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13th anniversary
CANTOR MICHAEL SMOLASH



Rabbi Jennifer Kaluzny

I remember so clearly the first time I heard Cantor Smolash sing. We were sitting in the sanctuary, and Cantor Smolash was on the bimah. I had never heard him sing, and didn't know what to expect. In our search for a cantor, we had heard others sing in the hopes that they would be the 'one' to join the Temple Israel family, but none moved us. We had yet to hear a voice that we didn't just hear, but a voice that we *felt*.

Cantor Smolash didn't begin with a piece from the high holidays. He didn't choose a song from one of the musicals he had been in before choosing the cantorate. He simply picked up his guitar, and sang 'Elohai Netzor', a heartbreakingly beautiful song that is now so familiar to us in the moment of silent prayer. He offered this song not just as an audition, or as a piece of music. Cantor Smolash offered his music as prayer. That is when we realized we were listening to a true *Chazzan*, our new *Chazzan*.

Cantor Smolash's talents are not limited to prayerful moments. If you have ever seen him in our Purim Spiels or special celebrations when the cantors create original music, you know that he is an exceptional actor. From *Forty Second Street* to *The Producers*, Cantor Smolash is a star on stage as much as he is on the bimah! He loves a good costume, a fun accent, and any opportunity to be silly.

Recently Cantor Smolash has embarked on a personal journey of spirituality, experimentation, and introspection. As he described so beautifully in a sermon he gave about a year ago, he is flexing his Reform Jewish muscles by learning text, performing new rituals, and living as Jewishly and meaningfully as possible. For him, this is what being a Reform Jew truly means. Cantor Smolash loves sharing what he has learned not only from our written tradition, but also, from what he has discovered on his journey towards everyday sanctity.

When Cantor Smolash joined our clergy team, we were blessed to also welcome his wife Dr. Jen Green, who is a soulful, compassionate presence herself. She shares Cantor Smolash's commitment to our congregation while working to bring healing to those in her practice. They are the proud parents of Ayla and Cedar.

Temple Israel celebrates Cantor Smolash's bar mitzvah year, and we pray it is just one of many celebrations we share with him and his family in the future!

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jennifer Kaluzny".



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Join us Friday, January 26, 2018, for our Shabbat Shira service celebrating Dr. Jen Green & Cantor Michael Smolash's 13th Anniversary at Temple Israel.

Dinner begins at 6 pm followed by a service at 7:30 pm. This beautiful service will feature all our choirs and T'fillah Teams for a celebration of the music of Temple Israel.

RSVP required for dinner by January 20th at temple-israel.org/Smolash13

\$12 for adults • \$6 for children (under 12)

For more information, contact Sandi at sandi@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700

HONORARY CHAIRS:

Cindy & Mark Kandel | Andrea & David Trivax | Joyce Keller & Michael Walch

HONORARY HOST COMMITTEE:

Wendy & Henry Abrams | Elaine & Bob Appel | Justin Applefield | Julie & Larry August | Jody & Andy Bean
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 Grace Trivax | Fran Victor | DeDe & Jerry Weinberg | Julie & Frank Witt

A Love of Giving

Nancy and James "Jim" Grosfeld are no strangers to the community. Due to the breadth of their generosity, it is possible many have been exposed to their kindness first hand. Their philanthropic endeavors extend to educational institutions, medical research, animal welfare, community building and



future planning. However, possibly, the area they are most passionate about is their support of the Jewish community. Together, they have established leadership missions to Israel, created planned giving programs to smooth the difficulties of annual campaigns, and unceremoniously contributed to expansions, helping to secure the future for several organizations.

Temple Israel is one such organization fortunate to call Nancy and Jim family. As long time members, they have a history of benevolence, supporting many programs throughout their time at Temple. Most recently, Temple received a generous gift from the Grosfelds. This gift, to be placed in a fund and used at the discretion of Rabbi Harold Loss. Jim explained, "Sitting at the High Holiday Services, I could not have been more impressed by the joy of the rabbis and the congregation. It got me thinking."

Jim has known Rabbi Loss as an outstanding and beloved person for many years. Several years ago, during a health emergency in Florida, Rabbi Loss offered his significant support to the Grosfelds, a measure Jim has not forgotten. He also feels strongly that Rabbi Loss has been instrumental in creating

a collegial atmosphere among the rabbis, a detail significant in growing Temple Israel to the largest reform temple in America, a remarkable feat.

These experiences and reflections brought the Grosfelds to again step forward and provide for Temple. Both are aware of the many occasions in which worthwhile programs or improvements often take a back seat to the more immediate needs in an organization. Jim felt it was time for some of those programs to be realized. He ruminated that although he did not know first-hand of all the areas in which the funds could assist, he knows that Rabbi Loss does. Jim further offered that anyone who helped to build Temple to its current stature could be trusted to make sound decisions. He added, "Except at poker – never trust him at poker."

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES

KABBALAT SHABBAT SERVICES

Fridays • 7:30 pm

Kabbalat Shabbat Service with Shabbat Singers

December 8 • 7:30 pm

Get your whole family in the Chanukah mood as the Shabbat Singers children's choir leads us at a "pre-chanukah" Kabbalat Shabbat. Come sing as they shine on the bimah

Kabbalat Shabbat Service with T'fillah Team

December 22 • 7:30 pm

Temple's T'fillah Team has been inspiring our congregation for over a decade with their rich vocals and soulful leadership. This multi-generational team promises to give your Shabbat a boost in a service full of harmony and energy.

MINYAN SERVICE

Monday - Thursday • 7:30 am

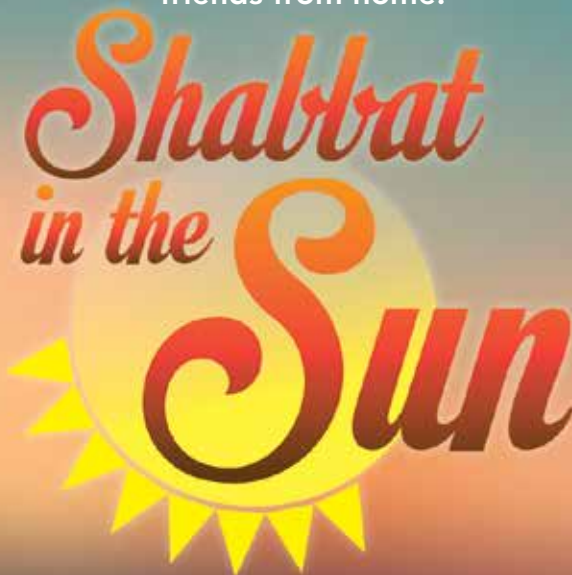
Sundays and holidays • 9 am

A wonderful way to start your day, to support fellow congregants in worship, and to bond with your community. Coffee, juice, and bagels are available. Please join us. Funded by Lipson Family Minyan Fund and The Samson Family Minyan Fund.

SHABBAT SOLOS

Shabbat Solos...a group that sits together at the Kabbalat Shabbat Friday night services, for those attending services alone or for the first time. Like to help, join the group or know someone who could benefit from it? Contact Mary Jane Larson at 734-812-8170 or Shabbatsolos@temple-israel.org.

Come spend a winter Shabbat
with Temple Israel clergy and
friends from home!



February 2, 2018 • 7:30 pm
Olympic Heights Community High School
20101 Lyons Road | Boca Raton, Florida

The service is complimentary, but we do ask that you RSVP with the number of people who will be attending. For more information and to RSVP, contact Erin Dunn at edunn@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700.

Please do not call the school for information about this event.
All questions should be directed to Temple Israel.

March 9, 2018
Scottsdale, Arizona

Funded by The Dr. Sol Luft and Beatrice Locker Luft
Arizona Shabbat in the Sun Memorial Fund

TIKKUN OLAM HELPING OTHERS

BOX TOPS AND LABELS FOR EDUCATION

Box Tops and Labels for Education will now be collected in classrooms, ECC office and at the Tyner entrance in the recycle bins. We hope everyone will continue to support our incredible ECC with Box Tops and Labels for Education.



EYEGLASS RECYCLING

Temple Israel is pleased to partner with the Lions Club of Novi in an eyeglass recycling program. Lions have been collecting glasses for more than 80 years. Refractive errors can be easily corrected with eyeglasses, yet millions in developing nations lack access to basic eye care services. Lions have recognized the urgent need for corrective lenses and continue to lend their support to the Lions Recycle for Sight Program. Congregants may drop off eyeglasses in the drop box at the Tyner entrance.

INK CARTRIDGE RECYCLING

Temple Israel is part of a cartridge recycling program, which provides an easy method for recycling used ink jet and laser print cartridges. Congregants may drop off their empty ink jet and laser cartridges in the collection bin at Temple's Tyner entrance. Please remove your cartridges from boxes or bags before placing them in the box. Thank you for your participation!

POP TAB COLLECTION

Temple Israel will continue to collect pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House of Detroit on an ongoing basis. Please help by collecting and bringing your pop tabs to the drop box at the Tyner School entrance! Collecting pop tabs helps support the operations of Ronald McDonald Houses. Questions? Please contact Randi Simko at 248-661-5700 or randi@temple-israel.org. Funded by the Lynn & Harvey Rubin Social Action Fund.

VOLUNTEER AT DIXON

Help make a difference in a child's life! Temple Israel is thrilled to be continuing our partnership with Dixon Educational Learning Academy in Detroit. The school serves students in kindergarten through 8th grade with a loving staff and environment where children are first. Dixon Elementary/Middle School has a uniform dress code. Temple volunteers are needed to help read with kindergarten students. Days and times are flexible. Interested? Please contact Randi Simko at randi@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700. Social Action Programming is sponsored by the Lynn & Harvey Rubin Social Action Fund.

KROGER

Attention all Kroger Shoppers: The easiest fundraiser ever is a couple clicks away, and it doesn't cost you a penny! Designate Temple Israel as your Community Rewards organization and Kroger will start donating a percentage of your purchases to Temple. Please visit Temple-Israel.org/Kroger to enroll your Kroger card or switch your organization to Temple.

