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Bulletin

HONORING THE TEMPLE'S **BELLOVED Dianne Ratowsky** RETIRING AFTER 40+ YEARS

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Horizons Atlanta
at The Temple
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... and more!



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SCHEDULE: JUNE & JULY 2023

In-person Virtual Multi-access (virtual & in-person)

FRIDAY, JUNE 2

6:00 PM Shabbat Worship Service
Honoring Dianne
Ratowsky's Retirement

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

9:00 AM Torah Study with
Rabbi Bill Rothschild
 10:30 AM Bat Mitzvah of
Elisa Lopez

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

6:00 PM Shabbat Worship Service

SATURDAY, JUNE 10

9:00 AM Torah Study & Kaddish
 9:30 AM Mini Shabbat Morning

FRIDAY, JUNE 16

6:00 PM Shabbat on the Lawn

SATURDAY, JUNE 17

9:00 AM Torah Study
 10:30 AM Shabbat Worship Service

FRIDAY, JUNE 23

6:00 PM Shabbat Worship Service

SATURDAY, JUNE 24

9:00 AM Torah Study & Kaddish

FRIDAY, JUNE 30

6:00 PM Shabbat Worship Service

SATURDAY, JULY 1

9:00 AM Torah Study
& Kaddish

FRIDAY, JULY 7

6:00 PM Shabbat on the Lawn

SATURDAY, JULY 8

9:00 AM Torah Study
& Kaddish
 9:30 AM Mini Shabbat Morning

FRIDAY, JULY 14

6:00 PM Shabbat
Worship Service

SATURDAY, JULY 15

9:00 AM Torah Study
& Kaddish

FRIDAY, JULY 21

6:00 PM Shabbat
Worship Service

SATURDAY, JULY 22

9:00 AM Torah Study
& Kaddish

FRIDAY, JULY 28

6:00 PM Shabbat
Worship Service

SATURDAY, JULY 29

9:00 AM Torah Study
& Kaddish

TORAH & HAFTARAH:

JUNE 3: Naso II

Numbers 6:1-7:89;
Judges 13:13-25

JUNE 10: B'haalot'cha

Numbers 8:1-12:16;
Zechariah 2:14-4:7

JUNE 17: Sh'lach L'cha

Numbers 13:1-15:41;
Joshua 2:1-24

JUNE 24: Korach

Numbers 16:1-18:32;
I Samuel 11:14-12:22

JULY 1: Chukat - Balak

Numbers 19:1-22:1, 22:2-25:9;
Micah 5:6-6:8

JULY 8: Pinchas

Numbers 25:10-30:1; Jeremiah 1:1-2:3

JULY 15: Matot - Mas'ei

Numbers 30:2-36:13;
Jeremiah 2:4-28, 3:4

JULY 22: D'varim

Deuteronomy 1:1-3:22; Isaiah 1:1-27

JULY 29: Va-et'chanan

Deuteronomy 3:23-7:11;
Isaiah 40:1-26



A Letter to Dianne Ratowsky on the Occasion of Her 41 Years of Service to Temple and Retirement

Dear Dianne,

We often hear it said about Jewish honorees that he or she is so righteous that we refer to him or her as a *tzadik*. Elie Wiesel famously said: “The *tzadik* is no angel. The *tzadik* is simply more human than his or her followers.” You, our friend Dianne, are one of the great *tsaddikim* of this generation. God, after all, has plenty of angels. What God needs is more holy human beings. More people who exemplify kindness, strength, and love like Dianne Ratowsky.

Over these past forty plus years, you have been at the center of everything at Temple. You have helped every bride to get ready, given each *b’nei mitzvah* student confidence, and been the first to console members in times of bereavement. Your depth of caring and concern for every person who calls The Temple home is unparalleled. A reporter once asked us both (over a decade ago)—why we each thought The Temple was selected as one of the fifty most vibrant congregations in the country. We both answered without hesitation: Dianne Ratowsky!

Psychologists have long divided people into two categories. The categories are not good and bad, for no one is entirely either one of these. The two kinds of people in the world are people *who lift up* and people *who lean on*. Dianne, you are a person who lifts us all up. You model for our entire staff what it means to be kind, to go the extra mile, to encourage others, and to bring dignity to those in need. You are an eternal optimist who believes that there is always another angle—always a possibility for a better outcome.

