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L'Shana Tova Tikatevu!



May Your Year be Sweet and Joyous!

See High Holy Days Schedule on page 16.

FRIDAY September 5

Ki Tetze / Deuteronomy 24:14 - 25:19 6:30 PM - Service Epstein Chapel

SATURDAY September 6

10:30 AM - Morning Worship Epstein Chapel

5:00 PM - Bar Mitzvah Joshua Cooper, son of Danielle Cooper & Mark Cooper Epstein Chapel

FRIDAY September 12

Ki Tavo / Deuteronomy 27:11 - 29:8 6:30 PM - Service Epstein Chapel

> 6:30 PM Blue Jean Shabbat 6th-12th Graders Boardroom

SATURDAY September 13

10:30 AM - Morning Worship Epstein Chapel

5:00 PM - Bat Mitzvah Olivia Engle, daughter of Dara & Danny Engle Sanctuary

SERVICES

FRIDAY September 19

Nitzavim-Vayelech / Deuteronomy 31:7-30 6:30 PM - Services Sanctuary

SATURDAY September 20

10:30 AM - Morning Worship Epstein Chapel

Selichot
7:00 PM - Radnitz Social Hall
8:00 PM - Oneg
Congregational Gathering Space
8:30 PM - Service
Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY September 24

Erev Rosh Hashanah 5:30 PM - Family Service Sanctuary 8:00 PM - Evening Service Sanctuary

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

THURSDAY September 25

Rosh Hashanah
10:00 AM - Morning Service
Sanctuary
10:00 AM - Teen Service
Epstein Chapel
2:00 PM - Family Service
Sanctuary
3:30 PM - Tashlich
Valley View Park

FRIDAY

September 26

Ha'azinu / Deuteronomy 32:1-52 6:30 PM - Service Epstein Chapel

SATURDAY September 27

10:30 AM - Morning Worship Epstein Chapel

SUNDAY September 28

10:00 AM - Kever Avot Service Sparkman - Hillcrest Temple Shalom South Section

September Bar Mitzvah

Joshua Andrew Cooper

Son of Danielle Cooper & Mark Cooper

Date: September 6

School: Renner Middle School

Mitzvah Project: North Texas Food Bank volunteer packing and sorting food for the hungry in our

community.

Hobbies: Amazing summer attending Greene Family Camp. Singing, dancing, drama and playing

baseball.



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.

Constitutional Meeting

Sunday, October 26 10:00am Sanctuary

See details on page 4 of this newsletter

Refreshments will be served after the meeting.



Please join us for this important vote to amend our Constitution!

Questions? Contact either Dennis Eichelbaum at dje@edlaw.com or Barry Bell at barryrbell@gmail.com

I Was Just Thinking ...

In reflecting upon this, I have come to believe

that we are in a bit of crisis when it comes to

trying. As a child, I remember problem solving

to be a challenge. My parents did not run to my

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room to be reflective about that accomplishment and the time that is upon us as we prepare to enter into a new year. On behalf of Debbie, Molly Sammy and myself, we thank you for sharing in our day, if you were able, and for the wishes of Mazel and joy.

It was a wonderful weekend to share with our family and congregation.

I have been thinking a lot lately about what I tell Bar and Bat Mitzvah students about the meaning of the day

more I believe it and the more important its message becomes. What I tell all my students is what I told Sammy and Molly and remind myself every single day.

As many of you know, I consider myself an optimist, a glass more-than-half-full kind of person in almost every situation. As part of the "me generation," I am guilty of the immediate desire for gratification. It has taken me a long time to be patient and try

to see the bigger pictures in life and in the heavens, but I think I got pretty good at it. So, it is with this perspective that I share with students that, while I am a lover of Torah and the Hebrew Bible, of prayers and blessings, and of the commentaries and interpretations of our tradition, I am not overly concerned about how much a student does in this beginning stage of his/her Jewish journey. Quantity is not my issue. My issue with students, with myself, and frankly, with our communities at large, is our commitment that we make to TRY our hardest in the various endeavors of our that if and when we try, and by that I mean REALLY try, we will be, more often than not, REALLY successful. But here's the rub: What does it mean to REALLY try? This was the question Sammy posed to me, proving, once again, how sharp and insightful he is, as one of the few students to ask that question.

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Now that Sammy has become a sage piece of wisdom that allowed me to be creative a Bar Mitzvah, there is a little and somewhat self-reliant in my solutions. I keep my grandfather's giant dictionary in my office as a reminder of this ideal. "Look it up," as I was commanded over and over, is a great skill to learn.

I wonder if we need a theology of trying. That is, a divine context in which we are reminded of the power to put forth a serious effort to be successful in the various tasks in which we are involved. Without trying to sound overly simple, I think we know the difference between sort of trying and really trying. There are serious problems facing our world right now with serious consequences if we fail to engage - really engage. The frustrating part to the problem of our and the title as I understand it. The more I tell it, the world is that they are solvable - if we really try. God

> endowed us capacity

already in front of us. The Torah is replete with examples of characters who put forth various levels of trying. The most successful is Moses. That guy REALLY tried and was successful in getting the people where they needed to be. Over a lifetime of trying, he was successful. He had

tremendous for creativity and problem solving. If only we try... I believe the theology is

setbacks and very bad days but, in the end, it worked. Elijah the prophet, on the other hand, failed miserably at trying to be a prophet and barely tried to do what he was tasked to do and, as a result, God had him demoted. To me the picture is clear: when we put forth a consistent and significant effort to do God's will, to try hardest as humans to accomplish commandments in front of us trying to perfect our world, in the end and in the long run, we will be successful. My faith assures me of this. Whether we are trying in our sports, our music, our vocations, our lives, Judaism included. Being an optimist, I believe relationships or in our Judaism, God demands that we REALLY try every day. When that happens we, undoubtedly, will be REALLY successful. It's hard work, frustrating work. But, it does result in unbelievable rewards. I look forward to a wonderful year of trying – together!

Debbie, Molly and Sammy and I wish you and yours In reflecting upon this, I have come to believe that a happy, sweet, prosperous and healthy New Year.

> Rabbi Andrew Palev apaley@templeshalomdallas.org

Nu?



I have been called a contrarian before, and maybe it is true. I was always the one in Religious School who asked the question that exasperated the teacher. I was the one, when buying trees for Israel, who recognized that no one cared who the trees were actually named for, so I bought one in Yassir Arafat's name.

I think challenging conventional thinking is one of the things that most makes me feel Jewish-to-the-bone. One that always flummoxed me was Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur – if we have already been sealed in the book of life, why do we have to go through it every year (are there multiple books)? Do we each have our own book, or, if we do something wrong, does that

somehow break the seal for everyone?

That is why I have always loved teaching Sunday School. I love the questions students ask; I love when they challenge conventional and traditional thinking. I love the answers we get from what we thought were obvious questions, like, when Rabbi Roseman once asked a group of young children which was the most important animal in the Garden of Eden, and one child replied "the otter." To me, teaching our children at Temple Shalom has been the most enjoyable and rewarding aspect of my membership and involvement.

If you would consider teaching a class on a part of Judaism you love, please talk with Rabbi Boxman. Our Next *Dor* program was originally designed to offer multiple choices to our teens, similar to a group of college electives. Jewish cooking; Jews in comic books; Jewish choices; Jewish medical ethics; Jewish influences in rock & roll; the Holocaust; the meaning of prayer...if you have the background or an interest in it, we might be able to make a one hour course of it (8 weeks)! We are always looking for interesting subjects that will entice our children to continue their Jewish education and make Jewish learning fun! You will probably find it even more rewarding than the students.

Please think about it. Let's make Temple Shalom's Next *Dor* program the envy of every congregation, a program in which children cannot wait to become a B'nai Mitzvah so they can participate in Next *Dor*.

B'shalom.

Dennis Eichelbaum, Temple Shalom President

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CONSTITUTION EVOLUTION

With the recent war in Gaza, the countries, companies, and organizations boycotting and withdrawing support for Israel, and the continual antagonistic rhetoric within and by the United Nations and a former president, the Board took up the issue of whether we should unequivocally express our view supporting Israel's right to exist.

