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VIEWING OF *SCREENAGERS*

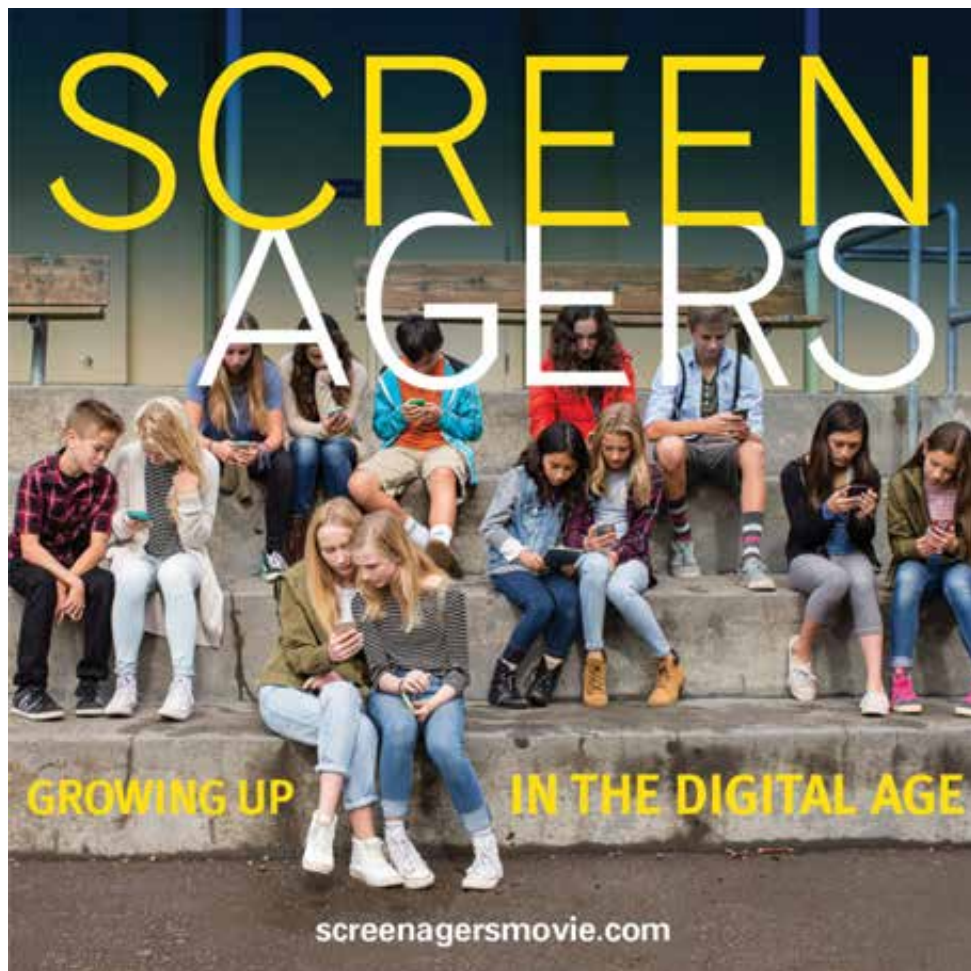
Followed by facilitated discussion
for both parents and teens

Tuesday, September 12, 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Award-winning *SCREENAGERS* probes into the vulnerable corners of family life, including the director's own, and depicts messy struggles, over social media, video games, academics, and internet addiction. Through surprising insights from authors and brain scientists solutions emerge on how we can empower kids to best navigate the digital world.

This program is not meant to scare parents and teens, but leave them feeling hopeful and inspired; to create an online culture of kindness, respect, and self-regulation.

Register for this free screening at
<https://www.emanuelsf.org/learning/teens/>



CHRISTIAN ZIONISTS - WHY EVANGELICALS SUPPORT ISRAEL: WITH DAVID BROG

Thursday, September 7, 7:00 pm

David Brog is the author of *Standing with Israel: Why Christians Support the Jewish State* (2006), *In Defense of Faith: the Judeo-Christian Idea and the Struggle for Humanity* (2010), and *Reclaiming Israel's History: Roots, Rights, and the Struggle for Peace* (2017).

David Brog is executive director of the Maccabee Task Force, which combats anti-Semitism and the anti-Israel BDS movement on college campuses. Previously he served as Executive Director of Christians United for Israel (CUFI), as chief of staff to Senator Arlen Specter, and as staff director of the Senate Judiciary Committee.

The Forward newspaper listed Brog as one of the 50 most influential Jews in America. He is a graduate of Princeton University and Harvard Law School.

Admission is free, however please RSVP at
<https://www.emanuelsf.org/learning/israel-experiences>



BETWEEN PAST AND FUTURE

By Richard and Rhoda Goldman Senior Rabbi Jonathan Singer

FROM THE RABBI

Soon, a unique sound will reverberate throughout our sanctuary, in our courtyard, and on Baker Beach. It is a sound like no other: the call of the shofar! Not only does the shofar tug at our hearts and bring a smile to our faces, it virtually connects us to our ancestors who wandered the wilderness hearing the very same call. It's the rare man-made sound that remains intact from ancient times to the present. Even familiar cultural sounds from one generation can be unrecognizable to the next. Remember, for example, the scratchy/screechy sound of a dial-up modem trying to connect to CompuServe, the whirring of the dial on an old rotary telephone, the three-chime interval signal on the NBC television network... These sounds were ubiquitous two, three, five decades ago, but have since disappeared.

The sound of the modern-day shofar, we are taught, is identical to that heard by our ancestors at Sinai and throughout the intervening centuries. The ram's horn was blown from the top of the Temple Mount in both the First and Second Temple periods, and shofars were even blown in protest in the concentration camps during WWII. When we hear a shofar today—that pure ancient sound—it resonates with our souls and moves us to consider how our lives can be even more meaningful and grounded in the year to come.

Unlike the sounds that have faded due to technological transformation, the call of the shofar remains consistent, signifying something very old yet forever young. We modern, sophisticated, 21st-century Jewish people need to heed that summons. We need to allow it to wake up our spirits, to think about our own personal renewal as well as our collective revitalization. In her essay compilation "Between Past and Future," Hannah Arendt asserted that, if we are to regain our way as a civilization, we must reconnect with the wisdom of the past. We must let it be part of the chorus of who we are in the present and allow it to support and guide us as we shape a better future.

