

### Shabbat and Service Schedule September 2023

Please check the [website](#) and Shavuon for the most current information.

*See pages 6–7 for the High Holiday Schedule.*

#### Friday, September 1

Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
Candle Lighting	7:01 pm

#### Saturday, September 2

*Parasbat Ki Tavo*

Shabbat Morning Service with Rabbi Ashira using <i>Mishkan T'filah</i>	9:30 am
Israel Chavurah	noon

#### Friday, September 8

Candle Lighting	6:48 pm
Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm

#### Saturday, September 9

*Parasbat Nitzavim-Vayeilech*

Shabbat Morning Service with Elisheva Pripas using <i>Sim Shalom</i>	9:30 am
Weekly Parasha Study	1:00 pm
S'lichot Service	8:00 pm

#### Sunday, September 10

Cemetery Service	1:00 pm
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#### Friday, September 15

*Erev Rosh HaShanah*

Candle Lighting	6:36 pm
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#### Saturday, September 16

#### Sunday, September 17

*Rosh HaShanah*

#### Friday, September 22

Candle Lighting	6:24 pm
Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm

#### Saturday, September 23

*Parasbat Ha'azinu*

Shabbat Morning Service using <i>Sim Shalom</i>	9:30 am
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Dear Chevre,

I can't believe summer is coming to an end and fall is nearly upon us! I was chatting with another mom, who said she couldn't believe that everything was starting back up again and that she wasn't sure she was ready for it. Although she was thinking of her kids' activities and the return to school, I couldn't help but think about how I feel similarly about the Jewish calendar.

About two weeks ago, we entered the month of Elul, the month leading up to the High Holidays and the new Jewish year. It feels as though I have just started to settle in at Temple Emanu-El and yet we already are in the season of introspection. Our Torah reading cycle also reminds us that we are standing at the threshold of the new year. Each week we get a little closer to the end of the book of Deuteronomy, closer to the Israelites entering the Promised Land. I wonder how they felt as they stood in the land of Moav on the other side of the Jordan River. Did they feel relief that soon their wandering would be over? Did they feel ready, maybe more than ready, to enter the land? Or did they, like the other mom and me, feel surprised that they finally were there but were not altogether certain they were ready to enter?

Crossing into the Promised Land would lead to significant changes for the Israelites—new leadership, new living arrangements, new ritual practices, and more. For all that the Israelites complained in the wilderness, they must have felt at least a little trepidation about all of the changes, and maybe they also wondered whether they were really ready for what was to come. And yet, the Israelites did eventually enter the Promised Land where they faced the challenges of settling the land while finding opportunities to create a holy community.

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*We will cross this threshold and find our way through  
the new landscape together, united in our desire to  
create a holy community in which we support and care  
for one another.*

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In a little less than a month, we will enter the new Jewish year of 5784. I am excited about celebrating the holidays with all of you, and I am looking forward to the opportunities to connect and grow together in the new year. At the same time, I recognize that entering any new year is filled with uncertainty, and that can make me feel a little nervous. We can learn how to navigate our many feelings about entering the new year from what our spiritual ancestors did as they stood at the border of the Promised Land.

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## RABBI'S MESSAGE

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When I look at the book of Deuteronomy as a whole, I see that much of it is dedicated to retelling the Israelites' journey through the wilderness and to making clear the guiding principles and rules for their life in the Promised Land. In other words, the Israelites look back so that they can plan for the future.

This month of Elul is a time when we are especially encouraged to reflect on our past so that we can make plans for our future. Usually we think of this time of introspection as an individual activity. This year, I invite you to expand the scope of your reflections beyond yourself and your interpersonal relationships to include your relationship with the Temple Emanu-El community. I offer the following questions as prompts to help you think about your past experiences with this congregation and begin to set intentions for how you would like to be involved with Temple Emanu-El in the coming year.

