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From Rabbi Mark Joel Mahler

LASTS FIRST

August 4*

Pre-Oneg—**5:45 pm**

Shabbat Service—**6:30 pm**

August 5

Torah Study—**9:00 am**

Va'ethanan, Deuteronomy 3:23-7:11

Shabbat Morning Service—**10:30 am**

Charles Patrick Sweet, Bar Mitzvah

Sunday, August 6

Morning Minyan—**9:30 am**

August 11*

Pre-Oneg—**5:45 pm**

Shabbat Service—**6:30 pm**

August 12

Torah Study—**9:00 am**

Ekev, Deuteronomy 7:12-11:25

Shabbat Morning Service—**10:30 am**

Sunday, August 13

Morning Minyan—**9:30 am**

August 18*

Pre-Oneg—**5:45 pm**

Shabbat Service—**6:30 pm**

August 19

Torah Study—**9:00 am**

Re'eh, Deuteronomy 11:26-16:17

Shabbat Morning Service—**10:30 am**

Sunday, August 20

Morning Minyan—**9:30 am**

August 25*

Pre-Oneg—**5:45 pm**

Shabbat Service—**6:30 pm**

August 26

Torah Study—**9:00 am**

Shofetim, Deuteronomy 16:18-21:19

Shabbat Morning Service—**10:30 am**

Sunday, August 27

Morning Minyan—**9:30 am**

***SHABBAT SERVICES in the Outdoor
Summer Sanctuary (weather permitting)**

In the days leading up to my departure for Israel, it occurred to me that as I walk out the door of Temple to leave on June 25, things will be very different when I walk back into Temple on July 25, different because I would then begin our "Year of Lasts." What do I mean by this expression?

When I announced my retirement last December, June 30, 2018 seemed so distant. But now that August is here, that date looms just over the horizon. In between now and then is our "Year of Lasts."

Here are but some of those many "Lasts"

- Officiating at Temple Emanuel bar or bat mitzvah services starting in August and then all the way to next June when I officiate at my very last Temple Bat Mitzvah with Maya Layzerovitch. Concomitantly, my last meetings with our b'nei mitzvah parents and kids.
- Officiating at our High Holy Days, festival services for Sukkot and Passover, Yizkors and second night Temple Seder, Chanukah and Purim, Shavuot and Confirmation.
- Teaching my last Confirmation students. Over my many years at Temple, I've said to our b'nei mitzvah kids, "I look forward to having you as my student for the whole year in Confirmation." I stopped saying that when I knew that the class of 2018/5778 would be my last Confirmation. Truth be told, I partially weighed and delayed my decision when to retire based on the students I anticipated would be in the coming year's Confirmation class (not that the classes thereafter are less in any form or fashion).
- More lasts: leading Temple Shabbat services and Torah Study, holiday programs with families, Torah Center kids and ECDC little kids, scheduling scholars for Torah Weekend and Sajowitz Fund and Diskin Fund musicians.
- Still more lasts: working with our Temple Board, committees and professional staff, facilitating Temple's diverse social, social action, cultural and educational programs.
- And perhaps still more: weddings and funerals, Shiva Minyans and hospital visits, offering the best of my heart, experience and wisdom, sharing laughter and tears.
- This month, our "Year of Lasts" begins with Charlie Sweet becoming a Bar Mitzvah. What a poetic way to begin this "Year of Lasts," holding forth the promise that every "Last" in this "Year of Lasts" will be sweet.

All in all, this "Year of Lasts" will be, in so many ways, our last opportunity to give my best to see your best.

Then when our "Year of Lasts" ends, my year of retirement "Firsts" will begin. But now begins this rare time when "Lasts" come before "Firsts."

From Rabbi Jessica Locketz, Educator

Focus on: The B'nei Mitzvah Club

Even though summer is not yet over (let's not rush things!) we are busy here at Temple preparing for those first days of classes and beyond. It's hard not to get excited about the year ahead – there are many new things happening that will make your family's time in the Temple Emanuel Torah Center and Education Department even more meaningful and worthwhile. Occasionally throughout the year, in this column, I will focus on a new program or activity, providing a detailed glimpse into the exciting opportunities that await our students and their families.

So....what is the B'nei Mitzvah Club? Only the coolest new way to celebrate becoming a Bar or Bat Mitzvah here at Temple (Rumor has it there may even be T-shirts coming soon). And the word on the street is that parents and students alike are eagerly anticipating its inaugural meeting in September. For those who are not in the know about it, I'm excited to share the plan: read on!

From numerous parent meetings to brainstorming sessions and discussions with members of the Torah Center Advisory Board, the following was created and shared with families to give an overview of the new program: "The B'nei Mitzvah Club at Temple Emanuel is a unique experience that brings together students in 6th and 7th grade to learn, pray, socialize and celebrate with each other. The B'nei Mitzvah Club is the result of ongoing reflection regarding the current Torah Center programming and worship experience for our students and their families, and the desire to improve it. Designed to create a cohort community, the newly structured program will provide opportunities to build and sustain relationships during the B'nei Mitzvah year and beyond." Sound cool? I think so!

There are four overarching goals of this initiative:

1. Students will know that they are part of a cohort community whose members learn and celebrate together.
2. Students will understand the significance of becoming a Bar/Bat Mitzvah.
3. Students will master the synagogue skills needed to be full participants in our Temple worship, both as the *shaliach tzibur* (worship leader) and as an attendee at Shabbat services.
4. Students will know the responsibilities inherent with becoming a Bar/Bat Mitzvah and engage in Tikkun Olam (repairing the world) and Mitzvah opportunities.

