

Temple El Emeth Bulletin

August 2024

Tisha B'Av

Tamuz/Av 5784



From My Desk-

On my collision with a deer...

By now, many of my friends have heard of my collision with a deer several weeks ago. It happened in the early afternoon as I was driving to Youngstown for Friday evening services. Route 422, on which I was traveling, has become my preferred route to and from Cleveland, because of its pastoral scenery. Just the other day, for example, I witnessed a beautiful pastel sunset, framed by majestic trees on either side of the roadway. The display lasted about 20 minutes, and I thanked G-d for allowing me to see some of His most colorful artwork.

So, on a picture perfect Friday afternoon in late May, I drove Rte. 422, admiring the lush green fields and magnificent trees in full bloom. I scanned the road ahead, to make sure there were no hazards. All was fine. Until...

Without warning, a young doe darted out from the greenery to my left, and raced in front of my car. It's almost unbelievable how fast a deer can run. Within one second, my car slammed into the deer, and hurled it into the woods to my right. Air bags exploded around me. The front end of the car was demolished. I, however, escaped with barely a scratch.

As I pulled myself out of the wreck, I was amazed that my car had, fortunately, rolled to the right edge of the road, so that other cars would have a wide berth around me.

I thanked G-d that I was alive, and, in that moment, realized that this incident was a shocking example of what we say every day in the Amidah (silent prayer):

"We give thanks to You and recount your praises, for our lives that are entrusted in Your hand, and for our souls that are in Your safekeeping, and for Your miracles that are with us every day, and for Your wonders and good deeds that are with us at all times: evening, morning, and midday."

How many times have I rushed through that prayer, without giving it due reverence? Of course, few of us can spend hours every day reciting our daily prayers. But life can hit us hard, presenting sudden and

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SHABBAT CANDLE LIGHTING TIMES

Friday, August 2	8:19 PM
Friday, August 9	8:10 PM
Friday, August 16	8:00 PM
Friday, August 23	7:50 PM
Friday, August 30	7:39 PM

HAVDALAH

Saturday, August 3	9:16 PM
Saturday, August 10	9:07 PM
Saturday, August 17	8:58 PM
Saturday, August 24	8:47 PM
Saturday, August 31	8:36 PM

Hybrid

Temple El Emeth
Board of Directors Meeting
Tuesday, August 6th
7:30 PM



Office hours:

Mondays—Thursdays
9 a.m.—4 p.m.
Afternoon Hours by Appointment
Fridays
9 a.m.—12 Noon.

Temple Office is Closed
Monday—September 2nd
In Observance of
Labor Day



WITHIN THE SYNAGOGUE

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unexpected challenges. Our lives really are fragile. Our souls really are in G-d's hands at every moment. Voicing that idea daily might give us all a greater appreciation for every moment of life. Because, no one knows what will happen an hour or two from now. Every minute; every second of life is an invaluable gift from G-d.

Enjoy the Summer. Drink deeply of its pleasures. And don't forget to thank G-d that you are alive to see G-d's earthly handiwork on full display.

May G-d bless us all with much more time to enjoy our sojourn here on earth.

Rabbi Seth J. Sternstein



Rabbi Seth Sternstein and Temple El Emeth are pleased to announce **Cantor Mitchell Kowitz** will serve as our High Holiday Cantor this year. Cantor Kowitz comes to us from the Minneapolis/St. Paul area and brings a wealth of cantorial, educational and musical composition experience.

Cantor Kowitz received his Bachelors in Music and Composition from the College Conservatory of Music at the University of Cincinnati. He studied Bible, Talmud and Cantillation at the Jewish Theological Seminary from 1983-1985. Cantor Kowitz was ordained in 1985 and is a member of the Cantors Assembly.

He has most recently served as a Cantor at Share Chesed Congregation in St. Louis Park, MN, was the Cantor and teacher at Temple of Aaron in St. Paul for 25 years, and spent 5 years as Cantor at Congregation Beth Israel in Hammond, Indiana. Cantor Kowitz is a published composer and poet, and during his career has directed Bar and Bat Mitzvah training, written and produced original High Holiday music, performed cantorial concerts around the country and received awards in music composition. He has also sung with the Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra and performed the National Anthem during the St. Paul Saints baseball games in 2015 and 2016.

We look forward to welcoming Cantor Kowitz to Temple El Emeth and know he will be a wonderful addition to our High Holiday services.