- What brought you to Temple Emanu-El initially?
- What has changed for you since your first experiences in the congregation?
- What congregational activities and events have been meaningful for you or others in your household? What made those experiences meaningful?
- When have you felt most connected to other members of the Temple Emanu-El community?
- Which traditions have you cherished most in your time at Temple Emanu-El?
- What do you wish to see happen within the Temple Emanu-El community? What passions, hobbies, or other interests would you like to share with others?

Over the next month, many things will be “starting up again” at Temple Emanu-El. We will enter the High Holidays on Saturday, September 9, at 8:00 pm with S'lichot services. More information about Rosh HaShanah and Yom Kippur has been shared by email and is available on our [website](#). The first day of religious school is Sunday, September 10, and we will meet at Barker's Farm in North Andover at 10:00 am for apple picking. Many of our committees will be reconvening to make plans for the coming year as well. In case you missed the announcement in my weekly message, the results of the adult learning poll are in! I will be offering a class centered around Rabbi Toba Spitzer's book *God is Here: Reimagining the Divine*. The exact schedule will be finalized soon, so keep an eye on your email and on the website. And of course, we will continue to enjoy the beauty of Shabbat on Saturday mornings each week, and Friday night services will resume on September 1.

I encourage you to be a part of these events. Attending and participating in congregational activities and services helps re-establish and build upon the connections you have with the community, and your presence makes the time together meaningful and sacred. Although we might be surprised to find ourselves at the start of a new year already, we will cross this threshold and find our way through the new landscape together, united in our desire to create a holy community in which we support and care for one another.

May this new year of 5784 be filled with sweetness and the blessings of good health, meaningful learning, and loving friends.

Bivracha, with blessing,  
Rabbi Ashira

### September 2023 Shabbat and Service Schedule *continued*

#### Sunday, September 24

*Erev Yom Kippur*

Candle Lighting 6:20 pm

#### Monday, September 25

*Yom Kippur*

#### Friday, September 29

Candle Lighting 6:11 pm

Sukkot Shabbat Evening Service 7:00 pm

#### Saturday, September 30

*Sukkot I*

Shabbat Morning Service 9:30 am

with Rabbi Ashira using *Sim Shalom*

Weekly Parasha Study 1:00 pm



### Notes from the office—

- Moving? Email change? Please send us your new address.
- The deadline for articles and news for the October bulletin is September 20. Send your information to [office@TempleEmanu-El.org](mailto:office@TempleEmanu-El.org).

## UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS

### SHABBAT EVENING SERVICES



September 1	Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
September 8	Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
September 22	Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
September 29	Sukkot Shabbat Evening Service following Hot Dogs in the Hut (6:00 pm)	7:00 pm

### SHABBAT MORNING SERVICES

SATURDAYS AT 9:30 AM  
HYBRID | IN PERSON AND VIA ZOOM

September 2, led by Rabbi Ashira  
followed by Israel Chavurah

September 9, led by Elisheva Pripas  
followed by weekly parasha study

September 23

September 30, led by Rabbi Ashira  
followed by weekly parasha study

[Click to join via Zoom.](#)

### S'lichot סליחות

SATURDAY  
SEPTEMBER 9  
8:00 PM  
Chapel and Zoom

Members received the Zoom  
registration link via email.

Nonmembers, please contact  
the temple office for the link.



**Memorial Service**  
Sunday, September 10 | 1:00 pm  
Children of Israel Cemetery  
Middle Road, Haverhill



### Choir Rehearsals



September 12 & 19 | 7:00 pm  
September 24 | 5:00 pm  
September 25 | 10:00 am

### Upcoming Temple Meetings

Religious Practices Committee  
September 6 @ 7:30 pm

Executive Committee  
September 13 @ 7:00 pm



## MINDY'S MUSINGS



Dear Friends,

I hope this finds you well rested after a long summer. We are so excited that school is about to begin, and we cannot wait to see you. I wish you all a shana tova and happy healthy new year to come.