Perhaps that is what the architects of the High Holy Days were thinking when they incorporated the shofar into Rosh Hashanah. That ancient pure sound of the past—cast into our present—is a call of hope and integrity, inviting us to restore in ourselves a sense of holy purpose. At its essence, it is appealing to us to appreciate creation, to return to our best selves—that which we call "teshuvah" (turning toward meaning)—and then consider our future: who do we yet want to be? In these tumultuous times, more than ever, we need to hear that resonant invitation to use the wisdom of tradition and restore a sense of balance and purpose in our lives.

The High Holy Days are days of promise as well as days of awe, for they restore our sense of hope and instill the confidence that we can find renewal. So come! Come hear the call and join in this annual homecoming of the Jewish people! Plan to be here on the days and nights of the new year holidays. Open your heart to music and prayer, and allow the teachings to regenerate your soul. Drink in the energy and spirit of those around you, and then think about how we as a community can build a better future—by studying together, working on social justice projects, celebrating Shabbat, and connecting to the larger Jewish community... here in the Bay Area, in Israel, and throughout the world!

I look forward to hearing the sound of the shofar with you and being inspired as the old is new again, as we are moved by that which is forever young to continue our journey of meaning and hope together.

Shanah Tovah,
Rabbi Jonathan Singer



SHABBAT CALENDAR

SHABBAT SCHEDULE:

SEPTEMBER

Friday, September 1

FIRST FRIDAY SHABBAT SERVICES!

5:30 pm, First Friday Under Five Service (MMS)

6:00 pm, Classic Shabbat Service (Main)

Saturday, September 2

10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service (MMS)

10:30 am, Shabbat Morning Service (Main)

Friday, September 8

6:00 pm, One Shabbat Service (MMS)

8:30 pm, Young Adult Late Shabbat

On Friday, September 8, We are partnering with 10Q, an interactive reflection experience. Meet us at the oneg before services at One Shabbat and after Late Shabbat to learn more. Then sign up online to get 10 questions sent to your inbox over 10 days during the High Holidays and lock them in a vault until next year for you to read. You'll be amazed at how you've changed over a year!

Saturday, September 9

10:30 am, Shabbat Morning Service (MMS)

10:30 am, Shabbat Morning Service (Main)

Friday, September 15

6:00 pm, One Shabbat Service (MMS)

Saturday, September 16

10:30 am, Shabbat Morning Service (MMS)

Friday, September 22

6:00 pm, One Shabbat Service (MMS)

Saturday, September 23

10:30 am, Shabbat Morning Service (MMS)

Friday, September 29

6:00 pm, One Shabbat Service (MMS)

Saturday, September 30

10:30 am, Shabbat Morning Service (MMS)

CALLING ALL NEW MEMBERS!

Saturday, October 20, 6:30 – 8:00pm

Join us for a New Member Havdalah Reception, hosted by a fellow congregant. To learn more, register by logging into your member portal, MyEmanu-El, near the top right of the home page (navigate to October 20 on the events calendar). Plan to have a great time meeting clergy, staff, and your fellow new members!



SPONSOR AN ONEG SHABBAT

Sponsoring an Oneg Shabbat for Friday evening is a lovely way to honor or remember a loved one or to celebrate a simcha. When you sponsor an Oneg Shabbat, you help us welcome Shabbat with the warmth and community that are characteristic of our congregation. For more details, please contact Svetlana Leykin at sleykin@emanuelsf.org or (415) 751-2541 x123.

Thank you to the following for recently sponsoring an Oneg Shabbat reception:

Chuck Ehrlich and Liz McMahon in honor of Chuck's parents, Ann Beard Ehrlich and Stanley Francis Ehrlich
Nicky and Arnold Schwartz in honor of their grandson, Asher Thomson
Dr. Stephen and Mrs. Maribelle Leavitt in memory of their son, Max Leavitt
Emily Ozer and Antony Fields in honor of the bat mitzvah of their daughter, Elena Fields
The Satovsky Family in honor of the b'not mitzvah of Jenna and Jessie Satovsky

CONGREGATION EMANU-EL WELCOMES YOU TO

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HIGH HOLY DAYS SUMMARY OF EVENTS

ROSH HASHANAH

EREV ROSH HASHANAH WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

5:00 pm - Family Service, Martin Meyer Sanctuary
6:00 pm - Classic Service, Main Sanctuary
8:30 pm - Contemporary Service, Main Sanctuary

ROSH HASHANAH DAY THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

9:00 am - Classic Service, Main Sanctuary
10:00 am - Service for families with children under
5 years old, Martin Meyer Sanctuary
11:45 am - Contemporary Service, Main Sanctuary
2:30 pm - Service for families with children
ages 5-10, Main Sanctuary
3:30 pm - Community Service led by our teens,
Main Sanctuary

TASHLICH

5:00 pm - Tashlich, Baker Beach

**Full Event Details
on pages 6 - 9!**

YOM KIPPUR

KOL NIDRE FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

5:00 pm - Family Service, Martin Meyer Sanctuary
6:00 pm - Classic Service, Main Sanctuary
8:30 pm - Contemporary Service, Main Sanctuary

YOM KIPPUR DAY STAY THE DAY AND PRAY SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

9:00 am - Classic Service, Main Sanctuary
10:00 am - Service for families with children under 5
years old, Martin Meyer Sanctuary
10:00 am - Taste of Tauber* Study Session, Guild Hall
11:45 am - Contemporary Service, Main Sanctuary
Noon - Taste of Tauber* Study Session, Guild Hall
1:15 pm - Panel Discussion, Rinder Chapel
2:30 pm - Reflection & Renewal in the Redwoods
2:30 pm - Afternoon Service, Martin Meyer Sanctuary
3:30 pm - Community Service led by our teens,
Main Sanctuary
4:00 pm - Meditation, Guild Hall
4:00 pm - Healing Service, Reuben Rinder Chapel

YIZKOR AND NEILAH CONCLUDING WORSHIP

5:30 pm - Classic Yizkor and Neilah Services,
Main Sanctuary
5:30 pm - Contemporary Yizkor and Neilah Services,
Martin Meyer Sanctuary
Havdalah and Break the Fast following Neilah in the
Courtyard.

