

NEWSLETTER

Social Action Update November 13th



The first event in our Abraham's Table series was hosted by St. Paul's Episcopal Church and fed nearly 100 people from different faith backgrounds.

We are always collecting nonperishable food donations for SHIM
in the boxes beside the stairwell.

SHIM is NOT accepting clothing
donations until their closet
renovation is complete.

Team Sandwich collects sandwiches every 3rd Tuesday of the month!

Contact shommel46@gmail.com to sign-up to bring sandwiches!

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE TO BENEFIT FREESTORE 15106

- Mashed Potatoes
- Gravy
- Cranberry Sauce
- Canned Vegetables
- Macaroni and Cheese
- Stuffing Mix
- Broth
- Dessert Mix

Please bring donations to Temple Emanuel.

Multiple Volunteer Opportunities

We are so fortunate to be able to participate in TWO interfaith community events on Monday, November 13th! We are looking for volunteers to help us with both events, so please consider signing up for one of the below events if you are able.

Abraham's Table

The first event taking place that evening is one we will be hosting—the interfaith education series Abraham's Table—so we will need volunteers to help us here at Temple Emanuel! Abraham's Table seeks to promote communication, understanding, and peace among people from different religious and cultural backgrounds through a shared meal and interfaith learning experience. Sign up to attend!

The dinner is a potluck provided by the host congregation, so we would love for anyone able to help to lend a hand! Rabbi Aaron will prepare the BBQ beef sandwiches as the entree, so we hope volunteers can bring vegetarian sides and desserts. If you'd like to help but are unable to bring food, we would love to also have greeters and people to help us keep an eye on supplies. If you are interested in volunteering, please see the sign-up genius here.

Hope in the South Hills

We would also love volunteers to help with Hope in the South Hills, a Violins of Hope event at Upper St. Clair High School. Below is the description so you can get a better sense of what we are planning for this event. We would love for community members to join us as volunteers to help the event run smoothly. Please let me know if you are interested in helping out with any of those pieces by signing up to volunteer here.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MOTE+ Brews Night at Spoonwood Brewing Company

Thursday, October 26, 2023 at 7:00 pm Join MOTE+ for locally brewed beer at Spoonwood Brewing Company in Bethel Park. RSVP to <u>Sarah Mangan</u>.

"Gen X Pittsburgh: The Beehive and the 90s Scene" by Dave Rullo Book Launch Sunday, October 29, 2023, at 10:00 am Pittsburgh Jewish Chronicle writer David Rullo's new book, "Gen X Pittsburgh: The Beehive and the 90s Scene" documents the iconic coffeehouse and its contributions to the city of Pittsburgh.

Join us in the Temple Emanuel library to celebrate the launch of Dave's book and hear more from the author! RSVP to <u>Sarah Mangan</u>.

Sensory-Friendly Concert with Joanie Calem Sunday, October 29, 2023, at 4:00 pm

Temple Emanuel invites you to join us in song for a sensory-friendly and inclusive concert with musician and inclusion advocate Joanie Calem. While this program is geared toward children, all ages are welcome! After the concert, Temple Emanuel invites you to stay for a *nosh*, or snack, and visit tables for local organizations that support children's development and learning.

Register to join us at www.tinyurl.com/ConcertAtTemple

Giving Tuesday Kick-off Oneg Honoring Leslie Hoffman

Friday, November 3, 2023, at 7:00 pm Email Steph McFerron at smcferron@templeemanuelpgh.org if you are interested in babysitting for this event!

WTE+ Pottery Painting Party at
That Pottery Place in Bethel Park
Sunday, November 5, 2023, 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm
WTE+ invites you to join them in the private
room at That Pottery Place in Bethel Park for a
choose-your-own pottery painting party! Email
Sarah to reserve your spot!