### **Welcome Rabbi Ashira!**

Firstly, let me offer a hearty welcome to Rabbi Ashira Stevens, my new colleague and friend, who arrived at Temple Emanu-El over the summer. Rabbi Ashira comes to us with an incredibly warm heart and soul with lots of background in Jewish education and Jewish institutions—before even stepping foot out of seminary. We have had many opportunities to collaborate and get to know each other, and I couldn't be more delighted to have her leadership for this coming year. Rabbi Ashira will be serving as our T'fillah leader on Sunday mornings and will continue in a leadership role with our Torah Together family education program. She will also occasionally spend some time with our high schoolers as part of their Sunday school curriculum.

### **Welcome New Faculty!**

I want to take this opportunity to introduce you to our new religious school faculty and share some exciting new ideas that we've put in place for this coming year.

In addition to our Gan (pre-K through second grade) and elementary school Hebrew and Judaica courses, we will be offering a high school class, Jews in Film and Television, taught by Karen Godek. This new curriculum should be a fun way to engage with film and television as a means of conveying messages and portrayals of the Jewish experience, and we hope our kids become film critics and independent consumers of the moving picture as they consider issues of Jewish identity. In addition, we have added a new rotating chug, elective, program on Sunday mornings for all our pre-K through elementary-aged grades. The kids will have the wonderful opportunity to enjoy music and songleading taught by Amy Moldoff; Israeli dance taught by Gwen Larsen; and games and sports taught by Morry Korinow. We hope this provides an enriching experience for our students, and we couldn't be more delighted to welcome aboard our new faculty. Here's a little more background on our new staff:

#### *Karen Godek, High School Teacher*

Karen Godek has been a member of Temple Emanu-El for four years. She is the chairperson of the antiracism committee and an active member of the social action and adult education committees and enjoys participating in book club. Karen celebrated as an adult b'nei mitzvah as part of the adult cohort in June 2022. Karen has taught early education all the way up through community college.

#### *Amy Moldoff, Music Teacher*

A long-time member of Temple Emanu-El, Amy Moldoff taught both music and TAPT for fifteen years when her (now grown) children were in religious school. She is a vocalist and pianist who received a bachelor's in music

education from UNH and a master's degree in integrating arts in education from Lesley University. She recently retired from teaching elementary music education after three years in Manchester and thirty-six years in Salem, New Hampshire, where she lives with her husband, Ross. She welcomes the opportunity to return to teaching at the temple and sharing her love for music and songs with your children.

#### *Gwen Larsen, Israeli Dancing*

Gwen Larsen has been a member of Temple Emanu-El for a few decades and her daughter, Brianna, is now bringing her toddler to JPlay! and continuing the generational Larsen tradition and commitment to our community. She is delighted to share Israeli dance with our kids and enhance their religious school education.

#### *Morry Korinow, Sports and Games*

The son of our rabbi emeritus (Rabbi Ira) and beloved former family educator Gail Korinow (z'l), Morry Korinow grew up at Temple Emanu-El. He lives in Haverhill with his wife, Alicia, and two children, Gabe and Nadia. Morry also serves as head of the PTO and occasionally pinch hits as our haftarah chanter extraordinaire. Morry is delighted to continue in the Jewish camping tradition of implementing Maccabi games in the gym with our students.

### **Mark your calendars!**

#### **Apple Picking, September 10, at 10:00 am**

Please join the Temple Emanu-El Religious School for apple picking at Barker's Farm (1267 Osgood St, North Andover, Massachusetts). All families should meet at the farm at 10:00 am; one apple-picking bag will be provided per family. This is a wonderful way to prepare for Rosh HaShanah and apple-dipping for a sweet new year.

#### **Hot Dogs in the Hut, September 29, at 6:00 pm**

Join the Temple Emanu-El Religious School in collaboration with PJ Library as we celebrate the holiday of Sukkot with a fun hot dog dinner in the sukkah followed by a family Shabbat service led by Rabbi Ashira. RSVP to Lisa Anthony and let us know if you are able to bring a pareve side dish for our potluck dinner. Please note our Temple Emanu-El [food allergy](#) and [kashrut](#) policies. Dinner is free and open to temple members and PJ Library families. Hosted by the Temple Emanu-El PTO.

