

TEMPLE SHALOM

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The Brotherhood of Temple Shalom cordially
invites you to join us at our annual

Shalom Award Presentation

honoring

Reverend Dr. Neil Cazares-Thomas

Sunday, February 26, 2017

InterContinental Hotel Dallas – The Malachite Room
15201 Dallas Parkway, Dallas, Texas

- 5:30 PM Cocktail Hour, Silent Auction
- 6:30 PM Dinner (Silent Auction Continues)
- 7:30 PM Tributes from the Reverend's Friends
and Family

Cocktail Attire (coat & tie)

Proceeds Benefiting

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Event details available at:
<http://templeshalomdallas.org/groups/brotherhood>
or contact Mark Fishkind at:
mfishkind@sbcglobal.net or 214-801-4555.

To buy tickets online, <http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/groups/brotherhood>.

SHABBAT SERVICES

FRIDAY ~ February 3

Bo / Exodus 12:29 - 13:16

6:30pm - Service with Teen Choir, *Kol Halevi'im*
Sanctuary

SATURDAY ~ February 4

10:30am - Morning Worship
Epstein Chapel

FRIDAY ~ February 10

Beshalach / Exodus 14:26 - 17:16

6:30pm - Service with 2nd & 3rd Grades
Epstein Chapel

6:30pm - Service with Guest Speaker
Dr. Reverend Neil Cazares-Thomas
Sanctuary

SATURDAY ~ February 11

10:30am - Morning Worship
Epstein Chapel

FRIDAY ~ February 17

Yitro / Exodus 19:1 - 20:23

6:00pm - Munchkins Minyan
Boardroom

6:30pm - Jazz Music Service with Temple Adult Choir
Sanctuary

SATURDAY ~ February 18

10:30am - Bar Mitzvah Service Miles Grossman
Son of Stephanie Russell and Barney Grossman
Epstein Chapel

10:30am - Morning Worship
Sanctuary

5:00pm Bar Mitzvah Service Noah Coggan
Son of Carolyn and David Coggan
Epstein Chapel

FRIDAY ~ February 24

Mishpatim / Exodus 23:20 - 24:18

6:30pm - Service with guests from CHAI
Epstein Chapel

Dinner following in the Radnitz Social Hall
(reservation form on back page)

SATURDAY ~ February 25

10:30am - Morning Worship
Epstein Chapel

**6:30pm Friday Services are preceded
by a 6:00pm Wine & Cheese
Reception.**

***Please Note Our
Two Special Shabbat Services
Friday, February 10
Both at 6:30pm***

***Our 2nd & 3rd Grade Students will
participate in the Epstein Chapel Service
with art and music. This service will be led by
Rabbi Boxman and Cantor Avery.***

***Our Sanctuary Service, led by
Rabbi Paley, will have guest speaker
Dr. Reverend Neil Cazares-Thomas,
this year's Shalom Award Recipient.***

JAZZ MUSIC SHABBAT SERVICE

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17

6:30PM

With Temple Shalom Adult Choir
Choir Director: Dr. Jonathan Palant
Accompanist: Mary Medrick



Miles Grossman

Son of Stephanie Russell &
Barney Grossman

Date: February 18

School: William B. Travis
Academy

Hobbies: math competition,
tennis



February 2017 B'nei Mitzvah

***We want to honor the mitzvah work in which our
B'nei Mitzvah students are engaged.
Each month we include information we have received
from that month's families.***

I Was Just Thinking...



Each Wednesday at noon at Temple Shalom, I have the chance to learn with those who attend my lunch and learn classes. This year we have been focusing on "Jewish Values in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict," a curriculum of the Shalom Hartmann Institute of Jerusalem. One of the interesting units involved analyzing what we, as Jews, mean when we talk about peace; literally, how do we define the word and what texts from the Hebrew Bible speak to its definition. After class, someone asked me, "I think that the Israeli settlements are an issue of the peace process, but I don't understand what they are and why they are an issue. Can you explain?" As I suspect there might be others with the same question, here is what I answered.

To begin, a settlement is an Israeli community built in the territories Israel conquered in the Six-Day War in June of 1967.

The first settlement in the Golan Heights was quietly established by young Israelis from left-wing kibbutz movements in July 1967, with the quiet help of government officials and army officers. The first West Bank settlement, *Kfar Etzion*, was established by Orthodox Israelis in September 1967 with public fanfare and government backing. According to author Gershom Gorenberg, "...some of the settlements are tiny, but many are large suburban towns such as Maale Adumim, east of Jerusalem, and Ariel, east of Tel Aviv. These bedroom communities have attracted Israelis, both secular and religious, looking for inexpensive homes. The fastest-growing are those intended exclusively for ultra-Orthodox Jews. With low incomes and large families, the ultra-Orthodox need cheap housing. Playing to that need, successive Israeli governments have drawn them to towns such as Modiin Illit, southeast of Tel Aviv, where more than 40,000 people now live. The great majority of settlers live in large towns, most of them close to the Green Line."

The Green Line is the armistice line drawn after Israel's War of Independence, which stood from 1948 until 1967 and is so called because the mapmakers used a green marker to draw the border with Jordan. After 1967, Israel extended the green line to all of East Jerusalem and all of the Golan Heights. Since 1967, no country has recognized Israeli sovereignty in East Jerusalem or the Golan Heights. So, for international purposes, the Green Line is the border between Israel and occupied territory. The most recent Israeli figures found about 400,000 Israeli settlers in the West Bank, not counting East Jerusalem.

So, why have settlements been built? They are intended to "establish facts" -- to ensure continued Israeli control of part or all of the occupied territory. For some settlement advocates, the main purpose is security -- to add territory to make Israel more defensible. For others, the key point is that the West Bank -- referred to as Judea and Samaria -- is part of the historic Jewish homeland. Israelis learn the Bible as their national history, and places in the West Bank such as Hebron,

Bethlehem and Shiloh are the setting of much of that history. Religious settlers believe God promised the land to the Jews and that Israel's settlement of it is a fulfillment of that promise. In practice, every Israeli government since 1967 has promoted settlement -- helping to fund construction and providing financial incentives to settlers. Left-wing governments have focused on areas they considered important for security and where few Palestinians live. Right-wing governments have encouraged settlement throughout the West Bank.

The problem stems from the fact that keeping the West Bank creates an unbearable dilemma. If Israel maintains permanent rule over the Palestinians without giving them citizenship, it ceases to be a democracy. If it annexes the territory and grants them citizenship, it will no longer be a country with a Jewish majority -- contradicting the most basic goal of Zionism. Today, some believe the only practical way out of this dilemma is a two-state solution, with the Palestinians receiving independence in the Gaza Strip and all or nearly all of the West Bank. To create a Palestinian state that is more than

fragmented enclaves, most or all settlements must be evacuated. Continued construction only makes this more difficult.

As far as the U.S. position on settlements is concerned: the U.S. position has fluctuated over time. In the Reagan years, the United States said the settlements were "not illegal." The Clinton and George H.W. Bush administrations avoided the legal arguments but criticized the settlements frequently. President George W. Bush called the larger settlement blocs "new realities on the ground" that would have to be reflected in peace negotiations. When President Obama came into office, the official U.S. attitude has

been more critical. In 2011 the Obama administration vetoed a UN Security Council resolution calling the settlements "illegal" but former U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations Susan Rice then denounced "the folly and illegitimacy" of continued Israeli settlement activity. "The United States of America views all of the settlements as illegitimate," Secretary of State John Kerry said in August 2013. And, most recently, the U.S. abstained from a vote in the U.N. for the first time condemning Israel's settlement activity, calling the settlements illegal and illegitimate.

Without a doubt, the settlements are a complicated aspect of the Israel-Palestinian conflict. As the Palestinians see the West Bank and Gaza as the place for a future state, any construction on those lands is seen as an intrusion into the very viability of statehood. Israel, for a variety of religious, political and security related reasons sees those areas as not only viable for a growing Israeli population, but necessary for security and for the final fulfillment of the Zionist dream. Let's hope for creative, peaceful and long-lasting solutions for everyone concerned.

Rabbi Andrew M. Paley
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A Note from Cantor Devorah Avery



Megilat Esther in Ukranian Purim in Kiev

As Purim is coming, and I want to get you all excited for the spiel and the Purim party this year, I thought I would share with you one of my most favorite Purim experiences. In 2005-2006, I was living in Jerusalem, studying at HUC-JIR for my fourth year of Cantorial school. That year I had the wonderful honor of visiting Congregation Hatikvah in Kiev, Ukraine and serving their community as a student Cantor for Yom Kippur and Purim. Both visits to Ukraine were amazing, thrilling, life changing experiences.

The head progressive Rabbi of Ukraine is Rabbi Alexander Dukhovny. At the time, he was one of two rabbis serving the whole country. Rabbi Dukhovny's main congregation was Hatikvah in Kiev. Because he had to serve so many communities all over the country, Congregation Hatikvah had also previously worked with Russian-Israeli rabbinical students from the Israeli Rabbinical program at HUC-JIR in Jerusalem. They came to Ukraine to fill in at Congregation Hatikvah while Rabbi Dukhovny was away and to travel to different communities around the country. They were all Russian speakers. Due to this fact, the community was mightily unprepared for a non-Russian speaking cantor. This became painfully obvious when I was told to take a taxi from my hotel to the temple, by myself, on my first full day in Kiev. It took me three different cabs in the pouring rain to find one driver who could get me to the temple for Kol Nidrei services. This was the first and only time I have been late to a worship service.