The two-year curriculum will help us achieve these goals. It will span multiple years – both 6th and 7th grades - and includes five key components: Grade-Level Learning, Combined learning, Shabbat Morning Services/B'nei Mitzvah Celebrations, Tikkun Olam/Mitzvah Projects and

Youth Group Activities/Social Opportunities. Here's a brief description of what each entails:

- 1) **Grade-level Learning:**
At times, students will be in class with only their peers who are in the same grade. **6th grade students** will continue their Hebrew studies...now with a greater flexibility in the scheduling of their weekly two hours of learning. Additionally, they will participate in a number of occasional workshops: Prayer Workshops to explore and discover what prayer and praying means, Public Speaking Workshops to build confidence when preparing to lead the service and speak in front of others, a Mitzvah Project Workshop to teach about *tikkun olam* (repairing the world) and what can be done to make our world a better place, and a Torah Program to see which section of the Torah will be read/chanted during the each student's B'nei Mitzvah Service. **7th Grade Students** will take a class called 'Lessons from the Holocaust' addressing the topic of the *Shoah* (Holocaust) from many perspectives using several different mediums: short lectures with literature, film, and primary sources to encourage discussion and reflection. As part of their learning, students and parents will visit the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington, DC in the spring.
- 2) **Combined Learning:**
In addition to grade level learning, there will be opportunities for students in both grades 6 and 7 to mingle and learn together. Primarily this will happen during the Sunday morning '6/7 *Mifgash* (Encounter)' focusing on making Jewish texts and rituals relevant to our (pre)teens. Additional times to be together will occur on Shabbat mornings – see below!
- 3) **Shabbat Morning Services/B'nei Mitzvah Celebrations**
Students will attend the B'nei Mitzvah services of their classmates. In addition to celebrating with their peers, attending Shabbat services becomes the practicum to complement the tutorial process. But the highlight of each Shabbat morning will be breakfast followed by an interactive learning activity and services. All students will be invited to the *bima* at the end of the service to join the Bar/Bat Mitzvah in reciting the *Kiddish* (blessing over the wine) and *Motsi* (blessing over the bread).
- 4) **Tikkun Olam/Mitzvah Projects**
Becoming a Bar/Bat Mitzvah is an awesome responsibility that includes the Jewish mandate to do Tikkun olam, to make the world a better place. Each student is asked to do an individual project, to commit to doing a Mitzvah related activity in their commitment. Students will also have the opportunity to participate in projects with their peers, to be part of a group "Mitzvah Corps" that works together to make improvements in the South Hills Community.
- 5) **Youth Group Activities/Social Opportunities**
Throughout the program, students will have ample time

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to develop and sustain friendships. A number of activities and events are in the works to bring students together outside of the traditional religious school classroom. Additionally, each class date includes dedicated break time, complete with a snack and cool environment (the soon-to-be newly decorated Youth Lounge) to just hang out with each other.

I am very excited for the start of the new year and the kick-off of this new way to enhance the B'nei Mitzvah experience here at Temple. Without a doubt, exciting things are in store for our 6th and 7th grade students and their families! But first things first – enjoy the remaining days of summer... and we'll see you in September. *The first event on the calendar is the B'nei Mitzvah Club scheduled for **Saturday, September 9, 2017 at 9 am.** We will meet in the Community Room for breakfast and an awesome morning together!*

First Friday Shabbat Under the Stars! Friday, September 1st Service at Bird Park

Enter via Cedar Blvd., Pgh. PA 15228

Not ready for summer to end? Neither are we! Your campfire-side seat is saved at this "camp-style" Shabbat experience on Friday, September 1st at 5:45 pm at Bird Park.

Bring your picnic dinner, lawn chairs and bug spray. Temple will provide s'mores and an inspirational worship experience.

Dinner—5:45 pm
Services—6:30 pm

Cleaning out your closets and toy chests this summer?

The Torah Center is looking for donations of used Legos for innovative and creative learning activities.

We are also looking for no-longer-needed Judaica items to display in the classrooms and use in our Hebrew Through Movement curriculum. No handmade items, please.

Thank you in advance for supporting the Torah Center and our students! If you have any questions, please contact Rabbi Locketz at jlocketz@templemanuelpgh.org

Thinking about taking a family trip to Israel?

**Join Rabbi Locketz and her family
at their home on
Saturday, September 9th
7:00 pm
For Havdalah, S'mores,
Israel* & More!**

*Come to learn about plans for a potential Temple family trip during Winter Break 2018. Please RSVP to Rabbi Locketz at jlocketz@templemanuelpgh.org to let her know if
a) you might be interested in the trip and
b) you and your family are planning to attend the informational gathering so there will be enough marshmallows and graham crackers for everyone.

Family Hike with Rabbi Locketz

Grab your hiking shoes (or boots) and join Rabbi Jessica Locketz and her family for an exhilarating Shabbat afternoon hike through Boyce Mayview Park! Don't miss this chance to stretch your legs and clear your mind – there's nothing like a bit of fresh air and a nice hike! Bring sturdy footwear, plenty of water and snacks for the trail, and be a part of the fun.

When: Saturday, August 26th, 3:00 pm

Trail length: We'll hike for an hour or so at an easy pace.

Starting Point/Directions: We will be meeting at the Outdoor Classroom at Boyce Mayview Park, accessible from the USC Recreation Center Parking Lot. Enter the complex and head left (away from the pool and sports fields). Park near the Pavilion located off of the back left side of the parking lot.

Hike Info: This is a Family-friendly hike - Bring the Kids! Serious hikers and casual strollers alike are encouraged to attend.

Questions: Contact Rabbi Locketz at 412.279.7600 or jlocketz@templemanuelpgh.org

From David Weisberg

President's Message



The following is my speech from this year's Annual Meeting on June 4, 2017:

Connection, Community, Celebration. These three "C"s - these are the words that best summarize my first year as President and frankly will help outline what lies ahead for this upcoming year.

Connection, Community, Celebration.

