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SUKKOT

Wednesday, October 12

5:30pm bring your own dinner

6:30pm Festival Service

Sukkot Day Service

Thursday, October 13

10:30am - The Legacy



SIMCHAT TORAH

Simchat Torah Festival Service

Wednesday, October 19

5:30pm Dinner (by reservation)

6:30pm Consecration and

Festival Service

Simchat Torah Day Service

with Yizkor

Thursday, October 20

10:30am - The Legacy

Temple Shalom

Would Like to Invite You

to a Very Special Shabbat Service & Reception

To Welcome Our Newest Temple Members To Our Family.

Friday, November 4

6:00pm Wine and Cheese Reception

6:30pm Service with Special Blessing

We hope you will join us as we pay tribute to our newest Temple members.

I Was Just Thinking...



I love a good map. Being a visual learner, maps have always captivated and peaked my curiosity. I always wondered if the squiggly lines on the map actually translated into squiggly lines on the ground. And how is it and when is it that a map changes? In my lifetime, I don't recall an area of land that has changed shape more dramatically than the map of the land of Israel.

I was born 8 months after the 6 day war. I grew up with a map of Israel that included all of the west bank, Gaza and the Sinai Peninsula. I also grew up watching that map change in 1973 with the addition of the Golan Heights and a part of Egypt just over the Gulf of Suez; in 1975, after a partial Israeli withdrawal from the Sinai; another withdrawal from the Sinai in 1980, and a final withdrawal from the Sinai in 1982. In 2005, when control over Gaza was turned over to the Palestinians, it represented yet another map change. And now in 2011, we are witnessing the beginning of a radical map change that might alter the face of the middle East maps forever.

Last month, Palestinian Authority President Mahmud Abbas asked the United Nations to approve what amounts to a unilateral declaration of Palestinian statehood. Palestinian spokesmen say they had no choice but to make their end run around serious negotiations with Israel—because what Israel is offering in such negotiations is just a fraction of the territory to which the Palestinians are entitled.

According to historian Diana Applebaum, to appreciate the hubris in this justification, it helps to recall a historical fact: Virtually no nation founded in modern times has been born in possession of all the territory to which it could lay plausible claim. Settling for half a loaf - that is, statehood in a territory significantly smaller than the historic or desired homeland - is the price that most national liberation movements have paid for self-determination and international recognition.

Giuseppe Garibaldi, the pre-eminent military leader of 19th-century Italian unification, was born to an Italian family in Nice, where most inhabitants spoke the language of northern Italy. One of Garibaldi's goals was to unify the Italian peninsula into a single state, including Nice. When a peace treaty was imposed giving the city to France in exchange for statehood, Count Cavour, the political leader of the nationalist movement, at one point tendered his resignation as prime minister.

When the treaty was ratified, there were riots in the streets of Nice, and thousands moved across the new border to Italy rather than be ruled by France. French possession of Nice was the price Italy paid for independence, recognition, and peace. Politics is the art of the possible.

Mustafa Kemal Ataturk, the founder of modern Turkey, was born in Salonika. It had been an Ottoman city for four centuries. During most of that time, Jews were the largest ethnic group in the population; for many years they were a majority. But the city also had a large and powerful community

of Ottoman Muslims—including not only Ataturk, who was born there in 1881, but most of the leadership of the modernizing Young Turks. In 1912 the Greeks conquered the city and renamed it Thessalonica. After World War I, Greece suffered a military defeat by the Turks. But in the 1923 Treaty of Lausanne, Thessalonica was ceded to Greece in return for recognition of the Republic of Turkey, with internationally settled borders.

This has been the pattern. Greece, for its part, achieved national independence in 1823. At that time it was a tiny statelet, with territory ending just north of Athens. Mount Olympus, the plain of Thessaly, Constantinople, Homer's birthplace, and most of the world's Greeks were beyond its borders. In 1919, the Treaty of Versailles created a series of independent states for previously stateless peoples, including Poles, Lithuanians, Latvians, Estonians, Czechs, and Slovaks. None of these states had the borders that their people's leaders wanted. In 1947, Lord Mountbatten drew a line across the map of India. With his stroke, the Indus Valley, the cradle

of Indian civilization and then home to millions of Hindus, was excluded from the new nation of India. A long and bloody ethnic cleansing by Pakistani Muslims has left the Indus Valley almost without Hindus. They moved across the line to India, which flourishes inside the arbitrary line that Mountbatten drew.

Just this summer, the primarily Christian and animist South Sudan assumed statehood with gratitude and hope, despite a border that excludes the heavily Christian province of Abyei. Meanwhile large, historic peoples, including Kurds, Tibetans, Baluch, Pashtun, Sri Lankan Tamils, and Uyghurs, can only dream of an opportunity for national self-determination. Most would accept sovereignty even over a piece of their historic homeland no larger than a postage stamp, as long as it was a place in which they could determine their own fate and cultivate their unique history and culture.

In 1937, the Zionist leader Ze'ev Jabotinsky asked "merely for a small fraction" of the "vast piece of land" that included modern-day Israel. And in 1948, that is precisely what the United Nations offered the Jews, reserving the larger part of the land west of the Jordan for Arabs. Jews accepted the UN's offer even though the heart of the biblical kingdoms, Judea, Samaria, and Jerusalem, lay outside its borders. Arab leaders rejected the offer, launching a war to destroy the Jewish state instead of seizing the opportunity to build an Arab Palestine.

Garibaldi and Ataturk achieved statehood at the cost of ceding the cities of their birth to rival nations. When the goal of a national movement is to build a state in which a treasured language, literature, and culture can flourish and be passed on to new generations, the leaders of the movement will pay such a price.

In contrast, if leaders of a national movement declare that they will not even negotiate until they have been promised every square inch of the land that they regard as their historic homeland, they are effectively announcing to the world that they are not prepared to assume a responsible place in the

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Rites and Passages



Onward to *Sukkot* and the joyous singing of *Hallel!* “What?” By the time you read this, *Yom Kippur* will soon be upon us. It is that awesome holy day. The liturgy encourages us to focus on our past deeds, both good and not so good because, as our tradition teaches, “On *Rosh Hashanah* our fate is written in the Book of Life (or not!), and on *Yom Kippur* the Book is sealed.” This is a very frightening proposition and much of the music is mysterious and foreboding. Thank goodness, then, that just six days later we gather to celebrate the festival of *Sukkot*. During this holiday the music is joyous and, in traditional synagogues, everyone has their personal *lulav* and *etrog*. During the morning service there is an addition to the regular prayers: the chanting of Psalms 113 – 118. This group of poems that praise God is called *Hallel*. *Hallel* means praise and the themes in each are expressions of thanksgiving and joy for God’s redemption. This is fitting since the week before we were praying for a good year and now we can rejoice that, so far, we’ve made it at least to another week. *Hallel* is also recited during the 8 days of *Hanukkah*, on the first day of *Pesach*, and also *Shavuot*. The medieval Jewish sages disagree whether this tradition is of early Biblical origin (some believe Moses and Joshua recited *Hallel*) or perhaps it was instituted later by the prophets (like Deborah). We do know that some form of *Hallel* existed during the time of the Second Temple. The Talmud relates that it was chanted by the Levites during sacrificial ceremonies.