Finally, a hearty welcome to Shoshana Dodge who was just inducted as our new religious school chair, taking over from Andi Hannula who has spearheaded the position for the past few years. Shoshana has become an integral part of the Temple Emanu-El educational community and has been the J-Play! coordinator for Temple Emanu-El, and we are delighted to see her in this new role.

I wish all of you a wonderful, healthy, happy holiday season, and I look forward to seeing you at school!

L'shana tova,  
Mindy Harris



## High School Trip to New York City

In June, our high school students took NYC by storm!

Watch a [video compilation of their adventures](#).

## Welcome, Religious School Students and Families!

Religious school begins on **September 10** with apple picking at Barker's Farmstand.

Classes begin on **September 24**.



## Sukkot is almost here!

- **Build the sukkah!** Join us on Sunday, September 24, at 9:00 am to help build the sukkah!
- **Hot Dogs in the Hut!** Friday, September 29, at 6:00 pm. Join Temple Emanu-El Religious School in collaboration with the PJ Library as we celebrate the holiday of Sukkot with a fun hot dog dinner in the sukkah followed by a family Shabbat service. Hosted by the Temple Emanu-El PTO.
- **Attend the Sukkot morning service!** Saturday, September 30, at 9:30 am.
- **Spend time in the sukkah!** We invite all families to come spend time in our sukkah. A lulav and an etrog will be left in the sukkah for your use.
- **Take pictures of your sukkahs!** Send sukkah pictures to [office@TempleEmanu-El.org](mailto:office@TempleEmanu-El.org) by September 20 for a sukkah bulletin showcase.
- **Contribute to the Emmaus food drive!** Bring canned goods to Temple Emanu-El for our annual food drive for Emmaus.



# HIGH HOLIDAYS 5784 ROSH HASHANAH

All events will be hybrid unless otherwise specified below.

## **Saturday, September 9**

**S'lichot Service**  
8:00-9:15 pm

## **Sunday, September 10**

**Cemetery Service**  
1:00 pm  
Children of Israel Cemetery (in person only)

## **Friday, September 15**

**Erev Rosh HaShanah**  
7:00-8:15 pm

## **Saturday, September 16** **Sunday, September 17**

**Shacharit Service**  
9:00-10:30 am

**Yoga, Day 1 only**  
9:00-9:30 am  
Led by Stephanie Beaudett; Starensier Assembly (in person only)

**Family Service, Day 1 only**  
9:00-10:00 am  
For children aged 12 and younger and their families  
Chapel (in person only)

**Torah Service**  
10:45 am-12:15 pm

**Mussaf Service**  
12:30-1:30 pm

**Tashlich, Day 1 only (in person)**  
4:00 pm: Two different Tashlich hike options at Winnekenni Castle  
5:00 pm: Tashlich service at Winnekenni Pond (just off the parking lot)



# HIGH HOLIDAYS 5784 YOM KIPPUR

All events will be hybrid unless otherwise specified below.

## Sunday, September 24

**Kol Nidrei**  
7:00-8:30 pm

## Monday, September 25

**Shacharit Service**  
9:00-10:30 am

**Family Service**  
9:00-10:00 am  
For children aged 12 and younger and their families  
Chapel (in person only)

**Torah Service**  
10:45 am-12:15 pm

**Mussaf Service**  
12:30-1:45 pm  
Including the Avodah and Martyrology services

**Yizkor Service**  
2:00-2:45 pm

**Minchah Service**  
5:30-6:30 pm  
Scott Hannula will lead a discussion about repentance based on the  
Mishneh Torah.

**N'ilah Service**  
6:30-7:30 pm

**Break-the-Fast**  
7:30 pm



## CHESED COMMITTEE / TEMPLE COMMUNITY



As the High Holidays approach, there are so many things that are very sweet to me, and for which I am grateful: being part of this temple community, with all of the beautiful voices and thoughts that are shared on Shabbat mornings; Rabbi Ashira, who has connected so quickly with our congregation; and the many volunteers who deliver

holiday and bereavement packages, the members and religious school parents who have baked, fried, and packaged holiday goodies, and those who participate in two very special programs: Spirited Aging and pickleball.