Don't tell your audience the "what," tell them the "why." That was a line told to me once as I was preparing to make a presentation. I was told don't be a reporter, be an analyst. I was considering listing the laundry list of accomplishments that we as a congregation had over the past year. And they have been numerous.

I would recommend you reading tonight's program for a detailed listing of what we've done.

But before you jump into the program, I'd like to thank Rabbi Mahler and Rabbi Locketz for everything they have done this year. Thank you Leslie Hoffman, Iris Harian and our staff for all of your efforts to keep this place running.

Finally, I'd like to thank our Board of Trustees. Our Vice Presidents Michelle Markowitz, David Rullo, Renee Tatro and Jeff Young, Our Co-Treasurers Lee Golomb and Jason Green, Financial Secretaries Keith Abrams and Helaine Labovitz, Secretary Mary Cothran, Board members Artie Baran, Marci Barnes, Mitch Bober, Adam Brufsky, Nate Eisenger, Sara Frey, Max Louik, Ron Richards, Jo Schuman, Beth Schwartz, Lisa Steinfeld, Barb Udren, Jeff Weiner and of course, our Immediate Past President Dan Rothschild.

So back to the list of accomplishments. Everything I will be mentioning is in addition to the regular events that occur on a weekly, monthly and yearly basis here at Temple. I wanted to highlight these items that are new to Temple this last year. And I will frame them in three words that I told you how I would outline my comments - Connections, Community and Celebration. The "why."

Connections. You may recall that has been my theme. The word "Connections" is at the bottom of our Board Agenda every month. It should be the driving force on why we as a Board and as a congregation are here. We all have a link to Temple, to each other to our community. And if you look at our Temple Directory for this past year "Connection" is on the cover. Yes, our directory is a list of names, addresses, email addresses and phone numbers. But it is more than that. I wrote a blog at the beginning of the year outlining how Temple is like an iPhone, a vessel used to make connections to each other and to Judaism.

You may recall from my high holidays speech that I said that each of you, each "one" of you is important. Not just those in the room now but also those of us who are members who are not in the room tonight. It's about creating those connections where we as a Board and a congregation continue to strive this year. Some ways we've made those **connections** this year:

We established the **Men of Temple Emanuel** (MoTE) group this year, formerly known as Brotherhood. It drew in Temple men to build the Sukkah in front of Temple. MoTE also hosted social events including breakfasts, dinners and even a marquee Super Bowl event that is on the schedule again for next year.

We started a new monthly program called **South Hills Coffee Connections** assisted by South Hills Jewish Pittsburgh where monthly, morning coffee meetings connect Temple members, Beth El members and unaffiliated.

These were great starting points for people to make connections to Temple and to each other.

When **Connections** are made, then **Community** follows.

Some of the highlights for our **Community** this year brought together Temple members with each other as well as with Beth El members and other members of the greater Jewish and South Hills community at large. The front of the program that you received when you walked in tonight is marked with "Community." It is our "State of the Union" and lists our accomplishments as a congregation. Some of the highlights of how we built community this past year include:

Taschlich & Tacos - this innovative program was a spectacular way to kick off our year building community on Rosh Hashanah. We had a beautiful lake-side Taschlich service at Canonsburg Lake then followed with a delicious meal at Mad Mex overlooking the water. It was a great way to engage our members as well as prospective members to build and grow both our Temple community and the South Hills Jewish community at large.

We planted a beautiful **garden to assist SHIM** in feeding those who go hungry in our community

Our **Torah Weekend** was changed to November this year with Rabbi Sizomu as the featured speaker. Once again we partnered with Beth El & JCC to have a full weekend of Rabbi Sizomu speaking here at Temple, Beth El, the JCC then finally to both Beth El's and our Torah Center students Sunday morning. His story of the Abayudaya Jewish community in Uganda was intriguing and bridged our community to his.

The **Sajowitz Endowment Fund Weekend** was tweaked with a different type of performance with the fun, humorous and entertaining Bible Players. Two different shows - one

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PG-13 for a grown-up Saturday evening and a sanitized one, albeit still funny, for the kids at Torah Center Sunday morning.

Temple co-sponsored two programs this Spring with the Jewish Federation and the Anti-Defamation League. The purpose was to give our parents and children education and tools in dealing with anti-Semitic words and actions that unfortunately still exist in our schools.

In addition, Temple co-sponsored a march in Mt Lebanon to stand up for injustices against the Jewish community and others.

So we've covered two – Connections and Community. Does anyone remember the third "C"? Of course – Celebration.

Temple Emanuel has a big two to three years ahead of us. But let's just take them one year at a time. This next year is one of Celebration. We will be applauding Temple Emanuel, Rabbi Mahler and his commitment and love of our congregation. We will be commemorating his 38 years of service to us one year from now.

Please mark your calendars – the celebration gala is Sunday June 3, 2018. And it will be a fabulous event.

As part of these festivities, it just began in May with us honoring and celebrating Rabbi Locketz's 13 years with us. Thank you Rabbi Locketz and Mazel Tov. We look forward to many more great years ahead.

Other great celebrations on this upcoming year's agenda include an amplified Labor Day picnic, a fabulous and slightly different Torah Weekend in November, a Diskin Music Fund performance and a Sajowitz Endowment Fund speaker in the Spring who will draw interest from across the community.

These, plus other items, are in the works to help celebrate both Rabbi Mahler and Alice. We will be thanking them for all they have done and how they have made a true impact in the lives of thousands in our congregation and our greater community through the years. Please stay tuned for opportunities to get involved and volunteer.

Fast forward one year from today and we will be celebrating Rabbi Mahler and his contribution to us and our synagogue. Not now, but in a year from now, I'm sure Rabbi Mahler will be looking forward to his transition to his role during retirement as Rabbi Emeritus.

Our Interim Rabbi will be days away from starting with us July 1, 2018 and our Rabbi Search Committee will be beginning the process for our next Rabbi who will begin approximately 24 months from now on July 1, 2019.