For my second visit to Kiev, for Purim, I had a translator from the congregation with me for the whole trip. This changed everything about my visit. I was able to form relationships with people in the community - a valuable change that brought me closer to the people and to really feel a part of the Ukranian Jewish community.

Those of you who know a little of what has gone on in Ukraine over the last decade will know that 2006 was the year after the Orange Revolution. The hotel I stayed at was in the same square as the area where protestors had gathered the previous year.

The Purim spiel was hilarious at Congregation Hatikvah. On Erev Purim, the community gathered for a puppet show and *Megillah* reading. The rabbi tried to read the whole *Megillah* in Ukranian. Ukranian is apparently different enough from Russian to cause him to struggle through the entire reading. It caused appropriate hilarity for the evening's festivities. It was a wonderful night, despite the fact I couldn't understand a word of the spiel or the *Megillah*.

That evening, following the spiel, my translator, Ana, and I took a 16-hour train ride to Lutsk. Despite the frigid temperatures of March in Ukraine, the train felt a balmy 90 degrees. Conversation with Ana got me through the train ride to Lutsk and the returning train to Kiev the next evening.

In Lutsk I gave a concert, chanted *Megillah*, and taught a little about Purim. After the trip to Lutsk, when we arrived

back in Kiev, I was invited to stay with a congregant, rather than remain at the hotel. The woman was friendly and cooked delicious Ukranian food for us and we had a ball. Another woman from the community took me on a tour of Jewish Kiev, something I'd not done on my previous trip. We saw amazing synagogues and statues.

I visited a Jewish day school and taught a couple of songs in Hebrew. It was just like walking into any religious school or Jewish day school anywhere in the US, apart from the language differences. The kids were cute and eager and they quickly devoured the music I taught them.

My final day in Kiev, I visited a neighbor of the woman with whom I was staying. This woman was a member of the congregation, but was housebound due to her physical ailments. I sang songs to her and gave her a mini version of the concert I had given in Lutsk. It was a beautiful experience and it was very difficult to say goodbye.

My second trip to Kiev brought home a very important message that I'm still learning about community and congregational life. Jewish community is about relationships. My first trip to Ukraine I felt very isolated because I only had a translator for two days of my weeklong visit. The second trip was entirely different because I had a translator with me the entire time. I was able to communicate with congregants and form relationships with them. It felt like I'd found another congregational home in that little temple in Kiev.

Connection and community bring love and joy into our lives. Relationships give our days meaning and they strengthen the heart of the Jewish people. One of the things I admire about Temple Shalom is how incredibly loving and welcoming our community is. Though I formed many relationships with the people in Kiev and Lutsk, it was a brief trip, so I was limited in time. In our community, if we want to, we can make friends and form bonds that will last a lifetime.

Let's work together at strengthening our relationships with each other. If we each put in the time and energy, we will be amazed at what comes from our connections. I treasure this community and I hope to continue to deepen my relationships with you all.

In Peace and Song,
Cantor Devorah Avery
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Upcoming Events!!!

Friday, February 3rd - Kol Halevi'im, Temple Shalom's Teen Choir, will lead Shabbat Worship

Friday, February 17th - Jazz Music Shabbat Service with Temple Shalom's Adult Choir

**Saturday, March 11th -
PURIM EXTRAVAGANZA!**

6:15pm - Havdalah

6:30pm - Purim Spiel – Queen of Persia

7:10pm - Purim Party

with music, games, and fun!

Liberated, But Not Free



Decades before Taglit-Birthright, in 1972, leaders within the Dallas Jewish community, including Jack Molad, Red Coleman, Irving Donsky, and my grandfather, Aaron Klausner, saw a need to create an experience that would tie teens to the land of Israel and, by extension, to their faith and their community. Initially, the trip was called the Jewish Federation Dallas Youth Pilgrimage to Israel. However, in time, it became known simply as the “Teen Tour”. I suspect a number of you are alumni of one of the many trips led by Jack. My trip was exactly thirty years ago in 1986.

Whereas Birthright is a ten day experience, the Teen Tour was nearly six weeks. Thirty years is a long time, but there are certain places and moments that are seared in my memory. Among them is the bustle of the Arab Shuk in Jerusalem, celebrating Shabbat at the home of an observant family I met at the Kotel (Western Wall), and ascending the heights of Masada along the Snake Path at dawn. However, the experience that impacted me most was the visit I took as a 16 year old to Yad Vashem, the Holocaust museum and memorial located in Jerusalem.

Yad Vashem was opened to the public in 1953. What I recall from my visit in the mid-80’s was a stark and somber building and exhibits that highlighted the horrors of only 40 years prior. I walked away from the museum filled with horror, rage, and deep sadness. However, as part of a trip to Israel this past December with 37 members of the Temple Shalom community and led by Rabbi Paley (you may have read about it in the *Texas Jewish Post*), I got to experience Yad Vashem again in a different light.

In 2005 a new Yad Vashem complex was opened and dedicated. As our guide explained, careful pains were taken to select an architect to construct a physical space that reflected a new Israeli way of thinking about the Shoah. The main exhibit hall is shaped like a long triangle that cuts through a hill. You enter a smallish dark door and you are routed through ten halls that take you chronologically through the Holocaust, beginning with Jewish life in Europe prior to the rise to power of the Nazis. As you move through the exhibits, you actually begin a physical descent with the exhibits about the concentration and extermination camps being at the lowest level. You then begin an ascent as the focus turns to Jewish resistance, liberation, and the birth of the Jewish state. As you exit at the end of the museum, by design, you step out onto a landing with a brilliant view from atop Mount Herzl of the vibrancy of the sacred city of Jerusalem below.

This time, 30 years later, when I left Yad Vashem, the anger and sadness I felt on my first trip was replaced with pride and with hope. I felt pride that, in the face of the worst of humanity, the Jewish people were able to survive, persevere, and birth a country that truly has become “a light unto the nations”. I even got to experience a bit of personal pride as a quote from my great-uncle, Rabbi Abraham Klausner, of blessed memory, was prominently displayed in the exhibit on the displaced persons camps. My great-uncle was a U.S. Army Chaplain who entered Dachau with the 116th Evacuation Hospital and began work assisting the reunification of families separated by the atrocities of the Holocaust. His quote was simply, “Liberated, but not free - that is the paradox of the Jew”.

My feelings of hope stemmed from experiencing Israel with my congregation and with my family. As I talked with others on the trip, it was apparent how much we, as American Jews, love Israel and how we all inherently know what this tiny spit of land symbolizes for our people, our faith, and our commitment to fight for any people unable to defend themselves in the face of injustice.

I know it is not feasible for everyone but, if you have not visited Israel and there is a way to make it happen, I greatly encourage you to get there and experience this special place. In the meantime, make it a point to reach out to any of the 37 congregants, ages 10 to 75, who made the pilgrimage back in December and ask them about their time on the trip. The experience was moving and exciting and touching, but in different ways for different people – and, in the end, that is what makes it Israel.

B’shalom,

Josh Goldman
Temple Shalom President

Temple Shalom Spotlight Congregant of the Month

As part of getting to know our congregation, each month we feature a different Temple Shalom family.

Ellen and Jim Liston

Please introduce your family.

Hello, we are Ellen and Jim Liston.

When did you join Temple Shalom? We joined Temple Shalom three years ago.

Tell us about yourself. We are the parents of two wonderful grown sons, Matthew (Carol) and Michael and a super wonderful granddaughter, Ada. We also get a lot of joy from our "Team" of dogs: two Golden Doodles, Chester and Bruce (a.k.a. "Pretty") and our grand dog, Nugget. We moved to Dallas in 2006 when Jim's employer relocated here. We selected the Prestonwood neighborhood, back then, so that our sons were able to attend JJ Pearce High School. Prior to Dallas we lived in southern California, the San Francisco Bay Area, and South Carolina.



Ellen grew up in New York and moved to the San Francisco Bay Area a couple of years after college graduation. I had a career in the re-insurance business before retiring to raise Matthew and Michael. More recently, I've been an exercise instructor for gyms in Dallas leading spin and Silver Sneakers classes. I'm currently a volunteer with the International Refugee Committee (IRC) helping refugees settle in Dallas. I love anything that has to do with children.

Jim grew up in San Francisco and also lived in San Carlos, CA and Tucson, AZ before meeting Ellen in 1982. I recently retired from a long career at Fluor where I started as a mining geologist & economist and concluded as VP and head of Mergers & Acquisitions. I currently serve as Board President of Community Homes for Adults, Inc. (CHAI). I am also really enjoying my new free time with home and yard improvement projects, BBQ adventures, travelling and, of course, spending time with Ellen and The Team (of dogs).

What has been your greatest joy during your time at Temple Shalom? Our greatest joy at Temple Shalom occurred in December when we participated in the Israel Trip with Rabbi Paley and 34 other congregants. This was our first trip to Israel and we connected on many levels.

Of all the activities in which you have been involved at Temple, in which one did you have the most fun participating? The Israel trip.

