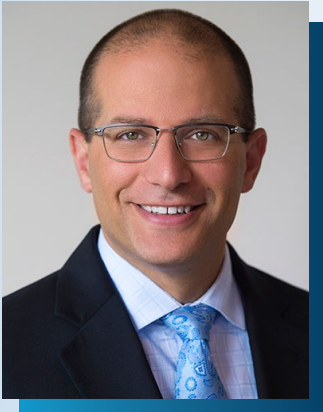




# Scribe

## Learning for the Sake of Learning



**Rabbi Daniel A. Schwartz**

always looking for ways to improve. This was the reason I set up an appointment with my professor in the Fall – to learn what I could have done better – since a smiley face and check mark didn't provide any insight.

A- meant there was room for improvement, especially since she indicated that I didn't even earn that.

I left that meeting with no new insights or knowledge. For my professor, learning

classes that are meant to be Torah Lishmah – learning for the sake of learning. They give us the chance to do something we all love, to learn, debate, challenge and to hear the Jewish

**This concept is so important that, two thousand years ago, in the Talmud, it was written that the world was worth creating, even for just one person, if that individual engaged in learning (of Torah) for its own sake.**

While I've had and continue to have many wonderful learning experiences, there is one from my college years that I often reflect on with disappointment. It was my Introduction to Archaeology class.

I remember enjoying the class and readings. I did well on the mid-term and group project and was happy with the grade on my final paper, an A-, which was mailed to me over the summer along with two additional marks on the paper: a smiley face and a check mark.

As someone who struggled with writing and worked in high school with a specialist to develop my skills, I was

It was my professor's response which challenged and still challenges me today. She assumed I wanted a better grade. In our conversation, she shared that she had actually elevated my final paper grade because I carried the weight of the group project, but she couldn't award all of us a higher score.

I assured her I was not there to request a change in grade. I was quite happy with it. What I wanted to know was what I needed to do on future papers to improve. An

was a means to an end. My teacher couldn't comprehend a concept that is central to our tradition – Torah Lishmah, learning for the sake of learning.

This concept is so important that, two thousand years ago, in the Talmud, it was written that the world was worth creating, even for just one person, if that individual engaged in learning (of Torah) for its own sake.

As we begin this new year of 5783, we have tried to create a broad array of

responses to our questions: Why does Judaism support reproductive freedom? Why are there so many different understandings of God? What is the true essence of Judaism?

Join us for Tea, Talk and Torah, Intro to Talmud, our L'chaim philosophy class or one of the many other Adult Education courses we'll have this year. No prior knowledge is necessary and, we promise, there are no grades, so that you can fully enjoy some Torah Lishmah.

**They give us the chance to do something we all love, to learn, debate, challenge and to hear the Jewish responses to our questions...**



# S · E · R · V · I · C · E · S

## NOVEMBER

### Friday

**4** 6:30 PM **All-Music Shabbat With Dan Nichols**  
(In Person & Online)  
[www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom](http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom)

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RSVP: [www.shirshalom.org/form/2022-nichols-and-a-nosh](http://www.shirshalom.org/form/2022-nichols-and-a-nosh)

**11** 6:30 PM **CAYA Shabbat Services**  
(In Person & Online)  
[www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom](http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom)

**18** 6:30 PM **1st Grade Family Shabbat Dinner & Services**  
RSVP: [www.shirshalom.org/form/22-23-shoresh-1st-grade-family-program.html](http://www.shirshalom.org/form/22-23-shoresh-1st-grade-family-program.html)

7:30 PM **Shabbat Evening Services**  
(In Person & Online)  
[www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom](http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom)

**25** 7:30 PM **Shabbat Evening Services**  
**Bar Mitzvah of Jonah Nakisher**  
(In Person & Online)  
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### Saturday

**5** 9:00 AM **Tish**  
(In Person & Online)

10:30 AM **Shabbat Morning Services**  
(In Person Only)

**12** 9:00 AM **Tish**  
(In Person & Online)

10:30 AM **Shabbat Morning Services**  
(In Person Only)

**19** 9:00 AM **Tish**  
(In Person & Online)

10:30 AM **Shabbat Morning Services**  
**Bat Mitzvah of Jillian Lustig**  
(In Person & Online)  
[www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom](http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom)

