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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 3 tammuz	2 4 tammuz	3 5 tammuz	4 6 tammuz 	5 7 tammuz 
		CANADA DAY			INDEPENDENCE DAY	Balak
6 8 tammuz	7 9 tammuz	8 10 tammuz BOARD MEETING	9 11 tammuz	10 12 tammuz	11 13 tammuz  SUNSET SHABBAT SERVICE ANGELA GOLD CANTORIAL SOLOIST	12 14 tammuz 
						Pinchas
13 15 tammuz	14 16 tammuz	15 17 tammuz	16 18 tammuz	17 19 tammuz LORDS TABLE	18 20 tammuz  SUNSET SHABBAT SERVICE ANGELA GOLD CANTORIAL SOLOIST	19 21 tammuz 
		FAST DAY				Matot
20 22 tammuz	21 23 tammuz	22 24 tammuz	23 25 tammuz	24 26 tammuz	25 27 tammuz  GARLIC FESTIVAL	26 28 tammuz  GARLIC FESTIVAL
						Masei
27 29 tammuz GARLIC FESTIVAL	28 1 av ROSH CHODESH	29 2 av	30 3 av	31 4 av		

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 ^{5 av} 	2 ^{6 av}  LATE AFTERNOON MINCHA SERVICE <i>Devarim</i> SHABBAT CHAZON
3 ^{7 av}	4 ^{8 av} EREV TISHA B'AV	5 ^{9 av} TISHA B'AV	6 ^{10 av}	7 ^{11 av}	8 ^{12 av} 	9 ^{13 av}  SHABBAT TNT MORNING SERVICE <i>Va'etchanan</i> SHABBAT NACHAMU
10 ^{14 av}	11 ^{15 av}	12 ^{16 av}	13 ^{17 av}	14 ^{18 av} BOARD MEETING (NOTE NEW BOARD MEETING DAY)	15 ^{19 av} 	16 ^{20 av}  SISTERHOOD PROGRESSIVE DINNER WITH HAVDALLAH - EMETH MEMBERS ONLY <i>Ekev</i>
17 ^{21 av} TEACHER & MADRICHIM IN-SERVICE 2-4:30 PM	18 ^{22 av}	19 ^{23 av}	20 ^{24 av}	21 ^{25 av} LORD'S TABLE	22 ^{26 av}  FNL SHABBAT SERVICES MARK LEVY CANTORIAL SOLOIST CONFIRMATION RETREAT WEEKEND	23 ^{27 av}  FAMILY SOCIAL: PIZZA/MOVIE <i>Re'eh</i>
24 ^{28 av} CONFIRMATION RETREAT EDK TO SC BOARDWALK	25 ^{29 av}	26 ^{30 av}	27 ^{1 elul}	28 ^{2 elul}	29 ^{3 elul}  FNL SHABBAT SERVICES ANGELA GOLD CANTORIAL SOLOIST	30 ^{4 elul}  <i>Shoftim</i>
31 ^{5 elul}		ROSH CHODESH	ROSH CHODESH			



Shabbat Information for the Month of July, 2014

Shabbat Balak

July 4-5 7 Tammuz

Bamidbar (Numbers) 22:2-25:9

Friday evening candle lighting: 8:12

Saturday night Havdallah: 9:16

Shabbat at Home

Shabbat Matot

July 18-19 21 Tammuz

Bamidbar (Numbers) 30:2-32:42

Friday evening candle lighting: 8:07

Saturday night Havdallah: 9:09

Sunset Shabbat Service - 7:15 PM

Angela Gold, Cantorial Soloist

Shabbat Pinchas

July 11-12 14 Tammuz

Bamidbar (Numbers) 25:10-30:1

Friday evening candle lighting: 8:10

Saturday night Havdallah: 9:14

Sunset Shabbat Service - 7:15 PM

Hana Cidon, Cantorial Soloist

Shabbat Massei

July 25-26 28 Tammuz

Bamidbar (Numbers) 33:1-36:13

Friday evening candle lighting: 8:02

Saturday night Havdallah: 9:04

Shabbat at Home



Descriptions of Emeth Services

All evening services begin at 7:15 pm. All morning services begin at 10:00 am.

***Erev Shabbat Services:** Complete Friday evening services, without a Torah service.

***Shabbat Morning Service:** This service includes reading the weekly Torah portion and a sermon or teaching from the Rabbi. It is a complete Shabbat service.

***Shabbat at Home:** On certain weekends during the year, Congregation Emeth does not have community Shabbat services. Resources are available from the Congregation to facilitate a meaningful Shabbat dinner and Torah discussion in your home.





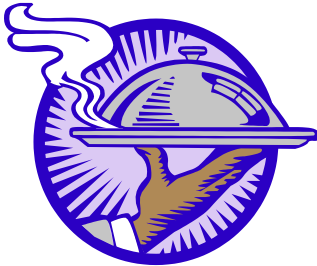
Congregation Emeth is committed to helping feed the needy
on the third Thursday of each month

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

Lord's Table

St. Mary Catholic Parish

11 First Street, Gilroy



Our next date is: **July 17**

Children accompanied by parents are welcome!