Our Spirited Aging group has been meeting monthly for almost three years now! If you are interested in forming a second group, please reach out to me. We have many ideas for meeting topics—no need to reinvent the wheel.

Did someone say “pickleball”? It's the latest craze, and we've started a group for beginners (ages 60+)! Don't let being a newbie intimidate you; we'll arrange groups by experience level.

Finally, please let us know if there's interest in forming a men's group—for socializing, fun activities, service, or conversation. We want to hear your ideas!

As we begin another new year, may there be much goodness, friendship, and growth in your lives, and kindness in the world.

L'shana tova,  
Sharyn Russell  
Chesed Committee Chair



Contact Sharyn Russell ([sruss1010@aol.com](mailto:sruss1010@aol.com)) if you're interested in joining this newly formed group of beginners (ages 60+).

# Pickleball

### From the Chesed Committee

- **Kids in college or the military?** Please notify Sharyn Russell ([sruss1010@aol.com](mailto:sruss1010@aol.com)) by September 8 if your child in college or the military should be remembered with a holiday package from the Temple Emanu-El Chesed Committee.
- **The Chesed Committee needs bakers!** Try our [recipe for honey cookies](#) (or use your own!), to include in our High Holiday packages. If you're able to help, please let Sharyn Russell know, and bring your cookies to the temple by Friday, September 8.
- **Mitzvah opportunities for the new year**—help us package goody bags for elders on Sunday, September 10 (contact Sharyn Russell for the location), or deliver the packages when they're ready. Share this opportunity with your kids!



### COMMUNITY NEWS

#### MAZEL TOV

*Karen Godek*, on the marriage of her son Shane Godek to Megan Bruneau

#### TODAH RABBAH

*Everyone who made Rabbi Ashira's first Shabbat at Temple Emanu-El truly delightful*

*Mindy Harris*, for leading Shabbat services

*Wilson-taty Kapanga-Ndjibu and everyone who helped to bring the community together on July 8*

*Joe Epstein*, for stepping up as gabbai and bringing Torah to the community and his haftarah reading

*Paula Breger*, for creating the Tisha b'Av flyer; *Lisa Anthony*, for her administrative support; *Don Kumis*, for his care in setting up and cleaning up; *Makheila*, for adding beauty to the Tisha b'Av service; and *everyone* who made our neighbors feel welcome

*Joy Silvey*, who led us in beautiful services

*Dan Goldberg*, our haftarah chanter, and *Andy Levine*, who brought an amazing chocolate chip cookie cake. We are so grateful to all our Temple Emanu-El volunteers that help out on Shabbat.

Zoom Techs *Shoshana Dodge*, *Sandra Kassin-Deardorff*, *Jenn Lampron*, and *Joy Silvey*

#### CONDOLENCES

*Marty and Shelly Gladstein*, on the death of their mother and mother-in-law, Jean Gladstein

*Jay and Alison Mershon*, on the death of their mother and mother-in-law, Helene Mershon

*Lisa Anthony*, on the death of her brother Leo Anthony



## TEMPLE COMMUNITY

### Temple Committees

Contact [Lisa Anthony](#) or any of the chairs below to join a committee.

