



TEMPLE EMANU-EL Bulletin

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Men's Club: Breakfast With Steven Emerson

Sunday, January 7 10 a.m.



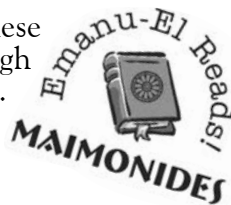
A final reminder about this not-to-be-missed discussion with terrorism expert Steven Emerson. The cost—which includes a hot breakfast—is \$25 for Men's Club members in advance, \$35 for all paying at the door (members and nonmembers). Make checks payable to the Men's Club. (212) 744-1400, ext. 250

Men's Club: Book Group

Tuesday, January 9 8:30 a.m.

The book for our January discussion will be *Everyman* by Philip Roth (published by Houghton Mifflin, 2006, 192 pages). Our selected book for February will be *Not Me* by Michael Lavigne (Random House, 2005, 320 pages). (212) 744-1400, ext. 250

Mark your calendars for these lectures organized through our *Emanu-El Reads!* program. (212) 744-1400, ext. 361



Making the Irrational Rational: Maimonides' Advice for Living a Virtuous Life

Tuesday, January 16 6:30 p.m.
Rabbi Kerry M. Olitzky, D.H.L.

**Maimonides and
the Art of Giving**
Wednesday, January 31
6:30 p.m.
Julie Salamon



WORSHIP
SERVICE

SHABBAT SHALOM!

Friday, January 5 6:30 p.m.

A new expression of faith at Temple Emanu-El, **Shabbat Shalom!** is a late worship service held once a month, currently in our Stettenheim Library. Participants should enter at the Marvin and Elisabeth Cassell Community House, One East 65th Street. All congregants (adults and youth) are encouraged to sing, pray and learn with us. Connect with familiar melodies from our heritage as well as new ones that create a dynamic and refreshing approach to prayer.



SABBATH SERVICES

Friday evening, January 5

Main Sanctuary

Organ Recital—5 p.m.

Sabbath Eve Service—5:15 p.m.

WQXR Radio (96.3 FM) and Internet

(www.wqxr.com) broadcasts—5:30 p.m.

Saturday morning, January 6

Women's Auxiliary Lounge

Torah Study—9:15 a.m.

Main Sanctuary

Service—10:30 a.m.

Torah Portion—Vayehi

Readings—Genesis 47:28-50:26

I Kings 2:1-12

Sermon: David M. Posner

"Remember the Sabbath Day."

**OPERATION:
GOOD SHABBOS**

**Every Friday...
Wish a good one
to a friend!**



BAR MITZVAH

**The following student of
our Religious School will become
a Bar Mitzvah this weekend:**

*James Benjamin Frier, son of
Ron and Sherry Frier*

**We are grateful for their sponsorship
of Friday evening's Oneg Shabbat.**

PULPIT FLOWERS

**Pulpit flowers at Sabbath services
this weekend are the generous
donation of our congregants:**

*In commemoration of
Vivian Schulte's birthday*

*Marne Obernauer, Jr. and
Matthew and Michael Obernauer
in loving memory of
Marion Gislason Obernauer*

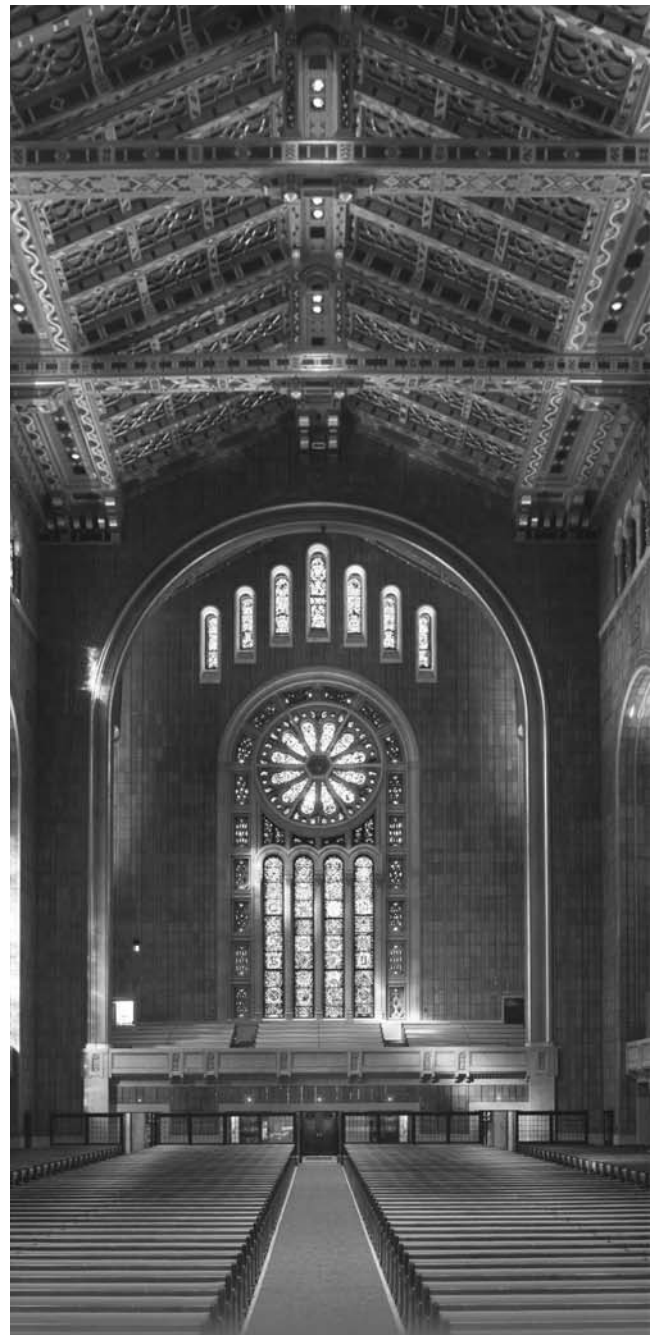
**The Cemeteries of Congregation Emanu-El
Salem Fields and Beth-El**

