I was brought up in a home that was Jewish beyond question, but not religious in any sense of the word. My family's observance of Shabbat and holidays was limited to festive meals at my grandparents' house and sporadically lighting Shabbat candles. I do remember my parents lighting a yartzeit candle when their respective parents passed away, but beyond that we were a fairly secular family. I did enjoy religious school at our local temple and continued through Confirmation, where I had the opportunity to sing my first solo from the pulpit. To this day, my parents marvel at the fact that I choose the Cantorate as a career and the synagogue as my home away from home, where music and prayer are the building blocks of my life's work.

Being your cantor affords me the opportunity to travel to Israel bi-annually with members of our Temple family. As many times as I've been, I still eagerly anticipate revisiting the sites and seeing Israel for the first time through the eyes of our congregants. The one site that is on the top of every traveler's list is always the Western Wall—in Hebrew, the Kotel.

While I am aware that the Kotel is for many visitors and residents the most spiritual connection to our faith and a site that brings great meaning and importance, it has never been that for me. Don't get me wrong—I love being there on the plaza, to see the Wall and to breathe in the deep significance it has for the men and women praying there. I love to watch the different sects of Orthodoxy pass by as I try to imagine what life must be like for ones so devoted to ritual practice. But for me, it has never been a place where I feel comfortable in prayer. I have always felt like "the Other" on the occasions that I've made my way up to the small women's section and tried to fit in among those so completely absorbed by their prayers...all the while hearing the refrain of The Wall is not for me, does not belong to me, and does not serve me, playing in my head without pause.

Then, on January 31 the Israeli government approved the creation of an enhanced egalitarian prayer space at the Kotel, which will be for the first time under the supervision of non-Orthodox authority. This groundbreaking development is due to the tireless and courageous efforts of Anat Hoffman, chairperson of Women of the Wall and the head of the Israel Religious Action Center (IRAC), Natan Sharansky, head of the Jewish Agency, and other key leaders in the Reform and Conservative branches of Judaism. After decades of abuse and arrests, the Women of the Wall have prevailed and have achieved the right for all Jews to take their place at the table and pray in an authentic and meaningful way in our beloved homeland of Israel. Anat states, “We will be able to stand as part of living history, read the Torah, and pray in the spirit of pluralism and equality the we believe is critical to a vibrant Judaism”.

It will be my joy to travel back to Israel with many of you in the summer of 2017 and to personally reap the rewards of the seeds that were painstakingly cultivated by Anat Hoffman and the Women of the Wall. May this first step be the beginning of an Israel where we not only enter as tourists, but as proud Reform Jews free to pray as we want and where we want - at the holiest site of all, the Western Wall.

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**B’nei Mitzvah**

- **March 12**
  - Ella Rose Rosenblatt
    - Daughter of Christy & Paul Rosenblatt

- **March 12**
  - Avery R. Dascher
    - Daughter of Julie & Rick Dascher

- **March 19**
  - Barbara Elyse Sloan
    - Daughter of Vicky & Jeff Sloan

- **March 19**
  - Eli A. Rosenberg
    - Son of Erica Brownfield & Marc Rosenberg

**Mazal Tov!**

- Nancy Nolan for being honored as a pioneer in the arts for her work as chair of the Rialto Theatre’s Advisory Board
- Harris and Lauren Abrams on the birth of their son, to grandparents, Pam and Barry Abrams, and to great-grandparents, Shirley and Harold Gussack.
- Jennifer and David Tetrick, Jr. on the birth of their son, Eli Graham Tetrick and to big sister, Reese
- Jan & Dennis Rice on the birth of their granddaughter, Noa Barr
- Emily and Michael Hertz on the birth of their daughter, Eloise James and to grandparents, Doug & Lila Hertz.
- Marc and Samantha Schoenbaum on the birth of their son, Nate I. and to big brothers, Max and Ryan
- Hailey Danyle Garber and Benjamin Isaac Lebedin on their wedding
- Larry Pike, past president of The Temple, was elected Chairman of the Board of the Society for Classical Reform Judaism and is joined by his son, Doug Pike, who was elected Vice President of the Society.