Yes we have a lot in front of us.

But it all comes down to the three "C"s. Connection, Community, Celebration. All three of these words will guide us through this transition as we take next steps as a congregation.

Thank you all for joining us this evening and congratulations to our 2017 award winners this year.

Mazel Tov. Thank you.

Volunteer of the Year Award — Ben Handen —

Synagogues in and around the Pittsburgh area will be honoring a volunteer from their individual congregations at the Jewish Federation Annual Meeting. Temple Emanuel is pleased to announce that **Ben Handen** is our nominee for the Jewish Federation of Pittsburgh's Volunteer of the Year. Ben received Temple's Manny Award in 2010 and continues to chair our Directory ad sales campaign, bringing in more than \$15,000 annually.

Please show your support for Ben and all the other nominees by attending the

**Jewish Federation of Greater Pittsburgh's
Annual Meeting with Dessert Reception
Thursday, August 31, 2017 @ 7:00 p.m.
Jewish Community Center-Levinson Hall - Squirrel Hill**

Register: <https://jfedpgh.org/annual-meeting>
Questions? Contact Toni Murray, 412-992-5251 or
tmurray@jfedpgh.org

Security at Temple

As part of our ongoing efforts to strengthen our security procedures at Temple Emanuel, the Board of Trustees approved the formation of a Security Task Force. This task force will be reviewing, making recommendations and implementing changes to our security procedures as necessary during the coming months, with our initial focus being on the upcoming High Holy Days. If you have an interest in participating in this effort please contact Leslie Hoffman (lhoffman@templeemanuelpgh.org) or Renee Tatro (remata99@gmail.com).

TORAH STUDY

Saturdays — 9:00 — 10:30 am

Our Shabbat morning Torah Study focuses on the weekly Torah portion. The session is built on the reading and translation of various passages from the Torah portion, traditional commentary and group discussion. No background in Hebrew or the Bible is necessary, only an interest in exploring the text.

HIGH HOLY DAY PASS INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS AND THEIR GUESTS

Erev Rosh HaShana, September 20, 2017 — Kol Nidre, September 29, 2017

TEMPLE MEMBERS

- Temple members will be receiving two (2) passes and High Holy Day information shortly in the mail. Dependent children do not require passes (24 years of age and under).

COLLEGE STUDENTS AND SERVICE PERSONNEL

- Passes will be issued at no charge. (Please complete the Pass Request Form below.)

RELATIVES AND GUESTS OF MEMBERS

- **Affiliated**
To obtain passes for guests who are affiliated members in good standing with another congregation, please bring, email or mail to the Temple Office (at least 10 days before the High Holy Days) a document from their Temple indicating good standing and there will be no charge for passes.
- **Unaffiliated** (Please complete the Pass Request Form below.)

Out-of-town guests (living outside of area codes 412, 724 & 878)
\$100 per High Holy Day, per person

In-Town Guests (living in area codes 412, 724 & 878)
\$250 per High Holy Day, per person

PASS REQUEST FORM MUST BE MADE IN WRITING OR IN PERSON.

PASS REQUEST FORM

Return this form to the Temple Office **no later than** Thursday, September 11, 2017 if you want us to mail your passes. Passes can be picked up until 2:30 pm, Tuesday, September 19, 2017.

Member Requesting Pass(es): _____

Address to Mail Passes: _____

Name and Address of Person(s) Unaffiliated

Out of Town Guest (living outside of areas with area codes 412, 724 & 878) \$100 per Holy Day:

In Town Guest (living in areas with area codes 412, 724 & 878) \$250 per Holy Day:

Enclosed check made payable to Temple Emanuel, Pass Request for \$ _____

If mailing, send to: Temple Emanuel, Pass Request, 1250 Bower Hill Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15243

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE FOR THE NEW YEAR (5778)

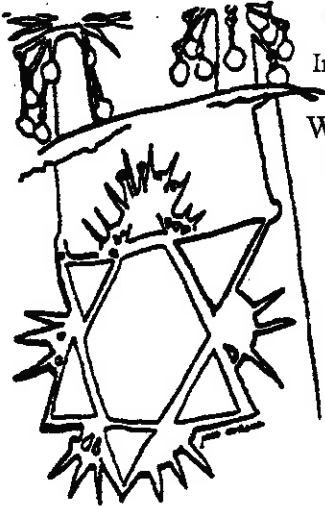
“To live in hearts we leave behind is truly not to die.”

Inscription of the Weiner-Tumpson memorial sculpture standing on Temple’s front plaza

We invite you to participate in a meaningful way of remembering your departed loved ones. Once again we will be printing the Book of Remembrance to be used in 5778 for Yizkor services on Yom Kippur, concluding Sukkot, Passover and Shavuot.

Join with the many families of Temple Emanuel by participating. Submit the bottom portion of this form together with your check:

Payable to: Temple Emanuel
Note on memo line: Book of Remembrance
Send to: Temple Emanuel
1250 Bower Hill Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15243



In order for us to prepare this information in a timely manner before the Holy Days, we must have your information to Temple *no later than Friday, September 1, 2017.*

Book of Remembrance

You may list as many names as you want. The suggested minimum donation is \$36. We encourage additional donations for each loved one. *If death has occurred since last Rosh HaShana, indicate this information with an asterisk** (please print)

Example(s):

In memory of:
Joe Smith

Remembered by:
Ann Smith



In memory of:
Ruth & Joe Smith

Remembered by:
Ann Smith

Names to be remembered (print):

Remembered by (print):

Enclosed is my donation in the amount of

\$36___ \$54___ \$72___ \$108___ \$180___ \$216___ \$360___ \$540___

Your donation remembers those you love throughout the year while providing much appreciated financial support for our Temple.