You are involved with many Temple programs. What is your favorite and what should others know about this program? Ellen's favorite program is Tikkun Olam. Jim enjoys serving on the Brotherhood board. Jim also volunteers with CHAI which, while not a Temple Shalom program, is closely aligned with and shares many friends, supporters, holidays, and celebrations with the Temple.

What is your favorite Jewish holiday and why? Passover is our favorite Jewish holiday because we love to have friends and family to our home for the Seder...the more the merrier. We enjoy the cooking and reading through one of our modern Haggadahs, especially the ones designed for kids.

Which of your activities at Temple fulfills you the most or makes you feel the most connected to Judaism or your Jewish identity? Participating in Tikkun Olam and other community volunteer projects makes us feel very connected to our Judaism as does attending Shabbat services and other worship and lifecycle events.

Thank you for being our Spotlight Congregant! Do you have any parting words or thoughts? We have lived in many cities and have always been active in their Jewish communities. The Jewish community of Dallas is the most cohesive and well-organized of any we've experienced. We feel very fortunate to live here and to be a part of Temple Shalom, and are proud of its place in the community.

Lifelong Learning Council



I hope everyone has begun 2017 with happiness, health and peace. We have had a wonderful start back to school and to all our educational programming so far. On January 29th, we had a great Intergenerational Day of Learning for parents of religious school students on the topic: Raising Happy Children. For those of you who missed out, or for those who want a review, below are some of the topics we discussed! If you are interested in exploring the topic more or have questions or comments, please don't hesitate to contact me at aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org.

- Get happy yourself! In raising happy children, we must work on ourselves and increase our own happiness and emotional wellbeing. This includes practicing daily gratitude, choosing to see good in the world and believe it or not, doing daily exercise! Children watch everything we do and we **can** be their best role models. Remember: happy parent = happy child!
- Expect effort, not perfection: All too often we praise children for good grades or outstanding achievements in sports. While praise is wonderful and definitely encouraged, parents must also praise children for good effort. Effort is what ultimately counts and what will help our children to feel good about themselves and their abilities. When your child gets home from school, ask them about their day and what was most enjoyable. If they choose to talk about lunch instead of their math test, so be it!
- Teach AND model emotional intelligence: Children who learn from an early age how to effectively express themselves and their emotions will have healthier relationships and more success in life. When your child is struggling with anxiety, frustration or anger, it is recommended to do the following "empathize, label, and validate". For more info on this read: http://greatergood.berkeley.edu/raising_happiness/post/emotion_coaching_one_of_the_most_important_parenting_practices_in_the_histo
- More playtime: Yes, it is as simple as it sounds. Research shows that children who spend more time playing and interacting with friends live (not via phone or computer) are happier and more content. Today's kids are so overscheduled with sports, extra-curriculars and homework that they have little to no time to be kids. Schedule in "playtime" and you will start to see a less anxious and less stressed out kid!
- Teach gratitude: Remind your child daily of all he/she has to be grateful for. Whether it is the gooey and delicious mac-n-cheese he had for lunch or the high five she received from her gymnastics coach, we all have at least something, small or large to be grateful for. On January 29th, each family who attended the Intergenerational Day made a gratitude jar. Each week a member of the family is responsible for putting in a slip of paper with a note about something they are grateful for that week. At the end of the Jewish year, right before Rosh Hashanah, the family should open up the box and read through all the wonderful things that have happened to them as a family! Teach gratitude, teach happiness.

Wishing everyone a healthy and happy new year!
Rabbi Ariel Boxman
Director of Lifelong Learning
aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org

Grade Level Shabbat Services/Dinner 2nd and 3rd Grades

On **Friday, February 10** our 2nd and 3rd grade students will participate in our **6:30pm Shabbat service** with music and art.

Following, we will join for a catered dinner in the **Radnitz Social Hall** and share a wonderful evening together. **RSVP here:** <https://templeshalom.wufoo.com/forms/z1gw7cuy15el6z8/>

Parent Focus Group Sunday, February 12 9:30am ~ Blumin Ceremonial Room

Bring your ideas, feedback and questions, and join Rabbi Boxman in a lively discussion.



Lifelong Learning Council

Save the dates!

Tots Academy: March 5
Kindergarten & 1st Grade Level Shabbat: March 10
Munchkins Minyan: March 18



Sunday Fun Day! Cowboy/Cowgirl Day Sunday, February 12

As part of our monthly Sunday Fun Day series, students should come to school dressed in western wear. The class that has the most participation will win a tasty treat!

Tots Academy
Sunday, February 19
9:30am Youth Lounge
Led by Melinda Hepworth

We will sing, do crafts and learn about Jewish Holidays.
**A parent must attend with his/her child.*

Munchkins Minyan



Join us on Friday, February 17 at 6:00pm in the Boardroom for our Munchkins Minyan Shabbat celebration with Rabbi Boxman & Mr. Farris.

We will sing some songs, say the blessings over the challah and juice, and read a story.

All young children and families are welcome!

4th Grade Family Ed

Families with children in 4th grade are invited to join Rabbi Boxman for a morning of fun and learning on **Sunday, February 5** from 9:30am-12:00pm in the Radnitz Social Hall!

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### 5th Grade Family Ed

Families with children in 5th grade are invited to join Rabbi Boxman for a morning of fun and learning on **Sunday, February 26** from 9:30am-12:00pm in the Radnitz Social Hall!

### YOUTH GROUP EVENTS

There are some fun events coming up for our youth in December & January!  
For more information or for questions, please contact Youth Advisor, Michaela Rollin  
[mrollins@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:mrollins@templeshalomdallas.org)



### 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade SAVE THE DATE!

We have an event coming up on Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup> (after Religious School)  
Keep an eye out for more information!!!

### High School NFTY Convention in Chicago!

When: February 17<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>

Teens from all over the US will come together for a weekend of fun, learning, music, and more!



### Adult Education and Next Dor Movie Night

#### Denial

Wednesday, February 22  
6:30pm-8:30pm Radnitz Social Hall

Pizza will be served so please RSVP to [hjg@att.net](mailto:hjg@att.net) or 214-762-6673.

Acclaimed historian Debra Lipstadt must battle for historical truth to prove the Holocaust actually occurred when David Irving, a renowned denier, sues her for libel.

## Lifelong Learning Council

### Adult Education Programs

#### More Than A Few Good Men

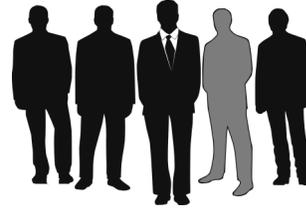
Tuesdays (February 7, March 7, April 4, May 2)

11:30am - 1:00pm

Stromberg Stock, PLLC

8750 N. Central Expway, Suite 625, Dallas 75231

Join Rabbi Paley for an inspirational and educational schmooze.



#### "Music of the Reform Liturgy A History from Solomon Sulzer to Debbie Friedman"

Presented by Jim Waldorf

Wednesday, March 8

7:30pm to 9:00pm

Boardroom

#### SAVE THE DATE!

"Temple Shalom  
Social Justice Learning Experience"

Saturday, May 13

8:30am to 12:00pm

Rabbi Paley, Barry Lachman and other Council  
and Group Representatives



#### Temple Shalom Movie Night

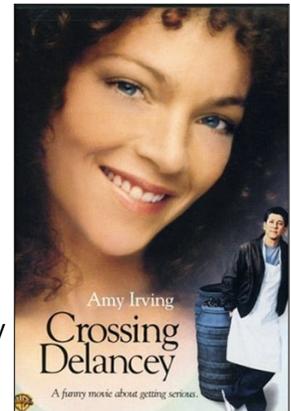
The third in our series of Jewish-themed films  
Hosted by Past President Dennis Eichelbaum

**Crossing Delancey (1988)**

Wednesday, February 15

7:00pm Boardroom

No Charge for Admission



A Manhattan single meets a man through her Jewish grandmother's matchmaker. A romantic Jewish comedy that will warm your heart and make you say "I had a family member like Nana!"

Starring [Amy Irving](#), [Peter Riegert](#), [Reizl Bozyk](#)

#### Meditation with Cantor Avery

Mondays, February 6, 13, 20, 27

5:30pm - 6:00pm ~ Sanctuary

It's the perfect time to transition from your busy day into a relaxing evening. We will explore different kinds of meditation and talk about how we can bring mindfulness and peace into our daily lives.

This is open to all who are interested. Come join us!



#### BASIC CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH

check out our new day & time

Thursdays

10:30am-11:30am

Room 110

Led by our wonderful  
teacher, Rosie Akerman

Open to everyone –

beginners, those who want a review and practice, and those fluent Spanish speakers who want to share their knowledge and enrich the class.

No charge. Sign up today!

Please RSVP to Judy Parker at [heyjud38@aol.com](mailto:heyjud38@aol.com).



For further details, contact Adult Education Chair Howard Gottlieb at [hjg@att.net](mailto:hjg@att.net).

