

TEMPLE SHALOM

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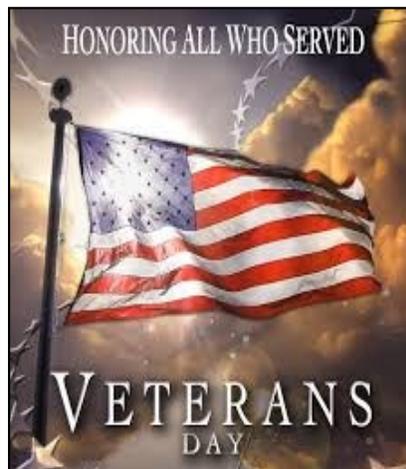
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Annual Veterans Shabbat Service Friday, November 10 Wine & Cheese Reception 6:00pm Service 6:30pm

Temple Shalom will honor its Veterans and those currently serving in the military at a special Friday night service at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary. Please join us before the service at 6:00pm for a wine and cheese reception in the Congregational Gathering Space. The service will feature a musical tribute to all branches of the military. Members of the Dallas Jewish War Veterans will participate in the service. We would like to honor all Veterans and those in active military service in the Temple Shalom family by including their names and rank in the program.

Please contact Elise Donosky at (972) 661-1810 x 201 or edonosky@templeshalomdallas.org by Tuesday, November 7th, to be sure your name or the name of your loved one will be in the program.

Please indicate if the individual is active duty, a veteran or deceased.



SERVICES

FRIDAY ~ November 3

Vayeira ~ Genesis 18: 1-33
6:30pm - Service
Epstein Chapel

SATURDAY ~ November 4

10:30am - Morning Worship
Epstein Chapel
5:00pm - Bat Mitzvah Service
Jamie Thomas
Daughter of Debra & Dan Thomas
Epstein Chapel

FRIDAY ~ November 10

Chayi Sarah ~ Genesis 23:1 - 24:9
6:00pm - Munchkins Minyan
Boardroom
6:30pm - Veterans Day Service
Sanctuary

SATURDAY ~ November 11

10:30am Bat Mitzvah Service
Kayla Kaye
Daughter of Shannon & Alan Kaye
Sanctuary
10:30am - Morning Worship
Epstein Chapel
5:00pm Bat Mitzvah Service
Mollie Walsh
Daughter of
Melanie & Richard Walsh
Epstein Chapel

FRIDAY ~ November 17

Toledot ~ Genesis 25:19 - 26:22
6:30pm - Service
With 4th and 5th Grades Participation
Epstein Chapel
grade level dinner following services

SATURDAY ~ November 18

10:30am - Bar Mitzvah Service
Timothy Brownlee
Son of Laura & Mike Brownlee
Epstein Chapel
10:30am - Morning Worship
Sanctuary

FRIDAY ~ November 24

Vayetze ~ Genesis 28:1 - 30:13
6:30pm - Service
Epstein Chapel

SATURDAY ~ November 25

10:30am - Morning Worship
Epstein Chapel

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

November 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.

Timothy Brownlee

Son of Laura and Mike Brownlee

Date: November 18

School:

Richardson West Junior High

Hobbies: Timothy enjoys being in the theater magnet program and playing string bass for the orchestra at RWJH. He is also learning to play bass guitar. He is very active in Boy Scout troop 751 and has a goal of becoming an eagle scout by age 16. He loves taking care of his dog and all our neighbors' dogs.



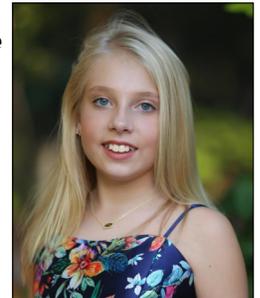
Kayla Kaye

*Daughter of Shannon & Alan Kaye
Granddaughter of Temple
member Natalie Spitzer*

Date: November 11

School: Parkhill Junior High

Hobbies: Kayla loves all animals and enjoys camping/outdoor activities. She also plays flute in the Parkhill Jr. High Band.



I Was Just Thinking...



The story is told of Abraham, our great Patriarch, being chosen by God to be the first one to understand that there is, in fact, One God. But what was so great about him? Why him? The Torah gives no clues. As a matter of fact, the story we read about him in this week's portion has him attending to guests that arrive at his tent. Again, while it's a nice and important gesture, there is still no clue given as to why God picked him. A few verses later we are told that God has a plan for Sodom and Gomorrah. Must God tell Abraham the plan? After-all, God says, Abraham will be the father of a great nation whereby all the other nations will be blessed. And here we finally have clue. The juxtaposition between the story of welcoming the 3 strangers and God telling us that Abraham will be the source of national pride and worldly example is the key. To become a great and respected nation one must first be the place of welcome and protection. It was true for Abraham and it is true for us as well.

This very ideal, that there could be a place, as Emma Lazarus' poem so aptly captures, where the tired and the huddled masses, yearning to be free can go, is, in part, the ideal that so many brave men and women of our country have served to uphold. This ideal, that America is a place of welcome and hospitality, is one worth defending and promoting. While we might not always be great at it all the time, throughout time, we still believe it to be possible and find value in making sure this and other American ideals are defended and kept secure.

We live in a scary and tempestuous time. More than ever have our ideals been shaken to their core. More than ever are there those who seek to put an end to that which we hold dear. More than ever are we thankful to those who continue to make sure that our freedoms and our way of life is protected. There is not enough thank you to be given to express our heartfelt gratitude to those who have served our country and who, through their bravery and valor, sought to be the ambassadors of freedom, safety and security we need to be able to be the kind of people who can welcome, embrace and care. Our night in commemorating Veterans Day, is one small act of thanks in this regard. I wish it could be more.

Many Americans mistakenly believe that Veterans Day is the day America sets aside to honor American military personnel who died in battle or as a result of wounds sustained from combat. That's not quite true. Memorial Day is the day set aside to honor America's war dead. Veterans Day, on the other hand, honors *ALL* American veterans, both living and dead. In fact, Veterans Day is largely intended to thank *LIVING* veterans for dedicated and loyal service to their country. November 11th of each year is the day that we

ensure veterans know that we deeply appreciate the sacrifices they have made in the lives to keep our country free.

To commemorate the ending of the "Great War" (World War I), an "unknown soldier" was buried in highest place of honor in both England and France (in England, Westminster Abbey; in France, the Arc de Triomphe). These ceremonies took place on November 11th, celebrating the ending of World War I hostilities at 11 a.m., November 11, 1918 (the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month). This day became known internationally as "Armistice Day". In 1921, the United States of America followed France and England by laying to rest the remains of a World War I American soldier -- his name "known but to God" -- on a Virginia hillside overlooking the city of Washington DC and the Potomac River. This site became known as the "Tomb of the Unknown Soldier," and today is called the "Tomb of the Unknowns". Located in Arlington National Cemetery, the tomb symbolizes dignity and reverence for the American veteran.

In America, November 11th officially became known as Armistice Day through an act of Congress in 1926. It wasn't until 12 years later, through a similar act that Armistice Day became a national holiday. The entire World thought that World War I was the "war to end all wars". Had this been true, the holiday might still be called Armistice Day today. That dream was shattered in 1939 when World War II broke out in Europe. More

than 400,000 American service members died during that horrific war. In 1947, Raymond Weeks, of Birmingham, Alabama, organized a "Veterans Day" parade on November 11th to honor all of America's veterans for their loyal and dedicated service. Shortly thereafter, Congressman Edward H. Rees (Kansas) introduced legislation to change the name of Armistice Day to Veterans Day in order to honor all veterans who have served the United States in all wars. In 1954, President Eisenhower signed a bill proclaiming November 11th as "Veterans Day", and called upon Americans everywhere to rededicate themselves to the cause of peace. He issued a Presidential Order directing the head of the Veterans Administration (now called the Department of Veterans Affairs), to form a Veterans Day National Committee to organize and oversee the national observance of Veterans Day.