**26** 9:00 AM **Tish**  
(In Person & Online)

10:30 AM **Shabbat Morning Services**  
(In Person Only)  
[www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom](http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom)

**Sunday morning Minyan meets at 10:00 AM on Zoom:**  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89416172473>

### JOIN US EVERY SATURDAY FOR SHABBAT MORNING TISH

Some have called this group Shir Shalom's best kept secret. But, we're happy to share! Each week we study a verse or two of Torah, enjoy some bagels and a nosh, get some time discussing, debating and learning with our rabbis, and share in the camaraderie and joy of Shabbat time with others in our community. If you would like to receive the Zoom link to participate online, please call Temple at **248.737.8700**.



## DECEMBER

Friday			Saturday		
<b>2</b>	7:30 PM	<b>Shabbat Evening Services</b> <b>Bar Mitzvah of Asher Moore</b> (In Person & Online) <a href="http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom">www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom</a>	<b>3</b>	9:00 AM	<b>Tish</b> (In Person & Online)
				10:30 AM	<b>Shabbat Morning Services</b> (In Person Only)
<b>9</b>	6:30 PM	<b>CAYA Shabbat Services</b> (In Person & Online) <a href="http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom">www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom</a>  <b>Oneg to Follow (Latkes &amp; Libations)</b> RSVP: <a href="http://www.shirshalom.org/event/2022-latkes-and-libations-oneg">www.shirshalom.org/event/2022-latkes-and-libations-oneg</a>	<b>10</b>	9:00 AM	<b>Tish</b> (In Person & Online)
				10:30 AM	<b>Shabbat Morning Services</b> <b>Bat Mitzvah of Shayna Monkman</b> (In Person & Online) <a href="http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom">www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom</a>
<b>16</b>	6:30 PM	<b>Shabbat &amp; Chanukah Family Dinner</b> RSVP: <a href="http://www.shirshalom.org/form/2022-shabbat-and-chanukah-family-dinner">www.shirshalom.org/form/2022-shabbat-and-chanukah-family-dinner</a>	<b>17</b>	9:00 AM	<b>Tish</b> (In Person & Online)
	7:30 PM	<b>Shabbat Evening Services</b> (In Person & Online) <a href="http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom">www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom</a>		10:30 AM	<b>Shabbat Morning Services</b> <b>Bar Mitzvah of Braiden Dershem</b> (In Person & Online) <a href="http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom">www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom</a>
<b>23</b>	7:30 PM	<b>Shabbat Evening Services</b> (In Person & Online) <a href="http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom">www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom</a>	<b>24</b>	9:00 AM	<b>Tish</b> (In Person & Online)
				10:30 AM	<b>Shabbat Morning Services</b> (In Person Only)
<b>30</b>	6:30 PM	<b>CAYA Shabbat Services</b> (In Person & Online) <a href="http://www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom">www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom</a>	<b>31</b>	9:00 AM	<b>Tish</b> (In Person & Online)
				10:30 AM	<b>Shabbat Morning Services</b> (In Person Only)

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<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89416172473>

## Brotherhood

Please join us for our monthly Brotherhood dinner on **Wednesday, November 16 at 6:30 PM**, catered by Platinum Dish. The cost is only **\$13 per person**. Rabbi Daniel will speak on our Temple expansion, and can answer any questions you have regarding reasons for the expansion, cost and how the improvements we are making will benefit you and your family! RSVP by visiting [www.shirshalom.org/form/2022-november-brotherhood-meeting](http://www.shirshalom.org/form/2022-november-brotherhood-meeting). We look forward to seeing you then!

— Your Brotherhood



# Thankful



**Brian D. Fishman**  
Executive Director

It was so nice to see so many of you at the various High Holy Day services. As we prepared for them in the office, there were only guesses regarding what we expected attendance numbers to be. Covid 19 is still around but most definitely is in a different place than it was last year or the year before. We opted to recommend masks rather than require them. We opened up all of the walls and set up all of our chairs to give people the option of spreading out to feel safe. We also offered the option to stream the services virtually for those who chose to stay home. Not much different than how it was set up last year.