Adult Education	Lynn Dreyfuss Martin
Antiracism	Karen Godek
Budget	Judd Nathan
Chesed	Sharyn Russell
Communications	Paula Breger
Dues	Kevin Miller
Fundraising	In need of chair
HaSifriyah (Library)	Paula Breger
House	In need of chair
Investment	Judd Nathan
Membership Outreach	Shelly Gladstein
Music	Rachel Hanson
PTO	Alicia and Morry Korinow
Religious Practices	Sandra Kassin-Deardorff
Religious School	Shoshana Dodge
Renovations	Kevin Miller
Security	In need of chair
Social	Scott Hannula
Social Action	In need of chair
Trusts/Wills/Bequests	In need of chair
Windows to the Future	In need of chair

## Happy Birthday!

Malcolm Beaudett  
Jacob Brindis  
Janet Damelin  
Tylor Dodge  
Paul Elkind  
John Hanson  
Caren Hantman  
Howard Hantman  
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Rachel Hanson	2025
Sandra Kassin-Deardorff	2024
Joy Silvey	2025

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## DONATIONS

### **SAMUEL & SOPHIE FLEET FUND**

*Pamela Manzi Healy*, in loving memory of her mother, Manya Fleet Manzi, on her yahrzeit

### **BRODY FAMILY FUND**

*Pearl Shyavitz*, in loving memory of her grandmother Pearl Gerber on her yahrzeit

### **DR. HAROLD S. COHEN AND FAMILY FUND**

*Ronnie Cohen*, in loving memory of her stepmother, Rebekah "Betty" Markson, on her yahrzeit

### **RABBI ABRAHAM & SONIA JACOBSON FUND**

*Ruth and Marshall Myers*, in loving memory of her aunt Matilda Cohen on her yahrzeit

### **JEWISH CONTINUITY FUND**

*Pam Burrill and Paul*, in appreciation

*Paula Goldstein*, in loving memory of her husband, Arnold Goldstein, on his yahrzeit

*Karen Jacobs*, in honor of her daughter Ilana's engagement to Igor Burdetskiy

*Karen Godek*, in honor of her son Shane Godek's marriage to Megan Bruneau

*Nancy LaFleur*, in honor of Cantor Vera Broekhuysen. Thank you for all you have done for the community and for me as our Temple Emanu-El spiritual leader. Best of luck in your new position as cantor at Congregation Beth El.

*Irwin and Jane Rosenston*, in loving memory of Helen Walman, mother and mother-in-law of Beth and Alan Waldman

### **RICHARD & MIRIAM LEWIS FUND**

*Miriam Lewis Levinson*, in loving memory of her husband Richard Lewis on his yahrzeit

### **DAVIDA & SHELDON MERKER FAMILY FUND**

*Ben Merker*, in loving memory of his grandfather Abraham Merker on his yahrzeit and in loving memory of Helene Mershon

### **BEN & MOLLIE MERSHON FUND**

*Jeffery Mershon*, in loving memory of his father, Herbert Mershon, on his yahrzeit

*Irma Mershon*, in loving memory of her brother-in-law Solomon Mershon on his yahrzeit

*Jay and Alison Mershon*, in loving memory of Edward Wirkman, father of friend Lori Stone

In loving memory of Helen Mershon

*Michael and Debbie Gerstein*

*Irma Mershon*

*Amy and Larry Miller*

*Lori Stone and Gary Hartmann*

*Jules and Judi Rutstein*

### **ABRAHAM & ESTHER ROSEN FUND**

*Shirley Holber*, in loving memory of her mother, Esther T. Rosen, on her yahrzeit

### **LUCILLE AND OSCAR TRAISTER FUND**

*Richard and Kathleen Traister*, in loving memory of his grandfather Benjamin Grad and his uncle Louis Traister on their yahrzeits

### **ALLEN M. TYE FUND**

*Ted Tye*, in loving memory of his grandfather Samuel Tye on his yahrzeit

### **TRUDY ZAKIN FAMILY CONTINUITY FUND**

*Trudy and Mitch Zakin*, in loving memory of his mother, Betty Zakin, on her yahrzeit

### **YAHRZEIT FUND**

*Anne Freedman*, in loving memory of her father, Hyman Klickstein, on his yahrzeit

*Brian Gordon*, in loving memory of his grandmother Mollie Gordon and his aunts Miriam Kessler and Geraldine Gordon Lisker on their yahrzeits