**May Their Memory Be For a Blessing**

Our heartfelt sympathy to the families of:
- Don Lloyd (father of Pam Glustrom)
- Pamela De Petrillo (mother of Robin Fink)
- Bernice Winarsky (mother of Mark Winarsky)
- Barbara Schwartz (sister of Sherrie Eisman)
- Rabbi Eugene Borowitz
- Linda Ross (niece of Esther Rawn)
- Bettie Spector (mother of Faye Maloney)

**Our Newest Members**

- Katy Cochran & Matt Gross
- Doreen Lee & Eric Kushins
- Nancy & John Reilly—Julia (8) & Aidan (4) Reilly
- Carrie & Patrick Reyes—Asher Reyes (2)
- Patty & Drew Shenkman
- Amy & Harrison Tabb—Theodore & Elliot Tabb (1)
- Elizabeth Webster—Chloe Webster-Wilkins (24)

**SHABBAT GUEST SPEAKERS:**

**Friday, March 11 with Rabbi Esteban Gottfried**

Co-Founder and Director of Beit Tefilah Yisrael in Tel Aviv, Rabbi Gottfried is joining us in Atlanta during his sabbatical. As part of that sabatical he will be a Hanasi Israeli Fellow at The Temple. We are proud to welcome him into our Temple community during his stay.

**Friday, March 18 with Rev. Gerald Durley**

Pastor Emeritus of the historic Providence Missionary Baptist Church, he is a legendary leader of civil and human rights causes, and in recent years he has become intensely active as an environmental warrior.
Torah & Haftarah

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Thanks to you, this Endowment Campaign will help establish financial stability for future generations. Creating a strong endowment is the most important thing we can be doing for the future of our beloved Temple.

– Rabbi Peter S. Berg

For more information on the endowment campaign, please visit the-temple.org/dream or contact Mark Jacobson, Executive Director at 404-873-1731.
Learn @ The Temple

Sheer Kef: Purim Spiel for the Whole Family
Performances on March 20 • 10:00 & 10:45 AM in the Chapel
Come hear the Purim story as you never heard it before…from the Inside Out!

5th & 6th Grade Trip
- Celebrate Shabbat together
- Spend the night at URJ Camp Coleman
- 5th Grade: Team building games and ropes course, free time with friends, and more
- 6th Grade: Mitzvah Project and off-camp fun
To RSVP or for questions: Contact Elizabeth Foster (efoster@the-temple.org) or Kara Hoffman (khoffman@the-temple.org).

Lunch & Learn
March 17 and 24 • 12:00 PM
Join Rabbi Spinrad to discuss the Jews of India at each of these sessions.

WELC Updates
BACKYARD BBQ BASH
Saturday, March 12 • 7:00 PM
Join us for our annual BBQ Bash with all of your WELC friends and family. What better way to ring in spring?!

DADS & DONUTS
Pictured below: Our WELC parents had a great time visiting their preschoolers and got a little messy in the process!

THE BREMAN RELIGIOUS SCHOOL & YOUTH CALENDAR

MARCH 2016

6
Religious School | 9:30am
Sheer Kef Rehearsal | 12:15pm
Religious School Committee Meeting | 12:15pm

7-9
No Midweek Hebrew

13
Religious School | 9:30am
Exodus Walk (1-5 grade) | 9:30am
Sheer Kef Rehearsal | 12:15pm

20
Religious School | 9:30am
Sheer Kef Performances | 10:00am & 10:45am

WEINBERG EARLY LEARNING CENTER

2016-17 OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday, March 30 • 10:00 AM
Join us for an Open House to learn about our exceptional early childhood programs for children through 5 years of age. We offer both half-day and full-day program options.

Kindly RSVP to the WELC office at 404-872-8668 or contact us at welc@the-temple.org.

The Priority Application Periods for the 2016-17 school year are:
- December 14, 2015 – January 15, 2016 for Returning WELC Students
- January 25 – February 19, 2016 for Temple Members (child’s parent or guardian is a Temple Member)
- February 22-26, 2016 for Additional Priority Applicants*
- February 29, 2016 the Open Enrollment Period begins

* Additional Priority Applicants include: Associate Members of The Temple; Families who are part of The Temple’s Provisional Membership Initiative; Siblings of returning WELC students who are not Temple Members; Siblings of previous WELC students who are not Temple Members; and Grandchildren of Temple Members.
It is time to register for our 2016 Camp Minimac summer program. We are excited to offer one-week sessions this summer and beginning with a mini-session! By offering individual week sessions, our hope is that Camp Minimac will coordinate well with your summer schedule. We’d love nothing more than for your child to be with us for the entire fun-filled summer as we enjoy learning about many fun places All Around Atlanta.