ROSH HASHANAH

EREV ROSH HASHANAH WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

5:00 PM **Family Service, Martin Meyer Sanctuary**
One hour worship, led in a participatory, educational style by our rabbis, Cantor Arik Luck and musician Jonathan Bayer. Limited to member families and appropriate for children under age 5.

6:00 PM **Classic Service, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Senior Rabbi Beth Singer and Rabbi Ryan Bauer. Sermon by Senior Rabbi Jonathan Singer. Music: Cantor Arik Luck, the Emanu-El Choir, and organist.

8:30 PM **Contemporary Service, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Rabbis Carla Fenves and Jason Rodich. Sermon by Senior Rabbi Jonathan Singer. Music: Cantor Marsha Attie and accompanists.

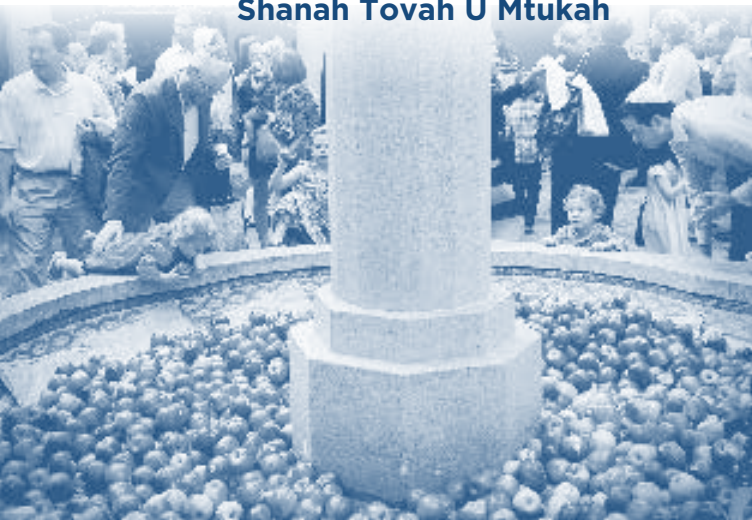
We are thrilled to announce that Neshama Carlebach will be visiting Congregation Emanu-El on Erev Rosh HaShanah and will join Cantor Attie on a couple of prayers during our Contemporary evening service.

Neshama is a leading superstar in Jewish Entertainment, is continuing the legacy established by her father Rabbi Shlomo Carlebach. Like her father, Neshama's talent and charisma captivate and endear her to people of all ages, faiths, and backgrounds.

**Soon shofars will be sounding
in our sanctuaries, on Baker Beach and in the
courtyard, as we hear the call to welcome in
a new year of hope, of meaning,
of rebalance and renewal.**

**On these pages, you will find gateways to
connect to these amazing Days of Awe.**

**Take time, bring your loved ones and friends
to come and join in the diverse engaging
services and spiritual opportunities Emanu-
El offers as we all heed that ancient and ever
relevant call to hope and renewal.
Shanah Tovah U Mtukah**



ROSH HASHANAH THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

9:00 AM **Classic Service, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Senior Rabbi Jonathan Singer and Rabbi Jason Rodich. Sermon by Rabbi Carla Fenves. Music: Cantor Arik Luck, the Emanu-El Choir, and organist.

10:00 AM ****Service for families with children under 5 years old, Martin Meyer Sanctuary**
Led by clergy.
Music: Cantor Marsha Attie and accompanists.
NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED

11:45 AM **Contemporary Service, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Senior Rabbi Beth Singer, Rabbi Ryan Bauer and Cantor Marsha Attie.
Sermon by Rabbi Sydney Mintz.

2:30 PM ****Service for families with children ages 5-10, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Emanu-El rabbis with Cantor Arik Luck and accompanist.
NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED

3:30 PM ****Teen-led Community Service, Main Sanctuary**
Come and be inspired by the music, communal singing, and commentaries created and led by our teens accompanied by Cantor Marsha Attie and accompanist.
NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED

5:00 PM ****TASHLICH Baker Beach**
As instructed by the Prophet Micah, we gather to throw breadcrumbs into the water on Rosh Hashanah afternoon. This ceremony is called Tashlich and represents a symbolic casting away of the transgressions of the past year. Dress casually (and warmly), bring some breadcrumbs and join us for this meaningful ceremony of song and personal reflection. Led by Emanu-El clergy and musicians.
NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED



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RUSSELL INSTITUTE OF JEWISH LEARNING.**

YOM KIPPUR

KOL NIDRE FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

5:00 PM **Family Service, Martin Meyer Sanctuary**
One hour worship, led in a participatory, educational style by our clergy and musicians. Limited to member families and appropriate for children under age 5.

6:00 PM **Classic Service, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Rabbis Ryan Bauer and Jason Rodich. Sermon by Senior Rabbi Beth Singer. Music: Cantor Arik Luck, the Emanu-El Choir, and organist.

8:30 PM **Contemporary Service, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Senior Rabbi Jonathan Singer and Rabbi Sydney Mintz. Sermon by Senior Rabbi Beth Singer. Music: Cantor Marsha Attie and accompanists.

YOM KIPPUR DAY STAY THE DAY AND PRAY SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

9:00 AM **Classic Service, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Senior Rabbi Jonathan Singer and Rabbi Sydney Mintz. Sermon by Rabbi Jason Rodich. Music: Cantor Arik Luck, the Emanu-El Choir, and organist.

10:00 AM ****Service for families with children under 5 years old, Martin Meyer Sanctuary**
Led by clergy. Music: Cantor Marsha Attie and accompanists. **NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED**

10:00 AM ****Taste of Tauber* Study Session, Guild Hall**
With Emanu-El Scholar Rabbi Lawrence Kushner, The Politics of the Hebrew Prophets. **NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED**

11:45 AM **Contemporary Service, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Senior Rabbi Beth Singer and Rabbi Jason Rodich. Sermon by Rabbi Ryan Bauer. Music: Cantor Marsha Attie and accompanists.