Unfortunately, those people who elected to watch online on Rosh Hashanah morning were not able to watch it. We experienced some technical issues that prevented us from streaming the main service from Temple. My phone starting blowing up with texts from

anyone who had my number asking what was going on. I quickly made it to the video booth to try to troubleshoot the issue but to no avail. Despite speaking with a few experts in that next hour, we were not able to make it work and even worse – it wasn't recorded.

How could this be? What were we going to do? This

issues that prevented the earlier stream. I still felt terrible about the whole incident.

Then the replies to my email started coming. I hadn't considered that people would respond and, quite frankly, was a little nervous about reading them. It turned out to be the best part of the day. The overwhelming

listened to Rabbi Daniel's sermon about looking for the good. She said that she really needed to hear that sermon at that very moment and if the morning service had worked, she would have missed it. Talk about looking for the good!

Of course, there were some people who expressed their disappointment

**My favorite response was from a dear friend of mine who actually thanked me for the mishap. She said that she wasn't able to find the morning service when she sat down to watch so she watched the Erev Rosh Hashanah service and listened to Rabbi Daniel's sermon about looking for the good. She said that she really needed to hear that sermon at that very moment and if the morning service had worked, she would have missed it.**

was a very important service where we were using our new machzors and enjoying our choir, who had been working so hard; where we heard President Allison Parr's speech and Rabbi Mike delivered his sermon. We needed to do something to recover.

An email was sent to the congregation from me that afternoon apologizing for the trouble and promising to have it corrected before Yom Kippur. We worked out a Rosh Hashanah "highlights" message that included the sermons, Allison's speech and a song by Cantor Penny and the choir that would be sent the following day. And we resolved the technical

majority of people thanked me for sending the email and had assumed that when they couldn't find the service or it didn't work, it was technical challenges on their end. Some expressed their regret that I had to deal with all of this on a day that was my holiday, too. Others watched the family service, enjoyed that and told me that they were looking forward to watching Kol Nidre/Yom Kippur (which thankfully all went well). My favorite response was from a dear friend of mine who actually thanked me for the mishap. She said that she wasn't able to find the morning service when she sat down to watch so she watched the Erev Rosh Hashanah service and

and frustration but not a single email was mean or nasty. I was so uplifted in reading all of them and it only underscored what a wonderful community we have at Shir Shalom. Thank you for being you!

As always, please don't hesitate to reach out to me if there is anything that I can do for you.





# Gratitude is in Our Curriculum



**Marsha Mitnick**  
Early Childhood  
Learning Director

Gratitude, kindness, being thankful, abundance, are all buzz words that we start hearing right about now as Thanksgiving approaches. At The Learning Center it doesn't take a special holiday to focus on these values. They are woven into everything we do. Being compassionate and empathetic are characteristics that are

learned. For the young child learning these concepts should have started the minute they were born.

What does an infant know about kindness or gratitude? They can't even talk. Yet research shows that when responding to a baby's needs and reading their body signals parents are starting the early process of building trust that helps reduce the brain's level of cortisol, the stress hormone, in a child's body. Parents responding to their baby's needs versus letting them cry it out are working towards the path of building a safe and secure relationship. When a baby experiences an empathetic and compassionate relationship with primary

caregivers it can become contagious.

When a young child leaves the natural setting of their home and attends preschool for the first time, they bring what they know. They have never managed the group process before. At The Learning Center the staff meets each child where they are, the staff are listening and hearing the child. This interactive relationship and environment set the tone. Gratitude and kindness mean more than please and thank you. Knowing that learning to share is a process, our teachers calmly and considerately guide each child to achieve.

And the pattern begins. The

kids at The Learning Center learn that they can speak what's on their mind. If they need help to problem solve a staff member is there to guide them. They are developing strength in being empathetic and kind. Developmentally preschoolers are very egocentric. At The Learning Center they are learning so much, and gratitude and being thankful are all part of the curriculum.

With Gratitude,  
Marsha Mitnick

**"Piglet noticed that even though he had a very small heart,  
it could hold a rather large amount of gratitude."  
— A.A. Milne**

## HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE LEARNING CENTER PRESCHOOL





# Hineini: Here I am



**Alisa Berke**  
SHORESH Associate  
Director

What a great start to the school year thus far. As we approach the holidays of Thanksgiving and Chanukah,

we typically reflect on all the things we are thankful for. Family, friends, good health, joy, and happiness are just a few to mention.