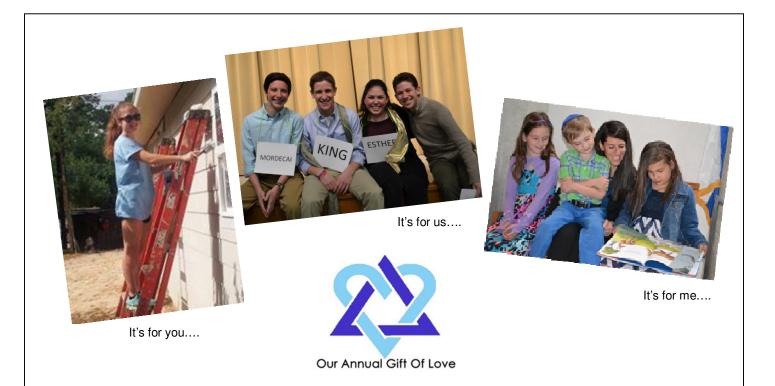
It is with such support that the Temple Shalom Board of Directors voted to bring to the congregation an amendment to Temple Shalom's Mission Statement, found in Article 2 of our Constitution, as follows:

MISSION STATEMENT: To inspire in our congregation an enduring relationship with God, Torah, Israel and the Jewish people through communal worship, study, gathering and community service.

Congregants each have their own opinions with respect to various issues involving the current State of Israel, and some may agree with the recent criticisms. Creating "an enduring relationship" doesn't define the context or the parameters of the relationship. Rather, we feel it is our responsibility as an educating institution to provide our congregants with learning so that they can create their own enduring relationship. As a Board, we do not say what that relationship should be, and just like all of our own relationships, there are times within them that we agree or disagree. Nonetheless, it is our job to inspire congregants to *have* a relationship with Israel.

This amendment shall be the subject of a congregation meeting to be held on Sunday, October 26, 2014 at 10:00am in the Sanctuary.

Refreshments will be served following the meeting.



Soon we will all be gathering in our beautiful building for Rosh Hashanah and to celebrate the New Year! As the High Holy Days approach, we are kicking off our Annual Gift of Love campaign (formerly known as the Annual Fund campaign) to support Temple Shalom's operations.

Many people assume our membership commitment covers the costs for all that we offer, but, without your support, we would not be able to offer all that we do at Temple Shalom or make it possible for us to continue to welcome all members, regardless of financial means.

Gifts can be made by mailing a check and noting the Annual Gift of Love, calling the Temple office at (972) 661-1810 and pledging by phone or visiting www.templeshalomdallas.org and clicking on the "donate" button in the upper right corner. Please contact one of the co-chairs with any questions: Stuart Marcus at stuart@directpartners.biz, Kamy Ross at kamy.ross@gmail.com or Richard Kahn at rkahndallas@yahoo.com.

Your support enables Temple Shalom to be a community that allows us to be a spiritual, religious and social home for all of our members.

Temple Shalom Spotlight Congregant of the Month

As part of getting to better know our congregation, each month we will feature a Temple Shalom Congregant.

Meet Ali Rhodes

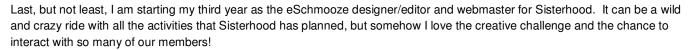
Please introduce your family: My husband Roy Flegenheimer, my son Zak, and I live in northwest Plano. Roy is a CPA, and serves as Brotherhood's treasurer. Zak is a UNT graduate and a certified personal trainer. Roy also has two married children in Arizona, who have blessed us with two beautiful granddaughters.

When did you join Temple Shalom? We moved to Texas in 1998, and the first thing we did was search for a Temple. Temple Shalom was the perfect fit for our family - Temple President Lenora Hausman made us feel right at home, the administrative staff was friendly, and Zak blended in nicely with the students in his religious school class (and enjoyed going)!

Tell us a little about yourself: I've been a Montessori teacher for 13 years, and am currently the After School Care Director at White Rock Montessori.

Although I have a serious side, I'm really a party-gal at heart. I am quick to join in a hula hoop competition, challenge friends to trivia games, and dance until there's no one left on the dance floor.

I have a passion for traveling, whether it's a road trip across Texas (crazy, I know), hiking to the bottom of the Grand Canyon (perhaps crazier), or back-packing across Europe (the craziest).





My greatest joy was participating in the Adult B'nei Mitzvah program in 2009. Thanks to my husband's tutoring, I was able to master learning Hebrew and read from the Torah. It was a tremendous amount of work, but I loved every minute of it. During our year together, I met some life-long friends, and two of my classmates (Staci M. and Julie B.) convinced me to join Sisterhood!

Of all the activities that you have been involved in at Temple, in what one event did you have the most fun participating? Although I've worked on a number of different committees and events, I would say that the art auctions have been the most enjoyable. I've co-chaired three art auctions, two sponsored by Temple Shalom and one by Sisterhood. This is an event that requires a tremendous amount of planning and teamwork, but nothing compares to the fun and frenzy of a live auction.

You are involved with our Sisterhood and have a great time! What would you tell others who haven't yet joined? I've met some wonderful friends through Sisterhood. My husband had a serious health scare this past year and it was my "Sisters," as well as our Temple friends, who helped us through. They delivered home-cooked meals and sat with Roy at the kitchen table on nights when I was working late. I just can't say enough about what that meant to us. Although it's great to "join" Sisterhood, you really need to attend some of the many events offered to feel connected. There are a wide variety of activities to choose from and, if there is something you would like to do, Sisterhood is always looking for new ideas.

What is your favorite Jewish holiday and why? That's a tough one, but I would have to say Passover. Although we miss having Seders with our families outside Texas, we are fortunate to have our dear friends, the Kleinfields, include us in their family celebrations.

Which of your activities at Temple fulfills you the most or makes you feel the most connected to Judaism or your Jewish identity? I feel the most connected during the High Holy Days at Temple. I don't know if it's the prayers, the music, or the fact that I reconnect with people I've not seen for a while. Although I may not know the people sitting near me, I feel like I'm surrounded by family.

If you were the Rabbi or President of the Congregation, what is the one thing you would like to see at Temple Shalom that we currently don't have, do or participate in?

Nothing immediately comes to mind. I appreciate the strong leadership that we currently have.

Thank you, Ali, for being our Spotlight Congregant. Any final words or thoughts?

It's such a blessing for us to be part of Temple Shalom's family. Whatever project you volunteer for, you are never alone. Whatever crisis you have in your life, you always have a shoulder to lean on. Whatever joy comes your way, you always have someone to share it with. For this, we will always be grateful!





Welcome back students and teachers! It was a nice and relaxing summer, but much too quiet in the halls of the religious school. I speak on behalf of the entire Lifelong Learning staff when I say that we are all counting down the days until the sounds of laughter and youthful chatter fill the classrooms again! All summer we have been working hard planning a fun, exciting and special

year of learning and playing. Below are some exciting innovations and additions for our 2014-15 school year!

- New and Improved Programs on Sunday Mornings: In addition to our grade level class time, our younger students will now experience a variety of specials including music, art and library. For our upper school students (3rd-7th grade) we have added a lively, interactive musical service at the conclusion of the day. We have hired new and engaging specialists and hope that the activities and programs will enrich the Sunday morning experience!
- Religious School Blog: In an attempt to improve communication with parents and family members, we are excited to announce our new Religious School Blog which will be updated weekly with pictures of students and descriptions of classroom learning and special projects. Parents will have exclusive access to this blog and will be emailed the link on a weekly basis in order to access the Sunday updates.
- Early Childhood Programming: Whether it is learning and playing in our brand new Tots Academy (once a month on Sunday morning), celebrating Shabbat with Munchkins Minyan and Rabbi Boxman (one Friday evening each month) or meeting on a weekday for a Mommy & Me outing, there is something for all our Temple Shalom munchkins! Keep an eye out for specific dates and more details!
- Religious School Theme Days: Once a month, our religious school students will experience a special Sunday theme. Theme days include Temple Shalom spirit day, pajama day, mismatch day and Israel day (among others). Students should come dressed up and ready for a fun morning. Prizes will be awarded to the most creative and spirited students! Theme days will be announced in the classrooms and via email.

I am super excited to see you all again and start another great year of learning and fun! Please be in contact with me with any questions or concerns as the summer draws to a close and the school year rounds the corner!

> Rabbi Ariel Boxman, Director of Lifelong Learning aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org



SHFTY & Youth Department

Keep an eye out for all of SHFTY's events by liking the SHFTY Facebook page

www.facebook.comgroups /19312 4290734471/.