Our observance of Veterans Day includes the singing of the Anthems of each of the five service branches; Coast Guard, Navy, Air Force, Marines and Army. Please join us as we honor our veterans at our Shabbat service Friday, November 10, 2017. Please join us as we salute all those for their service and dedication to our country.

Rabbi Andrew M. Paley
apaley@templeshalomdallas.org

A Note from Cantor Devorah Avery



Nava Tehila

We have many exciting musical events in the coming year. Our first event will be with our Composer-in-Residence, Dina Pruzhansky. You have likely already seen the banners with the event details in the entryway to Temple Shalom. We have a special Shabbat evening service on December 15th with Ms. Pruzhansky and our temple choirs and musicians. On Saturday, December 16th, we have a concert with Dina, yours truly, and some of our Dallas area musicians.

I am beyond excited to announce our next event. On January 28, 2018, at 5:00pm, we have the band Nava Tehila performing for us here at Temple Shalom, all the way from Israel. Nava Tehila is one of my favorite musical groups. The soulful sound of their music is unmatched. You have sung their *Oseh Shalom* at Shabbat services and your kids have danced to their music at Greene. Hebrew for “beautiful praise,” Nava Tehila was founded in a Jerusalem living room on Shabbat Shirah 2005 and has become one of the Jewish world’s most innovative musical prayer communities. Their original melodies can now be heard and sung in synagogues across Israel and throughout the globe.

Rabbi Marcia Prager says, “The Nava Tehila Jerusalem Ensemble brings new dedication, vitality and creativity from the treasury and heart of Jerusalem’s Jewish Renewal community led by Rabbi Ruth Gan Kagan. Their groundbreaking work towards pluralism in Israel happens with music, song and the ecstatic celebration of prayer, Psalms and Song of Songs. Nava Tehila encourages inspiration, elation, praise and deep inner reflection, while holding a place of global awareness for the importance of prayer and Divine connection everywhere.”

We are so blessed to have them perform for us while they are on tour in the United States. One of the ways they do outreach with their music is through social media. Look them up on Facebook and Google them. They have at least a hundred or more videos of their music on YouTube. Here is a little bit more about the members of Nava Tehila:

Daphna Rosenberg – Vocals and Guitar

Daphna Rosenberg is a singer, guitarist and a main prayer leader in the Nava Tehila Jewish Renewal community in Jerusalem. Daphna composes new music to traditional prayers and poetry. She has specialized in musically leading Circle of Life ceremonies – such as births, Bar/Bat mitzvahs and weddings and is active in the area of spiritual care for the ill and creating heart-to-heart connections between people from different cultures and traditions.

Yoel Sykes – Vocals and Guitar

Yoel Sykes studied music at the Center for Eastern Music in Jerusalem and flamenco guitar in the Fundacion de Christina Heeren school of Flamenco Arts in Seville, Spain. He is a main prayer leader in the Nava Tehila Jewish Renewal community in Jerusalem. He has composed many new melodies to traditional prayers, influenced by a variety of musical cultures. He is a master of improvisation and an extraordinary vocal soloist, as well as a talented leader of spiritual prayer circles.

Jeremy Marais – Saxophone

Jeremy Marais grew up in the French Alps, he started to study saxophone at age 10. He has travelled and lived in many places around the world and joined bands wherever he was (Israel, Spain, Portugal, England, Senegal, Mali, India, Colombia...). He is now living with his Israeli wife, Sarah, in Berkeley California, where he keeps practicing, composing and performing. Jeremy played saxophone in Nava Tehila’s first album, “Dancing in the Glory.”



In Peace and Song,
Cantor Devorah Avery
davery@templeshalomdallas.org



COMPOSER-IN-RESIDENCE

DINA PRUZHANSKY



Friday, December 15th

Temple Shalom choirs will perform Ms. Pruzhansky's work.

Tov L'hodot ~ It is Good to Give Thanks,

A Shabbat Evening Service

With participation by our Choir Director, Dr. Jonathan Palant & our Accompanist Mary Medrick
Premiering an original work composed by Ms. Pruzhansky and commissioned by Temple Shalom

A Special Weekend with A Special Talent

Dina Pruzhansky is a Russian-born, Israeli-raised composer and pianist based in New York, where she serves on the faculty of the 92Y School of Music. She writes in a variety of genres, ranging from classical to liturgical to musical theatre, and is a member of the Tony-honored BMI Lehman Engel Musical Theatre Advanced Workshop.

Her work includes the opera Shulamit, performed at the JCC Manhattan; an Erev Shabbat service commissioned by Temple Israel of Northern Westchester; and the "I Can Play Chopin" easy piano arrangements series. As a pianist and composer, Ms. Pruzhansky has performed in North America, Europe and Israel, including Jazz at Lincoln Center, Weill Recital Hall at Carnegie Hall, Merkin Hall, Bargemusic, Le Poisson Rouge and Symphony Space.

Friday, December 15

Shabbat in Chanukah

6:30pm - Sanctuary

Service with Adult & Youth Choir performing her work

Tov L'hodot

Followed by the Chanukah congregational dinner

Saturday, December 16

Torah Study

9:00am - Boardroom

Dina will discuss her opera Shulamit, based on Song of Songs

Songs

Concert

5:00pm - Sanctuary

Concert with Dina Pruzhansky, Cantor Devorah Avery and Friends, featuring Chanukah music, Dina's original compositions and more.

Lifelong Learning Council



As Thanksgiving approaches, I can't help but think about gratitude and the effect it has on all aspects of our lives. Recently, I have done some research on the effects of gratitude on student performance and overall wellbeing and I have been so inspired by the outcomes. It has been proven that practicing gratitude in school increases students' positive emotions and optimism, decreases their negative emotions and physical symptoms, and makes them feel more connected and satisfied with school and with life in general. Further, research shows that learning the art of gratitude at an early age is no different than learning how to ride a bike...it stays with you forever. It is for this reason that I have begun incorporating gratitude exercises into our students' religious school experience. During our *t'filah* on Sunday mornings, we take some time before reciting the words of the *Amidah* to reflect on our weekend and think of specific things we are grateful for. I explain to the students that taking time to thank God for our blessings is no different than reciting the words in our prayer book. It is prayer to the highest degree! I have found that students can relate to this concept and it not only promotes an attitude of gratitude, but it improves their relationship with prayer. So, how can we extend this gratitude education to the home? Here are some ideas I have...

- While in the car, after school, ask your child(ren) what went well at school that day and what they are grateful for.
- During dinner, engage in a conversation about food and all the blessings of sustenance we have been given.
- Visit and volunteer at a homeless shelter or a soup kitchen. Following, have a discussion about how lucky we are to have food and shelter compared to those who don't.
- Before bed time, ask children to reflect on their day and list 5 specific things that happened that day that they are grateful for. Explain the difference between specific and general and encourage them to think of five different things each day.

The art of gratitude has quickly become one of my greatest passions. It has personally changed my life and how I approach difficult or challenging moments. I sleep better, smile more, and feel an overall sense of contentment. If you are excited about engaging in gratitude study and creating a home of grateful people, please be in touch with me for a deeper discussion. I have some wonderful books and articles to recommend!

Happy Thanksgiving!
Rabbi Ariel Boxman
Director of Lifelong Learning
aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org

2nd Grade Family Education

Sunday, November 12th
9:30am - 12:00pm
Radnitz Social Hall

Families with children in 2nd grade are invited to join Rabbi Boxman for a morning of fun and learning.

Save the dates!

3rd Grade Family Ed: December 3
HanukkahFEST: December 10
Tots Academy: December 10
Beyond Next *Dor* (11th/12th): December 10
Munchkins Minyan: December 16

Grade Level Shabbat Services/Dinner

4th and 5th Grade

Friday, November 17th

6:30pm

Epstein Chapel

Our 4th and 5th grade students will participate in our 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://tinyurl.com/4and5Shabbat>

Lifelong Learning Council

Munchkins Minyan Friday, November 10th 6:00pm Boardroom

Join us for our Munchkins Minyan Shabbat celebrations with Rabbi Boxman and Mr. Farris. We will sing some songs, say the blessings over the challah and juice, and read a story. All young children and families welcome!