A limited number of above-ground crypts are available in our community mausoleum. For information, please call Dr. Mark W. Weisstuch at the Temple Office, (212) 744-1400.

Charles S. Salomon

The Universal Funeral Chapel

1076 Madison Avenue (212) 753-5300
Our service is available in the Temple, home, or our Chapel.



**SANCTUARY
REVEALED**

THE RESTORATION OF AN
ARCHITECTURAL ICON

**On view at the Bernard Museum
of Judaica through April 16, 2007**

Museum hours:

**Sunday through Thursday,
10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
(212) 744-1400, ext. 259**

Mark your calendars for these upcoming “MITZVAH” ACTIVITIES!



HABITAT for HUMANITY Sunday, January 14, 2007

We will build with Habitat-NYC at a site on Halsey Street in the Bedford-Stuyvesant neighborhood of Brooklyn. Volunteers must be 16 years or older. Some heavy lifting and walking up stairs is involved. Dress warmly—We work rain or shine! Round trip transportation will be provided (**departing Emanu-El at 8 a.m., returning by 4 p.m.**) Space is extremely limited, sign up soon!

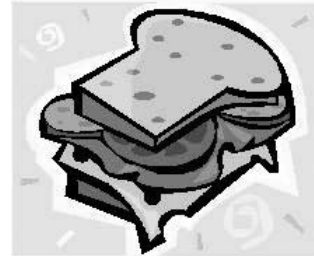
Team Emanu-El will be working alongside volunteers from Central Synagogue, Kehilat Hadar, Anshe Chesed, the Pratt Institute for Community Development, the Pratt Area Community Council, Youth Bridge Fellows and the Jewish Community Relations Council.



STITCH'N TIME Sunday, January 21, 2007

Calling all knitters and crocheters! Attend our group session in the Women's Auxiliary lounge (Room 602) or work at home. **The group session runs from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.** Enter at One East 65th Street. All ages are welcome!

SANDWICHES on SUNDAY & COOKIES and MILK Sunday, January 28, 2007



Volunteers are needed to make sandwiches and bake cookies to help feed the hungry. Participants are asked to contribute two loaves of sliced bread. Children under age 12 must be accompanied by a "parent partner." **We will meet in Blumenthal Hall at 12 p.m.** Enter at 10 East 66th Street.

**To register for these events, call (212) 744-1400,
ext. 452 or e-mail tetikunolam@yahoo.com.**

NOTE: Community Service certificates are available for Temple Emanu-El teens.

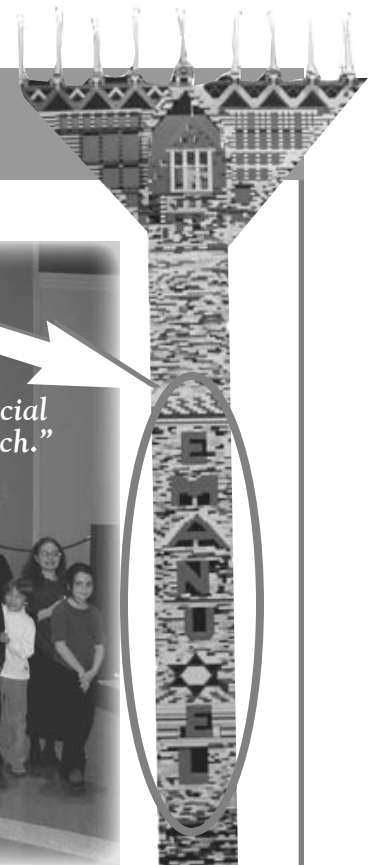
AROUND THE TEMPLE



The halls of Emanu-El were filled with much Chanukah cheer thanks to various events organized for Temple members, including an evening building a Chanukah menorah from 50,000 LEGO® pieces!



Participants customized the menorah base with a special "Emanu-El touch."



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