Congregation Emanu-El Israel



Solidarity Shabbat Service

November 2, 2018

Olam Chesed Yibaneh

עוֹלָם חֶסֶד יִבָנֶה

*Olam chesed yibaneh*    
  
I will build this world from love... yai dai dai   
And you must build this world from love... yai dai dai   
And if we build this world from love... yai dai dai   
Then God will build this world from love... yai dai dai

Speakers – Pastor Paul Gruesu, Pastor John Smaligo

We are Assembled – Father James Podlesny

We are assembled with our friends

In the shadow that has fallen on this house.

We raise our voices together

In prayer to the Source of life,

asking for comfort and strength.

We need light when gloom darkens our home;

To whom shall we look, if not to the Creator of light?

We need fortitude and courage when pain and loss assail us.

Some bear fresh wounds in their hearts, and therefore feel more keenly the kinship of sorrow; others, still recall the comfort that sympathy brought to their sorrowing hearts.

We are travelers on the same road, together.

בָּרְכוּ אֶת ה' הַמְברָךְ*Barchu et Adonai Ham’vorach*

בָּרוּךְ ה' הַמְברָךְ לְעולָם וָעֶד*Baruch Adonai Ham’vorach l’olam vaed*

Speaker – Mayor Robert Bell

A Prayer for Creation – Reverend Lawrence Manchas

O God, You are as near as

The very air we breathe,

Yet farther than the farthermost start.

We yearn to reach You.

We seek the light and warmth of your presence.

Though we say You are near,

We are lonely and alone.

O let our desire be so strong

That it will tear the veil that keeps you from our sight!

Let your light release our darkness

And reveal the glory Your Presence.

Speaker – Monsignor Raymond Riffle, Major Earnest Fullwood

A Prayer for Love – Father Jeffrey Wylie

All goodness and truth are Yours, O God;

May no evil estrange us from You.

Let error not confound us;

Help us understand Your will.

In adversity and prosperity, may Your law be our light.

May our deeds reflect Your love.

שְׁמַע יִשרָאֵל ה' אֱלהֵינוּ ה’ אֶחָד

*Shema Yisrael, Adonai Eloheinu, Adonai Echad*

בָּרוּךְ שֵׁם כְּבוד מַלְכוּתו לְעולָם וָעֶד

*Baruch shem k’vod malchuto l’olam va’ed*

An Alternative V’Ahavta – Reverend Donna Havrisko

Working is another way of praying.

You plant in Israel the soul of a tree.

You plant in the desert the spirit of gardens.

Prayer is another way of singing.

You plant in the tree the soul of lemons.

You plant in the gardens the spirit of roses.

Singing is another way of loving.

You plant in the lemons the spirit of your son.

You plant in the roses the soul of your daughter.

Loving is another way of living.

You plant in your daughter the spirit of Israel.

You plant in your son the soul of the desert.

Speaker – Pastor Bill Schaefer

Standing on the Parted Shores – Rabbi Sara Perman

Standing on the parted shores of history

We still believe what we were taught

Before ever we stood at Sinai’s foot;

That wherever we go, it is eternally Egypt;

That there is a better place, a promised land;

That the winding way to that promise

Passes through the wilderness.

That there is no way to get from here to there

Except by joining hands, marching together.

מִי כָמכָה בָּאֵלִים ה'

מִי כָּמכָה נֶאְדָּר בַּקּדֶשׁ

נורָא תְהִלּות עשה פֶלֶא

*Mi chamocha baelim Adonai*

*Mi kamocha ne’dar bakodesh*

*Nora t’hilot oseh fele*

מַלְכוּתְךָ רָאוּ בָנֶיךָ

בּוקֵעַ יָם לִפְנֵי משֶׁה

זֶה אֵלִי עָנוּ. וְאָמְרוּ: ה' יִמְלךְ לְעלָם וָעֶד

*Malchutcha ra’u vanecha*

*Boke’a yam lifnei Moshe u’Miriam*

*Zeh eli anu v’amru: Adonai yimloch l’olam va’ed*

Give Us a Place – Reverend Thomas Kennedy

Give us a place to rest, O God.

Bring us into shelter

In the soft long, evening shadows of Your truth.

For with You are true protection and safety,

And in Your Presence is gentle love.

Watch over us as we go forth.

Prepare for us as we return.

Spread over us your shelter of peace,

Over all we love – over our Jerusalem and Yours.

