



NEWSLETTER

Social Action Update

ADL's Kulanu

UPCOMING EVENTS

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!

Mahj for a Cause to Benefit Temple Emanuel's Giving Tuesday Campaign
 Sunday, November 12, 2023, 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm
 Join us in table games of Mahjong! All levels of players are welcome. Snacks will be provided. Optional donations will benefit Temple Emanuel's Giving Tuesday campaign. All those who donate will be entered into a raffle for Mahjong-themed prizes as a thank-you for supporting our campaign. RSVP to Sarah Mangan.

Abraham's Table: Family
 Monday, November 13, 2023, at 6:00 pm at Temple Emanuel
 Abraham's Table seeks to promote communication, understanding, and peace among people from different religious and cultural backgrounds. Each month, a fresh thought-provoking subject will be featured, followed by engaging table conversations in which participants may share their views and viewpoints. The subject for November is Family.

Dinner is served at 6:00 pm, followed by the presentation at 6:30 pm, and then a Q&A portion from 7:30 to 8:00 pm.

[Register here](#) for this free, interfaith and multi-cultural event provided by St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Temple Emanuel of South Hills, and the City of Bridges Foundation. [Sign up to volunteer to bring food here!](#)

Synagogues in Action Against Antisemitism

As I mentioned in an earlier newsletter, I am proud to represent Temple Emanuel in this year's ADL Kulanu: Synagogues in Action Against Antisemitism cohort, a network of hundreds of congregations across the United States and Canada committed to the critical work of combatting antisemitism and hate.

Through Kulanu, we will develop and launch initiatives about combatting antisemitism and hate focusing on the key areas of advocacy, community engagement, and education. ADL partners with us by offering our working group access to ADL experts through monthly webinars and workshops, as well as ADL content, resources and tools on an online portal.

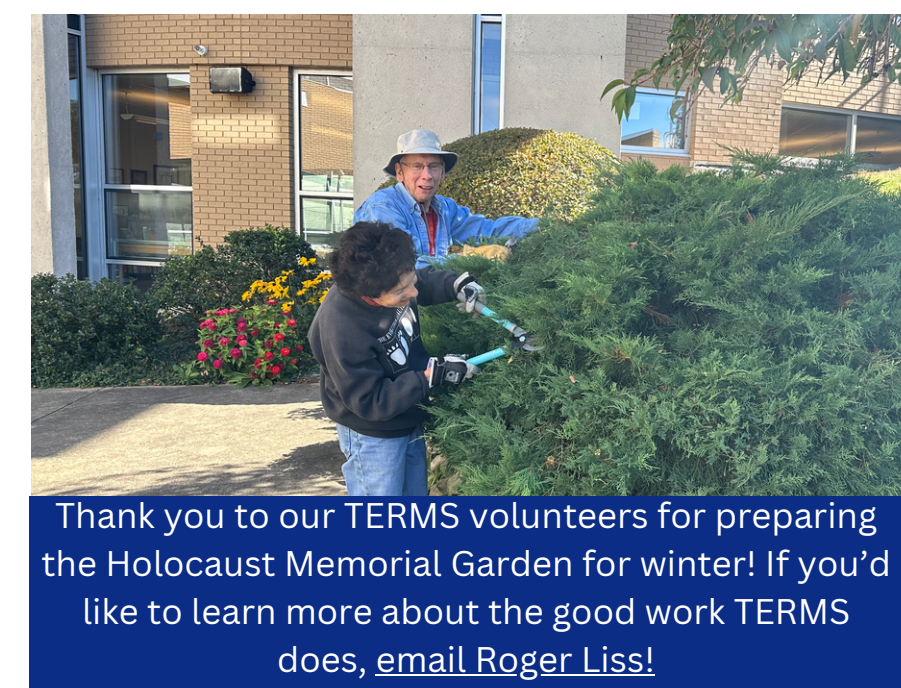
We will invite all our members to several exclusive ADL briefings and programs during the year, including a session on November 16th at 7:00 PM called "[Kristallnacht: Finding Strength and Inspiration through Reflection and Learning](#)" that [you can register for here](#).

A working group of congregant volunteers are invited to join Marlee Lyons and I in learning even more and helping us actualize our learning into local events. [Email Sarah to express interest.](#)

We look forward to making a difference in the fight against antisemitism and hate here at Temple Emanuel.

Abraham's Table - 11/13

Are you interested in volunteering to help us with this event? [Sign up to bring vegetarian sides and desserts here.](#) [Register to join us here!](#)



Thank you to our TERMS volunteers for preparing the Holocaust Memorial Garden for winter! If you'd like to learn more about the good work TERMS does, [email Roger Liss!](mailto:Roger Liss)

We are always collecting non-perishable 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

FreeStore always accepts easily prepared, shelf-stable foods as well, like Easy Mac and Chef Boyardees. Please bring donations to Temple.