The SHORESH focus this year is Hineini, "Here I am." It reminds us to not only reflect on the past but to be thankful for the present as well. Each Sunday morning, we are reminded to live in the moment, appreciate the company of others, embrace family and friends and to enjoy celebrating/learning the Jewish traditions. Hineini, here I am.

**Each Sunday morning, we are reminded to live in the moment, appreciate the company of others, embrace family and friends and to enjoy celebrating/learning the Jewish traditions.**

Make it a point to reach out and do something kind for someone else this holiday season. Let them know you are available to share in their happiness or be the comfort in their sadness. Celebrate each night of Chanukah with the gift of being with family and giving thanks to the those you love.

My motto as an educator is, I hear you and I'm here for you. Hineini!!

Wishing everyone a peaceful and happy holiday season.

## Fruman Youth Program



**Cady Tobias**  
Teen Engagement  
Director

As the new year has begun, so has a new era of SSTY. We are, finally, fully back in person! It has been so incredible to see our Temple youth back together. In the months since Sunday Night School and SSTY have started, our youth have participated in a wide variety

of events.

In September, the SSTY board held the 2022 kickoff event at Franklin Cider Mill. We had cider, donuts, and met all together for the first time this school year! Given that it was also my first event with SSTY, everyone welcomed me with open

helped to put together an incredible family service at West Bloomfield High School. Many of the teens also helped to run the service by reading different passages and participating on Rosh Hashanah.

In October, our teens also helped to plan and run an

has planned are our annual freshman kidnapping and a road rally. The freshman kidnapping was amazing to participate in. Seeing all the freshmen integrate into our SSTY family makes all of us so excited for the rest of the year!

If your teen is still looking for ways to get involved, please don't hesitate to reach out ([cady@shirshalom.org](mailto:cady@shirshalom.org))!

**In October, our teens also helped to plan and run an amazing Yom Kippur Family Service. It was so incredible to watch the process and see the responsibilities the teens took on.**

arms. Temple Shir Shalom is a big family, and everyone made me feel a part of it all right away! Also, in September we celebrated Rosh Hashanah. Our teens

amazing Yom Kippur Family Service. It was so incredible to watch the process and see the responsibilities the teens took on. A couple other events that the SSTY board

# UPCOMING EVENTS

WEEKLY			
WORSHIP			
<b>Fridays</b>			
Nov 18, 25; Dec 2, 16, 23	Shabbat Evening Services	7:30 PM	In Person, <a href="#">Facebook</a> , <a href="#">YouTube</a>
Nov 4, 11; Dec 9, 30	CAYA Shabbat Services	6:30 PM	In Person, <a href="#">Facebook</a> , <a href="#">YouTube</a>
<b>Saturdays</b>			
	Tish	9:00 AM	In Person, Zoom
	Shabbat Morning Services	10:30 AM	In Person, <a href="#">Facebook</a> , <a href="#">YouTube</a>
<b>Sundays</b>			
	Morning Minyan	10:00 AM	<a href="#">RSVP</a> to receive Zoom link
GROUP MEETINGS			
<b>Wednesdays</b>			
	AA, ALANON	7:00 PM	

MONTHLY			
GROUP MEETINGS			
<b>Mondays</b>			
November 7, 9 & 21	L'chaim: A Jewish View of Living and Doing	12:00 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
<b>Tuesdays</b>			
November 1 & December 6	Book Club	7:00 PM	Email <a href="mailto:barblevinson@gmail.com">barblevinson@gmail.com</a>
<b>Wednesday</b>			
Nov 9, 30 & Dec 7, 14, 21	Introduction to Judaism	7:00 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
November 9 & December 14	Trivia Night (Online)	8:00 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
November 23 & December 28	Tea, Talk and Torah	2:00 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
<b>Thursdays</b>			
November 17 & December 15	Taste of Talmud	12:00 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
<b>Fridays</b>			
November 11 & December 16	Bim Bom Baby	10:00 AM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>

