

### nisan iyar



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### May iyar sivan



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### Shabbat Information for the Month of APRIL 2018

### Shabbat Yizkor Passover

April 6 22 Nisan Friday Night Live 7:15 PM Cantorial Soloist: Liz Baseman

### Shabbat Shemini

April 13 29 Nisan Friday Night Live 7:15 PM

### Shabbat Tazria-Metzora

April 20-21 6 Iyar

April 20 Community Dinner 6:30 PM

Israel Independence

Celebration 7:15 PM

Guest Performer: Lior Ben-Hur

April 21 TNT Torah 'N T'filah 10:00 AM

Cantorial Soloist: Mark Levy

### Shabbat Acharei Mot-Kedoshim

April 27 13 Iyar
Friday Night Live 7:15 PM
Cantorial Soloist: Liz Baseman

### Descriptions of Emeth Services

All evening services begin at 7:15 PM. All morning services begin at 10:00 AM.

\*Shabbat Morning Service/TNT Torah 'N T'filah: This service includes reading the weekly Torah portion and a sermon or teaching from the Rabbi. It is a complete Shabbat service.

\*Friday Night Live: This Erev Shabbat (Friday evening) service highlights the music of Shabbat. It is a full Shabbat service (no Torah service) with a sermon or teaching from the Rabbi.

\*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.

\*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.



## April Children Education Programs

### HEBREW SCHOOL

April 10, 17, 24

4:30 -6:00 PM

Classroom time

### CHAI SCHOOL

April 13, 20, 27

4:30-6:30 PM

Classroom time



For education program information, please contact: education@emeth.net





# April Teen Education Programs

### **EDK Classes**

Classes meet from 5:00-6:30 PM

### Sunday, April 15

Studying Jews of Spain and Portugal - the first Expulsion of the Jews.

Was Christopher Columbus Jewish? Guess the date of the Expulsion and
Columbus' sailing to the New World!

### Sunday, May 6

EDK END OF YEAR LUNCH AND GRADUATION CELEBRATION Location to be determined, 1:00 PM, in celebration of the graduations of Quinn and Nathan.

### Saturday, May 19

**CONFIRMATION** 

Shabbat and Shavuot, May 19, 10:00 AM - Confirmation! Hosted by Confirmation parents. Students will speak, help lead services, and be our Torah readers.

For more information: <a href="mailto:rabbieisrael@gmail.com">rabbidebbieisrael@gmail.com</a>

# Emeth Sisterhood Invites the Women of Emeth to our 6th Annual Women's Seder Thursday, April 5th 6:00 PM

(PLEASE RESPOND TO THE EVITE)



Where: Wendy Thowdis

womenseder@emeth.net

### Yom Hashoah u'Gevurah Memorial Service

Community Holocaust Remembrance Day

Wednesday, April 11 7:00 – 8:30 pm At Congregation Beth David 19700 Prospect Road, Saratoga

Join in a community-wide memorial service to commemorate the lives and heroism of Jewish people who suffered, fought and died in the Holocaust between 1933 and 1945.

Candle lighting Ceremony for first, second and third generation survivors of the Holocaust.

**KEY NOTE SPEAKER: Thomas Klein** 

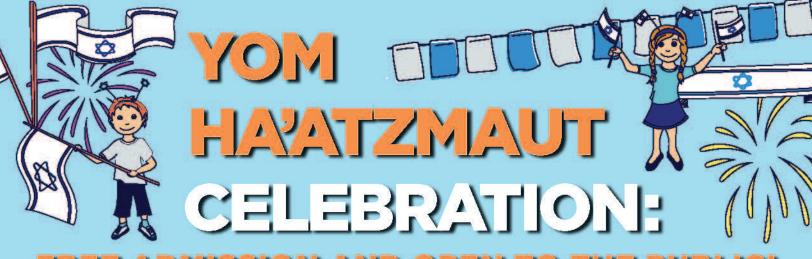
In memory of the 6 million Jews who perished we are asking everyone to help place flags in lot adjacent to the Synagogue.

Our goal is to place 1,000 flags with each flag representing 6,000 people.

Contact info@Beth-David.org







free admission and open to the public!