You know each soul at Temple, our current situation, our past history and our future hopes and dreams. You encourage us in happy times and support us through difficult ones. You keep us grounded in The Temple, our congregation, and our community.

For both of us, you were the first face we saw at Temple every morning and the last to say goodnight before heading home. You have become part of our own families and are adored by Barbara, Karen and all our children.

Dianne, you have paved the way for future generations. Your imprint is indelible—and many generations into the future will be shaped by you. As we celebrate your more than forty years of service to The Temple, we say *chazak, chazak, v’nitchazek*—

- *CHAZAK*—thank you for transforming learning into deeds.
- *CHAZAK*—thank you for teaching us that service to others is as endless as time itself.
- *V’NITCHAZAK*—and thank you for making our Temple and the lives of all who call it home a reservoir of strength, of courage, and of faith.

We are grateful that you will still be an essential part of our community, even in retirement. Go with our blessings of peace. We could not possibly love you more!

Rabbi Peter S. Berg

Rabbi Alvin M. Sugarman

About Rabbi Berg:

Peter Berg became the fifth senior rabbi of The Temple in July 2008. He is thrilled to serve this diverse and multi-generational congregation as a spiritual leader. Rabbi Berg is passionate about Jewish learning and meaningful worship, and he is an advocate for social change.

A native of Ocean Township, New Jersey, Berg holds a degree in Education and Human Development, with a focus in human services, counseling and Judaic Studies, from George Washington University in Washington, D.C. He earned his M.A. in Hebrew Literature and his rabbinic ordination from Hebrew Union College—Jewish Institute of Religion in New York and Jerusalem.

About Rabbi Sugarman:

A native of Atlanta, Rabbi Sugarman received his BA from Emory University and was ordained by Hebrew Union College. In 1974 he was named senior rabbi at The Temple. In 1988 he received his Ph.D. in Theological Studies from Emory University.

Sugarman has served on a wide range of boards, including the Atlanta Rabbinical Association, the Southeast Association of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, the Central Conference of American Rabbis, The Atlanta Jewish Federation and Emory University. He’s also a consultant to the Marcus Foundation and an adjunct professor at Mercer University.





B'NEI MITZVAH



JUNE 3, 2023

Elisa Lopez

Parents: Zulma & Dax Lopez

Israel B'nei Mitzvah Ceremonies: JUNE 12, 2023



Oriyah Rozier

Parents: Ana (Hazanov) Ali
& Bernorris Rozier



Amir Rozier

Parents: Ana (Hazanov) Ali
& Bernorris Rozier

MAY THEIR MEMORY BE FOR A BLESSING

Our Heartfelt Sympathy to the Families of:

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mother of Linda Levy)

Steve Bender

Shirley Blaine

Daniel "Dan" Joseph Carney* (husband of Rita Keller
Carney, father of Susan Carney and Daniel Charles Carney,
grandfather of Julia Tiessen, Shannon Carney Winters,
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Erika & Danny Ludeman • *John & Thora Ludeman*

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Backpack Buddies Thank You

- We reached as many as 150 students per week.
- Our students were from Toomer Elementary, Sarah Smith Elementary and Burgess-Peterson Academy.
- In total, we will have packed and delivered over 4,000 bags, which represents more than 28,000 meals.



EDUCATION



Breman Education Center Registration is Open!

To register for the 2023-24 program year, simply log on to www.the-temple.org/bec and sign into your account. If you need assistance with registration, please contact Abby Friedman at 404-873-1734.

Are you new to our Sunday morning education programs?

We would love to speak with you. We inspire your child's positive Jewish identity in a fun and interactive learning environment on Sunday mornings from 9:30am-noon. Contact Rabbi Rau at 404- 873-1734 to learn more about our exciting programming. We hope your family will join us on Sundays!

Mazal Tov to the Confirmation Class of 2023/5783



WELC PRESCHOOL



The WELC Graduating Class of 2023!

The Weinberg Early Learning Center wishes a warm Mazal Tov to our Pre-Kindergarten graduating class. We will miss you next year when you attend school at The Davis Academy, Galloway, Heard's Ferry Elementary, Morningside Elementary, Morris Brandon, Virginia-Highland Elementary, Toomer Elementary, Springdale Park Elementary, and Westminster Schools.