Questions? Contact Melissa Beldon, Youth Advisor, at

youthadvisor@templehalomdallas.org or (972) 661-1810 ext. 232.

Blue Jean Shabbat for 6th - 12th Graders

Friday, September 12 6:30pm Boardroom

6th-12th Graders only, come join us for this peer-led, camp-style Shabbat! Casual clothes welcome!



WANTED! 8th - 12th Grade Teens
(post b'nai mitzvah) to lead the
Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur Teen Services.
If you're interested, email Melissa!



First Junior Youth Group Event for 3rd - 5th Graders and their Families: Mini-Golf at Top Golf

Sunday, September 28 Noon - 3:00pm Top Golf (8787 Park Lane, Dallas) Enjoy a pizza lunch at Temple Sha

Enjoy a pizza lunch at Temple Shalom and then head out to Top Golf to play Mini-Golf! Cost: \$15/person

Parents are responsible for transporting children and chaperoning them at the event. Parents and siblings are invited to pay and play as well! Please RSVP with payment (checks payable to Temple Shalom) by 9/23 to Melissa Beldon at youthadvisor@templeshalomdallas.org.



Torah Cover Project: Save the date! Sunday, September 28 9:30am - Noon Room 200

Attention parents of all Kindergarten students and NEW 1st and 2nd graders:

Join us for a fun day of decorating Torah covers for your kiddos for Consecration!

Bring your artistic skills and creativity for a fun morning!

Consecration Wednesday, October 15 6:30pm (Pictures at 5:45pm)

Save the date for our exciting Consecration service for all Kindergarten students and NEW 1st and 2nd graders! We will celebrate the start of Jewish learning with a fun service, a musical presentation and the gift of a mini Torah for each participating child.



Adult Education Programs for 2014-15

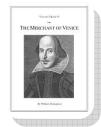


Martin Yaffe, UNT Professor of Philosophy

"The Merchant of Venice: Is it an Anti-Semitic Portrayal of Jews or Not?"

Yaffe will lead a discussion about Shakespeare's "Jewish" play, *The Merchant of Venice*. He takes the point of view that the play is described wrongly as unfriendly to Jews. Yaffe references the play as well as a book he wrote titled *Shylock and the Jewish Question* (Johns Hopkins University Press, 1997).

Wednesdays, 10/22, 10/29 & 11/5: 7:30pm - 8:30pm



Rabbi Paley and Rabbi Boxman Discussion:

Does Judaism Favor Men or Women?

Saturday, 11/22: 8:30am - 10:15am

Timothy Lynn Jackson, UNT Professor of Music History, Theory and Ethnomusicology "Portrayal of the Jewish People in Music and Opera, Continued"

Jackson continues his presentation from last year's adult education class using the following composers and world events:

Session 1: Richard Strauss, Nazism, and Japanese Fascism

Session 2: Jean Sibelius and the SS

Session 3: Erich Korngold and the Shoah

Sundays, 2/1, 2/8 & 2/15: 9:30am - 10:30am



Composer-in-Residence March 20 - 21, 2015 (Composer TBD)

Dr. Eunice Pollack, UNT Lecturer in History

"Anti-Semitism is Alive and Growing"

Pollack will discuss the History of Anti-Semitism in the World

Session 1: Christians and Anti-Semitism

Session 2: Arabs/Moslems and Anti-Semitism

Wednesdays, 4/1 & 4/15: 7:30pm - 8:30pm



Rabbi Ariel Boxman

"Development of Modern Israeli Culture through Film – Part 2"

Rabbi Boxman will continue her popular series illustrating the development of Israel using film clips from Israeli cinema.

Popcorn provided, of course!

Sundays, 4/12, 4/19, 4/26: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

All programs held at Temple Shalom

Ongoing Adult Education Programs for 2014-15 TEMPLE SHALOM



Concierge Judaism Program

This exciting program, featuring senior staff and congregants, will provide the opportunity for congregants to select from an education catalogue, classes and experiences that interest them and their families. Taking place in the comfort of congregant's home or office and shared with their friends and family,



congregants will be able to create a customized learning experience based on what they and their family and friends want to learn. This program debuts fall 2014.

Adult B'nei Mitzvah Program

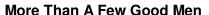
Saturdays, beginning October 11

9:00am - 10:30am, Boardroom

Beginning in fall 2014, we will be offering a year-long Adult B'nei Mitzvah class, culminating in our students becoming b'nei mitzvah together in the spring. Taught by Rabbis Paley and Boxman and guests.

\$180/person. To register, contact the Lifelong Learning Office.

This class requires a minimum of 10 students registered by September 15.



1st Tuesday of each month, October thru May

11:30am - 1:00pm

Stromberg Stock, PLLC

8750 N Central Expressway, Suite 625 Dallas 75231

Join Rabbi Paley for an inspirational and educational schmooze.

Lunch & Learn

Wednesdays, October thru May, Starting October 15

Noon - 1:00pm Learning Center

Bring your lunch and explore a taste of Jewish text with Rabbi Paley.

Bagels & Bible

Sundays when Religious School is in Session

10:30am - 11:45am, Boardroom

Join Rabbi Paley and study Torah from the beginning.

This class is designed for the beginning Torah study student.

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.

Judaica Study

Every other Saturday

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.

For further details, contact Adult Education Co-Chairs Howard Gottlieb at hig@att.net or Barry Bell at barryrbell@gmail.com.















Mommy & Me Program at Temple Shalom

Moms (or Dads or Grandparents or Nannies) and Babies (0-3), join us this Fall for our Brand New Mommy & Me Program.

Monday, September 15 12 noon-2:00 pm Rosh Hashanah Baby Food Making Party

Meet at Melinda's house (North Dallas). Make all natural, delicious baby food! Limited to six families. RSVP by September 6. (\$10/family)

Monday, September 29 11:45 am-1:45 pm **Butterfly Gardens at TX Discovery Gardens at Fair Park**

The daily release of the butterflies is at noon so be sure to be on time. Meet the group at 11:45 am at the Rosine Smith Sammons Butterfly House and Insectarium. Bring a picnic lunch and camera. We will enjoy a picnic lunch, stroll around the gardens, meet new friends and take fantastic photos of the kids! RSVP by Monday, September 22. (\$8/adult, kids under 3 are free)

Monday, October 13 10:45 am-1:00 pm Children's Concert and Activities for Columbus Day at Dallas Arboretum

Concert is at 11:00 am. Meet at 10:45 am just inside the gate after you buy your tickets into the Arboretum. Bring a picnic lunch and blanket. Don't forget your camera! RSVP by Monday, October 6. (\$15/adult, kids under 3 are free)

Thursday, October 23 5:00-7:00 pm

Halloween Nights at the Dallas Zoo

Kids can dress up to go trick or treating at the zoo! See animal shows, costumed characters and more! Meet just inside the gate after you buy your tickets. Be prompt! RSVP by October 20. (\$10/person 3+, \$5 parking/vehicle)

For more information and to RSVP, contact Melinda Hepworth, Early Childhood Specialist, at mommyandme@templeshalomdallas.org or 214-632-2386.

Worship Council

Worship Committee

Would you like to provide input about worship at Temple Shalom?

We want to hear from you! We meet each month on the 2nd Tuesday at 7:00pm in the Boardroom.

Please contact Worship Committee Chair Ken Parker at worship@templeshalomdallas.org.

Want to be on TV?

Temple Shalom is looking into the possibility of broadcasting services on Internet TV. A sub-committee of the Worship Materials Committee is being formed to consider the many questions involved. Technology isn't the only question. Other considerations include privacy, security, copyright, frequency, impact on our services, costs, benefits and whether there is even an audience. We are looking for persons with background in these various areas to assist in this review. If you have expertise, experience, or would simply like to be part of the committee, please contact Bernie Mayoff at bernie@mayoff.com or (972) 669-9169.



A Note from High Holy Days Cantor Rita Glassman

I am truly excited to be returning to Temple Shalom as the Cantor for the upcoming High Holy Days 5775. As I begin preparations for the High Holy Day services, I want to invite any and all adult members of Temple Shalom who have an interest in singing with the High Holy Day choir to take the plunge this year and join us. You don't need advanced choral skills by any means and there is lots of support in the choir to catch on as we go along. All you need is a passion for singing, an interest in getting to know some amazing folks, and a desire to connect more deeply with the music of our High Holy Day prayers.