## Lifelong Learning Council

### Adult Education Programs

#### Lunch and Learn with Rabbi Paley

***Jewish Values and the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict***  
**Wednesdays - Noon to 1:00pm**  
**Learning Center**

Our weekly Lunch and Learn program is an exciting opportunity to engage in conversation with other learners and with Jewish texts concerning important and timely issues. This year we are examining a learning series from the Shalom Hartman Institute entitled "Jewish Values and the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict". This study opportunity, a combination of video lectures, text study and lively debate, will hopefully work to shape the way we think and talk about the Israel-Palestinian conflict. Focusing on values and ideas that lie at the foundation of our political views will aid us in fostering greater understanding and respect for each other.

**Bring your lunch and enjoy a lively discussion.**



**Torah Study**  
**Every Saturday**  
**8:45am - 10:15am**  
**Learning Center**

Start your Shabbat morning with lively learning led by our clergy as we explore the weekly Torah portion. Bagels and coffee provided by class members.

#### Bagels and Bible

*(Sundays when Religious School is in session)*



**(February 5, 12, 19, 26)**

**10:30am - 11:45am Boardroom**

Join Rabbi Paley and study Torah from the beginning. This class is designed for the beginning Torah study student.

#### Judaica Studies

**Every other Saturday**  
**(February 11 & 25)**

**9:00am - 10:15am Boardroom**

Books significant to an understanding of Judaism are selected and studied by class members who lead discussions of the bi-weekly assigned readings.



#### Concierge Judaism

The program continues to have interest and programs are being scheduled by many groups. Be sure to check out the catalogue periodically at this link:

<http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/learning/adult-education/concierge-judaism>



### 2016-2017 Adult Ed Cruise to the Northeast and Canada

**September 9–16, 2017**

***If you weren't able to attend the meeting in January and are still interested, contact Howard Gottlieb.***

We'll start in NYC and cruise to Boston, Portland, Maine, St Johns and Halifax Nova Scotia and then return to NY on the Carnival Sunshine. The Sunshine is similar to the Glory and has all of the upgraded amenities, shows and casino. The cruise pricing is set with several benefits for the group. Pricing for the cabin categories we have reserved are:

Category 4B inside is \$692.69 per person (travel protection is \$65.00)

Category 6B ocean view is \$842.69 per person (travel protection is \$95.00)

Category 8D balcony is \$1,142.69 per person (travel protection is \$109.00)

There are other costs similar to last time for combined touring and visit to historic Temples in Boston and Portland, on board refreshments, learning sessions and Shabbat service.

We'll also have a pre-cruise Shabbat Service and dinner for those who arrive on Friday in NYC and we will reserve rooms in a convenient hotel for the service at B'nai Jeshurun in the upper west side and dinner nearby. We'll also provide transportation to the ship on Saturday.

**More details will follow shortly, but if you're interested email or call Howard Gottlieb at [hjg@att.net](mailto:hjg@att.net) or 214-762-6673.**

If you haven't done it yet, go to this link to see pictures from our past trip.

<http://studio.stupeflix.com/v/jz7X0YEmX2om/?autoplay=1>



**If you're ready to reserve your cabin, you can pay your initial deposit of \$150.00 per person to the temple for the Adult Ed Trip. Call the Temple office or use the donation tab on the web page, and then talk to Marcia Gold at 214-982-1455 or [marcia@goldcruiseandtour.com](mailto:marcia@goldcruiseandtour.com) to pay your deposit to Carnival for your cabin.**

**They're Back from Israel –  
The Shalom Travelers  
View of Israel  
Sunday, February 12  
8:30am-10:30am  
Radnitz Social Hall**

Temple Shalom Brotherhood and the Israel Connection Committee, in their joint celebration, invite you to breakfast to honor our own Temple Shalom congregants' recent journey to the State of Israel — many for their very first time. In honor of our congregants, they will receive a small token of our Temple's pride and gratitude.



No admission charge. Please RSVP to Anita Weinstein Warner, [awarner4470@gmail.com](mailto:awarner4470@gmail.com) or 214-403-1087.

**Israel needs you as an Advocate**

We are faced today with increasing anti-Israel activity. Neil Lazarus, a pro-Israel advocate for Israel, current in the affairs of the Middle East and public diplomacy, and particularly effective in communication training, has created a program that teaches how to become an effective advocate for Israel – one that is widely sought and conducted in over 190 schools, universities and communities, worldwide.

Accordingly, the Temple Shalom Israel Connection Committee invites you to hear this program and learn from Neil Lazarus the essentials of being a successful advocate for Israel.

**When? Tuesday, February 21, 7:00pm in the Radnitz Social Hall**

We are certain that you will not want to miss this very important event. Light food and beverages will be served. Please RSVP to Anita Weinstein Warner, [awarner4470@gmail.com](mailto:awarner4470@gmail.com) or 214-403-1087.

**Stand with  
Israel**



**Citizens Advocacy Day  
Thursday, February 9  
9:00am**

**Texas State Capitol Austin  
Old Supreme Court, Room 3N3**

Events include: recognition in the legislative chambers / remarks from honored guests / scheduled meetings with your local legislators / lunch will be served.

Join Senator Brandon Creighton and Representative Phil King in Austin, to speak with your local legislators and key staff concerning HB 89 & SB 134, legislation combating the anti-Semitic Boycott, Divestment & Sanctions Movement.

**Contact person:** Casie Squires at AJC, [squiresc@ajc.org](mailto:squiresc@ajc.org), 972.387.2943.



*Save the Date*  
*For the time of your life*

**TEMPLE SHALOM 2ND ANNUAL  
Israel Today Community Symposium**  
August 6, 2017 from 9AM to 4:30PM

Symposium attendees can select breakout lecture sessions or panel discussions on a wide variety of Israel-centric topics, led by well-known speakers. In addition, this symposium will be directed to the Jewish and non-Jewish communities, with special sessions for high school and young adult attendees.

Contact: Anita Weinstein Warner  
[awarner4470@gmail.com](mailto:awarner4470@gmail.com) (214)403-1087