Staff Appreciation Week

Thank you to our TPA for making Staff Appreciation Week, May 8-12, super special for our amazing WELC teachers and staff! It was such a fun week: MMMmmm Monday! Coffee and Bagels; Tuesday Treats!; Way Cool Wednesday! Ice cream & Popsicles; Thankful Thursday; Fiesta Friday!



Weinberg Early Learning Center at The Temple

EVENTS & NEWS

Dianne Ratowsky RETIREMENT CELEBRATION!



Dianne Ratowsky has served as executive assistant to Temple senior rabbis for more than four decades and has been the life cycle events touchpoint for generations of Temple families.

Join us for a special Shabbat service and program to honor and celebrate Dianne's extraordinary tenure, her signature sense of humor, and her transition to retirement.

FRIDAY, JUNE 2
6pm in the Sanctuary

Please stay after the service to toast Dianne during a festive reception in Schwartz-Goldstein Hall!

There is no cost to attend Dianne's reception, but to ensure bountiful food and drink at the light supper reception, **registration is required by May 24:**

www.the-temple.org/dianne

Committee Chair: Ronnie van Gelder

Committee: Joan Brown, Janet Dortch, Lauren Grien, Cantor Deborah Hartman, Ellen Holland, Susan Jacobson, Karen Kerness, Julie Levine, Jackie Montag, Barbara Sugarman

Mini Shabbat with a SPLASH!

Saturdays, June 10 and July 8

9:30am Shabbat Sing-a-long • 10:00am Bagels and Coffee and Playtime on the Splash Pad

Join your clergy and special puppet friends for a summer of fun! We'll learn about Shabbat and what it means to be a mensch. And we'll have a blast with our friends running around on the playground and cooling off in the water. We'll meet in The Temple's Motor Lobby and then continue the fun outdoors. Kids are welcome to attend in their bathing suits, because water play is the best way to beat the heat! Questions? Email Rabbi Lydia Medwin at lmedwin@the-temple.org.

Freedom Day Bailout 2023

For the past few years, The Temple has partnered with the Historic Ebenezer Baptist Church in Atlanta with other houses of worship and community organizations to bail loved ones out of jail in commemoration of the Juneteenth holiday. The Multifaith Initiative to End Mass Incarceration, a non-profit founded by The Temple and Ebenezer, led the Freedom Day Bailout - one component of our Freedom Day Project Campaign seeking to put an end to the unfair incarceration of disproportionately poor, black and brown people before their trial commences. We aim to shift prosecutor and judicial behavior with respect to bail and also to push local and statewide legislative bodies to proactively combat wealth-based detention. Our efforts are inspired by work being done by the National Bailout Network to fight the injustices of cash bail. Since 2018, we have posted over \$700,000 in bail bond funds to bring community members' home. Through working with public defenders and connecting our participants to direct service providers, we hope to serve as community support as their cases are adjudicated. There are many ways to help, including fundraising, communications, community education, jail intake coordination, and organizing care packages. If you'd like to join our efforts, please email Rabbi Lydia Medwin at lmedwin@the-temple.org.

ROTHSCHILD Social Justice Institute

RSJI: Green Team Update

The Rothschild Social Justice Institute's Environmental Protection & Sustainability group seeks out ways to reduce our synagogue's energy use. Recently, with the help of Executive Director Emeritus Mark Jacobson, Past President Jon Amsler, and the maintenance team, we've replaced the fluorescent light bulbs in the offices, the conference rooms around the chapel, and the workroom near the sanctuary with LED bulbs. What's the impact?

- We now use less than half the power than with the former bulbs in the areas where lights are typically in use 6 days a week.
- We have recouped the cost of the new bulbs through reduction in The Temple's power bill in less than one year.
- We have ongoing savings to our power bill and reduced environmental impact of operating our synagogue.



Zaban Paradies Center

Our second annual Blue Jeans, Bow Ties, and Bling: Stories About Home was a great success!

The afternoon kicked off at the Grounded Café where we enjoyed a delicious spread of bites and beverages catered by You Should Eat. Guests purchased mystery box items and started bidding on our silent auction items. At the Synchronicity Theatre, our lineup of speakers, people impacted by homelessness, presented Stories About Home. The program was produced and directed by Shannon Turner of Story Muse. We appreciate Keith Yaeger (Souper Jenny), Aaron Ivory (ZPC staff), and Percy and Deborah (ZPC Residents) for opening their hearts to share their stories about home with us.