FREE FRESH FOOD PANTRY

Tuesdays, December 5 & 19 • 3 - 5 pm

Tuesdays, January 2 & 16 • 3 - 5 pm

Free Fresh Food for those in need. Pick up food at Temple Israel the first and third Tuesday of every month from 3 - 5 pm. Photo ID required. For more information, contact Elaine Bertsch at 248-661-5700 or elaine@temple-israel.org. Social Action Programming is sponsored by the Lynn and Harvey Rubin Social Action Fund.



SOUTH OAKLAND SHELTER WISH LIST

December 17 - 24, 2017

As we prepare to house our guests from the South Oakland Shelter, your help is needed! We are currently accepting donations for the following NEW items:

insulated lunch bags, hats, scarves, mittens, socks and underwear. **Professionals Needed!** We also need volunteer professionals from a variety of fields to assist us during our shelter project. If you are a hairdresser, manicurist, beautician, doctor, nurse, dentist, musician or magician...we need you too! To volunteer your services or donate items listed above, please contact Randi Simko at 248-661-5700 or randi@temple-israel.org.



Temple Israel
Making a difference.

MITZVAH DAY

(CHRISTMAS DAY: MONDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2017)
WE GIVE YOU THE OPPORTUNITY TO
PAY IT FORWARD!



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Temple Israel invites you to join us as we participate in the community-wide Mitzvah Day. Lend a hand with other Temple Israel families!

This is a great volunteer opportunity for Bar/Bat Mitzvah students with their families.

For more information or to RSVP, please contact Randi Simko at randi@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700.

Reservations are requested by Friday, December 15, 2017.

Social Action Programming is sponsored by the Lynn & Harvey Rubin Social Action Fund.

Tell your family's story...

Temple Israel is pleased to announce, in coordination with the renovations and other numerous improvements, the new memorial boards in the sanctuary will arrive January 2018. These boards are a beautiful way to observe the yahrzeits of your loved ones. The interactive displays will now adorn the walls of the sanctuary, occupying the space once held by the bronze plaques. For a more private experience, you can find boards in two additional locations. The first is in the space between the chapel and the sanctuary, occupying the former phone recess. There is also a board outside Korman Hall.

All the names on the plaques that hung in the sanctuary are entered in the interactive system. During the week, non-Shabbat days, you can search for your loved ones on the displays. On Shabbat and all Yizkor services, the screen locks, honoring and remembering only those being observed at that time.

The most engaging feature of the new system is the ability to build a comprehensive recognition honoring your loved one. If you have loved ones with a bronze plaque, we welcome you to email us (or submit by form) photos (up to three) and a biography (unlimited length) to enable us to update their listing. If you would like to participate, but don't know where to begin, consider selecting a few favorite photos and perhaps the obituary that was lovingly prepared upon the person's passing. Another benefit of this system is its fluidity. We can change information with relative ease if you select new photos or would like to add to the biography.

Another feature of the system is the ability to link families together, regardless of name differences. If you, like many members, have relatives with yahrzeit memorials at Temple, we can now link them together, creating an easier search experience. Viewing any member of the family (that has been linked) will allow you to also access the listings to the rest of your loved ones.

We encourage you to participate in the new features offered by the installation of our interactive memorial boards. We look forward to receiving your updates to expand those with current plaques. Equally, we welcome the possibility of assisting you in creating a beautiful new tribute for your loved one at Temple Israel.



Interactive Memorial Boards are a gift of Judith and Dr. Max Robins.



TEMPLE COMMUNITY

YOUNG ADULT PROGRAMMING (20s-40s)

NEXTGEN CONNECT: INTERNSHIPS. JOBS. OPPORTUNITY.


Working one-on-one, NEXTGen Connect offers guidance, advice and assistance for job applicants. Learn to produce polished, effective resumes, hone interviewing skills, set career goals, network, connect and find your fit in the business community. Whether you're looking for your first job, or trying to move back home, contact NEXTGen Connect to get your job search off to a strong start. Students who are currently in college are eligible to register for the Internship Program (formerly the College Student Internship Program). The majority of internships in the current inventory are paid opportunities in a wide range of fields, from business to medicine, marketing to nonprofit work. For information, call Lauren Rubin at 248-233-4243 or lrubin@jvsdet.org.

SHABBAT FOR TOTS

Saturday, December 9 • 10:30 am - *Chanukah*
Saturday, January 13 • 10:30 am - *Tu B'Shevat*
Families with children 5 & under are invited for a unique Shabbat experience. Join our Temple Israel clergy and Early Childhood Educator, Jodie Kanagur, as we celebrate Shabbat with songs, prayers and snacks. Reservations are required by the Monday prior to each date. Register online at: temple-israel.org/Event_Registration. For more information, please contact Randi Simko at 248-661-5700 ext. 117 or randi@temple-israel.org. Temple Israel Young Adult Programming is supported by Marilyn & Walter Wolpin.

SHABBAT MISHPACHA ►

Fridays, December 15 & January 19





The graphic features the word "SHABBAT" in large, bold, black letters at the top. Below it, "Mishpacha" is written in a cursive script. To the right of "Mishpacha" is a Star of David. Below the Star of David is a menorah with two lit candles. To the right of the menorah is a glass of wine and a plate of food. The background is a light blue gradient with a yellow starburst on the left.

Friday, December 15, 2017
Chanukah Edition

Join Temple Israel on the third Friday evening of each month for a warm and welcoming family Shabbat experience!

5:30 pm: Adults, join us for wine, cheese and time to schmooze, while your kids get into the Shabbat spirit with our Temple staff.

6 pm: Family Service **6:30 pm:** Shabbat Dinner

 **7 pm Activities:** 
Chanukah books and more during Open Library
(for 6 years and under)

Chanukah games and activities in Room 24
(for 7 years and older)

Thanks to the Schelberg Family Shabbat Birthday Fund, all children 12 and under who celebrate their birthday at the monthly Shabbat Mishpacha services receive the gift of a Jewish book.

Dinner reservations requested by Monday, December 11.
\$12 for adults • \$6 for kids (4-12) • Kids under 4 are free

Register at temple-israel.org/shabbat_dinner_reservation
Questions? Contact Sandi Stocker at sandi@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700

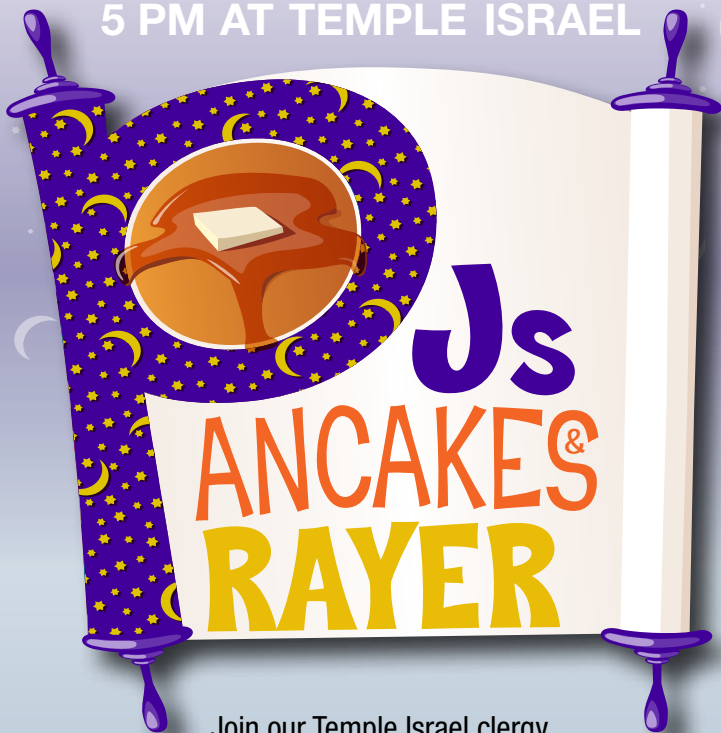
Save the date for our next Shabbat Mishpacha
Friday, January 19, 2018

COMMUNITY (CONTINUED)



Temple Israel is pleased to invite
young families to join us on

**SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 3, 2018
5 PM AT TEMPLE ISRAEL**



Join our Temple Israel clergy
for a fun-filled evening. Together we
will learn about Jewish bedtime rituals with unique
crafts, enjoy a delicious pancake dinner in our pajamas
and celebrate the end of Shabbat with a relaxing
Havdalah service. Celebrating February Birthdays.

▲ **In Review - Jessica Fishman: Chutzpah & High Heels: The Search for Love and Identity in the Holy Land**, shared her Aliyah story to a diverse group of Temple women. After enjoying a pre-glow of hors d'oeuvres and wine with the author, the women learned about the challenges Reform Jews can face when deciding to live in Israel. Jessica's ease and humor in relaying the deeply personal story is reflected in her must read book. Thank you to Marilyn & Walter Wolpin Young Adult Programming Fund, The Weinberg Family Library, Temple Israel Sisterhood and The Jewish Book Council for making this program possible.

◀ **PJ'S PANCAKES & PRAYER**

Saturday, February 3 • 5 pm crafts & activities,
followed by dinner and Havdalah
Thanks to the Schelberg Family Shabbat Birthday
Fund, all children 12 and under who celebrate their
birthday in the month of February will receive the
gift of a Jewish book. Register online by January 29.
\$12 for adults; \$6 for kids 4-12; kids under 4 are free.
Questions? Contact Alicia Mendelson at 248-661-
5725 or alicia@temple-israel.org.

MOTHER & DAUGHTER BOOK CLUB

Thursday, February 8 • 6:30 pm
Young adult women (ages 20s-40s) and their
mothers (aunts, grandmothers, sisters, and friends
are welcome too!) will enjoy an evening of delicious
food, great wine and inspiring discussion over the
book *Windy City Blues* by Renée Rosen. See page 30
for more information.