There are three different forms that *Hallel* can take: The standard *Hallel*, Psalms 113-118 is sometimes referred to as the *Hallel ha-Mitsri* (The Egyptian *Hallel*, since Psalms 114 refers to the Exodus). Our prayer book has an abridged version beginning on page 560. The six Psalms are represented but not complete. This *Hallel* is like the second variety. It’s called the *Cha-tzi Hallel* (Half-*Hallel*) and is a shortened form of the first. Finally, *Hallel ha-Gadol* (“The Great *Hallel*”) is just Psalm 136. Its 26 verses, according to the Talmud, are said to parallel the 26 generations of mankind from creation to the giving of the Torah on Mount Sinai. Our prayer book offers an even shorter *Hallel* which might be used during an evening festival service, (page 558).

Hallel can be recited by anyone at any time during the festivals. Why not open a prayer book during the holiday of *Sukkot* (and at the same time enjoy our new Congregational Gathering Space) and read them in English? You will be participating in an ancient ritual and, perhaps, become acquainted with these exquisitely written poems.

Chag Sukkot Samei-ach (Have a happy holiday of *Sukkot*),

Cantor Don Alan Croll
dcroll@templeshalomdallas.org



I opened up my Facebook Page today and was inundated with “friends” posting all things related to *Rosh Hashanah*. There was a music video for a “Sha Sha Sha Na Na Na Tova” song. There was a comedy piece about the High Holy Days. And the best was the Muppets singing to the tune “Munumuna ba ba ba da dah”... Shana Tova ba ba da dah.” All of them served to bring a smile to my face and remind me that a new year is coming.

I know that *Rosh Hashanah* is often a time to reflect on the year just past and think about the coming year. But, I don’t know. Every year when I know that *Rosh Hashanah* is around the corner, I start to get just a bit excited. It often coincides with the beginning of the Religious School year. That’s exciting, but not what I am talking about. It also coincides with cooler air coming into Dallas. That’s really exciting, but also not what I am talking about. The excitement I am talking about is one of possibility. Every year I have sat in High Holy Day services since as long as I can remember, I often find myself drifting away from the majesty of the music and prayers and into my own thoughts. And, somehow, every year, the idea that this New Year that’s starting is a complete and totally clean slate. Sure, there are certain things already on the calendar – kid’s birthdays, graduations, weddings, holidays, Israel trips – but the non-predetermined things are the ones I am talking about. Each year, God gives us the opportunity to try something new, do something daring, and just plain old shake it up a bit. Some years I am more ready than others to scare myself a bit. And some years I have needed the soothing nature of same old, same old. But, each year, I know that the possibilities are endless. It is my hope for each of us that we recognize the world of possibility this year brings and that each of us finds the courage to scare ourselves a bit and do something to challenge ourselves in new ways.

I hope that you will also take the opportunity this year to try a new program or class that we offer, or to join a havurah and create new relationships that connect you Jewishly. No matter what it is that you choose, please know that we are here to help you along that path of possibility.

Shana Tova u’metukah to you and your family,
Debbie Massarano, Director of Lifelong Learning
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community of nations. If Palestinian leaders are serious about taking their place in this community, they will need to make the kind of concession that Ataturk and Garibaldi, Greece, Poland, India, and Israel made. They would do well to recognize that the borders sought by some members of the movement are only aspirational, that the nation on the other side of the border also has a right to statehood, and that it will be necessary, finally, to settle down to the business of building a government, an economy, and a peaceful future. Let us pray that this year is finally a year of peace and calm for everyone.

Rabbi Andrew Paley
apaley@templeshalomdallas.org

LIFELONG LEARNING & RELIGIOUS SCHOOL



B'nei Mitzvah Family Retreat



For students and their parents with dates from August 2012 through May 2013.

This is a special opportunity to learn more about the process of becoming a Bar or Bat Mitzvah at Temple Shalom. We will take time to study a bit together, get to know the clergy a bit more, and begin to learn about your Torah portion.

Sunday, October 30

9:30am – 1:30pm

Radnitz Social Hall

Lunch is included

Younger siblings may join us following Religious School at noon. Please let us know if you will need childcare for children 2 - 4 years old.

Ongoing Adult Classes

Lunch and Learn

Wednesdays / 12:00-1:00pm / Learning Center

Get in the habit of enjoying a taste of Jewish text. This class, led by Rabbi Andrew Paley, explores relevant issues through the texts of the Talmud. You'll be amazed how these ancient teachings are relevant to your life today. Bring your lunch, and break up the day with a taste of Judaism.

Shabbat Torah Study

Every Saturday / 8:45-10:15am / Learning Center

Start your Shabbat morning with lively learning led by Rabbi Paley as we explore the weekly Torah portion. Enjoy the camaraderie with friends. Bagels and coffee provided 8:30-9:00am.

Judaica Study Class

Every other Saturday

9:00-10:00am / Board Room

The class consists of 15-20 people who study books which are significant to an understanding of Judaism. Books are selected by the members of the class who are encouraged to lead a discussion of the bi-weekly assigned readings. The class is open to anyone wishing to participate. Contact Morton Prager at 972-661-3999 for more information.

Bagels and Bible

Every Sunday Morning with Religious School

10:30am / Learning Center

Join Rabbi Paley for this opportunity to study Torah from the beginning. This class is designed for the beginning Torah study student.

More Than A Few Good Men

1st Tuesday of the Month: October 4

11:30am - 1:00pm - Bring Your Lunch

StrombergStock

Two Lincoln Centre, 5420 LBJ #300

All good men are invited to join Rabbi Paley for an inspirational and educational schmooze on the first Tuesday of each month. Bring a friend and enjoy discussing Jewish ethics and morality.