Sunday Fun Day! Sports Day! Sunday, November 12th

As part of our monthly Sunday Fun Day series, students should come to school dressed in their favorite sports team's clothing. The class that has the most participation will win a tasty treat!

Tots Academy Sunday, November 12th 9:30am Youth Lounge

Join us for Tots Academy led by Melinda Hepworth! We will sing, do crafts and learn about the Jewish Holidays.
*A parent must attend with their child.



TEMPLE SHALOM MAMAS

*Sunday
Playgroup
10:00am-11:30am*

*September 17
October 8
November 12
December 3
January 21
February 11
March 4
April 22
May 6*



**MOMS
&
BABIES
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**TEMPLE SHALOM
RABINER CHILDREN'S
LIBRARY**
6930 Alpha Rd.
Dallas, TX 75240



FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT RABBI BOXMAN AT
aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org

YOUTH GROUP EVENTS

Contact Youth Advisor Hallie Weiner youthadvisor@templeshalomdallas.org

November 3-5: Temple Shalom goes to Greene Family Camp!

We will leave Friday and return Sunday.
Students in grades 2-12 are encouraged to register for this fun weekend.
The whole school is welcome!
Cost: \$125/registration + \$40/bus

Sunday, November 12:

7th grade

10:30am - 11:30am — Radnitz Social Hall

Popcorn Iron Chef!

Bring your creativity because you will have to come up with the most delicious popcorn using some interesting ingredients. Taste test and judging to follow!

3rd-5th grade

12:00pm - 2:00pm

Hike and Picnic

Come with us on a hike to the park with a picnic lunch waiting when we get there!



Congregational Hanukkah Dinner

Friday, December 15

6:00 pm Wine and Cheese Reception

6:30 pm Shabbat Service

8:00 pm Hanukkah Dinner, Radnitz Social Hall

**Also Enjoy the Young Families Munchkins Minyan
Saturday, December 16, 10:30am in the Boardroom
food and crafts following services.**



Bring your family's Menorah to light!

Menu: BBQ Brisket, BBQ Chicken, Latkes, Vegetables, Salad, Dessert

Name that tune contest following dinner!

Donut decorating station and crafts for the kids!

Create an edible Menorah for display – be creative!

Questions? Contact Lonna Rae Silverman at lrsilvermtx@gmail.com

Congregational Hanukkah Dinner Reservation

Register and pay online: <https://tinyurl.com/hannukahdinner>

OR, complete and return this form with payment to the temple office:

Temple Shalom Hanukkah Dinner, 6930 Alpha Road, Dallas, TX 75240

Names of those attending:

Adults _____

Children/Ages _____

Phone Number or email _____

Adults @ \$12 _____ # Children (5-12 years) @ \$8 _____ #Children 4 and under – FREE _____

Please indicate method of payment: _____ Check (payable to Temple Shalom) _____ Credit Card

MasterCard or Visa # _____ Expiration Date _____

Name as it appears on your card: _____

Total Enclosed \$ _____

Reservation deadline is Friday, December 8th

Lifelong Learning Council

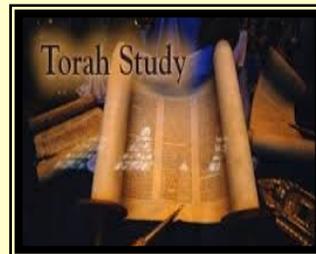
Adult Education Programs

For further details, contact Adult Education Chair Jim Waldorf at james.waldorf@sbcglobal.net.

Judaica Studies
Every other Saturday
(November 4 and 18)
9:00am - 10:15am
Room 200



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



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.



Lunch and Learn
with Rabbi Paley
Wednesdays
November 1, 8, 15 & 29
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.

Invite your friends, bring your lunch
and enjoy a lively discussion.



There's More to the Maccabees Than Hanukkah! **December 6th**

7:00pm Boardroom

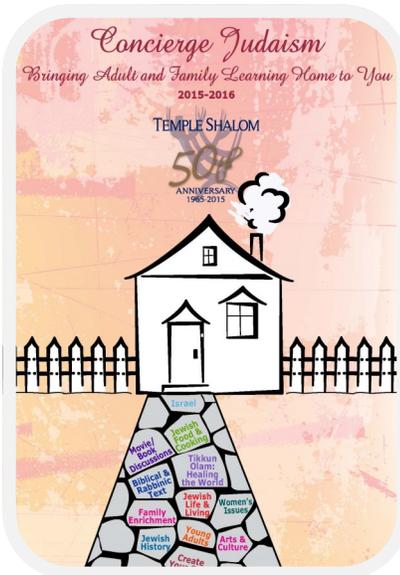
Guest Presenter: Dr. Dorothy Jonaitis

We all know the legend of Hanukkah and the lamps burning for eight days. But, the full story of the Maccabees began in 166 BCE, when Mattathias and his five sons killed a Hellenistic Jew who was offering a sacrifice to a Greek God. They fled to the country-side, and began a guerilla war that culminated in the restoration of the Temple. Judah, Jonathan and Simon would each play a part in the rise to power of the Hasmonean dynasty for the next 100 years. Learn the context of the tension between the Sadducees and Pharisees, and details found in Apocrypha. Maccabean influence continued until 63 BCE, when General Pompeus conquered the territory for Rome.

Dr. Dorothy Jonaitis is a lifelong educator of more than 53 years, with 29 of the years in adult education. She is a committed lay Catholic, currently teaching in the catechetical program of the Diocese of Dallas, as well as doing adjunct teaching and conferences. A natural teacher, Dr. Jonaitis is often invited to address adults on a variety of scripture topics. She is the author of *Unmasking Apocalyptic Texts: A Guide to Preaching and Teaching* published by Paulist Press in 2005.

Adult Education Programs

Concierge Judaism Gets a Reboot



Upon arriving at Temple Shalom, Rabbi Boxman introduced a program for lifelong learning called Concierge Judaism. A catalogue was assembled of Jewish topics with a speakers'/presenters' bureau. We've continued the program. Rather than use the Temple facility, organizations (a havurah for example) host a program from the catalogue. This approach allows for great flexibility in topics, locations, and dates. Furthermore, a program with 12 interested participants might not work if held in a large space like the Radnitz Social Hall, but would be work better in a private home or the community room in a restaurant. Furthermore, using home-hosted events saves the security, maintenance, and staff costs of using the Temple Shalom facility. Concierge Judaism topics aren't necessarily academic or scripture-based. In fact, the program on Jewish mobsters has been one of the most popular ones! Congregants can ask for and offer classes in cooking, costumes, architecture, art and music.

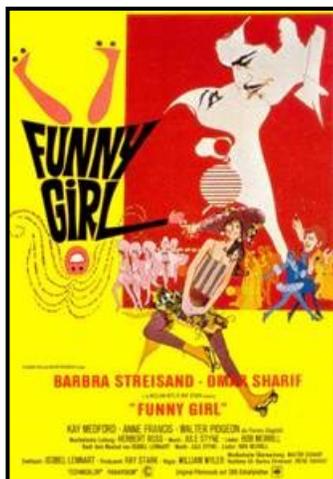
Monica Sandler served as the first *concierge* and we are thankful for her service. The concierge's role is to be the liaison between the hosting organization and the speaker/presenter. Sponsoring organizations contact the concierge, give the desired date(s), and the concierge arranges the program between the host and the speaker.

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"Reboot" Concierge Judaism Meeting Wednesday, November 15th 7:00pm in the Boardroom

If you have a program you would like to present, or you would like to act as a host, **contact Adult Education Chair Jim Waldorf by email at concierge@templeshalomdallas.org or 214-533-8820.**

While the Adult Education Committee has anecdotal data regarding the prior programs, we don't have attendance or speaker evaluations from the hosting organizations. We need congregants willing to act as home hosts for programs in February, March and April. Adult Education will be the sponsoring organization and select three programs, based upon feedback from the organizational meeting.