SUNDAY, APRIL 15 . LEVY FAMILY CAMPUS . LOS GATOS TECH PANEL: 11:00-12:30PM • FESTIVITIES: 1:00-5:00PM

TECH PANEL: ISRAELI **CULTURE OF INNOVATION** HION SHOW WINE TASTING\* VE PERFORMANCE IN BELLY LAUGHS (THE COMEDY THAT COOKS!) **ISRAELI FOOD' LIVE MUSIC** 

\*small additional cost for wine tasting & food

**ESCAPE ROOM** 

OR CODE PUZZLE



INFO: JVALLEY.ORG



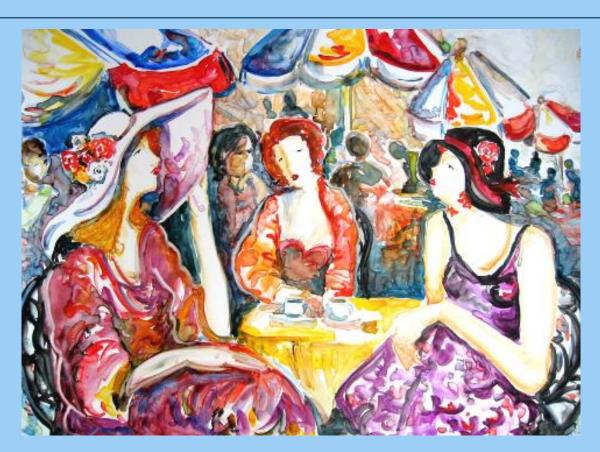


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### DIVAS WHO DINE

### MONDAY APRIL 16<sup>TH</sup> 6:00PM



Toto Trattoria 17230 Monterey Street MORGAN HILL, CA 408 782-3100

EVITE WILL BE EMAILED IN April



Congregation Emeth is committed to helping feed the needy on the third Thursday of each month from 4:00-7:00 PM



Lord's Table
St. Mary Catholic Parish
11 First Street, Gilroy

OUR NEXT DATE April 19

Children accompanied by parents are welcome!

For more information, contact Sandra Jackson at sosialaction@emeth.net



### Please join us for the next

### "Great Reads with a Jewish Theme" Thursday, April 26 7:00 PM





The book to be discussed is:

The World to Come

By: DARA HORN

All are welcome to join in this discussion, even if you have read none or only part of the book!

### Hope to see you all there!

If you are purchasing the book, remember to do it through <u>Amazon Smile</u> so that Emeth will receive a portion of the proceeds! RSVP to admin@emeth.net

### Interfaith Community of South County presents . . .

### Faith of Our Neighbors: Buddhism and the Art of Meditation

An educational series aimed at discovery and understanding of our faiths.



When:

Where:

Please join us to learn about Theravada Buddhism and the art of meditation.

A presentation will be followed by a simple and relaxing guided meditation and an open Q&A session.

Everyone is invited to this unique opportunity to learn together.

The Interfaith CommUNITY of South County ICSC is open to all faiths and denominations. Anyone interested in learning more about ICSC is encouraged to contact us at ICSC.org@gmail.com.

Sunday, April 29, 2018, 4:00 - 6:00 PM Socializing and refreshments to follow

Dhammakaya Meditation Center Silicon Valley 280 Llagas Road in Morgan Hill

### **THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS February 2018**

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

### ALLEN WISOTSKY EDUCATION FUND

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

Marilyn and Barry Freund, for a speedy recovery for Katie Fernandez

**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.

 Wendy Thowdis and Michael Kerner, In honor of the birth of Susan Meyers and Michael Oshan's grandson

### B'NAI MITZVAH KIDDUSH FUND BETTY MEYER CAMPERSHIP 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.

Marilyn and Barry Freund, in memory of Samuel Freund and Adloph Axelrod

#### **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.

- Cathy and Pi Silverstein, In memory of Darienne Novack
- Judith Lessow Hurley and Michael Hurley, In memory of Daniel J. Hurley
- Marcia Fishman, In honor of Denise Weyl's Birthday
- Ruth Erickson, In memory of Darienne Novack
- Sandy Gabe, In memory of Darienne Novack
- Steve Miller, In memory of Leonard Miller
- Susan Meyers and Michael Oshan, In memory of Leonard Meyers, Bruce Meyers and Darienne Novack
- Wendy Thowdis and Michael Kerner, In memory of Darienne Novack

### 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.

Judith Lessow Hurley and Michael Hurley. In memory of Barbara Hurley

### **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.

Marilyn and Barry Freund, In memory of Darienne Novack

### 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 program.

Cathy and Pi Silverstein, Sisterhood donation

#### 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.

Marilyn and Barry Freund, In honor of the birth of Jack Leonard Winton

### **ADDITIONAL DONATION OPPORTUNITIES**

### **AUTOMOBILE DONATION**

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

#### **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.

#### **CAPITAL CAMPAIGN**

#### **CEMETERY FUND**

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

### **CHAI SCHOOL**

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

### **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.

### **GARLIC FESTIVAL**

### **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

### **HIGH HOLDAY**

### MACHZOR LIBRARY

### FUND

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

### KARI MUNOWITCH MEMORIAL

LORD'S TABLE

**OUTREACH** 

**PRAYER** 

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This fund purchases new worship materials, including our Shabbat prayerbook, <u>Mishkan T'fila</u> and the new Reform High Holiday Machzor.

**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.

### **SPECIAL EVENTS**

YOUTH ACTIVITIES