GENERAL PROGRAMMING

COLLEGE CONNECTION

Do you have a student going off to college? How about one or two of them already there? Make sure they stay connected with Temple Israel by signing them up for our College Connection. It's easy! We just need the information listed below and we'll get him/her connected. Once we have your student's contact information, he or she will receive the Temple Israel Messenger, information on special events occurring in the Jewish world, and invitation to dinner sponsored by Brotherhood, gift packages for the holidays and more! **Please send your student's name, school and expected year of graduation, college address (including apartment or dorm number), cell phone and email to Randi Simko at randi@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700.**

GAME DAY

Thursday, December 7 • 1 - 4 pm

Thursday, January 4 • 1 - 4 pm



Bring your friends and your favorite game! Canasta, Bridge, Mahjong, Pinochle, Euchre & Rummikub. Coffee, tea and cookies will be served. There is no charge to attend but reservations are required by the Monday prior to Game Day. **RSVP to Randi Simko at randi@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700 or register online at temple-israel.org/Event_Registration.**

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TEMPLE ISRAEL OF WEST BLOOMFIELD TRIP
TO ISRAEL FOR **FIRST-TIMERS & RETURNEES**
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AND RABBI PAUL & WENDY YEDWAB

APRIL 5-18, 2018

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- 11 nights' accommodation at select hotels
- 12 days of touring in a luxury, air-conditioned bus with a licensed, English speaking tour educator
- 1 group transfer and assistance to and from the airport
- All site entrance fees and program fees as per itinerary
- Meals: breakfast daily, 1 lunch & 8 dinners
- Portage at the airport and hotels
- Hostess throughout
- Water on the bus
- Tips for guides and drivers

Search by your congregation name, Temple Israel of West Bloomfield, at arzaworld.com to view full trip itinerary and highlights

TOLL FREE 1-888-811-2812

Questions? Contact Donna at donna@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700.



Goodman Family Judaic & Archival MUSEUM at Temple Israel

Temple Israel's Goodman Family Judaic & Archival Museum is thrilled to announce that our permanent collection is now being featured in our newly installed, state-of-the-art museum display cases in the Wasserman Atrium, just outside the main sanctuary. We hope you will take some time to view our beautiful Judaic collection.

Are you looking for a special way to honor someone you love? Consider dedicating a beautiful piece of Judaic artwork. By making a gift to the Museum in honor or in memory of a loved one, or in honor of a life cycle event, you will be part of the continuing legacy of a permanent Judaic collection, which will be enjoyed by Temple Israel for generations to come.

For more information, please contact David Tisdale at 248-661-5700 or dtisdale@temple-israel.org.



BRIDGES

Thursday, December 21 • *Life Cycles*

Thursday, January 18 • *Israel & Tu B'Shevat*

7 - 9 pm in a private home in West Bloomfield

This educational support/discussion group is geared to those who have converted, are in the process of conversion, involved in interfaith relationships, or simply born Jews seeking to learn more about their religion, thus BRIDGING the gaps between their culture of origin and Judaism. The sessions will cover topics such as Jewish holiday celebrations, life cycle events, and creating new family traditions. For reservations and location, please text or call Carol Lynn Cooper at coopercna@aol.com or 248-390-8212. Reservations are requested one week prior to the session.

MOVIES AT THE MAPLE

Thursday, December 14 • *Stranger Among Us*

Thursday, January 11 • *Brighton Beach Memoirs*

See page 30 for more information.

DINNER & A MOVIE

Thursday, January 4 • *The Quarrel*

See page 30 for more information.

COLLEGE DINNER DATES

Sunday, January 7 • 5:30 pm

(Ann Arbor, Restaurant TBD)

Sunday, February 11 • 5:30 pm

(East Lansing, Restaurant TBD)

Sunday nights in the winter can be lonely on a college campus. Beat the "winter blahs" by joining Temple Israel for a few dinners and evenings filled with good company! The Temple Israel clergy will dine with our college students on the above dates. Reservations are required. To RSVP or to learn more, please contact Randi Simko at 248-661-5700 or randi@temple-israel.org. College dinners are graciously sponsored by the Temple Israel Brotherhood.



INTRODUCING TEMPLE'S NEW MENTORING PROGRAM

TIadvisors.org

TI Advisors provides free business advice through Temple Israel's Mentor business experts. Mentors and Mentees will utilize TI Advisors' online portal to register, create a personal profile and interact with one another through the entire mentoring engagement.



REGISTER TO BECOME A MENTEE

Mentees will utilize TI Advisors' online portal to submit specific questions and request a Mentor.

Administrators will screen all requests and pair appropriate Mentees with the most knowledgeable Mentor to engage with.

1. Register on TI Advisors' Online Portal.
2. Complete your Background Profile.
3. Submit a detailed description of the business problem or issue that you would like to work on with your Mentor.
4. Questions/issues will be organized into the following groups:
*Accounting/Budgeting | Buy/Sell Business | Cash Flow Management
Customer Engagement/Retention | Financing & Capital Raising
Franchising | Human Resources - Succession Planning | Legal Issues
Marketing/Advertising/Social Media | Real Estate | Sales Strategy
Start Up Assistance - Biz Plan Development | Technology*
5. A Mentee Engagement Plan will be created, articulating the issue to be addressed, requisite materials to be provided by the Mentee, anticipated time frame (weeks/visits) and setting specific expectations and anticipated take aways from the mentoring experience. Note, the Mentor is expected to be a guide and a facilitator and is not expected to do the work for the Mentee.
6. Meet with your assigned Mentor
7. Upon completing the mentoring relationship, submit a short questionnaire to rate and evaluate your experience.

For more info and to sign up, visit

TIadvisors.org

COMMUNITY (CONTINUED)



FAMILY MISSION TO ISRAEL



DECEMBER 22, 2018 - JANUARY 2, 2019

**Accompany Rabbi Bennett, Rabbi Hornsten,
and Cantor Michaels (and our families)
on a family-friendly 10-day trip of a lifetime!**

- Explore Jerusalem, Tel Aviv, Haifa, Tzefat, Tiberias, Golan Heights, Massada, the Dead Sea and more
- Learn about Israel's past, present and future through interactive educational opportunities
- Participate in an archaeological dig, ride a camel, experience kibbutz life, and explore ethnic food markets and artist colonies
- Includes separate tracks for returning families and first-timers, a special Bar/Bat Mitzvah service and opportunities for Tikkun Olam

**Register before December 31, 2017
to take advantage of the Early Bird
Discount - \$150 off per person!**

REGISTER ONLINE AT:

arzaworld.com/Temple_Israel_West_Bloomfield_Family_Mission_2018.aspx

*For more information please contact Elaine Bertsch
at 248-661-5700 or elaine@temple-israel.org.*

Temple Israel
Making a difference.



CHAMSA SAND ART WITH GAIL KAPLAN

Tuesday, January 23 • 6:30 pm

Join us for a Girls Night Out with local community artist, Gail Rosenbloom Kaplan, as we each create our own beautiful chamsa. \$36 per person- includes frameable sand art, materials, wine, dinner and dessert. Space is limited. Reservations are requested by January 16th. **For more information and to RSVP, contact Randi Simko at randi@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700.**



CANTOR MICHAEL SMOLASH'S 13TH ANNIVERSARY

Friday, January 26 • 6 pm dinner, 7:30 pm service
Join us Friday, January 26, 2018, for our Shabbat Shira service celebrating Dr. Jen Green & Cantor Michael Smolash's 13th Anniversary at Temple Israel. Dinner begins at 6 pm followed by a service at 7:30 pm. This beautiful service will feature all our choirs and T'fillah Teams for a celebration of the music of Temple Israel. See page 3 for more information.

SAVE THE DATE:

RABBI KALUZNY'S 13TH ANNIVERSARY

Friday, June 22, 2018

Save the date for Rabbi Kaluzny's 13th anniversary celebration on June 22nd, the first outdoor service of the year.

IN MEMORIAM

HAROLD GOTTLIEB ^{z"l}

1930 - 2017



GRACIOUS HUMBLE GENEROUS

The memories will endure.

The music will intensify.

The meaning will live on.

With love, prayers and gratitude to
Sarah and the entire Gottlieb family,

From your Temple Israel family



Grantors of *The Stephen Gottlieb Memorial Concert Fund* which also supports
two cantorial chairs and the entire Temple Israel music program.



▲ **In Review - Stephen Gottlieb Concert:** Shira Kline burst onto the Temple bimah once again at our Stephen Gottlieb concert over Sukkot. The sanctuary was bustling with young families as Shira and her band treated us to her sensational music, and the free lunch was a delicious treat for all. Our deep thanks to the Gottlieb family for their overflowing support of musical life at Temple Israel.

MUSIC AT TEMPLE

Introducing CANTORIAL SOLOIST EMMA TRIVAX

Temple Israel has a new addition to our staff, Cantorial Soloist Emma Trivax. She will be adding her delightful voice to Kabbalat Shabbat and bar mitzvah services this year, as well as participating in High Holy Days and other Temple events. If you know her as the beloved conductor of our Shabbat Singers choir, rest assured, she will still be working with our children in that capacity.

Please welcome her to the Temple Israel family as our new soloist, and raise your voices with hers as she steps into her role.



Emma has been a member of the Temple Israel community since the moment she began preschool in the Temple's Early Childhood Center. She had her Bat Mitzvah, Confirmation, and Graduation from the Hebrew school here at Temple Israel. She was always active in participating in music at Temple Israel, starting with the Shabbat Singers, then the Teen T'filah Team, and is now in our adult T'filah Team. Not only has she been active in the Temple's music programs, she has also been classically trained by our own Shawn McDonald for nearly ten years. Emma has applied her musical training in activities such as marching band and choir in high school, as well as teaching band at Hillel Day School and teaching the Shabbat Singers choir. Emma is currently attending Wayne State Law School, where she hopes to receive her J.D. so she can be an advocate for those in our community. Not only is she pursuing her legal career, but she aspires to continue her Cantorial Soloist work at Temple Israel for as long as possible, as bringing joy and music to congregants is something that she will always deeply resonate with. Temple Israel has brought Emma a lifetime of blessing, and she hopes to give back to the wonderful community that has given so much to her!

Laker Concert



*Sunday, March 25
4 pm at Temple Israel*

In the great spirit of Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young, come experience the new Jewish super folk group, BDN&N, made up of rock stars Josh Nelson and Dan Nichols and rounded off by our Reform community's most sought after master Cantors, Rosalie Boxt and Ellen Dreskin.

