Dear Friends,

As we attempt to come to grips with the physical, emotional, spiritual and financial disruptions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, I find that this article has been very difficult to write. Over the past several weeks we at Temple have had to move quickly to radically reshape the nature of our congregation. Services, classes, and life-cycle events have been transformed into virtual online platforms. We have been working diligently to keep you informed about and connected with our community. In this light, the medium of a printed bulletin seems antiquated and obsolete. The constant flow of information in this time of sheltering in place has been both instantaneous and fluid. As I write this message, I know that the bulletin will not be in your hands for at least 2-3 weeks and it is reasonable to assume anything topical I say will be obsolete.

And yet, there is also something comforting and essential about our ability to overlay the speed and efficacy of digital communication with that of the printed word. This article is not designated for disseminating current information. Rather, it gives me an opportunity to reflect on matters of a more universal nature.

In particular, I want to reflect on the toll that our inability to come together is taking on all of us. The lack of opportunity to engage in human contact outside of our own households is antithetical to our humanity. Judaism stresses the vital importance of community. When gather to celebrate, study, pray, and reach out with compassion and comfort to one another in times of difficulty, we are accessing the holiness within ourselves. While the blessing of the internet means that we can offer opportunities to connect, they are not enough. Our inability to gather in person is keenly felt at the end of each virtual event. Add to this the reality that we currently have no compass or guidepost that will help us navigate the uncharted waters of our isolation, and our anxiety increases with each passing day.

The Psalmist wrote: “I lift up my eyes to the mountains – where does my help come from?” (Psalm 121:1). Living as we do in clear sight of the Rockies, these words have a powerful impact on me every time I read them. The height and breadth of the peaks we daily see remind us of the importance of perspective. We cannot possibly take in the vastness of the mountains when we are in them. We can only see the overwhelming vistas rising in majesty in front of our eyes. But when we move away and gaze on them from afar, we can begin to take in their size, scope, and beauty.

My dear friends, right now, we are traversing the peaks and valleys of this pandemic. We do not have the time or perspective to fully comprehend what we are experiencing. As we “lift up our eyes” we can only measure the days that have passed since we began social distancing. We are caught up in our own experience and, as a result, unable to measure our progress on this journey towards healing and hope. When, God willing, Continued on page 5
Becoming a Virtual Congregation

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As I write this, it has been exactly one month since the decision was made to close our building and enforce social distancing in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. This, of course, meant that we would no longer gather in person for worship services, programming, Religious School, or any other large group function. With virtually no advance notice, and just days to prepare, our Clergy Team had learned how to bring streamed worship services to our congregation, to create a “virtual” community that would allow us to pray, study, sing, celebrate, mourn, and just “be” together in these unprecedented times.

What a month it has been! While we had been discussing and planning to enter the world of livestreaming at some point, we had not yet fully addressed the challenges involved. Suddenly we had no choice but to jump in with both feet! That first Shabbat, still at Temple, we streamed our Friday evening service with Rick Recht, and two B’nai Mitzvah ceremonies on Saturday in about as simple a way as possible – by setting an iPhone on a tripod at the back of the room with a single, static wide shot. Not bad, but the sound wasn’t great and it was difficult to see individual faces. Then, several days of intense research and many hours of testing led us to the video conferencing platform Zoom (how many of you had even heard of Zoom until a month ago?) and Facebook Live, which allowed us to reach a broad audience of people already connected to Temple Emanuel. Again, our first attempts were a bit crude, but we learned as we went and have steadily improved our online presence.

One of the very intentional choices we made was to provide prayer texts and song lyrics onscreen, quite similar to the Visual T’filah screens that we have used in Shabbat Unplugged for many years. We knew that this is a rubric already familiar to and comfortable for our congregation and would allow viewers to sing and pray along in their own homes. More recently, we have begun to include faces and voices beyond just those of our clergy – congregants of all ages chanting Torah, reciting the Torah blessings, reading Torah translations, and delivering divrei Torah. We continue to explore ways to make our online worship even more inclusive and welcoming.