NOON ****Taste of Tauber* Study Session, Guild Hall**
With Rabbi Emeritus Stephen Pearce: But wait! There's more! Uncovering the Mysteries of Bible Authorship, Translation, and Interpretation **NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED**

1:15 PM ****Panel Discussion, Rinder Chapel**
NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED

2:30 PM ****Reflection & Renewal in the Redwoods with Rabbi Sydney Mintz**

2:30 PM ****Afternoon Service, Martin Meyer Sanctuary**
Led by Senior Rabbi Jonathan Singer. Music by Cantor Arik Luck. **NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED**

3:30 PM ****Community Service led by our teens, Main Sanctuary**
Come and be inspired by the music, communal singing, Torah readings and commentaries created and led by our teens with Cantor Marsha Attie and accompanist. **NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED**

4:00 PM ****Meditation, Guild Hall**
Led by Rabbi Ryan Bauer **NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED**

4:00 PM ****Healing Service, Reuben Rinder Chapel**
Led by Senior Rabbi Beth Singer **NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED**

YIZKOR AND NEILAH CONCLUDING WORSHIP

A memorial service called Yizkor (Remembrance) is recited near the conclusion of Yom Kippur. It is said by every person who has lost a parent or other loved ones.

Neilah, the full name is Ne'ilat She'arim (Closing of the Gates) referring to the daily closing of the Temple gates in Jerusalem, follows Yizkor. On Yom Kippur, this literal closing is symbolically associated with the closing of the heavenly gates that remained open to prayer until sunset. If you wish to wait until the Yizkor service concludes, you may enter the sanctuary at the beginning of Neilah.

5:30 PM **Classic Yizkor and Neilah Services, Main Sanctuary**
Led by Senior Rabbi Jonathan Singer. Sermon by Senior Rabbi Beth Singer. Music: Cantor Arik Luck, the Emanu-El Choir, and organist.

5:30 PM **Contemporary Yizkor and Neilah Services, Martin Meyer Sanctuary**
Led by Rabbis Ryan Bauer and Sydney Mintz. Sermon by Rabbi Jason Rodich. Music: Cantor Marsha Attie and accompanists. Courtyard

Havdalah and Break the Fast following Neilah

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SELICHOT

SEPTEMBER 16TH AT TEMPLE EMANU-EL

PERFORMANCE "THE ART OF FORGIVENESS" IS THERE AN ART TO FORGIVENESS?

Jewish women reveal their secrets to forgiving. But do they ever forget? Find out in this moving and thought-provoking show that deals with sibling rivalry, betrayal, ex-husbands, a German's plea for forgiveness and one woman's ability to forgive herself after a horrible accident that takes a man's life. All this, and more, will bring you to tears. There are moments of laughter as well.

About Jewish Women's Theatre

In the fall of 2008, Jewish Women's Theatre debuted in the backyard of a home in California with the expressed purpose of giving voice to Jewish women on stage. Until then, no theater company in America had pledged to welcome and encourage contemporary stories by Jewish women and to adapt them theatrically, giving them life in front of a live audience. "We are a people of the book," we reasoned. "What if we focused on the word, the text, the story? What if we revived the age-old tradition of salons: women hosting culture of the day in their homes?" Sparing the expense of a theater, sets, costumes, and props meant we could fully focus on presenting powerful stories in unexpected and convenient venues, reaching many more local neighborhoods.

7:00 pm Dessert
7:30 pm Havdalah
7:45 pm "The Art of Forgiveness" Performance
9:00 pm Selichot service

NO ONE PASS OR TICKET REQUIRED



ONE PASS

With your One Pass, you may attend any service. You will need to show your One Pass for all services except those that indicate "No One Pass or ticket required" or "Open to the Community." Students are welcome to come showing their school IDs; no passes needed.

Please note: All Passes for High Holy Day services are non-transferable

YOM KIPPUR FOOD DRIVE

Congregation Emanu-El is the single largest donor of non-perishable food to the San Francisco Food Bank in the Bay Area but we can't continue this mitzvah without your help!

Remember to bring a full bag of non-perishable food donations (no glass please) to Congregation Emanu-El during High Holy Day services. Protein items, such as tuna and peanut butter, are greatly appreciated.

Major collection day is Yom Kippur -- Saturday, September 30. To Support the San Francisco Food Bank

Bring a full bag of food!

A truck and Food Bank staff will be at the Temple from 8:15 am until noon to directly load food brought at this time. Please bring a full bag of food.

In addition, barrels are available in the temple all year for drop-off.

Feed the Hungry,
Fill the Bag!



SECURITY

For the protection of all, security personnel reserve the right to inspect all purses and packages and check identification. In the interest of time, please bring only what you will need during the service. Allow extra time to pass through the security lines.

CHILD CARE

Child care is provided during the early evening services, morning services and during Yizkor and Neilah. There is no childcare for the late (Contemporary) evening services. Child care is for children 2 - 10 years old. A form must be submitted in advance to enroll your child(ren) for child care. Please log in to the MyEmanu-El portal at the top right of our website to find the form.

If you choose to bring a young child to the Classic or Contemporary services, please be sure that your child is able to sit through the entire service (approximately two hours) so as not to disturb other worshippers. Otherwise, please register for child care when offered, or make other arrangements.

PARKING - NEW LOCATION THIS YEAR!

Offsite parking will still be located in the Presidio, but in a different location. This year's availability is the Sports Basement parking lot located at 610 Mason Street, which we are renting. We are continuing to hire shuttles to bring you to the temple, which will pick you up in the Sports Basement parking lot. Please allow at least 45 minutes for transportation and the security check at the temple entrance.

SHUTTLE SCHEDULE:

Erev Rosh Hashanah	Kol Nidre
Wednesday, Sept. 20	Friday, Sept. 29
5:00 pm to 11:00 pm	5:00 pm to 11:00 pm
Rosh Hashanah	Yom Kippur
Thursday, Sept. 21	Saturday, Sept. 30
8:30 am to 5:30 pm	8:30 am to 8:00 pm

If you would like to look for street parking around the temple, we have obtained waivers of time limits and street cleaning for both sides of the following streets:

- Lake from Arguello to 4th Ave.
- 2nd Ave., 3rd Ave. and 4th Ave. from Lake to California
- Arguello from Jackson to California.
- Sacramento, Clay, Washington and Jackson from Arguello to Spruce
- Cherry, Maple and Spruce from Jackson to Sacramento

SUKKOT WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4 - WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11

Celebrate Sukkot at the temple with a festive outdoor service at 5:30 pm on Wednesday, October 4, followed by dinner in the Courtyard. Please log in to the MyEmanu-El portal at the top right of our website to register.

