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AUGUST 2017

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1
Tisha B’Av Study Session (Morris & Sylvia Speizman Sanctuary), 12:00pm

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3
Torah On Tap: SEX IN THE TEXT: Tu B’Av Lessons of Love, Wine & Chocolate (Meyers Park/Harris Teeter Winery), 7:00pm

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5
Celebrating Seniors Shabbat Services (Morris & Sylvia Speizman Sanctuary), 9:30am

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11
Torah Tots: Splash Into Shabbat (LJCC Pool/Splash Park), 4:30pm

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13
TI-Youth: Bonim Leadership Council Meeting (Ben & Jerry’s), 2:00pm
TI-Youth: Gesher Leadership Board Meeting (Ben & Jerry’s), 7:00pm

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16
Lifelong Learning: Emotions, Soul, and the Flow of Life: A Jewish Mindfulness, 7:30pm, beginning with Minyan (Leon & Sandra Levine Social Hall)

MONDAY, AUGUST 21
TI-Youth (grades 6-12): Wet N’ Wild Water Park (pick-up/drop-off at Temple Israel), 8:00am

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26
Camille Hart and Cassandra Hart B’nai Mitzvah (Morris & Sylvia Speizman Sanctuary), 9:30am
Rosh Chodesh Study Group (Morris & Sylvia Speizman Sanctuary), 1:00pm
Alex Schoenbrun Bar Mitzvah (Morris & Sylvia Speizman Sanctuary), 5:30pm

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27
Sisterhood Opening Luncheon (Leon & Sandra Levine Social Hall), 12:30pm
2017-2018 B’nai Mitzvah Class Kick-off Party (Home of Josh & Elissa Levine), 2:00pm

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31
Torah On Tap: Newcomer Social (Old Mecklenburg Brewery), 6:30pm
Z’ havah: Tapas Tasting for Rosh Hashanah, with Chef Alyssa (Atherton Market), 6:45pm

SERVICE & CANDLE LIGHTING TIMES

SHABBAT* SERVICE TIMES
Friday, 6:15pm
Saturday, 9:30am

MINYAN TIMES
Sunday, 9:00am, 5:30pm
Monday-Thursday, 7:30pm
Thursday, 7:30am
Saturday, 5:30pm

CANDLE LIGHTING
August 4 8:05pm
August 11 7:57pm
August 18 7:49pm
August 25 7:40pm
September 1 7:31pm
September 8 7:21pm
September 15 7:11pm
September 22 7:01pm
September 29 6:51pm

CALENDAR NOTICE

Temple Israel strives to ensure that the calendar information is complete and accurate. However, event information may change. For up-to-date information, please visit our online calendar on our website, www.templeisraelnc.org. Thank you.

TEMPLE ISRAEL INC.
2017-2018 DIRECTORY

SEPTEMBER 2017

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
Back To Shul Family Shabbat Dairy Dinner (Leon & Sandra Levine Social Hall), 5:30pm
Torah Tots (Temple Israel lawn), 6:15pm

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10
TIRS – 1st Day of Classes (TIRS Education Building), 9:30am
TI-Youth: Mahar Kickoff - Are You Ready To “Defy Gravity?” (pick-up/drop-off at Temple Israel), 12:15pm

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
Hebrew High – 1st night of classes (Blumenthal Education Building), 7:00pm

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14
Social Club: Misty Meadows Farm-Mighty Riders (Misty Meadows Farm), 10:00am
Community-Wide Young Adult Rosh Hashanah Party (location tba), 7:00pm
Men’s Club: Social/Business Networking Night (Multi-Purpose Room A), 7:30pm

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16
Men’s Club: Yad Award to Jacob Baumstein (Morris & Sylvia Speizman Sanctuary), 9:30am

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17
TI-Youth: Bonim Kickoff- The Great Maze Craze Of 2017 (pick-up/drop-off at Temple Israel), 12:15pm

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
TI-Youth: Gesher “Jewish Lounge Night (LJCC Teen Lounge),” 5:30pm

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30
Torah On Tap: Break (the) Fast- Let’s Eat the Night Away (Brixx Wood Fired Pizza-Foxcroft), 8:00pm

“GOOD SCENTS”
Please be considerate of others who may be allergic, and refrain from using scented products when coming to services.

Handicap-accessible seating is available in the choir loft area of the Morris & Sylvia Speizman Sanctuary

WEAKLY EVENTS

Visit our online calendar (www.templeisraelnc.org) for a complete listing of upcoming events.

TUESDAYS
Tuesday With Torah, 9:30am
(On summer hiatus - classes resume after the High Holy Days)
Temple Israel Religious School - Weekday Class, 4:45pm
(classes begin Tuesday, September 12)

WEDNESDAYS
Torah Sparks, 12:30pm (On summer hiatus - classes resume October 4)
Temple Israel Religious School - Weekday Class, 5:15pm
(classes begin Wednesday, September 13)

SUNDAYS
Temple Israel Religious School, 9:30am (Classes begin Sunday, September 10)

*If you would like an honor at Shabbat services, please contact the clergy office. www.TempleIsraelnc.org
Several years ago, the Chancellor of the Jewish Theological Seminary, Arnold Eisen, placed a wonderful article in Tablet Magazine. “The CEO and Managing Director of the Brooklyn Philharmonic set off a storm of protests in the classical music world this spring when he suggested that concert halls could benefit from less audience decorum and more clapping, laughter, cheers, and other expressions of emotion. ‘Don’t sit still so much at the symphony,’ Richard Dare urged. ‘Performances of classical music need to be livelier, less hushed, less boring, and audiences can do their part in making that happen.’

The idea horrified some musicians and orchestra officials. ‘If people can’t sit still and be quiet,’ said the director of the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra, ‘I don’t think classical music is for them.’ Dare has clarified his position in subsequent articles but has not backtracked. ‘I don’t want bedlam to break out,’ he told reporter Daniel J. Wakin, for a piece about the controversy published that June in the New York Times. ‘I’m keenly interested in not dismantling the experience we have now,’ he explained. But he does want to make that experience ‘relevant to more people.’ “I’m with him all the way,” the Chancellor wrote. “If you substitute ‘synagogue’ for concert hall and ‘prayer services’ for orchestral performances, you realize that Dare’s proposal is relevant, point after painful point, to the experience that many Jews and all too many North American synagogues have. (Since) several million Jews are about to spend a great deal of time in synagogue - the High Holy Days are almost upon us, to be followed immediately by Sukkot...and Simchat Torah - I think there is good reason to ask whether something could or should be done to alter the atmosphere in a shul in the ways that Dare wants to change it in the concert hall. I vote yes for two principal reasons:

1) Jewish religious leaders desperately need to make the experience of communal prayer much more relevant to many more people......Livelier services have consistently led to higher attendance. New and better music has proven especially crucial to generating new excitement in many congregations. Participatory services are more popular than services in which the congregation sits quietly for the most part, watching the Rabbi and (Cantor) perform the work of worship on the bimah.

2) Tefillah was never meant to be a spectator sport and, by nature, is the very opposite of a passive activity drained of emotion. We are talking about the attempt to stand before God, after all...This has never been an easy thing to do, and is certainly not a routine matter for modern Jews in the pews.....”

I agree with what the Chancellor wrote whole-heartedly – I believe that prayer services are not meant to be a “spectator sport,” but rather a participatory experience for everyone in attendance. Not only should we be able to respond loudly and proudly during responsive readings in English, we should be able to have a form of prayer and introductions to prayer that are accessible and engaging to those sitting in the pews.

Let us work together to try to find the proper balance between quiet and noise. As Rabbi, I will “forgive you if you decide to talk to the person beside you if the point is to check in, offer support and get the news.” The Cantor “will not only forgive you, but thank you for singing or humming along, helping to fill the sanctuary with the collective murmur of ‘davvening’ during silent prayer.” I myself will happily look forward to High Holy Day Services services marked by the joyful noise of our congregation singing together, reading together, speaking to each other with smiles on our faces, and sometimes a laugh or two, as we appreciate the experience of starting the new year: 5778. I look forward to seeing you at Temple Israel during the High Holy Days and often during the rest of the year as well.

May you be inscribed for a good new year.

L’Shanah Tova Tikateivu.

--Rabbi Murray Ezring

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**TEMPLE ISRAEL SIMCHA TREE**

Looking for a great way to mark a special simcha? Why not purchase a leaf on Temple Israel’s Simcha Tree, located in the Leon & Sandra Levine Social Hall.

Simcha Tree Leaves can be purchased to mark your special family or individual accomplishments, such as a birth, consecration, Bar or Bat Mitzvah, confirmation, graduation, engagement, marriage, anniversary or milestone birthday. Cost is $180.