Upcoming Events:

October 2 & 9 No Religious School

October 11/12 & 18/19

No Midweek Hebrew or Next *Dor*

October 5 Sukkah Decorating Pizza Party

October 16 ****New date**** Second Grade Family

Education Day 9:30am

GFC Presentation 11:15am

October 19 Consecration & Congregational Dinner

October 30 B'nei Mitzvah Family Retreat

(9:30am-1:30pm for students with Bar/Bat Mitzvah dates between August 2012 – May 2013)



Greene Family Camp Presentation

Sunday, October 16

11:15am in the Radnitz Social Hall

Join us for an opportunity to learn about all that Greene Family Camp has to offer. It will also be an opportunity to see this year's video with lots of familiar faces. The past two summers, Temple Shalom has sent the most number of campers to GFC!!! We hope that your child will join in the summer fun next year.

This presentation is for our students and their families. So, parents – feel free to come and get more information about this amazing Jewish identity building opportunity.

Join us for services and dinner on

שמחת תורה

Simchat Torah

Wednesday evening, October 19

5:30pm

Dinner in the Social Hall

Simchat Torah and Consecration Service
will begin at 6:30pm
in the Sanctuary



Dinner will be catered by
Bubba's and Babe's Catering
Menu: Fried Chicken, vegetables, fruit, roll with butter and honey

\$10.00—Adults

\$7.00—Children ages 4-12

TO ORDER DINNER FOR OCTOBER 19,

PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM BELOW AND SEND IT AND YOUR PAYMENT TO:

TEMPLE SHALOM SIMCHAT TORAH DINNER, 6930 ALPHA ROAD, DALLAS 75240

PLEASE NOTE THE DEADLINE.....OCTOBER 12

after October 12 the cost of the dinner will be \$12.00 for adults and \$9.00 for children

NAMES OF THOSE ATTENDING: _____

PLEASE PRINT

NUMBER OF ADULT DINNERS: _____ @ \$10.00 = \$ _____

NUMBER OF CHILDREN'S DINNERS (AGES 4-12): _____ @ \$ 7.00 = \$ _____

CHILDREN 3 YEARS OF AGE AND UNDER - FREE! _____ @ \$.00 = \$ _____ 0.00

CHECK _____ CASH _____ TOTAL: \$ _____

MASTERCARD OR VISA # _____ EXP. DATE: _____

NAME AS IT APPEARS ON CARD: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ ZIP CODE: _____



IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE LIFELONG LEARNING OFFICE AT 972-661-1362

Consecration
Wednesday, October 19, 2011 6:30pm

Temple Shalom Consecration Class
2011-2012 / 5772

Deut. 6:7 “You shall teach them to your children...”

Brandt Bier

James and Rhonda Bier

Lane Biesman

Marc and Amy Biesman

Alexandra Bogoslavsky

Roman and Melinda Bogoslavsky

Sofia Coggan

David and Carolyn Coggan

Ethan Feinstein

Joey and Mica Feinstein

Grace Fermaglich

Joel and Sarah Fermaglich

Madison Fishman

Jason and Shana Fishman

Corbin Glass

Darren and Madeline Glass

Jeremy Gothard

Sander and Julie Gothard

Charlie Green

Zach and Lauren Green

Elana Harr

David and Barrett Harr

Gavin Liebnick

Bryan and Tara Liebnick

Owen Liebnick

Matthew and Nicole Liebnick

Hazel Lindsey

Norman and Mindy Lindsey

Emma Mallini

Karen Morguloff and Leanne Mallini

Jessica Mandel

Adam and Jami Mandel

Olivia Marcus

Stuart and Cindy Marcus

Rachel Rosenfeld

Phillip and Lisa Rosenfeld

Landon Rubin

Michael and Monika Rubin

Austin Selkin

Gil and Leona Selkin

Tyler Selkin

Gil and Leona Selkin

Shaina Starr

Marc and Rachel Starr

Jamie Thomas

Dan and Debra Thomas

Jordan Thomas

Dan and Debra Thomas

Teachers: Shelley Byers, Thelma Victor and Ashleigh White
Ozrim: Alexa Disraeli, Stephanie Butnick and Sydney Brobjorg

LIFELONG LEARNING & RELIGIOUS SCHOOL



Sukkot Happenings

October 5 Sukkah Decorating Pizza Party

Come help us decorate the sukkah at 5:30pm. All Wednesday Hebrew School students will join in as well. Pizza, drinks and fruit will be served at 6:00pm. Next *Dor* students – join in the sukkah at 6:00!

October 12 Erev Sukkot

Bring your dinner and join us in the Radnitz Social Hall at 5:30pm. There will be activities for our children as well as time to schmooze. Services begin at 6:30 and will be completed by 7:30 so you can get the little ones in bed at a reasonable hour. We'll provide drinks and a sweet oneg.

Know the 10 Signs: Early Detection Matters The 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's Disease

Presented by

Greg Zarbo

Manager, Early Detection Programs
Alzheimer's Association, Greater Dallas Chapter

Sunday, October 23

9:30am

in the Board Room

Enter through the main entrance of the Temple

Temple Shalom, in partnership with the Alzheimer's Association, is starting an Alzheimer's and Dementia "Caregiver's Day Out" program.

This will be a 6 month pilot program after which the program will be evaluated and determined if and how we should move forward.

The Alzheimer's Association will provide training of our volunteers on November 17th, program guidance, and ongoing support.

Temple Shalom will provide a safe, loving, nurturing environment for participants while giving their caregivers a much needed break from the continuous care they provide.

This is an opportunity for volunteers to do a mitzvah by giving a joyful, enriching experience to someone suffering from memory loss.

Our program begins December 8th and will be offered the 2nd and 4th Thursdays each month from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Lunch will be provided.

The caregiver will drop their loved one off at Temple Shalom where they will be met by a "special friend" volunteer.

Each participant will be matched with an appropriate volunteer and together with the group will spend a stimulating, creative few hours with activities such as music, playing games, arts and crafts, sharing of talents or special interest the volunteers may have.

If you are interested in finding out more about this program or volunteering, please contact Barbara Glazer – 972-931-9077 or email bbglazer@swbell.net.

SWJC AND TEMPLE SHALOM

Invite you to the second of a two-part panel discussion

“Are We Educating For Tomorrow?”

Part 2: Solutions that work! Tuesday, November 1

**Program starts at 7:00pm at
Temple Shalom**

Moderator



SHELLEY KOFLER, News Director KERA

Panelists for the November 1st program include:

- **JOHANNA BORTNEM**, Principle DISD's Dealey International Academy
- **DR. TERRY FLOWERS**, Headmaster St Philips
- **MIKE MORATH**, DISD Trustee
- **ROSEMARY PERLMETER**, Founder Uplift Education

Free and open to the public.

Space is limited, reservations are encouraged.