Weekly choir rehearsals began Tuesday, July 15th, but you can still join the choir! We will meet every Tuesday evening through September. Studies have shown that singing is great for one's health, and surely even greater for the soul. As the sages tell us, "G-d likes us when we work, but G-d LOVES us when we sing!" If you want to learn more about what's involved in singing in the High Holy Day choir, please feel free to direct your questions to me, Cantor Rita Glassman, at choir@templeshalomdallas.org.

Adult Choir Rehearsals are in the Sanctuary Tuesdays from 7:00pm - 9:00pm and Sundays, September 21 & 28 from 1:00pm - 2:00pm.

Youth Choir for the High Holy Days

Calling everyone third grade and up!



Join our youth choir, *Shir Joy*, for the High Holy Days!! You don't have to know Hebrew, just have a desire to sing! Questions? Contact guest youth choir director, Thom Hawkins, at tihound@sbcglobal.net. Thom has been the tenor section leader in our Adult Choir and is a professional member of the Dallas Opera Chorus. He has taught music in grades 1-6 in the Mesquite ISD for nearly 30 years. Thom has prepared the children's chorus for the Dallas Opera for three operas and is also the Music Director for the Summer Creativity Camp at East Dallas Christian Church.

The Youth Choir began rehearsing in August and will continue rehearsals from Noon - 1:00pm at Temple Shalom on the following Sundays: September 7, 14, and Noon - 1:30pm on September 21 and 28.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Labor Day Temple Building Closed	Serving at The Bridge Noon - 1:00pm Adult Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Sanctuary Board of Trustees Meeting 7:00pm Boardroom	Sisterhood Cooking with Connie 6:30pm Temple Kitchen	4 Brotherhood Craft Beer Tasting & NFL Game Watching Event 7:00pm Strull Home	5 Wine & Cheese 6:00pm Congregational Gathering Shabbat Service 6:30pm Epstein Chapel	Torah Study 8:45am Learning Center Morning Worship 10:30am Epstein Chapel Bar Mitzvah 5:00pm Epstein Chapel Young Adult Connection & Young Families Dinner & A Movie Date Night 6:30pm Dinner Mama Pita's 9:00pm Jewish Film Festival
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Temple Shalom 13th Annual Charity Golf Tournament "Fore The Kids"

Benefiting Temple Shalom Youth Programs and Snowball Express

Monday, October 6, 2014
The Honors Golf Club
2525 Honors Club Dr.
Carrollton, TX 75006

Play ■ Sponsor ■ Donate ■ Bid ■ Dine

\$250 Individual Player - Multiple Player/Sponsor/Donor Levels Available

Visit our website for sponsorship opportunities and to register: www.templeshalomdallas.org

Each player registration includes greens fee, cart, use of practice facilities, box lunch, refreshments, and dinner reception.

- Win a luxury car for a hole-in-one
- Closet to the pin competition
- Longest drive competition
- Goody bags for all players
- Live and Silent Auction and Awards Ceremony during reception

The mission of Snowball Express is to create opportunities for joy, friendship, and communal healing among families of fallen military heroes.

With the help of many businesses and volunteers, memorable events have been planned to help the children and spouses of these families.

Space is limited so register now!

We encourage you to register as a foursome or the tournament committee will gladly pair you with other golfers.

For more information and to register visit: www.templeshalomdallas.org. For questions, contact Ken Braswell at 972-809-7312 or kbraswell1@sbcglobal.net.

Registration deadline Friday, September 26, 2014.

Funds raised from the tournament support Temple Shalom Youth Programs and Snowball Express, both 501(c)(3) organizations.



3rd Annual Food Truck Palooza

Sunday, September 14

Temple Shalom's biggest fundraiser needs YOU!

Volunteer shifts available from 8:00am - 9:00pm.

Teens! Service hours can be awarded.

Sign up now to get preferred times and duties:

http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c054eacaf2baafd0-3rdannual

Questions? Contact Ann Goodman at agoody@sbcglobal.net.

Purchase Admission & Raffle Tickets in Advance for Food Truck Palooza!

This year, purchase your Food Truck Palooza admission and raffle tickets online. Avoid the lines that day and buy your \$5 Admission tickets and raffle tickets before you arrive! Raffle tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20 for the main raffle. Purchase exciting chances to win an incredible guitar signed by Country Superstar Darius Rucker and his entire band (priceless!). Chance prices begin at only \$25!



Before you come to Food Truck Palooza on Sunday, September 14, save time and purchase your tickets and raffles on the Food Truck Palooza website at www.dallasfoodtruckpalooza.com.

Invite your friends and family to participate in our raffle! You don't have to be present to win!

Questions? Contact Abbie Alter at abbiealter@hotmail.com.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Are you ready to swing into action?

If you can type, talk, write or swing a club, the

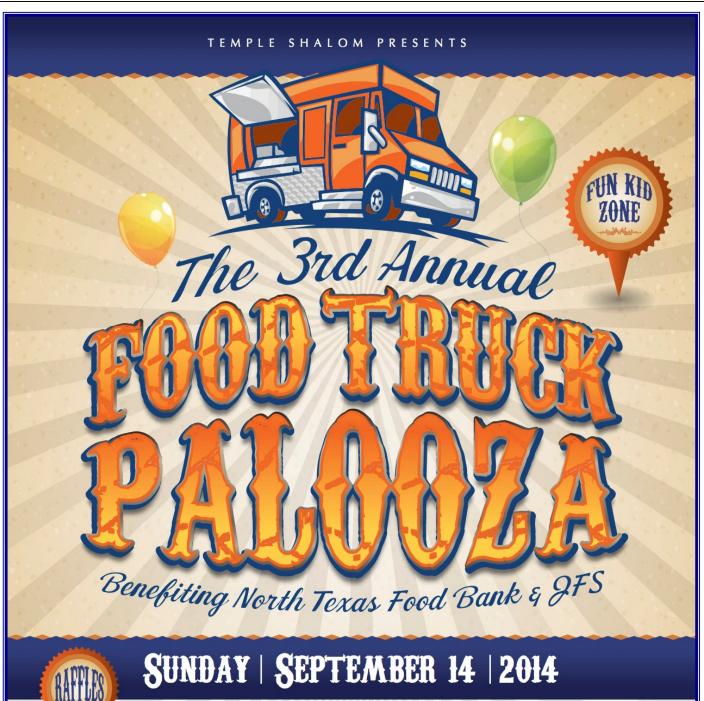
Temple Shalom Golf Tournament
(Monday, October 6th) needs your help!

Don't know the difference between an eagle and a bogey?

Don't worry! There are plenty of positions available including fundraisers, ticket takers, cart drivers, golfers and much more.

These roles pay absolutely nothing, but think of the fun you'll have!

If interested, please contact: Ken Braswell at kbraswell1@sbcglobal.net.





Come and join the fun and food with DFW's gourmet food trucks! From 11am - 8pm - \$5 Admission Kids 3 and under Free. - Live Music - Entertainment Wine & Beer - Kids Zone - Gourmet Food - Raffle - Fun for All! (No pets please) S.E. Corner of Hillcrest & Alpha

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High Holy Days Services Schedule 2014 - 5775

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

ALL 8:00PM AND 10:00AM ROSH HASHANAH AND YOM KIPPUR SERVICES REQUIRE A TICKET FOR ADMISSION FOR ADULTS.

SELICHOT

Saturday, September 20 7:00pm Program followed by Oneg and Service

ROSH HASHANAH

Wednesday, September 24 Family Service—Open to the community 5:30pm

8:00pm Evening Service—Ticket Required for Adults

Thursday, September 25 10:00am *** Morning Service-Ticket Required for Adults

> Teen Service—(8th-12th grade) 10:00am

Family Service—Open to the community 2:00pm Tashlich Service at Valley View Park 3:30pm

KEVER AVOT

Sunday, September 28 10:00am Memorial Service

Rabbi Paley and Rabbi Boxman will conduct this service at the Temple Shalom (south) section of Sparkman Hillcrest Memorial Park.

YOM KIPPUR

Friday, October 3 Family Service —Open to the community 5:30pm

> Evening Service—Ticket Required for Adults 8:00pm

Saturday, October 4 Morning Service—Ticket Required for Adults 10:00am ***

> Teen Service (8th-12th grade) 10:00am

Symposium

12:30pm **Musical Program** 1:45pm

Family Service—Open to the community 2:00pm

3:15pm Afternoon Service **Yizkor Service** 4:30pm **Concluding Service** 5:15pm

-Break Fast follows

*** Child care is available during this service for children and grandchildren of members only. Reservations are required by September 1st. Form may be found on the Temple Shalom website.

