B’nei Mitzvah Preparations Timeline

- **Orientation/ Red Binder Meeting – Around 12 months before the B’nei Mitzvah**
  - Students receive their red binder and an overview of what is to be expected in the coming year.
- **Guide Rabbi – Around 12 months before the B’nei Mitzvah**
  - We will assign students their guide rabbi via email.
- **Blessings Class with Carolyn – 8 week course starting around 12 months before the B’nei Mitzvah**
- **Guide Rabbi Appointments – 6 to 7 months before the B’nei Mitzvah.**
  - Meet once a month (usually 30-60 minutes long depending on the appointment and rabbi). There are 3 family meetings and 4-5 one-on-one appointments.
- **Hebrew Reading Coach**
  - After blessings class and before Torah chanting starts. 8 weeks long. Meet once a week for 30 minutes with a tutor.
- **Torah Chanting Appointments – 6 months before the B’nei Mitzvah.**
  - Weekly 30 minute sessions.

Continue with Hebrew School Classes for the 7th grade year:

- **Mitzvah Corps Program**
  - Tori Starks can answer questions about the Mitzvah Corps program.
  - tstarks@emanuelsf.org or 415-751-2541 ext. 307

6th & 7th Grade: Weekly Hebrew Class which is about 1 hour-1 hour 15 minutes on Sunday, Monday or Thursday.

**Reminder:** Students and families are required to be at the Friday night service before their B’nei Mitzvah.