DUE BY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2017

SELICHOT

Beth El Congregation and Temple Emanuel of South Hills will join together to celebrate the lovely service of Selichot, the late evening service recited on the Saturday night before Rosh HaShana. The word Selicha means forgiveness, and Selichot begins the penitential season which starts before Rosh HaShana and concludes with Yom Kippur. Many of the prayers recited help prepare the worshipper for the coming season of reverence and set the mood for self-appraisal. Repentance is a process through which a person seeks forgiveness and then commits oneself to returning to Torah and its commandments.

Saturday Evening, September 16, 2017
Beth El Congregation
1900 Cochran Rd, Pittsburgh, PA 15220

Beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Musical Service and Reception

Back by popular demand
Thursday, September 21st

TASHLICH and TACOS

4:30PM.



Join us at Canonsburg Lake
 (just off Rt. 19 South at
 McDowell Lane for Tashlich.
 We'll sing songs and recite the

Tashlich prayers as we symbolically cast our sins into the water (with bread crumbs), leave our old shortcomings behind, and start the New Year with a clean slate. After the service we'll gather at Mad Mex Lakeside to socialize and enjoy delicious appetizers.



Thank you to Women of Temple Emanuel (WTE) and Men of Temple Emanuel (MOTE) for co-sponsoring this event.

Please RSVP to 412.279.7600 or
templemanuel@templemanuelpgh.org or
www.templemanuelpgh.org/event/tashlich-tacos/

HIGH HOLY DAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

Sept. 16	Selichot	
(Saturday)	Reception, Service & Program at Beth El Congregation	7:00 p.m.
Sept. 17	Cemetery Service	
(Sunday)	Temple Emanuel Section Mt. Lebanon Cemetery	11:00 a.m.
Sept. 20	Erev Rosh HaShana	
(Wednesday)	Sanctuary Service	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 21	Rosh HaShana	
(Thursday)	First Service (Sanctuary)	9:00 a.m.
	Preschool Program (ages 2 to 5)	9:00 a.m.
	K-5 th Grade Program	9:00 a.m.
	Second Service (Sanctuary)	11:45 a.m.
	Teen Service Grade 7-12 (Beit HaT'fila)	11:45 a.m.
	Family Service (Beit HaT'fila)	2:45 p.m.
	Tashlich at Mad Max Lakeside	4:30 p.m.
	200 N Lakeside Drive, McMurray 15317	
Sept. 29	Kol Nidre	
(Friday)	Family Service (Beit HaT'fila)	6:15 p.m.
	Traditional Sanctuary Service	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 30	Yom Kippur	
(Saturday)	First Service (Sanctuary)	9:00 a.m.
	Preschool Program (ages 2 to 5)	9:00 a.m.
	K-5 th Grade Program	9:00 a.m.
	Second Service (Sanctuary)	11:45 a.m.
	Teen Service Grade 7-12 (Beit HaT'fila)	11:45 a.m.
	Family Service (Beit HaT'fila)	2:30 p.m.
	Afternoon Service (Sanctuary)	3:30 p.m.
	Including Yizkor Memorial and Neilah Service	

Members are welcome to stay in the building for personal meditation throughout the day.

Please bring your pass with you for Rosh HaShana and Yom Kippur Services.

**Pre-registration is required for
 PRESCHOOL PROGRAMMING and
 BABYSITTING on or before
 Friday, September 15th**

*Registration forms will be in the
 September Bulletin or on our web site.*

For more information call the Temple office, 412.279.7600
 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. - Monday through Thursday
 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. - Friday
 or visit our Web site at www.templemanuelpgh.org.



**Labor Day
Picnic**

Monday, September 4th

4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

Temple Emanuel of South Hills

As we begin Rabbi Mahler's "Year of Lasts," we'll kick off the year with our best ever, fun filled, Labor Day Picnic.

Bring your friends and family—No charge

There will be LIVE MUSIC,
THE TRACKLESS TRAIN, NEW LAWN GAMES
50/50 Raffle and more.

Just bring one non-dairy vegetarian side dish to share
(include list of ingredients for those with allergies)
Temple supplies the hot dogs, burgers and soft drinks.

RSVP by August 30th to templemanuel@templeemanuelpgh.org or
<http://www.templeemanuelpgh.org/event/ld2017>
or 412.279.7600 with the number attending and
what you will be bringing.

Your new 2017-2018 Directory will be available for pick-up.



TEMPLE FAMILY Menschenings

MAZAL TOV מזל טוב

Births:

- **Chana Moriah Udren** born May 15, granddaughter of **Barb & Eric Udren**.
- **Dexter Alexander Rush** born May 28, son of **Melissa & Donovan Rush**, grandson of **William** and the late **Darlene Beck & great-grandson of Marilyn & Irvin Beck**.

Marriage:

- Marriage of **Lauren Lillback & Joshua Pollon** on June 24, 2017. Joshua is the son of Dorothy and Neil Pollon.



OUR CONDOLENCES ON THE FOLLOWING BEREAVEMENTS: יהי זכרם ברוך

- **Rose Harms**, mother of Steve Harms (May 25)
- **Phyllis Mottzman**, sister-in-law of Evelyn Mottzman, aunt of Paula Brant (Gary) (June 4)
- **Leonard Young**, uncle of Jeff Young (Laura) (June 15)
- **Lauri Sue Goldberg**, sister of David Weisberg (Rikki Hommel), aunt of Marti & Ozzie Weisberg (June 29)
- **Jeffrey Rosenberg**, brother of Carol Spolter (Robert) (July 15)

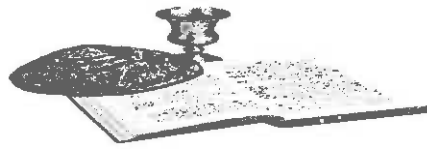


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B'NEI MITZVAH



Charles Patrick Sweet

On Friday, August 4, the Shabbat candles will be kindled by Julie Sweet. The pulpit flowers will be provided by Julie and Jesse Sweet who will share with Temple Emanuel in hosting the Oneg Shabbat in honor of their son, Charlie, becoming a Bar Mitzvah. On Saturday, August 5, please join with the Sweet family as they host the Kiddush following Shabbat morning services.