ANNUAL / SPECIAL EVENTS			
November 2 • Wednesday	Fall Euchre Tournament	7:00 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
November 4 - 5	7th & 8th Grade Madrichim Retreat		<a href="#">RSVP</a>
November 4 • Friday	Nichols and a Nosh Shabbat With Dan Nichols	6:30 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
November 11 - 12	6th Grade Retreat		<a href="#">RSVP</a>
November 18 • Friday	1st Grade Family Shabbat Dinner/Service	6:00 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
November 19 • Saturday	3rd Grade Late Night Program	6:00 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
November 24 • Thursday	Turkey Trot	8:30 AM	
December 9 • Friday	Latkes and Libations Oneg	After Shabbat Services	<a href="#">RSVP</a>
December 16 • Friday	Shabbat and Chanukah Family Dinner	6:30 PM	<a href="#">RSVP</a>



# UPCOMING EVENTS

## HOLIDAYS

November 8 • Tuesday	Election Day		
November 24 • Thursday	Thanksgiving		Temple Office Closed
November 25 • Friday	Thanksgiving Friday		Temple Office Closed
December 18 - 26	Chanukah	Begins at sunset	
December 25 • Sunday	Christmas Day		Temple Office Closed 12/26/2022
January 1 • Sunday	New Year's Day		Temple Office Closed 01/02/2023

## NICHOLS AND A NOSH WITH MUSICIAN-IN-RESIDENCE DAN NICHOLS

A beautiful all music Kabbalat Shabbat service, followed by a savory oneg.

Friday, November 4  
6:30 PM - Shabbat Services

Register by visiting  
[www.shirshalom.org/event/nichols-and-a-nosh](http://www.shirshalom.org/event/nichols-and-a-nosh)

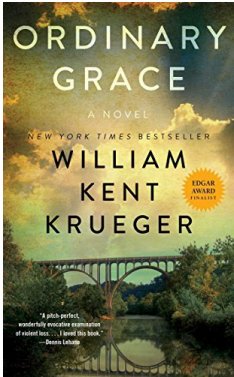




# TEMPLE SHIR SHALOM BOOK CLUB

First Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM

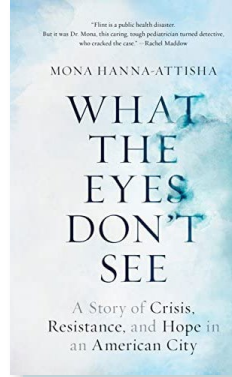
The fall finds Temple Book Club meeting person to person **November 1** and **December 6** begins our winter meetings on Zoom. Hope to see you all both in person and then on Zoom. Please send your RSVP to [barblevinson@gmail.com](mailto:barblevinson@gmail.com) so we can send you the zoom link in December. — Ida and Barb



## November

**ORDINARY GRACE**  
by William Kent Krueger

A tale of murder in a small town,  
looking back some 40 years earlier.



## December

**WHAT THE EYES DON'T SEE**  
by Mona Hanna-Attisha, MD

The shocking story of the Flint water  
crisis told by an Iraqi- American  
pediatrician.

### SNEAK A PEAK OF WHAT'S AHEAD!

**January 3, 2023**

SEVEN HUSBANDS OF EVELYN HUGO  
by Taylor Jenkins-Reid

**February 7, 2023**

CRYING IN H MART  
by Michelle Zauner

**March 7, 2023**

SHUGGIE BAIN  
by Douglas Stewart

**April 2023**

NO MEETING FOR PASSOVER BREAK

## Social Action

Our social action committee, as well as congregation members, have been busy these last few weeks. We continue to make full lunches for **Project NOAH**, a group run through a Methodist Church in Detroit. We supply lunch about once every month or six weeks. With the aid of the Pine Hill Congregational Church, we are able to make and deliver to the downtown area. With the help of one of our bat mitzvah students, **Sadie Schultz**, we have 300 baggies of home baked cookies! Thank you, Sadie!!

**Life Remodeled** also benefited from our members in October. We were asked to help clean up the Cooley High School area. What a wonderful way to spend an afternoon. Thank you to **David Contorer** for organizing this.

The High Holidays always remind us that there are those who suffer from food insecurity. Our annual food collection was on October 2 at both the temple and SHORESH. Thanks to all who donated.

A reminder: The **Tikkun Olam-a-thon** is coming in January. Stay tuned for more details.