Now each week we are livestreaming multiple events: Friday night services, Shabbat morning Young Family Shabbat Experience, Torah Study, and our Shabbat morning Community Service, as well as Havdalah on Saturday evenings. We also had over two thousand views of our Passover Seder and have streamed Passover morning and Yizkor services. The positive feedback we receive from congregants each week confirms that we are meeting the goals we set out to achieve from the beginning: to adapt to changing circumstances, to continue to provide a sacred and holy community, and to be a stable, comfortable and familiar presence during these difficult times. We understand that now more than ever you, our congregants, have a need to connect, to feel part of our community, to share powerful, meaningful spiritual experiences, and to interact with one another despite not being able to be physically together. We are committed to learning, to growing as we go, and to continuing to improve our experience as a “virtual” congregation. We look forward to having you join us online!
INSIDE TEMPLE

Shavuot: Wandering and Wondering

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We are in a period of wandering. Between the holidays of Passover and Shavuot, we walk our way from redemption to revelation; from our miraculous moment of freedom that we experienced at the Red Sea to our tremendous and terrifying encounter with God at Mt. Sinai where we received the Ten Commandments. Blessed with the knowledge of the Jewish calendar, we here and now are aware that we are walking with purpose from one holiday to another – from one moment of meaning to the next. Our ancestors were not as aware. The ancient Israelites who had been recently freed from slavery did not know exactly where they were going or that God was about to cement and augment their relationship with the gift of Torah. They headed into an open-ended wilderness – unknowing and most likely afraid.

We are in a period of wondering. Like our ancestors long ago, we are faced with a wilderness of uncertainty as we shelter at home, slowly begin to emerge, and wonder when we will again feel safe and secure. How will we continue living within this changed paradigm? What will help anchor us as we confront the disruption to our established routines? How can we support those in our family and community who are struggling with illness and fear?

We are wandering and wondering, all the while heading toward our holiday of Shavuot. The holiday of Shavuot is usually a celebration of Torah and learning – based on the idea that this holiday recalls the giving of Torah at Mt. Sinai. This year, we are grateful to be able to celebrate Shavuot on Thursday, May 28, with a community-wide virtual Tikkan Leil Shavuot – a night of study, prayer, and song all from the safety of our homes. Rabbis, Cantors, teachers, and musicians from all across the Denver Jewish community will join together to teach and learn with one another. We will be communicating the details of this event throughout the month of May, and we hope that you will join us to experience this unique event.

In the midst of our uncertainty, as we struggle with all that divides and isolates us from each other, let us explore and embrace the community that can support and sustain us in this difficult time. For one evening, let us enjoy the wandering and wondering of learning from one another. Chag Sameach – may we all have a meaningful Shavuot.

Confirmation 2020

By Rabbi Emily Hyatt • hyatt@EmanuelDenver.org • ext. 311

"Confirmation" seems like a strange name for anything in our world right now, as there is very little that we feel sure about. But as our Confirmation class students can tell you, strong identity isn’t about knowing all the answers, it is about asking all of the questions.

Following a year of debate, conversation, travel, challenge, and discussion, our 2020 Confirmation students have been confronted with some of the most complicated questions of Jewish identity: what does it mean to be a Jew, why be Jewish, what responsibility do we have to the community, and what does Judaism have to say about some of the most relevant issues in our lives. Though we’ve had to move our community out of the classroom and onto our screens, we are no less committed to the importance of these questions and the journey to find the ever-evolving answers.

As such, we invite you — our congregation — to join us as we learn from and honor our 2020 Confirmands. We will be celebrating together at the end of May — check the eNotes, our website, and Facebook for opportunities to bless, honor and learn from our incredible Confirmation class.