Make sure you save the date!

The Laker Concert is sponsored in loving memory of Sarah & Harry Laker.

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TEMPLE ISRAEL ECC FAMILY CAMP

January 12-14, 2018

Butzel Conference Center - Ortonville, Michigan

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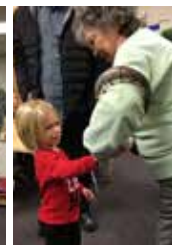


Join Rabbi Jen Lader & Rabbi Arianna Gordon and their families!

Mark your calendar now to join us for this exciting family event. We'll celebrate Shabbat, sing, play games and take part in a variety of fun-filled activities in an exciting camp environment. Space is Limited.

Questions? Please contact Sharon in the ECC office at sanders@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5750.

*Family Camp is partially funded by the Audrey & William
Farber Endowment Fund*



PARENT CONNECTION

Wednesday, December 6 • 9:15 am

CHANUKAH MAGIC MOMENTS

Friday, December 8 • 9 am (PreK), 1 pm (KDG)

Please join us for a Child/Adult Program in the ECC with guest author Ellen Levey Fischer. Light the Chanukiah and participate in Chanukah activities. Questions? Contact the ECC office at 248-661-5750.



LATKE MAKING - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Monday, December 11 • 9 am - 1 pm

Moms and Dads come join the fun! Help make latkes for everyone. A favorite time of the year for all, if you can make it, give us a call! RSVP to the ECC office at 248-661-5750.

ECC - WINTER BREAK BEGINS (NO SCHOOL)

Thursday, December 21 (School resumes on
Wednesday, January 3)

◀ **In Review:** The children from the ECC enjoyed a fun morning with all our animal visitors.

WINTER BREAK CAMP AT SPORTS CLUB

December 21, 22, 26, 27, 28, 29 & January 2

Join us for exciting days of arts & crafts, activities, games and so much more! Children ages 3-6 welcome. Cost: \$25 half day (9 am-12 pm or 1-4 pm), \$50 full day (9 am-4 pm). Pre/Post care is \$3.50/hour and is broken down by 15 minute increments. Bring a lunch or \$5, two peanut-free healthy snacks, a water bottle and a great big smile! Children must be potty trained. For more information or to register, contact The Sports Club Programs Department at 248-626-9880.

FREE FAMILY FUN STORYTIME WITH MARLA

Thursday, January 11 • 12:45 pm
More information to come.

SECOND SEMESTER BEGINS

Monday, January 15

PARENT CONNECTION

Wednesday, January 17 • 9:15 am

PARENT/TEACHER DIALOGS

Thursday, January 25

SAVE THE DATE:

MOMMY & SON EVENING WITH DINNER & GLOW-BOWLING

Thursday, February 15 • 5 pm at Langan's Nor-West
Cost: \$36 for adults, kids are free! Ages appropriate for children 6 and under. Includes 2 games, shoes, pizza, pop, dessert + dancing! Any special person is welcome to attend in lieu of a parent, and everyone is welcome.

KINDERGARTEN

OPEN HOUSE

Come and check out
one of the BEST Kindergartens
in the area!

MEET, GREET & EAT
TUESDAY, JANUARY 30
7 PM

For prospective families
with children beginning
Kindergarten for the upcoming
2018-2019 school year.

For questions or to RSVP,
contact the ECC office at
248-661-5750.

TEMPLE YOUTH

11th & 12th Graders are invited to
ALTERNATIVE SPRING BREAK:
Adventure. Travel. Social Justice.

The Farber Expedition: **NICARAGUA**

April 1-9, 2018 • \$1999 All Inclusive
Spend a week in a private beachside lodge in El Transito

Questions? Contact Devorah at
dglanz@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700.

**FOR ALL THINGS TEMPLE YOUTH, FEEL FREE TO
CONTACT OUR YOUTH TEAM AT 248-661-5700 OR EMAIL
ZACH GOLDBERGER AT ZACH@TEMPLE-ISRAEL.ORG OR
DEVORAH GLANZ AT DGLANZ@TEMPLE-ISRAEL.ORG**

ROOTS/JARC CHANUKAH PARTY

Monday, December 11 • 6 - 8 pm

Celebrate with YFTI and JARC, a non-profit organization that works to enrich the lives of adults with developmental disabilities. Our teens will throw a party for JARC filled with music, dancing, food, and fun! Please email Zach at zach@temple-israel.org if you have any questions.

BUNK45: WILD LIGHTS

Saturday, December 16 • 5:30 pm

Chanukkah is LIT! Join your friends from Bunk45 for an awesome evening of animals, lights, friends, and fun. We can't wait to celebrate our festival of lights with you as we enjoy a deLIGHTful Saturday night together. Please email Zach at zach@temple-israel.org if you have any questions.

QUEST: BE OUR GUEST ►

Sunday, December 17 • 1:30 - 4 pm

Quest Families Welcome! Join QUEST as we decorate Temple Israel for our guests from South Oakland Shelter- we will be making and hanging decorations, "sewing" fleece blankets and hats, and spending the afternoon changing the world! Parents: join in and lend a hand! Temple Israel will once again host homeless men, women, and children for one week as part of Temple Israel's commitment to Tikkun Olam. This program is supported by the Lynn and Harvey Rubin Social Action Fund, the Lauren and Phillip Fisher Family and the Stephen Gottlieb Memorial Fund. Questions? Contact Devorah at 248-661-5700 or dglanz@temple-israel.org.

SUE & ALAN KAUFMAN & FAMILY
JEWISH FEDERATION OF METROPOLITAN DETROIT



TEEN MISSION TO ISRAEL
WITH COMMUNITY CONGREGATIONS AND TAMARACK CAMPS

Join Rabbi Jen Lader on an
adventure of a lifetime this summer!

JUNE 25 - JULY 20, 2018

Thanks to the generosity of Sue and Alan Kaufman, the Teen Mission is subsidized for all teens living in metro Detroit. For more information please visit teenmissiondetroit.org or contact Jackie Yashinsky, Teen Mission Coordinator, at 248-952-9030 or jyashinsky@teenmissiondetroit.org.

YFTI: SOCIAL ACTION NIGHT

Monday, December 18

JOIN: YFTI and friends as we cook, prep, and serve dinner for our South Oakland shelter guests. Teens will also participate in a hands-on social action project, and meet peers in our community who have personally struggled with homelessness. Do some good this holiday season, and earn community service hours for your time.

GIVE: We are accepting donations of cases of water bottles, packaged snacks, socks, hand warmers, etc. for this event. Please email Zach at zach@temple-israel.org if you have any questions.

QUEST: MLK MONDAY

Monday, January 15 • Time and Location TBD

Save the date for our next exciting QUEST event connected to civil rights and celebrating the life and legacy of Martin Luther King Jr. Watch your email for more details on this very special MLK Monday event. Questions? Contact Devorah at 248-661-5700 or dglanz@temple-israel.org.

YFTI: SKI TRIP ►

Friday, Feb. 2 - Sunday, Feb. 4 (Buses leave Temple Israel Friday at 1 pm & return Sunday at 4:30 pm)
Come ride the slopes, roast s'mores over a fire and spend a great weekend at Crystal Mountain with YFTI! Non-skiers will enjoy time doing snowy activities on the mountain and travel to Traverse City. Price is \$400 (by 12/15), \$450 (after 12/15). Skiers who need to rent equipment should bring \$25 (includes helmet and goggles). Need-based scholarships are available. For more information, contact Zach at 248-661-5700 or zach@temple-israel.org.



QUEST  **ON A MISSION TO CHANGE THE WORLD**

BE OUR GUEST

SOS
South Oakland Shelter

Sunday, December 17, 2017 • 1:30 - 4 pm
Quest families welcome!

Register online at temple-israel.org/guest
for this amazing opportunity!



YFTI  **SKI TRIP**
to Crystal Mountain!

February 2-4, 2018

Register online at: tinyurl.com/yd4lq4zh

THE ROBERT SOSNICK FAMILY LIFE CENTER



CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Tuesdays, December 5, 12, 19 & 26 • 10 - 11:30 am
Tuesdays, January 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 • 10 - 11:30 am
When helping you is hurting me...Taking care of someone else as well as taking care of you? Give yourself respite – join facilitator Janice G. Tracht, LMSW, ACSW, BCD and Gloria Beren, LCSW, ACSW in a supportive environment. Sharing one's experience within a group setting enables caregivers to recognize the commonality of their experience while also defining the uniqueness of their situation. For more information or to RSVP contact Kate Boman at kate@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700.

SHARE SUPPORT GROUP

Tuesday, December 5 • 7 pm
Join facilitator and Temple Israel member **Melissa Mayerson** and **Rabbi Jennifer Kaluzny** at this special support group for young parents who have experienced miscarriage, stillbirth or infant loss. For more information contact Melissa Mayerson at melissamayerson_share@yahoo.com or, Rabbi Jennifer Kaluzny at jkaluzny@temple-israel.org. Supported by the Aviva Pearl Herman Memorial SHARE Fund.

AA - ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Thursday, December 7, 14, 21, 28 • 8 pm
Thursday, January 4, 11, 18 & 25 • 8 pm



*A very heartfelt Todah Rabah to our very generous Temple family!
Thank you to our donors for helping to make the Chanukiah shine
a little bit brighter for our temple families!*



The Robert Sosnick
Family Life Center

◀ **In Review - Senior Adult Program WLC Choral Groups:**

Thank you to everyone for making our 20th year of Senior Adult Concert Programming a wonderful one. A Special thank you goes to The David Arthur Stulberg Memorial Fund, the Harry and Phyllis Kellman Memorial Fund, the Bertha and Harry Kifferstein Senior Adult Programming Fund, The Debbie and Al Iwrey Senior Programming Fund, our chairs Karen and Dr. Jack Singer and to all of our loyal volunteers.

We are in the midst of planning a fabulous 2018 season beginning in April. For all the snowbirds, have a safe journey and all else a beautiful winter. We hope to see you all back in the spring!

◀ **In Review - Camp George Dinner Reunion:** New and returning families enjoyed a wonderful Shabbat dinner to remember with URJ Camp George Director Jeff Rose. Families enjoyed a slideshow, s'mores, the camp promotional video and were able to participate in a Q+A after.