וְשמְרוּ בְנֵי יִשרָאֵל אֶת הַשּבָּת. לַעֲשות אֶת הַשּבָּת לְדרתָם בְּרִית עולָם: בֵּינִי וּבֵין בְּנֵי יִשרָאֵל אות הִיא לְעולָם. כִּי ששת יָמִים עָשה ה' אֶת הַשּמַיִם וְאֶת הָאָרֶץ. וּבַיּום הַשּבִיעִי שבַת וַיִּנָּפַש

*V'shamru v’nei Yisrael et hashabbat. La’asot et hashabbat l’dorotam b’rit olam. Beini u’vein b’nei Yisrael ot hi l’olam. Ki sheshet yamim asah et hashamayim v’et ha’aretz. Uvayom hashvi’i shavat vayinafash.*

Speaker – County Commissioner Gina Cerilli

אֲדנָי שפָתַי תִּפְתָּח וּפִי יַגִּיד תְּהִלָּתֶךָ

*Adonai s’fatai tiftach ufi yagid t’hilatecha*

Adonai, open up my lips that my mouth may declare Your praise.

Silent Prayer

**After a Deadly Anti-Semitic Attack – Rabbi Sara Perman**  
Author of life,  
Man has turned violent, cutting down innocents  
Crushing lives, upending dreams,  
Attacking hope with hatred.

Source and Creator,  
Grant a perfect rest under your tabernacle of peace  
To the victims of murder in  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
Whose lives were cut off by violence,  
An act of witless aggression  
And calculated anti-Semitism.

Remember the survivors of this horror,  
And the victims of any violence, suffering or despair.  
Grant them shelter and solace,  
Comfort and consolation,  
Blessing and renewal.

Grant them endurance to survive,  
Strength to rebuild, faith to mourn,  
Courage to heal, and devotion to each other.

Heavenly Guide,  
Hand of love and shelter,  
Put an end to anger and hatred, bigotry and fear,  
And lead us to a time when no one  
Suffers at the hand of another.

For the sake of our people,  
And for the sake of Your Holy Name,  
Grant the Jews of the United States and of the whole world  
Your protection,  
Your wholeness and healing,  
And Your peace.

שלום רָב עַל יִשרָאֵל עַמְּךָ תָּשים לְעולָם כִּי אַתָּה הוּא מֶלֶךְ אָדון לְכָל הַשּלום וְטוב בְּעֵינֶיךָ לְבָרֵךְ אֶת עַמְּךָ יִשרָאֵל בְּכָל עֵת וּבְכָל שעָה בִּשלומֶךָ

*Shalom rav al Yisrael am’cha tasim l’olam. Ki Atah hu melekh adon l’chol hashalom. V’tov b’einecha l’varech et amcha Yisrael b’chol eit uv’chol sha’ah bishlomecha*Prayer for the Tree of Life Synagogue in Pittsburgh – Pastor Bob McKie

Tree of Life,  
Revive our souls,  
Enrich our days,   
Entreating Your blessings. 

Oh, God of Peace,   
Fill our hearts with comfort,  
Letting Your Torah shine,   
In the fullness of our love.   
Faith in You, our God,   
Eternal Source of blessings.

Praying for healing   
In the depths of despair,   
Thanking God for the survivors,   
Thanking God for the first responders,   
Sorrow crushing our hearts,   
Bereaved beyond belief,   
United in our love,   
Returning to You in faith,   
God of Israel,   
Healer of generations.

Tree of Life,   
Redeemer of Israel,   
Enliven this moment with healing,   
Enliven this moment with hope. 

Oh, Rock of Israel,   
Forget not the Jews of Pittsburgh.   
Let Your love flow   
In the days ahead   
For justice and peace   
​Everlasting.

D’var Torah – Rabbi Stacy Petersohn

Mi Shebeirach

מִי שֶׁבֵּרַךְ אֲבוֹתֵֽנוּ מְקוֹר הַבְּרָכָה לְאִמּוֹתֵֽנוּ

*Mi sheberakh avoteinu*  
*M'kor habrakhah l'imoteinu*

May the source of strength who blessed the ones before us,  
Help us find the courage to make our lives a blessing  
And let us say: Amen.

מִי שֶׁבֵּרַךְ אִמּוֹתֵֽנוּ מְקוֹר הַבְּרָכָה לַאֲבוֹתֵֽנוּ

*Mi sheberakh imoteinu  
M'kor habrakhah l'avoteinu*

Bless those in need of healing with *refuah sh'leimah*  
The renewal of body, the renewal of spirit  
And let us say: Amen.

We Say Shalom

We say Shalom, and not goodbye,

For shalom

Is goodbye and hello and wholeness and peace

All threaded together in one breath,

And in one breath we too say goodbye…

To a hand to hold, a kiss, and a tight embrace,

And in the same breath of shalom

We say hello

To an ocean of memories and a rush of emotion,

Gratitude and sorrow,

Tears and laughter and trembling and fatigue

All in one breath.

