

5773
2013

April

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	121 nisan 	222 nisan	323 nisan	424 nisan	525 nisan 	626 nisan 
	PASSOVER	YIZKOR PASSOVER				Shemini
727 nisan	828 nisan	929 nisan	1030 nisan	111 iyar	122 iyar 	133 iyar 
YOM HASHOAH			ROSH CHODESH	ROSH CHODESH		Tazria/Metzora
144 iyar	155 iyar	166 iyar	177 iyar	188 iyar	199 iyar 	2010 iyar 
	YOM HAZIKARON OBSERVED	YOM HA'ATZMA'UT OBSERVED				Acharei Mot/Kedoshim
2111 iyar	2212 iyar	2313 iyar	2414 iyar	2515 iyar	2616 iyar 	2717 iyar 
						Emor
2818 iyar	2919 iyar	3020 iyar				
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			121 iyar	222 iyar	323 iyar 	424 iyar 
						<i>Behar/Bechukotai</i>
525 iyar	626 iyar	727 iyar	828 iyar	929 iyar	101 sivan 	112 sivan 
			YOM YERUSHALAYIM		ROSH CHODESH	<i>Bemidbar</i>
123 sivan	134 sivan	145 sivan 	156 sivan 	167 sivan	178 sivan 	189 sivan 
MOTHERS DAY		EREV SHAVUOT	SHAVUOT	SHAVUOT YIZKOR		<i>Naso</i>
1910 sivan	2011 sivan	2112 sivan	2213 sivan	2314 sivan	2415 sivan 	2516 sivan 
	VICTORIA DAY CANADA					<i>Beha'alotecha</i>
2617 sivan	2718 sivan	2819 sivan	2920 sivan	3021 sivan	3122 sivan 	
	MEMORIAL DAY					



Shabbat Information for the Month of April, 2013

Shabbat Shemini

April 5-6 26 Nisan

Torah portion: Shemini
Vayikra (Leviticus) 9:1-11:47
Friday evening candle lighting: 7:14
Saturday night Havdallah: 8:12

Shabbat Service – 7:15 PM
Special Panel – Remembering the Holocaust
Featuring the Toch and Maskell families

Shabbat Acharei Mot-Kedoshim

April 19-20 10 Iyar

Torah portion: Acharei Mot-Kedoshim
Vayikra (Leviticus) 16:1-20:27
Friday evening candle lighting: 7:27
Saturday night Havdallah: 8:26

Erev Shabbat Service — 7:15 P.M.
Torah 'N T'filah Service
Cantorial Soloist – Mark Levy

Shabbat Tazria-Metzora

April 12-13 3 Iyar

Torah portion: Tazria-Metzora
Vayikra (Leviticus) 12:1-15:33
Friday evening candle lighting: 7:20
Saturday night Havdallah: 8:19

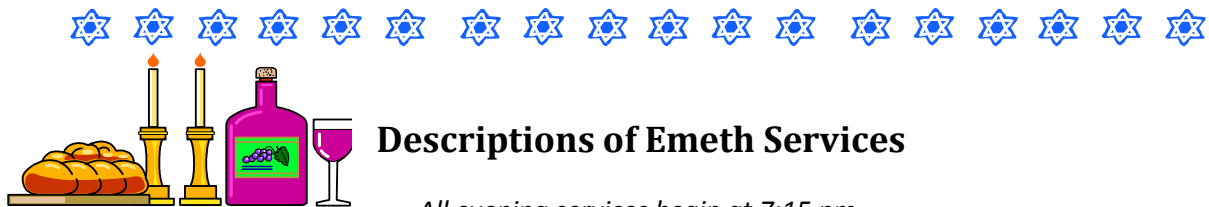
Friday Night Live — 7:15 P.M.
Cantorial Soloist – Angela Gold
Geoff Jackson, Guest Speaker

Shabbat Emor

April 26-27 17 Iyar

Torah portion: Emor
Vayikra (Leviticus) 21:1-24:23
Friday evening candle lighting: 7:33
Saturday night Havdallah: 8:33

Erev Shabbat Service — 7:15 P.M.
Torah 'N T'filah Service
Cantorial Soloist – Mark Levy
Special guests: Advent Lutheran Church
Confirmation Students and their Parents



Descriptions of Emeth Services

All evening services begin at 7:15 pm.