— Sallyjo Levine, Chair of the TSS Social Action Committee

Temple Shir Shalom Scribe



Volunteering at Life Remodeled

## JILLIAN LUSTIG

Saturday, November 19



**Her most memorable experience at Temple has been the Chicken Soup Cookoff.**

Jillian is the daughter of Allison and Dov Lustig and the granddaughter of Beth and Robert Noe, and the late Richard Lustig and the late Bernice Lustig. She attends Berkshire Middle School. Her most memorable experience at Temple has been the Chicken Soup Cookoff. Jillian plays volleyball, tennis, softball, dances, and participates on two swim teams. She's creative, responsible, loyal and genuinely loves being with people. Jillian is grateful for her family and friends who have always been supportive of her. As she reflects on her bat mitzvah preparation, Jillian found learning Hebrew a positive and rewarding experience and enjoyed her weekly meetings with her tutor Riki.

## JONAH NAKISHER

Friday, November 25



**His most memorable experience at Temple has been the Purim Carnivals.**

Jonah is the son of Allison and Marc Nakisher and the grandson of Hazel and Len Nakisher and Rochelle and Mickey Kole. He attends Norup Middle School. His most memorable experience at Temple has been the Purim Carnivals. Jonah loves being active, is sporty, loves being outdoors, and is a good friend. He is grateful for his parents and siblings who are always there for him when he needs them. As Jonah reflects on his bar mitzvah preparation, he found the process required a lot of dedication and was rewarding in the end.

## SHAYNA MONKMAN

Saturday, December 10



**Her most memorable experience at Temple has been leading the Fourth Grade Honors Shabbat...**

Shayna is the daughter of Dr. Andrea and Daniel Monkman and the granddaughter of Rena and Marty Janower and Ilene and John Monkman. She attends Walnut Creek Middle School. Her most memorable experience at Temple has been leading the Fourth Grade Honors Shabbat with her friends at SHORESH. Shayna is thoughtful, caring, smart, funny and creative. She is grateful for her parents. As Shayna reflects on her bat mitzvah preparation, she found it gratifying learning and being part of her Judaism.

## BRAIDEN DERSHEM

Saturday, December 17



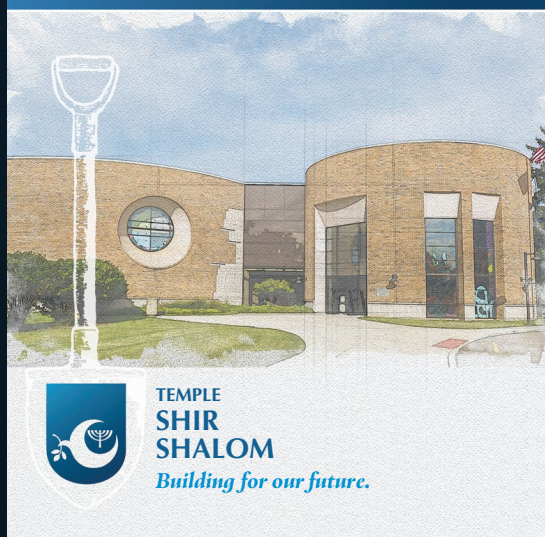
**His most memorable experience at Temple has been participating in Tikkun Olam-a-thon...**

Braiden is the son of Lindsay and Ryan Dershem and the grandson of Stuart and Gail Raben and the late Brian Dershem and the late Sheila VanDam. He attends Clifford Smart Middle School. His most memorable experience at Temple has been participating in Tikkun Olam-a-thon when he and his family created snack packs for the local fire fighters, dog blankets for animal shelters and treat boxes for our military overseas. When Braiden's not catching fast balls behind home plate, he loves spending time with his friends. Braiden is grateful for the patience and support of his Nana and Papa. While preparing for his bar mitzvah was a large undertaking, Braiden rediscovered the importance of his faith through the process.