For reservations and more information contact

Susan: Tel: 214-361-0018 • email: susan@swjc.org

HIGH SCHOOL & YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Blue Jean Shabbat! Second Friday of the Month Grades 6-12

Join us for Blue Jean Shabbat the second Friday of the month for a service for students in grades 6-12 led by your peers! We'll enjoy camp-style song leading and a service where you are free to come as you are!

Students who attend and sign in will earn one worship credit for Next Dor. Feel free to bring a friend or two.

Attendees and their families are welcome to join us at Sweet Tomatoes (Montfort north of Beltline) for dinner following the service.

Sukkah Building Mitzvah

October 2 / 10:00am-1:00pm / Grades 8-12

If I had a hammer...Join as we help Brotherhood build the Sukkah and earn Mitzvah Hours for Next Dor! We'll meet at Temple rain or shine! Bring your closed toe shoes and a smile! We'll provide the tools and the snacks.

No prior experience necessary!

Greene Family Camp Comes to Temple Shalom

Saturday, October 15 / 6:00-9:00pm / Temple Shalom Radnitz Social Hall

Calling all Temple Shalom students in grades 1-4! Join with me and your favorite GFC assistant directors for a night of camp-style fun and games at Temple Shalom! You do not need to have attended Greene before to join us! We'll have games, snacks, and Havdalah!

Parents are welcome to join us at 6:00pm for light appetizers and a presentation about Greene Family Camp.

SHFTY/DAFTY Event

Saturday, October 22

The teens in grades 8-12 from Temple Shalom and Temple Emanu-El will be gathering together for an evening of fun! Drop off and pick up will be at Temple Shalom. Watch the SHFTY Facebook page for more details or contact Barrett Harr at BHarr@TempleShalomDallas.org

Considering Sending Your Teen to Israel?

Wednesday, October 26 / 7:30-8:30pm / Learning Center

Calling all parents of students in 9th and 10th grades. Are you considering sending your teen to Israel on one of the NFTY in Israel or BBYO programs? We'll meet and share the information that is available on the most popular trips, sources for scholarship money, and answer as many questions as we can about these transformative trips.

NFTY TOR Fall Conclave

October 28-30, 2011 in Missouri City, Texas

Save the date--All SHFTY members in grades 9-12 are welcome to join with us as we travel to Missouri City, Texas for a weekend hosted by Temple Beth El. We'll leave from Temple Shalom at 1:30 PM on Friday, October 28 and returning about 3:30 PM on Sunday October 30. Remember you must attend one local SHFTY event prior to each regional event in order to be eligible to attend. Qualifying events are Blue Jean Shabbat, SHFTY Goes to Adventure Landing, and the SHFTY/DAFTY event on October 22. We hope to see you there! Contact Barrett Harr at BHarr@TempleShalomDallas.org with any questions.

GFC Birthright Israel Trip

GFC Assistant Directors Stefani Rozen and Scott Braswell will be leading a Birthright Israel trip this winter (December/January) and we are hoping to get a GFC group together. If you, or someone you know, are between 18 and 26 years old and have not been on a peer, organized group trip to Israel, you may be eligible for the FREE Birthright trip! Send Stefani an email and let her know that you are interested and you can be put on their priority list. Registration opened on September 14. In order to be eligible for the Greene group, you must register and let Stefani know ahead of time that you would like to go. To contact Stefani, email her at srozen@urj.org.

GFC Summer 2012 Registration Has Opened

It seems like only yesterday that over 90 of our students were in Bruceville! Actually, the closing day of Session Two was less than a month ago. And before you can blink your eyes, many of our students will be returning for Summer 2012. Registration for the Summer 2012 session opened on September 6.

Because of GFC's new online registration system, all of last summer's campers can register as easily as clicking a button and following a few steps. We urge all of you to register early to take advantage of the early-bird discount and get the session of your choice--the rates and dates for Summer 2012 are available now!

To register or for more information go to www.greene.org



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Dear Friend,

Please join us as Temple Shalom celebrates its **10th Annual Charity Golf Tournament** with a silent/live auction on **October 17, 2011** at **The Honors Club** in Carrollton, Texas (formally, Columbian Country Club). This year we are pleased to continue our partnership with the **North Texas Food Bank**. Money raised has helped benefit both our previous benefactors (Dallas Habitat for Humanity and Neo Natal Intensive Care Units of Texas Health Presbyterian Hospitals in Dallas & Plano) and Temple Shalom Charities and Programs.

In these economic times, with so many families needing assistance, we ask you to join our team and help us make this upcoming 2011 tournament our best event ever through your sponsorship and/or donation of auction items.

We need your support more than ever to help assist those many families in need.

Your sponsorship will be included on printed material and distributed via the internet to thousands of people by both Temple Shalom and the North Texas Food Bank, as well as prominently displayed on signage during the day of the event. We are proud to once again have the support of local sports talk celebrity and voice of the Dallas Mavericks -- **Chuck Cooperstein**.

*We need golfers, sponsors, auction items and most of all . . . **WE NEED YOU!***

Temple Shalom is a non-profit 501 (c) (3) organization supporting many charities in and around the City of Dallas. Our tax-exempt certificate number is 75-1231572 should you need it for your records.

We sincerely thank you in advance for being a part of the Temple Shalom/North Texas Food Bank 2011 Charity Golf Tournament and silent/live auction.

Regards,

James Bier
Tournament Committee Chair, Temple Shalom
jbier@apollostaffing.com

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 Torah Study 8:45am Learning Center Judaica Study 9:00am Board Room Morning Worship 10:30am Epstein Chapel
2 Kever Avot Service 9:00am Sparkman Hillcrest Build the Temple Sukkah 10:00am-1:00pm Youth Choir Noon to 12:30pm Sanctuary	3 Temple Board of Trustees Meeting 7:00pm - Board Room	4 Feed the Homeless 11:30am - offsite More Than A Few Good Men 11:30am - offsite Plano Mid-week Hebrew 4:30-6:00pm Adult Choir 7:00-8:30pm - Chapel	5 Lunch & Learn 12:00-1:00pm - Learning Center Mid-week Hebrew 4:30-6:00pm Sukkah Decorating Pizza Party 5:30pm Next <i>Dor</i> 6:00-8:30pm Essers & Fressers 6:30pm - offsite	6	7 Kol Nidre 5:30pm Family Service 8:00pm Evening Serv.	8 Yom Kippur Day 10:00am Morning Serv. 10:00am Teen Serv. (8th-12th Grades) 12:30pm Symposium 1:45pm Musical Program 2:00pm Family Service 3:15pm Afternoon Service 4:30pm Yizkor Service 5:15pm Concluding Serv.
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Want an updated look at what's going on at Temple? Visit our calendar website at <http://70.248.39.38:81/BrowseEvents.aspx>

BROTHERHOOD



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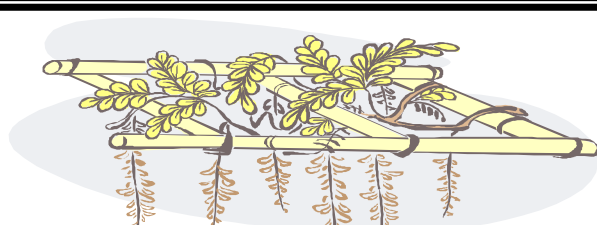
The Mission Continues...Texas style!