For more information, please contact Monty Bennett at 704-362-2796
CANTORS CONVENTION, 2017

The Cantors Assembly, the largest international organization of cantors in the world, has been holding annual conventions for 70 years. Since joining the organization back in 1981, I have attended almost every year. For the first decade or so, the ones I attended were all in the famous Jewish resorts of the Catskill Mountains. But then two things happened: the famous Catskills resorts went “belly up,” and the proportion of cantors living far from the East Coast increased. So since then, we have had our conventions in many of America’s largest metropolitan centers.

This year’s convention was in a resort in Galloway, NJ, near Atlantic City. Of course, since it is a CANTORS convention, every night there was a wonderful concert. The first night, the concert was devoted to the life and music of Leonard Bernstein, the hundredth anniversary of whose birth is in 2018. Many of you know that Bernstein is very close to my heart, so I really enjoyed that concert. It included many familiar selections and a few with which I was unfamiliar.

Since we are this year observing the 50th anniversary of the reunification of Jerusalem, of course one of the evening concerts was devoted to music inspired by Jerusalem; also very inspiring.

But the convention is more than concerts: there are all sorts of varied activities during the day including: conducting classes, wellness classes and guitar classes. There was a session on fundraising for cantors, and another on building a culture of volunteerism. I was particularly glad to attend a session on training autistic children for their Bar or Bat Mitzvah.

Of course no matter where the convention is held, no matter how inspiring the concerts, or what the formal classes, one of the best aspects of each convention is the opportunity to get together with old friends, to make new ones, and to support each other.

All in all, I returned to Charlotte exhilarated, recharged, and inspired.
I was watching a television show earlier this evening, and one scene I greatly enjoyed was of a large dinner party at the home of a very successful person of note. Indeed, the guests were all accomplished, successful, beautiful and glib. The host invited each guest to stand and offer a toast for what they are grateful and then everyone must drink.

The first to stand said, “I am grateful to be living in America, a land where every man is deemed innocent until proven guilty.” The others were not quite sure how to take that and the reaction was mute. Frankly, I thought it was pretty funny. Anyway, the next to rise also said he was grateful to be living in America because he was born to a family of modest means and through hard work and good fortune he has enjoyed success that brought him to the table with the others present on this occasion.

That scene started me thinking about what I am grateful for in my life. Of course, we all share many similar aspects of being grateful. Certainly, those include our families, friends, good health (Baruch Hashem) and material comforts. I am also grateful I was born into a Jewish family, which made sure I learned enough about my history, culture and faith to have a strong sense of who I am and values that help me always try to do the right thing. Hopefully I am a little better version of myself as a result.

This is my time away from the pedestrian, or worse, that life delivers in abundance. Shabbat is a time to slow down, to experience the journey and to be present. For those who regularly attend our services, I apologize for only repeating what you already know. I must admit that some of my joy in being Jewish may be my own arrogance. You see, I feel entitled to take some credit for sharing the gift of Shabbat with the world, just because I am a Jew.

So, I will add another blessing I am grateful for – Shabbat.

Please see page 31, for an update regarding Temple Israel’s Clergy Transition process.
ENGAGEMENT
By Monty Bennett, Membership Director

Ben Heh-Heh used to say, “According to the effort is the reward.” (Pirkei Avot 5:26) This brief statement sums up many aspects of life, but especially how we should look at our engagement with a congregation. Raymond Simonson (CEO of JW3, London’s first Jewish Community Centre), writes about the b’ni Israel building the mishkan and how all the people worked together towards the same goal so it was considered holy enough to be a vehicle for God’s presence. In his d’var Torah on Vayekhel-Pekudei, he notes “all contributions, whether physical help or giving of materials to use, were made out of a voluntary desire to contribute.” He calls it ‘nadiv lev’ or “generosity of the heart.”

Italian economist, Vilfredo Pareto, noted in his 1896 paper “Cours d’économie politique” that 80% of land in Italy was owned by 20% of the population. He further did research showing that in his garden, 20% of the peapods contained approximately 80% of the peas. Houses of worship have been applying the Pareto Principle to show that a small number of people do the majority of work. However, in many synagogues and churches around the world, these small numbers of dedicated people get burned out quickly.

Temple Israel loves, appreciates, and depends on its volunteers. Currently, we are starting new committees and revitalizing others. In order to make this effort successful, we need people who want to get involved by giving their time and abilities to help our community continue to flourish. You make our congregation a vibrant kehillah kedosha. My challenge to all of us is to use our talents to make our synagogue a holy place – today and for future generations.

To get involved at Temple Israel, please contact Monty Bennett mbennett@templeisraelnc.org or call 704-362-2796.
# High Holy Day Schedule 5778/2017

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**Greeters are needed for High Holy Days.**

To volunteer please contact Al Garten at ajgarten@gmail.com.

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**Temple Israel**

Offers traditional, alternative, and family services, along with programming and childcare options for our temple youth.
CHILDCARE & YOUTH PROGRAMS 5778/2017  
Youth Schedule of Services & Programs

REGISTRATION: ALL CHILDREN, 12 months – 7th grade, must have a completed registration form on file to attend Childcare and Youth Programs. These programs are only available to Temple Israel members. Please complete the Childcare and Youth Programs Registration form and turn it in to the Temple Israel office or the Temple Israel Religious School office. The deadline for registration is WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2017.

8th-12th GRADERS: ALL 8th-12th graders are welcome to join the Main Service, Family Service, Rock HaShanah Service (Day 2) or volunteer to assist with youth programming. If interested, please contact Rabbi Kornsgold at hkornsgold@templeisraelnc.org.

NEW: On Rosh HaShanah Day 2 and Yom Kippur, we will be offering a Special Program for Preschool Families. Tickets are required.

PLEASE NOTE: Since we are offering Family Services on both Rosh HaShanah and Yom Kippur, inclusive of all children and their families, we will not be offering separate youth services.

SNACK: All children will be provided a snack during holiday programming.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2017 - Rosh HaShanah – Day 1

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**If services end prior to 3 PM, please pick up your child(ren) immediately following the conclusion of services.

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LIFE EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR CONDOLENCES TO
• Alice Coran, mother of Robin (Richard) Becker; grandmother of Lisa and Jaimie Becker.
• Hannah Faye Silverman, mother of Marshall (Suzanne) Silverman; grandmother of Greyson, Bailey, and Scott Silverman.
• Gitta Hilda Laskar, mother of Elise (Donald) Orenstein.
• William Weinstock, brother of Barney (Harriet) Weinstock.
• Julius Goldman, husband of Mae Goldman; father of Shlomo (Hannah) Goldman, Bruce (Hannah) Goldman, and Pamela (Bruce) Silberman; grandfather and great-grandfather to many.
• Kathryn Goodfriend, wife of Jason Goodfriend; sister of Ruthi (Dennis) Cohen Joyner, Harry Cohen, Sandy (Jeff) Cohen Persons, Robbie (Amy) Cohen; aunt of Leah and Jenna Joyner, Payne Persons, Riley, Julianna, and Jake Cohen.
• Rosalie Joseph Fisher, mother of Dr. Jonathan (Julie) Fisher; grandmother of Noah, Jonas, and Evelyn Fisher.
• Alice Linda Baum, wife of Howard Baum; mother of Allen (Stacy) Baum, and Sarah Baum; grandmother of Samantha and Benjamin Baum.
• Leona Glucroft, mother of Phyllis (Howard) Campbell, Renee (Todd) Sokol, Deby (Ty) Pantoja, and Rand (Fran) Glucroft; granddaughter of 10; great-grandmother of 9.
• Maxine Silverstein, wife of Gary Silverstein; mother of Scott Silverstein and Kara Silverstein (David Hoffman) of Palo Alto, CA; grandmother of Hazel, Isabel, & Lucy Silverstein, and Adele & Charlotte Hoffman; sister of Harriet Mayer Kader of San Diego, CA.

BIRTHS
• Jeff & Rebecca Stern joyfully welcomed the arrival of a baby boy, Jack Matthew, on June 24.
• Alli & Alex Halpern joyfully welcomed the arrival of a baby boy, Asa Phillip Halpern, on July 12. Proud family includes big sister, Arden; grandparents Mr. & Mrs. Hal Arnold, and Mr. & Mrs. Marty Halpern; great-grandparents Mrs. Sylvia Arnold and Mr. Sam Kaplan.

MAZEL TOV
• Jordan Schuler, for being one of seven students in the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools class of 2017 to win a National Merit scholarship.
• Garret Mann & Sarah Baydush, who were married in Washington, DC on June 24, 2017.

LIFE EVENT ANNOUNCEMENTS
If you would like to have your happy event, wedding, engagement or birth announcement published in Kol Yisrael, please submit your written information via e-mail to marketing@templeisraelnc.org or fax it to 704-362-1098.
If you have an illness or a death in the family, please contact the Clergy Office at 704-362-2796.
WILL YOU BE “ONE IN A MINyan”?

Strengthen our Temple Israel community by giving just 15 minutes of your time, at least once a month!

