplugged, and family experiences that exemplifies:

- A Renewed Focus on the Shabbat Dinner Table: Shabbat has traditionally been celebrated both in the synagogue and at home. An early service allows us to have a leisurely Shabbat dinner experience following services, surrounded by family and friends. This does not have to take place exclusively in the home. We will also offer opportunities here at Temple to have a meal following services (as detailed below).

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There are many more details of our plan—including new paradigms for family and young family worship, adult education, cultural programming, and social programming for the community. You will all receive more information in the weeks to come.

The clergy team together with the task force decided to make this change based on a variety of factors:

- Noticeable Friday night service attendance shifts:
  - The attendance at our summer services that were held at 6:00 p.m. had two to three times more people than our 7:30 p.m. services on Friday nights throughout the rest of the year.
- National trends:
  - Members of our task force researched comparable congregations throughout the United States and determined that most Reform congregations have overwhelmingly abandoned the late service model in favor of an earlier service.
- Demographic and philosophical changes that have taken place in the American Jewish Community:
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Rabbi Joseph R. Black Cantor Elizabeth Sacks

All of these factors, and the hard work of our Erev Shabbat Task Force have led us to implement the following schedule for Friday Night Worship beginning in September:

- 5:30 p.m.–6:00 p.m. Pre-Oneg
- 6:00 p.m.–7:15 p.m. Worship Service
- 7:15 p.m.–7:30 p.m. Challah and Wine Mini-Oneg
- 7:30 p.m.–8:30 p.m. Dinner and/or Program

Please keep us up to date with your most current information so you don’t miss any Temple information! Send changes to veta@EmanuelDenver.org.

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A GIFT FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS

In 1949, the Shwayder family gave our community a sacred space nestled at 10,200 ft. Since then, Shwayder Camp has been a gift for future generations to enjoy. Our camp has helped build the lives of thousands of individuals through personal growth, friendships, and inspiring an appreciation for the beauty and wonder of nature. For more than 65 years, we have provided a place where Jewish values and traditions can grow, and we now ask for your assistance to continue the Shwayder Magic. With your help, exciting new facilities and necessary improvements can continue the experience of Shwayder Camp. With your meaningful contributions, we can ensure a future where campers can enjoy all the best of camp.

It’s up to us to give the gift of Shwayder Magic to future generations.

Your Gift to the Shwayder Camp Capital Campaign Can Go Even Further Than You Can Imagine.

Colorado Child Care Contribution Tax Credit

How would you like to keep almost 70 cents of each dollar donated? Or donate three times more than you ever thought you could? When you support Shwayder Camp, you can!

The Colorado Child Care Contribution Tax Credit provides a 50% state income tax credit for gifts to Shwayder Camp. And this state tax benefit comes on top of the federal income tax deduction claimed when you itemize your deductions. Together, these two tax benefits are quite powerful. Check out this example:

Gift to Shwayder Camp $1,800
Colorado Child Care Contribution Tax Credit (50%) ($900)
Colorado State Income Tax Deduction* ($83)
Federal Income Tax Deduction** ($228)
After-Tax Cost $589

* For illustrative purposes only. Individual income tax rates currently range from 10% to 39.6% for federal taxes and are 4.63% for Colorado taxes.
** The Federal income tax deduction is lowered based on add-back effect of reduced state tax: ($1,800 - $983) x 28% = $228
All donations must be made in cash; gifts of appreciated assets do not qualify.

The maximum tax credit per year is $100,000 or your actual Colorado income tax liability, whichever is less. Any unused credit may be carried forward for 5 additional years. Please consult with your tax advisor for further information.

JCamp180 Matching Grant

Shwayder Camp has an exciting opportunity to receive a 1:3 match from JCamp180 for your contributions to Shwayder’s capital campaign. Gifts of $1,800 or more are matched 1:3. Pledges must be made between March 18, 2017 and March 8, 2018. To be eligible for matching funds the pledge must be paid in full by March 18, 2020. Shwayder has opportunity to received $54,000 from JCamp 180 if the entire match is met.