Men of Temple Shalom,

As we are in the middle of the High Holidays, I have time to reflect on how lucky I am to be allowed to represent a wonderful group of gentlemen within the Brotherhood. This past month, our Brotherhood has participated in the first day of Religious School and ribbon cutting ceremony for our renovated building. Brotherhood provided a pancake breakfast and then moved on to cooking lunch and providing man power for serving lunch to the entire congregation. Our temple-wide blood drive was a success with a turnout of over 30 individuals. We also provided ushers for Rosh Hashanah and will be here for Yom Kippur. This dedicated group of men that makes up Temple Shalom Brotherhood is one that inspires and drives for success in all of its endeavors. If you have not attended or participated in one or more of our activities... what are you waiting for? See below for our upcoming activities.

Please have a safe and meaningful High Holiday season.

L'Shana Tova,
Michael Kaplan
President - Brotherhood



Guys Night in the Rabbi's Sukkah
Sunday, October 16 / 7:30pm
Rabbi Paley's House
6022 Windbreak Trail, Dallas 75252

As the days get shorter and the weather gets cooler it can mean only one thing... Lower Electricity Bills? Football Season? Year End Tax Planning? High Holy Days? Although all of these are possible answers, it also means that Sukkot - the final Jewish pilgrimage festival of the year - is just around the corner.

So make a pilgrimage to Rabbi Paley's home for an opportunity to shake the lulav, smell the etrog and share good conversation, good company and good times!!

Cost free for Temple Shalom Brotherhood members; non-members are requested to make a \$5 donation. All are requested to bring some liquid spirits to share for toasts and l'chaims. Temple Shalom Brotherhood will provide cheese, crackers, fruit, nuts and soft drinks.

Contact Mark Fisher at dallasfish@aol.com for questions.

BREWS AND JEWS
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1
6:30PM
BJ'S RESTAURANT & BREWERY
4901 BELT LINE ROAD, ADDISON
SPEAKER:
RABBI JEFFREY LEYNOR
TOPIC: TO BE ANNOUNCED
TEMPLE SHALOM BROTHERHOOD IS SPONSORING ANOTHER EVENING OF FUN & EDUCATION.
OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY!
INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!



BROTHERHOOD BOARD MEETING
Tuesday, October 18
7:15pm -- Board Room
All Brotherhood Members Invited.
"The mission continues...Texas style!"

MITZVAH OPPORTUNITY!! Calling all handymen!

Help Brotherhood erect the Temple Sukkah!

Sunday, October 2 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Light breakfast provided. To volunteer or for more information, please contact Michael Kaplan at 214-537-2882.

SISTERHOOD

Join Sisterhood Now!

Sisters... Building Our Future Together!
For more information check out our website:

<http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/p-176.aspx>

or contact:

SISTERHOOD VP of MEMBERSHIP:

Ilene Zidow, ilene.zidow@verizon.net, 972-491-1492

Download the Sisterhood 2011-2012 Membership Form:

http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/controls/download.aspx?filename=~/files/SisterhoodMembershipForm2011_2012.pdf



Looking for Moms of Young Children

Sisterhood has a new committee called Cradle Roll and needs your help to start the planning. There has been some interest in play-groups, speakers, and Jewish holiday programming for young children and their families.

If you would like to be involved with the group, please call or email Ilene Zidow 972-491-1492, ilene.zidow@verizon.net.



SISTERHOOD PAID UP DINNER

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

6:30-9:00 PM

RADNITZ SOCIAL HALL

Please join us for the Sisterhood Paid Up Dinner! Start the evening with wine, appetizers, and shopping at Traditions from 6:30 to 7:15PM (enjoy a 10% discount that evening), followed up by dinner and a short meeting.

Mark Kreditor will provide an evening of fun musical entertainment! Mark will bring songs from the 20's, 30's and 40's that are loved by Americans. We will enjoy songs and stories from great Jewish songwriters that worked for Jewish producers at the beginning of the movie industry, and a fun sing-a-long.

The dinner is free for Sisterhood members. Guests and non-members will be \$25. Please mail checks to Temple Shalom Sisterhood Attn: Paid-Up Membership Dinner, 6930 Alpha Road, Dallas, TX 75240.

RSVP by October 17th to:

**Jane Lachman, jalachman@aol.com, 972-735-0133 or
Jordana Witheiler, jwitheiler@yahoo.com, 972-381-8302.**

Please bring food to donate to the JFS Food Bank.

SISTERHOOD

Traditions

✧ The Premier Judaica Shop at Temple Shalom ✧

Phone: 972-661-1850

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- Beautiful new lines of Israeli jewelry
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Shop early for Hanukkah

October Hours

Sundays 9:30am - 1:30pm on the 16th, 23rd and 30th
Monday - Wednesday, 11am - 5pm, *on 26th we are open until 7pm*
Thursday, the 6th and 27th, 11am - 3pm
Friday, the 7th, 11am - 2pm
Fridays the 14th, 22nd and 28th - 11am - 6:25pm
Closed 2nd, 9th, 13th and 20th

NEW, IMPROVED WEBSITE WITH SHOPPING CART.

YES, WE WILL SHIP OUT-OF-STATE.

PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD TO ALL OF YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY!

"Like" us on Facebook!



Sisterhood Gourmet Lunch Group Lunch in the Sukkah at Temple Shalom Friday, October 14th at 11:30am.

Bring a salad, side dish, fruit, dessert or drinks. Debbie Massarano will join us! She will lead discussion and singing. RSVP by October 11th to: Ilene Zidow, ilene.zidow@verizon.net or 972-491-1492. Please let Ilene know what you are bringing.

Pre-Service Receptions

Calling all foodie volunteers. Sisterhood is looking for some volunteers to help set up for the weekly Friday night Wine and Cheese and special services. You can purchase food items and/or set up the cheese and cracker trays. It only takes a small amount of time and, the more people, the merrier!