DROP-IN BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Thursday, December 14 & January 25 • 7 - 8:30 pm

Diane Levy-Rubenstein, LMSW Facilitator

After the death of a loved one, there are so many thoughts, feelings and experiences to deal with. Accepting the death of a loved one requires one to fully experience their grief. All sessions are open to the community and are free of charge. Please call Temple to verify dates as they do change. For information please contact Kate Boman at 248-661-5700 or kate@temple-israel.org.

MS PATH SUPPORT GROUP

Thursday, December 14 & 28 • 7 - 9 pm

Thursday, January 11 & 25 • 7 - 9 pm

The MS PATH (Positive Attitude Toward Health) meets on the second and fourth Thursday of every month in Classroom 11. This group is designed for those with MS as well as family members and/or caregivers. Contact Ronna Heller at (Home) 248-737-2328, (Cell) 248-330-4632 or email her at rhlbox@me.com for more details on any MS Path Program.

GOTTA GET TO GEORGE!

Registration is open for Summer 2018!

Join our Michigan campers in the one-of-a-kind life changing experience that is sleep away camp. Through informal Jewish education, the arts, a state-of-the-art waterfront program, an intense ropes challenge course, and great athletic facilities, Camp George offers campers an experience of a lifetime.



For more information contact Kari Provizer, LMSW, ACSW at 248-661-5700. Supported by the Robert Sosnick Family Life Center.



**CAMP GEORGE +
EXCHANGE RATE =
AMAZING
SAVINGS**

Full Session:

\$4780 Canadian | \$3742 American

A savings* of over \$1000!

17 day Nitzotzot/Lehavot - Grades 2-5:

\$3390 Canadian | \$2654 American

A savings* of more than \$700!

*Savings vary depending on the current exchange rate.

Register Now!

George.URJCamps.org

URJ Camp George 416-638-2635

TYNER RELIGIOUS SCHOOL



▲ *In Review - What's Happenin' in the D:* In partnership with the Jewish Historical Society of Michigan, 6th graders explored and experienced Jewish Detroit from past to present. We visited the former Temple Israel building on Manderson Road, and traveled through time to find out *Whats Happenin' in the D* today!

RESTORING THE DREAM ►

Sunday, January 14 • 1 - 3 pm

Temple Israel invites families to join us for a day of inspiration in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Families with children in 3rd-6th grades are invited for a meaningful afternoon with the Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History. Enjoy a kid-friendly guided tour of the museum followed by a thoughtful discussion with our Temple clergy about the Civil Rights Movement and the pursuit of justice through a Jewish lens. Children will have the opportunity to create picket signs that express their desire for social change and discuss the many peaceful ways we can make a difference in our community. Open to the community. **Please register by January 8 to the Religious School office at 248-661-5725 or email alicia@temple-israel.org.** There is no cost to attend.

TINY ARTISTS AT TEMPLE ISRAEL

Sunday, January 21 • 10 - 11 am

Temple Israel invites local Jewish babies and their loving caregivers for a Sunday morning sensory adventure! Little ones 6 - 24 months will enjoy hands-on art projects, movement to music, and interactive story time featuring PJ Library books. Parents can meet and mingle while learning about Tu B'Shevat and our next generation's responsibility of tikkun olam. Open to the community. \$10 per family. **Please register by January 17 to the Religious School office at 248-661-5725 or email alicia@temple-israel.org.**

TU B'SHEVAT & TERRARIUMS

Wednesday, January 31 • 6 pm

Families with children in Kindergarten - 6th grade are invited to join Temple Israel and English Gardens as we celebrate the birthday of the trees with a festive dinner, learning, and DIY terrariums! Create a hobbit hole fairy land or a magical succulent garden as we take time to appreciate the God's green thumb! Open to the community. \$18 per participant. Dinner included. **Please register by January 24 to the Religious School office at 248-661-5725 or email alicia@temple-israel.org.**



▲ *In Review - Raise Your Yad: 5th-8th graders crafted beautiful custom Yads to use at their upcoming B'nai Mitzvot!*

SAVE THE DATE:

HAVDALAH AT THE PLANETARIUM!

Saturday, February 10

Families with children Prek-3rd grades are invited to join Temple Israel at the Detroit Science Center for a dazzling evening under the stars! Questions? Contact Alicia at 248-661-5700 or alicia@temple-israel.org.

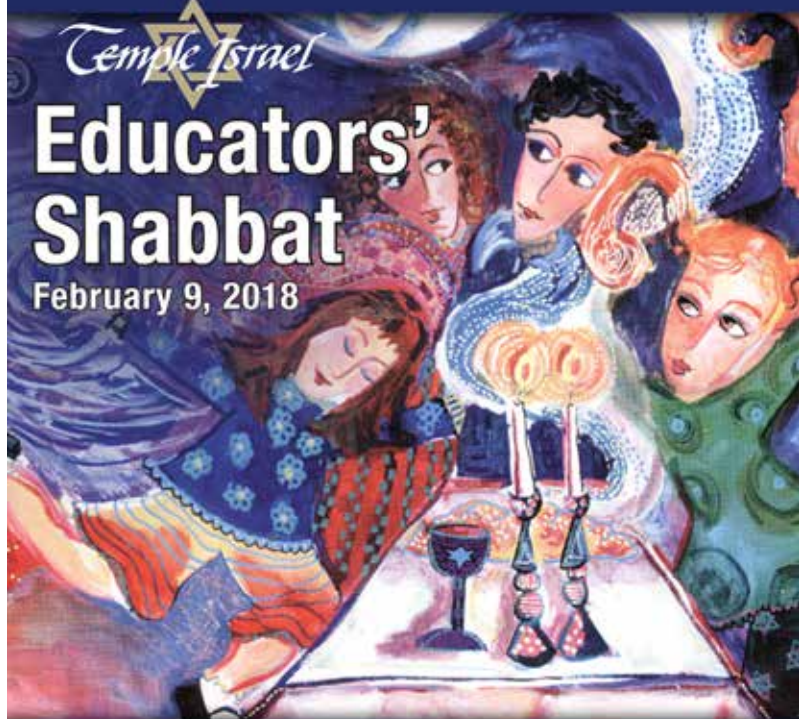
TEMPLE ISRAEL + TOYOLOGY TOYS KICKBACK

We are proud to partner with **TOYOLOGY TOYS** for a year-round shopping experience that you can feel good about! Shop at Toyology in store or online and mention Temple Israel (online, use code TISRAEL10) for 10% of your purchase to kickback toward funding Temple Israel educational programming. What better feeling than knowing you are not only giving, but giving back?! Questions? Contact Alicia at 248-661-5700 or alicia@temple-israel.org.

SAVE THE DATE!

Temple Israel Educators' Shabbat

February 9, 2018



Join us at 7:30 pm for our annual celebration of Jewish teaching and learning! Honoring our teachers for their years of service.

Teacher awards will be presented at services, followed by a sweet oneg.

Temple Israel invites families to join us for a day of inspiration in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.



Sunday, January 14, 2018

1 - 3 pm

Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History

315 E. Warren Ave., Detroit

See page 24 for details.

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MUSEUM of AFRICAN
AMERICAN HISTORY
History • Culture • Inspiration

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The Jewish
Community Center
of Metro Detroit



ASK
Adults Seeking Knowledge

Freedom & Fire

Monday, December 11, 2017 • 12 - 1:30 pm

Jamon Jordan, Historian and Educator at the Black Scroll Network, will present, *"Freedom & Fire: The Fight for Liberation and the Origins of Detroit's African American Community."*

ASK
Adults Seeking Knowledge

Contemporary Jewish Artists

Monday, January 15, 2018 • 12 - 1:30 pm

Join local artist and art educator, Jane Alkon, as she presents this lively and interesting program on 20th Century Jewish Artists. Focusing on Modigliani, Nevelson, Louis, Lichtenstein, and Agam,

Cost: \$7 Members with reservation
\$10 Non-Members and walk-ins (includes lunch)
Register online at Temple-Israel.org/Event_Registration

Supported by The Debbie and Al Iwrey
Senior Programming Fund.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON ANY OF THESE ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES OR TO RSVP, CONTACT THE EDUCATION OFFICE AT LKAPLAN@TEMPLE-ISRAEL.ORG OR 248-661-5725.

ADULT EDUCATION

JOGA

Sunday School Mornings • 10 - 11:15 am
New Year, New Practice. Join us for a Sunday morning yoga class taught by Cindy Levine. Drop off your children at Religious School and enjoy a morning of mental, physical and spiritual health! Cindy Levine, E-RYT, has been practicing yoga since 2003 and teaching yoga since 2008. She currently teaches at Citizen Yoga in Bloomfield Hills and Royal Oak. Guest appearances by Rabbi Yedwab. Cost: \$10 per class.

TORAH LINE-BY-LINE

Tuesdays • 12 - 1 pm
Join us for a line-by-line study of Torah. Using commentary, sharing our own insights, and looking at various translations, we work our way through this amazing and inspiring text. Taught by Rabbi Arianna Gordon.

SHABBAT TISCH

Saturdays • 9:30 - 10:30 am
Join us for a Shabbat morning of insights and investigation into the texts of our Bible.

COME FLY WITH ME

December 5, 12 & 21 • 7 - 8:30 pm
Travel to the Holy Land with Cantor Neil Michaels to experience the many voices of our People. From the early songs of the Chazutim (the pioneers of Palestine), to the world-infused words and music of Israeli rock and hip hop, the music of Israel is a combination of Jewish and non-Jewish music traditions that have come together over the course of a century to create a distinctive musical culture.

GATEWAY TO ONENESS W/CANTOR SMOLASH

Thursdays, Dec 7 & 21, Jan 4, 11, 18 & 25 • 10 - 11 am

This insightful kabbalistic text provides a remarkable glimpse into the structure and flow of the ongoing creative forces that form our world. Come open the hood of the universe and get a look at the engine of light that drives it. **To register, contact Maya at 248-661-5700 or maya@temple-israel.org.**

TALKING TO TEENS

Tuesday, January 30 • 7 - 8:30 pm

Join teen gurus, Rabbi Jen Lader and Brooke Bendix, LMSW - Child and Adolescent Specialist of Michigan Family Therapy, PLLC, for an in-depth series about parenting teens. These inspiring, challenging, growth-filled years are some of the more important in your child's life - we'll explore them together through a Jewish lens.