To make a donation or learn more about the building project, visit www.shwayder.com/building-project.

With your generosity, future generations will forever remember the Shwayder Magic.
Financial Strength

By Steve Stark • stark@EmanuelDenver.org • ext. 303

As we approach summer and our exciting schedule of events, it also reminds me that our fiscal year is coming to a close. The Temple Emanuel fiscal year ends in June, so we have created our budget for next year. Dues from each of our members is vitally important. It allows us to continue to properly maintain our campus and it allows us to continue to create our high standards of worship, programming, and special events. Temple has always been managed in a fiscally responsible manner and we can only continue to be innovative and expand our offerings if everyone pays their fair share. At this time of year, please be sure your dues are current and if you feel you can give a little extra this year that would be appreciated. Thank you for being part of this vibrant community. May we go from strength to strength.

Mazal Tov to the Confirmation Class of 5777

With great pride and joy, we celebrate the accomplishment of the Confirmation Class of 5777. Through weeks of thoughtful discussions and new experiences, we watched them become a community of learners. We wish them luck, strength, and continued success as they journey onward to become the next generation of Jewish learners.

Summer Israel Series Speakers

By Sarah Brown • brown@EmanuelDenver.org • ext. 305

Israel Day was an incredible success! We had over 650 people participating this year. I want to say a special “thank you” to Alison Gillis, Sarah Goldblatt, and Trina Reich, for their passion and dedication in planning this year’s Israel Day and working tirelessly to ensure its success. I would also like to thank the Mitvah Day committee members, our project captains, and everyone who came. We did change the world one mitzvah at a time.

This summer we have our Israel Series with speakers on various topics relating to Israel. Mark your calendar for the following speakers:

“PRESIDENT TRUMAN, MY GRANDFATHER, AND BOTTLE OF BOURBON” with Frank Goldman

Thursday, June 22, 7:00 p.m.

Frank Goldman will be presenting his talk “President Truman, my grandfather, and a bottle of bourbon.” Frank’s grandfather, “Papa Frank” had a personal relationship with President Truman and helped influence him to recognize the need for Israeli Statehood. Frank is full of personal anecdotes and stories to keep everyone entertained. Please join us for this special evening. Rabbi Black will serve as host. Stay to enjoy some bourbon afterwards. Frank Goldman is a member of Temple Emanuel.

Family Promise Update

By Deb Herman, Susie Mass, and Sherry Stark • Family Promise Temple Emanuel Co-Chairs

A huge thank you to all of the volunteers who have made Family Promise at Temple Emanuel such a success! Our first host week, in February, came together thanks to the generosity and dedication of 195 Temple volunteers, who donated bedding and supplies, shopped for food, set up the rooms, cooked and served meals, slept overnight, drove the Family Promise van, did laundry, and entertained our guests with balloon animals, friendship bracelets, juggling lessons, many games of foosball, and Wii. Our guests praised our comfortable ‘bedrooms’ (two classrooms, the computer room and the bride’s room), our delicious food and, most of all, the warmth and empathy of our volunteers.

At the time of this writing, we are just days away from our second Family Promise host week in May, with a full contingent of 155 volunteers. We are also very grateful to so many families who have stayed connected and volunteered to help us during our second campaign. We are grateful to Osnat Fox for organizing our first Family Promise campaign.

If you are interested in volunteering, please email us at FamilyPromiseTempleEmanuel@gmail.com.

Mazal Tov to the Confirmation Class of 5777

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Tuesday, July 13, 7:00 p.m.

Craig Gardenswartz will be giving a presentation entitled “Shared Values: The History of the U.S. – Israel Relationship.” Craig has worked extensively with executives, entrepreneurs and government officials for over twenty years. Presently, he serves as the leading face and voice for AJTAC in Colorado and Nebraska; overseeing the organization’s community development, fundraising, grassroots and pro-Israel political engagement.