WITHIN THE SYNAGOGUE

Join us for

Erev Shabbat Services at Levy Gardens

Friday evening, August 23rd at 4:00 pm



Rabbi Sternstein and members of Temple El Emeth will join our friends at Levy Gardens for a Shabbat evening service.

Reservations would be appreciated to the Temple office at 330-759-1429

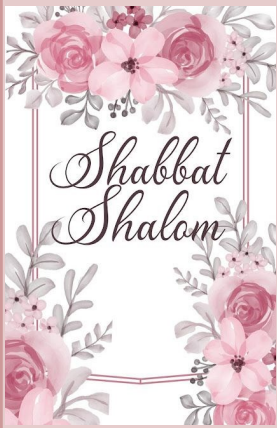
Temple El Emeth

Erev Shabbat Service & Dinner

Friday evening, September 6, 2024

Service at 5:45 pm Dinner following at 6:45 pm

We invite you to join your Temple family for a Shabbat evening service and catered traditional Shabbat dinner. Kindly fill out the registration form included with this bulletin and mail with payment to Temple El Emeth by **August 28th**.



Starting in September...



TORAH TUESDAYS

10:30 AM

- ◇ September 3rd & 17th
- ◇ October 1st, 15th & 29th
- ◇ November 5th & 10th
- ◇ December 3rd, 17th & 31st

2025!

- ◇ January 14th & 28th
- ◇ March 4th & 18th
- ◇ April 1st & 22nd
- ◇ May 6th & 20th

PROJECT PRAY

See individual times below

- ◇ September 4th, 7:00 PM—8:00 PM
- ◇ September 18th & 25th, 1:30 PM—2:30 PM
- ◇ October 16th, 23rd & 30th, 7:00 PM—8:00 PM
- ◇ November 6th & 13th, 7:00 pm—8:00 PM

2025!

- ◇ April 2nd & 23rd, 7:00 PM—8:00 PM
- ◇ May 7th & 21st, 7:00 PM—8:00 PM



PROGRAMMING



LIBERTY COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY

Churchill United Methodist Church
189 Churchill Hubbard Road.

Volunteers are needed for its **August 2, 2024** distribution

9:30 am—12:30 pm.

Call the Temple office and we will pass your name on to the Pantry chairs.

INDOOR/OUTDOOR PICNIC

Sunday, August 4, 2024 at 6 pm

Join us for our annual Picnic!

Guests can choose to dine indoors or outside on our patio.

Traditional picnic menu with vegetarian options.

No charge for Full members

Associate and Non-members \$25 each

Please RSVP to Temple by July 30th



Police Appreciation Shabbat Saturday, August 17, 2024

Services begin at 10:00 AM

Kiddush Luncheon following services

Officer Jonathan "JJ" Silverman will speak during the service about his career in law enforcement

PROGRAMMING



Mark your calendars for upcoming events...

- Shabbat evening service and dinner, Friday, September 6th, 5:45 PM
- Torah Tuesday, September 3rd & 24th, 10:30 AM
- Project Pray, Wednesdays, Sept, 4th, 7:00—8:00 PM; SEPT. 18th & 25th, 1:30 PM—2:30 PM
- Sisterhood Rosh Chodesh, Friday, September 6th, 1:00 PM
- Selichot Program, by Dr. Eric Chevlen. Service, Saturday evening, September 28th, 7:45 PM
- Erev Rosh Hashanah Service (6:00 PM) and Dinner (7:00 PM), Wednesday evening, October 2nd
- Tailgate Tashlich in Liberty Park (Girard), Sunday morning, October 6th, 10:00 AM
- Kol Nidre dinner (4:45 PM) and service (6:00 PM), Friday evening, October 11th
- Break the Fast supper, Saturday evening, October 12th, at close of YK services
- Sukkah decorating party Sunday, October 13th, 10 AM

SISTERHOOD



TEMPLE EL EMETH

Womens Rosh Chodesh Group

Led by

MARSHA STERNSTEIN

Friday, August 2, 2024

1:00 PM

The sessions are open to all women who are members of Temple El Emeth, and their guests.

Please call the El Emeth office at 330-759-1429 to RSVP.

SISTERHOOD

Thank you, Donors!