El Male Rachamim

*El male rachamim*אֵל מָלֵא רַחֲמִים

*Shochein bam’romim*שֹׁוכֵן בַּמְּרוֹמִים

*Hamtzei m’nuchah n’chonah*הַמְצֵא מְנוּחָה נְכוֹנָה

*Tachat kanfei hash’chinah*תַּחַת כַּנְפֵי הַשְׁכִינָה

*Im k’doshim ut’horim*עִם קְדוֹשִׁים וּטְהוֹרִים

*K’zohar harakia mazhirim*כְּזוֹהָר הָרָקִיעַ מַזְהִירִים

*L’nishmot yakireinu*לְנִשְׁמוֹת יַקִּירֵינוּ

*Shehalchu l’olamam*שֶׁהָלְכוּ לְעוֹלָמָם

*Baal harachamim yastireim*בַּעַל הָרַחֲמִים יַסְתִּירֵם

*B’seiter k’nafav l’olamim*בְּסֵתֶר כְּנָפָיו לְעוֹלָמִים

*V’yitzror bitzror hachayim*וְיִצְרוֹר בִּצְרוֹר הָחַיִים

*Et nishmatam Adonai hu*אֶת נִשְׁמָתָם יְיָ הוּא

*Nachalatam v’yanuchu vshalom*נַחֲלָתָם וְיָנוּחוּ וְשָׁלוֹם

*Al mishkavam v’nomar: Amen*עַל מִשְׁכָּבָם וְנוֹמָר אָמֵן

Merciful God, God most High:

Let there be perfect rest

For the souls of our loved ones

Who have gone into eternity.

May the find shelter in Your presence

Among the holy and pure

Whose light shines like the radiance of heaven.

Compassionate God,

Hold them close to You forever.

May their souls be bound up in the bond of life eternal.

May the find a home in You.

And may they rest in peace.

Together we say: Amen

[**קדיש יתום**](https://www.sefaria.org/Siddur_Ashkenaz,_Weekday,_Minchah,_Concluding_Prayers,_Kaddish_Yatom)Mourner's Kaddish

יִתְגַּדַּל וְיִתְקַדַּשׁ שְׁמֵהּ רַבָּא.

בְּעָלְמָא דִּי בְרָא כִרְעוּתֵהּ וְיַמְלִיךְ מַלְכוּתֵהּ בְּחַיֵּיכון וּבְיומֵיכון וּבְחַיֵּי דְכָל בֵּית יִשרָאֵל בַּעֲגָלָא וּבִזְמַן קָרִיב, וְאִמְרוּ אָמֵן:

יְהֵא שְׁמֵהּ רַבָּא מְבָרַךְ לְעָלַם וּלְעָלְמֵי עָלְמַיָּא:

יִתְבָּרַךְ וְיִשְׁתַּבַּח וְיִתְפָּאַר וְיִתְרומַם וְיִתְנַשּא וְיִתְהַדָּר וְיִתְעַלֶּה וְיִתְהַלָּל שְׁמֵהּ דְּקֻדְשָׁא. בְּרִיךְ הוּא. לְעֵלָּא מִן כָּל בִּרְכָתָא וְשִׁירָתָא תֻּשְׁבְּחָתָא וְנֶחֱמָתָא דַּאֲמִירָן בְּעָלְמָא. וְאִמְרוּ אָמֵן:

יְהֵא שְׁלָמָא רַבָּא מִן שְׁמַיָּא וְחַיִּים עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשרָאֵל. וְאִמְרוּ אָמֵן:

עושה שָׁלום בִּמְרומָיו הוּא יַעֲשה שָׁלום עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשרָאֵל וְאִמְרוּ אָמֵן:

May God’s great name come to be magnified and sanctified in the world God brought into being.

May God’s majestic reign prevail soon in your lives, in your days, and in the life of the whole House of Israel; and let us say: Amen

May God’s great name be blessed to the end of time.

May God’s holy name come to be blessed, acclaimed, and glorified; revered, raised, and beautified; honored and praised.

Blessed is the one who is entirely beyond all the blessings and hymns, all the praises and words comfort that we speak in the world;

And let us say: Amen

Let perfect peace abound; let there be abundant life for us and for all Israel. May the one who makes peace in the high heavens, make peace for us, all Israel, and all who dwell on earth;

And let us say: Amen

Shofar Blast

Kiddush

Ending Song: Olam Chesed Yibaneh