All Erev Shabbat (evening) dinners begin promptly at 6:30 pm.

All morning services begin at 10:00 am.

***Shabbat Short 'N Sweet:** An informal short Erev Shabbat (Friday evening) service. Learn the meaning of the prayers and discuss the Torah portion of the week. Rabbi led, this service is especially appropriate for children of all ages as well as adults. It is part of the Religious School curriculum and Religious School students and their families are expected to attend. Prayers for healing and Mourners Kaddish are included. It is preceded by a community dinner with Shabbat rituals.

***Friday Night Live:** The primary focus of this Erev Shabbat (Friday evening) service is experiencing the joy of Shabbat through music, led by the Rabbi and a cantorial soloist. The service is about 1 ½ hours long, using the siddur (prayer book) and our own Shireinu (songbook). Sometimes Rabbi Israel leads a discussion, sometimes there is a d'var Torah (words of Torah, a sermon), and other times we read from the book of Prophets. This musical service is appropriate for adults as well as children of all ages. It is followed by a sweet Oneg (reception).

***TNT – Torah 'N T'filah:** This Erev Shabbat (Friday evening) service includes reading the weekly Torah portion and a sermon. It is a complete Shabbat service and includes reading from Torah and a d'var Torah. It is followed by a sweet Oneg (reception).



April Children & Youth Education Programs

Friday Programs

April 5, 12, 19, 26

Religious School (Grades PreK-7)

5:00-6:30 pm Classroom time

Wednesday Programs

April 10, 17, 24

Hebrew School – All Levels

4:30-6:00 pm Classroom time

Emet Dor Kef Programs

April 11, 25 – with Paul Crompton

April 18 – with Rabbi Israel

7:30-9:00 Class time

**For education program information, please contact
Melanie Khamis at Melanie.khamis@gmail.com.**

Holocaust Survivors' Panel Discussion

To Commemorate *Yom HaShoa*,
Holocaust Remembrance Day

Friday, April 5, following Erev Shabbat Services

Featuring

Joyce Maskell, 2nd generation Holocaust Survivor
and her daughter, Masha

And

Randy Toch, 2nd generation Holocaust
Survivor and his children, Joshua and Haley

Erev Shabbat Services
(Friday Night Sabbath Services)
begin at 7:15 PM





Singles Shabbat Dinner



For those 45 to 65

Friday, April 5, 6:15 p.m., Beit Kehillah

Celebrate Shabbat and enjoy a delicious meal with other singles in their 40s and 50s. We'll pray, sing and celebrate Shabbat together at 6:15 in the sanctuary with the greater Beth Am community. After the service, we'll move to the Beit Kehillah for a yummy meal, shmoozing and some Shabbat *zmirot* (songs) led by Rabbi Adam Rosenwasser.

To sign up for the dinner by Wednesday, April 3, please send a check for \$10, made payable to "Congregation Beth Am" with "Singles Dinner" in the memo line, to Congregation Beth Am, 26790 Arastradero Road, Los Altos Hills, CA 94022. Or, you can pay in person **before** the service.

For more information or to RSVP, please contact Marla Simon at marlasimon@me.com or call (650) 493-4661.



**Silicon Valley Community
Yom HaShoah Commemoration
April 7, 2013**

**Memorial Service with candle lighting by
Survivors and Second Generation
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm**



The Community Yom HaShoah Service
with the rabbis, cantors and choirs of our local community,
will be held at Congregation Shir Hadash this year.



**Speaker Harry Brod
6:30 pm – 7:30 pm**

**"The Holocaust From Generation to Generation:
A Contemporary Legacy of Temporary Survival"**

What is the meaning of the Holocaust for present generations? Harry Brod speaks as a child of “temporary” survivors – both his parents survived the Holocaust, yet their lives were cut short by the traumas of those years.