If you're interested, please contact: Chris Harris:
christinharris@verizon.net, 972-618-0002

Keo Strull: 214-662-4720 or Karen Abels:
kabel@verizon.net, 972-245-2705

Let's Make a Racket at Fretz Park!

No tennis ability required!
Fun exercise with Quality
Sisterhood instruction.

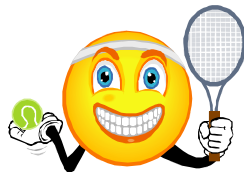
Sunday, October 16

9:45am - 11:15am tennis,

11:15am - 11:45am snacks

Bring your racket and tennis balls and exercise!
Healthy snacks served. RSVP to Keo Strull at
bmsboxes@att.net by October 13th.

Fretz Park is located at SE corner of Hillcrest and Beltline. There will be a \$3.25 court fee per person for the 1½ hour court rental payable to Fretz Park Tennis that morning.



FALL CONCERT/PICNIC AT THE ARBORETUM

Sponsored by Sisterhood and
Brotherhood

Spectacular fall colors and
pumpkins/Foot-tapping
country music.

Thursday, October 27

Arrive by 7:00 for the 7:30 concert.

Bring a lawn chair, blanket, finger food to share, and your own drinks. (Alcohol is allowed.)

Group rates should be under \$10 per person. Details to follow.

Questions: contact Brenda Nibert

brendanibert@yahoo.com





imagine the power of community
10.30.2011

Tikkun Olam Council News Temple Shalom Social Action

<http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/p-184.aspx>

28 Dallas Area Synagogues & Agencies will Participate in a Community-wide Mitzvah Day, Sunday, October 30th

Got Mitzvah? is a major Centennial event of the Jewish Federation, and welcomes the entire Dallas community to participate. Hundreds of projects will be planned throughout the Metroplex, providing an opportunity for everyone to use their skills and talents for the mitzvah of *tikkun olam*. Individuals of all ages will be able to participate in a wide variety of mitzvah projects that serve the hungry, the homeless, the environment, the aged, and those with special needs.

We encourage all members of Temple Shalom to be a part of *Got Mitzvah?* 2011. To register, please go to www.gotmitzvah.com or call Melinda Kollinger at 214.615.5227. We look forward to working together as we **imagine the power of community**.

This is the push for the Federation Community Mitzvah Day. All of our congregants are encouraged to go to www.gotmitzvah.com and register for any of the 100 projects from which to choose. Please look through any of the projects and pick one that interests you and your family. Contact Ann Goodman at agoody@sbcglobal.net if you have any questions.



School Supplies

It's school time again and we need your help to provide supplies for the 600+ underprivileged children attending Dobie Primary Elementary School. Please drop off your donations to the Lifelong Learning or Administrative Offices. Thank you in advance for your help.

Pink erasers, Zip Lock Bags (sandwich, quart, gallon), Glue sticks, Fiskar scissors, Watercolors, No.2 pencils, Elmer's glue, Crayons (16 count), Rulers, Kleenex, Colored pencils, Folders with brads & pockets, 12x18 manila drawing paper, Spiral notebooks (70-100 pg), Crayola Classic Washable Markers (box), Clear plastic containers with lids (shoe box size)



Help A Soldier Call Home

Temple Shalom is participating in "Cell Phones for Soldiers." We have a drop off box for your convenience in the Temple Administrative and Lifelong Learning Offices.

If you have any questions about this program, please contact Temple member Randi Alter, 972-256-3200, randi.alter@gmail.com, or their website

<http://www.cellphonesforsoldiers.com/index.html>



SAVE THE DATES To Cook for the Needy 9:30 - 10:30am



One Sunday a month volunteer cooks meet in the Temple kitchen to prepare food for the less fortunate helped by The Stewpot. We need you! You don't have to RSVP, but if you have questions or would like to be placed on the monthly reminder list, please contact Gail Hartstein at 972-378-0663 or GHartst715@aol.com.

Dates: 10/16, 11/20, 12/4, 1/8, 2/5, 3/25, 4/1

Help Serve Lunch to the Homeless

Temple Shalom serves lunch at The Bridge in downtown Dallas on the first Tuesday of the month from 11:30am to 1:00pm. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Arlene Kreitman at 972-233-3754.



Items for the Needy



We collect various items which are given to The Stewpot. All donations of old eye glasses and unused travel size toiletries can be left with Joy in Rabbi Paley's office and will be truly appreciated.

SHALOM SILVER
LIFE STARTS AT 55 FOR TEMPLE SHALOM SENIORS!!
SHALOM SILVER, OUR DYNAMIC SENIOR GROUP, IS THE HAPPENING PLACE!

ESSERS & FRESSERS, our 1st Wednesday Dinner Group

October 5th / 6:30pm Essers & Fressers will meet for another fun dinner at The Stringbean, 1310 W. Campbell Road, Richardson. North side of Campbell, a block east of Coit – near Mimosa. To insure enough seating, please RSVP to Marcia Gold at marcia@goldcruiseandtour.com.

Saturday, October 29th / 7:30pm Get ready for one of our favorite outings — a trip to the Grapevine Opry. The first half of the show features some great Country Western music, followed by “A Date for the Prom,” highlighting many of the best songs from the 50’s! The Opry’s talented cast presents great singing, dancing, plus a lot of kibbutzing, which adds up to a terrific show! Price for all this fun is only \$14 per person. You can’t miss the Opry at 300 W. Main St. Come early and stroll around the nostalgic, historic town of Grapevine. Enjoy dinner at one of the many nearby restaurants, on Main St., such as Tolbert’s, Wilhoite’s, Amore’s Pizza and Pasta, Big Fish Seafood or Mimi’s Café, on 114.

Please send your checks, for the Opry, for \$14 each, made out to Temple Shalom, to Judy Utay, 913 Warren Way, Richardson, TX 75080 Deadline: Tues., Oct. 25

Save these dates:

Sunday, Nov. 20th / 4:00-6:00pm Rosemary Rumbley, one of the most popular speakers in this area, will delight us with recollections of “Radio Days.” Take a trip down memory lane as Rosemary amuses us with stories of Jack Benny, Burns and Allen and other radio “greats.”

Sunday, Dec. 11th / 4:00-6:00pm Many of us know Shawn Mash, who is an expert hypnotist and handwriting analyst. You’ll be amazed when Shawn takes samples of our handwriting and reveals how much our writing tells about us.

You can join Shalom Silver for only \$18 annually, per person.