*Judith Cowan*, in loving memory of her mother, Molly Cowan, on her yahrzeit

*Robert Berman*, in loving memory of his mother, Goldie Berman, on her yahrzeit

*Gary Karelis*, in loving memory of his father, Saul J. Karelis, on his yahrzeit

*Linda Levin*, in loving memory of her mother, Mollie A. Mencis, on her yahrzeit

*Connie Mencis*, in loving memory of her mother, Mollie A. Mencis, on her yahrzeit

*Michael Siegal*, in loving memory of his mother, Eva Siegal, on her yahrzeit

*Roberta Glazer*, in loving memory of her mother, Blanche Gretskey, on her yahrzeit

*Marc Klein*, in loving memory of his father, Charles Klein, on his yahrzeit

*Bernice Wolfe*, in loving memory of her devoted companion, Howard A. Boyle, on his yahrzeit

*Jonathan Goldfield*, in loving memory of his father, Morris Goldfield, on his yahrzeit

*Ross and Amy Moldoff*, in loving memory of her grandmother Adele Robbins on her yahrzeit

*Karen Godek*, in loving memory of her grandfather John Goldberg on his yahrzeit

*H. David Reines*, in loving memory of his wife, Gail Sarah Reines, on her yahrzeit

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**Yahrzeit Fund *continued***

*Martin Glick*, in loving memory of his father, Leo Glick, on his yahrzeit

*Brenda Wineapple*, in loving memory of her mother, Helene A. Wineapple, on her yahrzeit

*Thelma Grant Caparell*, in loving memory of her husband Albert Sydney Grant on his yahrzeit

*Patricia Herman*, in loving memory of her husband, William S. Herman, on his yahrzeit

*Jerold Zelinsky*, in loving memory of his mother and father, Edith and Allen Zelinsky, on their yahrzeits.

*Marilyn Winer*, in loving memory of her brother Dr. Robert Miller on his yahrzeit

*Michael and Amy Sherr*, in loving memory of her father, Sumner Donald Hershon, and his mother, Francene Neustadt, on their yahrzeits

*Jane and Irwin Rosenston*, in loving memory of her mother, Minnie Fischer, on her yahrzeit

*Mitch Kroner*, in memory of his beloved mother, Dorothy Kroner, on her yahrzeit

*Pauline Fisher*, in loving memory of her father, Irving Garber, on his yahrzeit

*Carol Shube*, in loving memory of her grandfather William Bendetson on his yahrzeit

*Nellie Goodkin*, in loving memory of her husband, Joseph Goodkin, on his yahrzeit



Please consider donating to our  
High Holy Day fundraiser.  
Donate [online](#),  
or contact the Temple office.  
Thank you!



## Shana Tova!

*The officers, board of directors, and professional staff of Temple Emanu-El wish everyone a happy, healthy, and prosperous new year!*

## REMEMBERING THOSE AT YAHRZEIT

### September 1 & 2 16th of Elul

Frances Berman  
Annie Birenbaum  
Marion Canter  
Rachel Casten  
Lilyan Cummings  
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Esther Friedman  
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Minna Alfred Gordon  
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Barned Baker  
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Rose Koffman  
Lillian Morris  
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### September 15 & 16 1st of Tishrei

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Esther Banner  
Natalie Brenner  
Kaufman Cohen  
Samuel A. Cook  
Mae Espovich  
Joseph Goodman  
Hannah S. Holtz  
Aida Katz  
Harry Kesslen  
Helen Lefkoff  
Nellie Levin  
David Liftman  
Milton Lincoln  
Samuel Milhendler  
Goldie Paul  
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Hyman Segal  
Doris Sulman  
Lena Greenberg Zelinsky

### September 22 & 23 8th of Tishrei

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Rebecca Klinetsky  
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Louis I Mencis  
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Lorraine Shapiro  
Fannie Shapiro  
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Aleck Stein  
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George Strome  
Hilda Zelig

### September 29 & 30 15th of Tishrei

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Barbara Berkovich  
Nathan Fishman  
Bruce Gordon  
Jordan Hollander  
Rebecca Jacobowitz  
Lillian Klickstein  
Burton Krinsky  
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Ethel Lisker  
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or

Lisa ([office@TempleEmanu-El.org](mailto:office@TempleEmanu-El.org)).