SUKKOT

Wednesday, October 8 **Festival Service** 6:30pm

Thursday, October 9 **Sukkot Service** 10:30am

Special Hearing Device Details on Page 27.

SIMCHAT TORAH & CONSECRATION

Wednesday, October 15 6:30pm Festival Service Thursday, October 16 **Yizkor Service** 10:30am

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.

The Havurah Committee is currently working with 11 groups consisting of more than 150 members ranging in age from 1 to 80+. Make new friends and invite your current friends to join you by applying to be in a Havurah - or create a new one!

Click <u>here</u> for a Havurah application or find it on the Havurah page on the Temple Shalom website at <u>www.templeshalomdallas.org</u>. Send in your application TODAY!

Please email questions to havurah@templeshalomdallas.org.

Denise Blasband and Kathryn Frish

Havurah Committee Co-Chairs

Challahdays Havurah Happening



Sunday, September 7 10:00am - 1:00pm Radnitz Social Hall \$5/person - payable at the door.

All age groups invited!

If you're in a Havurah or interested in learning more about our

Havurah Program, be sure to join us!

Participants must bring a big bowl, a mixing spoon and a cookie sheet.

Snacks and drinks provided!

We'll be making not just round challah for the
High Holy Days,
but round AND braided challah

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—a new twist on challah!

Each person will take home one challah to bake at home!

You MUST RSVP in advance so we have enough ingredients! RSVP by 9/3 to havurah@templeshalomdallas.org.



The Connections Council is looking for fun and eager volunteers who are looking for new ways to connect with Temple Shalom. Whether you have a lot of time or just a little time, or whether you have been a member of Temple Shalom for decades or just days, we have a spot for you.

Please e-mail Connections Council Chair Diane Laner at <u>connections@templeshalomdallas.org</u> if you are ready to join one of these great committees!

STAY & PLAY COMMITTEE

Each Sunday when religious school is in session, the Connections Council makes sure that there are bagels, cream cheese and coffee (with flavored creamers!) for anyone who wants to hang out while their kids are in class, or, anyone who just wants to hang out at Temple! Some weeks we offer events – like yoga, recipe swaps, idea swaps or scrapbooking – and we always have a Mah Jongg set available and wifi for those who need to stay connected. If you would like to plan one or more Sunday events, or just want to meet other parents, being a part of this committee is perfect for you! Email stayandplay@templeshalomdallas.org to help!





SEASONS AT SHALOM COMMITTEE

Throughout the year, Connections Council plans fun events to bring members together. During the summer, we've planned movie nights, challah baking, and the 4th of July fireworks viewing event. In the fall, we've hosted tailgating and movie nights. In the winter, we coordinated Chinese dinners on Christmas Eve. In the spring...well...nothing was planned for this past spring, but we're always open to ideas! We're looking for creative and fun committee members who enjoy

planning simple events and meeting new people! Email seasonsatshalom@templeshalomdallas.org to volunteer!

HOLIDAY CELEBRATIONS COMMITTEE

Next year the Holiday Celebrations Committee will develop and plan Temple-wide Hanukkah and Shavuot celebrations, and will work with the Havurah Committee and other Lifelong Learning Council committees to plan events around Sukkot, Passover and other Jewish holidays. Each celebration is a one-time event that does not require a lengthy time commitment throughout the year. Email holidaycelebrations@templeshalomdallas.org to help start planning these celebrations!















MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

The Membership Committee works closely with prospective members to introduce them to all facets of Temple Shalom and the Dallas Jewish community, should they be new to our city. We also welcome new members and help them connect to Temple in a way meaningful to them. The Membership Committee heats up right before the High Holy Days and the start of Religious School, but has year-round volunteer opportunities as we help new members become

involved in Temple life. Membership events include the late summer Prospective Member Brunch and the spring New Member Oneg. Being a part of the Membership Committee is a great way to share your knowledge, love of and experiences at Temple Shalom.

College Connections Don't let your student be left out!

Please check the Temple Shalom website and fill out the College Connections form so that your college student receives care packages from Temple Shalom! College Connections Co-Chairs Eileen Disraeli and Connie Hochberg also are looking for volunteers to help assemble these packages, which are mailed a few times a year. Questions? Contact them at collegeconnections@templeshalomdallas.org.

Young Families Group and Young Adult Connection

Our Young Families Group is for all families with preteens while our Young Adult Connection is for young adults, ages 22-39, who are single or married! Each group will plan activities and, sometimes, both groups will combine for one exciting event, so mark your calendar for lots of fun!

To contact Young Families Co-Chairs Abbie Alter (214) 709-5528 and Brandy Wayne (214) 597-3459, email youngfamilies@templeshalomdallas.org.

TEMPLE SHALOM

To contact Young Adult Connection Chair Jacie Edelstein, email youngadults@templeshalomdallas.org.

YOUNG FAMILIES

Both groups use Facebook to publicize events so check us out!

Go to our Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/youngadultstempleshalomdallas.

Young Families and Young Adult Connection Date Night

Saturday, September 6

Dinner at Mama Pita

6:30pm (Shops at Legacy, Plano) (BYOB)



9:00pm Movie

Movie: It Happened in Saint -Tropez

French with English subtitles

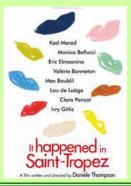
In this romantic comedy, misunderstandings, betrayals and revelations all throw a family into total disarray - all because of a bizarre death involving the purchase of a pastrami sandwich. But, despite the chaos, a beautiful love story - or two - will blossom.



Please PayPal at brandywayne@hotmail.com to reserve tickets.

See the Young Adult Facebook page for more information.







Mark Your Calendars!

October 10: Young Families Sukkot Celebration Details TBD

October 18: Young Families: Haunt Jaunt 1 mile Family Fun Run & Picnic at Oak Point Park in Plano, 6:00pm - 8.30pm Kids come dressed in costume for the Fun Run followed by a parade and picnic in the park

October 27: Young Adult Connection Happy Hour Location TBD

Shalom Silver

Life Starts at 55 for Temple Shalom Silver and Friends! Take a Look at our Exciting Fall Programs!

ESSERS AND FRESSERS - Our Monthly Dinner Group

Wednesday, September 3 6:30pm

Palio's Pizza

1469 W. Campbell, Richardson 75080 (SE Corner of Coit/Campbell

Join us for gourmet pizza, pasta and salad, including the best mac n'cheese in town! Please RSVP to Denise Mayoff at denise@mayoff.com so we'll know how many to expect. If you have a September birthday, please let Denise know so we can all celebrate with you!



These small dinner parties are a great way to mingle and enjoy some good conversation! Come join us!

Music with Marty! Marty Ruiz, Entertainer

Sunday, September 7

1:30pm Radnitz Social Hall

If you've seen Marty before, you know what a wonderful performer he is! Marty will dazzle us with his repertoire of favorite songs, dance steps and audience interaction! Classics like *Sweet Caroline, New York, New York* and *Chicago* will come alive again. Light refreshments will be served! No charge for Shalom Silver members, and Guests are only \$5 each. RSVP by 9/4. Email Judy Utay at jrutay@aol.com. Invite your friends! Everyone's welcome!





Wellness Class for Men & Women: Chair Tai Chi

Wednesday, September 17 2:30pm Radnitz Social Hall

We're excited to announce a Chair Tai Chi class, led by Nanci DuPlant, a very experienced and popular instructor! Tai Chi improves muscle strength, core balance, and flexibility. It has been shown to help breathing difficulties and alleviate symptoms of stress, arthritis, and fibromyalgia, as well as other conditions if practiced regularly. Wear loose, comfortable clothing. No charge for Shalom Silver members. Guests are \$5 each. *Open to adults of all ages.* RSVPs are a must so we have chairs available for everyone. Please RSVP by 9/15 to Judy Parker at heyjud38@aol.com.

Norris Perry, Singer

Sunday, October 12

1:30pm Radnitz Social Hall

Norris, a very popular singer and motivational speaker, will delight us with his beautiful voice and songs of the 50's, 60's and more. Come and nosh, mingle with long time friends and new ones, and enjoy a terrific musical program! RSVP by 10/9. Shalom Silver members, \$5 each. Guests, \$10 each.