SAVE THE DATE:

INTRO TO JUDAISM

Tuesdays • 7 - 8:30 pm beginning February 6, 2018

Learn about Jewish history, theology, liturgy, literature, culture and Israel! This 14-week class is taught by Temple Israel clergy and includes a Shabbat dinner and Holocaust Museum tour. Open to adults of all backgrounds. Cost is \$130 per individual, or \$150 per couple.

ASK: AFTER ANATEVKA

Monday, February 12 • 12 - 1:30 pm

Author Alexandra Silber will discuss *After Anatevka*, a sweeping historical novel that imagines what happens to the characters of *Fiddler on the Roof* after the curtain falls.

L'CHAYYIM - WINE MAKING AS A CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Tuesdays, February 13, March 6, April 17 • 7 -9 pm

These three classes will be designed as a wine tasting and wine making course for newly married couples and young parents. The sessions will include text study, wine sampling, and the chance to ferment, age, bottle, and label wine. Each participant will make 6-8 bottles of privately labeled wines! Taught by Rabbi Joshua Bennett.

ISRAEL MISSION LECTURE SERIES

Tuesday, February 13 • 7 -9 pm - *The World of the Hebrew Bible*

Thursday, March 29 • 7 -9 pm - *Visions of the Jewish State*

Wayne State University Professor, Dr. Howard Lupovitch, will present this fascinating Israel lecture series, open to the public. The lecture will be followed by a meeting for our Spring 2018 Israel Mission participants.

A LITTLE ART AND A LOT OF FUN!

Tuesday, February 20 • 7 - 8:30 pm

Explore the art of iconic artist Marc Chagall. Add one-part art discussion and one-part hands-on creativity and you'll end up with a wonderful evening. Join local artist and educator **Jane Alkon** as she combines all the elements in this terrific new class. You'll leave with a little bit of art education and a beautiful piece of work you will be thrilled to call your own!

▼ **In Review - A Little Art:** Local artist Jane Alkon did a great job. Everyone enjoyed the "in the style of" Agam project.



LIBRARIES & MEDIA CENTER



TREASURES FROM THE ARCHIVES

The Temple Israel Archives is a treasure trove of documents, photographs, publications, plaques, posters and much more. Libraries and Media Center Director, Lauren Marcus Johnson devotes many hours each week to sorting and organizing the valuable documents that make up our 75 year history.

Our Clergy teaching in the Religious School throughout the years.



Want to volunteer in the Archives?
Contact Lauren Marcus Johnson (ljohnson@temple-israel.org)
at 248-661-5700 to set-up a time.

▲ **In Review - Survivors Club:** Michael Bornstein and Debi Holinstat shared their remarkable story with engaged 7th-12th graders during Monday Night School. Following the school program, the two shared their story and signed books for a community-wide event. Special thanks to the George & Anne Roth Youth Education & Awareness Fund and to the Holocaust Memorial Center for their support.

PIZZA & PAGES

Sunday, Dec 10 & Jan 21 • 12 - 2 pm
Join Librarian Lauren Marcus Johnson and 2nd Grade Teacher Anita Hack in the Hodari Family Children's Library for stories, crafts, games, and fun! All 1st-3rd Grade booklovers are invited to participate. If you love pizza, books, and spending time in the Library then you'll love this program! A pizza lunch will be served (\$5/person payable at the meeting). Students do not need to attend all of the meetings to participate. **Reservations are required by the Thursday before each date.** To RSVP, contact Lauren Marcus Johnson at ljohnson@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700. Save the dates for the next Pizza & Pages: February 11 & March 11.





REMEMBER TO BE A JEWISH READING STAR!

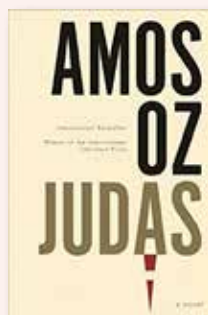
1st - 3rd Graders read Jewish books from their own home library and/or books from the Hodari Family Children's Library. Children read the books with an adult (parent, grandparent, or other book lover) and return the forms to their teacher by **April 22, 2018**. All forms are available in the Hodari Family Children's Library or from your Religious School teacher, and can be downloaded from the Temple Israel website (go to the Media Center & Libraries Resource section).

If you have any questions about the Religious School reading programs, contact your teacher or Lauren Marcus Johnson at 248-661-5700 or ljohnson@temple-israel.org. Happy Reading!



ti ADULT bookclubs

Join the Temple Israel Adult Book Clubs! Our professional facilitators and diverse selections are certain to expand your mind, stimulate your intellect, and make for fun and enjoyable discussions.



The season will continue on **Monday, December 11, 9:45 am** and **Tuesday, December 12, 6:30 pm** with a discussion of the book, *Judas* by Amos Oz. The discussion will be facilitated by Dalia Shaham.

Monday, January 15, 9:45 am and **Tuesday, January 16, 6:30 pm** with a discussion of the book, *The Extra* by A.B. Yehoshua. The discussion will be facilitated by Dalia Shaham.



Participants are encouraged to read the selected book prior to the meeting. Copies of the books are available from the Weinberg Family Library and from local public libraries and booksellers. All are welcome! Registration is required. \$14/per session. **For more information, or to register, contact Lauren Marcus Johnson at ljohnson@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700.**

SAVE THE DATES:

Feb 19/20 – *Mischling* by Affinity Konar
Mar 19/20 – *Dinner at the Center of the Earth* by Nathan Englander

LIBRARIES & MEDIA CENTER (CONTINUED)

The Weinberg Family Library & Temple Israel Sisterhood are excited to present this film discussion series.

Join our clergy for:

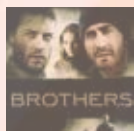
Dinner & A MOVIE



January 4
The Quarrel
facilitated by Rabbi
Jennifer Kaluzny



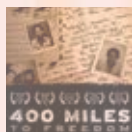
January 18
Homicide
facilitated by Cantor
Neil Michaels



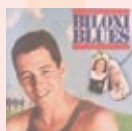
February 1
Brothers
facilitated by Rabbi
Marla Hornsten



February 15
Holy Land Hardball
and Shooting for Home
facilitated by Rabbi Josh
Bennett



March 8
Freedom Runners and
400 Miles to Freedom
facilitated by Rabbi Jennifer
Lader



March 22
Biloxi Blues
facilitator TBA

The movies will be available to check out from the Temple Israel Libraries prior to each session for viewing at home or you are welcome to attend a group showing at 5 pm on each date. Dinner and discussion will begin at approximately 6:45 pm.

\$16 per session or register for the whole series for \$85. Reservations are required no later than the Monday before each date. Contact Lauren Marcus Johnson at 248-661-5700 or e-mail ljohnson@temple-israel.org.

Sponsored by the Weinberg Family Library
and Temple Israel Sisterhood.



MOVIES AT THE MAPLE



Thursday, December 14 • 10 am

◀ **Stranger Among Us**



Thursday, January 11 • 10 am

◀ **Brighton Beach Memoirs**

All movies begin at 10 am at the Maple Theater (4135 West

Maple Road, Birmingham). Temple Israel invites you to join us for a movie at the Maple Theater followed by a facilitated discussion. \$10 Member/\$12 Guest - Program includes coffee and nosh. Register online at temple-israel.org/maple or contact Randi Simko at 248-661-5700 or randi@temple-israel.org for more information. Save the date for the next Movies at the Maple: February 8 - *The Chosen*.

MOTHER/DAUGHTER BOOK CLUB



Thursday, February 8 • 6:30 pm

Young adult women (ages 20s-40s) and their mothers (aunts, grandmothers, sisters, and friends are welcome too!) will enjoy an evening of delicious food, great wine and inspiring discussion of the book *Windy City Blues* by Renée

Rosen. Cost is \$18/person and includes dinner, wine and dessert. RSVP to Randi Simko by February 1 at randi@temple-israel.org or 248-661-5700. Save the date for the next Mother/Daughter Book Club: Thursday, April 26 - *Leaving Lucy Pear* by Anna Solomon, facilitated by Marilyn Gans Schelberg, PhD and Karen Schelberg.

AFFILIATES - BROTHERHOOD



▲ *In Review - Sunday in the Sukkah:* Students in grades 4-6 joined Brotherhood at Orchard Lake Middle School for a morning in the new Religious School Sukkah. Brotherhood members Brian Karbel, David Million, and Rick Feldman led the students in prayers, shaking of the Lulov, and stories of our ancestors in the desert.

PAY YOUR BROTHERHOOD DUES TODAY!

Please remember your dues support the youth and community-oriented programs that Brotherhood sponsor. To pay your dues online go to Temple-Israel.org/Brotherhood, click the "Online Brotherhood Membership Application" link.

BROTHERHOOD HOUSING THE HOMELESS

Friday, December 22 • 6:30 - 9 pm

Join Brotherhood for Housing the Homeless, a night for Brotherhood and their families to provide warmth, food, and fellowship to our guests from South Oakland Shelter. For information or to volunteer, please contact Art Dubin at 248-931-1509.



SAVE THE DATE:

BROTHERHOOD RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday, March 4 • 9 am- 3 pm

Contact Dr. Mike Michelson at 248-819-1235 to reserve your spot.



SAVE THE DATE!



Sunday, February 25, 2018

4:30 - 11 pm • Temple Israel

More information to come

Join us for the 86th Annual Inter-Congregational

MEN'S CLUB DINNER

Hosted by: Congregation Beth Shalom
14601 Lincoln St | Oak Park

Thursday, February 8, 2018

6 pm appetizers & cocktails

6:45 pm kosher dinner

More information to come

Questions? Contact Art Dubin at 248-931-1509

AFFILIATES - SISTERHOOD



Sisterhood at Temple Israel *Chanukah* LUNCHEON

with Bassie Shemtov, Director of the Friendship Circle
"where talents are revealed"

Wednesday, December 13, 2017 • Noon

Join Sisterhood for a Chanukah lunch featuring guest speaker Bassie Shemtov, who will discuss the Friendship Circle's Farber Center.