Remember: Shalom Silver is also open to non-Temple members, so call your friends and come enjoy our great programs. Watch your e-mail and our flyers, in the foyer carousel, for further details. All checks for programs and/or dues, should be made out to Temple Shalom, and sent to Judy Utay at 913 Warren Way, Richardson 75080.

Don't miss all these exciting programs!

Do YOU have ideas for future programs? Please contact us with your comments and suggestions. We welcome your input and help.

Ken Parker: kaparkersr@tx.rr.com Judy Parker: heyjud38@aol.com Judy Utay: jrutay@aol.com

PUT MORE FUN IN YOUR LIFE! JOIN SHALOM SILVER!



Shalom Singles

For the last four years, Shalom Singles has been offering a variety of social events to enhance the lives of Jewish singles in our community.

Shalom Singles is the happening place for any

Jewish singles from 36 to 60. Just send us your e-mail address and we'll include you on our roster of 430+ other sharp, fun-loving singles. You'll receive announcements of all the neat get-togethers coming up soon. There are no fees, dues, etc., just good times and good friends!

Don't miss out! Contact Judy Parker heyjud38@aol.com

**Join a Havurah Today and Make Friends
That Will Last a Lifetime.**

Celebrate, Socialize, Learn Together

The word *Havurah* is Hebrew for fellowship. Individual *Havurot* are small groups that have similar goals, with Judaism as the binding thread.

New groups are being formed at Temple and we would love to add you to the mix. Each group determines for themselves what their emphasis will be and how often they will meet. Whether it is social, study-oriented, or community service, the choice is up to you.

No matter what you choose, a *Havurah* is a great way to meet new temple members and form lasting friendships, which will ultimately add something to each of our Jewish lives.

For more information or to join a *Havurah*, please contact: Marcia and Ted Gold

972-618-7088 or marcia@goldcruiseandtour.com

GRATITUDES

ADULT EDUCATION

Memory
 Jack Warshawsky Les & Shelli Taub
 Miriam Wettreich
 Dennis & Barbara DuBois

Rose Chudnow Robert Chudnow
 Boris Grinberg Anna Kalmykova
 Bernice Polins Larry & Celia Schoenbrun
 Rosalind Schuster
 Bernard & Denise Mayoff
 Ralph & Debbi Sorrentino

Isaac Sacks Mel Sacks
 Rosalind Schuster Joan Cera
 Kenny Steinberg Della Steinberg
 Sam Steinberg Della Steinberg
 Lawrence Taper
 Alan, Rose, Jason & Sydney Taper

BROTHERHOOD

Memory
 Marc Wittenberg Regina Wittenberg

BUILDING

Memory
 Ruth Brown Barry & Barbara Brown
 Abe Cohen Barry & Barbara Brown

CANTOR CROLL'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

Bat Mitzvah
 Sophie Pervere Doug & Heidi Pervere
Memory
 Rose Cook Kelley
 Jeff & Debbie Diebner

Sophie Oppenheimer
 Vince & Lilli O. Cirillo
 Rosalind Schuster Vince & Lilli O. Cirillo
 Rae Stekoll Nathan & Leslie Axelrod

CARING CONGREGATION

Memory
 Harry Hoffman Susan Hoffman
 Rena Miller Susan Hoffman
 Rosalind Schuster
 Hilary Sherman & David Shusterman
 Rifka Schwartz Hilary Sherman
 Monya Seftz
 Jerry, Lonna Rae & Erin Silverman

EPSTEIN CHAPEL

Memory
 Bernice Polins Barry & Paddy Epstein
 Rosalind Schuster
 Barry & Paddy Epstein

GENERAL FUND

Honor
 Marlene Gorin Bernard Mayoff
Birthday
 Deena Monsees Toba Reifer & Family
Speedy Recovery
 Randi Alter Ralph & Debbi Sorrentino
Memory
 Louis Baron Estelle G. Baron

GREENE FAMILY CAMP

Memory
 Irving Croll Cantor Don Croll
 Rabbi Jake Jackofsky Ellen Jackofsky
 Peter Kirsch Gail Kirsch
 Rosalind Schuster
 Rodney & Cristie Schlosser
 Henry Yoss Gene & Louise Yoss

HELEN HOODIN ROSEMAN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUC. ENDOWMENT

Memory
 Edith Freund Roseman
 Rabbi Kenneth & Phyllis Roseman

JULIA MICHELE WARREN SCHOLAR. (Greene Family Camp)

Memory
 Evelyn Rotter Arvin & Arlene Kreitman
 Henry Rotter Arvin & Arlene Kreitman
 George Elliott Smith Alice Warren
 Julia Michele Warren Alice Warren

PRAYER BOOK FUND

Memory
 Samuel W. Gaffer Ellen G. Brown
 Gussie Pfeffer Sara Pfeffer
 Bernice Polins David & Arlene Steinfield

PROJECT ATIDEINU

Honor
 Stephen Enda The Reifer Family
 Charlotte Webberman The Reifer Family
Bat Mitzvah
 Julianna Epstein The Reifer Family
Memory
 Rosalind Schuster The Reifer Family

RABBI PALEY'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

Speedy Recovery
 Allan Disraeli Mel Sacks
Memory
 Ruhlya Akerman Liliya Tsimberg
 Rose Cohen Robert Cohen
 Bernice Polins Sondra Hollander

RABBI ROSEMAN'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

Memory
 Sarah Bard Paul H. Lewis
 Max Blander Paul H. Lewis
 Jules Lewis Paul H. Lewis

SISTERHOOD

Honor
 Traditions Volunteers
 Toba Reifer & Family

Bar Mitzvah

Jared Wolff The Reifer Family

Memory
 Bernice Polins Carole S. Cohen
 Dennis & Barbara DuBois
 Ron & Marilyn Fiedelman
 Dan & Janis Gail
 Harold & Judy Kaye
 Jim & Candace Krause
 Bobby, Michelle & Jackie Malish
 Lawrence & Elaine Solomon
 Jay & Lynn Staub
 Larry & Brenda Weprin

SOCIAL ACTION

Memory
 Max Abrams Joe & Ellen Gordesky
 Eunice Begun Cary & Abbey Begun
 Andrew Molish Joe & Ellen Gordesky
 Phyllis Davidoff Unell Sadie Davidoff

TEMPLE SHALOM ENDOWMENT

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 David Miller Bennett & Bette Miller
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 Marie Wolens Bennett & Bette Miller

YOUTH EDUCATION GENERAL FUND

Memory
 Joseph Israel Regina Wittenberg

Remember the Temple in Your Will

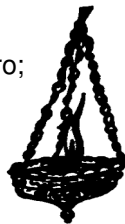
Temple Shalom is committed to preserving the future of our congregation for generations to come. Bequests of all sizes are important resources for the Temple, and we encourage you to be a link to the future by remembering the Temple in your will. Your lasting tribute is your commitment to the survival of our religion, our Temple, and our people.