Temple Shalom Movie Night Wednesday, November 29th 7:00pm Boardroom - No Charge Hosted by Dennis Eichelbaum *Funny Girl* (1968)

Funny Girl – the breakout Oscar winning performance that made Barbra Streisand a national sensation. The story of Fanny Brice is not only amusing, but also tells the poignant story of moving from the lower East Side to the Lights on Broadway. A movie you can watch over and over, and if you haven't seen it, it's a SHANDA!



TEMPLE SHALOM
Youth Programs



Temple Shalom 16th Annual Charity Golf Tournament "Fore The Kids"

Benefiting Temple Shalom Youth Programs and Snowball Express

Tuesday, November 21, 2017
Prestonwood Country Club (Hills Course)
6600 Columbine Way
Plano, TX 75093

Play ■ Sponsor ■ Donate ■ Bid ■ Dine

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

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

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.

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 James Bier at 972-996-0966 or jbier@apollostaffing.com or Barry Pierce at barrydp@aol.com.

Registration deadline is Friday, November 10, 2017.

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

**16th ANNUAL TEMPLE SHALOM CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT
BENEFITING SNOWBALL EXPRESS
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2017
PRESTONWOOD COUNTRY CLUB – HILLS COURSE**

- \$10,000 Diamond Level (Tournament Sponsor)
- \$ 7,500 Titanium Level (Course Sponsor)
- \$ 5,000 Platinum Level (Program Sponsor)
- \$ 2,500 Gold Level (Team Sponsor)
- \$ 1,500 Silver Level (Tee Box Sponsor)
- \$ 1,000 Bronze Level
- \$ 250 Individual Golfer
- \$ 250 Temple Shalom Member (2 golfers for the price of 1)
- \$ 35 Dinner Only
- No, I can't play, but I've enclosed a donation benefiting Snowball Express and Temple Shalom Youth Programs

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Business Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Handicap or Average Score: _____

Requested Golf Pairing (Every Effort Will Be Made to Honor Requests)

1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 4. _____

Make checks payable to: **Temple Shalom**

Please Charge My Registration to:

MASTERCARD VISA

Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Name on Card: _____

Signature: _____

Mail or email form to:

TEMPLE SHALOM GOLF TOURNAMENT
6930 Alpha Road
Dallas, Texas 75240
972-661-1810
slewis@templeshalomdallas.org

DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 10, 2017

For information, contact James Bier at 972-996-0966 or jbier@apollostaffing.com

Temple Shalom Spotlight Congregant of the Month

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

Linda and Sheldon Widman

Please introduce your family.

We are Linda and Sheldon Widman. We have two sons, Scott and Mitch, Mitch's wife, Tina and son Brandon. Scott lives in Omaha, Mitch and Tina live in Orlando. Grandson Brandon is a senior at the University of Miami. We are both retired - Sheldon, VP of Sales with NCH Corp. and I as an Industrial and Commercial Interior Designer and Space Planner.

When did you join Temple Shalom and why?

We joined Temple Shalom in 1970, after our move to Dallas from California. At the time, Temple Shalom was a young congregation and, as we were a young married couple, this appealed greatly to us. Most importantly, we had a wonderful feel for Rabbi Saul Besser.

Of all the activities at Temple Shalom, which one is your favorite?

Sheldon has not been able to participate in many of the activities that Temple offers due to some physical impairments. However, communicating with and listening to Rabbi Paley has helped him immensely and lifted his spirits. I love my "Sisters" and love being able to channel my creative self in helping with various Sisterhood programs.

What is your favorite Jewish holiday?

Our favorite holiday is Rosh Hashanah. It allows us to reflect on the past and gives us the insight to improve and make the coming year better in every way. We love celebrating with family and friends.

What are the first three things on your bucket list?

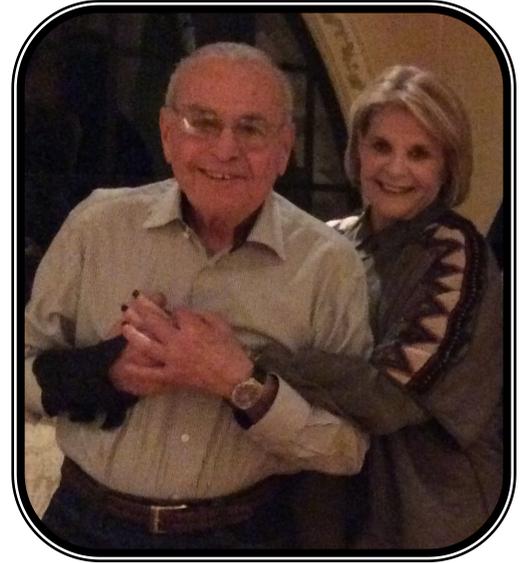
To be able to see our grandson get married.
Visit Monet's Garden and paint the beautiful flowers.
Be the first couple to land on a Space Mission to Mars.

If you could invite any five people to dinner, who would they be and why?

President Barack Obama, George Clooney, FLOTUS Melania Trump, Rabbi Andrew Paley, and Dr. Alan Stern, astronaut and lead scientist of the Pluto Flyby Mission. Because they would all love my Matzah Ball Soup!!

Any final words of wisdom?

Thank you for asking us to be the Spotlight Congregant. This has been a great honor. Our final words of wisdom:
"What the World Needs Now is Love Sweet Love"more than ever!!!



Thank you for being our Spotlight Congregant!