This presentation tells the astonishing story of Berlin’s Jewish Hospital, which functioned throughout the war, where his mother was a nurse and he was born, and her parent’s experiences in concentration camp Theresienstadt (from which his grandmother’s mail contains extraordinary coded messages), as well as Harry’s father’s resistance in the forests of Poland.

Harry Brod is a child of Holocaust survivors and a child of the 60’s. Both heritages shape his commitments to justice, much of which he has expressed in decades of teaching, writing, and activism in the academic study of masculinities (where he is recognized as one of the founding figures of the field) and the profeminist men's movement. He is Professor of Philosophy and Humanities at the University of Northern Iowa.



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CONFRONTING ANTI-SEMITISM: A FAMILY AWARENESS PROJECT

For High School and Middle School Students And their Parents

Presented by Congregation Emeth, Morgan Hill
and Temple Beth El, Salinas

Sunday, April 14, 1:30-3:30 PM

Suggested donation: \$10/family to help defray program costs

Special guest: Dr. Wesley Smith, Superintendent of Morgan Hill Unified School District
Program at Congregation Emeth, 17835 Monterey St, Morgan Hill

**RSVPs are required no later than April 5 to:
Rabbidebbieisrael@gmail.com**

This educational workshop...

- ❖ Provides Jewish communities with tools and techniques to examine prejudices and stereotypes
- ❖ Facilitates family communication about anti-Semitism
- ❖ Challenges persistent anti-Jewish stereotypes
- ❖ Teaches effective responses to use when confronted with anti-Semitism

Confronting Anti-Semitism workshops are...

- ❖ Designed for students & parents from grades 6-12
- ❖ Presented by trained facilitators
- ❖ Two hours in length
- ❖ Adaptable and interactive to suit your community's needs

In Confronting Anti-Semitism Workshops you will...

- ❖ Become aware of and sensitive to anti-Semitism
- ❖ Share experiences with peers and parents
- ❖ Explore possible responses and consequences

For further information contact:

Rabbi Israel, 408-348-5339 or
Rabbi Delbick, 831-424-9151



**Join us on April 17 at 7:00 p.m.
at the home of Marilyn Freund
for dessert and help us plan the
2013-2014 Emeth Sisterhood calendar.**

**17460 Montoya Circle
Morgan Hill, CA 95037
408-776-1817**

**All Emeth Women are invited to attend,
or send ideas via e-mail, phone,
or mail for planning next year.**

Please RSVP to Patty and Marilyn at sisterhood@emeth.net



Congregation Emeth is committed to helping feed the needy
on the third Thursday of each month

from 4:00-7:00 p.m.

Lord's Table

St. Mary Catholic Parish

11 First Street, Gilroy



Our next date is: **April 18**

Children accompanied by parents are welcome!

For more information, contact Sandra Jackson

at oursash@yahoo.com



SHABBAT HOSTS NEEDED

March 29 ⁽⁶⁾ - Coencas

April 5 ⁽³⁾ - Strongin

April 12 ⁽¹⁾

April 19 ⁽³⁾

April 26 ⁽²⁾ - Nehamkin

May 10 ⁽²⁾ - Thowdis and
Kerner

May 24 ⁽¹⁾

June 7 ⁽³⁾ - Pupko

June 14 ⁽¹⁾ - Gallo

June 21 ⁽³⁾

June 28 ⁽²⁾ - Fernandez

Please select at least one Shabbat service
when your family will be the designated hosts.

The Shabbat hosts provide challah and flowers and time before and after the service for setup and cleanup. Why not select a special occasion (for example, anniversary and/or birthday) to host and celebrate with your Emeth family?

Send your preference of date(s) to Debbie Zajac

admin@emeth.net or (408) 778-8200



- Notes:
- (1) Friday Night Live Service
 - (2) TNT (Torah 'N Tefilah) Service/Oneg Shabbat
 - (3) Erev Shabbat Service
 - (4) Chanukah Celebration/Potluck
 - (5) Purim Celebration/Potluck
 - (6) Passover Service with Yizkor



Thank You