Throughout Sukkot, bring a lunch or dinner, come sit in the sukkah and shake the lulav.

Thursday, October 5
Breakfast at 8:30 am,
Sukkot service at 9:15 am.

YIZKOR SERVICE

Wednesday, October 11
Breakfast at 8:30 am,
Yizkor service at 9:15 am

SIMCHAT TORAH WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 6:00 PM

Simchat Torah Dedication Celebration

This year we will dedicate a renewed Czech Scroll that survived the Holocaust. This beautiful scroll, given us by a member and symbolic of the vibrancy of Jewish life, will after this dedication be read here on Saturday mornings.

To properly celebrate the arrival of a new scroll we will parade it down the street with music and dancing, under a chuppah following King David's example when he danced the ark to Jerusalem.

Join us as we dedicate our new students, dedicate a new text and begin the cycle of Torah readings with a joyous Simchat Torah celebration. Register for dinner and dancing - all ages encouraged!

HIGH HOLY DAY USHERS

Every year for the High Holy Day services, we need temple ushers who extend a warm welcome, hand out prayer books, help congregants with seating, and answer general questions. Enrich your High Holy Day experience and help make the experiences of fellow members a positive and spiritual one. There are openings for every service. Please log in to the MyEmanu-El portal at the top right of our website to sign up. Requirement: You must arrive 45 minutes prior to the start of the service to be at your post and ready to greet when the doors open. For more information, please contact our High Holy Days office at (415) 751-2541 x138 or email hhd@emanuelf.org.

DAYTIME PROGRAMS AT THE TEMPLE

Meet other congregants at these weekday opportunities at the temple! Questions? Contact Rebecca Reiner.

Cooking for Congregants

Thursdays, September 7, 14, 28 9:00 – 11:00 am
Emanu-El Kitchen

Do you enjoy working in the kitchen and helping others at the same time? Sign up for Cooking for Congregants, led by two Emanu-El members, where you will prepare meals for congregants facing either a recent illness, death, or birth. When someone we know is going through a challenging time, our natural reaction is to help, although we may not know exactly what to do. For those in need, food frequently becomes a low priority, so the support provided by Cooking for Congregants can make a huge difference! As volunteer Sari Swig says, "There is no better gift to yourself than to help others," while a recipient of meals expresses how "It is such a lovely gesture of community... I was most grateful."

Register now to fulfill this mitzvah! All menus, ingredients, and storage containers are provided. And if you know a congregant who would benefit from a few delivered meals, please let us know.

The Stories of Your Life: Guided Autobiography and Life Review Writing

No charge; any skill level welcomed.

Monday, September 18, 10:00 am – Noon

Join this monthly group where you will share your unique life in writing while getting to know yourself and others better. All writing is done at home, then shared in class in a safe and structured way.

Scrabble

No charge; drop in; all ages & experience levels welcomed.

Mondays, September 11, 18, 25, 11:00 am – 3:00 pm

Do you enjoy the challenge of putting letters together to form words? Join the Scrabble group and play a rousing game or two! Expand your vocabulary along with your social circle. Bring a Scrabble set (optional) and, of course, your appreciation of words.

Mah Jongg

No charge; drop in; all levels welcomed.

Tuesdays, September 5, 12, 19, 26, 6:30 – 9:00 pm

Enjoy playing Mah Jongg? Join us! No teaching at this time; play time only.

Bridge Club – Lessons and Game

Drop in; Members \$15, Friends \$20.

Tuesdays, September 5, 12, 19, 26, 10:00 am – Noon,
Congregation Emanu-El

If you enjoy bridge and are beyond the level of beginner, join this very popular and lively group for duplicate-style bridge! Play while improving your game. No partner needed. Deborah Murphy is the instructor.

COMMUNITY

CONGREGANT GROUPS & GATHERINGS

Meet other congregants at these weekend and evening opportunities! Questions? Contact Rachel Schonwetter.

MISHPACHA

Programs for families with children under age 5.

Havdalah PJ Party

Saturday, September 9, 4:00 pm

We invite families with children under age 5 for a Shabbat afternoon experience at Congregation Emanu-El! We are partnering with the Jewish Baby Network SF, PJ Library, and Interfaith Family for a Havdalah PJ Party with music, dancing, playing, pizza, and Havdalah. Come dressed in your best PJs!

WOMEN'S GROUP / THE TRIBE FOR WOMEN

For members of the Women's Group (all adult women of Congregation Emanu-El) and The Tribe for Women (Emanu-El mothers with children of all ages, birth through 18).

Sunday, September 17, 10:00 am, Elul Mikvah

Join Rabbi Mintz and Rabbi Fenves—along with women from Congregation Emanu-El's Women's Group and The Tribe for Women—for a morning of spiritual exploration and preparation for the High Holy Days at Baker Beach. Bring your bathing suit, towel, and beach blanket. A dip in the ocean is optional!

DONATE NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS TO THE HUNGRY IN SEPTEMBER AND AT THE HIGH HOLY DAYS.

Congregation Emanu-El is the single largest donor of nonperishable food to the San Francisco Food Bank in the Bay Area. To continue this mitzvah, we need your help! This year after Rosh Hashanah services, we will be passing out unique Emanu-El collection bags to bring home (or to the store), and to bring back with you on Yom Kippur filled with non-perishable foods. Donate the food you do not eat on Yom Kippur to those hungry and in need. Start your new year with this meaningful mitzvah!



ENGAGEMENT

CONGREGANT GROUPS & GATHERINGS

EMANU-EL IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD

Building Emanu-El community in your neighborhood with neighborhood gatherings.

Do you love your local coffee shop or weekly farmers market? And does Emanu-El in your neighborhood sound good to you? If you are looking for a volunteer opportunity close to home, consider becoming a Neighborhood Liaison to reach out to congregants in need, coordinate neighborhood events, and welcome new congregants in the city. Interested? Let us know!

FRONT PORCH

This innovative program assembles congregants into groups and gives them the tools they need to build deep and meaningful relationships at home-hosted gatherings. The gatherings include short videos filmed by one of our rabbis and discussion questions on Jewish topics relevant to life today.