For your generous contributions to our 51st Annual Donor Luncheon

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TORAH FUND
WOMEN'S LEAGUE FOR CONSERVATIVE JUDAISM
CELEBRATING 80 YEARS

This is a time of remembering the destruction of the ancient temples. May we cling to and follow the teachings of the Torah to follow the wise words written in this ancient scroll. And to discern the teachings of our learned rabbis and educators that have embodied the guidance written for all of us.

*Sincerely,
Louise Kline Torah Fund Chairman*

NEWS AND NOTES

Mazel Tov

- ♦ To **Dr. Eric and Laurel Chevlen** on the birth of their grandson, **Isaac Hart (Yitzchak Tzvi) Chevlen** on July 23, 2024. Isaac is the son of **Jacob & Sharon Chevlen** of Warren, Ohio.



Todah Rabah For the Generous donations of Crown Royal

Marilyn Berchuck
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NEWS AND NOTES

2024 KLEZMER SHABBAT



Todah Rabah

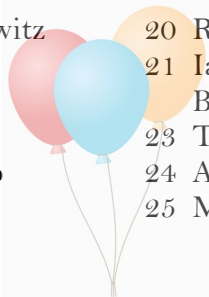
To Sam D. & Terry Roth for once again hosting our Klezmer Shabbat in July!

It was a beautiful evening and service and all enjoyed the good food and friendship!

MAZAL TOV

to those celebrating a Birthday in August

- | | |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| 2 Michael Berkowitz | 20 Renee Gianakos |
| Ronna Marlin | 21 Ian Anderson |
| 6 Gary Weiss | Bruce Epstein |
| 8 Les Apple | 23 Tirtza Kohan |
| 9 Charles Dunlap | 24 Arlo Anderson |
| 12 Joel Feuer | 25 Marsha Sternstein |
| 13 Mitchell Cohn | |



MAZAL TOV

to those celebrating an Anniversary in August

- | | | |
|----|------------------------|------------------|
| 7 | Howard & Jackie Kramer | 58 th |
| 15 | Steve & Terri Anderson | 43 rd |
| 21 | Ron & Linda Kessler | 48 th |
| 23 | Mel & Claudia Moss | 60 th |
| | Jim & Bobby Pazol | 65 th |
| 24 | Mace & Phyllis Landau | 66 th |
| 27 | Bob & Amy Hendricks | 30 th |
| 29 | Gerry & Jeannie Peskin | 53 rd |

YAHREZEITS

August 1—August 9 26 Tamuz—5 Av

Eva Allen*
Joseph Martin Barth*
Harry Berman*
Doris Burdman*
Eli Chudakoff*
Benjamin Cohen*
Judith W. Cohen*
Janet Goldberg Collin*
Abe Cooper*
Samuel Deitchman*
Mollie Feldman*
Seymour Feuer

Abraham Finesilver*
William Finesilver*
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Sidney Friedman*
Robert Goodstein*
Isadore Herman
May Jacobson*
Richard James Klein*
Regina Kline*
Minnie Kriger*
Florence Magidson*
Florence Mark
Rabbi Samuel Meyer*
Sara Oblonsky*
Yetta Pear*

Ida Prigosin*
Mary Revzin*
Lillian Richstone
Sadie Schwebel Rifkin*
Herman Roth*
Joseph Max Roth*
Louis Rothenberg*
Ruth Krause Schwartz*
William Schwartz*
Joseph M. Schwebel*
John Scott*
Beyla Shaikina
Benjamin Silverstein*

Y AHRZEITS

August 1—August 9 26 Tamuz—5 Av

Sam Singer*
Ruth Slate*
Paul Smith*
Pearl Tamarkin*
Rebecca Weintraub*
Homer Martin Weissberg*

August 10—August 16 6 Av—12 Av

Leona Adler*
Blumeh Raysa Beerman
Ben Berman
Norma Bloch*
Della Bradlyn*
Marcus Brailovsky*
Celia Clayman*
Hilda Clayman*
William George Elitzer*
Betty Engel*
Bertha Fish*
Almon Max Frankle*
Isadore Heizler*
Temma Hodesson*
Marvin H. Itts*
Harry Kaufman*
Gloria Klein
Esther Kriegshaber*
Abraham Lerner*
Sarah Leventhal*
Edith Levin*
Mollie Elitzer Levinson*
Mike Lindenblatt*
Colman Malkoff*
Samuel Meister*
Milton Miller*
Z'vi Moldowsky*
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Clara Segall*
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Sam Silver*
Jerome Kuhn Small
Samuel Stelmack*
Frances Goldich Ullman*
William H. Waldman*