Charlie, for his mitzvah project, is raising money for the Mario Lemieux Foundation. Specifically he will be donating it to help provide video games and movies to kids staying at Children's Hospital through the Foundation's *Make Room for Kids* program.

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Michelle Markowitz's Home
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Join us for a relaxing,
end-of-summer evening
before the craziness of
fall sets in.

Snacks, drinks, conversation,
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RSVP to Michelle at
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Wedding anniversaries
are a time to celebrate
the joys of today, the
memories of yesterday

and the hopes of tomorrow. Best
wishes to our Temple members who
are celebrating their **anniversary in
August.**

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August 2017 Av/Elul 5777

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
		Tisha B'Av	Worship Team Mtg 7:00 pm		Pre-Oneg - 5:45 pm Shabbat Worship Service 6:30 pm	Torah Study - 9:00 am Shabbat Morning Service & Charles Patrick Sweet, Bar Mitzvah 10:30 am
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Minyan - 9:30 am		Jewish Heritage Night at PNC Park - 7:05 pm			Pre-Oneg - 5:45 pm Shabbat Worship Service 6:30 pm	Torah Study - 9:00 am Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 am
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Minyan - 9:30 am			Board Meeting 7:00 pm David Weisberg's home		Pre-Oneg - 5:45 pm Shabbat Worship Service 6:30 pm	Torah Study - 9:00 am Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 am
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Minyan - 9:30 am			WTE Ladies Night 7:00 pm At Michelle Markowitz's home	Torah Center Family Pool Party at Bower Hill Swim Club 6:00 pm	Pre-Oneg - 5:45 pm Shabbat Worship Service 6:30 pm	Torah Study - 9:00 am Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 am Hiking with Rabbi Locketz 3:00 pm
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
Minyan - 9:30 am	Interim Rabbi Search Committee Mtg. 7:00 pm			Honey from the Heart Fundraiser Deadline Jewish Fed. Annual Mtg. Sq. Hill JCC 7:00 pm	Shabbat in the Park at Bird Park - 5:45 pm	Torah Study - 9:00 am Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 am

From Paula Altschul, Librarian

Pollon Family Library News

Some good library sayings:

"My workout is reading in bed until my arms hurt."

"I love books because with them you can live a thousand different lives."

Two new DVD's in the Library courtesy of two teachers in our Torah Center:

Fill the Void donated by *Stephanie Claypool*. This movie was shown as part of **Movies and Munchies** in January 2015. If you missed it, you have a chance to check it out. If you saw it, you may want to see it again. It's definitely a two thumbs up film!

Nicky's Family donated by *Kathy Ginsburg*. This is a fantastic documentary about a true hero of WWII, Nicholas Winton. He saved many children, never spoke about it, and he only recently died in 2015 at the age of 106!

Some great movies have been chosen for the Movie and Munchies Mondays for the 2017-18 calendar:

Monday, September 25th-**Dough**
 Monday, October 23rd- **Above and Beyond**
 Monday, November 27- **A Bottle in the Gaza Sea**
 Monday, January 22- **Orchestra of Exiles**
 Monday, February 26- **Remember**
 Monday, March 26- **Denial**
 Monday, April 23- **The Yankles**

Further descriptions of the films will appear in future bulletin articles. All movies begin at 1pm and are less than 2 hours. So plan your monthly Mondays accordingly!

In case you were stumped by the Famous Person Word Scramble in the last bulletin; here are the answers: Anne Frank, Albert Einstein, Emma Lazarus, Sandy Koufax, Steven Spielberg, Debbie Friedman and Ruth Bader Ginsburg.

Hope you're having a wonderful summer. Let me know if you are reading a book that the Library should own.

MIRYAM'S PLACE

Even during the warm days of summer, those at Miryam's Place can use our assistance with meals.

If you, your family, your group of friends are interested in volunteering to provide a meal for this worthy cause, please feel free to contact me, Carol Rose, at rosece428@comcast.net or call me at 412-279-2771.

Carol Rose, Chair

Puzzle Fundraiser

This year, as of March, we continued the Puzzle Fundraiser. Your support to "sponsor" pieces of the puzzle helped us raise much needed operating funds as we reach our fiscal year end.

*Our thanks to the Temple members listed below who contributed a piece of the puzzle this year. We also wish to thank all those in Circle 3 and above for their support of all fundraisers.

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 Spitzer, Mindy
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 Zolot, Rita & Stuart

*Donations received between March 1st and June 30, 2017.

From Iris Harlan, ECDC Director



Greater Pittsburgh in recognition of early childhood's critical role in engaging families. Please read the wonderful article by Carolyn Linder, director of early childhood education at the Federation in Pittsburgh for more information about the communal goals project. <http://www.jtsa.edu/growth-in-the-city-of-bridges>

The goals are categorized under a set of three overarching areas of *educational excellence, engagement in Jewish living and learning, and shared leadership*. Based on the goals, each early childhood program undergoes a rather rigorous annual process of assessment and objective-writing for the coming year.

One area of focus for Temple Emanuel ECDC is Goal #7: **The school's philosophies, culture and everyday experiences are based on Jewish ideas and values.**

We could say that our school, as an integral part of Temple Emanuel, is obviously built on Jewish ideas and values. However, reflecting on Jewish ideas and values – as an individual or an organization – requires ongoing study and thought. What are our core values? How do our values apply to everyday life of the school, to choices about holiday celebrations and to policy decision-making? These questions are relevant whether the school population is homogenous or diverse, as in our case where 20% of families are Jewish.