As part of the event, we honored the following people for their impact on the organization and homelessness in Atlanta:

Valerie Weitzner, past Board Chairman, for her work that helped catapult ZPC in this new direction. She received the Paradies Horizon Award.

Rabbi Alvin Sugarman, Jackie Howard, and Marvin Botnick (posthumously) for their commitment to the community, social justice, and tikkun olam that led to the creation of the Temple Night Shelter for the Homeless, now ZPC. They each received the Zaban Legacy Award.

We thank everyone who donated, attended, and participated. Thank you for considering ZPC as one of the many organizations you support today. It means a lot!

We are very grateful to our sponsors:

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BLUE JEANS, BOW TIES, AND BLING
A FUNDRAISER FOR THE ZABAN PARADIES CENTER



Refaenu

Mission

To create a supportive culture with intentional programming focused on mental health. We seek to increase awareness, eliminate stigma, provide education and advocate for expanded support for mental health within the Temple community and in coordination with the broader Jewish community and other stakeholders.

Vision

We seek to improve mental health within our congregation and believe this will have a ripple effect on the greater Atlanta community and beyond. We believe passionately in the importance of embodying the Jewish concepts of tikkun azmut (repairing the self) and tikkun olam (repairing the world).

Values

Kesher (Connection) קשר – Human connection is vital.
Chinuch (Education) חינוך – Education is powerful.
Chesed (Compassion) חסד – Compassion for self and other heals.
Avodah (Practice) עבודה – Mental and spiritual well-being is a practice.

Did you know?

A national emergency number, 988, for mental health emergencies was recently created. If you are experiencing a mental health crisis, please call or text 988 immediately for help. For ongoing mental health resources and spiritual wellness practices, join us at Temple or online for one of many upcoming programs, services, referrals, or one-on-one counseling with our clergy.

More information online at
www.the-temple.org/healingfromwithin

If you would like to join us or would like additional information, please contact bethkrakow@me.com or lm Edwin@the-temple.org.



U.S Mental Health Statistics



20% of Adults in the U.S. are Diagnosed with a Mental Illness Each Year. (Source: NAMI)



41% of Adults in the U.S. Reported Symptoms of Anxiety and/or Depression During the Pandemic. (Source: CDC)



30% of Young Adults (18-25) were Diagnosed with a Mental Illness in 2020. (Source: NAMI)



31% Increase in Mental Health-Related Emergency Department Visits for U.S. Adolescents (12-17) in 2020. (Source: CDC)

EVENTS&NEWS



HORIZONS ATLANTA
The Temple



We are thrilled to have The Temple become the 11th site for Horizons Atlanta and welcome our first Horizons scholars this June, 2023!

On June 5, we will welcome our first two cohorts of Toomer Elementary students, 15 kindergarten and 15 first grade, for a six-week, full-day summer program at The Temple. They will be in small classes in the BEC classrooms led by professional teachers, and treated to enriching and fun experiences, including swimming, field trips, and cultural learning opportunities. We want them to build confidence, learn new things, and have fun.



**This is a Temple summer program, with support and guidance from Horizons Atlanta.
Help make it a success!**

VOLUNTEER



We need your help!

We are looking for daily or weekly helpers, and anyone who wants to share a skill or expertise with the students. You can share as much or as little time with us as you have. Fill in our interest survey through the QR code and let us know how you can get involved.

DONATE



We'd love your support!

The Horizons program is free to the students that attend and funded through donations. Please consider making a donation to help. EVERY AMOUNT MATTERS AND HELPS!

Giving Levels:

- \$2,500 Horizons' 100% club** - fully sponsoring the cost of one Horizons student for the entire summer program
- \$1,800 provides transportation**, ensuring a full class of students has a safe reliable way to and from The Temple
- \$ 900 gives education**, providing crucial classroom and educational supplies for students
- \$ 540 builds a lifelong skill**, covering the cost of swimming instruction for one class
- \$ 360 ensures nutrition**, providing a student with a healthy breakfast, lunch, and snack everyday of our program
- \$ 180 provides enrichment**, sending a student on weekly field trips around Atlanta.