November 2017 / 5778

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<p>1 LIFT Classes 10:00am Boardroom & Youth Lounge Lunch & Learn 12:00pm Learning Center Midweek Hebrew 4:30pm Temple Shalom Next Dor 6:30pm Temple Shalom Food Truck Palooza Meeting 6:30pm Boardroom Lifelong Learning Council 7:00pm Blumin Room BBYO Kick-Off 7:15pm Youth Lounge Brotherhood Movember Shave-Off 7:30pm Steve Weintraub's</p>	<p>2 Sisterhood Bunco 6:30pm Palio's Pizza, Plano</p>	<p>3 Trip to Greene Family Camp Wine & Cheese Reception 6:00pm Congregational Gathering Space Shabbat Service 6:30pm Epstein Chapel Shabbat ShaHOME 8:00pm Rabbi Boxman's</p>	<p>4 Trip to GFC Torah Study 8:45am Learning Center Judaica Studies 9:00am Room 200 Judaism 101 9:00am Boardroom Morning Worship 10:30am Epstein Chapel Jamie Thomas Bat Mitzvah Service 5:00pm Epstein Chapel</p>
<p>5 Daylight Savings Time Ends Fall Back 1 Hour</p>  <p>Trip to GFC DAI Meeting 3:30pm offsite</p>	<p>6 LIFT Classes 10:00am Boardroom & Youth Lounge Brotherhood Softball Hall of Fame Meeting 6:30pm Learning Center Temple Board of Trustees Meeting 7:00pm Boardroom</p>	<p>7 Serve Lunch at The Bridge Noon Downtown Dallas Plano Midweek Hebrew 4:30pm St. Andrew Adult Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Sanctuary</p>	<p>8 LIFT Classes 10:00am Boardroom & Youth Lounge Lunch & Learn 12:00pm Learning Center Midweek Hebrew 4:30pm Temple Shalom Greene Family Camp presentation (3rd-6th gr) 5:15pm Radnitz Social Hall Next Dor 6:30pm Temple Shalom Israel Connections Committee 7:00pm Boardroom</p>	<p>9 Caregivers' Day Out 10:30am Learning Center Brotherhood Cigars & Scotch 7:00pm Ken Glaser's home</p>	<p>10 Wine & Cheese Reception 6:00pm Congregational Gathering Space Munchkins Minyan 6:00pm Boardroom Veterans Service 6:30pm Sanctuary</p>	<p>11 Torah Study 8:45am Learning Center Judaism 101 9:00am Boardroom Kayla Kaye Bat Mitzvah Service 10:30am Sanctuary Morning Worship 10:30am Epstein Chapel Mollie Walsh Bat Mitzvah Service 5:00pm Epstein Chapel</p>
<p>12 Religious School Sunday Fun Day 9:30am Stewpot Cooking 9:30am Temple Kitchen Stay & Schmooze 9:30am Cong. Gather. Space Tots Academy 9:30am Youth Lounge 2nd Grade Family Education 9:30am Radnitz Social Hall Shomrei Adamah Meeting 9:30am Boardroom Temple Shalom Mamas 10:00am Rabiner Child. Library Tikkun Olam Grants Project 10:30am Front Foyer Sisterhood Brunch 11:00am Sixty-Vines Junior Youth Groups 7th Grade 10:30aM Radnitz Social Hall 3rd-5th Grades Noon - Hike Youth & Teen Choirs 12:00pm Sanctuary Beyond Next Dor 5:30pm offsite</p>	<p>13 LIFT Classes 10:00am Boardroom & Youth Lounge Sisterhood Board Meeting 7:00pm Boardroom</p>	<p>14 Traditions Steering Committee Meeting 12:30pm Boardroom Plano Midweek Hebrew 4:30pm St. Andrew Adult Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Sanctuary</p>	<p>15 LIFT Classes 10:00am Boardroom & Youth Lounge Lunch & Learn Noon Learning Center Midweek Hebrew 4:30pm Temple Shalom Greene Family Camp Presentation 5:30pm Radnitz Social Hall Next Dor 6:30pm Temple Shalom Concierge Judaism Reboot 7:00pm Boardroom Brotherhood 50th Anniv. Planning Meeting 7:00pm Learning Center</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17 Wine & Cheese Reception 6:00pm Congregational Gathering Space Shabbat Service with 4th & 5th Grade Participants 6:30pm Epstein Chapel grade level dinner following</p>	<p>18 Torah Study 8:45am Learning Cntr Judaica Studies 9:00am Room 200 Judaism 101 9:00am Boardroom Timothy Brownlee Bar Mitzvah Service 10:30am Epstein Chapel Morning Worship 10:30am Sanctuary Sisterhood/Brotherhood Coffee Break Book Club 1:45pm Shogren Home</p>
<p>19 Brotherhood Movember Pinball Tournament 12:00pm offsite Shalom Silver 12:30pm Imperial Cuisine</p>	<p>20 LIFT Classes 10:00am Boardroom & Youth Lounge Brotherhood Board Meeting 7:15pm Boardroom</p>	<p>21 Temple Shalom 16th Annual Golf Tourm. Prestonwood Country Club Adult Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Sanctuary</p>	<p>22 LIFT Classes 10:00am Boardroom & Youth Lounge <i>Temple Closes at 1:00pm</i></p>	<p>23 <i>Temple Closed in observance of Thanksgiving</i></p>  <p>Happy Thanksgiving</p>	<p>24 <i>Administrative Offices Closed in observance of Thanksgiving</i> Wine & Cheese Reception 6:00pm Congregational Gathering Space Shabbat Service 6:30pm Epstein Chapel</p>	<p>25 Torah Study 8:45am Learning Center Morning Worship 10:30am Epstein Chapel</p>
<p>26</p>	<p>27 LIFT Classes 10:00am Youth Lounge Temple Executive Committee Meeting 7:00pm Boardroom</p>	<p>28 Adult Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Sanctuary</p>	<p>29 LIFT Classes 10:00am Youth Lounge Lunch & Learn 12:00pm Learning Center Adult Ed Movie Night 7:00pm Boardroom</p>	<p>30</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 BOARD OF TRUSTEES
CANDIDATE RECOMMENDATION FORM**

**DEADLINE FOR
SUBMISSION:
DECEMBER 31, 2017**

Name: _____

Nominating for Trustee: _____ Officer (specify office): _____

Phones: Home: _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____

Address: _____
Street City Zip

Email: _____

Personal Information: (Circle) Marital Status: Married Unmarried Age: _____

Number of children: _____

Are any (grand)children of the Candidate's currently enrolled in TS Religious School?

Yes: _____ If yes, names and grades: _____

No: _____

Temple Member: Approximately _____ years

Education: High School _____ College _____ Which Degree(s)? _____

Profession/Occupation/Special Skills: _____

Employer: _____ City: _____

Previous service to Temple Shalom: (list most recent first) Use additional page if necessary.

Chair or Member	Name of Committee or Project	Dates

Other Community Service Activities (list most recent first) Use additional page if necessary.

Chair or Member	Name of Organization or Project	Dates

Why do you want to be on the Temple Shalom Board of Trustees?

What will you bring to the Board of Trustees and Temple Shalom through a leadership position on this Board?

Submitted by: _____ Phone: _____ (work) / _____ (home)
(Self submission is acceptable) _____ (cell)

Optional: Feel free to attach a written statement with any other information that may be useful to the nominating committee.

Email to: **Dennis Eichelbaum, Nominating Committee Chair at dje@edlaw.com**

Connections Council

Interested in learning more about the Connections Council?
Contact Chair Kim Kort at connectionsCouncil@templeshalomdallas.org.

Young Families

Our Young Families Committee is for all families with children 10 and younger. To contact Young Families Co-Chairs Jennifer Arndt and Michelle Falk: 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).

EXCITING UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Munchkins Minyan

Friday, November 10

6:00pm in the Boardroom

Congregational Hanukkah Celebration

Friday, December 15

Catered dinner in the Radnitz Social Hall following services. Crafts and activities for children and adults.

Munchkins Minyan

Saturday, December 16

10:30am Shabbat Services for Young Families Oneg, craft activities, and a program.

Shalom Silver
Sunday, November 19
12:30pm

Imperial Cuisine
Dal-Rich Towne Center
Coit and W Belt Line,
Richardson



Let's eat some great Chinese food and plan for the future of Shalom Silver. Please RSVP to jrutay@aol.com

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.

Young Adult Connection
Shabbat ShaHOME Shabbat Dinners
8:00pm -- 11:00pm

Rabbi Boxman & Asher Saida's Home
RSVP: aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org

MARK YOUR CALENDARS for these FRIDAYS:

November 3	January 5	March 2
December 1	February 2	April 6

Munchkins Minyan Dates for 2017/2018

Families with children ages 6 and under, please join us each month as we come together in prayer.

Friday night services include singing, prayers and, of course, challah.

Saturday mornings include Torah, prayers and songs followed by a delicious Kiddush.

For more information contact the Young Families Committee at youngfamilies@templeshalomdallas.org

2017

November 10: Friday Night 6:00pm

December 16: Saturday morning 10:30am

2018

January 19: Friday Night, 6:00pm

February 17: Saturday Morning 10:30am

March 16: Friday Night 6:00pm

April 21: Saturday Morning: 10:30am

May 18: Friday Night 6:00pm



Havurah

Chair Kathryn Frish havurah@templeshalomdallas.org

A havurah is a group of Temple members with similar interests who gather for holidays, cultural and educational experiences, meals, 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 interest form on the Havurah page of the Temple Shalom website at www.templeshalomdallas.org.

Send in your form TODAY so that we may place you in a group or start a group that's right for you!

Temple Shalom LGBTQ Pride

For further details, contact

Chair Kimberly Kantor at

lgbtpride@templeshalomdallas.org or

Kimberly Kantor (469-231-7007)

Jeff Kort (972-333-0809)

**LGBTQ Pride events are open to
all Temple members.**



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!



This year, we are developing strategies to reach additional students, and assist LIFT with a public awareness campaign focused on adult literacy.

Your involvement impacts lives - please consider volunteering with us as a teacher, or an assistant. Help for registration needed, too. There are many ways to help! Contact lift@templeshalomdallas.org to become involved!

Become a Reading Partner spots available at Preston Hollow Elementary, other DISD Schools

The mission of Reading Partners North Texas is to help children become lifelong readers by empowering communities to provide individualized instruction with measurable results. This year, we intend to serve 900+ students across 16 elementary school sites through one-on-one literacy tutoring.

We have also pledged to serve students whose families were displaced by Hurricane Harvey, and we can only do that with your help! For more information or to sign-up, please visit www.readingpartners.org.