For more information, contact Sandra Jackson

at oursash@yahoo.com



Don't forget to sign up for the

GILROY GARLIC FESTIVAL

July 25-27

**Contact Susan Meyers to volunteer
at smeyers.sjsu@gmail.com
or 408-842-8149**

**Have some fun, make some friends
and help Congregation Emeth earn money!**



**Teenagers especially welcome!
Earn service hours for school!**



Congregation Emeth Souvenir Photo Booth

We have several spots left to fill and we encourage you to give it a try!

**This is a fun event, with happy customers,
and also a great way to get to know other members of Emeth!**



*Summer days drifting away
To, uh oh, those summer nights...
(Grease '70s)*

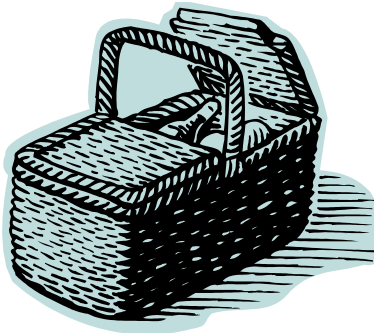


Mark Your Calendars for a different kind
of Emeth Shabbat experience!

Saturday, August 2

5:30 PM

Afternoon Mincha Service
Followed by either a picnic or potluck





Join us for an afternoon of wine tasting at enchanting
Castillo Hillside Shire Winery
2215 Liberata Drive, Morgan Hill

Sunday, September 14
from 3 - 6 p.m.
Tickets: \$35

Your ticket includes a bottle of wine, appetizers, and wine tasting. Guests will also receive discounted member pricing on additional wine purchases and can bid on fun and unique prizes in our silent auction and raffles.

For more information and to purchase tickets, visit
www.emeth.net/winetasting or email events@emeth.net.



SHABBAT HOSTS NEEDED

For the coming year!

July 11 ⁽¹⁾ - Freund
July 18 ⁽¹⁾ - Weyl
August 9 ⁽²⁾
August 22 ⁽³⁾
August 29 ⁽³⁾
September 5 ⁽³⁾
October 10 ⁽³⁾ Sukkot
October 17 ⁽³⁾ Simchat
Torah
November 1 ⁽²⁾
November 7 ⁽³⁾

November 29 ⁽²⁾
December 13 ⁽²⁾
December 19 ⁽³⁾ Chanukah
December 26 ⁽³⁾
January 2 ⁽³⁾
January 16 ⁽³⁾
January 31 ⁽²⁾
February 13 ⁽³⁾
February 20 ⁽³⁾
March 6 ⁽³⁾ Purim

March 21 ⁽²⁾
April 11 ⁽²⁾
April 24 ⁽³⁾
May 9 ⁽⁴⁾
May 22 ⁽³⁾
June 5 ⁽³⁾
June 12 ⁽¹⁾
June 19 ⁽³⁾

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) Erev Shabbat Service
 - (2) TNT (Torah 'N Tefilah) Morning Service
 - (3) FNL Shabbat Service
 - (4) TNT – Shabbat in the Redwoods





Descriptions of Emeth Services

All evening services begin at 7:15 pm. All Erev Shabbat (evening) dinners begin at 6:15 pm.

***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. Prayers for healing and Mourners Kaddish are included. It is preceded by a community dinner with Shabbat rituals.

***Friday Night Live:** This Erev Shabbat (Friday evening) service highlights Kabbalat Shabbat, the introductory prayers. This is a high energy, musical, abbreviated service appropriate for children of all ages as well as adults. It is part of the Religious School curriculum. Prayers for healing and Mourners Kaddish are included. It is preceded by a potluck dinner with Shabbat rituals.

***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.

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***Shabbat at Home:** On certain weekends during the year, Congregation Emeth does not have community Shabbat services. Resources are available from the Congregation to facilitate a meaningful Shabbat dinner and Torah discussion in your home.

***Shabbat Morning Service:** A traditional Shabbat morning service with Torah and Haftarah readings, and Kiddush lunch to follow. Attire is synagogue traditional (business casual to semi-formal).

THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS

MAY 2014

Donations to Congregation Emeth are gratefully accepted. Our membership contributions cover only the minimum annual expenses, not the full costs of running a synagogue. Additional gifts are always needed to help keep our activities going.

Donations of money can be by either check or credit card. Donations can also be made in other forms such as property or securities (like appreciated stocks). All are of course tax deductible. Donation information and a form can be found on our website:

http://www.emeth.net/images/PDFs/forms/donation_form.pdf

GENERAL FUND

Contributions to this fund offset everyday operating expenses for religious school, adult education, youth activity, ritual, programming, etc. thus keeping dues and tuition lower.

Jim & Patricia Gott, in honor of Aileen Teren-Foster's Bat Mitzvah

Robert & Cathy Silverstein

In honor of Jim Baggesse

In honor of Brian Morrison's graduation

ALLEN WISOTSKY EDUCATION FUND

The Scholarship Fund assists the children in our Beit Sefer (religious schools) with need-based tuition scholarships.