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| <p><b>5</b><br/>Religious School<br/>9:30am (K-7)</p> <p>4th Grade Family Education<br/>9:30am Radnitz Social Hall</p> <p>Cooking for Stewpot<br/>9:30am Kitchen</p> <p>Stay &amp; Schmooze<br/>9:30am Cong. Gather. Space</p> <p>Bagels &amp; Bible<br/>10:30am Boardroom</p> <p>GFC Presentation 1st &amp; 2nd Grades 11:30am Radnitz SH</p> <p>Purim Spiel Rehearsal<br/>2:00pm Radnitz Social Hall</p>                                                                                                                                                                  | <p><b>6</b><br/>LIFT Classes<br/>10:00am Boardroom &amp; Youth Lounge</p> <p>Meditation with Cantor Avery<br/>5:30pm Sanctuary</p> <p>Temple Board of Trustees Meeting<br/>7:00pm Boardroom</p>                                         | <p><b>7</b><br/>More Than A Few Good Men<br/>11:30am Stromberg Stock</p> <p>Serve Lunch at The Bridge<br/>Noon Dallas</p> <p>Plano Midweek Hebrew<br/>4:30pm St. Andrew</p> <p>Adult Choir Rehearsal<br/>7:00pm Sanctuary</p> | <p><b>8</b><br/>LIFT Classes<br/>10:00am Boardroom &amp; Youth Lounge</p> <p>Lunch &amp; Learn<br/>12:00pm Learning Center</p> <p>Midweek Hebrew<br/>4:30pm Temple</p> <p>Next Dor<br/>6:30pm Temple</p>                                                                                        | <p><b>9</b><br/>Caregivers' Day Out<br/>10:30am Learning Center</p> <p>Adult Spanish Class<br/>10:30am Room 110</p> <p>Brotherhood Guys Night Out<br/>7:00pm<br/>Pin Stack Bowl &amp; Bite</p> <p>Sisterhood Night Out<br/>7:00pm Board &amp; Brush</p> | <p><b>10</b><br/>Wine &amp; Cheese Welcome<br/>6:00pm Congregational Gathering Space</p> <p>Shabbat Service with Guest Speaker, Rev. Neil Cazares-Thomas<br/>6:30pm Sanctuary</p> <p>Shabbat Service with 2nd &amp; 3rd Grades<br/>6:30pm Epstein Chapel</p> <p>Grade Level Shabbat Dinner<br/>7:30pm Radnitz Social Hall</p> | <p><b>11</b> Tu B'Shevat<br/>Torah Study<br/>8:45am Learning Center</p> <p>Judaica Studies<br/>9:00am Room 200</p> <p>Safe Conversations<br/>9:00am Boardroom</p> <p>Morning Worship<br/>10:30am Epstein Chapel</p> <p>Shalom Silver<br/>8:00pm Richardson Th. Cntr.</p>                             |
| <p><b>12</b><br/>Israel Trip Breakfast<br/>8:30am Radnitz SH</p> <p>Religious School &amp; Sunday Fun Day<br/>9:30am (K-7)</p> <p>RS Parent Focus Group<br/>9:30am Blumin Room</p> <p>Shomrei Adamah Meeting<br/>9:30am Boardroom</p> <p>Stay &amp; Schmooze<br/>9:30am Cong. Gather. Sp.</p> <p>Leadership Development<br/>9:30am Learning Center</p> <p>Bagels &amp; Bible<br/>10:30am Boardroom</p> <p>Youth Choir Rehearsal<br/>12:00pm Sanctuary</p> <p>Purim Spiel Rehearsal<br/>2:00pm Radnitz Social Hall</p> <p>Beyond Next Dor (11th/12th)<br/>5:30pm offsite</p> | <p><b>13</b><br/>LIFT Classes<br/>10:00am Boardroom &amp; Youth Lounge</p> <p>Meditation with Cantor Avery<br/>5:30pm Sanctuary</p> <p>Sisterhood Board Meeting<br/>7:00pm Boardroom</p>                                                | <p><b>14</b><br/>Plano Midweek Hebrew<br/>4:30pm St. Andrew</p> <p>Worship Committee Meeting<br/>7:00pm Boardroom</p> <p>Adult Choir Rehearsal<br/>7:00pm Sanctuary</p>                                                       | <p><b>15</b><br/>LIFT Classes<br/>10:00am Boardroom &amp; Youth Lounge</p> <p>Lunch &amp; Learn<br/>12:00pm Learning Center</p> <p>Midweek Hebrew<br/>4:30pm Temple</p> <p>Next Dor<br/>6:30pm Temple</p> <p>Adult Ed. Movie Night<br/>7:00pm Boardroom</p>                                     | <p><b>16</b><br/>Adult Spanish Class<br/>10:30am Room 110</p> <p>Shalom Silver movie time<br/>2:00pm Learning Center</p> <p>Sisterhood Bunco<br/>6:30pm Palio's Pizza</p>                                                                               | <p><b>17</b><br/>High School NFTY Convention in Chicago</p> <p>Munchkins Minyan<br/>6:00pm Boardroom</p> <p>Wine &amp; Cheese Welcome<br/>6:00pm Congregational Gathering Space</p> <p>Jazz Music Shabbat Service<br/>6:30pm Sanctuary</p>                                                                                    | <p><b>18</b><br/>High School NFTY Convention in Chicago</p> <p>Torah Study<br/>8:45am Learning Center</p> <p>Miles Grossman<br/>Bar Mitzvah Service<br/>10:30am Epstein Chapel</p> <p>Morning Worship<br/>10:30am Sanctuary</p> <p>Noah Coggan<br/>Bar Mitzvah Service<br/>5:00pm Epstein Chapel</p> |
| <p><b>19</b><br/>High School NFTY Convention in Chicago</p> <p>Religious School<br/>9:30am (K-7)</p> <p>Tots Academy<br/>9:30am Youth Lounge</p> <p>Stay &amp; Schmooze<br/>9:30am Cong. Gather. Sp.</p> <p>Bagels &amp; Bible<br/>10:30am Boardroom</p> <p>Youth Choir Rehearsal<br/>12:00pm Sanctuary</p> <p>Purim Spiel Rehearsal<br/>2:00pm Boardroom</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <p><b>20</b><br/>High School NFTY Convention in Chicago</p> <p>LIFT Classes<br/>10:00am Boardroom &amp; Youth Lounge</p> <p>Meditation with Cantor Avery<br/>5:30pm Sanctuary</p> <p>Brotherhood Board Meeting<br/>7:15pm Boardroom</p> | <p><b>21</b><br/>Plano Midweek Hebrew<br/>4:30pm St. Andrew</p> <p>Israel Connection Speaker<br/>7:00pm Radnitz Social Hall</p>                                                                                               | <p><b>22</b><br/>LIFT Classes<br/>10:00am Boardroom &amp; Youth Lounge</p> <p>Lunch &amp; Learn<br/>12:00pm Learning Center</p> <p>Midweek Hebrew<br/>4:30pm Temple</p> <p>Next Dor &amp; Adult Ed Movie<br/>6:30pm Radnitz Social Hall</p> <p>LGBTQ Pride Event<br/>6:30pm Top Golf Dallas</p> | <p><b>23</b><br/>Caregivers' Day Out<br/>10:30am Learning Center</p> <p>Adult Spanish Class<br/>10:30am Room 110</p>                                                                                                                                    | <p><b>24</b><br/>Wine &amp; Cheese Welcome<br/>6:00pm Congregational Gathering Space</p> <p>Shabbat Service with guests from CHAI<br/>6:30pm Epstein Chapel</p> <p>CHAI Dinner<br/>7:30pm Radnitz Social Hall</p>                                                                                                             | <p><b>25</b><br/>Torah Study<br/>8:45am Learning Center</p> <p>Judaica Studies<br/>9:00am Boardroom</p> <p>Morning Worship<br/>10:30am Epstein Chapel</p>                                                                                                                                            |
| <p><b>26</b><br/>Religious School<br/>9:30am (K-7)</p> <p>5th Grade Family Education<br/>9:30am Radnitz Social Hall</p> <p>Stay &amp; Schmooze<br/>9:30am Cong. Gather. Sp.</p> <p>Bagels &amp; Bible<br/>10:30am Boardroom</p> <p>Teen Choir Rehearsal<br/>12:00pm Sanctuary</p> <p>Jr. Youth Group (3rd-5th)<br/>12:00pm Radnitz SH</p> <p>Purim Spiel Rehearsal<br/>2:00pm Radnitz SH &amp; Sanct.</p> <p>Brotherhood Shalom Award<br/>5:30pm offsite</p>                                                                                                                | <p><b>27</b><br/>LIFT Classes<br/>10:00am Boardroom &amp; Youth Lounge</p> <p>Meditation with Cantor Avery<br/>5:30pm Sanctuary</p> <p>Executive Committee Meeting<br/>7:00pm Boardroom</p>                                             | <p><b>28</b><br/>Plano Midweek Hebrew<br/>4:30pm St. Andrew</p> <p>Adult Choir Rehearsal<br/>7:00pm Sanctuary</p>                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |

Want an updated look at what's going on at Temple? Visit our calendar website at <http://calendar.templeshalomdallas.org:81/BrowseEvents.aspx>

## Temple Shalom gets free money from Amazon!

Did you know that Amazon will make a donation to Temple Shalom every time you make a purchase? It's simple and easy. The next time you log on to Amazon, instead of using the regular Amazon page, go to <https://smile.amazon.com/> Then simply sign in with your normal Amazon credentials. The first time you sign in, you will be asked to select a beneficiary. Enter "Temple Shalom Dallas" and you will have the option of supporting either Temple Shalom or Temple Shalom Endowment Fund.



Make a selection and you're done! That's it, no kidding. From that point forward, each time you sign in to <https://smile.amazon.com/> and make a purchase, Temple Shalom will be the beneficiary. How much do you spend each year on Amazon? Multiply that by 750 families and there is the opportunity to make a real impact for Temple Shalom. **Thanks for doing it!**

## Connections Council

### Temple Shalom LGBTQ Pride

For further details, contact Chair Kimberly Kantor at [lgbtpride@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:lgbtpride@templeshalomdallas.org).

#### LET'S HAVE A PAR-TEE!!!

**Wednesday, February 22**

**6:30pm – Top Golf Dallas – 8787 Park Ln, Dallas 75231**

Purim is around the corner, and we can start celebrating not being hanged by hanging around together with Temple Shalom LGBTQ Pride! All are welcome – including allies!!! Get a sitter and join us!



#### **Wednesday, March 29 – DON'T PASSOVER THIS PARTY!!!**

Save the Date - Details coming soon — 6:30pm start time.

All are welcome – including allies!!! Get a sitter and join us!

### Young Adult Connection (22-39 year olds welcome!)

Our Young Adult Connection is for young adults, ages 22-39, who are single or married.

To contact Young Adult Connection Chair Janel Cassorla: [youngadults@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:youngadults@templeshalomdallas.org).

For event information, see our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/youngadultsandfamielitempleshalomdallas>.

### Young Adult Connection Shabbat ShaHOME

**Shabbat Dinners**

**8:00pm -- 11:00pm**

**Rabbi Boxman & Asher Saida's Home**

RSVP: [mrollins@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:mrollins@templeshalomdallas.org)

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS for these FRIDAYS:**

February 3

March 3

April 28

May 26

### Young Families Committee

Our Young Families Committee is for all families with children 10 and younger. To contact Young Families

Co-Chairs Jennifer Arndt & Michelle Falk, email [youngfamilies@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:youngfamilies@templeshalomdallas.org). For event

information, see our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/TempleShalomDallasYoungFamilies>.

*If you know of a young family who is new to the area or Temple Shalom, please send us their contact information so we can reach out and personally invite them to our next event.*

Please help us send personal invitations to people in your network (Temple members or non-member).

Pass on contact information to Jennifer Arndt at 401-484-3456 or [youngfamilies@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:youngfamilies@templeshalomdallas.org).

### Havurah

A havurah is a group of Temple members with similar interests who gather for holidays, cultural and educational experiences, game nights, social action and more. It's a great way to connect to our Temple community and the Jewish community at large. Each Havurah determines what it wants to do and plans activities according to its members' interests. Find a Havurah application on the Havurah page on the Temple Shalom website at [www.templeshalomdallas.org](http://www.templeshalomdallas.org).

**Send in your application TODAY!**

## Connections Council

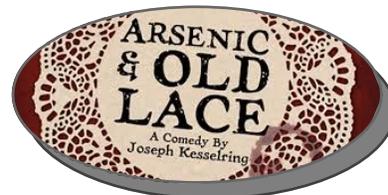
### Shalom Silver Our dynamic, entertaining group for 55+!