SHALOM SILVER is dedicated to bringing you a variety of entertaining and informative programs at minimal cost. We have plans for another exciting year of fun and camaraderie! Dues are only \$18 per person from now through May 2015.

Please send your checks for both dues and events, payable to Temple Shalom, to Judy Utay at 913 Warren Way, Richardson, TX 75080.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME! PUT MORE FUN IN YOUR LIFE! JOIN SHALOM SILVER! Comments? Ideas? To be placed on our mailing list or to offer comments, please e-mail shalomsilver@templeshalomdallas.org. Judy Parker heyjud38@aol.com Ken Parker kaparkersr@tx.rr.com Judy Utay jrutay@aol.com

Shalom Singles

Shalom Singles offers a variety of social events to enhance the lives of Jewish singles, ages 40 to 60, in our community.

Just send your e-mail address to singles@templeshalomdallas.org.

Tikkun Olam Council

Be Green with the Tikkun Olam Council

Temple Shalom is thrilled now to have an official recycling mixed-use container from the City of Dallas. Thank you, Morgan Laner, for your vision to get this implemented! Now let's fill it up! We need congregants' help to put the new logo on all trash containers in-house, as well as clever ideas to encourage everyone to use them.



The Tikkun Olam council is looking for the young and young-at-heart to help teach about our new recycling program. There is much to be done. We need congregants to take charge, offer ideas and/or help! For those who want to know what we can put in the bin, please see our webpage at http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/groups/tikkun-olam-social-action.

If you are interested in this project, please contact Tikkun Olam Council Chair Jerri Grunewald at tikkunolamcouncil@templeshalomdallas.org.

Caregivers' Day Out 10:30am – 2:30pm Learning Center Note in September: only September 11

Caregivers may bring their loved ones to Temple Shalom for a few hours of activities. For information, please contact Barbara Glazer at (972) 931-9077 or



caregiversdayout@templeshalomdallas.org.

Mark Your Calendars! Dallas Faces Race

Temple Shalom is an official partner of "Dallas Faces Race," which seeks to create

a sustainable forum about race in the Dallas area. The effort is building toward a national conference, <u>Racing Forward</u>, to be held in Dallas on November 13-15, 2014. Among other partners in Dallas Faces Race are Jewish Family Service, Jewish Community Relations Council, and the Dallas Holocaust Museum/Center for Education and Tolerance.

For more information and a calendar of events, please see <u>dallasfacesrace.com</u> or contact Bernie Mayoff at <u>bernie@mayoff.com</u>.



Help cook a meal in our Temple Kitchen for the Stewpot at 9:00am on the following mornings. Ages 10+ with parent welcome to volunteer! To be on the Stewpot cooking mailing list, please email Gail Hartstein at

stewpot@templeshalomdallas.org.

2014-2015 Cooking Dates:

September 28, October 12, November 16, December 14, January 11, February 8, March 1, & April 12



BUILDING TOGETHER 2014 HABITAT HOME DEDICATION

Sunday, September 7 1:00pm 2723 Dorris Street, Dallas 75215

Come join the festivities as we welcome the McGee family to their new home! This home was built by congregations and agencies of the

local Jewish community this past spring. Rabbi Paley will offer the opening prayer, and Temple Shalom will present the homeowners with a beautiful Tzedakah box, just one of the many gifts that will be given during the ceremony.

Refreshments will be served. Please RSVP to Jerri Grunewald at (214) 649-0220 or tikkunolam@templeshalomdallas.org.

Meet Your Habitat Family! A Dallas native, Kirby McGee



works as a processing clerk for the
United States Postal Service, and
currently lives in Lancaster with her
eight year old daughter Sky'e, and
family members. Lack of space and
privacy became motivating factors for
Kirby to take the first steps in her home

buying process.

Kirby was referred by a friend to Dallas Habitat's homeownership program. Kirby thought it was too good to be true, but after seeing her friend's home, and attending a homeowner orientation, Kirby became a believer and realized that this could be a great opportunity.

When Kirby isn't resting from her long day at work, she enjoys spending time with Sky'e, who is very upbeat, and they enjoy bowling together. Sky'e is currently in 2nd grade and is very bright and outgoing. Sky'e is so excited to have her own room in their new home, and Kirby is very thankful and eager to finally have a place to call their own!

Israel Connection Committee



For information on Federation's "the Big One's" Israel Trip or what the Israel Connection has planned for this year, please email Israel Connection Chair Ken Glaser at

israelconnection@templeshalomdallas.org.



DAI Committee

For information on Dallas Area Interfaith (DAI) and Temple Shalom's DAI Committee, please contact Chair Barry Lachman at blachman@sbcglobal.net.

Serve Lunch at The Bridge 1st Tuesday of the Month Tuesday, September 2 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 Administrative office.

Tikkun Olam Council

Caring Congregation Offers a NEW Divorce Support Group!

At Temple Shalom, we believe that everyone has the right to a world. a community and a home filled with Shalom, wholeness and peace. When that Shalom no longer exists because



of the pain of divorce, your Temple is there for you and your loved ones. Temple Shalom is blessed to offer a Divorce Support Group. The weekly meeting will aim to help individuals dealing with issues arising from divorce; including grief, loss, children's issues, and anger. Participation is voluntary, and the group will continue as needed.

Elaina Gross, a Licensed Clinical Social Worker experienced in individual and group therapy, will facilitate. Initially, we can only offer this group to Temple Shalom members; that may change in the future. Please RSVP to Elaina at elainawee@earthlink.net.

Tuesdays beginning September 9 5:30pm - 7:00pm **Blumin Ceremonial Room, Temple Shalom**

Caring Congregation

Want to get involved with our Caring Congregation Committee? Need assistance? Please check out 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! Contact Caring Congregation Committee Co-Chairs, Reesa Portnoy and Jo-Ann Saunders at caring@templeshalomdallas.org.

Next Caring Congregation Meeting: Monday, September 15 7:00pm Boardroom

Please join us to hear our plans for the New Year!

Access our Caring Congregation blog on the Temple website, under the category of Multi Media, and on the Temple Shalom Facebook page. See: http://

www.templeshalomdallas.org/multi-media/caring-congregation -blog.

High Holy Days Food Drive

One of the High Holy Days traditions at Temple Shalom is our annual Food Drive. Just as last year, our beneficiaries will be the North Texas Food Bank (NTFB), and Jewish Family



Service (JFS) Food Pantry, serving our community here in North Dallas and the Vickery Meadow area.

NTFB and JFS represent our commitment to serving the hungry among us, both throughout North Texas and right here in our neighborhood. This year, we have two ways for our congregants to participate.

- Please go to the Temple Shalom website at www.templeshalomdallas.org and follow the link from the home page to donate to our virtual food drive. Please note that NTFB will immediately email a tax deductible acknowledgement. Our virtual drive begins September 24th and ends October 4th.
- Please contribute canned food for the JFS Food Pantry. You will receive a bag at services at Rosh Hashanah with a list of needed items. To participate, you MUST return the filled bag at Yom Kippur services. No bags can be accepted after October

We ask that you consider a financial donation equal to the amount of money you would spend on food to feed your family for a typical day. Our goal is to raise \$2,000 in this year's High Holy Days Food Drive to provide 6,000 meals to hungry families in our area.

Questions? Please contact Tikkun Olam Council Chair Jerri Grunewald at tikkunolam@templeshalomdallas.org or (214) 649-0220.

Tikkun Olam Council's Mitzvah Project at North Texas Food Bank Helped Feed the Hungry in Our Community!





Temple Shalom members packed 7000 lbs. of carrots, enough for 6533 meals, and that's only one-third of the carrots in the NTFB warehouse! We also packed boxes of balanced meals used in emergencies. Thanks to all our helpers - it was a great and productive experience!

Embrace Interfaith Women's Group

Comprised of women from Jewish, Islamic and Christian faiths who come together to share faith, food, celebrations and education. For the past four years, women from Temple Shalom Sisterhood, The Islamic Center of Irving and the Northwood Church in Keller have enjoyed meeting at each congregation's home to share our traditions and friendship. We have interesting programs and lunches and always welcome new members. Our next meeting will be in September. If you are interested in joining or have any questions, contact Jane Lachman at embrace@templeshalomdallas.org.