All Around Atlanta, this summer’s theme, lets us pick a new amazing Atlanta place to virtually visit or have visit us each week! We will enhance our knowledge about this wonderful place or things from here through activities including special in-house field trips, art, music, drama, cooking, and more!

| Session 1: June 1-3  
| Session 2: June 6-10  
| Session 3: June 13-17  
| Session 4: June 20-24  
| Session 5: June 27-July 1  
| Session 6: July 5-8  
| Session 7: July 11-15  
| Session 8: July 18-22  
| Session 9: July 25-29  
| Session 10: August 1-5 |

Where in Atlanta do you think we will go? Be on the lookout for our destination announcements soon! Children who enroll in the Half Day Program may utilize the Boker Tov Club (starting at 8:30AM); children ages 2-5 may attend More Mac (until 3:00PM); and toddlers may stay in the More MINI-Mac program (until 1:30PM). Our Extended Day Program continues through Camp Minimac so that children may attend from 7:30AM-6:00PM. You may enroll in different programs each week to meet your scheduling needs.

As we have done for the past several years, Camp Minimac will accept recent preschool graduates. Instead of having one more transition before Kindergarten, the children can enjoy the summer with us before heading off to a new school in the fall.

If you register before April 15th for 8 weeks, you get 2 weeks FREE! That means your child will attend all 10 weeks for the price of 8. Additionally, we waive the Camp Minimac Registration fee if you apply by April 15th (it’s our way of giving you a break in preparation for tax day).
Young Professionals Programs

GATHER AT THE WELL TWICE IN MARCH

Friday, March 4 • Special AJMF service Friday, March 25 • 8:00 PM
First Fridays is now The Well, a more evocative and accurate name for our Young Professionals monthly, late Shabbat service. In the Jewish tradition, the well is a nexus for community, for physical, spiritual, and emotional nourishment, and for sacred encounters with the divine. The Well is an evening of soulful spirituality, fun socializing, and services that feel inclusive for people of all levels of familiarity and comfort with Judaism. For the first time ever, we are delighted to bring you The Well twice in March, partnering on March 25 with the Atlanta Jewish Music Festival for a special service. To RSVP, email our Engagement Associate Summer Jacobs at sjacobs@the-temple.org and for questions for more information email Rabbi Spinrad at dspinrad@the-temple.org.

STORYWELL: PERMANENCE

Thursday, March 10 • 6:30–9:00 PM
The Speakeasy in Bone Lick BBQ: 327 Edgewood Avenue SE
Come participate in StoryWell, our new, recurring storytelling program featuring members of our community sharing personal, honest, stories worth telling around a single, loosely unified theme. We invite both those who would like to tell their story, as well as those who would like to listen as part of an audience and share in an evening of authenticity. We will be hosting our first event at the Edge-wood Speakeasy with a story theme of “Permanence.” The cost for the evening is $10.00 with food provided.

Temple Book Club

Tuesday, March 8 • 7:30 PM
We will be reading Like Dreamers: The Story of the Israeli Paratroopers Who Reunited Jerusalem and Divided a Nation by Yossi Klein Halevi and led by Rabbi Steven Rau.

In Like Dreamers, the author (National Jewish Book Award winner amongst others) interweaves the stories of a group of 1967 paratroopers who reunited Jerusalem, tracing the history of Israel and the divergent ideologies shaping it from the Six-Day war to the present.

Library News

March is the time to say goodbye to the cold winds of winter and welcome the warmth of spring. Purim brings laughter and joy. With that in mind, remember that your Library/Media Center has many books that celebrate Jewish humor. Here’s a sample:

- Enjoy, Enjoy by Harry Golden (808.7 GOL)
- Some of My Best Jokes Are Jewish by Gerry Blumenfeld (808.7BLU)
- America on Six Rubles A Day by Yakov Smirnoff (808.7 SM)
- You Don’t Have to Be in Who’s Who to Know What’s What by Sam Levenson (808.7 LEV)
- Jewish Wit by Theodor Reik (808.7 REI)

Also check out our Anthology section (808) for short stories about our Jewish experience in the world.

Daytime Discussion Group

Thursday, March 17 • 10:30 AM (before Lunch & Learn)
Does Judaism focus too much on victimhood? “The Victimhood Olympics,” (http://www.momentmag.com/opinion-the-victimhood-olympics/) a short article in the January/February Moment Magazine answers yes. Check out the article and come discuss it in the Library/Media Center.