In order to perform the mitzvah of allowing our members to say Kaddish for a loved one, we need the members of our synagogue to make an extra effort to help us fulfill this responsibility. Please reach out to the rashei minyan of the day upon which you plan to attend minyan so that he/she can help confirm that 10 people will be present for each dailyminyan.

Sunday, 9:00am
Rosh Minyan - Alan Raznick
araznick@bellsouth.net
704-540-5423 (h)
704-564-1379 (c)

Sunday, 5:30pm
Rosh Minyan - Michael Van Glish
mvg3700@outlook.com
704-366-6619 (h)
704-905-8630 (c)

Monday, 7:30pm
Rosh Minyan - Morey Sheffer
moreysheff@gmail.com
704-540-0502 (h)
704-201-4728 (c)

Tuesday, 7:30pm
Rosh Minyan - Richard Herd
hrlpromotions@gmail.com
704-846-0907 (h)

Wednesday, 7:30pm
Rosh Minyan - Leonard Berkowitz
lennyberk1946@gmail.com
803-802-5362 (h)
954-856-6873 (c)

Thursday, 7:30am
Rosh Minyan - Richard Herd
hrlpromotions@gmail.com
704-846-0907 (h)

Thursday, 7:30pm
Rosh Minyan - Jodi Cohen
SCohen2414@aol.com
704-845-9745 (h)
704-661-1390 (c)

Saturday, 5:30pm
Rosh Minyan - Cantor Roochvarg
cantor@templeisraelnc.org
704-362-2796

*Due to the High Holy Days at the end of the month, our traditional Torah Tots program will only meet once in September.
By Rabbi Helene Kornsgold, Director of Congregational Education

Shalom! I hope you are having a great summer and enjoying the variety of activities you have been doing!

Some of your children may already be back from camp and others may still have a few more weeks of having fun with their friends. During the past couple of months, we have been planning for the new school year, which begins on Sunday, September 10. I am very excited to tell you about the NEW Hebrew curriculum we will be using in school: Mitkadem: Hebrew for Youth. Mitkadem is an individualized, self-paced Hebrew prayer and ritual learning program for students of different learning styles and abilities.

The rationale for Mitkadem: Hebrew is the authentic language of Jewish prayer and ritual and it is one element that binds the diverse Jewish people together. When students graduate from our religious school we want them to be comfortable reading and understanding Hebrew. Many concepts and ideals of Judaism and God are best expressed in Hebrew. Some things just cannot be translated properly. They should be able to pick up a siddur and chant the tefillot and when they are in Israel, to be able to read signs throughout the country. We decided to use this curriculum because it will enable us to meet these important goals.

By design, Mitkadem empowers every child to learn Hebrew at his/her own pace. It was created with an understanding of the realities of supplementary Jewish education (limited time, different levels of Hebrew knowledge and motivation and varying levels of involvement with Jewish practice). Mitkadem is part of a comprehensive approach to Hebrew education. The program consists of 23 levels that introduce grammar, vocabulary and reading. Students who prefer to work alone may do so, while others might be more interested in practicing reading with a partner. Students complete between four to six ramot (levels) per year, depending on the students’ pace.

From an educational perspective, we know parental involvement in school and support of programs leads to greater success of the students. As parents, you too, can become a learner - alongside your child. Perhaps you need a refresher course in Hebrew or want to learn Hebrew for the first time; this curriculum can be a way for you to further bond with and demonstrate to your children your deep commitment to their Jewish education. Together, we can continue to build a strong school and community we are proud to call our home.

Shalom

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MAHZORIM
You Can Still Buy Bookplates!

Temple Israel has fully transitioned to the Lev Shalem prayer book series for both the High Holy Days and Shabbat and weekday services. To honor your loved one(s) with a Mahzor*, please pick up a flyer in the kiosks or visit templeisraelnc.org for details.

*Siddurim bookplates have sold out.
WHY NOT SPONSOR A SHABBAT KIDDUSH!? 

Opportunities are available for those who are interested in sponsoring or co-sponsoring a Kiddush, on the occasion of a special simcha. Commemorate an anniversary, a birthday, an achievement or a friendship. It’s easy to do!

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Sneak peek at electives: Surviving the Torah
Get your hands dirty as we learn about the guerrilla tactics, spy craft, technology and chutzpah!

BE a MENSCH
Explore tzedakah and learn how to impact your community through discussion and a group project!

They should make a card for that
Stuff happens. Learn to be a “MENSCH” by exploring what to do, say and NOT say through a Jewish compassionate lens.

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Family mishpachah משפחה

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For more information or to register for any of the following events, please contact Ariel DiDonato, Director of Engagement and Programming, at (704) 362-2796 or adidonato@templeisraelnc.org.

WET N’ WILD WATER PARK: Dive-in to the new school year with BONIM and GESHER
(6th-12th Grade Teens)
Monday, August 21 (8:00am-6:00pm)
Back By Popular Demand, it’s time to kick off the year with BONIM & GESHER! Join us for an afternoon of surf, sun, water slides and waves at Wet N’ Wild Water Park. Connect with old friends, and make new ones, as we begin our best year yet with the hottest youth group in the city. Please bring a packed dairy lunch or money to purchase lunch.
COST: $35 per person (includes park admission and bus transportation to Greensboro, NC). Drop-off and Pick-up at Temple Israel.
MUST RSVP by Wednesday, August 16!

2017-2018 B’nai Mitzvah Class Kickoff Party
Sunday, August 27 (2:00-3:30pm)
Location: Home of Josh and Elissa Levine (address provided upon RSVP)
The 2017-2018 B’nai Mitzvah class and their families are invited for a fun afternoon of ice cream sundaes and outdoor games including trampoline, zipline, swings, as well as ice cream sundaes. This will be a great opportunity to get to know the other families in your B’nai Mitzvah Class, and learn more about this year’s fun opportunities.
RSVP to Ariel at adidonato@templeisraelnc.org.
Must RSVP by Thursday, August 24

MAHAR Kickoff- ARE YOU READY TO “DEFY GRAVITY?” (3rd-5th Grades)
Sunday, September 10 (12:15-3:00pm)
Are you ready to bounce off the walls? Join BONIM and your friends as we defy gravity for a fun afternoon of jumping, dodgeball and Ultimate Ninja Warrior. Bring a packed dairy lunch.
Cost: $15/TI-Y Members; $20/Non-Members.
MUST RSVP by Wednesday, September 6.

BONIM Kickoff- THE GREAT MAZE CRAZE of 2017! (6th-7th Grades)
Sunday, September 17 (12:15-4:00pm)
Can you handle the challenge? Join BONIM as we begin the afternoon with lunch and then travel to Hall Family Farm, find our way through the challenging 5-acre corn maze, and then enjoy a fun hayride together! Be sure to bring your dairy lunch and don’t forget to reserve your seat on the bus!
Cost: $15/TI-Y Members; $20/Non-Members.
MUST RSVP by Wednesday, September 13.

IT’S BACK! GESHER “Jewishi Lounge Night”
(ALL 8th-12th Graders)
Wednesday, September 27
(5:30-7:00pm - before Hebrew High)
Location: LJCC Teen Lounge
Join your friends for a hilarious and fun night as we make origami, eat delicious catered sushi, and partake in an epic Sumo Wrestling competition.
Cost: only $5 per person.
Must RSVP by Monday, September 25.

YOUTH GROUP LEADERSHIP MEETINGS:
Bonim Leadership Council (6th & 7th Grades)
• Sunday, August 13 - 2:00-3:00pm at Ben & Jerry’s
Gesher Leadership Board (8th-12th Grades)
• Sunday, August 13 - 7:00-8:00pm at Ben & Jerry’s

Rabbi Kornsgold and Ariel DiDonato visit Temple Israel campers at Camp Ramah Darom for Shabbat weekend (July 2017)
Torah On Tap

(YOUNG PROFESSIONALS)

For more information or to RSVP for any event, email torahontapclt@gmail.com. Be sure to put the name of the program in the subject line. If you would like to be added to Torah on Tap’s email listserv, email Ariel DiDonato at addonato@templeisraelnc.org.

SEX IN THE TEXT:
Tu B’Av Lessons of Love,
Wine & Chocolate
Thursday, August 3 (7:00-9:00pm)
Location: (Myers Park) Harris Teeter, Winery
(1015 Providence Rd)

Join Torah on Tap for an engaging discussion with Rabbi Helene Kornsgold of “Sex in the Text,” as we explore the Jewish holiday of love, Tu B’Av, while enjoying some delicious wine and chocolates.

NEWCOMER SOCIAL
THURSDAY, AUGUST 31 (6:30-8:30pm)
Location: Olde Mecklenberg Brewery

Are you new in town? New to Jewish life in Charlotte? Looking to re-enter the Jewish community? Come join Torah on Tap at OMB for a fun evening of food, drink, and new friends! Light appetizers will be provided. Hope to see you there!

