

TEMPLE BETH EMETH of SCOTTSDALE DECEMBER 2022



DECEMBER PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As the days get shorter and the temperatures cooler my thoughts turn to Chanukah. In recent years our holiday has become a symbol for people to call the holiday season. However, Chanukah has nothing at all to do with Christmas. I don't believe there could be two holidays at further polar opposites!

I believe the comparison has become important for a few reasons. I believe with the advent of mixed marriages it has become important to celebrate a common holiday at this time of year. Also, people want to call this time of year the holiday season instead of Christmas.

Personally I would rather have public celebrations called and defined by what they are. I know for example, if I attend an event called 'stroll in the glow' and it turns out to be a Christmas celebration I would be very disappointed.

In any case, Chanukah is coming and it is fun to celebrate the holiday. Listen to the Megillah. Go out and eat something fried! There are lots of ways to celebrate.

We hope to see you at services, and we wish you a healthy and happy year.

Clyde Hurtig President

OFFICERS FOR 2020-2022

Vice President Harvey Roberts
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MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

Joan Abrahamson Ira Goldenberg Sandy Stein Harriet Williams



COMING EVENTS

Birthdays

Joan Abrahamson

December 19th

BOARD MEETING ON DECEMBER 12th at 11 AM

By TELEPHONE

You will call this number [1-435-777-2200](tel:1-435-777-2200),
Then enter the Conference ID [3364160](tel:3364160),
Then press <#>



SERVICES



December 3rd Shabbat at 10 AM
Other dates announced by Email

December 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				7th of Kislev	1 8th of Kislev 5:00p Candle lighting	2 9th of Kislev Parshas Vayetzei 5:59p Havdalah Service
10th of Kislev	11th of Kislev	12th of Kislev	13th of Kislev	14th of Kislev	8 15th of Kislev 5:01p Candle lighting	9 16th of Kislev Parshas Vayishlach 6:00p Havdalah ?
17th of Kislev	18th of Kislev Board Meeting 11 AM PHONE	19th of Kislev	20th of Kislev	21st of Kislev	15 22nd of Kislev 5:03p Candle lighting	16 23rd of Kislev Parshas Vayeshev 6:02p Havdalah No Service
24th of Kislev 5:49p Chanukah: 1 Candle DAY 1	25th of Kislev 5:50p Chanukah: 2 Candles Happy Birthday Joan	26th of Kislev 5:50p Chanukah: 3 Candles	27th of Kislev 5:51p Chanukah: 4 Candles	28th of Kislev 5:51p Chanukah: 5 Candles	22 29th of Kislev 5:06p Chanukah: 6 Candles 5:06p Candle lighting	23 30th of Kislev 6:06p Chanukah: 7 Candles Rosh Chodesh Teves Parshas Miketz 6:06p Havdalah NO Service
1st of Teves, 5783 5:53p Chanukah: 8 Candles Rosh Chodesh Teves	2nd of Teves	3rd of Teves	4th of Teves	5th of Teves	29 6th of Teves 5:10p Candle lighting	30 7th of Teves Parshas Vayigash 6:10p Havdalah ?



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For a Tree of Life Leaf, to honor a special occasion or special person, Please call 480-941-4112. Please complete the dedication information "In honor of....." (Limit to 3 short lines). The cost is \$25.00 for each leaf.

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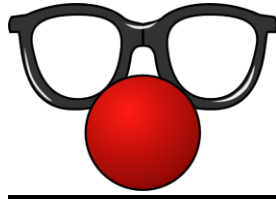
Other Notes _____

Mail to: Temple Beth Emeth, PO Box 2831, Scottsdale, AZ 85252-2831



Yahrzeit

ENGLISH DATE	HEBREW DATE	NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO MEMBER	KADDISH DATE
12/06/22	12	Sarah Lisitza	M/ of Harriet Williams	12/03/22
12/09/22	15	Helen Schwartz	M /of Agnes Lazar	12/03/22
12/09/22	15	Albert Newman	F/ of Arline Cypress	12/03/22
12/10/22	16	Hilliard Bloom	Former Member	12/10/22
12/11/22	17	Sam Rottenberg	F / of Sharon and Janet Rottenberg	12/10/22
12/13/22	19	Nettie Sacks	W/ of Harold Sacks	12/10/22
12/16/22	22	Harry Weingarten	F / of Bernie Weingarten	12/10/22
12/17/22	23	Sam Horowitz	F/I/L of Renee Horowitz	12/17/22
12/17/22	23	Maurice Titkinsky	Previous Member	12/17/22
12/17/22	23	Sidney Bitman	F/ of Cyril Yirchott	12/17/22
12/20/22	26	Shirley Lorraine Hurtig	M/ of Clyde Hurtig	12/17/22
12/22/22	28	Blanche Bitman	M/ of Cyril Yirchott	12/17/22
12/23/22	29	Martin Sosna	F/ of Jay Sosna	12/17/22
12/23/22	29	Abraham Cohen	B/ of Fran Golob	12/17/22
12/24/22	30	Bernie Weingarten	H/ of Kayla Weingarten	12/24/22
	Tevet			
12/25/22	1	Al Scherer	U / of Sandy Stein	12/24/22
12/25/22	1	Elsie Fogelson	S/ of Harriet Williams	12/24/22
12/29/22	5	Alfred Stein	F/I /L of Sandy Stein	12/24/22
12/30/22	6	Abe Farkas	F/ of Karen Farkas	12/24/22
01/03/23	10	Rivka Yetta Bitman	GM/ of Cyril Yirchott	12/31/22
01/03/23	10	William Weisel	F / of Ruth Leighton	12/31/22
01/03/23	10	Rick Farkas	B/ of Karen Farkas	12/31/22
01/04/23	11	Ruth Bloom	W / of Hilliard Bloom	12/31/22



December Holiday Humor

- Mary goes to the post office to buy stamps for her Hanukkah cards one year. She says to the cashier, "Please may I have 50 Hanukkah stamps?" The cashier asks, "What denomination?" Miriam says, "Oy vey, has it come to this? Okay, give me 6 Orthodox, 12 Conservative, and 32 Reform."
- One Hanukkah, a Jewish husband said to his wife, "I think there's something wrong with these latkes, dear. They taste awful." His wife replied, "That shows you what you know. The recipe book says they're delicious."
- Which hand is it better to light the menorah with? Neither, it's best to light it with a candle.
- One day, Benjamin went to buy some stamps to send out his Hanukkah cards. He asked the clerk, "Do I have to stick them on myself?" The clerk replied, "Well, it'd be better if you stuck them on the envelopes."
- How can you recognize a Hanukkah hippie? He's the one with his hair in dreidel-locks.
- How much Hanukkah gelt did the skunk get? One scent.
- What did the older Hanukkah candle say to the younger one? You're too young to smoke.
- What's the best Hanukkah gift for someone who has everything? A burglar alarm.
- I asked the waiter if my latkes would be long. He said, "No sir, they'll be round."
- What did the stamp say to the Hanukkah card? Stick with me and we'll go places.
- How did Pharaoh successfully enslave the Jews? He created a pyramid scheme.