LGBTQ Event—Purim Off Ponce

Saturday, March 5 • 8:00 PM
SOJOURN invites you to “Go Wild” at its annual fundraiser, Purim off Ponce on March 5! Now in its tenth year, Purim off Ponce is one of Atlanta’s greatest costume parties, complete with great drinks, dancing, and of course, drag queens! All proceeds from Purim off Ponce support the important LGBTQ inclusion and suicide prevention work of SOJOURN. Details: 8:00 PM – 12:00 AM at Le Fais do-do in West Midtown. 21+. Tickets/More Info: sojourngsd.org/purim

2016 Hunger Walk

Sunday, March 13 • 12:00 PM • Turner Field
Step up this spring and make a difference for families, children, and seniors struggling with hunger in our community. Enjoy live music, Atlanta’s best food trucks, children’s play zone and more! Register to walk with The Temple at www.the-temple.org/hungerwalk.

Be a Blessing

Sunday, March 27 • 1:00 PM
Feed the Hungry Warehouse—2160 Hills Ave, Suite F
The Temple has a rich history of leading the way in social action and social justice. Be a part of that legacy and get to know other members of The Temple community as we participate in the important mitzvah of packing Blessing Boxes. Appropriate for people of all ages, we will assemble packages of non-perishable food for women who are at-risk for trafficking. Hunger is one of the main causes of this terrible plight; this is an event that the whole family can feel good about doing together. Please RSVP to Joya Schmidt at jschmidt@the-temple.org or 404-873-1731.

Zaban Couples Center

March is Lunch Month at the ZCC
When the Zaban Couples Center opened its doors, it was a 100% volunteer based organization. Throughout the years, many at the Temple have cooked dinners, spent the night, provided clothing and provided financial contributions for the center. The mission has evolved and now includes providing the health and wellness services as well as life skills education that homeless couples often need to move from homelessness to independent living.

Last year, the Center introduced a formal bagged lunch program with the target of providing at least two bagged lunches a week during the residential season. Let’s make March “Lunch Month” at the Zaban Couples Center and aim to provide lunch for residents five days a week for the entire month. To do that, we need to call on you to volunteer. It’s a fun family project, a great community service event for scouting troops, schools, sports teams, etc. and an easy mitzvah project for those looking to fulfill their 13 by 13 mitzvah commitments. And, it really makes a difference in the lives of our residents - many of whom would not have a lunch to eat otherwise.

To volunteer to provide 40 bagged lunches (one day’s worth,) please contact Sara Franco at rfrancobikes@aol.com.
An evening not to be missed!

Come join the studio audience to see your Temple Clergy & Staff tell the story of Purim with a television twist—rated for Adults Only.

SATURDAY, MARCH 19
Happy Hour at The Temple • 6:00-7:00 PM
No cost, but please RSVP to Laurie Simon at lsimon@the-temple.org

Julu Purim Spiel • 7:00 PM
(adults only)

SUNDAY, MARCH 20
Sheer Kef Purim Spiel: Inside Out • 10:00 & 10:45 AM
Purim Carnival opens for tots • 11:30 AM
Purim Carnival is open to all • 12:00 PM

Find more information online at www.the-temple.org/purim.
A note from the Engagement Team—Name Tags: They are More Than Just Stickers
The membership committee wants to let you know that, whether it’s you have been here 1 month or 100 years, it is incumbent upon us all to wear name tags at Temple events. It is a great way to get to know new people (they’ll be with ones with the stickers that say, “I’m new here”). It is a wonderful way to learn the name of that person you’ve seen a thousand times such that it is way too late to ask again. And it says to our community, “We care about who you are, starting with your name.” Our Friday night hosts will be standing next to the name tag table—please say hello, put on a name tag, and do the mitzvah of hachnasat orchim, welcoming the guest.

A Day for Dementia Caregivers
Sunday, March 6 • 9:00 AM–3:00 PM
You’ve seen the movies and read the books—families everywhere are dealing with Alzheimer’s and other types of memory loss. Spouses, parents, and other relatives are getting diagnosed. If this is happening to someone close to you, we’re here to help. The Temple, in partnership with Sixty Plus Services from Piedmont Hospital, will offer resources to guide you in making important decisions concerning your loved one. Join Rabbi David Spinrad and Moira Keller, LCSW, with Sixty Plus Services, for this comprehensive workshop where you will learn about dementia, the community resources that you’ll need, and how to take care of yourself.