SAVE THE DATE!
Community-Wide Young Adult Rosh Hashanah Party
Thursday, September 14 (7:00-9:00pm)
Location: To Be Announced

Join the Charlotte young adult community for a New Year’s Eve Celebration in honor of Rosh Hashanah. More information to come!

BREAK (THE) FAST
LET’S EAT THE NIGHT AWAY!
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 (8:00-10:00pm)
Location: Brixx Wood Fired Pizza/Foxcroft

If you have craved food all day & love a good time with friends...Let’s Eat the Night Away! You have fasted all day, now join Torah on Tap as we celebrate the end of Yom Kippur and the start to an exciting New Year. We will provide the appetizers to start you off. Feel free to invite all your friends, just let us know how many people will be attending so we can save you a seat.

THE ILLUSTRATED TORAH

The Illustrated Torah, created with the gifted hand of Israeli artist Michal Meron, is a beautiful, hand painted scroll that represents the stories within the 54 weekly parshiot of our traditional Torah through highlighted texts and vibrant images.

You can feel it, interact with it, experience it and learn from it.

Reserve your place in Temple Israel’s history.

Purchase a pasuk (verse), aliyah or parsha corresponding to a Bar or Bat Mitzvah, anniversary, birthday or any other simcha.

Or purchase an entire book.

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TEMPLE ISRAEL SOCIAL ACTION 2017/2018

Performing Acts of Loving Kindness Together

We live our Jewish values at Temple Israel by helping those in need in the Jewish and broader Charlotte Jewish community. Our youth, adults and families come together as a single caring community to perform mitzvot year round. As we enter the Jewish New Year, we want to pause to take stock of where we’ve been and where we’d like to go as we move forward.

Ongoing Programs

Temple Israel, through its Social Action Committee and the efforts of many Temple Israel volunteers, directly supports many in need in the community on an ongoing basis, through the following programs:

- Collecting canned and packaged foods during the High Holy Days for Jewish Family Services and Blessings in a Backpack;
- Serving meals and providing clothing and other necessities for the Men’s Shelter of Charlotte around Thanksgiving, on Christmas Eve and in the springtime;
- Providing toiletries and other personal care items to the Women’s Shelter at Christmas;
- Providing a large and steady flow of reading tutors and other support (e.g., Blessings in a Backpack) to Huntingtowne Farms Elementary School;
- Working with other agencies and institutions on Shalom Park to support numerous joint social action activities including Room in the Inn, the Shalom Park Freedom School, and the Jewish Community Refugee Initiative;
- Organizing and implementing Yom Gemilut Hasadim, a Day of Acts of Loving Kindness that brings together families and friends for a day of service on Shalom Park; and
- Highlighting other volunteer opportunities that arise in our community.

New Directions

Grounded by our values, ethics and obligations to perform mitzvot as members of the Conservative Jewish Community, we are exploring how best to extend our reach to help those in need within the greater Charlotte community. This effort is especially topical in light of the work done by the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Opportunity Task Force, which was convened in response to a report by a Harvard researcher in 2014 that ranked Charlotte 50th out of 50 large metropolitan areas in terms of social mobility, i.e., the ability of those at the bottom of the economic ladder to climb up and live the American Dream.

The Opportunity Task Force’s report, Leading on Opportunity, calls on houses of worship to help implement the Opportunity Task Force’s many thoughtful recommendations. Before jumping in, however, we plan to hold a series of gatherings where we’ll share some Ted Talks and bring in some speakers to help prepare us to best make a difference.

Call to Action – Please Join Us

We are very grateful for all of you who devote your time and other resources, both so precious, to helping us help those in need. As always, the needs exceed available resources. At this time, we are especially focused on engaging as many members of Temple Israel (all ages) as possible to join us in these efforts. We will be reaching out to you with specific ways for you to get involved. We also welcome suggestions about how best to serve.

Steve Cohen (stevencohen99@yahoo.com) and Neal Golub (ngolub123@gmail.com)
Co-Chairs, Temple Israel Social Action Committee

SHALOM GREEN

Please consider volunteering at Shalom Green’s final Community Garden Work Day this summer:

**Sunday, August 27 - 9:00-11:00am**

During the workday, volunteers can help with garden maintenance including weeding, removing old plants and planting new ones, soil amendment, etc.

**SHALOM PARK COMMUNITY GARDEN:**

- Fights Hunger by partnering with Friendship Gardens/Friendship Trays and Jewish Family Services to feed the hungry.
- Fights Obesity by teaching children and adults about healthy eating.
- Promotes Sustainability by teaching about eating locally and seasonally and gardening organically
- Strengthens Community by bringing all segments of the Shalom Park Community together in the garden.
We currently have 102 families who have made Temple Israel part of their legacy. **In celebration of 120 years, can you help us achieve 120 Legacies??**

Please contact our Membership Director, Monty Bennett, at the Temple office, or by email at mbennett@templeisraelnc.org.

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**GO GREEN INITIATIVE**

As part of our commitment to the Shalom Park Environmental Initiative – **SHALOM GREEN** – we are pleased to offer our readers the opportunity to receive a digital version of KOL YISRAEL sent directly to them via email, in lieu of receiving a hard copy in the mail.

If you would like to receive just the digital version of our bi-monthly publication, please email marketing@templeisraelnc.org.
TEMPLE ISRAEL SISTERHOOD
The definition of Sisterhood that I like best is “a community of women linked together by a common interest, religion or trade”. Though members of Temple Israel’s Sisterhood are a variety of ages, backgrounds, marital status, careers and yes, even religions, we do share these goals:

• to be our best selves
• to support Jewish life
• to support Temple Israel
• to support Israel
• to encourage social responsibility

Additionally, we are here for each other. We celebrate and mourn together. We study and play together. Ten years ago I moved to Charlotte from New York and literally did not know a soul, and now I’m Sisterhood President!

During my years as a member of Temple Israel’s Sisterhood I’ve met so many great women. Each one of our “sisters” has a talent, wisdom, passion and/or willingness to work toward accomplishing the aforementioned goals. Won’t you join us? With your help we can continue our journey to improve ourselves, our Jewish community and our world.

My best wishes for a year of peace, health and joy,
Shellie Barer
Temple Israel Sisterhood President

Upcoming Sisterhood Events
Our management team is busily planning for the 2017 – 2018 year. These events are in the planning stage and more details will follow.

August: Collection of school supplies for Huntingtowne Farms Elementary School

Sunday, October 15: Grand Reopening of The Rose Room Gift Shop

Saturday, January 27, 2018: Sisterhood Shabbat
TBD: Children’s Book Program
TBD: Charlotte’s Immigrants

*Please remember our monthly Rosh Chodesh Study Group following Shabbat services on the following dates:
2017
August 26, October 21, November 25, December 23
2018
January 20, February 17, March 17, April 21, May 19, June 16

The Rose Room
TI Sisterhood Judaica Gift Shop
Visit us in our temporary location in the Gorelick Education Building

GIFT SHOP HOURS (August-September)
The Gift Shop will be open by appointment only. Please contact Cindy Jennes 704-362-2796, or Tess Berger 704-488-3842. We will be happy to meet you at the temporary gift shop for all of your Judaica shopping needs.

Coming soon: Our new gift shop will be opening in October - look for the announcement!

Proceeds support Temple Israel, Sisterhood, Temple Israel Youth Programs, and Social Action Initiatives
MEN’S CLUB

Some of our members attended the FJMC (Federation of Jewish Men’s Clubs) Convention in July, outside Washington, DC, and we’ll have some updates for you in our next edition. One of the benefits of these conventions, in addition to the camaraderie and reconnecting with our friends from all over North America and the world, is that we gain a lot of ideas for new programs and activities for our Men’s Club, which we hope to put into practice next year.

We are also looking forward to the first programs of our new year:

4th Annual Kosher BBQ Championship
Monday, September 4, 11:00am – 3:00pm
Our own Men’s Club team will be competing!

Men’s Club Social/Business Networking Night
Thursday, September 14, 7:30pm
Join us for this initiative to encourage effective business networking. Share ideas and gain marketing ideas from others - all in a social setting. Limited to 25-30 participants. Food & drinks will be served. RSVP by September 7 to Richard Freiberg at hvrprez@windstream.net.

Scotch & Cigars in the Sukkah
October date tba
Sukkot, our traditional Holy Day for renewal, is when we host a lively discussion in the Sukkah while enjoying Scotch and Cigars. We’ll send more information by post and e-mail as the dates come closer.

We would like to thank all our members for their support for the last year and encourage all of you (and even more) to become involved in the new year.

L’Shanah Tovah

Michael Abadi, President
Abadim7470@aol.com

SOCIAL CLUB

The mission of the Social Club is to provide an active social life for active adults (single or couples 55+) who are members of any area synagogue. Through the Social Club’s various events (approximately 8 to 10 per year), the organization becomes a mechanism for newcomers to the Charlotte area to make new friends.

Our June event to see “A Chorus Line” at CPCC’s Halton Theater was enjoyed by all who attended. After the show, we had a great dinner at a nearby restaurant.