A display of original artwork will also be available for purchase. All artwork proceeds benefit the Farber Center and the artist.

\$18 members • \$25 guests

Register by December 9th at temple-israel.org/sisterhood
or mail checks (payable to Temple Israel Sisterhood),
to Julie Stern at 560 Grixdale, Waterford, MI 48328

For more information, contact Sari Roland at
248-701-0298 or SariRSisterhood@gmail.com



From the VP-Ways & Means

Ring in the New Year on January 25, 2018 with Sisterhood's "New Year Bingo Bash"! This isn't your Bubbie's Bingo! But bring her too because everyone is sure to have a great time! We'll have amazing prizes and a 50/50 raffle for you to win! You'll even have the chance to join us for dinner before the games begin. Admission is \$30 in advance and \$36

at the door. Grab your friends and enjoy a night out! Please watch your email for more information.

Sisterhood is also excited to present you with a wonderful opportunity to fulfill the Purim Mitzvah of Mishloach Manot, the tradition of sending gifts of food to emphasize the importance of Jewish unity and friendship. You can send wonderful treats and Purim greetings to the Sisterhood Board, Clergy, Staff, ECC Teachers along with family and friends. Each gift will include hamentashen and other treats in addition to a card with a list of all those who donated toward their gift. What a wonderful way to say "Thank You" for all they do for us! More information and a link to order on-line will be emailed soon.

These events and more can be found on our Sisterhood Facebook page! Don't miss out! Be sure to "Like" our page and stay informed on the latest events and programs!

Caryn Devaney,
VP-Ways & Means

MISHLOACH MANOT PURIM FUNDRAISER

Coming for Purim 2018 - A wonderful opportunity to fulfill the Mitzvah of Mishloach Manot by sending Purim Greetings to Clergy, Friends & Family! Watch your email for more information.

SISTERHOOD GIFT SHOP - ONE STOP SHOPPING!

Our volunteers are eager to help as you shop our amazing selection of gift items & Judaica.

New merchandise arriving daily to enhance and enrich your holidays and special celebrations.

December/January Special: 30% off Menorahs



(must be in stock & over \$25) Gift Shop hours M/T/TH 2-6 pm & Sunday 9:30 am-12 pm (Religious School Days).

You may reach: Lisa at 248-563-3100, Denise at 248-855-4842 or Mary Lou at 248-875-1595. Please do not hesitate to call with any questions or requests for special appointments.

◀ CHANUKAH LUNCHEON

Wednesday, December 13 • 12 pm

SOS DINNER

Thursday, December 21 • 6 pm

ROSH CHODESH/CHAI MITZVAH

Tuesday, December 19 & January 16

NURSING HOME BINGO

Wednesday, December 20 & January 17 • 2 pm

NEW YEAR BINGO BASH ▶

Thursday, January 25 • 6 pm

SAVE THE DATE:

LUNCH & LEARN WITH TRAVELING ARTIST JULIE DAWSON

Tuesday, February 13 • 12 pm

PASSOVER COOKING DEMO WITH CHEF CAROLE OF THE EPICUREAN GROUP

Tuesday, March 20 • 7 pm

WOMEN'S FREEDOM SEDER

Tuesday March 27 • 6 pm

ANNOUNCING A CHOICE OF TRIBUTE CARDS!

Sisterhood is pleased to offer a choice of tribute cards to mark your special occasion or remember someone in a time of need. In addition, recipients of tribute contributions of \$50 or more will now receive a beautiful certificate letting them know of your generosity.



Learn more or purchase online at Temple-Israel.org/.Sisterhood or contact Jodie Polk at chefjimjo@yahoo.com

A special thank you to Jessica Polk for the beautiful tribute card photographs.

Sisterhood
at Temple Israel

2018 New Year BINGO BASH

Thursday, January 25 at Temple Israel
Doors open at 6 pm
6:45 pm Early Bird Game (optional) | 7 pm 1st General Game

Bingo: \$30 in advance, \$36 at the door
(Includes 6 cards good for all general games & light munchies, additional cards and supplies available for purchase)
Open to the community

Dinner: \$15 in advance, \$18 at the door
(Dinner begins at 6 pm)

RSVP: temple-israel.org/Sisterhood

LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

B'NAI MITZVAH

Torah Portion: Vayishlach

Friday, December 1 • 8 pm Sanctuary Service



Zachary Evan Frank, son of Julie and Jeffrey Frank; grandchild of Elaine and Dr. Stephen Sturman and Peggy and Dennis Frank. Zachary attends West Hills Middle School. His hobbies and interests include playing tennis and golf. For his mitzvah experience, Zachary volunteered at Temple Israel where he made care packages for the residents of South Oakland Shelter and helped with his peers at the Labor Day Picnic. He also donated tzedakah to Yad Ezra to combat hunger in our community.

Saturday, December 2 • 10:30 am Sanctuary Service



Alexa Juliana Hernandez, daughter of Marisa and Hector Hernandez; grandchild of Michele and David Kaplan; great-grandchild of Faye Damraur. Alexa is a student at Hillel Day School. Her hobbies and interests include swimming, art projects, horseback riding, watersports, volleyball and attending camp. As part of her mitzvah

project, Alexa organized a school wide fundraiser to benefit the victims in Puerto Rico of Hurricane Maria.



Melanie Joelle Hirsch, daughter of Julie and Dr. Ronald Hirsch; grandchild of Margie and Michael Hirsch and Linda and Murray Feldman. Melanie is a student at West Hills Middle School. She is a competitive dancer, enjoys windsurfing and attending Camp Tamakwa. For her mitzvah project, Melanie volunteered at Temple Israel for

both the Purim Carnival and the Labor Day Picnic, donated to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society and helped out at the Gilda's Club 5k walk/run event.

Saturday, December 2 • 11 am Chapel Service



Jenner Hamilton Leib, son of Dori Leib and Larry Leib; grandchild of Kaila and the late Edward Gluck and Bryna and Jeffrey Leib. Jenner attends Warner Middle School. He is passionate about sports, especially hockey, plays baseball, skis and attends Tamarack Camps each summer. Jenner volunteered at Temple Israel making decorations for the

residents of South Oakland Shelter and for the Fall Clean-up program for Holocaust Survivors. In addition, Jenner volunteered for the Miracle League of Michigan baseball program and spent time at Jack Adams Ice Arena in Detroit helping children learn to skate. He also held an equipment drive for the ice arena.

Torah Portion: Vayeishev

Saturday, December 2 • 6 pm Sanctuary Havdalah Service



Alix Samantha Lyons, daughter of Marla Feldman and Scott Lyons; grandchild of Marsha and Marty Feldman, Marlene and Bruce Lyons and Natalie Lyons. Alix is an honor student at Derby Middle School. Her hobbies and interests include basketball, softball, swimming and snow skiing. As part of her mitzvah project, Alix volunteered at the Temple Israel Free Fresh Food Pantry and collected donations for Detroit Dog Rescue. In addition, Alix gave her time to decorate a room for the Suite Dreams Project.



Avery Lauren Lyons, daughter of Marla Feldman and Scott Lyons; grandchild of Marsha and Marty Feldman, Marlene and Bruce Lyons and Natalie Lyons. Avery attends Derby Middle School where she is an honor student. Her hobbies and interests include basketball, softball and snow skiing. For her mitzvah experience, Avery donated her time

decorating a room for the Suite Dreams Project, organized a collection to benefit Detroit Dog Rescue and volunteered at the Temple Israel Free Fresh Food Pantry.

Friday, December 8 • 8 pm Sanctuary Service



Noah Benjamin Yaker, son of Julie and Daniel Yaker; grandchild Nancy and the late Larry Kushkin and Elaine and Barry Yaker. Noah is a student at West Hills Middle School. His hobbies and interests include drums, tennis, basketball, baseball and playing in a rock band. For his mitzvah project, Noah volunteered at the Temple

Israel Labor Day Picnic and took part in Design My Room, a Wish Upon a Teen program for teenagers facing extended hospitalization. In addition, Noah participated in the Turkey Trot and organized a special movie screening of the film Wonder to raise funds to support the Wish Upon a Teen program.

Saturday, December 9 • 11 am Chapel Service



Joshua Mitchell King, son of Gulnara and Marc King; grandchild of Marcia and the late Isadore King. Joshua is a student at Orchard Lake Middle School. His hobbies and interests include baseball, basketball and football. As part of his mitzvah experience, Joshua volunteered with his peers at the Temple Israel Labor Day Picnic,

gave his time interacting with the seniors at Jewish Senior Life's Fleischman Residence and volunteered at Yad Ezra.

Torah Portion: Mikeitz

Saturday, December 16 • 10:30 am Sanctuary Service



Max Aiden Gorman, son of Dana and Michael Gorman; grandchild of Nancy and Stephen Glasser and Carol Gorman. Max is a student at Geisler Middle School. His hobbies and interests include travel hockey, the outdoors, airplanes and playing the drums. For his mitzvah project, Max personalized dog and cat bowls for pet owners and

used the funds raised for donation to Furget Us Not pet rescue where he also volunteered his time to help at adoption events. In addition, Max volunteered with his peers at the Temple Israel Labor Day Picnic.



Jack Andrew Gorman, son of Dana and Michael Gorman; grandchild of Nancy and Stephen Glasser and Carol Gorman. Max is a student at Geisler Middle School. His hobbies and interests include playing travel hockey, reading and video games. Jack made pineapple shaped chocolates, which he sold and donated all money earned

to the Friendship Circle as part of his mitzvah experience.

Additional mitzvah projects include volunteering at the Temple Israel Labor Picnic and at the Miracle League baseball games to help those with disabilities enjoy the game of baseball.