Cost: $25 includes continental breakfast, lunch and educational materials. RSVP to Joya Schmidt at jschmidt@the-temple.org by April 5, 2016.

Support The Temple When You Shop at Kroger
Enroll your Kroger Plus card in the Kroger Community Rewards Program. Enrollment is easy and does not impact your savings. Visit www.kroger.com to sign in to your account and enroll using your NPO number: 75313.

You must go through the online enrollment process. Have your Kroger Plus card handy. Once you have created an account, scroll down to the bottom of the page to the Community Rewards section. Put your information in and the search for the NPO number. The name you will see will be listed as “The Temple: THE HEBREW BENEVOLENT CONGREGATION”.

Every time you shop for groceries and swipe your card, The Temple automatically starts earning a rebate. You must swipe your registered Kroger Plus card or use the phone number that is related to the registered Kroger Plus card when shopping for each purchase to count.

To verify you are enrolled correctly, you will see The Temple’s name on the right side of your information page when applying the NPO number. Enrollment takes up to 7 days to start earning money towards The Temple community rewards.

Kulanu Programming
Join us for Kulanu’s 4th Event!
Atlanta Olive Oil Company—An Intimate Tasting Room Experience
Thursday, March 17 • 7:00 PM • 1133 Huff Road NW, Atlanta, GA 30318
Cost: $20 per person
The Month of March embodies a kind of reigniting of the hearts and consciousness of humankind. Come dazzle your taste buds at Atlanta’s Premiere Olive Oil and Balsamic Vinegar boutique and tasting room. It is a European custom to taste olive oils and balsamic vinegars as done with fine wines, and we will take our senses on a world tour allowing us to pair products with delicious foods and cocktails to bring out the best flavors. Once you taste authentic extra virgin olive oils and balsamic vinegars, you’ll see what you’ve been missing! The Persian Lime Olive Oil and Fresh Pear Balsamic Vinegar are musts to try.

Don’t miss out on this fun filled evening of healthy food and drink paired with gourmet kosher olive oils and vinegars! Space is limited. Please RSVP to schmooze with new and old friends by March 10th to Barbara LeNoble at lenoblebarbara@gmail.com.

Kulanu is a Temple Age and Stage Group for Empty Nesters. If you haven’t been to one of our fabulous events yet, we’d love to meet you!

Upcoming Events for Interfaith Couples and Families:

**HOW-TO “POUR-IM”**: A PRE-PARTY FOR A FUN HOLIDAY
Tuesday, March 1 • 7:00 PM
After learning the basics of this fun holiday, we’ll have a mixology lesson (cocktails and mocktails) with a mixologist from The General Muir. There is no cost, but RSVPs are required. To RSVP, please email Cherie Winsett (cwinsett@the-temple.org)

**BEINEINU: THE TWO OF US**
A Retreat for Young Married Couples
Friday, April 15-Saturday, April 16 • Lanier Islands Resort
This retreat will offer two tracks for our “young married” members: one is for couples who have been married within the last three years and do not have children, and one is for couples married in the last five to six years (attending without children). Subsidies are available for interfaith couples. For more information about the program and registration, please contact Rabbi Loren Filson Lapidus (llapidus@the-temple.org) or Rabbi Lydia Medwin (lmedwin@the-temple.org).
Infant-Toddler Programs at The Temple

MINI SHABBAT MORNING—COME AS A KING, QUEEN, OR HERO!
Saturday, March 12 • 9:30 AM
This month, Mini Shabbat Morning will take us to Queen Esther’s palace, so some dressed as a hero or royalty! Infants through preschoolers and their families are invited to join us on the second Saturday of every month at 9:30 AM in the Covenant Chapel for music and a story with our puppets. We’ll then have a bagel snack and time on the WELC’s two indoor playgrounds. Please come dressed casually. There is no fee or RSVP required. Questions? Please contact either Rabbi Loren Filson Lapidus at llapidus@the-temple.org or Rabbi Lydia Medwin at lmedwin@the-temple.org.