In July, the Social Club toured the Mint Museum, on Randolph Road, to see the exhibit “The Wyeths: Three Generations,” led by docents. Mint Museum members attended for free and senior non-members paid a $9 entrance fee. Afterwards we had dinner at a local restaurant.

We have some exciting events coming up in 2017-2018, beginning with a very special trip:

MISTY MEADOWS FARM
Thursday, September 14
10:00 am
The Social Club will be taking a trip to visit Harry Swimmer’s Misty Meadows Mitey Riders therapeutic horse farm. We will learn about this program for rehabilitating special needs children by putting them on horses. Harry Swimmer was a finalist in CNN’s person of the year for the wonderful work he does. The farm is located in Waxhaw. We will have lunch afterwards at a local restaurant. More information will be coming in our forthcoming flyer.

SAVE THE DATES

Temple Israel Social Club Sukkah Dinner
Tuesday, October 10
6:00pm (Temple Israel Sukkah)

Annual Hanukkah Luncheon
Sunday, December 10
12:30pm (Leon & Sandra Levine Social Hall)

Remember, if you are looking for a special gift or donation honoring that special person or persons, a one-year membership to the Social Club could be the start of something that lasts a lifetime.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE TI SOCIAL CLUB, CONTACT CO-PRESIDENTS:
RUTH GOLDBERG (704) 366-8903 or
IRVING BIENSTOCK (704) 542-0094.

Social Club: Cuban Experience Luncheon, 5.28.17
LIFELONG LEARNING

Emotions, Soul, and the Flow of Life: A Jewish Mindfulness
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16
7:30pm, beginning with Minyan
(Leon & Sandra Levine Social Hall)

In this class, taught by Temple Israel member Danny Cohen*, we’ll look together at a profound teaching by the Piasezner Rebbe (rebbe of the Warsaw ghetto) that explores how our daily distractions and habits, what we feel in our bodies, and the impulse for authentic living are connected. We’ll use his words and insights to reflect on the ways we limit our vitality, while discovering opportunities for greater aliveness waiting right under our noses. To bring our discussion into the realm of experience, we’ll experiment with some mindfulness practices that can increase our awareness and mental clarity, and help us live with more vibrant presence and authenticity.

Cost: Free to attend
*Danny Cohen is the founding director of Or HaLev: Center for Jewish Spirituality and Meditation

SPECIAL EVENTS & ALTERNATIVE SERVICES

CELEBRATING SENIORS SHABBAT
SATURDAY, AUGUST 5
9:30am

Please join us for Shabbat services as we pay tribute to our seniors. Afterwards, stay and enjoy a special Kiddush.

TORAH TOTS - SPLASH INTO SHABBAT
FRIDAY, AUGUST 11
4:30 – 6:30pm

All pre-school families are welcome to SPLASH INTO SHABBAT with Torah Tots at the LJCC Pool/Splash Park! There will be open play, songs, and a Shabbat service, capped off with a delicious kid-friendly meal ($5/person or $18/family).

Pay in advance online at templeisraelnc.org, under “register for an event.” (On day of event, payment with cash or check only.).

JAVA N’ JEANS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7
9:30am

Do you have questions about Jewish prayer? Are you seeking a deeper meaning behind the prayers? Join Rabbi Klirs for Java ’N Jeans at its new time - 9:30-10:30am - on the 1st Shabbat morning of the month, when you can delve into and discuss the true meaning and purpose of prayer in an informal setting. Coffee is provided and we welcome everyone, regardless of background. Feel free to wear your favorite pair of jeans or whatever you like! After a robust, interactive study session, everyone is encouraged to join the congregation for the remainder of the service in the main sanctuary and stay for the Kiddush luncheon afterwards.
Z’HAVAH
Did you know that Temple Israel Sisterhood has a special interest group devoted solely to women in their 30s, 40s and early 50s? We are young women of diverse backgrounds and interests: some work full-time, part-time or stay-at-home; some have children in elementary school and some at college; and some are single, divorced, have significant others, newly married or have been married awhile. Wherever we are in life, one thing is certain: Z’havah is the means for you to develop lasting friendships, enrich your lives, expand your community, learn new skills, and help others.

TAPAS TASTING FOR ROSH HASHANAH WITH CHEF ALYSSA
THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 2017
6:45-9:00pm
Location: Atherton Market, 2104 South Blvd
Z’havah invites all ladies of Temple Israel to gather together for a sweet new year with a Tapas Tasting for Rosh Hashanah! Sisterhood will provide wine for the evening. Cost: $35/person. Register at http://tapas831.ezregister.com/
*This special event is open to ALL women of Temple Israel. Limit 35.
Questions?
Please contact Laurie Sheinhaus laushein@gmail.com

WELCOME BACK TO SHUL SHABBAT FAMILY DINNER & SERVICES
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
5:30pm
Reconnect with friends and extended family as we celebrate Shabbat together with a special Family Shabbat Dinner and evening service. Welcome/opening by Rabbi Ezring, and service led by Rabbi Kornsgold. Torah Tots service will also take place after dinner.
5:30pm - Dairy Dinner (Leon & Sandra Levine Social Hall)
6:15pm - Services
(Morris & Sylvia Speizman Sanctuary)
Torah Tots (Outside on lawn)

MENU
Baked Ziti
Salad
Garlic Bread
Brownies/Cookies
Lemonade/Tea/Water

COST
$10/Adults
$7/Child (6-12 year olds)
$5/Little Ones (1-5 year olds)

RESERVATION DEADLINE: Friday, September 1
RSVP online at templeisraelnc.org.

SOCIAL/BUSINESS NETWORKING NIGHT
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14
7:30pm (Multipurpose Room A)
Join us for this initiative to encourage effective business networking. Share ideas and gain marketing knowledge from others – all in a social setting. Limited to 25-30 participants. Food and drinks will be served. RSVP by Sep. 7 to Richard Freiberg (hvrprez5@windstream.net)

TEMPLE ISRAEL BOOK CLUB
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3
7:30pm
(Multipurpose Room B)
Inspired by historical events, Lauren Belfer’s, And After the Fire is “a powerful and passionate novel” about two women - one European and one American - and the mysterious choral masterpiece by Johann Sebastian Bach that changes both their lives.

Readers are sure to be intrigued by Lauren Belfer’s “deeply researched, evocative and compelling narrative that resonates with emotion and immediacy.” Copies of And After the Fire are available at the Levine-Sklut and Public Libraries and may be ordered on-line for under $15.

Everyone is welcome to attend Temple Israel Book Club meetings even if you haven’t read the book. For additional information, contact Linda Levy (704-366-6362, levyollie@aol.com.)

SAVE THE DATE!
SUkkot food truck festival
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8
11:30am-2:30pm
(at Temple Israel’s large Sukkah)
Temple Israel and Temple Beth El will host a special joint Sukkot celebration at Temple Israel when Fresh Med, King of Pops, New World Wrap and Papi Queso come to Shalom Park! The Olde Mecklenburg Brewery will also have a truck onsite.

CAROLINA CHAMBER PLAYERS Present “ISRAEL LIVE”
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29
3:30pm (at Temple Israel)
Join Temple Israel as we celebrate Israel’s 70th Birthday with a once-in-a-lifetime cultural event with the Carolina Chamber Players, featuring members of the Charlotte Symphony Orchestra, as they perform music by famous Israeli composers. The concert will be followed by a dessert reception.
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Leslie Goldfarb  
Mary Jean Kushner  
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Dana Goldfarb  
Steven Goldman  
Ginger Snitz |
| AUGUST 3 | Sharon Browning  
Michael Goresky  
Justin Levine  
Sari Rosenberger |
| AUGUST 4 | Robin Bernstein  
Jennifer Rosen  
Benjamin Steinman |
| AUGUST 5 | David Berman  
Teresa Brenner  
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Ian Sacks  
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Karen Spiegler |
| AUGUST 9 | Howie Cole  
Ariel Cooperman  
Mia Jackowitz  
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Gregory Musa  
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Noah Fisher  
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Terri Cathcart  
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Jean Steinman  
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| AUGUST 13 | Justin Horwitz  
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Anne Mendelson  
Fern Sanderson |
| AUGUST 14 | Brett Samuel Balick  
Rebecca Brenner  
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Daren Hirsch  
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MAY THEIR MEMORIES BE A BLESSING
*Denotes a plaque

Week of August 4
Sadie Ashendorf
Helen Badt
Abraham Ezring
Philip Feinberg
Louis Glickman
Kalman Gordon
Lillian Greenspan
Yetta Herd
William Kennedy
Corinne Kweskin
Pauline Lavitt*
Alex Madans*
Isidore Mazur*
Zelda Nacdimen
Robert Pratt
Jacob Pressman*
Bessie Rosen
Frances Sahn*
Jerry Schuler
Shirley Shumrack
Bernice Simons
Ethel Solomon
Shirley Tonelson
Jerrold Winer
Meyer Wingrod