At a staff meeting a few years ago, we participated in an exercise in which each teacher expressed their personal values in relation to working at ECDC. We discovered a great deal of overlap in what we hold dear. Our common values are expressed in these words: Respect, Collaboration and Joy of Learning, which are posted as our fundamental Jewish and universal values.

As we now wrestle with Goal #7, we are required to give the matter more thought. Are these Jewish values, and if so, in what way? How do Jewish sources enhance our understanding?

To take a next step, we have carefully chosen Hebrew words for each value. We are confident that the Hebrew terms will tie our common values to Jewish teachings and will add meaning from which we can learn as a community. Our values appear in our 2017-18 handbook as:

Kovod—Respect of self and others
Kehilah—Collaboration
Simchat Limud—Joy of learning

Thank you to Gabe Goldman, Consultant of the Federation's Pittsburgh Jewish Early Childhood Education Initiative and to Rabbi Jessica Locketz for helping with this first step. In coming months our community of families, children and teachers will continue to identify and define our basic values.

CORE VALUES

Over the past two years, the directors of Jewish early childhood centers in the Pittsburgh area developed a set of 12 communal goals. This effort was supported by the Jewish Federation of

ECDC's New Logo

Temple Emanuel ECDC is proud to launch its new logo in this issue of the Bulletin.

We are grateful to Kim Rullo, Graphic Designer, who spent countless hours developing the logo.

Kim is a member of Temple Emanuel and volunteers her talents as designer of the Temple directory and photographer of many Temple events.

She is a staff member of Rothschild Doyno Collaborative, an architecture and design firm
<https://www.rdcollab.com/people/kim-rullo/>.

Our new logo reflects our guiding values of respect, collaboration and joy of learning.

Thank you Kim for volunteering your time and talent!

BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLY TIME

SHIM's Back to School drive last year was able supply 700 South Hills students with needed items.

This year the CentiMark Corporation made a donation to SHIM of more than 700 new JanSport® backpacks for local students. They need your help to fill them up with school necessities.

Most needed items include: 3-ring binders, pocket folders, colored pencils, combination locks.

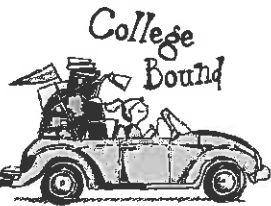
Other needed items include: blue or black ballpoint pens, no. 2 pencils, pencil sharpeners, highlighters and markers, erasers, 3-hole punch, subject dividers, index cards, loose-leaf paper, spiral notebooks, glue, rulers, scissors, crayons.

August 7th is the deadline for donations.

There will be a plastic collection bin in Temple's lower lobby for the donations.

COLLEGE CONNECTION

High School Graduates and College Students attending college or other educational programs - please complete this form with your e-mail and address for the 2017-2018 school year so that we can stay in touch with you.



If you participated during the last school year, you still need to send in this form.

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION:

Family Name _____

Student #1 Name _____

School _____

Mailing Address (as of Sept. 2017) _____

Email _____

Phone Number _____

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School _____

Mailing Address (as of Sept. 2017) _____

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Phone Number _____

Return the completed form to:
Temple Emanuel, 1250 Bower Hill Road,
Pittsburgh, PA 15243
or email this information to
templemanuel@templemanuelpgh.org

Please Be In Touch With Us

We are eager to be in touch with all members of the Temple family whenever there are occasions of joy or sadness in your lives. Please call us as soon as possible, for yourself, a loved one, or for another Temple member, especially when there is a death in the family. We very much want to be there with you at a time of grief, and celebrate with you in times of joy. In an emergency, always feel free to call us at home if the Temple office is closed.

Temple Emanuel is also here as a safe haven in times of crisis and confusion. We will always offer you a listening ear, a caring heart, confidentiality and guidance to the best of our abilities.

Rabbi Mahler and Rabbi Locketz

Knitting & Crocheting Circle of Friends

Meeting on
Sunday, September 10th
10:00 am – noon

Meeting outside of
Anthropologie at the Galleria.
All are welcome to participate
in this Circle of Friends.

Welcome back after a relaxing
summer. Now we are beginning our
Fall Challenge once again.

Please consider knitting or crocheting scarfs, hats, mittens or socks for the cold weather approaching. As usual, these items will be donated.

All new knitted or crocheted fall items will be accepted from October 1st through December 1st. Please place your completed item/s in a clear plastic Ziplock bag with a drop off point in the community room at Temple.

Thank you as always for your generosity, time and talent.

Come and Get It!



The new Temple Directory will be distributed at the Labor Day Picnic. This Directory will have members' addresses, phone numbers and emails. Along with that comes the New Year Greetings from our member families. It also includes a section with information about the Board and the staff, upcoming dates to remember, and the sponsors that we appreciate who makes this handout possible.

If you are unable to pick one up at our Labor Day Picnic, please stop in Temple's office to get your Directory during business hours



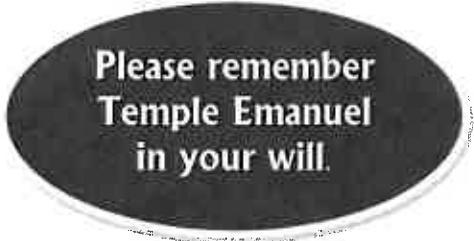
HONORING THEIR MEMORY
Families of the Following Loved Ones Will Honor Their Memories and Mark the Occasion of Their Family

