



NEWSLETTER

Social Action Update

“Won’t You Be My Neighbor?”

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wine Kulanu Gathering
Thursday, February 29th, 7:00 pm
Join the Wine Tasting Kulanu group to enjoy a variety of Chairman’s Selection wines and hors d’oeuvres at Temple Emanuel on Leap Day. The cost to participate is \$22 per person. RSVP to [Sarah Mangan](#).

Mahj for a Cause to Benefit Temple Emanuel’s ECDC
Sunday, March 3, 2024, 2:00 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 Early Childhood Development Center. Teachers needed for a teaching session from 1-2pm! RSVP to [Sarah Mangan](#).

Pittsburgh Sightseeing Kulanu Visits the Roberto Clemente Museum
Sunday, March 3, 2024, 3:00 pm
Join the Pittsburgh Kulanu Group for a a visit to the Roberto Clemente Museum on Sunday, March 3 at 3pm. Price \$21 adults, children 17 and under \$18. RSVP to Susan Hommel at [shommel46@gmail.com](#).

Learn to Bake Hamantaschen
Sunday, March 10, 2024, 2:00 pm
Join Temple Emanuel caterer Melinda Freed to learn how to make hamantaschen cookies for Purim! This intergenerational workshop is open to all ages of people who are ready to learn in the kitchen! RSVP to [Sarah](#) by March 8th.

Themed Shabbat Dinner with Cantor Kalix: Women in Jewish Leadership
Friday, March 15, 2024, 5:30 pm
Join Cantor Kalix and Temple Emanuel community members to enjoy a Shabbat dinner with friends and learn about the history of women in Jewish leadership in honor of Women’s History month. [Register here!](#)

Stay tuned to your emails for more information about our exciting lineup of Purim events!

Won’t You Be My Neighbor?

As you may know, our Temple Emanuel community has formed strong connections with the teachers from Carnegie Elementary School who developed FreeStore 15106, Don Alexander and Mary Campbell. We support FreeStore 15106 in many ways and have many volunteers who now work regularly with the school and its teachers, including Iris Harlan. Knowing Iris’s interest in Early Childhood Education, they invited her to participate in their school’s annual *Won’t You Be My Neighbor Day* event on May 23, 2024.

Their goal is to provide each of 250 families with a book designed to promote early literacy and the values of kindness and community and chose the book “Love the World” by Todd Parr to achieve this goal. If you are interested in contributing to this cause, you can find the link to purchase it on Amazon in their wishlist here: [FreeStore 15106 Wishlist](#)

Thank You, Team Sandwich!

Thank you to all of the families who donated their time and energy to making sandwiches at their homes, at Temple for our sandwich-making event, and in our ECDC! On top of the hundreds of sandwiches our monthly volunteers make, Temple friends and families who joined us for our sandwich-making event made 120 sandwiches, and our ECDC made over 100! Seeing everyone work together was the perfect way to celebrate 3 years of Team Sandwich!

Recipes Requested!

Temple Emanuel teen Marissa Klein needs our help! If you have a Jewish recipe, please send it along to Marissa to compile into a cookbook for her "Middle Years Program" personal project about Jewish culture. She is hoping to create a cookbook with everything from Jewish meals to desserts.

Please send any original or passed-down recipes that you may have with the order of ingredients listed first, followed by steps to Marissa at kleinm@uscstudents.org. No recipe is too small!



We are always collecting non-perishable food donations for SHIM in the boxes beside the stairwell.

JFCS knows that the war in Israel has affected our community deeply. Support is available for people who would like to reach out. Please contact JFCS Counseling at 412-904-5960 or counseling@jfcspgh.org

Team Sandwich collects sandwiches every 3rd Tuesday of the month! Contact shommel46@gmail.com to sign-up to bring sandwiches!

- MOST NEEDED ITEMS FOR FREESTORE 15106**
 - Shelf-stable foods like Easy Mac cups and Chef Boyardee
 - Nonperishable Food
 - Deodorant
 - Toothbrushes
 - Toothpaste
 - Lotion
 - Shampoo
 - Conditioner
 - Body Wash
 - Hand Soap
 - Laundry Detergent

Please bring donations to Temple.