And we invite you, in the meantime, to investigate your own “Confirmation” questions during these challenging times. In our virtual classes, we’re thinking about the meaning of community and what it means to “belong” even when you aren’t physically together. These threads, those that tie us to our Temple family and to the greater Jewish community, are what keep us connected to a life of beauty, meaning, and collective responsibility. We look forward to celebrating our Confirmation class with you very soon and wish all of you much safety — and sanity — at this season.
Making Each Day Count

By Eliot J. Baskin • baskin@EmanuelDenver.org • ext. 302

During this challenging time of staying at home and quarantine, how do you make each day count? The word “quarantine” comes from the word *quarantena*, meaning “forty days”, used in 14th-15th century Venice when all ships were required to be isolated before passengers and crew could go ashore during the Black Death plague epidemic. In medieval times when the authorities wanted to isolate contagious people, they turned to the Bible for an auspicious number, and naturally, chose “forty.” This alludes back to the 40 days of Noah on the ark, the 40 years the Israelites spent in the wilderness, and the 40 days Moses spent atop Sinai. There is another counting that takes place during the time between Passover and Shavuot called *Sefirat HaOmer*, the counting of the days of the Omer, the fifty days that separates and links these two seminal holidays as we move from redemption from Egypt to revelation at Sinai.

My colleagues, Rabbis Hillel Skolnik & Sharon Barr Skolnik, combined these two ideas of counting by creating a *Quarantine Ritual* to make each day of social distancing, one of spiritual connecting. They write:

“In an effort to focus on the things that make our days meaningful, the moments that make our days COUNT, we choose to end our day by counting the quarantine. Gather your loved ones, either in person or virtually, take a few deep breaths, have each person share at least one instance of gratitude today. While filled with thoughts of appreciation, recite the following together:

*Hin’ni muchan umzuman l’kayeim mitzvat aseih shel pikuach nefesh, k’mo shekatuv baTorah: “uvacharta bachayim.”*

Baruch ata Adonai Eloheinu melech ha-olam, ha-oneh b’eit tzarah.

Here I am, actively ready to fulfill the mitzvah of saving lives, as the Torah teaches, “and you shall choose life.”

*Baruch ata Adonai Eloheinu melch ha-olam, ha-onen b’etzara.*

Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the Universe, The One who answers us in our times of crisis.

*Hayom yom echad lahesger.*

Today is the first day of the quarantine.

After the blessing has been recited and the day counted, choose a physical reminder of the completed day, such as: a sticker on a calendar, marbles in a jar, coins in a tzedakah box, jumping jacks corresponding to the days.

Find something in your house that you have the same number of.

Although none of us yet knows when this time of quarantine will end, we hope and pray that it will be soon, that God will hear our prayers for healing, and will bring us and our children back to a time where can all be normally social, instead of socially-distant.

May we make each day of our journey through the wilderness of COVID-19 count. May our Omer period be filled with health, healing, and spiritual connection as we count on each other!

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*Caring Community is mobilizing to help with COVID-19 crisis!*

Please consider doing a mitzvah of caring for home bound congregants in our congregational community. For further information and to register please signup under the Social Justice tab on www.EmanuelDenver.org on Sign Up Genius or contact baskin@EmanuelDenver.org.
Financial Strength in Uncertain Times

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

Generally, in May, I talk about coming to the end of the fiscal year and the importance of making sure that our annual financial commitment is paid in full by the end of June. As we know, this is a challenging time for many. Some of our members are facing job loss, financial reversals, and illness. We understand this and want to help and yet, even in this moment of community concern, it’s worth noting that Temple Emanuel relies heavily on member support to sustain all of our efforts, including plans for our future. If you are in a position to make an additional gift to Temple, we would greatly appreciate it. This will help to offset any shortfalls we may experience that could jeopardize our ability to continue meeting the regular needs of our sacred community, as well as bolster our position to assist the families facing unexpected hardship.

If there is any type of help you need from Temple – be it emotional, spiritual, or practical – please let us know. We are here for you. Thank you for being part of this vibrant community. May we go from strength to strength.

Upcoming Family Promise Host Weeks:
August 2 – 9 • October 18 – 25

If COVID-19 restrictions have been lifted, we will host Family Promise guests again in August. To keep up to date about Family Promise at Temple Emanuel, visit www.emanueldenver.org/social-justice/family-promise

If this pandemic will soon be over and we will once again be able to come together as a Kehilla Kedoshah – a sacred community – we also will have an opportunity to take stock in who we have become, as well as think about all that we have gained and lost as a result of this experience.