“AN INSIDER’S LOOK INTO ISRAELI SOCIETY” with Osnat Fox

Tuesday, August 29, 7:00 p.m.

Osnat Fox is our Jewish Colorado Emissary. She was born in Haifa, and spent her childhood and teenage years in Kinneeret, a village on the shores of the Sea of Galilee. Osnat studied at The Hebrew University, where she earned her Psychology Degree. In addition, she also earned a Master’s Degree in Education at Ben-Gurion University. Osnat has a deep love of Israel and is excited to share her perspective with our community.

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Learning & Engagement Summer News

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RELIGIOUS SCHOOL 2017–2018

We are excited about the upcoming changes to our Religious School program, which you will begin to see for the 2017–2018 academic year. Our 20/20 Vision Task Force—made up of staff, clergy, teachers, and parents—has worked hard to synthesize the results of a successful listening campaign while laying out realistic changes for us to make over the next three years. Below are some highlights for Year One:

Our students in My Jewish Discovery Zone (Pre-K), Kindergarten, and First Grades will meet weekly on Sundays from 9:00 a.m.–11:15 a.m.

Second and Third Grades can register for either Sundays from 9:00 a.m.–11:15 a.m. OR Wednesdays from 4:30 p.m.–6:15 p.m.

Fourth and Fifth Grades will have the choice of doing their Judaics and Hebrew on either Sunday OR Wednesday. Additionally, if a family wants their child(ren) to come for one session on Sunday AND one session on Wednesday, that is still a possibility.

Our students in Beit Midrash will have the same options that they had for the 2016–2017 school year. There will be two sessions on Sunday to allow for both Judaics and Hebrew. There will also be two sessions of Hebrew offered on Wednesdays if a child only wants to attend Judaics on Sundays. Students stop attending Hebrew classes when they begin training for the bar/bat mitzvah. We will now be offering a B’nei Mitzvah Class—led by Cantor Sacks & Steve Brody—on Sundays during second session, in addition to Wednesdays, to offer families the opportunity to attend both Judaics class and the B’nei Mitzvah Class on Sunday.

Our students in My Jewish Discovery Zone (Pre-K) through Seventh Grade will only be expected to attend Judaics and Hebrew (if applicable) during Trimesters 1, 2, and 3. We are introducing an Elective Block throughout the months of January and February for which families can opt-in. During this block, we will be experimenting with multi-grade, interest-based learning opportunities for our students. They will have the chance to learn through multiple different lenses. Examples of some of the electives to be offered are: Jewish cooking, Israeli Dance & Culture, Photography, Jewish Art(s), Drama in the Torah, etc. Our hope is that we can offer more and more of these opportunities in Years 2 & 3 of this reimagining process.

Our post-B’nei Mitzvah programming, for Year 1, will look familiar with a few additions. We will be offering a Sunday option for our 9th and 10th grade Confirmation program. In addition, we will be adding an 11th and 12th grade program to build upon our successes with Confirmation which will meet one time per month.

To learn more about these changes, the process that we went through to get here, and to register your child(ren) electronically, I would encourage you to visit the Religious School page on our website. And as always, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to me directly.

EXCITING NEWS:

Megan Garrett is thrilled to join the Temple Emanuel team as the Director of Youth Engagement. Megan is one consistent passion over the years. While earning her Bachelor’s degree at Marshall University, she finished up ten years at summer camp (GUCI and Camp Wise) and advised her local NFTY chapter. After graduating, Megan moved to Israel for a year on a volunteer program where she taught third and fourth graders English through innovative, interactive activities. Following Israel, she had the joy of spending the last three years with Hillel at Indiana University as their Assistant Director. Through Hillel, she has led five Birthright Israel trips, taught two university-accredited courses, and provided countless Jewish leadership workshops for students. She cannot wait to bring all that she learned in building their social, religious, and Israel programs to Temple Emanuel, and she especially cannot wait to meet the kids and teens! This summer, Megan will be serving as one of the Staff in Training (SIT) Coordinators at Shwayder Camp and will be working on creating programs for our camp community throughout the school year. In addition to all the great work she will do to cultivate positive youth group experiences for our many different age groups, we look forward to Megan continuing to elevate the profile of our teens within the community! When you see Megan, make sure to introduce yourself and show her the Temple Emanuel love!
Three Opportunities to Experience Shwayder Magic this Summer!

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

Visitors’ Day
Shwayder Camp is officially open for summer! Join us on Sunday, June 11 for our annual Visitors’ Day. Visitors’ Day is a great way to see camp, meet the 2017 staff, and experience a little Shwayder Magic. Our gate will open at 10:00 a.m. and you are welcome to spend the day at camp until 2:00 p.m. A continental breakfast and lunch will be served by our amazing new chef and kitchen staff. No RSVP required. We will also be hanging mezuzot on our new cabins at the top of every hour. We hope you can join us for these special moments.

Family Camp
Family Camp is a great opportunity to get to experience Shwayder Magic, meet great families in the community, and unplug for a weekend full of activities. We will be offering two Family Camp weekends: Temple Emanuel Member Family Camp: Friday, September 1 - Monday, September 4 or Community Family Camp: Friday, September 8 – Sunday, September 10, $150 for adults and $100 for kids 13 and younger. For more information please email, Jodie Abrams, abrams@shwayder.com.

Shabbat @ Shwayder
Saturday, August 12
9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Come back to Shwayder Camp. Join us as we celebrate Shabbat @ Shwayder Camp. Enjoy this opportunity to experience a beautiful Shwayder Shabbat, participate in camp activities, see old friends and make new ones. An event for all ages. Bring your family and your friends and enjoy everything that Shwayder Camp has to offer. Check your E-notes this summer for details and RSVP information.

Summer Camp 2017

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Our Summer Camp experience is Monday, June 5–Friday, August 4. The two sessions revolve around a big idea where activities and projects reflect the theme. In the first session, we will be exploring nature through gardening and camp themes with tents, s’mores, and campfires. A new visitor each week (Ekar Farms, the Jackman Brothers, Hawk Quest, and Maui Wowi Smoothies), all the while reflecting on the Jewish lens of hit’ orerut (awakening) Amazement and Gratitude.

Second session will be a S.T.E.A.M. theme with a new visitor each week as we explore science, technology, engineering, art and math. We’ll even build a city in the social hall while exploring the Jewish lens of d’rash (interpretation) Inquiry, Dialogue, and Transmission.

Library

Visit the Temple Library!

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

My perfect summer day is relaxing in the sun with a really good book. A romantic rainy night is cuddling and watching a good movie and listing to the rain fall. To find that perfect book or rainy night movie check-out the selection at your local community Temple library.

This summer the library will be busy planning the fall schedule of programs. Watch for information on organizing new Book Clubs, Classic Cinema Israel, Temple book reads, and more. Do you have an idea for a library program? Some of our best programs have come from suggestions. Join the library planning committee to help plan and organize the upcoming fall programs & schedule.

Volunteers with all kinds of skills are needed in the library: arts, techy,filers, and organizers. Contact me at 303.388.4013 or dahlke@EmanuelDenver.org to get involved in the library community.

Summer Hours:
Monday & Saturday – 10:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday – 10:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.
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## SISTERSHOOD

### Sisterhood June–August

By Laurie Priewe • LauriePriewe@gmail.com

Thank you to everyone who attended our installation and immersion circle. Installation was lovely and fun thanks to the comedic stylings of Susie Sigman and the immersion circle was very interesting and informative. Our year of events has come to a close but we will be getting together over the summer to plan next year’s fabulous events. Please email me if you have any ideas for events that you would like to see next year! In the meantime, you can support us by ordering honey. See details below. Keep an eye out in your mailbox in August for our membership mailing and check the Sisterhood website (you can get there through the Temple website) for updates. We hope to see you at events starting in September!