A bequest can easily be established by adding a simple codicil to your will. Additionally, many other options exist to leave a legacy for Temple Shalom. A brochure with more information is available in our main foyer, or by contacting the administrative offices. For more information, please contact our Executive Director Steve Lewis at 972-661-1810 ext.202.

Your planned gift will serve the future of our congregation and community. Thank you for helping assure the strength and health of Temple Shalom for generations to come.

May Their Memory Be a Blessing...

Temple member Michael Shapiro, husband of Randi Shapiro;
Irving Burke, father of Karen Kurzman;
Harmon Schepps, grandfather of Jeffrey Staffin;
Rosalind Schuster, mother of Lory Kohleriter;
Miriam Wettreich, mother of Danny Wettreich.



Congratulations to...

Temple Shalom's program, **Blue Jean Shabbat**, on being selected as the recipient of the Union for Reform Judaism's 2011 Epstein Communicate Award in the category of Membership Retention of Post-B'nei Mitzvah Families.



As a caring community, we would like to reach out to our members. When there is an illness, hospitalization, death, birth, etc. please contact Joy in Rabbi Paley's office at 972-661-1810 x201 or jaddison@templeshalomdallas.org. Rabbi Paley, Cantor Croll and volunteers are here to help during times of need and celebration.

Does donating to Temple Shalom without it costing you anything sound "too good to be true"? That's exactly what the service provided by GiveSmart does. It's free to you and to Temple Shalom. All you do is register and then conduct your normal eCommerce shopping by shopping through this site: <http://igivesmart.com/templeshalom>.

Each purchase you make returns a percentage of the sale to Temple Shalom.

It's easy, smart, quick, safe, and yet doesn't cost you a single penny extra. Most importantly, it's a huge help to Temple Shalom. Invite your friends and family to shop!

If you have any questions, please contact Heidi at the Administrative Office at hbarishman@templeshalomdallas.org.

We appreciate your continuing support!

Directory Information

Our Temple Directory is online! Access it by going to the Temple Shalom website at www.templeshalomdallas.org. If you need the login information, please contact Heidi Barishman at 972-661-1810x200 or hbarishman@templeshalomdallas.org. Please check your family's entry in the directory and send any changes to Heidi. The directory is updated periodically.



Our mission is to inspire in you a relationship with God, Torah and the Jewish people. Do you know someone we should invite to Temple, someone who is new to Dallas or is not connected to a congregation?

Please contact Executive Director Steve Lewis so we can show them that Temple Shalom is their place.

Welcome New Members

Carol and Mark Abram
Michelle Babcock
Rhonda and Tim Beckman
Marc and Amy Biesman
Joey and Mica Feinstein
Zachary and Lauren Green
Arlene Gulton
David Katz
Bryan and Tara Liebnick
Jodi Littleton
Keith Richardson
Michael and Monika Rubin
Armin and Wendy Sabeti
Gilbert and Leona Selkin
Carie Shapiro
Robert and Deborah Steckler
William Wolff and Donna Bowman

Attention Jewish War Veterans

The Dr. Harvey J. Bloom Dallas Post #256 of The Jewish War Veterans of America is the oldest active Veterans Service Organization in the United States. Today our 25,000 members are active on many fronts helping to protect the rights of all Veterans as well as fighting discrimination and bigotry wherever it exists.

We are looking for Veterans who want to give back.

Contact Post Commander Jerry Silverman at djwvpost256@gmail.com for more information.



Rabbi.....Andrew M. Paley
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Vice President.....Rodney Schlosser
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Treasurer.....Kathryn Frish
Past President.....Meredith Richardson



High Holy Days Services Schedule 2011 – 5772

May the New Year bring you and yours health, happiness and peace.

8:00PM and 10:00AM YOM KIPPUR SERVICES REQUIRE A TICKET FOR ADMISSION.

KEVER AVOT

Sunday, October 2 9:00am Memorial Service
Service held at the Temple Shalom (south) section of Sparkman Hillcrest Memorial Park.

YOM KIPPUR

Friday, October 7 5:30pm Family Service (1)
8:00pm Evening Service (2)
Saturday, October 8 10:00am *** Morning Service (2)
10:00am Teen Service (3) - Epstein Chapel
12:30pm Symposium - Sanctuary
1:45pm Musical Program - Epstein Chapel
2:00pm Family Service (1)
3:15pm *** Afternoon Service
4:30pm *** Yizkor Service
5:15pm *** Concluding Service

SUKKOT

Wednesday, October 12 5:30pm Congregational Dinner—bring your own
6:30pm Festival Service
Thursday, October 13 10:30am Sukkot Service at The Legacy

SIMCHAT TORAH

Wednesday, October 19 5:30pm Congregational Dinner--catered
(see reservation form in this issue)
6:30pm Consecration—Festival Service
Thursday, October 20 10:30am Yizkor Service at The Legacy

- (1) **Family services** are designed for families with children tots through 6th grade. (Open to the community.)
(2) **Evening and Morning Services** are designed for adults, and are open to their children 4th grade and up.
(3) **Teen Services** are open to 8th through 12th graders.

*****Child care** is available during this service for children/grandchildren of members only. Reservations required.

We don't blame you for feeling tired of hearing stories about families struggling with hunger.

Can you imagine the *exhaustion* of a constant struggle to put food on the table?

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Join MAZON's effort to ensure that no one goes hungry. Help us transform how it is into *how it should be*. Donate to MAZON today.

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www.mazon.org

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800.813.0557 | mazon.org

Mitzvah Opportunities to Help the Hungry

As you read in our High Holy Days booklet, we have made some changes to the annual food drive this year. Just as last year, our primary beneficiary will be the North Texas Food Bank. Because we know that the Food Bank can do more with a financial contribution than a physical one, we have established a few different ways for you to help.

1. Go online and donate to our virtual food drive... just click here:

<http://vad.aidmatrix.org/vadxml.cfm?driveid=5281>

You will immediately receive an acknowledgement of your tax deductible contribution.

2. If you are uncomfortable donating on line, consider mailing a check to the NTFB (in lieu of brown paper bags, pre-addressed envelopes will be distributed to congregants). NTFB will mail an acknowledgement for tax purposes.

Our goal is to raise \$10,000 in this year's food drive. That would be enough money to provide 30,000 meals to hungry families in our area.

For further information, please contact Irene Sibaja at irene8495@gmail.com. Thank you in advance for your generous donation!