Would you like to join a Front Porch group? Fill out the interest form at <https://www.emanuelsf.org/front-porch/>.

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for gatherings with our Interfaith Group (gatherings for interfaith members and families) and Men's Group (focused on Torah study and socializing).

THE TRIBE FOR MEN / THE TRIBE FOR MEN 2.0

For active and committed Emanu-El fathers 30 to 50 years old. The Tribe for Men is for dads with children ages 5–12; the Tribe for Men 2.0 is for dads with children ages 0–5.

We recognize the vital importance of small group connection, especially within a congregation as large as Emanu-El's. In that spirit, we offer many opportunities for learning, socializing, and enjoying local culture within more intimate groups. These small gatherings generally occur on weekday evenings or on weekends. Refer to the Community and Social Justice pages on our website for more information and staff contact information. Remember to register online in the MyEmanu-El portal for all of these programs (unless otherwise noted below) so we know to expect you.

Your Community Engagement Team: Terry Kraus (tkraus@emanuelsf.org, ext 111); Monica Pevzner (mpevzner@emanuelsf.org, ext 124); Rebecca Reiner (rreiner@emanuelsf.org, ext 170); and Rachel Schonwetter (rschonwetter@emanuelsf.org, ext 171).

TZEDEK COUNCIL

Meet your fellow congregants for these social justice opportunities! Questions? Contact Monica Pevzner.

What is the Tzedek Council?

The Congregation Emanu-El Tzedek Council was launched in August 2015 as a congregant, board, and clergy run group, charged with the task of raising our participation and impact in the social justice arena. The Tzedek Council has four working groups that currently cover the following topics: Economic Justice, Education, Environment and Human Rights.

Economic Justice:

Meals at Raphael House

Monday, September 18, 3:30 pm

Raphael House, 1065 Sutter Street, San Francisco

The mission of Raphael House is to help at-risk families achieve stable housing and financial independence while strengthening family bonds and personal dignity. We prepare and serve dinner to the residents at Raphael House, working with their chef. Space is limited to six volunteers per evening. Registration is required on our website.

Human Rights:

Unity Group

Second Thursdays of the month, 6:00 – 7:30 pm

African American Art and Culture Complex
762 Fulton Street, San Francisco

Congregation Emanu-El works with First African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church to sponsor an African-American/Jewish Unity Group that meets monthly. This year, the Unity Group will partner with other organizations to push for bail reform legislation in California. We believe that this legislation, if passed, will make an enormous difference in the lives of many poor people and people of color. We would love to have you join us in this effort! Come to the meetings to learn more about the topic and decide how involved you'd like to be.

Social Justice Programs:

G-House

Providing youth with the necessary tools to remove the obstacles that threaten their successful transition to independent living.

G-House—run by Larkin Street Youth Center (www.larkinstreetyouth.org)—is a 20-bed housing program for San Francisco homeless young adults (ages 18–24) as they evolve from adolescence to adulthood. Emanu-El has partnered with G-House to support youth integrating into the community, by bringing volunteers on Sunday evenings to cook, eat, and build meaningful relationships with one another. We hope you will join us in this special volunteer opportunity. Contact Rebecca Reiner. Please note that we are asking for a commitment of one Sunday per month for a six-month period.

FALL ADULT LEARNING

FALL TRIMESTER COURSES:

Tuesday evenings, 7:00 - 9:00 pm

October 17, 24, 31; Nov. 7, 14



Islam for Jews with Prof. Fred Astren

Jews and Muslims have a long historical relationship that helped shape major aspects of Jewish identity. In recent history, this relationship has been mediated by Zionism, the Arab-Israeli conflict, Arab nationalism, and Muslim fundamentalism. This course is designed to examine core features of the world's second largest and fastest growing religion.

Dreams in Babylon: Talmud Study with Rabbi Rodich

Join Rabbi Rodich for an introductory level study of several texts from the Babylonian Talmud. The course will begin with an introduction to Talmud and subsequent sessions will focus on several passages that are interesting, funny, moving, alarming or all of the above.



Ethical Fitness: Money Matters with Rachel Brodie

When it comes to business ethics even the smallest dilemmas can rapidly become overwhelmingly complex. Whether we manage a company or are assessing the accuracy of an online review, we are expected to make decisions without much guidance. This series offers participants an opportunity to engage in discussion and delve into Jewish wisdom developed over millennia around topics such as free markets, intellectual property, and false advertising.

Check our website for more details and to register: www.emanuelf.org/learning/adult-education.

Questions? Contact Ariana Estoque, Director of Adolescent and Adult Education at aestoque@emanuelf.org or 415-751-2541 x307

CHARLES MICHAEL SCHOLAR-IN-RESIDENCE WEEKEND WITH DR. LEAH HOCHMAN

OCTOBER 27 - 29

Dr. Hochman directs the Louchheim School for Judaic Studies at the University of Southern California and serves as associate professor of Jewish Thought at Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion (HUC-JIR) in Los Angeles.



At HUC, she teaches classes in medieval and modern philosophy, American Judaism, modern history, and food ethics. At USC, she teaches classes on contemporary Jewish literature, Jewish identity and the academic study of Judaism.

Schedule of offerings:

- Friday night sermon
- Friday night private dinner/learning
- Saturday morning Torah Study
- Saturday evening Young Adult Program
- Sunday morning lecture

WEEKEND FEATURING NOAM KATZ:

OCTOBER 13-15

FRIDAY NIGHT ONE SHABBAT SERVICE
6:00 PM

LATE SHABBAT SERVICE
8:30 PM

SATURDAY EVENING
HOUSE CONCERT
7:00 PM

SUNDAY MORNING COMMUNITY
CONCERT AT EMANU-EL
11:00 AM

OUR ONE SHABBAT AND COMMUNITY CONCERT
WILL BE OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY.