**Arsenic and Old Lace**  
**Saturday, February 11**  
**8:00pm Richardson Theatre Center**  
**518 W. Arapaho near Custer**

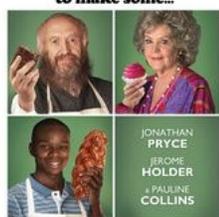
A hilarious comedy/farce by Joseph Kesselring.

Tickets are only \$16 each. Please RSVP to Judy Utay at [jrutay@aol.com](mailto:jrutay@aol.com).

Checks for all events should be made out to Temple Shalom and sent to Judy Utay, 913 Warren Way, Richardson 75080.



**You don't have to be baked to make some...**



### DOUGH

The hilarious comedy that got rave reviews at the JCC Film Festival!

**Thursday, February 16**  
**2:00pm Learning Center**

DOUGH is the story of a curmudgeonly widower who runs a Kosher bakery in London's East End. Understaffed, he hires a Muslim teenager who has a secret gig selling marijuana. Soon, the marijuana accidentally drops into the dough and the challah starts flying off the shelves! This is a warmhearted, humorous story that's sure to delight you!

It is **FREE** for Shalom Silver members and only **\$5** for guests.

Popcorn and drinks will be served, as well.

Please RSVP to Judy Utay at [jrutay@aol.com](mailto:jrutay@aol.com) so we know how many to set up for.

### BINGO

**Sunday, March 5**  
**2:00pm Radnitz Social Hall**

What game has a funny caller, his cute assistant, a lot of laughs and great prizes? BINGO!! Once again, Arvin and Arlene Kreitman will provide a fun afternoon of BINGO, with great prizes and refreshments!

**FREE** for Shalom Silver members and **\$5** for guests.

Please RSVP to Judy Utay at [jrutay@aol.com](mailto:jrutay@aol.com)



*Essers and Fressers will  
be taking a break for the  
next two months.*



### JOIN SHALOM SILVER!

Dues are only \$18/person a year!

Membership is also open to non-Temple members. Make checks payable to: Temple Shalom and mail to Judy Utay, 913 Warren Way, Richardson 75080. For questions or comments, contact Co-chairs Judy & Ken Parker or Secretary/Treasurer Judy Utay

**We aim to please!** This is YOUR group so we want to offer the kinds of programs you prefer. **We welcome your ideas!**

If you know of specific performers or are interested in other types of activities, please let us know. Also, if you would like to help with the planning or putting on programs, **we welcome that, too!** *Let us hear from you!*

Judy Parker  
[heyjud38@aol.com](mailto:heyjud38@aol.com)

Ken Parker  
[kaparkersr@tx.rr.com](mailto:kaparkersr@tx.rr.com)

Judy Utay  
[jrutay@aol.com](mailto:jrutay@aol.com)

Check out our upcoming events at <http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/groups/shalom-silver>

## Tikkun Olam Council

Interested in learning more about the Tikkun Olam Council?

Contact Tikkun Olam Co-Chairs Debra Levy-Fritts or Jody Pearson at [tikkunolam@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:tikkunolam@templeshalomdallas.org)!

### Cooking for The Stewpot



Volunteers needed (age 14+) to help us cook a meal for The Stewpot. We cook for 1 1/2 hours one Sunday per month beginning at 9:30am in the temple kitchen, preparing beef

stew, biscuits, muffins & fruit salad.

Be a part of a great group of enthusiastic helpers - you don't even need to know how to cook!!

**Save the Dates: 2/5, 3/5 and 4/9.**

To be on the reminder list, email us at [stewpot@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:stewpot@templeshalomdallas.org).



### Serve Lunch at The Bridge 1st Tuesday of the month - February 7 Noon - 1:00pm

Temple Shalom serves lunch at The Bridge in downtown Dallas. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Arlene Kreitman at 972-233-3754.

We collect unexpired toiletries, as well as eyeglasses, in the Administration office. Please donate sample toiletries you receive when traveling!

### Caregivers' Day Out Program 10:30am - 2:30pm Learning Center Thursdays: February 9 & 23



Caregivers' Day Out meets twice each month for four hours each time.

Volunteers give caregivers some well-deserved respite time when they drop off their loved ones at Shalom.

For information, contact Barbara Glazer at 972-931-9077 or [caregiversdayout@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:caregiversdayout@templeshalomdallas.org).

### Caring Congregation

Caring Congregation is a dynamic and enthusiastic committee that reaches out to fellow congregants who are ill or who have suffered losses. We are here to meet YOUR needs, but can only do that if you let us know what you need!



- \* Contact Caring Congregation Committee Co-Chairs, Reesa Portnoy and Jo-Ann Saunders at [caringcongregation@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:caringcongregation@templeshalomdallas.org).
- \* Please visit our webpage at <http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/groups/caring-congregation> to see the ways we can help you, and you can help fellow temple members!



### Interfaith Women's Group

Temple Shalom's Interfaith women's group met Monday, January 9th at the home of Thahminia Choudbury from the Islamic Center of Irving. There were a total of 15 women from Northwood Church of Keller, the Mosque, and Temple Shalom who joined the meeting of fun, friendship, games and a delicious lunch. They also showed us how to create our own Chai Tea. It was great seeing everyone we have gotten to know over the past five years we have been getting together.

**Our next meeting will be April 24 with the women from Temple Shalom hosting.** We invite new members to join and participate in our fun, gratifying activities.

Contact Jane Lachman at [jalachman1@gmail.com](mailto:jalachman1@gmail.com) or 972-735-0133 for information and to join our group.

### First Richardson Helpers

Senior volunteers helping seniors residing in RISD zip codes with minor home repairs, installation of safety items such as tub/shower grab bars, outdoor handrails and evaluations for wheelchair ramps.



If possible, clients pay for materials and may make a donation to the organization. Donations are used to provide materials for clients who cannot afford them.

Please call our 24 hour hot line (972) 996-0160 for services or complete a Request for Services on our web site at [www.firstrichardsonhelpers.org](http://www.firstrichardsonhelpers.org).

If you would like to join us, please contact Temple members [Jerry Gray](#), [Arvin Kreitman](#), or [Alan Witheiler](#). Not handy? No problem. Our clients love company and we can use shmoozers while the handymen do their work. You will be doing a true mitzvah!

For additional information, please contact Jerry Gray 972.740.4726 or [gray.jerry@tx.rr.com](mailto:gray.jerry@tx.rr.com).

## JCRC Announcements:

### JCRC of Greater Dallas Education Initiative Good Deeds Day 2017 – April 2, 2017

Stay tuned for more information soon, including a track focused on early childhood education.

If you would like to help with a Temple Shalom project on this day, email [tikkunolam@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:tikkunolam@templeshalomdallas.org).

### Join the JCRC's Mission to Austin.

The event will take place on Wednesday, February 22, 2017, when we will travel to Austin to meet with our state elected officials and legislators. The Dallas Federation will provide a bus which will leave for Austin at about 6:00am and return about 7:00pm. Participants are also welcome to make their own travel arrangements.

Plans are to advocate on three issues: (1) support for the Texas Anti-BDS bill; (2) support for social services funding; and (3) access to quality early childhood education for all children.

For more information and to register, see <https://jewishdallas.org/jcrmission>

### Stand Up for Israel on ANTI-BDS Legislation

For contact information to make a call to your representative on behalf of anti-BDS legislation, look here

<https://jewishdallas.org/bds>

### *Shomrei Adamah* — “Guardians of the Earth”

Do you have ideas about how we can improve sustainability at Temple Shalom? Please contact Chair Nina Minney at [earth@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:earth@templeshalomdallas.org). *Join us at our meetings on Sundays, February 12, March 26 and April 23 at 9:30am, Boardroom.*

To become a Temple Shalom Dallas “Guardian of the Earth,” email [earth@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:earth@templeshalomdallas.org).

Interested in learning more about or getting involved with sustainability at Temple Shalom? Please visit the [Tikkun Olam](#) page on Temple Shalom's website, or contact Chair Nina Minney at [earth@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:earth@templeshalomdallas.org).



### *“Change your relationship. Change your life.”*

**Safe Conversations 360**

**Saturday, February 11**

**9:00am – 4:00pm**

**Temple Shalom Boardroom**

**& online via Facebook, YouTube Live,  
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**Audience: couples, family members, friends, co-workers**

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For more information and to register, please visit [www.safeconversations.org](http://www.safeconversations.org).

# Tikkun Olam Council

## Dallas Dinner Table

Temple Shalom hosted forty people on Martin Luther King, Jr. Day to promote the values of diversity and dialogue, one dinner at a time. The Dallas Dinner Table is an organization focused on bringing diverse members of our community together over a meal and facilitated discussion on one night a year. This year, Jeff and Kim Kort, Rodney and Cristie Schlosser, and Jeff Fritts served as hosts for the evening's event.



### SHOWING UP FOR RACIAL JUSTICE

SURJ is a national network of groups and individuals organizing white people for racial justice.

SURJ's national website:

<http://www.showingupforracialjustice.org/>

SURJ's Dallas/Ft. Worth Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/SURJDFW/>

### DAI - Dallas Area Interfaith

For information on DAI events or activities

contact Barry Lachman

[blachman@sbcglobal.net](mailto:blachman@sbcglobal.net)

or 214-808-0042.