Week of August 11
Phoebe Abrahams
Adolph Barer
Philip Bernanke
Abraham Bramson
Ethel Cohen*
Albert Edelstein
Audrey Edelstein
Rose Feldstein
Shirley Fisher
Irwin Glucroft
Betty Elbaum Grobstein
Max Gubin
Alvin Levine*
Derek Levy
Joseph Millman
Annette Powell
Jeannen Rauch
Nathan Arnold Rauch*
Eleanor Rich
Ida Roochvarg*
Louis Shifrin*
Edith Shomstein
Mary Jane Silverman*
William Silverstein
Gerald Sinkoe*
Ted Valenstein*
Abe Weinstein*

Week of August 18
Renate Berger
Walter Brenner
Eudien Clymer
Hersh Cohen*
Hilde Cohen
Sally Levine Corzin
Richard Fine
Marilyn Freeman
Blossom Glickman
Ernest Golden*
Marcia Gottlieb
Sheila “Cissy” Gottlieb*
Fannie Gromadzyn
Bessie Kalchman
Jurgen Kaunitz
Faye Leven*
Mildred Malman
Shirley Mendelson
Israel Mordukhovich
Bennett Oxman
Astrid Palmer
Max Putterman
Damiana Rivera
Anne Settles
Louis Shapiro
Marilyn Shapiro*
Sharon Sherr
Josef Sklut*
Herb Williams
Stephen Zweier

Week of August 25
Lorri Barman*
Bette Bayer*
William Bennett
Manfred Berger*
Sharon Bernstein
Ruth Boxer
Julius Brenner
Sylvia Brenner
Ruben Bruck
Isidore Garten
Julio Granda
Florence Grossman
Sophia Kantor*
Boris Karlin
Irving Krieger
Barbara Ann Kweskin*
Eva Lebowitz
Ann Lerner
Sherman Levine*
Louis Myers
Daisy Olshan
Lorraine Oudin
Ezie Isadore Sinkoe*
Bernard Udell

Into God’s Hand I Commit My Spirit

The Solitary Flame of the Yahrzeit light is a silent tribute to the preciousness and eternity of the human soul. Attending services, reciting Kaddish and contributing to tzedakah (charity) are appropriate ways to commemorate your loved one’s memory.

If you are interested in purchasing a permanent Memorial Plaque and have it placed in our Memorial Gallery, please call the Clergy Office (704) 362-2796 for more information.
**WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 1**
- Minda Baikovitz
- Emma Bates*
- Betty Belicove
- Joseph Besnoy*
- Bernie Coran
- Sophie Edelstein
- Billie Eisner
- Morris Farber
- Hazel Flash
- Stan Grey
- Eva Hyman*
- Wille Kaplan*
- Sidney Levin*
- Rose Luski*
- Gavriel Me-Zahav
- Louis Seitelin
- Regina Stahl
- David Zibel
- Cynthia Zoeller

**WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 8**
- Ethel Abrams
- Zina Becker
- Yetta Besnoy*
- Pincus Boxer
- Jacob Brodsky
- Melville Cohen
- George Culiner
- Malcolm Flash
- Barbara Folkart
- Mary Garris
- Fannie Gastman*
- Paul Gottlieb*
- Kenneth Hochman
- Lillian Kaller
- Mindy Ellen Levine*
- Peter Mathews*
- Blanche Palley*
- Roy Plotkin
- Donald Porter
- Paula Raposa
- Georgeana Rippner
- Jacob Rosen
- Meyer (Mike) Rubenstein*
- David Mann
- Gloria Rubenstein*
- Doris Cohn Shapiro
- Harry Smigel
- Rachel Steinberg
- Rudolph Steiner*
- Ann Tepper*

**WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 15**
- Herbert Addison
- Samuel Applebaum
- Marc Ben-Joseph
- Nan Yetta Bernanke
- Ted Boyce
- Bessie Bramson
- Arthur Breidbart*
- Tillie Breidbart*
- Harry (Smith) Brown
- Mildred Fandal*
- Louis Hermann*
- Blanche Jaffa*
- Arthur Kahn
- Anne W. Klein
- Seymour Kramer*
- Jan Lefkowitz
- Paul Levine
- Moses S. Lewin*
- Mickey Lieb*
- Barbara Mandell

**WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 22**
- Rosalie Ashendorf*
- Alan Barman
- Bryan Bernstein
- Alex Binnick
- Erika Brodsky
- Donald Cohn
- Ruth Culiner
- Elizabeth Denham*
- Harry Dopkin
- Heddy Friedman
- Leslie Boxer Glass*
- Rose Goldenberg
- Jack I. Goldman
- Florence Gould
- Audrey Kahn
- Sherrie Kantor*
- Archie Kirschman*
- Solomon Kliger*
- Benjamin Kline
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- Anna Pransky*
- Oville Reilly
- Ann Salsburg*
- Bertha Schuman*
- Anna Seligson
- Sybil Shure
- Sophie Sobel
- Freda Symons
- Mary Zulman

**WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 29**
- Aleksandr Bank*
- Jason Goodman
- Ethel Goodman
- Arthur Herbstman
- Herman Kritzer*
- Robert Leibowitz
- Solomon Michel
- Herman Poliakoff*
- Stephen Rippner
- Stanly Seidman
- Pauline Wernick*
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Carolyn Rodd, Principal, Huntingtowne Farms Elementary School

HUNTINGTOWNE FARMS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FOX FUND

Do you have a passion for social action AND education? Then the Huntingtowne Farms Elementary School Fox Fund is an opportunity for you to help at our partner school. This fund was established to aid the children of HFES in many ways.
TEMPLE ISRAEL ENDOWMENT FUNDS

Did you know that Temple Israel has nearly 20 endowment funds that help to support Temple Israel’s ongoing operational needs, specific program efforts and our Temple members through financial assistance and religious school scholarships? In addition, the Temple has more than 20 in-house funds that support the Temple’s outreach efforts to members, ongoing maintenance and repair needs, scholarships, holiday and annual programs, and other operational needs.

Each month, dozens of Temple members and friends make contributions to these funds in honor or in memory of loved ones and friends. These generous gifts make it possible for our endowment and in-house funds to provide ongoing support to the Temple on an annual basis that supplements the operating budget and ensures that sufficient funding is available to meet the needs of our members.

Thank you to all of the generous donors who regularly contribute to Temple Israel’s endowment and in-house funds. Your donations truly make a difference!

TEMPLE ISRAEL ENDOwMENTS

Aaron Gleiberman
Simchat Torah Celebration Endowment Fund – To subsidize the costs of annual Simchat Torah celebrations
Albert & Mary Kathleen Miller Endowment Fund – To provide religious school scholarships and youth programming including trips, camp and Israel travel experiences
Alene & Samuel Strauss Emergency Endowment Fund – To provide emergency assistance for individuals and families
Ashendorf/Citron/Boxer Medical Endowment Fund – To assist with medical expenses
Barbara & Jerry Levin Religious School Endowment Fund – To provide religious school scholarships and financial assistance
Cissie Wollman Membership Scholarships Endowment Fund – To provide financial assistance to subsidize the cost of Temple membership
David Silverman School Scholarship Endowment Fund – To provide religious school scholarships and financial assistance
Doris & Albert Rousse Purim Endowment Fund – To provide Purim programs and celebrations
Etta & Louis Greenspon Senior Citizen Endowment Fund – To provide senior activity programs
Harry & Micky Schwartz Education Endowment Fund – To provide religious school scholarships and Israel travel experiences for children
Leonard & Ann Slesinger Education Endowment Fund – To provide religious school scholarships and financial assistance
Maurice A. & Rosa B. Weinstein Adult Education Endowment Fund – To provide adult education programs
Michael Meiselman TI Operational Support Endowment Fund – To provide annual operational support to Temple Israel
Michael Meiselman Legacy Program Endowment Fund – To provide support for Temple Israel programming
Pearl & Ralph Kier Sukkot Endowment Fund – To provide Sukkot celebrations
Sheldon Gorelick Family Endowment Fund for Temple Israel – To provide youth programming including trips, camp and Israel travel experiences
Sherman & Alyce Levine Social Action Endowment Fund – To provide social action programming
Shirley & Sol Levine Religious School Teacher Education Endowment Fund – To her education
Temple Israel Building Endowment Fund – To maintain the Temple building
Temple Israel Education Endowment Fund – To subsidize religious school and education related expenses
Temple Israel Endowment Fund – To provide annual operational support to Temple Israel
Wendy & Frank Rosen Endowment Fund – To provide Rabbinic programming
William & Patty Gorelick Membership Endowment Fund – To provide financial assistance to subsidize the cost of Temple membership