ISRAEL PROGRAMMING

Sponsored by the Israel Action Committee

Sunday, November 5, 1:30 - 3:30 pm

NIF Cafe Dilemma: The Ambivalence We Feel at 50: A Discussion about Israelis, Palestinians, Occupation, and Insecurity

Thursday, November 16,

7:00 - 9:00 pm

An evening with Natan Sharansky



Sunday, December 10, 3:00 - 5:00 pm

"The Way Forward; The Case for Israel: Right vs. Left"

Dennis Prager in conversation with Alan Elsner of JStreet

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Gilad Kariv, Executive Director of the Israel Movement for Reform and Progressive Judaism

Learn more about our Israel Programs and Trips at: www.emanuelf.org/learning/israel-experiences



REGISTRATION IS LIMITED AND IS REQUIRED IN ADVANCE FOR THE HOUSE CONCERT.

This event is sponsored by the Ingrid N. Tauber D. Fund.

A HIGH HOLY DAY PREVIEW WITH CANTOR ARIK LUCK

by Rob Freedman, Marketing and Communications Director

This is your third year as a Cantor at Emanu-El, and your second year officiating the Classic service at the High Holidays. What can we expect this year?

I am so excited about this coming High Holidays. We are deeply expanding the scope of our capabilities in the "Classic" services, while still honoring the traditional nature of the service that has been a stalwart of this institution for so many decades. This year, in addition to the sound of the organ and the choir, we will be adding an ensemble of musicians, which will give us great flexibility to explore vast genres of music, allowing the service itself to become virtually a blank canvas, from which we can utilize all tools, and fully move in any artistic direction at any given moment.

How will you do it?

Emanu-El has a deep rooted history of commissioning music, going back well over a hundred years. Musical patrons have allowed this institution and Jewish music itself to flourish not only within these walls, but to permeate throughout the Jewish world. It is in this spirit that we have acquired the suburb orchestration abilities of Cantor Jonathan Comisar, who, in direct collaboration with me, will arrange and orchestrate the music for this newly created ensemble in conjunction with the organ and the choir.

What are arrangements and orchestrations, and who is Jonathan Comisar?

Simply put, orchestrations are the actual notes that an ensemble plays when presenting a piece. In Jazz, these notes are typically improvised, and all the musicians need is a chart to guide them through the basic format. In a more formal musical setting though, it is essential that a master orchestrator arranges the notes the beforehand. There is no one I know of in the Jewish world more qualified to do this than Jonathan Comisar, who is not only an ordained cantor, but also a graduate of the prestigious Eastman School of music, where he received his MFA in composition. Jonathan's status as a cantor gives him a unique skill set as an arranger of Jewish music, in that he already understands the Hebrew liturgy and the emotional arc of the High Holiday services. We previously commissioned Jonathan to create orchestrations for the retirement gala honoring Cantor Roslyn Barak. He also appeared last season in our concert series as the musical director of *Koleinu: Coming to America*, and as the composer and accompanist of the original musical *The Cantor's Couch*, starring the legendary Cantor Jacob Mendelson. In this new role, he has been working closely with me as we make the artistic choices that will shape this new musical ensemble, helping us create a service that will carry us well into the 21st century, while still paying homage to the grandeur of the Main Sanctuary and our tremendous musical traditions.

Anything to add?

I hope you will join us! Please see our full High Holy Day schedule on pages 5 - 9.



SEPTEMBER 2017 B'NEI MITZVAH

Hope Cessna
Bat Mitzvah: September 2
Main Sanctuary
Parents: Sean & Bari Cessna
Torah Portion: *Ki Tetze*



Maxwell Katz
Bar Mitzvah: September 23
Martin Meyer Sanctuary
Parents: Marc Katz & Laura Gasser
Torah Portion: *Haazinu Shuvah*



Erin Freeman
Bat Mitzvah: September 9
Main Sanctuary
Parents: Andrew Freeman
& Kerry Lanigan-Freeman
Torah Portion: *Ki Tavo*



Sasha Feldman
Bat Mitzvah: September 9
Main Sanctuary
Parents: Jonathan Feldman &
Elizabeth Lougee
Torah Portion: *Ki Tavo*



Zadie Winthrop
Bat Mitzvah: September 9
Martin Meyer Sanctuary
Parents: Douglas Winthrop
& Yamilee Bermingham
Torah Portion: *Ki Tavo*



Lucas Segal
Bar Mitzvah: September 16
Main Sanctuary
Parents: Ned & Maya Segal
Torah Portion: *Nitzavim Vayelech*



Joseph Lorenzen
Bar Mitzvah: September 16
Martin Meyer Sanctuary
Parents: Mark Lorenzen
& Laura Weinstein
Torah Portion: *Nitzavim Vayelech*



Morgan Feinberg
Bat Mitzvah: September 23
Main Sanctuary
Parents: David & Anne Feinberg
Torah Portion: *Haazinu Shuvah*



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CELEBRATING A SHEHECHEYANU MOMENT?

Congregation Emanu-El is an ever-present partner in the transitional moments of our members' lives. Be it a baby naming or brit milah, bar or bat mitzvah, conversion or wedding ceremony or a recovery from illness, the temple clergy and staff strive to ensure that each sacred 'Shehecheyanu Moment' is deeply fulfilling and personal. A donation to the Emanu-El Life-Cycle Fund is a lovely way to mark a personal life-cycle experience, to honor friends or family celebrating a happy milestone or in gratitude for the services the clergy provide during these profound moments.

Please donate online at www.emanuelf.org or call the Development office at (415) 750-7554.

MAZEL TOV TO OUR MEMBERS WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED JOY

Melissa Thompson and Byron Gordon on the birth of their daughter, Senya Ciel Ever Gordon

Dana Goldberg and Adam Ganes on their marriage

Rachel and Zach Felson on the birth of their son, Gabriel Steele Felson

Jenny Cohen and Katherine Stromer on their marriage

Rowena and Leon Kramer on the birth of their daughter, Tyler Alexandra Kramer

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Sarah Kleiner and Brian Williamson on the birth of their son, Gabriel Ray Williamson

Anne and Matthew Bertenthal on the birth of their son, Ethan Halsey Bertenthal

Caren Alpert on the birth of her daughter, Marlie Jean Alpert

Eliana Monti and Adam Riley on their marriage

CONDOLENCES TO OUR MEMBERS WHO HAVE SUFFERED RECENT LOSSES

Andrew Shapiro (Audrey) on the death of his brother, Jay Shapiro

Bonnie Fastiff on the death of her husband, and Eric Fastiff (Rebecca) on the death of their father, and Eli and Tessa Fastiff on the death of their grandfather, Wesley Fastiff