### LIFT Update:

Our second semester of classes is off to an exciting and fun start! Twelve new community members are joining us for English Language Acquisition classes, and are getting to know each other and their teachers. **We are looking for volunteers willing to train as assistants and possibly future teachers this semester so that we will always have enough capacity to grow our classes and meet student needs, as well as maintain a healthy substitute list.**

Please e-mail us at [lift@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:lift@templeshalomdallas.org) for more information and to join our committee. Seeing new faces of those who want to learn English and seeing that publicizing efforts are working, even a little, to bring people to classes is heartwarming.

**In one of our first LIFT classes, students answered a discussion question:**

*What do people in other countries think about America? Students responded that America is thought of as:*

*Open ~ Blessed ~ Opportunity ~ Dream ~ Free ~ Beautiful ~ Safe ~ Kind*

**Our students hail from Mexico, China, Korea and Spain.**



## SISTERHOOD

### Traditions

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<https://www.facebook.com/traditions.dallas>

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### CHAI Shabbat Dinner Friday, February 24 following Shabbat Services



Wine & Cheese Reception: 6:00pm  
Shabbat Service: 6:30pm  
Traditional Chicken Dinner: 7:30pm  
Radnitz Social Hall following services

[Click here to download the flyer.](#)

*Or see the back page of this issue.*

RSVP deadline is Friday, February 10.

Questions? Please contact:

Marsha Lefkof

[marshalefkof@yahoo.com](mailto:marshalefkof@yahoo.com) or 214-354-3548

Anita Corenblith

[acoren@swbell.net](mailto:acoren@swbell.net) or 214-808-0860

Sisterhood Board Meeting  
February 13 7:00pm

#### JOIN SISTERHOOD!!



We can't wait to share all our great programs with you! Membership forms may be found on the Temple Shalom website at: <http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/groups/sisterhood>.

Questions? Contact Sisterhood Membership Vice President Ann Weintraub at [ann@amjdesignonline.com](mailto:ann@amjdesignonline.com)

We'd love to hear from you!

**Together, we can move mountains!**

#### Bunco

Thursday, February 16  
6:30pm - 9:00pm  
Palio's Pizza  
Park and Preston  
\$5 payable at the door



Questions or to RSVP?

Contact Evelyn Hillenbrand [evelynhrangers8@aol.com](mailto:evelynhrangers8@aol.com).

### Ladies' Night Out Doing Crafts! Thursday, February 9 7:00pm - 10:00pm Board & Brush Creative Studio



3115 W Parker Rd.,  
Suite 200, Plano

Come along, try something new and create your very own wood décor sign. We'll learn about the beauty of raw materials, stenciling and preparing wood. Exact projects to be determined; you will be able to select one of three designs.

\$65 per person for materials plus BYOB and an appetizer/dessert to share.

<https://boardandbrush.com/plano/>

Registration must be done in advance on the Board & Brush Website. Your RSVP is your online payment.

**No walk-ins.**

Questions? Contact Julie Eichelbaum [jhe@edlaw.com](mailto:jhe@edlaw.com).

### Congratulations to our 2017 Woman of Valor Keo Strull

Keo works tirelessly for the good of Sisterhood, Temple and the community. She is creative, caring, and sacrifices herself without hesitation.

Please mark your calendars to join us on Saturday, April 29th as we celebrate Keo.



### Rosh Chodesh Monday, April 24 6:30pm Learning Center

it shouldn't  
hurt to be a  
child



Sisterhood is planning a Rosh Chodesh event featuring Dr.

Colin Ross, a renowned clinician/author, who will speak about childhood trauma, and the process of healing. More details to come.

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**Brotherhood Membership**

Join us!

Download our membership form from the Temple Shalom website at <http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/groups/brotherhood>.

Questions? Contact Membership Vice President Mark Fishkind at [mfishkind@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mfishkind@sbcglobal.net).

**Brotherhood Board Meetings**

February 20 7:15pm ~ Boardroom

All Brotherhood members welcome to attend!

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Mention this number at the check-out station: 1549  
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**Softball League**

Applications for the Spring season will soon be available on the [shalomleague.org](http://shalomleague.org) website.

Evaluations for new players will take place at the end of February.

**BROTHERHOOD**



This is my first Temple article of 2017 so let me take this time to wish everybody Happy & Health Secular New Year! February is now upon us and I'm looking at the Brotherhood calendar and what my fellow brothers are up to.

There are two events on the calendar that should bring out the best in attendance and us as Jews. On February 26th, we will have the annual Shalom Award. Our honoree is the Reverend Dr. Neal Cazares-Thomas. This is an outstanding choice. Who is Reverend Cazares-Thomas? He is the senior pastor of the Cathedral of Hope Church, the largest LGBTQ congregation in the world.

There are a variety of reasons why we picked him. My take is that our communities are linked by the similar struggles we fight individually and as a community; the fight against the prejudice for being different. Jews stand up to fight against intolerance, ignorance, oppression and fear. We stand for Tikkun Olam (repairing the world) and as a community the acceptance of the stranger among us. And that is why Reverend Cazares-Thomas is such an outstanding and appropriate honoree.

We're also joining with the Israel Connection Committee to have a free breakfast on February 12, 2017, that involves the congregants, including the first-timers, that went to Israel in December. Come join us while they share their experiences with a December in Israel! Enjoy a complete breakfast that includes eggs, pancakes, sausages and pastries with a hot cup of coffee along with a variety of views on Israel. Now that's a great way to spend your Sunday morning.

I look forward to seeing you at these Brotherhood events and others as the year progresses!

*Bill*

Bill Hoffpauer, Brotherhood President

**BREAKFAST**

Sunday, February 12  
8:30am - 10:30am

Brotherhood & Israel Connections Committee join forces to present:  
**"Israel in December"**  
The Shalom Travelers' View of Israel

Join us in the Radnitz Social Hall as we eat bagels and hear about the adventures from our congregation's recent trip to Israel.

**See all the details & RSVP info on page 11.**



Thursday, February 9  
7:00pm  
Pin Stack Bowl and Bite  
6205 Dallas Parkway, Plano



Join us for a fun night of Bowling!  
RSVP to Ray Farris at [raymond.farris100@gmail.com](mailto:raymond.farris100@gmail.com).

**Shalom Awards Event**  
Sunday, February 26 ~ 5:30pm  
**InterContinental Hotel Dallas**  
**See Front Page**

**Honoring**

Reverend  
Dr. Neil Cazares-Thomas

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## GRATITUDES

### Adult Education Fund

in memory of

**Helen Miller**

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**Carolyn Machat Frutman & Edith Machat Krause**

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**Joseph Frank, Dorothy Grossman, Victor Mashbein & Allen Passer**