TEMPLE ISRAEL IN-HOUSE FUNDS

Associate Rabbi’s Tzedakah Fund – To be used at Rabbi Raucher’s discretion
Cantor’s Music Fund – To provide musical programs and activities
Celia Scher Holocaust Fund – To support annual Yom Hashoah commemoration
General Fund – To provide unrestricted operational support to the Temple
Huntingtowne Farms Elementary School Fox Fund – To support the children at Huntingtowne Farms Elementary School
Kiddush Fund – To offset Temple Israel’s Kiddush expenses and help B’nai Mitzvah families with the costs of Kiddush
Kristallnacht Fund – To support annual Kristallnacht program or other Holocaust education programs
Madans Family Shivah Fund – To provide comfort to mourners and visitors and foster meaningful experiences for shivah services held at the temple.
Membership Outreach Fund – To provide for outreach to prospective, new and long-time Temple Israel members including bringing meals to ill or recently hospitalized individuals, programs for young adults and efforts to welcome new members to our community
Pransky Family Camp Ramah Scholarship Fund – To help religious school students attend Camp Ramah
Rock HaRuach Band Fund – To subsidize the Rock HaRuach band
Sadie Starr Silver Fund – To purchase silver for the Temple
Sam Lerner Sukkah Garden Fund – To provide support for the Sukkah, the Sukkah garden and Sukkot programs
Senior Rabbi’s Tzedakah Fund – To be used at Rabbi Ezring’s discretion
Shai Richardson Camp Scholarship Fund – To help children attend a Jewish Camp
Sisterhood Youth Program Fund – To support youth programming
Social Action Fund – To support social action programs including Room in the Inn and the Men’s Shelter
Steinberger Yahrzeit Fund – To offset the cost of the Book of Remembrance and assist families with the cost of memorial plaques
Stuart Ostrow Youth Fund – To provide youth programs and activities
Sunday Morning Minyan Breakfast Fund – To supplement the costs of breakfast

PLEASE NOTE

Temple Israel can no longer send acknowledgements prior to receiving payment for donations. We will happily keep a card on file to assist you in quickly, and easily, making donations in honor or memory of your loved ones and friends. Thank you for your continued support.

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Aaron Gleiberman
Simchat Torah
Celebration Endowment Fund
Jeffrey & Marcia
Gleiberman, in memory of
Alice Coran.
Rhoda Gleiberman,
in honor of Madeline
Eckard becoming a Bat
Mitzvah.
Rhoda Gleiberman,
in memory of Buddy
Roberts.
Rhoda Gleiberman,
yahrzeit of Gabriel
Gleiberman.
Rhoda Gleiberman,
yahrzeit of Dora
Gleiberman.

Alene & Samuel
Strause Emergency
Endowment Fund
Lucky & Lisa Levinson,
in memory of Uncle
Buddy Roberts.

David Silverman
School Scholarship
Endowment Fund
Ralph & Sonni Besnoy,
in honor of Marty and
Elaine Schefflin—Thank
you!
Ralph & Sonni Besnoy,
in honor of Stacey and
Ira Slomka—Thank you!
Mark & Jean Kirsch and
family, wishing Samuel
Kirsch a complete
recovery.
Mark & Jean Kirsch and
family, wishing David
Weinberg a complete
recovery.
Marc & Mattye
Silverman, in memory of
Julius Goldman.
Marc & Mattye
Silverman, in memory of
Buddy Roberts.

Etta & Louis
Greenspon Senior
Citizen Endowment
Fund
Evelyn Berger, wishing
Sheila Kasten a speedy
recovery.
Evelyn Berger wishing
Judi Lecker a speedy
recovery.
Keith Greenspon, in
memory of Buddy
Roberts.

Leonard and Ann
Slesinger Education
Endowment Fund
Al & Phyllis Garten,
in memory of Buddy
Roberts.
Ron Kahn & Dalya
Kutcher, wishing Meg
Slesinger a happy
birthday.
Cathy, Joel, and Meg
Slesinger, in honor of
the birth of Marcelina
Slesinger Henschel.
Cathy, Joel, and Meg
Slesinger, in memory of
Buddy Roberts.
Steve & Beth Stillitano,
in appreciation of Rob
Sisson.

Shirley & Sol
Levine Religious
School Teacher
Education
Endowment Fund
Ed & Debora Pizer,
in memory of Julius
Goldman.
Ed & Debora Pizer,
in memory of Buddy
Roberts.

Temple Israel
Building
Endowment Fund
Ann Langman, in
memory of Hilda Laskar.
David & Beth Thrope,
wishing Morey & Lynne
Sheffer a happy 40th
anniversary.

Temple Israel
Education
Endowment Fund
Marvin Barman &
Sharon Taubman, in
memory of William
Weinstock.
Marvin Barman &
Sharon Taubman, in
memory of Julius
Goldman.
Les & Mary Gordan,
in memory of William
Weinstock.

Maurice A. &
Rosa B. Weinstein
Adult Education
Endowment Fund
Jon & Stephanie Simon,
in memory of Irving
Shapiro.
Monty Bennett, wishing
Leigh (OBM) Jacobson a
speedy recovery.

Ron & Janice Weiner,
in memory of William
Weinstock.
Ron & Janice Weiner,
in memory of Irving
Shapiro.
Ron & Janice Weiner,
in memory of Julius
Goldman.
Ron & Janice Weiner,
in honor of the birth of
Asher Steech.
Ron & Janice Weiner,
in honor of the birth of
Mira Weiner.

Cantor’s Music
Fund
Monty Bennett, in
memory of William
Weinstock.
Julie Bradlow, in honor
of Cantor Roochvarg on
the occasion of Evelyn
Gause becoming a Bat
Mitzvah.
Ed & Debora Pizer,
thank you to Cantor
Roochvarg and Monty
for a beautiful Cantor &
Friends concert.

Celia Scher
Holocaust Fund
Steve & Beth Stillitano,
in honor of Mike Eisner.

General Fund
Bob & Ann Abel, in
memory of Buddy
Roberts.
Harvey & Shellie Barer,
in memory of William
Weinstock.
Harvey & Shellie Barer,
in memory of Julius
Goldman.
Monty Bennett, in
memory of Julius
Goldman.
Brian & Glenda
Bernhardt, in honor
of Sarah Rosenthal’s
graduation from
Quinnipiac University.
Irving & Lillian
Bienstock, in memory of
Julius Goldman.
Irving & Lillian
Bienstock, in memory of
Hilda Lasker.
Irving & Lillian
Bienstock, in memory of
Buddy Roberts.
Irving & Lillian
Bienstock, in memory of
Helen Alpert.
Irving & Lillian Bienstock, in memory of Joel Goldman.

Irving & Lillian Bienstock, in memory of William Weinstock.

Arlene Davis, yahrzeit of Ruth Wiesner.

Carmen Fragoso, in honor of the birth of Asher Jean Steech.

David, Ellen, Alec, Nicole, & Jake Framm, in memory of Brad Grey.

Al & Phyllis Garten, wishing George Schneider a happy 75th birthday.

Elliot & Peggy Gartner, in memory of Sheila Fisher.

Elliot & Peggy Gartner, in memory of Harold Kossove.

Alan & Ruth Goldberg, in honor of the birth of Mira Weiner.

Shelton & Ellen Goldstein, yahrzeit of Julius Goldstein.

Jason & Kathryn (OBM) Goodfriend, in honor of Terri Cathcart.

Les & Mary Gordon, wishing George Schneider a happy birthday.


Stephanie Brodsky Haynes, in memory of Sheila Fisher.

Stephanie Brodsky Haynes, in memory of Martha Sussman.

Richard & Barbara Herd, in honor of David & Beth Thrope.

Richard & Barbara Herd, in memory of Buddy Roberts.

Richard & Barbara Herd, congratulations to Irv & Sylvia Swartz on your granddaughter's trip and Aliyah to Israel.

Joel & Sandy Hirschman, in memory of Julius Goldman.

Joel & Sandy Hirschman, in memory of William Weinstock.

Martin & Cindy Jenns, in memory of Irving Shapiro.

Helene Levine, in memory of Buddy Roberts.

Howard & Julie Levine, in memory of Julius Goldman.

Leon & Sandra Levine, in memory of Buddy Roberts.

Leon & Sandra Levine, in memory of Harold Kossove.

Leon & Sandra Levine, in memory of Sheila Fisher.

Leon & Sandra Levine, in memory of Ed Green.

Audrey Madans, yahrzeit of Sophie Madans.

Robert & Marilyn Milden, wishing Thomas Milden a happy birthday.

David & Judy Miller, in memory of Julius Goldman.

David & Judy Miller, in memory of Irving Shapiro.

Allan & Marcelle Oxman, in honor of the birth of Barrett VanBuskirk.


Edwin & Leslie Rusgo, in memory of Josh Klemons' recent marriage.

Edwin & Leslie Rusgo, in memory of Brad Grey.

George & Lois Schneider, yahrzeit of Marlan Schneider.

George & Lois Schneider, yahrzeit of George Seff.

Carol Shafranek, in memory of Sheila Fisher.