Lauren & John Jenkins, in memory of Dorrie Ward

Marilyn & Barry Freund, in memory of Dorrie Ward

Martin & Rhoda Bress, in memory of Dorrie Ward

Maureen Chassy

In memory of Syd Chassy

In memory of Dorrie Ward

Susan Meyers & Michael Oshan, in memory of Dorrie Ward

BUILDING FUND

We have owned our own building since 2008. Your contribution will support physical improvements to the building and/or will help us pay down our mortgage. We also issue bonds to members and friends of Emeth. For more information about our Emeth bonds, please contact our president,

president@emeth.net

Lauren & John Jenkins, in honor of Barbara Yazman & Paul Crompton

BETTY MEYER CAMBERSHIP FUND

Reform Jewish summer camps and trips to Israel are valuable means for children to reinforce their Jewish identity. Your contribution will help a student attend who might not otherwise have this opportunity.

Becky & Andre Neto, in memory of Sadie Rose Goldfarb

Marilyn & Barry Freund, in memory of Ken Weiss

Robert & Cathy Silverstein, in memory of Anna Hopkins

TORAH FUND

Congregation Emeth has two Torahs. Funds are occasionally needed for repairs to our sacred scrolls.

Rabbi Debbie Israel

In honor of Susan Meyers' Bat Mitzvah

In honor of Marby Lee's Bat Mitzvah

In honor of Aileen Teren-Foster's Bat Mitzvah

In honor of MariaElena Jarson's Bat Mitzvah

In honor of Susan Braun's Bat Mitzvah

Rabbi Debbie Israel & Jerry Dubin, in honor of Levi Glatt's Bar Mitzvah

YOUTH GROUP (EMET DOR KEF)

Emet Dor Kef members annually participate in both a retreat and a field trip to Jewish Los Angeles. The teens work hard to raise funds to cover expenses for these special events, but your additional support will make a difference.

Lauren & John Jenkins

In honor of Joelle & Zac Jenkins

In honor of Eric Crompton's Israeli Presidential Award

Rabbi Debbie Israel

In honor of Monica Flynn's graduation

In honor of Zac Jenkins' graduation

In honor of Joelle Jenkins' graduation

In honor of Sarah Langerman's graduation

In honor of Joshua Toch's graduation

In honor of Andrew Crompton's graduation

In honor of Emily Mandel's graduation

In honor of Ethan Palm's graduation

SPECIAL GIFTS TO SUPPORT PROGRAMS OF CONGREGATION EMETH

ADULT EDUCATION COMMITTEE - *Donations to Adult Education support the creation of programs and courses of studies geared for adults. Annual mainstays for this program include adult Hebrew classes, Shabbat in the Redwoods Scholar in Resident, the Adult B'nai Mitzvah program, lectures and films.*

Lauren & John Jenkins, in honor of the B'not Mitzvah Class

ADDITIONAL DONATION OPPORTUNITIES

RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

This fund enables our Rabbi to make donations to people in need, arrange for programs that she deems worthy, and contribute to other charitable causes she wishes to support. The fund is never used for the Rabbi's personal benefit.

RACHAMIM FUND

Funds and defrays costs for our loving support of members by providing meals and other services for families in need, including new parents, members who are ill, and members who have sustained a loss of a loved one.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Funds programs and equipment for the Religious School, helping to offset expenses not covered by school tuition

SISTERHOOD

Sisterhood assists with special holiday receptions, develops a booklet to assist families with upcoming bar/bat mitzvah celebrations, offers programs to the women of Congregation Emeth, and provides philanthropic support to a variety of causes. Donations help fund each year's programs.

SOCIAL ACTION

This committee supports a broad range of activities to help enable congregants to repair the world including serving a monthly meal at the Lord's Table for the homeless.

WINE EVENT DONATION

AUTOMOBILE DONATION

HIGH HOLIDAY DONATION

Our High Holiday liturgy reminds us that we have the power and obligation to make a positive different in the world by performing acts of tzedakah, righteousness. Your contribution to High Holiday donations will help enhance our vibrant congregation in the ongoing work of our Rabbi, our educational programs, and maintenance of our sanctuary.

KARI MUNOWITCH MEMORIAL

COMMUNITY DINNER DONATIONS

Part of Emeth's culture is coming together for a Shabbat potluck or community dinner twice a month, prior to Shabbat Short 'N Sweet services. Your contribution enables us to continue this community building.

OUTREACH DONATION

LIBRARY FUND - *This fund helps maintain our library and enables us to purchase new books for children and adults.*

PRAYERBOOK FUND - *This fund purchases new worship materials, including our Shabbat prayerbook, Mishkan T'fila and the new Reform High Holiday Machzor.*

BEIT SEIFER SCHOLARSHIP FUND - *The Scholarship Fund assists the children in our Beit Sefer, religious schools, with need-based tuition scholarships.*

RITUAL FUND - *Provides funding for cantorial soloists, purchasing supplies to build our Sukkah, and offering special holiday programs, such as our Purim carnival and Chanukah community celebration.*

CEMETERY FUND - *We maintain a Jewish section of a local cemetery. Your donation will go toward upkeep of the cemetery.*