Launching: Tikkun Olam Grants for Project North of Campus

This program year, the Tikkun Olam Council would like to offer members an incentive grant to locate and support an organization or need North of our campus. We want to launch efforts to improve the lives of our neighbors in the parts of town where our "Far North of Alpha Road" members live! This is an exciting opportunity to learn about the community around you, and organize friends to determine how our members in Plano, Frisco, or Allen could join together to create an impact right in your backyard. We will publish information for project proposals, and provide support in designing and promoting your project.

Temple member groups, families and other councils are invited to design a project. Those interested should drop by the **Front Foyer** on **Sunday, November 12, anytime from 10:30am-12:30pm**. Refreshments, information about "everything Tikkun Olam" at Temple and the North incentive grants will be available.

Questions? Contact Debra Levy Fritts or Jody Pearson at tikkunolam@templeshalomdallas.org.



Serve Lunch at The Bridge 1st Tuesday of the month - November 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!

Embrace Interfaith Women's Group

If you would like to join our group contact Jane Lachman, Chair, at jalachman1@gmail.com or phone 972-735-0133.



Caregivers' Day Out Program 10:30am - 2:30pm Learning Center Thursday: November 9



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.

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.

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.

Tikkun Olam Council

**Exploring Timely Issues Through Different Perspectives:
A Social Justice Book Study Series**

These days, many issues grab our attention on our television screens, Facebook feeds, and news alerts. We find ourselves wanting to learn more, and wanting to discuss issues in a safe place where respectful and civil dialogue is possible together. Personal stories, even fiction, can provide us a safe window into controversy. Through conversation, we can begin to grow our awareness. The Tikkun Olam Council invites members to **Book Study Conversations** on timely topics this year.

Please join us for guided conversation, and refreshments on the following evenings, with great books and expert speakers as touch points. Guest speakers/ facilitators will join us for each session. Mark your calendars and keep your eye on the e-news for more details!

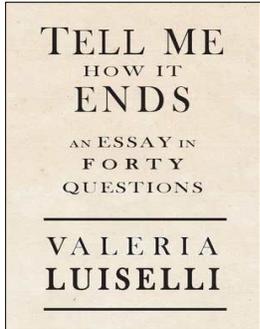
Immigration Issues:

Wednesday, December 13th 6:30pm Boardroom

***Tell Me How It Ends: an Essay in Forty Questions* by Valeria Luiselli**

Goodreads.com describes the book as follows: "Structured around the forty questions, Luiselli translates and asks undocumented Latin-American children facing deportation, *Tell Me How It Ends* (an expansion of her 2016 *Freeman's* essay of the same name) humanizes these young migrants and highlights the contradiction of the idea of America as a fiction for immigrants with the reality of racism and fear, both here and back home."

<https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/33608721-tell-me-how-it-ends>



**Guest Agency: Human Rights Initiative of North Texas
Bill Holston, Executive Director**

An avid reader and distinguished attorney, before becoming Executive Director of HRI, Bill was a partner in the Dallas law firm of Sullivan and Holston. In 1997, he received the Outstanding Political Asylum Lawyer Award from the Dallas Bar Association. In 2002, he received an award for Distinguished Pro Bono Service by the Dallas Bar Association's Dallas Volunteer Attorney Program. He has authored commentaries and editorials on human rights issues for KERA 90.1 FM and *The Dallas Morning News*.

**Save the following dates: March 7, 2018 and May 7, 2018
Books and guests to be announced in the December newsletter.**

**A Recipe for the Perfect Thanksgiving
Safe Conversations is presenting a
Live Dallas Event.**

Join Safe Conversations for a workshop focused on improving communication at this time of year as families gather for Thanksgiving. You can join the workshop live from WFAA, or through a livestream.

Date: Saturday, November 4

Time: 8:45am – 3:00pm

Please note that check-in begins at 8:00am

Presenters: Harville Hendrix, Ph.D. & Helen LaKelly Hunt, Ph.D.

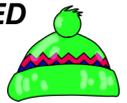
Location: WFAA | 606 Young St., Dallas, TX 75202

Child-care, teen activities, and lunch are provided at the WFAA location.

Here is the link to register:

<https://relationshipsfirst.org/workshops/> (scroll down to workshops, choose WFAA location or livestream form)

**We Are Once Again Collecting
CLEAN, NEW AND GENTLY USED
BLANKETS & OUTERWEAR**



**for *The Stewpot*,
serving the homeless of Dallas.**

**Collections Bins are located in the
Front and Lifelong Learning Entrances.**



**Coats Sweaters
Hats Gloves
Scarves Blankets**



**Thank you for
your donations!**



HURRICANE, FIRE & EARTHQUAKE RELIEF EFFORTS

Natural disasters continue to harm and devastate. Our thoughts and prayers are with all who suffer and continue to suffer from the aftermath of these terrible disasters. Below is information to help with relief from recent fires, hurricanes and earthquakes in the United States and Mexico.

For those impacted by the fires in Northern California--Napa, Sonoma, Mendocino and Lake counties-- here are links to reach out and help:

#NewmanStrong URJ Camp Newman: <https://campnewman.org/support-newman/newmanstrong/>

Redwood Empire Food Bank: <http://refb.org/>

Redwood Credit Union: North Bay Relief: <http://www.redwoodcu.org/northbayfirerelief>

For pets and their owners affected in the Northern California counties:

<https://www.marinhumane.org/get-help/north-bay-fires/>

With Hurricane season continuing, and the devastating impacts from Texas to Florida to St. Thomas to Puerto Rico, the **Jewish Federations of North America** has established a dedicated fund to support communities in need. All proceeds will go to those impacted by the hurricanes:

2017 Hurricane Relief Fund - The Jewish Federations of North America <https://www.jewishfederations.org/>

General relief and direct aid: One America Appeal: One Nation. One Appeal <https://jfsdallas.org/harvey/>

Americares, a health-focused humanitarian organization that responds to people affected by poverty or disaster with life-changing health programs, medicine and medical supplies and has responded to the devastating hurricanes from Hurricane Harvey one month ago, to Hurricane Maria's devastation in Puerto Rico.

Hurricane Disaster Relief Fund - Provide Medicines & Hope to People in Crisis

<https://secure.americares.org>

The Hispanic Federation established a relief fund for both Puerto Rico and Mexico in response to Hurricane Maria's impact and the earthquakes in Mexico.

Hispanic Federation: UNIDOS <https://hispanicfederation.org/unidos>

Greene Family Camp is sheltering those fleeing from Hurricane Harvey: <https://greene.org/hurricaneharvey/>

For further information on these agencies go to the Tikkun Olam location on the Temple Shalom website.

Were you obsessed with construction tools when you were young?

Does #DemoDay make you smile?

Would you like to do a hands-on project to help Houston recover with your Temple Shalom family?

Homes in the Houston area must be "taken down to the studs," and you and your family can help!

Temple Shalom is joining with *Nechama, a Jewish Response to Disaster*, to help our Houston neighbors to tackle home rebuilding challenges from November 14th-20th. You can serve one day, two days, or the entire range of days.

Nechama has a camp-style facility where Temple Shalom families can join together for a few days to serve. Details are below, as well as the sign-up genius. Our dates lead into the Thanksgiving Holiday, so they can be combined with a family trip, or school vacation. Children over 14 are welcome to serve with their parents.

Information and Sign Up at:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090d4ca9ac2b0-tikkun1>

Tikkun Olam Council



Shomrei Adamah (Guardians of the Earth)

We welcome ideas and input from Temple Shalom members.

If you have questions about Shomrei Adamah or would like to get involved, please contact earth@templeshalomdallas.org.

WE RECYCLE!



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!!

Sundays,

11/12, 12/10, 1/7, 2/11, 3/4, 4/8

To be on the reminder list, email us at stewpot@templeshalomdallas.org.

Dallas Area Interfaith (DAI)

For information on DAI events, workgroups or activities or to get involved, contact:
Barry Lachman 214-808-0042 or blachman@sbcglobal.net.



DAI has been active in a number of areas, and has a strategic plan for ongoing activities for the next year. These areas offer opportunities for Temple members to become involved in a meaningful way and correlate well with other TS Tikkun Olam activities. Each area has a working team from multiple congregations.