**Honey from the Heart is currently accepting orders!**

Buy jars of honey that will be sent to your loved ones (with a personalized greeting) for Rosh Hashanah. Each jar of 8oz. kosher honey costs $11 and if you order before Monday, July 24 that cost includes shipping (after July 24 shipping costs $4 extra). Order online at [http://orthohoney.com/DEN](http://orthohoney.com/DEN). Contact Pamm Gross at 303.771.0362 or pammgr@comcast.net with questions or to place a paper order. Credit cards and checks are accepted. Sisterhood receives a portion of the proceeds and the jars of honey are a hit with those who receive them. Thank you in advance for your support!

*Have a great summer!*

### Sisterhood Gift Shop

Summer is once again upon us. With Religious School out we will not be open on Sundays. Our Monday hours have changed to 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. There are new gift ideas in the shop for the Summer. We have hand painted wood placemats from Israel. Those of you who have been to Israel know the name Kakadu art. Kakadu includes unique wooden wall hangings, art-based fashion, jewelry, and furniture. Come by and see our selection! Also in the shop are beautiful silk scarfs, hand painted from the Galilee. For young children we have brought in fun stained glass night lights. We now carry Ahava products from the Dead Sea. These are wonderful products for all types of skin. These products are great for men also. One of the mens products is “After Shave Lotion.” Come in and try Ahava! With Summer comes Fall which brings us to the High Holy Days. We will have everything out by Tuesday, August 15 for the holidays. Erev Rosh Hashanah is Wednesday, September 20. Enjoy your summer and stay safe!

### HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Sunday: Closed

## BROTHERHOOD

### Brotherhood News

By Will Trachman • wtrachman@gmail.com • brotherhood@EmanuelDenver.org

Of special note:
1. The Denver Jewish softball league season is starting soon! If you are interested, it’s not too late to join the team. Contact Will Trachman at wtrachman@gmail.com if you can join us on Sunday mornings for games.
2. Brotherhood’s Scholarship award for rising Seniors in high school and Freshmen in college is live! Check out the Temple Emanuel website for the application. The deadline is Friday, June 30, so submit those applications ASAP!

*The Mitzvah Day Barbeque was a great success! We had hot dogs, burgers, and veggie burgers. More than enough food to feed the 600 people participating in Mitzvah Day! Thanks to all of the brothers who helped make this event possible. Thanks also to Sisterhood President, Laurie Priewe for leading the watermelon-cutting team in the kitchen. Last but not least, many thanks to Cairo Lopez and his amazing team of building coordinators.*
In the rising of its going, we remember them.
Tributes through May 2017

William S. Friedman
George Seeman
Jennie L. Moore
Kal Zeppelin
General Fund
Nan Timbel celebrating her special birthday
In Honor of:
Sandra Goralnik
Gerald V. Harris
In Loving Memory of:
Frankel/Winter Camp Fund
Leo Friedenthal
In Loving Memory of:
Sharon A. Seeman
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Jon & Betty Heller
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Harold “Hal” Bloomenthal
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Gladys “Babs” Silverberg
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Jack A. Weil
Isadore Striker
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May their memory be for a blessing.
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FALL HOLIDAYS ARE COMING!

- Erev Rosh HaShanah: Wednesday, September 20
- Rosh HaShanah: Thursday, September 21 & Friday, September 22
- Kol Nidre: Friday, September 29
- Erev Sukkot: Wednesday, October 4
- Sukkot: Thursday, October 5
- Yom Kippur: Saturday, September 30
- Simchat Torah: Wednesday, October 11
- Shimini Atzeret: Thursday, October 12