Friends and family of Elizabeth Jacobs

Judith May Schumacher (Peter) on the death of her parents, Betty and Melvin Lichtman

Nancy Cappelloni (Robert) on the death of her parents, Betty and Melvin Lichtman

Leslie Karren on the death of her mother, Beth Karren

Douglas Goldman (Lisa) and John Goldman (Marcia) on the death of their nephew, William Goldman and great-niece, Marie Goldman

Steven White (Emma) on the death of his nephew, Aaron White

Thomas Frankel on the death of his wife, Myrna Frankel

Marilyn Waldman (Murry) on the death of her sister, and Jonathan Yolles (Stacey Silver) and Peter Yolles (Jill Einstein) on the death of their aunt, Joanne Klein

Oliver Gratry (Lindsay) on the death of his father, and Sophie, Annabelle and Nicholas Gratry on the death of their grandfather Jerome Gratry

Cathy Lewis on the death of her mother, Suzanne Lewis

Diane Erhman (Joe) on the death of her sister, Leslie Appleton

Robert Wolfe (Susan) on the death of his sister, Mimi Wolfe

Joseph Fogel (Donna) on the death of his father, Sam Fogel

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Ned Segal on being appointed Chief Financial Officer at Twitter

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					<p>1 9:30 am Bagels and Babies (MMR)</p> <p>FIRST FRIDAY SHABBAT SERVICES</p> <p>5:30 pm First Friday Under Five Service (MMS)</p> <p>6:00 pm Classic Shabbat Service (Main)</p>	<p>2 9:15 am Torah Study (Library)</p> <p>10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service - Hope Cessna (Main)</p>
3	<p>4 9:30 am Mazel Tots (MMR)</p> <p>11:00 am Scrabble (Chap)</p>	<p>5 9:30 am Side by Side</p> <p>10:00 am Morning Bridge</p> <p>1:30 pm Mah Jongg</p>	6	<p>7 9:30 am Side by Side</p> <p>7:00 pm Christian Zionists – Why Evangelicals support Israel: With David Brog</p>	<p>8 9:30 am Bagels and Babies (MMR)</p> <p>6:00 pm One Shabbat Service (MMS)</p> <p>8:30 pm Young Adult Late Shabbat (MMS)</p>	<p>9 9:15 am Torah Study (Library)</p> <p>10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service - Erin Freeman and Sasha Feldman (Main)</p> <p>10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service - Zadie Winthrop (MMS)</p>
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17	<p>18 9:30 am Mazel Tots (MMR)</p> <p>11:00 am Scrabble (Chap)</p>	<p>19 9:30 am Side by Side</p> <p>10:00 am Morning Bridge</p> <p>1:30 pm Mah Jongg</p>	<p>20 EREV ROSH HASHANAH</p> <p>See Pages 5-9 for Schedule</p>	<p>21 ROSH HASHANAH</p> <p>See Pages 5-9 for Schedule</p>	<p>22 9:30 am Bagels and Babies (MMR)</p> <p>6:00 pm One Shabbat Service (MMS)</p>	<p>23 9:15 am Torah Study (Library)</p> <p>9:15 am Torah Study with Rabbi Kushner (R55)</p> <p>10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service -Morgan Feinberg (Main)</p> <p>10:30 am Shabbat Morning Service - Maxwell Katz (MMS)</p>
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YOUTH AND FAMILY EDUCATION

While the High Holy Days are the apex of the Jewish calendar, our Youth and Family Education programs are focused on the dates of September 6, 7, 10, 11, and 12. Those special numbers mark the first days of our programs:

- Wednesdays for 1st through 5th graders
- Thursday Hebrew classes for 4th through 7th graders
- Sunday Religious School (preschool through 5th)
- Beyachad (4th/5th graders and their families)

We also have Hebrew classes on Mondays and satellite Hebrew classes on Tuesdays.

You might be wondering why the 6th grade wasn't included in the Wednesday–Sunday classes. That's because our 6th graders have their own special program to look forward to. In addition to weekly Hebrew classes and monthly Shabbat morning experiences with adults, students in the 6th grade will have the opportunity to spend three Shabbaton weekends at Camp Newman in Santa Rosa, where they will enjoy "summer camp" throughout the year: eating, singing, playing, praying, and learning together! This is a chance for 6th graders to dive deeply into both their studies and friendships as they head toward their B'nei Mitzvah.

Registration for our Youth and Family Education programs is high! Teachers have been hired and trained! And we're ready to start a new year of Jewish education!

We have one final special mention this month. One of our dear teachers and congregants—Roni Silverberg ("Morah Esther" to her adoring students)—spent many hours this summer organizing all of the children's books in the 4th floor library. Any topic you can think of is clearly marked, and each book in that category has a corresponding sticker so it can be easily placed back in the proper spot. We invite you to visit the library, borrow a book, and return it within a couple weeks for someone else to enjoy. Thank you, Roni, for your loving attention to children and learning!

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN FOR BOTH YOUTH AND FAMILY EDUCATION AND TEEN PROGRAMS

The Emanu-El Fellowship: Preparing Tomorrow's Jewish Leaders Today!

TEF PROGRAMS offer a great way for your teen to grow and develop their Jewish identity. Participants look forward to the opportunity to learn about Judaism outside of the classroom and build life-long friendships. From generation to generation we watch as new Jewish leaders pass through TEF program and we hope your teen will join us in the fall.

Participants will enjoy:

- 8th – 11th Grade meet every other week from 10:30 am – Noon, nosh included
- 12th grade meets once a month from 11:45 am – 1:00 pm, nosh included
- Many travel opportunities: Los Angeles, Washington DC, New York
- Quality time with all of our clergy and educators
- TORAH, FRIENDSHIP, FUN

Questions or to register, contact Ariana Estoque at aestoque@emanuelf.org or 415-751-2541 x307.

Visit www.emanuelf.org/learning/teens/ for more information.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EDUCATION

Our education programs strengthen Jewish connections and knowledge for the entire family. Through their years here, students explore holidays, God, Israel, history, Torah, values, Jewish community and much more through art, music, hands on projects, discussions, and experiential learning. Our teams of caring teachers provide a nurturing, creative, fun learning environment for everyone.

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