The areas are:

- ◆ Citizenship – Getting those eligible to go through the process and register to vote
- ◆ Housing – DAI wants to build on the passage of the revised Chapter 27 of the Housing Code to further both improved living conditions and affordable housing in the communities that we work with.
- ◆ Other Immigration Related activities – these include a workgroup on a Dallas ID card, Senate Bill 4 and other immigration activities. to lead this effort. Please join us on 11/5
- ◆ Police Community Relations – DAI has developed at close working relationship the Dallas City Police Department and other police forces including Farmer's Branch, Arlington and others.
- ◆ Education – Some DAI congregations are working on early education and on with selected secondary schools.
- ◆ Worker safety and worker rights – DAI continues to work with the Workers Defense Project around the Better Builder Program and Wage Theft.
- ◆ Accountability Meetings with Elected Officials – a number of these to focus those up running for office on issue of interest to the community are being planned.

City-Wide Action

Sunday, November 5 at 3:30 PM

Location: Mary Immaculate Catholic Church, 2800 Valwood Parkway, Farmers Branch

Agenda of Issues

- ◆ Immigration
- ◆ Upcoming Dallas City Bond Proposal of \$800 million
- ◆ Education
- ◆ Public Safety and Police Community Relations
- ◆ Police Chiefs from around the Metro Area are expected to attend. Catholic Bishop Dennis Burns and other interfaith leaders will be present.

Contact Barry Lachman blachman@sbcglobal.net or 214-808-0042 for more information.

SISTERHOOD

TRADITIONS

☆ The Premier Judaica Shop at Temple Shalom ☆

Think of Traditions for birthday, graduation and wedding gifts! Our shop has unique pieces in all price ranges that you won't find anywhere else!

November Shop Hours

Tuesdays 12pm-5pm (11/7 will be 1pm-4pm)
Wednesdays 12pm-5pm (Closed 11/22)
Fridays 12pm-3pm and 5:30pm-6:25pm (Closed 11/24)
Sunday 11/12 9am - 1:30pm (Closed 11/5, 11/19, 11/26)

Traditions Booth at Religious School Entrance Sunday, November 12th 9:15am to 12:30pm

Hanukkah is just around the corner! For your shopping convenience Traditions will have a booth set up at the LLL (Religious School) Entrance). We have gifts for the whole family from babies to grandparents. Please stop by. Our friendly Sisterhood volunteers will be there to help you with your purchases. Also, remember that all profits go back to Temple Shalom.



NO TAX DAY
Sunday, December 3rd
9:30am - 1:30pm
Stretch your dollar...
Shop all-day and pay
NO SALES TAX
on anything!

Come in and see what unique and exciting Hanukkah merchandise our new buyer has stocked. We have plush dreidels that play music, wooden emoji dreidels, Hanukkah bears, baby bibs and socks, candles, a

large selection of electric and wax candle menorahs, glass serving sets and drip trays, coloring books and more. Invitations are always 10-25% off. Come on in and get started! TRADITIONS very own MITZVAH MAVENS, Harriet Mador and Clare Fishman, are our invitation consultants, and they can help you with all your planning needs. From sending out Save The Dates to Thank You Notes, Traditions is your One Stop Printing source.

Contact Shop Co-Managers

Arlene Gulton 972-800-9997 or Judy Utay 972-231-3781 or visit us on the Temple Shalom website or on Facebook

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

Traditions 972-661-1850

Sisterhood Gourmet Lunch Bunch Attention All Seafood Lovers!



Please join us for a seafood lunch at Remington's Seafood Grill

Friday, December 8th

12:00pm - 2:00pm

4580 Belt Line Road, Addison

(south side of Belt Line, just west of Addison Road)

Remington's has been serving fish and seafood lovers in Addison for 37 years! So, please join us for good food, fun, and friends by contacting Marsha Lefkof or Anita Corenblith by Dec. 4th.

marshalefkof@yahoo.com 214.354.3548

acoren@swbell.net 214.808.0860

We hope to see you there!

Bunco Thursday, November 2nd 6:30pm-9:00pm



Palio's Pizza (Park/Preston in Plano)

Cost: \$5, plus the cost of your dinner

Please bring a dessert, fruit, or wine to share.

RSVP to Randi Shapiro at randieeshapiro@gmail.com

Sisterhood Friday Night Wine & Cheese Receptions



We are looking for women to help prepare the food for the wine and cheese receptions. If you love to be creative in the kitchen, this is for you! Every Friday morning Chris Harris oversees the preparation of the beautiful trays of food that you see on Friday nights. We hope to have enough women commit to helping so each person will work only one day a month.

Please e-mail Linda Young at lky7665@hotmail.com. We can't wait to hear from you!



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 Stacey Segal at segalstacey5@gmail.com.

We'd love to hear from you!

Together, we can move mountains!

SISTERHOOD

Mother/Daughter Yoga Sunday, December 3rd 12:30pm to 2:30pm Radnitz Social Hall

Please join us for our Little Sister Yoga event! Bring your daughter, niece, granddaughter, cousin, special girl in your life.....



Our very own Temple member, Stephanie Spett, will be leading us in Yoga followed by light snacks and drinks.

We will also be collecting new regular sized Shampoo, Conditioner and Hand soap to be donated to The Family Place.

Sisterhood Members - FREE and
Non-members- \$10 per family. You may pay at the event.

Please RSVP to Michelle Falk at mhfalk05@yahoo.com
no later than November 27th.

Namaste!

Ladies BRUNCH Out! We're mixing it up and meeting for a sunny California BRUNCH! Sunday, November 12 11:00am Sixty-Vines 3701 Dallas Parkway, Plano



RSVP to Julie Eichelbaum
jhe@edlaw.com by Thurs. Nov. 9th.

It's 5 o'clock somewhere, right?



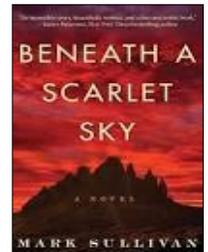
Sisterhood/Brotherhood Coffee Break Book Club Saturday, November 18 1:45pm-3:00pm



Our book is
Beneath A Scarlett Sky
by Mark Sullivan.
Our book review will be led by Cindy
Spechler.

Location: Dawn Shogren's home
(near Alpha and Preston)

RSVP by November 14 to Ilene Zidow
ilene.zidow@gmail.com.



BROTHERHOOD

**Temple Shalom Brotherhood and
the Temple Shalom Brotherhood Softball League
Invite you to the 43rd Annual
Shalom League Softball Awards Breakfast
Sunday, December 10th
8:30am Radnitz Social Hall
Special Guest Speaker: Mark Elfenbein
Softball Commissioner Wayne Casper will present most of the
Spring and Fall Season Softball Awards.**



Delicious FREE Breakfast for all current Spring and Fall Season Softball players, as well as all paid-up Shalom Brotherhood members.

\$5.00 / person for everyone else.

For additional information or questions, please call Bob Weinfeld at 972-814-6214.

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Immediate Past Pres...Perry Zidow

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 James Warner at jjwar0529@gmail.com

Brotherhood Board Meeting

**Monday, November 20th
7:15pm**

Boardroom

All Brotherhood members welcome to attend!

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Mention this number at
the check-out station:**

1549

**PLEASE SHOP WITH YOUR
TOM THUMB CARD.**



Ingredients for life..

BROTHERHOOD



It's men's health care month. The Movember Foundation is saving and improving men's lives through projects focused on prostate cancer, testicular cancer, mental health and suicide prevention.

Join us for these male bonding opportunities and help us raise funds.



Join the Brotherhood's Movember team:

<https://moteam.co/temple-shalom-dallas-brotherhood> to raise money for Men's Health issues.



Come prepare to grow your Movember beard or mustache by shaving off whatever you currently have.

Wednesday, November 1

7:30pm

Steve Weintraub's Home: 6303 Telluride Lane, Dallas

Please RSVP to Steve at stewelweintraub@gmail.com



Men's Health Speakers at Erev Shabbat services

November 3 - Scott Butnick

November 10 - Dr. Barry Lachman

November 17 - Cliff Corenblith



Come to our Pinball Tournament!