Saturday, December 16 • 11 am Chapel Service



Yael Mizrahi, daughter of Hilah and Eyal Mizrahi; grandchild of Sylvia and Shimon Mizrahi and Lili and the late Igal Steier. Yael is an honor student at Abbott Middle School. She loves to dance, especially ballet. Further interests include art and singing. For her mitzvah project, Yael volunteered monthly at the Temple Israel Free Fresh Food

Pantry, at Temple Israel for the Labor Day Picnic and the housing of the residents of South Oakland Shelter. Inspired by her grandmother who is a cancer survivor, Yael helped organize and run an arts & crafts booth at the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life. Further, she will be donating a portion of her bat mitzvah gifts to the American Cancer Society.

Torah Portion: Vayigash

Saturday, December 16 • 5 pm Chapel Havdalah Service



Max Avery Melamed, son of Marc and Becky Melamed; grandchild of Barbara and Joe Wool, Susie Melamed and the late Rick Melamed. Max is a student at Donna Klein Jewish Academy where he is a member of the National Junior Honor Society. His hobbies include football, basketball, gaming and traveling around the country to visit

different MLB parks. For his mitzvah project, Max wrote a book about having a parent with Multiple Sclerosis. All proceeds from this published work go directly to the National MS Society. In addition, Max helped to cook Rosh Hashanah meals for those affected by Hurricane Irma.

Torah Portion: Mikeitz

Saturday, December 16 • 6 pm Sanctuary Havdalah Service



Shayna Paige Foreman, daughter of Lezlie and Dr. Eric Foreman; grandchild of Marilyn and Paul Meyer and Anita and Arnold Foreman. Shayna attends Orchard Lake Middle School. Her hobbies and interests include competitive dance, cooking and attending Camp Walden. As part of her mitzvah project, Shayna conducted a bottle drive

from which all funds were donated to Hurricane Harvey victims. In addition, Shayna adopted a family for the holidays and collected funds for donation to support breast cancer research.

Torah Portion: Va-eria

Saturday, January 13 • 11 am Chapel Service



Ashley Faith Kronenberg, daughter of Dr. Alaina Kronenberg and Sandy Kronenberg; grandchild of Elisa and Dr. Yale Falick and Nancy and Robert Kronenberg. Ashley is a student at West Hills Middle School. She enjoys gymnastics and attending Camp Tanuga in the summer. For her mitzvah project, Ashley raised funds for the Israeli

Lone Soldier Project, which she personally presented to the organization while she was in Israel. In addition, she volunteered at Camp Hermelin, donated and participated in the JDRF Walk and helped out at Temple Israel for the Labor Day Picnic.

Torah Portion: Bo

Saturday, January 13 • 6 pm Sanctuary Havdalah Service



Ryan Benjamin Sparago, son of Amy and Evan Sparago; grandchild of Sharon and Richard Maddon, Michael and Carol Corman and the late Mildred and Martin Sparago. Ryan attends Hillel Day School. Ryan is a probationary black belt and he is scheduled to test in spring of 2018. Further interests include bike riding, swimming, playing

basketball and drawing. As part of his mitzvah experience, Ryan volunteered at Temple Israel for the Free Fresh Food Pantry and at the Labor Day Picnic. Additionally, he donated tzedakah to the American Red Cross of Texas for Hurricane Harvey victims and assisted his karate instructors in class with younger students.

LIFE CYCLE EVENTS (CONTINUED)

Saturday, January 20 • 10:30 am Sanctuary Service



Jonah Riley Weinbaum, son of Karen and Brandon Weinbaum; grandchild of Esther and Neal Zalenko and Sheila Weinbaum and James Prenzlauer. Jonah is an honor student at Norup International School. His hobbies and interests include piano, cello, soccer, skiing, running and trampoline. For his mitzvah project, Jonah worked with his peers at the Temple Israel Labor Day Picnic, donated tzedakah to a local animal shelter and volunteered with PeerCorp Detroit where he participated in painting and gardening projects. Jonah also took part in Jewish Family Services Fall Fix Up and Chanukah Helpers programs.

Torah Portion: B'shalach

Saturday, January 27 • 10:30 am Sanctuary Service



Zachary Michael Beneson, son of Karen and Steve Beneson; grandchild of Phillip and the late Elaine Beneson, Ann Berry and Sharon and Carl Berry. Zachary attends Clifford Smart Middle School. His hobbies and interests include hockey, tennis and baseball. For his mitzvah project, Zachary raised funds from a garage sale to donate to the American Cancer Society. In addition, he gave his time at Temple Israel to help with the Labor Day Picnic and the housing of residents of South Oakland Shelter.



Andrew Donald Carlock, son of Tracey and Jason Carlock; grandchild of Brenda and the late Charles Fantich, Myra and the late Morry Gabel and Rita and the late John Zumbrunnen. Andrew is a student at Clifford Smart Middle School. His hobbies and interests include football, listening to music and the outdoors. For his mitzvah experience, Andrew volunteered at Temple Israel where he assisted the residents of South Oakland Shelter and helped his peers at the Labor Day Picnic. Andrew also volunteered with seniors at an adult foster care home in our community.

Saturday, January 20 • 11 am Chapel Service



Benjamin Samuel Imerman, son of Lisa and Jay Imerman; grandchild of Sal and the late Judee Herman and Michael and the late Connie Sanford. Benjamin is homeschooled and enjoys baseball, video games, reading, reptiles and cooking. As part of his mitzvah project, Benjamin volunteered at Temple Israel for the Free Fresh Food Pantry and the Labor Day Picnic. In addition, Benjamin created a Little Free Library for the Salvation Army in Pontiac and donated tzedakah to RememberUs.org.

TEMPLE FAMILY

Weddings

Amanda Lauren Charlip, daughter of Naomi Hechtman and David Charlip, to Justin Andrew Polk, son of Jodie & Jim Polk.

Erin Renee Frankfort, daughter of Judith Frisk-Frankfort & Alan Frankfort, to John Battista Maiuri, son of Celia & Luigi Maiuri.

Lauren Faye Rosen, daughter of Robin & Michael Rosen, to Todd Alan Gore Jr., son of Linda Jones & Todd Gore.

Births and Blessings

Emma Dylan Cantor & Riley Paige Cantor, daughters of Stacey & Richard Cantor, grandchildren of Gail & Howard Victor and Lisa & Jonathan Landsman.

Annie Eliza Singer, daughter of Anna & Eric Singer, grandchild of Linda Singer and Pam & Steve Sooy.

In Memoriam

Jack Adelman; Husband of Rhoda Adelman z"l; Father of Dr. Bruce (Susan) Adelman, Glenn Adelman and Dr. Brian (Ashley) Adelman; Grandfather of Aaron (Fiancée Jenny Berlin) Adelman, Emily Adelman, Madeline Adelman, Jonah Adelman, Isabella Adelman, Joey Adelman, Aria Oleshansky and Evann Oleshansky; Brother-in-law of Louise Gabe.

Hyman "Hy" Blinder; Husband of Marilyn Blinder; Father of Mark (Laurie) Blinder and Andrew (Jan Weaver) Blinder; Grandfather of Rebecca (Erik) Mets, Benjamin Blinder, Kristen Seikaly and Michael Seikaly and Michelle Master; Great-grandfather of Theodora Sage Mets; Brother of Phillip (Marjorie) Blinder and Rachel (Mandel) Schane.

Karen Block; Mother of Jeffrey Block, Gail (Gary) Chynoweth and Neil (Stacey) Block; Grandmother of Haley, Hallel, Noam and Emunah Block, Joshua, Sarah, Rebecca and Rachel Chynoweth, Abby Block and Noah Block; Sister of Yale (Anna) Levin; Sister-in-law of Paul Kales.

Lois A. Budman; Wife of Martin J. Budman z'l; Mother of Elizabeth (Paul) McKenney and Mary Lou (Robert) Labe; Grandmother of Rabbi Mordechai (Tova) McKenney, Sarah (Jonathan) Benator, Bridget Labe, Katherine Labe; Great-grandmother of Hillel McKenney, Rachel Leah McKenney, Zachary Benator and Joshua Benator; Sister of Morton (Corrine Lemberg) Collins; Aunt of Margo Collins, Andrew Collins, Daniel (Veronica) Collins.

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Gary LaBret; Husband of Aileen LaBret; Father of Richard (Susan) LaBret, Bethany (Damion) Armentrout, Jason LaBret (Katy Chapman) and Bethany (Damion) Armentrout; Aileen's children Andrea (Dan) Houdek and Michelle (Wade) Miley; Grandfather of Lacey (Grant) Lyons, Dakota LaBret, Payton Brown, Zachary Houdek, Joshua Houdek, Chance Miley, Drew Miley and Jacob Miley; Uncle of Thomas (Carla) LaBret.

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Provides madrachim support for children with special needs.

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In Memory Of:

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To provide assistance to single moms in crisis who are Temple Israel members.

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Plants spring flowers annually on the grounds of Temple Israel.

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Supports the programs of Temple Israel's Caring Community.

In Honor Of:

80th Birthday of Doris August – Sheila Stone

Mazel Tov to Laurie & Mark Blinder on your new home – Marjorie & Phillip Blinder

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Provides a "First Shabbat" dinner to families of newborn or adopted children and college packages.

In Memory Of:

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Assists in the support of concerts and lectures at Temple Israel.

In Honor Of:

50th Birthday of Rabbi Josh Bennett – Gooel-Kash Families

Mazel Tov to Dr. Ron & Laura Miller on the Bat Mitzvah of your granddaughter

Maya – Elaine & Shelly Greenberg

In Memory Of:

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Provides annual support for the Hodari Family Children's Library and Media Center.

In Honor Of:

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Mazel Tov to Jo Rosen on the birth of your granddaughter Noa – Gayle & Gary Samuels

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In Memory Of:

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Provides scholarships for Temple Israel Maccabi participants.

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Supports the Temple Israel's Religious School and Nursery School scholarships and programs.

In Memory Of:

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Provides food for the needy.

In Memory Of:

Marty Handelsman; Sol Hoberman – Roslind Hayes

Mark Klinger – Laura & Ron Miller

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Provides long term funding for Temple Israel.

In Honor Of:

Bat Mitzvah of Jaiden Bluth; Birth of Lucy Schonberg – Mara & Andrew Moss

In Memory Of:

Beverly Laker – Mara & Andrew Moss

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