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August 11/12 Eunice Barnes, Harry M. Karp, Emma Wolf Loeb, Sheldon Sax, Paul Unatin, Sidney Amdur, Arnold Faber, Albert Fine, Bessie Goodman, Martin Marcovitz, Edith Shapiro, Arthur Friedman, Milton Gordon, Ivan Landman, Minnie Miller, Rae Rosenthal, Mayme Roth, Elaine Tropp, Clara Udren, Ken Winograd, Geraldine Berger, Harry M. Blockstein, Paul Green, Barbara Grice, Ruth Daniels Muehl, Sara Myers, Milton Slavkin, Al Dresner, Celia Grupp, Bertha Hirschfield, Victoria Levitt, Bernie Roth, Frieda Ruth Schwartz, Lily Shear, Mildred Lupovitz, Edna Perlstein, Jerome Baskin, David Berman, Rita Freed, Shirley Greenberg, Mae Kaufman, Gerd Leston, Samuel Salut

August 18/19 Harriet Berk, Jacob Budin, Ann Gold Cooper, Julius Field, Herbert J. Friedman, Samuel Kindler, Andrea Koteen, Isadore Abrams, Gertrude Heeter, Lena Erenrich, Ruth Ptacek, Sue Tatich, Harry Hoffman, Otto D. Kent, Mark Levin, Henry Lightman, Bernice Moskowitz, Mary Plung, Sarah Amster, Ruth Brufsky, Peter Cooper, Maxine Hoffman, Richard Hutchinson, Bernard M. Levin, Ruth A. Mates, Esther Rosin, Abe Leonard Trachtenberg, Ida London Berke, Ruth Erenrich, Rose Breman Grass, Phillip Nesvisky, Pearl Seltzer, R. Patricia Spector, Gloria Weiss, Alan "Bud" Yorkin, Dorothy Kopelman Cohn, Charlotte B. Cooper, Gloria Fine, Grace Fivars, Herbert M. Kohn, Aaron Natbony, Samuel Routman, Harry Whiser

August 25/26 Harry Cooper, Sandy Dickinson, Lillian Hochman, Fannie Katz, Josef Kiss, Ruth G. Polak, Diana Stern, Meyer Goldblum, Harold Wintner, Janice Burdick, Jeanette Herman, Phyllis Kindler, Joseph Moidel, Carol Rothaus, Sidney Saul, Abe Shore, Leonard Levick, Anna (Sis) Samowich, Benjamin Frank, Marc A. Goldberg, Louise Koppia, Elyeh Khalili, Rose Linder, Edward Pearlstein, Morris Pollon, Barbara Taback, Roslyn Weiss, Doris L. Clateman, Charna Fabricant, Rose Friedman, Elizabeth Goldstein, Mildred Press, Jean Schechter



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To fund & bring to completion the renovation & expansion project.

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Melinda Freed receiving the Unsung Jewish Hero Award

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Provides an annual college freshman grant to a deserving student(s) who are a Temple member & whose accomplishments & character merit this award.

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Supports the planting & upkeep of the garden behind Temple.

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Janet & Jerry Cooper's 50th anniversary

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Milton Wolf receiving the "Manny Award"

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IN HONOR

Eli Green becoming a Bar Mitzvah
Birth of Chana Moriah:
Udren, granddaughter
of Barb & Eric Udren

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Melinda Freed receiving the Unsung Jewish Hero Award

Rabbi Jessica Locketz
Marriage of Lauren &
Joshua Pollon

IN MEMORY

Jeanne Glasspool

#9 MURRAY GOLD LIBRARY FUND

Purchases books, supplies and equipment for the Library. To purchase a book, the minimum donation is \$36).

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IN MEMORY

Our "special aunts,"
Norma & Sylvia
Rose Harms

IN HONOR

Melinda Freed receiving the "Unsung Hero" Award
Marriage of Emmeline
Atschul to Brian Korn

#17 HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL GARDEN

Supports the planting & upkeep of the garden in the courtyard area remembering the six million Jews lost during World War II and those who survived.

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Judi Ruddy's special birthday

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Rabbi Locketz's 13 years at Temple
Donation
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Baby naming of
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El! Marshall Green
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Marriage of Lillian &
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Birth of Chana Moriah
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Speedy recovery for
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Provides a yearly scholarship to help offset the cost of a Temple sponsored trip or Reform Movement Mission to Israel for one adult member of Temple who requires financial assistance.

CEMETERY PLOTS

If you are interested in purchasing a plot in the Temple Emanuel section of Mt. Lebanon Cemetery, please contact Leslie Hoffman at lhoffman@templeemanuelpgh.org or 412-279-7600.

Bereavement Support Group

Meetings will resume again September 24th at 10:00 a.m.

This group has organized monthly dinners out for anyone who has lost a love one and would like to join others in like situation. The dinners will continue through the summer. Please contact Rima Wolfe at 412.956.5738 for times and to make a reservation.

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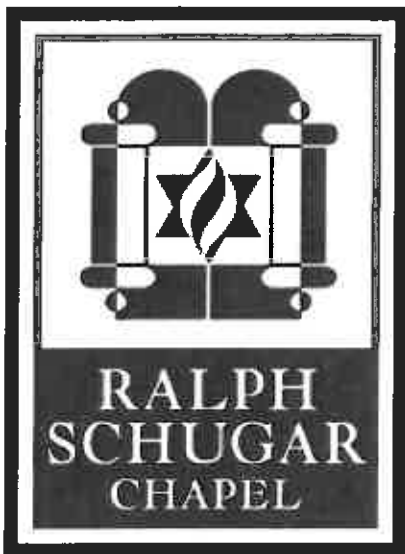
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Nominating Committee for the 2018 Board

Temple Emanuel is looking for congregants to serve on the Nominating Committee that will help select members for the 2018 Temple Board.

The Nominating Committee will be comprised of seven members and two alternates. Three committee members are to be appointed by the Board of Trustees. One appointee is to be a former Board president or vice president, who will serve as chair. The Board's other two appointments will come from the ranks of the Board and be filled by members whose terms are expiring and will not be serving on the next Board.

The other four members and two alternates will come from the congregation at large. Any congregant interested in serving on the nominating committee should contact Executive Director Leslie Hoffman (lhoffman@templeemanuelpgh.org).

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