SISTERHOOD



JOIN SISTERHOOD!! If you haven't yet, please download a membership form from the Temple Shalom website by going to http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/groups/sisterhood. Together, we can move mountains! We have fabulous activities planned for 2014-2015 and we want you to be

a part of Sisterhood! Please join us! Meet new friends and have fun with all your lifelong ones!

Questions about Sisterhood? Contact Membership Vice President Robyn Young at ry@edlaw.com or (972) 365-8825.

Everyone is invited to the MEMBERSHIP COFFEE

Sunday, September 21 9:30am - Noon Congregational Gathering Space



This is a great opportunity to meet new people and learn about all the wonderful upcoming activities in Sisterhood!

Please stop by!

NO TAX DAY IS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21!

Traditions has the perfect gift to make your High Holy Days special!

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September Hours



Tuesdays: Noon - 3:00pm
Wednesdays: Noon - 3:00pm (9/24 until 2:30pm)
Fridays: Noon - 5:00pm & 5:30pm - 6:25pm (closed 9/26)
Sunday 9/14: Visit our table at Food Truck Palooza!!
Sundays 9/21, 9/28: 9:30am - 1:30pm
Closed Mondays and Thursdays

For appointments any other day or time, or for help with all of your party-planning needs, contact Clare Fishman at (469) 438-9956.

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http://www.fraditionsdallas.com/ http://www.facebook.com/pages/Traditions-Dallas/170634816396578

Sisterhood Paid-Up Dinner at Temple Shalom



Tuesday, October 21

Battle in the Hood....brought to you by the same people that brought you "Cake Wars"!

Time: 6:00pm Schmoozing, 6:30pm - 9:00pm Dinner & Program

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Free to paid-up Sisterhood members, Guests \$25

More details on the Sisterhood page on the Temple Shalom website.

Cooking with Connie: It's Sushi Time!

Connie Hochberg will be teaching us how to make Sushi!

Wednesday, September 3 6:30pm Temple Shalom Kitchen

\$15/person

RSVP to Ilene Zidow at

Ilene.zidow@gmail.com. Mail checks, payable to Temple Shalom Sisterhood, to the temple office. Limited space!

Sisterhood Bunco

Thursday, September 18 7:00pm - 9:00pm \$5/at the door

Anita Corenblith's Home 7153 Cannongate Dallas, TX 75248

Join us for this fun and easy game night!

Suggested food categories:
A-M Appetizer or Salad or Dessert
N-Z Side Dish or Main Course
Not a cook? Bring wine!

RSVP by 9/15 to Toba Reifer at 4reifer@tx.rr.com. Limited space -Temple Shalom members only.

Passing the Hat Loom Hat Project



Sundays, September 21 & 28 12:30pm - 2:30pm

Learning Center For ages 10 and up

Temple member Graham Rosen is working towards his Eagle Scout project with the organization, *Passing the Hat*, represented by Temple member Ellen Miller. Learn how to make loom hats for cancer patients. Looms provided. *Participants must purchase two skeins of Red Heart supersaver soft yarn (you can purchase yarn at Walmart).*

RSVP to Sisterhood Tikkun Olam Chair Ellen Liston at ellenliston@att.net.

Frace

Save the Date! October 18

NorthPark Center Beginning at 8:00am

Come join SISTERHOOD as we walk together for THE SUSAN G. KOMEN RACE FOR THE CURE

Please log in to <a href="http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http://http

Go to events, click on *Find an event*, click on *Komen Dallas Race for the Cure*, click on *Join a team*.

Our team is Chai Steppers

Contact: Lonna Rae Silverman at lrsilvermtx@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Save the Date! Tuesday, October 28

Rosh Chodesh

6:30pm Learning Center Speaker: Rabbi Andrew Paley Program: *Tikkun Olam and Family -*Beyond the Tzedekah Box







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 Jim Warner at iww.templeshalomdallas.org/groups/brotherhood. Questions?

Brotherhood Board Meeting Wednesday, September 17 7:15pm Boardroom

7:15pm Boardroom
All Brotherhood Members
Invited to Attend.

First Ever Craft Beer Tasting & NFL Season Opening Game Watch Party!

Thursday, September 4 7:00pm Strull Home 6925 Spanky Branch Drive, Dallas 75248

\$15/person

RSVP ASAP to Brian Strull at brianstrull@yahoo.com

Featuring brew tasting of our finest local beers and pro football viewed

simultaneously! What better male bonding event could we have conjured up for the crafty Bros!!





High Holy Days Ushering

Brotherhood
members interested in High Holy
Days Ushering, please contact
Bill Hoffpauer at
billhoffpauer@att.net. Your
congregation and fellow
Brotherhood members appreciate

Usher Meeting: Wednesday, September 17 6:00pm Boardroom

your help!

BROTHERHOOD



L'Shana Tovah from the Brotherhood! In a few weeks, many of our members will be donning their boutonnières and proudly serving as High Holy Days ushers. Please thank head usher Bill Hoffpauer and his team for their efforts, and remember to have your tickets out each time you enter the sanctuary.

Brotherhood has a full month of activities in September, starting with a football watching / craft beer tasting party on September 4. Contact Brian Strull at brianstrull@yahoo.com for details. On September 11, Guys Night Out returns to Bowl & Barrel at Park Lane and Central Expressway for a fun evening of knocking down pins and a couple of beers. Guys Night Out is always on the second

Thursday of the month, and we always start at 7:00pm. The beer continues to flow on Sunday, September 14 as we serve drinks at the Food Truck Palooza. This is a major fundraiser for the Temple and we are pleased to do our part!

By now, you are possibly wondering what else Brotherhood does besides having fun and drinking beer. A lot more! On September 21, we will be serving our annual first day of Religious School pancake breakfast in the Radnitz Social Hall beginning at 8:30am. Our breakfast speaker will be Ori Raphael, the Dallas area AIPAC Director. Ori will be speaking from 9:30am to 10:30am. All Temple members are welcome to attend the breakfast and the presentation. And while you are there, please consider donating a pint of blood. Our blood drive will run from 8:30am thru 12:30pm that day in the back of the Social Hall. Can there be a better way to start the New Year than by giving the gift of life? You can email David Gordon at rmdgord@aol.com to schedule your appointment or just stop by.

To conclude the month, Brotherhood will be building the Temple's Sukkah on September 28, starting at 9:00am. Our construction manager, Bob Landers, is always looking for a few more helping hands. Lunch will be provided. Peeking ahead, there will be a Guys Night Out event in the Sukkah on October 9.

What a way to start another Temple year! May it be a safe and healthy year for all of us.

B'Shalom,

Perry Zidow

perry.zidow@gmail.com

President, Temple Shalom Brotherhood

You can follow Brotherhood on Twitter@TSBrotherhood and you can like us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/tsbrotherhood.

Pancake Breakfast & Speaker

Sunday, September 21 (First day of Religious School) 8:30am - 10:00am

Kitchen Help Needed at 8:00am!



Community Blood Drive

Do a Mitzvah for the New Year! 8:30am - 12:30pm No appointments necessary!

16 (with parent's approval) and up can donate! Two lucky winners will win restaurant gift certificates in our drawing!

Questions about donating? Contact David

Gordon at rmdgord@aol.com.





Guys' Night Out

Thursday, September 11 7:00pm Bowl & Barrel

75 & Park Lane (8084 Park Lane, Suite 145)
Questions? Contact Mark Fisher at
dallasfish@aol.com.

Next one: October 9 in the Sukkah

Sukkah Building

Sunday, September 28 9:00am - 1:00pm Lunch provided!



You don't have to be a handyman to help!

Contact Bob Landers at rilanders@gmail.com.



Join Brotherhood at 6:00pm on Sunday, October 12 for a **FC Dallas Soccer Game** in Frisco. Cost is \$20 per person. Family

and friends are welcome. For more info or to buy your tickets, go to http://

www.payitsquare.com/collect-page/4328.

Deadline to purchase tickets is Sunday, 9/21.

Questions? Contact Steve Weintraub at stevelweintraub@gmail.com.