Thank you!

## ★ TEMPLE EMANU-EL ★

### Honor Your Father and Your Mother

It is a widely observed Jewish tradition to commemorate the passing of a loved one by memorializing those that have departed with a yahrzeit plaque on a dedicated memorial wall.

At Temple Emanu-El, these plaques are lit on the yahrzeit, or anniversary of death, and for Yizkor services.

Plaques are inscribed with the name of the deceased in both English and Hebrew as well as the date of the person's death. They are available to view whenever the sanctuary is open.

The one-time cost of the plaque is \$300. To purchase a plaque in honor of a departed loved one, [order online](#) or contact Lisa or Rabbi Stevens at 978.373.3861.

## COMMUNITY

*We are a welcoming, diverse, Reform, sacred community committed to embracing and implementing the principles of tikkun olam.*

*Through prayer, study, and social interactions, we honor and share our Judaic values across all generations.*



### Sacred Hearts Food Pantry 13 Carleton Avenue, Bradford

Drop off  
Monday–Friday (8:00–11:00 am)

Pick up for Haverhill residents in need  
Monday, Wednesday, and Friday (8:00–11:00 am)

Sacred Hearts Parish Food Pantry serves 1,000–1,200 families each week. Many families in our area are now out of work and facing financial crisis. The Sacred Hearts Food Pantry gives a helping hand to those in need.



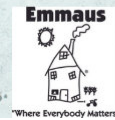
Please consider donating nonperishable food items.

### Cook for Mitch's Place It's a Mitzvah!

For many years, Temple Emanu-El members have prepared meals for Mitch's Place, an overnight shelter for men which is part of the Emmaus network in downtown Haverhill.

If you are interested in participating in this mitzvah, please contact Lisa Herzl at [lherzl@gmail.com](mailto:lherzl@gmail.com).

Please do not drop meals off at Mitch's Place without first contacting Lisa.



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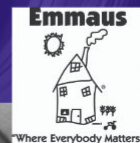
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Emmaus provides emergency shelter and develops affordable housing in the Lower Merrimack Valley to help families and individuals facing homelessness rebuild their lives.

Visit [Emmaus' website](http://Emmaus.org) to learn more and get involved.



# September

September 1	Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
September 2	Shabbat Morning Service	9:30 am
	Israel Chavurah	noon
September 6	Religious Practices Committee Meeting	7:30 pm
September 8	Rosh HaShanah Baked Goods Drop-Off	
	Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
September 9	Shabbat Morning Service	9:30 am
	Weekly Parashah Study	1:00 pm
	S'lichot Service	8:00 pm
September 10	Religious School Apple Picking @ Barker's Farm	10:00 am
	Chesed Packaging (call for location)	11:30 am
	Cemetery Service	1:00 pm
September 12	Choir Rehearsal	7:00 pm
September 13	Executive Committee Meeting	7:00 pm
September 15	Erev Rosh HaShanah	7:00 pm
September 16	Rosh HaShanah Day One	see page 6
September 17	Rosh HaShanah Day Two	see page 6
September 19	Choir Rehearsal	7:00 pm
September 22	Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
September 23	Shabbat Morning Service	9:30 am
September 24	Religious School	9:00 am
	Sukkah Building	9:00 am
	Choir Rehearsal	5:00 pm
	Kol Nidrei	7:00 pm
September 25	Yom Kippur	see page 7
	Choir Rehearsal	10:00 am
September 29	Hot Dogs in the Hut	6:00 pm
	Sukkot Shabbat Evening Service	7:00 pm
September 30	Sukkot Shabbat Morning Service	9:30 am
	Weekly Parashah Study	1:00 pm







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