David & Brenda Grossman

**Roy & Essie Elsner**

Phil Elsner

### Annual Fund

in honor of

**Josh Goldman**

Larry & Mimi Goldman

### Barbara Mintz Sisterhood Education Fund

in memory of

**Sally Levine**

Alan & Frances Harris

### Beautification/Flower Fund

in memory of

**Abby Spitz**

Elaine Spitz

**Ruth Margolis**

Maxine Smith

### Brotherhood

in memory of

**Harry Feibel**

Bob Cooper

**Irving Warner, MD**

Jim Warner

**Chuck Cera**

Joan Cera

**Beate Gureasko & Louis Gureasko**

Louis & Kim Marx

### Building Fund

in memory of

**Marcia Ashton**

Scott & Hollis Ashton

### Cantor Avery's Discretionary Fund

in honor of

**Temple Music Program**

Christopher Crook

**Joey Rousso**

Isaac & Lily Rousso

**Lindsay Gothard**

Sander & Julie Gothard

### Cantor Avery's Discretionary Fund *con't*

in memory of

**Genie Weitzman & Lili Rosenberg**

Andrew & Ruth Bramley

**Sally Levine**

Jay & Annette Levy

**Ruth Axelrod & Sally Levine**

Nathan & Leslie Axelrod

**Robert E. Presby**

Paul Preite Jr. & Carol Preite

### Cantor Croll's Discretionary Fund

in memory of

**Stanley Schentes**

Lin Schentes

### Caregivers' Day Out

in honor of

**Barbara Glazer & Caregivers' Day Out**

Michael & Elaine Stoltz

Sheldon & Joanie Weinstein

in memory of

**Mike Klein**

Dan & Kay Krause

**Bill Epstein**

Marty & Nancy Barenblat

Phil & Judy Goodman

### Caring Congregation Fund

in memory of

**Sidney Rosenberg**

Bob & Jean Weinfeld

**Shirley Kavensky**

Toby Stone

### Epstein Chapel Fund

in memory of

**Victor Litman**

Ed & Ann Brandt

**Victor Mashbein & Allen Passer**

Barry & Paddy Epstein

**Joseph Cohen**

Jack & Rhonda Cohen

### Employee Appreciation Fund

in memory of

**Nicholas Stern & Irving Stern**

Annette Gersh

**Marian Ellias**

Nancy Friedman

# GRATITUDES

## General Fund

in honor of

### Tim Poulin

Rik & Peggy Heller

in memory of

### Yona Strazhnik

Arkady & Galina Strazhnik

### Lucille Mehr

Bernie & Linda Goldman

### Bob Blumin

Betty Sue Scheinberg  
Charles & Lynne Dedmon

### Marcia J. Wolfe

Dan & Debra Thomas

### Allen Passer & Victor Mashbein

Dennis & Julie Eichelbaum

### Mildred Wise

Helene Arndt

### Beate Gureasko

Jackie Marx

### Mamie Gray

Jerry & Marilyn Gray

### Bertha & Albert Harris

Michael & Natalie Harris

### Dorothy J. Lewis & Miriam Lewis

Paul Lewis

### Lea Sirotin

Raisa Obrant

### Izya Dorodny

Tony & Irina Vaserfirer

## Greene Family Camp Fund *(scholarship)*

in memory of

### Allan Disraeli

Audree Disraeli

### Robert Blumin

Joan Glauberman

### Carl Bomash

Larry & Barbara Glazer

### Martin Pfeffer

Sara Pfeffer

## Hoffman Family Youth Education Fund

in memory of

### Rubin Kasten

Jerry & Deanna Kasten

## Julia Michele Warren Scholarship Fund *(Greene Family Camp)*

in memory of

### Louise Gartner

Alice Warren

## Library Book Match Fund

in memory of

### Myra & Max Pressler

Carol & Jon Weinstein

## Music Fund

in memory of

### Amy Levitan Coats

Helene Levitan

### Ruth Bergal & Erwin Silverman

Jerry & Lonna Rae Silverman

### Rae Isaacson

Joe & Ellen Gordesky

### Thomas Louis Gardner

Nancy Marcus

### Roy and Essie Elsner

Phil Elsner

## Prayer Book Fund

in memory of

### Miriam Glaser & Ralph Glaser

Sol & Jill Kirschner

## Project Atideinu/50th Anniversary Fund

in memory of

### Jane Folladori & Celia Kaufman

Irwin & Dawn Kaufman

## Rabbi Boxman's Discretionary Fund

in honor of

### Rabbi Boxman

Bette Miller

### Elaina Rifka Dym

Kevin Dym & Sara Mancuso

in memory of

### Lili Rosenberg, Mariska Rosenberg, Robert Rosenberg & Isaac Solka

Andrew & Ruth Bramley

### Mike Klein

Jay & Annette Levy

### Chester Snyder

Nathan & Leslie Axelrod

### Seymour Lewis

Wylee Protas

## Rabbi Paley's Discretionary Fund

in honor of

### Les and Shelli Taub & Larry Taub

Norman & Jane Giddan

### Lindsay Gothard

Sander & Julie Gothard

in memory of

### Susan Chernoff, Adam Malinger & Ethel Malinger

Alan & Gale Malinger

### Sylvia Shapiro

Alan & Rose Taper

### Sonia Liebnick

Allen & Barbara Liebnick

### Nicholas Stern & Irving Stern

Annette Gersh

### Jean Turover

Ed & Toby Lederman

## GRATITUDES

### **Rabbi Paley's Discretionary Fund *con't***

**Robert Schanbaum**

Gene Schanbaum

**Ethel Korn**

Howard & Joyce Korn

**Louis Gureasko**

Jackie Marx

**Sheldon Kleinfeld**

Jim & Ellen Liston

**Lore Markusfeld**

Jody & Evelyn Hillenbrand

**Gerald Alp, Otto Bissinger & Ronald Selling**

Larry & Karen Bissinger

**Irvin Leder**

Linda Levy

**Reuben Goodman**

Mark & Ann Goodman

**Rose Naftalis**

Mel & Zeldia Naftalis

**Roy and Essie Elsner**

Phil Elsner

**Gloria Kershenbaum**

Ron & Martha Kapusta

**Pauline Stromberg**

Rosie Stromberg

**Sheldon Kleinfeld**

Roy Flegenheimer & Ali Rhodes

**Sam and Mae Stein**

Steve & Debra Kerper

**Selma Kessler**

Susan & David Beck

### **Sisterhood**

in honor of

**Laurel Fisher**

Barry & Paddy Epstein

Dennis & Julie Eichelbaum

**Samuel Robert Rocconi-Smith**

Sol & Toba Reifer

in memory of

**Allen Passer & Victor Mashbein**

Sol & Toba Reifer

### **Tikkun Olam/Social Action Fund**

in memory of

**Joe Wolens**

Bette Miller

**Dr. Barton "Bud" Glaser & Morris Glaser**

Geane Glaser

### **Temple Shalom Endowment Fund**

in memory of

**Sheldon Kleinfeld**

Dennis & Julie Eichelbaum

**Beril Susman**

Joyce Susman

**Philip Parker**

Ken & Judy Parker

**Sylvia Pessin**

Mark Pessin

### **Youth Activities (*scholarship*)**

in honor of

**Alexa Falk, David Falk and Julianne Falk**

The Kirschner-Bookatz Family Foundation,

a support foundation of the Dallas Jewish Community Foundation

### **Youth Education General Fund**

in memory of

**Goldie Siegel Baum**

Donald & Harriet Sebert

**Rubin Kasten**

Jerry & Deanna Kasten

### **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 by contacting the administrative offices. For more information, please contact our Executive Director Steve Lewis at 972-661-1810 x202.

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.

**Congratulations to...**

- ✧ Joe Funk and Maria Robins on their marriage
- ✧ Kevin Dym & Sara Mancuso on the birth of their daughter, Ellie Joan
- ✧ Maxine Smith on the birth of her grandson, Samuel Robert Rocconi-Smith, son of Kraig Smith and Myriam Rocconi

**Of Blessed Memory...**

- ✧ Temple member Estelle Baron
- ✧ Rose A. Friedman, mother of Harriet Raskin
- ✧ Michael Klein, brother of Phyllis Klatsky & Anne Leiman, uncle of Howard Klatsky
- ✧ Sheldon Kleinfeld, father of Steven Kleinfeld
- ✧ Debra Schanbaum, daughter-in-law of Gene Schanbaum
- ✧ Shirley Weiner, mother of Richard Weiner

**Welcome New Members of the Temple Shalom Family!**

Al Fernandez and Kim Woods-Fernandez  
 Herman and Shirley Morris  
 Justin and Jessica Rothenberg  
 Avi Ryan and Meital Gabay Ryan

**Services Online**

Video streaming, webcasting, internet broadcasting, call it what you will, we are doing it! Regular Friday evening Shabbat services can be viewed on the internet for times when you cannot attend in person. B'nei Mitzvah services and weddings can also be scheduled for webcasting (for a fee). All live webcasts are also recorded and can be viewed "on-demand" at other times.



To view a Shabbat service live or on-demand, go to Temple Shalom's website at [www.templeshalomdallas.org](http://www.templeshalomdallas.org) and then point to Worship or Multi-Media. Click on "Services online" and follow the directions. B'nei Mitzvah and weddings are password protected. To view one of these events live, viewers must obtain a password from the sponsoring family. The sponsoring family will also have a link for viewing the archive of a special event.

*Our mission is to inspire in you a relationship with God, Torah, Israel and the Jewish people through worship, study, gathering and community service. 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 [slewis@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:slewis@templeshalomdallas.org) so we can show them that Temple Shalom is their place.*

**Worship Committee**

Co-chairs Mark Fisher & Monica Sandler

**Tuesday, February 14**

**7:00pm Boardroom**

If you want to be involved with this aspect of the community, please join us!

If you have any ideas or comments and will not be able to attend, please email our Worship Council at [worship@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:worship@templeshalomdallas.org).

**From the Social Media Corner**

**Spread the word at:**

Facebook Groups:  
Temple Shalom Dallas

<https://twitter.com/TempleShalomTX>

<https://www.instagram.com/templeshalomdallas/>

As a caring community, we would like to reach out to our members. When there is an illness, death, hospitalization, birth, etc. please contact Elise Donosky in the clergy office at 972-661-1810 x201 or [edonosky@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:edonosky@templeshalomdallas.org). Clergy and the Caring Congregation Committee are here to help during times of need and celebration.

The on-line directory is updated periodically. Please send any changes to Joy at [jaddison@templeshalomdallas.org](mailto:jaddison@templeshalomdallas.org). If you need assistance accessing the directory on our website, please contact Joy.

**TEMPLE SHALOM**

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# Temple Shalom Sisterhood CHAI Dinner and Congregational Shabbat Dinner



CHAI serves adults with intellectual disabilities. CHAI provides residential options, outreach and services to those living in the community, and it operates a day habitation program. The CHAI residents and their families will be Sisterhood's guests.

**Friday, February 24th**

Oneg: 6:00pm

Shabbat Service: 6:30pm

Traditional Chicken Dinner: 7:30pm

in the Radnitz Social Hall following services

Questions? Please contact:

Marsha Lefkof at [marshalefkof@yahoo.com](mailto:marshalefkof@yahoo.com) or 214-354-3548

Anita Corenblith at [acoren@swbell.net](mailto:acoren@swbell.net) or 214-808-0860

Name(s) of attendees: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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**RETURN THIS FORM WITH PAYMENT TO:**

Temple Shalom Sisterhood CHAI Dinner, 6930 Alpha Road, Dallas, TX 75240

*Checks payable to Temple Shalom Sisterhood*

**Reservation deadline is Monday, February 20.**