To donate, follow the QR code to The Temple donation page and select 2023-2024 Horizon School Donation under "type". If you would like to speak to someone about in-kind donations, please contact Stacey Berg (stberg@yahoo.com)

Learn more about Horizons



What is Horizons?

Started in 1964, Horizons is a **national academic enrichment program** currently in 67 sites across 19 states. The Atlanta region has 11 host sites, including local universities (UGA, Kennesaw State, Georgia Tech, Clark, Atlanta Tech), private schools (AIS, Galloway, Holy Innocents', Purpose Built, Woodward) and THE TEMPLE!

Horizons Commitment

By building a scholar's literacy, math, swimming, and other life skills, the program aims to **eliminate critical barriers to success and clear the path for possibilities**. As scholars are expected to return year after year, the long-term investment and connection with the student/family are impactful and unique.



Success Metrics

Our **consistent educational environment over the summer** can combat "summer slide", helping children read by third grade. This enrichment and encouragement can help set them up for success beyond their summers with us.

In 2021, Horizons scholars achieved on-average...

almost
3 months growth
in early-literacy skills

nearly
2 months growth
in math skills

more than
2.5 months growth
in reading skills





Meet Our Staff!

Get to know some of the friendly faces at The Temple.

Lisa Ramirez Ellinger

Executive Assistant to the Senior Rabbi

Lisa Ellinger was born to a musical family, the daughter of Atlanta Symphony violinists, Juan and Carol Ramirez. She studied violin with Sonja Foster and later Mr. Jeff Multer and Mr. Harvey Thurmer at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. Prior to her studies at Miami University, Lisa attended the Paideia School and was raised in an enriching musical environment as her parents opened their home to such musical giants as Henryk Szeryng, Gunther Schuller, Karel Husa, Frank Glazer, Joseph Silverstein and Irene Gubrud. Their performances with the Atlanta Virtuosi remain some of the most vivid of her formative years.

As an adult, Lisa maintains a very active lifestyle. Her passion for music and arts advocacy is now expressed in her management skills in music and community service. Along with her father, she helped found the award-winning Buckhead Youth Orchestra and oversaw operations and strategic planning for all international tours. The group has successfully toured Spain, Monaco, Puerto Rico, Mexico and France. Ms. Ellinger has an extensive background in Artist Management (both group and solo), Music Performance (violin), Music Education (General), and Special Education (General). She also is a member of the Board of the Atlanta Virtuosi Foundation and has served as general manager of the Atlanta Community Symphony Orchestra and the Buckhead Youth Orchestra for nearly two decades.

Her work in the community includes Cure Childhood Cancer, Children's Health Care of Atlanta, and the Starlight Children's Foundation. Ms. Ellinger has served on the Advisory Board for the Alliance Theatre and the Georgia Council for the Arts.

Lisa is newly engaged with two daughters, ages 18 and 16, a stepdaughter, age 16, and stepson, age 11. As a blended family, they enjoy taking road trips, volunteering in outreach ministries, attending musical theatre performances, sporting events and cooking.



Likes:

Musical theatre, live concerts, cooking, traveling, Atlanta United, coffee and Disney.

Dislikes:

Mushrooms, bell peppers, and anything scary including roller coasters that drop you out of the sky.

Fun Fact:

As a child, I shared the stage with Whitney Houston, Menudo, Run DMC, New Edition, the Fat Boys in a tribute video "King Holiday" in celebration of Martin Luther King, Jr.

Abby Friedman

BEC Administrative Assistant

Abby was born and raised in Roswell and moved to Atlanta in 2022. She graduated from Georgia State University with a degree in psychology, and will attend Mercer University starting in Fall 2023 to pursue a graduate degree in clinical mental health counseling. Abby has many years of experience with administrative work in Jewish and healthcare settings. She looks forward to making connections between families and supporting them at The Breman Education Center. Abby grew up around education where she was a teacher at her mother's preschool. Outside of work, Abby likes to bake, build her record collection, and practice sewing.



Likes:

Listening to music, reading, Atlanta Braves, and coffee.

Dislikes:

Rainy days, scary movies, and spicy foods.

Fun Fact:

Played guitar in high school with David Bowie's guitarist.

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how is that even possible!?! You will always hold a

special place in our heart

Anonymous

Rabbi Steven Rau's

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