This printed bulletin, in many ways, can be seen as an anchor of normalcy in a sea of change. We hold it in our hands and feel the words on the page as a reminder of a times when our world was more stable and so many changes were not taking place around us – all of the time.

If you are feeling isolated or insulated as a result of our sheltering in place, you are not alone. We are all on our journey of healing and perspective together. I want you to know that we are here to help you as we walk together.

Even in our aloneness, we can give thanks for the gift of sacred community that allows us to feel part of something larger than ourselves. If there is anything that we can do for you at this difficult time – if you need to talk or are feeling at wit’s end, please do not hesitate to be in contact with us. We can be reached via shalom@EmanuelDenver.org.

We pray that we will be able to come together soon.

L’shalom,

Rabbi Joseph R. Black

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Kehila 1874

Thank You to Those Members Who Have Made a Commitment Above the Sustaining Level

Kehila 1874, named for our community (kehila) and the year of our founding (1874), is our annual financial commitment model that began July 1, 2018. This new model is already helping Temple Emanuel fill long-standing gaps and achieve richer programming and education for all. We are excited about how Kehila is helping us realize our plans for a vibrant congregation today and our dreams of a strong and lasting legacy into the future for generations to come!

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"The Talmud clearly explains our obligation to educate our children and Shwayder Camp does it brilliantly, in the most beautiful setting imaginable. A legacy gift doesn’t compromise my current responsibilities. It’s a chance to make a statement today about my values, while still prioritizing family responsibilities.”

- Lori Kalata

*Of Blessed Memory
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.

May 1
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Dr. Benjamin H. Battock
Dona Berebaum
Ruth M. Berenstein
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Julia Schwartz
Dora Siegel
Sarah Shaw
Maurice Bernard Sobol
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May 8
Moe Aaron
Louise Anfenger
Steven Ira Baser
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Shirley Francis-Goldstein
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May 15
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Irmak Rose Barnett
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Irene Averbach - mother of Sally (Ken) Cleveland, grandmother of Leah (Gerry) McCullar
Selma Cohan - mother of Susan (Dr. Bruce) Madison, grandmother of Casey (Elishama Goldfarb) Madison
Genevieve Faingold - wife of Bernie Faingold (z"l), mother of David Faingold
Steven Farber – husband of Cynthia Farber, brother-in-law of Shelly (Richard) Sapkin
Shirley Franklin – mother of Steve (Leslie) Franklin
Hazel Gensberg – mother of Sura (Norman) Veta, Arden (Ardie) (z”l) (Charlene) Wandel, grandmother of Hyla Feder, Stephen Wandel, and Rayna Wandel
Golda Davydov
Dr. Gary Neil Goralnik – son of Sandra Goralnik
Dr. Gilbert Hermann - husband of Jane Hermann
Eleanore Judd - wife of E. Jim Judd, mother of Kenneth (Wendy) Judd
Marvin Keir – brother of Jane Keir
Dr. Edward Lewin - husband of Jacqueline Lewin
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Rose Pluss - wife of Julius Pluss, mother of Richard (Annette) Pluss, and William (Susan) Pluss, grandmother of Matthew (Colette) Pluss, Dana (Brian) Parks, and Drew Pluss
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Miriam Stone – mother of Joseph (Sharon) Stone
Arden (Ardie) Wandel – husband of Charlene Wandel, father of Stephen Wandel and Rayna Wandel, brother of Sura (Norman) Veta
Miriam Weinberger - wife of Carl Weinberger (z”l)
David Weiner – son of Diana Weiner, brother of Gareth (Carol) Weiner
Marvin Wolf – husband of Judi Wolf
Irene Zablitz - mother of Geri Badler

May their memory be for a blessing.

Correction:
In the March/April bulletin, Hedy Gold was incorrectly listed as the sister of Carole Feuerman.
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Saturdays at 10:00 a.m. : Torah Study
Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. : Shabbat Morning Service