Carol Shafranek, in memory of Harold Kossove.

Barbara Sklut, in memory of Buddy Roberts.

Steve & Beth Stillitano, in honor of Roz Cooper and her years of dedication to the education of our youth.

Robert & Joyce Stoll, in honor of Hannah Ross becoming a Bat Mitzvah.

Robert & Joyce Stoll, yahrzeit of Bel Doctofsky.


Barney & Harriet Weinstock, yahrzeit of Ida Weinstock.

Kristallnacht Fund
Harvey & Shellie Barer, wishing Irving Bienstock a happy birthday.

Madans Family Shivav Fund
Denise Abadi, in honor of Audrey Madans' dedication to the Temple Israel Sisterhood.

Monty Bennett, wishing Craig & Dorothy Madans a happy 20th anniversary.

Monty Bennett, yahrzeit of Frances Bonetti.

Tess Berger, in honor of Audrey Madans' dedication to the Temple Israel Sisterhood.

Bunny Bramson, in honor of Audrey Madans' dedication to the Temple Israel Sisterhood.

Elaine Dinerman, in memory of Julius Goldman.

Audrey Madans, wishing Buddy Roberts (OBM) a happy birthday.

Audrey Madans, wishing Norman Steinberger a happy birthday.

Audrey Madans, wishing Rabbi Ezring a happy birthday.

Audrey Madans, in memory of William Weinstock.

Audrey Madans, in memory of Buddy Roberts.

Craig & Dorothy Madans, in memory of Buddy Roberts.

Hilary Rosenbaum, in honor of Audrey Madans' dedication to the Temple Israel Sisterhood.

Mannie & Dikla Frances, yahrzeit of Simon Frances.

Alan & Ruth Goldberg, in memory of Buddy Roberts.

Cindy Jenns, in honor of Audrey Madans' dedication to the Temple Israel Sisterhood.

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**Pransky Family Camp Ramah Scholarship Fund**
Julie Bradlow, in honor of Barbara Ezring and Sheila Spitz on the occasion of Evelyn Gause becoming a Bat Mitzvah.
Donald & Shevi Herbstman, wishing George Schneider a happy special birthday.
Baila Pransky, get well wishes to Denise Abadi.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Jackie Katz.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Joel Goldman.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Victor Osborne.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Martha Sussman.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Harold Kossove.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Ralph Rabinowitz.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Patty Gorelick.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Buddy Roberts.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Pearl Kie.
Baila Pransky, in memory of Nathan Burgen.
The Pransky family wishing Baila Pransky a Happy Mother’s Day.

**Sadie Starr Silver Fund**
Mark & Jean Kirsch and family, in honor of Judith Cohen on her graduation.
Marvin & Anita Shapiro, wishing Leonard & Judi Strause a happy anniversary.
Marvin & Anita Shapiro, wishing Lynn Edelstein a happy birthday.
Marvin & Anita Shapiro, wishing Sandra & Leon Levine a happy anniversary.
Marvin & Anita Shapiro, wishing Paul Edelstein a happy birthday.
Marvin & Anita Shapiro, yahrzeit of Sadie Shapiro.
Marvin & Anita Shapiro, yahrzeit of Ron LeRoy.

**Senior Rabbi’s Tzedakah Fund**
Julie Bradlow, in honor of Rabbi Ezring on the occasion of Evelyn Gause becoming a Bat Mitzvah.
Stuart & Ellen Fligel, in memory of Buddy Roberts.
The family of Shirley Goodman, in honor of Rabbi Ezring for officiating the unveiling of Shirley Goodman.
Uriel Gottesman, in memory of William Weinstock.
Sam & Linda Levy, wishing George Schneider a happy 75th birthday.
Isaac & Sonia Luski, in memory of Buddy Roberts.
Bernice Roberts, in appreciation of Rabbi Ezring for everything you did for our family.

**Shai Richardson Camp Scholarship Fund**
Alan & Ruth Goldberg, in memory of Julius Goldman.
Connie Ostrow, wishing Linda Greenfield a speedy recovery.
Connie Ostrow, in honor of the marriage of Rachel and Dom.
Connie Ostrow, in memory of Buddy Roberts.
Connie Ostrow, in memory of Brad Grey.
Mark Sahn, yahrzeit of Milton Sahn.

**Social Action Fund**
Elaine Dinerman, in memory of Buddy Roberts.
Mona Radiloff, in memory of Buddy Roberts.
David & Beth Thrope, in memory of Hannah Silverman.
David & Beth Thrope, in memory of William Weinstock.

**Norman F. Steinberger Yahrzeit Fund**
Perry & Sue Tannenbaum, in memory of Julius Goldman.

**Stuart F. Ostrow Fund**
Arlene Davis, yahrzeit Harry Wiesner.
Connie Ostrow, wishing Chuck Mueller a speedy recovery.
Connie Ostrow, wishing Ellen Bottner a speedy recovery.

**Sunday Morning Minyan Breakfast Fund**
Les & Mary Gordan, in memory of Julius Goldman.
Bruce & Louise Kantor, in memory of Alice Coran.
Bruce & Louise Kantor, in memory of Buddy Roberts.
Franklin & Ruth Paul, in memory of Alice Coran.
Alan & Jan Raznick, wishing George Schneider a happy birthday.
Alan & Jan Raznick, in honor of the birth of Sadie Lynn Lisk.
Alan & Jan Raznick, in memory of Buddy Roberts.
Alan & Jan Raznick, yahrzeit of Harry Goldman.
Alan & Jan Raznick, yahrzeit of Robert Raznick.

**Mahzor Lev Shalem**
Michael & Denise Abadi, in memory of Isaac Abadi, Adolph Liling & Faye Tanenbaum Liling.
Dear Temple Israel Congregants,

As you know, Rabbi Murray Ezring has announced his intention to retire in 2019 and Cantor Elias Roochvarg has announced his intention to retire in 2018.

The selection of a Senior Rabbi is a major undertaking for a congregation and is one of the most important decisions a congregation can make, as it will determine much of the essence of our community for decades to come. Similarly, the selection of a new Cantor is a critical decision for our temple community. Given the tenures of Rabbi Ezring and of Cantor Roochvarg and the impact they have made on our community, these decisions and the processes surrounding them are of the utmost importance and will require engagement from every member of our congregation.

First, we want to hear from every member of Temple Israel. Your input is essential to ensure that we have a comprehensive understanding of the needs and desires of our community. Your insights will be valuable for our committee to structure the information we provide to potential candidates and what we request from them as well. I am pleased to announce the Dana Stoogenke has agreed to serve as co-Chairperson of the steering committee and will be leading the congregational feedback work. There will be several ways for you to provide feedback including responding to a survey that will be conducted this fall, participation in one or more of the parlor meetings and town halls that will be conducted, as well as, the opportunity to have one-on-one discussions with search committee members.

Second, if you would like to become more involved, there are plenty of opportunities to chair and participate in several committees related to search activities. Some of these include, survey and feedback, hospitality, communications, and transition. If you would like to participate in one of these areas, please let Glenda Bernhardt (gbernhardt@templeisraelnc.org or 704-362-2796) or me (gsm001@aol.com or 704-232-0070) know and we will make sure you are put to work!

As we begin this exciting transition for our congregation, I can assure you that the Board of Trustees and the steering committee are committed to providing effective communications and transparency during the process and selection. The steering committee has been meeting over the summer to prepare for these upcoming searches and we are fully committed to ensuring that everyone’s voice is heard and that all who would like to participate more directly in the process have an opportunity to do so.

Thank you to those who have already provided input. That is greatly appreciated and demonstrates the value that our congregation places on these critical decisions.

Sincerely,

Gary Michel
2nd Vice President
Search Committee Chair
MISSION STATEMENT

Temple Israel is a welcoming and progressive Conservative community fostering personal growth and a meaningful engaged life through these pillars of our faith:

- Personal connections with God, leading to an enriched life
- Practicing Halakhah (Jewish Law) and Mitzvot (Commandments), to better our lives and those around us
- Celebrating lifecycle events, holidays and Shabbat bringing a spiritual meaning to our Jewish Journey
- Mishpacha (Family) including the gifts of youth and the wisdom of elders, to continue the cycle of growth in our community
- Tikun Olam- the healing of the world for the benefit of everyone
- Lifelong learning for all
- Support for the state of Israel to preserve our homeland.

WELCOME BACK TO SHUL
SHABBAT FAMILY DINNER & SERVICES
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
5:30-6:15pm

Reconnect with friends and extended family as we celebrate Shabbat together with a special Family Shabbat Dinner and evening service. Welcome/opening by Rabbi Ezring, and service led by Rabbi Kornsgold. Torah Tots service will also take place after dinner.

5:30pm
Dairy Dinner (Leon & Sandra Levine Social Hall)

6:15pm
Shabbat Services (Morris & Sylvia Speizman Sanctuary)
Torah Tots (Outside on lawn)

See inside p. 21 for details