August 10—August 16 6 Av—12 Av

Arnold Weiss*
Beulah Berman Weiss*
Rachel Wittow
Allan Zeigler
Howard Ziegler*

August 17—August 23 13 Av—19 Av

Joseph Altshuler*
Hildy Alvarado
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Max H. Braunstein*
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August 17—August 23 13 Av—19 Av

Louis Sniderman*
Rose Sniderman*
David Speck*
Joseph Spector*
Max Stone*
Fred Wittow*

August 24—August 31 20 Av—27 Av

Alan Altman*
Gloria Averbach*
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Michael Bernshtein
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Pearl Peskin*
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Minnie Sandel*

*denotes those
who have
Memorial
Plaques

Yahrzeits

August 24—August 31
20 Av—27 Av

Sylvia Schechter*
 Clara Silverman*
 Hadasa Smith*
 Mary Sniderman*
 Rosemarie Solyn*

August 24—August 31
20 Av—27 Av

Mollie Ungar*
 Elsie Wagner
 Gertrude Weiner*
 Charles D. Zeigler*
 Bessie Zlotkin*

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 who have
 Memorial
 Plaques

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Bill Laslo**

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Ruth Friedman and Beloved sister,
Vilma Linder**

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**In Memory of Mother, Grandmother,
and Great Grandmother, Gloria Klein**

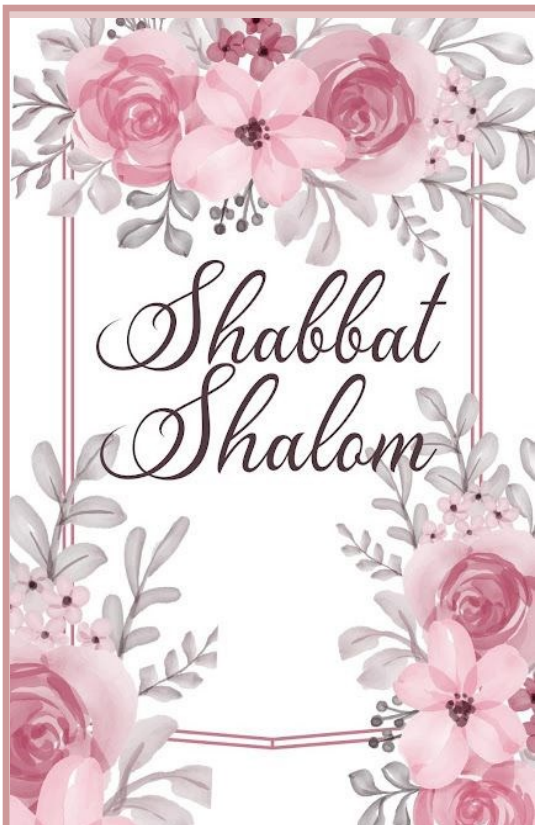
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In Memory of Muriel A. Burdman

By: Sharyn & Charlie Dunlap
Adam & Hilary

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Temple El Emeth

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Friday evening, September 6, 2024

Service at 5:45 pm

Dinner following at 6:45 pm

We invite you to join your Temple family for a Shabbat evening service and catered traditional Shabbat dinner. Kindly fill out the form below and mail with payment to Temple El Emeth by **August 28th**.

Erev Shabbat Service & Dinner—September 6, 2024—5:45 PM

Name <i>Please List Each Person Individually</i> Please Print	Full Member \$25	Associate & Non -Members \$30

Pescatarian Option _____

There will be NO assigned seating for this dinner.

**Please mail your check, with this form,
made out to “Temple El Emeth” to 3970 Logan Way,
Youngstown, Ohio 44505 to be received by August 28th.**

TEMPLE EL EMETH
3970 Logan Way
Youngstown, Ohio 44505

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Rabbi Sternstein wishes to be in contact with anyone in our congregation who (G-d forbid) is ill. Please call the Rabbi directly at **914-960-4653**, and/or the Temple El Emeth office at **330-759-1429** as soon as possible if you know of someone ill. Please do not assume that someone else has informed the Rabbi or office. Even if we receive multiple calls, it is much preferable to our missing vital information.

We thank you for your help.

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Temple-Gram PROGRAM
STARTING IN 2025!



THE DEADLINE FOR THE SEPTEMBER BULLETIN
IS **AUGUST 15TH**