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Adult	Ed	lucation	Fund
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David & Eileen Lynn in honor of Rabbi Ken Roseman Marlene Sobek in honor of Mort & Jacque Prager Lory Kohleriter Laurie Sutkin in honor of William K. Miller Cary & Abbey Begun in memory of Susan Hoffman in memory of Harry Hoffman Dan & Kay Krause in memory of Stella Krause Les & Shelli Taub in memory of Jack Warshawsky

Brotherhood

Mark & Ann Goodman speedy recovery to Barry Roth

Cantor Croll's Discretionary Fund

Stephen & Marsha Schulman in memory of Julius Schulman

Caring Congregation Fund

Bob & Jean Weinfeld in honor of Elie Levy

Dan & Kay Krause in memory of Samuel J. Shapiro Beth Lasher in memory of Jacob Lasher

Toby Stone in memory of Abe Cohn, Lisa Mellow & Archie Kavensky

Employee Appreciation Fund

Hilary Sherman in memory of Gale Sherman

General Fund

Scheinberg Family & Nora Silverfield in honor of Sammy Paley

Jaynie Schultz & Ron Romaner in honor of Rodney Schlosser

Roman & Melinda Bogoslavsky in memory of Ariel Bogoslavsky

Jeanne & Tex Fagadau in memory of Lisa Mellow

Janet Gadol in memory of Rosalie Schiff
Bernie & Denise Mayoff in memory of Fred Gross & Lisa Mellow

Nora Silverfield in memory of Dina Pevsner Lois Wolf in memory of Lisa Mellow

Greene Family Camp Fund (scholarship)

Steve & Rita Fisher in memory of Ethel Fleisch
Annette Gersh in memory of Bertha Stern

Helen Hoodin Roseman Early Childhood Education Endowment Fund

Ken & Phyllis Roseman in memory of Edith Freund Roseman

Julia Michele Warren Scholarship (Greene Family Camp)

Alice Warren in memory of BillyJo Barringer & George Elliott Smith

Alice Warren in memory of Julia Michele Warren

Music Fund

Joe & Ellen Gordesky in memory of Gertrude Abrams & Arnold Molish

Helene Levitan in memory of Donald Levitan Nancy Marcus in memory of Lisa Mellow

GRATITUDES, con't

Prayer Book Fund

Sol & Jill Kirschner in memory of Florence Rosenblatt

Project Atideinu Fund

Bob & Kathryn Frish in honor of The Schlosser Family

Dennis & Julie Eichelbaum in memory of Robert Fishkind & Lisa Mellow

Dennis & Julie Eichelbaum in memory of Ronald Rothberg

Rabbi Ariel Boxman's Discretionary Fund

Daniel & Lisa Rothberg in honor of Rabbi Boxman

Rabbi Andrew Paley's Discretionary Fund

Nancy Marcus in honor of Rabbi Paley Hilary Sherman & David Shusterman in honor of Sammy Paley

Cecie Borschow in memory of Bing Borschow & Mildred Feiner Cecie Borschow in memory of Sam Feiner & Douglas Feldman

Nancy Friedman in memory of Elaine Ellias Friedman

Ron & Jan Hirsch Julius Hirsch in memory of Howard & Joyce Korn in memory of Ira Blumenkranz Slava Kutman Yefim Kutman in memory of Ed & Toby Lederman Harry Lederman in memory of Allen & Barbara Liebnick in memory of Morris Raab **Rick Protas** Wylee Protas in memory of

Della Steinberg in memory of Samuel George Steinberg

Regina Wittenberg in memory of Marc S. Wittenberg

Rabbi Kenneth Roseman's Discretionary Fund

Wylee Protas in memory of Barbara Protas & Rick Protas

Sisterhood

Janet Gadol & Family in memory of Ginny Barrow

Temple Shalom Endowment Fund

Larry & Randi Alter in memory of William Kaplan

James & Laurie Dworkin in memory of Jonathon Dworkin

Bette Miller in memory of David Miller & Marie Rudberg Wolens

Youth Activities Fund (scholarship)

Jeff & Jeri Lyn Sebert in honor of Sammy Paley

Youth Education General Fund

Phil & Judy Goodman in honor of Sammy Paley
Larry & Ellen Tave in honor of Ari Spraggins
Jerry & Hollye Ferreira in memory of Sarah Mendelvitz

Ted & Anne Leiman in memory of Nety Klein & Morris Leiman

Of Blessed Memory...

- · Walter Gerson Baroff, father of Elise Donosky
- · Jane Davidson, sister of Jim Davidson
- Rebecca Franklin, great-aunt of Dennis Eichelbaum
- Rosalie Schiff, mother of Bobby Schiff
- Temple member Kenneth Timken, husband of Maureene Timken, step-father of Cheryl Cano

Congratulations to...

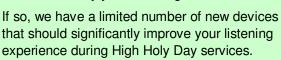
- Anita & Cliff Corenblith on the birth of their grandson,
 Rigel Wallace Novitski, son of Emily and David Novitski.
- Gail & Gary Hartstein on the engagement of their son Cory Hartstein to Maria Sommer.
- Linda Levy & Jim Mayfield on their engagement.
- Maura Schreier-Fleming on being selected as a sales expert to write a blog on sales for Allbusiness.com, an online resource for small businesses.

SPECIAL ASSISTIVE HEARING DEVICE FOR THE HIGH HOLY DAYS

Do you use a hearing device?

Is it T-Loop compatible?

Is it activated by your audiologist?





To reserve one of these, please contact Steve Lewis at slewis@templeshalomdallas.org no later than Monday, September 15th.



BET ON CHAI - 3RD ANNUAL POKER TOURNAMENT

Let's Get a FULL HOUSE!

Join us on Thursday, September 18 Temple Shalom Radnitz Social Hall 6:00pm check-in and dinner 7:00pm first deal

Reserve your place at the Table with a suggested voluntary donation of \$100* to benefit the Community Homes for Adults, Inc.- CHAI Jobs Initiative for Employment of Adults with Intellectual Disabilities.

Go online to chaidallas.org to make your reservation and see the list of great prizes for the players at the last table!

To register by mail, checks can be mailed to: CHAI,13101 Preston Road, Suite 312, Dallas, TX 75240 Early Registration by September 10th receives \$1000 bonus chips!

For more information call 214-373-8600.

*or \$50 for players ages 21-30. Sponsorships still available at \$360, \$720, \$1800. Beginner's Table available.

Welcome New Members to our Temple Shalom Family!

Barbara & Michael Fischler
Marilyn & Jerry Gray
Kate Kruger
Jodi & Trent Roberts
Harriet & Don Sebert
Sofia & Viktor Skoblionok
Diana & Maksim Weinstein
Elana & Scott Zimmerman
David Zwerner

The on-line directory is updated periodically.

Please send any changes to Heidi at

hbarishman@templeshalomdallas.org. If you
need assistance accessing the directory on our
website, please contact Heidi.

As a caring community, we would like to reach out to our members. When there is an illness, death, hospitalization, birth, etc. please contact Joy Addison in Rabbi Paley's office at 972-661-1810 x201 or

jaddison@templeshalomdallas.org.

Clergy and volunteers are here to help during times of need and celebration.

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.

TEMPLE SHALOM

Andrew M. Paley
Ariel C. Boxman
Michael Harvey
Kenneth D. Roseman
Don Alan Croll
Steve Lewis
Melissa Beldon
Dennis J. Eichelbaum
Irwin Kaufman
Debra Levy-Fritts
Robert Quint
Mark S. Fishkind
Josh Goldman
Kamy Ross
Aric L. Stock





All parents and students will meet in the Sanctuary at 9:30am for an opening day assembly with Rabbi Paley and Rabbi Boxman, Director of Lifelong Learning.



- Parents of children in Kindergarten thru Second Grade must accompany their child to the classroom.
- Students in Third thru Seventh Grade will go directly to their classroom.



Opening Day of Religious School

TEMPLE SHALOM

Sunday, September 21

Join us for the following programs:

8:30am Brotherhood Breakfast and Blood Drive

Radnitz Social Hall

9:30am Sisterhood Coffee – Gathering Space

9:30am-10:00am Welcome Assembly - Sanctuary

9:30am-Noon Stay and Play - Gathering Space

10:00am Students to classrooms

10:15am-11:00am Parent Meeting - Sanctuary

Noon Dismissal

Noon Youth Choir Rehearsal

Adult Education Music Religious School Worship Youth Programs



Mark Your Calendars!

October 12 September 12 - Blue Jean Shabbat - Tots Academy October 15 - Consecration September 21 - Religious School begins September 28 October 17 - Jr. Youth Group Event - Munchkins Minyan

October 25 Sept. 30, Oct. 1 - Midweek Hebrew begins - Bless the Pets October 1 - Next Dor begins