Movember Pinball Tournament Fundraiser

November 19

12:00pm - 4:00pm at Louis Marx's home

[http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?](http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=7nlnidhab&oeidk=a07eep4yjy4ad681205)

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See the Flyer on the Back Page!!



Guys Night Out

Cigars & Scotch

Thursday, November 9th

7:00pm

Ken Glaser's home, 16215 Shadybank, Dallas

Come join us on Ken's patio to enjoy some Scotch and Cigars.

Please bring your favorites.

RSVP to Ray Farris - raymond.farris100@gmail.com



GRATITUDES

Adult Education Fund

in memory of

Nathan Green

David & Brenda Grossman

Jack Ostroff

Lillian Ostroff

Building Fund

in memory of

Steven Wasserman

Joanna Wasserman

Cantor Avery's Discretionary Fund

in honor of

Cantor Avery

Perry & Ilene Zidow

Caregivers' Day Out Program

in memory of

Lena Slotkin & Morris Efseroff

Audrey Efseroff

Ruth Wayne

Sol & Toba Reifer

Ellen Nicolato

Sol & Toba Reifer

Caring Congregation Fund

in memory of

Norman Landa

Debbie Landa

Philip Alan Gartenberg

Don Croll & Jan Gartenberg

Israel Rudnick

Ellen Feibel

Isabel Yakowitz

Joyce Rubenstein

Golde Hersch

Joyce Rubenstein

Lila Kissin

Mark & Karen Fishkind

Lillian Ostroff

Minna Packman Conn

Sol & Toba Reifer

Charles Ross

Thurman & Eileen Ray

Myron Krasno

Tim & Sandy Poulin

Ruth Wayne

Toby Niger

in honor of

Myron Schwitzer

Howard & Denise Gottlieb

Epstein Chapel Fund

in memory of

Lila Kissin & Ruth Wayne

Barry & Paddy Epstein

Employee Appreciation Fund

in memory of

Betsy Taitz

Hilary Sherman

General Fund

in honor of

High Holy Days Services

Allan & Gail Gilbert

in memory of

Emanuel Rosengard & Marcia Wolfe

Dan & Debra Thomas

Charles Ross

Eugene & Ethel Zale

Rachel Distell

Helene Glazer

Simon Kotov

Klara Nodelman

Alan Malinger

Linan Xu

Lila Kissin

Bob & Patti Aisner

Dennis & Julie Eichelbaum

Mike & Stephanie Hirsh

Paul & Raelaine Radnitz

Perry & Ilene Zidow

Molly Kerper

Steve & Debra Kerper

Charles M. Ross

Stuart & Barbara Aaron

wishing a speedy recovery to

Roman Meyman

Klara Nodelman

Greene Family Camp Fund (*scholarship*)

in memory of

Abraham Glauberman

Allan & Jacqueline Glauberman

Lionel Silverfield

Nora Silverfield

Helen Hoodin Roseman Early Childhood Education Endowment

in memory of

Miriam Strohl

Gwen Appelson

Music Fund

in honor of

High Holy Days Services & Membership Committee

Sol & Toba Reifer

in memory of

Selma Levitan

Helene Levitan

Lila Kissin

Nancy Marcus

GRATITUDES

Prayer Book Fund

in memory of

Gilbert Kirschner

Sol & Jill Kirschner

Rabbi Boxman's Discretionary Fund

in honor of

Rabbi Boxman

Mindy Berger

Perry & Ilene Zidow

in memory of

Charlie Ross

Carl & Hannah Beren

Minna Packman Conn

Howard & Shelley Byers

Kenneth Presby

Paul Preite Jr. & Carol Preite

Rabbi Paley's Discretionary Fund

in honor of

Marmurek Family

Joan Marmurek

Rabbi Paley

Jonathan Palant

Reading Torah

Perry & Ilene Zidow

in memory of

Lila Kissin

Allan & Gail Gilbert

Murray Rice

Marilyn Judith Abraham

Beth Lasher

Saul Barash

Bob & Anita Samuel

Bettie Leitner & Louise Rosenberg

Bob & Jean Weinfeld

Anne Hurst

Calvin Hurst

Michael Kirsch

Gail Kirsch

Lillian Seltzer

Gale Malinger

Sam Weber

Gary & Susan Weber

Max Grossman

Gene Schanbaum

Leo Edelman

Marsha Ring

Alan Cohen

Paul & Alecia Cohen

Gzigoziy Kotlyar

Roman Kotlyar

Rabiner Children's Library Fund

in memory of

Rosa Harris

Leon & Chris Harris

Temple Shalom Endowment

in honor of

Miles Bennett Mullen

Dennis & Julie Eichelbaum

Myron Schwitzer

Stephen Schwitzer

in memory of

Ruth Wayne

Dennis & Julie Eichelbaum

Marilyn Judith Abraham & Lila Kissin

Irv & Cindy Munn

Tikkun Olam/Social Action Fund

in memory of

Marilyn Judith Abraham

Bette Miller

Max Lewis

Geane Glaser

Youth Activities (scholarship)

in memory of

William Steckler

Robert & Debbie Steckler



Dallas is heading back to Israel to celebrate Israel's 70th birthday. You won't want to miss The Chai Mission!

Join Rabbi Paley and the Dallas community for this incredible opportunity to experience Israel like never before. Enjoy exclusive tours, unparalleled access to sites and high-ranking officials, spectacular mega events, plus exciting options for Chai Times to build the trip of your dreams. Whether it's your first time visiting Israel or you have been many times, you won't want to miss this experience!

Join our community on **February 12–20, 2018** as we go to our home-away-from-home on an unforgettable journey together. <https://jewishdallas.org/missions>

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 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.

Temple Shalom gets free money from Amazon!



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! Each time you sign in to <https://smile.amazon.com/> and make a purchase, Temple Shalom will be the beneficiary.

Thanks for doing it!

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.



We Recycle!

Please remember that Temple Shalom recycles! Be sure to throw out papers and recyclable plastic in our blue bins. Food-stained paper and food waste should be deposited in our trash bins. Thank you for being kind to our environment and for encouraging fellow congregants to do the same!

Congratulations to...

- ✧ Temple member Lauren Brenner and Mark Waddell on their marriage, Lauren is the daughter of member Marlene Fischer and sister of member Robert Fischer.
- ✧ New Temple members Daniel and Heather Klein on the birth of their son, Evan Russell Klein

Of Blessed Memory...

- ✧ Ryan Riseman, son of Bill & Nancy Riseman and brother of Rachel

Welcome New Members of the Temple Shalom Family!

Andrew & Joyce Freeman
 Daniel & Heather Klein
 Sara Melnick
 Barry & Samantha Morguloff
 Wayne & Melody Petitt
 Scott & Michelle Schanbaum



URJ BIENNIAL 2017

DECEMBER 6-10 • BOSTON, MA

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Registration on line:

www.urj.org/biennial

Thanks to the following congregants for inviting our new members to join our Temple Shalom family!

Fred & Jerri Grunewald
 Will & Abigail Hancock
 Karen Morguloff & Leanne Mallini
 Gene Schanbaum

Thank you to Lonna Rae Silverman and Linda Widman for using their talents to make our Sanctuary so beautiful for Sukkot and Simchat Torah.



The on-line directory is updated periodically. Please send any changes to jaddison@templeshalomdallas.org.

If you need assistance accessing the directory on our website, please contact Joy at the above email.

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. Clergy and the Caring Congregation Committee are here to help during times of need and celebration.

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

so we can show them that Temple Shalom is their place.

TEMPLE SHALOM

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PINBALL TOURNAMENT BENEFITING MEN'S HEALTH MONTH



WHEN

**Sunday, Nov 19th
12 pm - 4pm**

WHERE

Louis Marx home

**5229 Alec Dr, Garland 75043 (conveniently located
only 15 mins from Temple Shalom near Geo Bush Toll-
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Questions? Contact Scott Butnick at sbutnick@swbell.net.