PARENTING WITH LOVE AND LOGIC
Friday, March 25 • 11:30 AM
Cathy Zedd, LCSW (WELC mom and family therapist with her own practice in Decatur, GA) brings us awareness and understanding of the complicated arena of parenting, using love and logic to explore: boundaries and discipline, tantrums and arguments, bedtime and eating time, and much more. Her areas of specialty focus on individual, couples and families experiencing challenges with parenting—you will not want to miss this conversation.

RSVP to Joya Schmidt (jschmidt@the-temple.org) so we can provide some light refreshments. All parents of preschool age children are welcome to this event. If your child is enrolled at WELC, head straight into Kabbalat Shabbat after the session!

Social Action Tikkun Olam Opportunities

FURNITURE DONATION:
Local Wellspring Treasures boutiques are foundational pieces of anti-domestic minor sex trafficking partner Wellspring Living’s approach. These upscale, resale retail stores support the Wellspring mission through community awareness, and all of their profits go directly back to their girls’ and women’s programs. They survive solely on donations of furniture, home decor and clothing.

Here is where The Temple can help: The Toco Hills store desperately needs furniture and home décor and are able to pick up your donations. Their location and phone number:

BABY CARRIER DONATION:
HELP SYRIAN REFUGEES
Help Syrian refugees in a concrete and simple way: Donate the baby carrier that your child has outgrown. Help The Temple collect 100 carriers by April 1st!

The Temple is collecting used and new soft baby carriers to donate to Carry the Future (www.carrythefuture.org), a nonprofit organization that distributes carriers to Syrian refugees arriving in Europe. Refugees walk hundreds of miles to their asylum destinations, and they desperately need a safer, more comfortable way to carry their babies and toddlers. Only soft carriers are needed—such as Ergo, Bjorn and other similar carriers—as well as inserts and cold weather covers. Please no hard frame carriers or Moby wraps. Our goal is to collect 100 carriers by April 1st.

Carry the Future also delivers relief packs that include other items needed by families, such as diapers, baby food, blankets and flashlights. If you would like to make a financial donation to support this work, please visit their fundraising page: www.indiegogo.com/projects/operation-refugee-child-carry-the-future-mission

Please leave your carrier donations with Rabbi David Spinrad by April 1, 2016. If you have questions, please contact Rabbi Spinrad’s wife, Gal Adam Spinrad at 415-686-2925 or gal.a.spinrad@gmail.com.

FRED A. TOOMER ELEMENTARY (FATE) VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT:
DAVID KAYE

This month we spotlight Temple member and FATE volunteer David Kaye. David is the father of Alex and Adam and can often be found volunteering on Sunday mornings at our Temple Breman Religious School. When he’s not volunteering at TBRS, David is also a regular tutor and mentor at our partner school, Fred A. Toomer Elementary.

David volunteers at FATE as a way of paying forward the good fortune he enjoys, weekly reading, eating lunch, and throwing the football with one to two boys who do not have consistent male figures in their lives. “I love all of it,” David says. “The feeling when I’m there is great and the biggest surprise is the warmth of the students and staff.”

In commenting on volunteer impact, Tishy Vincent, Site Coordinator for Communities in Schools of Atlanta, said, “The students truly adore them and the teachers enjoy their presence in the classroom. Their dedication and mentorship means a great deal.”

Said David, “I would absolutely recommend volunteering at FATE. I believe there is a true larger need there.” Thank you, David!

Are you interested in making a positive difference in the life and education of a child? If you would like to become a volunteer at Fred A. Toomer Elementary, call The Temple or email Rabbi David Spinrad: dspinrad@the-temple.org.

Caring at The Temple

Our Caring at The Temple program reaches out to fellow congregants during times of hardship or pastoral need, providing homemade chicken soup and challah to members who are bereaved, ill, recently discharged from the hospital, or are celebrating the arrival of a new child. We have delivered more than 500 soups, and nearly every step of the program—from soup preparation, to delivery (within your zip code), to letting us know about fellow congregants in need—is led by members of our congregation.

Thank you to our Caring at The Temple volunteers who delivered soup this month: Sue Cohen, Sandy Cox, Duane Cox, Lara Geller, Billie Guthman, Robbie Levin, Valerie Needle, Debbie Shelton, Jill Spasser, Shayna Steinfeld, and Leslie Stone.

To be a part of this program and to fulfill the mitzvah of bikkur cholim (visiting the sick) or to let us know who needs soup, please contact Rabbi David Spinrad at dspinrad@the-temple.org or 404-873-1731.
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