



# Temple Emanuel of the Merrimack Valley

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5780 Ritual Calendar (2019-2020)

Regular service in **black**

Special services in **blue**

Family/Tot programs in **red**

Actual holy day date in **green**

## September

- 6 6:00p Pre-neg; 6:30p Welcome back service
- 13 7:30p Erev Shabbat
- 20 7:30p Erev Shabbat/Sunwheel
- 27 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 29 8:00p Erev Rosh Hashana
- 30 10:00a Rosh Hashana Day 1
- 3:00p Rosh Hashana Family Service

## October

- 4 7:30p Erev Shabbat/Shabbat Shuva
- 6 6:00p Pre-neg; 6:30p Welcome back service
- 8 8:00p Kol Nidre
- 9 10:00a Yom Kippur Morning 12:30 Adult Study
- 2:00p YK Family Service
- 4:00p Afternoon/Torah Service
- 5:00p Yizkor
- 6:15p Neilah
- 11 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 18 6:00p Tot Shabbat; 6:30p community dinner; 7:30p Shabbat Sukkot
- 25 7:30p Erev Shabbat

## November

- 1 6:15p Family and Ya'akov Lantern Service; 7:00p dinner
- 8 7:30p Erev Shabbat
- 15 7:00p Erev Shabbat/New Members/Bell Choir
- 22 7:30p Erev Shabbat
- 29 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led** (Thanksgiving weekend)

## December

- 6 6:00p Pre-neg; 6:30 Erev Shabbat/Human Rights Shabbat;  
Guests from Intro to Judaism Class
- 13 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led** (URJ Biennial; rabbi & prez away)
- 20 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 27 5:30p Tot Shabbat; 6:00 dinner; 6:45 Intergenerational Shabbat Hanuka & Sunwheel

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January

- 3 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 10 6:00p Pre-neg; 6:30p Erev Shabbat
- 17 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 24 7:00p **Learners' Minyan**
- 31 7:30p Erev Shabbat

February

- 1 **SATURDAY, 4:00pm – Pajama Havdala and Pizza Party**
- 7 7:00p Erev Shabbat/Shabbat Shira – Songs of Hope and Freedom singalong
- 9 11:00am, **SUNDAY: Tu Bishvat study and craft (joint program with school)**
- 14 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 21 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 28 7:30p Erev Shabbat

March

- 6 6:00p Pre-neg; 6:30p Erev Shabbat and Purim Megillah
- 9/10 **PURIM**
- 13 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 20 7:00p Erev Shabbat, Women's Shabbat, Sunwheel/spring blessings
- 27 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**

April

- 3 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 8-16 **PASSOVER**
- 10 6:00p **Community Seder**
- 17 7:30p Erev Shabbat with Yizkor – **lay led**
- 24 6:00p Pre-neg; 6:30p Erev Shabbat
- 26 **SUNDAY, 10am Annual Meeting**

May

- 1 7:30 Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 8 6:15 **Erev Shabbat: Siyyum Hasefer and Family service with potluck dinner & oneg**
- 15 6:00p Pre-neg; 6:30p Erev Shabbat and Board Installation
- 22 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 28-30 **SHAVUOT**
- 29 7:30p Erev Shabbat/Shavuot observed with Leil Tikkun learning/Yizkor; dairy oneg

June

- 5 7:30p Erev Shabbat – **lay led**
- 12 7:30p Erev Shabbat/Pride Shabbat
- 19 6:15 **Erev Shabbat: Family service followed by potluck dinner & oneg**
- 26 7:30 Erev Shabbat – **lay led**