# PROJECT ALL TOGETHER

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**THE BROCHURE FOR  
PROJECT ALL TOGETHER  
SHOULD HAVE ARRIVED IN  
YOUR MAILBOX. PLEASE  
TAKE A PEEK INTO OUR  
EXCITING FUTURE.  
ENVISION WHERE YOU AND  
YOUR FAMILY WILL FIT IN.**

## TEA, TALK AND TORAH



GATHER WITH THE RABBIS FOR TEA, TREATS AND  
A BRIEF STUDY OF THE DAY'S TORAH TEXT.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23 AND DECEMBER 28  
2 – 3 PM

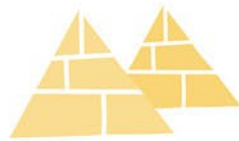
NO CHARGE FOR MEMBERS  
\$10/SESSION FOR GUESTS OF TSS

REGISTRATION:  
[SHIRSHALOM.ORG/EVENT/TEA-TALK-TORAH](http://SHIRSHALOM.ORG/EVENT/TEA-TALK-TORAH)



# Bim Bom Baby

Shabbat celebration  
for babies to  
5-year-olds



Join with friends and make new ones as we welcome  
Shabbat with the rabbis and cantor, play, sing  
and braid challah to take home!



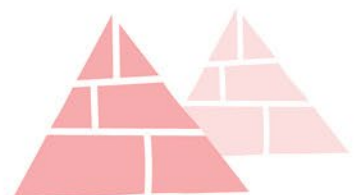
Friday, November 11 & December 16

10:00 - 11:00 AM

@ Temple Shir Shalom



Register at [www.shirshalom.org/event/bimbombaby](http://www.shirshalom.org/event/bimbombaby)





# TASTE OF TALMUD



Explore the wisdom of our sages as we read and discuss highlighted texts from the Talmud, which can provide insight and meaning into our modern lives.

Thurs, Nov 17 & Dec 15  
12:00 PM | Shir Shalom

RSVP: [www.shirshalom.org/  
event/taste-of-talmud](http://www.shirshalom.org/event/taste-of-talmud)

## TURKEY TROT



**Join your Rabbis and Temple family for the 40th annual Turkey Trot! All are welcome to join us on Thanksgiving Day for the Stuffing Strut 5k.**

**Thursday, November 24 | 8:30 AM**

**Registration: [theparade.org/  
turkeytrot/registration/](http://theparade.org/turkeytrot/registration/)**

**To get you details about carpooling, a meeting spot and more, let us know you are running: [www.shirshalom.  
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# Latkes & Libations

**Celebrate Shabbat and  
the upcoming Chanukah  
holiday with your  
Shir Shalom Family.**

**Friday, December 9  
Shabbat Services – 6:30 PM  
Festive oneg to follow**

**Register for the oneg:**

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# HANUKKAH

## The Festival of Lights

The first light of Chanukah is kindled at sundown on **SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2022**.  
Join us **online** every night as we light the candles.

### “Chanukah” or “Hanukkah”?

At this time of year writers are grateful to the translation geniuses who decided that Hebrew words, for the most part, are exempt from spelling rules. The word, חֲנֻכָּה, meaning *dedication*, has been spelled in most any form with one common belief — that it contains eight letters. Thus, you will find *Hanukkah*, *Chanukah*, and perhaps even *Hannukah* or *Khanukah* — All are correct.

### Kindling the Chanukah Lights

Every effort should be made to see that all members of the family are present at the lighting of the candles. Everyone, no matter what age, may kindle the Chanukah candles.

The chanukiah should be placed near a window so that a passerby may observe the light. On Friday, the Chanukah candles are kindled before the lighting of the Shabbat candles.

Candles are placed in the *chanukiah* (Chanukah menorah) from right to left, beginning with one candle on the first evening and adding a new candle each succeeding night. The *shammas* (Hebrew for "servant" or "helper") candle is lit first and is then used to light the other candles from left to right.

Light from this direction →



← Place from this direction

### Chanukah Prayers

Facing the *chanukiah* you recite the following prayers:

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר קִדְּשָׁנוּ  
בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל חֲנֻכָּה

Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam, asher  
kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tsivanu l'hadlik ner shel  
Hanukkah.

**Blessed is the Eternal our God, Ruler of the universe,  
who hallows us with mitzvot and commands us to  
kindle the Chanukah lights.**

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם שֶׁעָשָׂה נִסִּים  
לְאֲבוֹתֵינוּ וְאִמּוֹתֵינוּ בַּיָּמִים הָהֵם בְּזֶמֶן הַזֶּה

Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam, she-  
asah nisim laavoteinu v'imoteinu bayamim hahaeim  
baz'man hazeh.

**Blessed is the Eternal our God, Ruler of the universe,  
who performed wondrous deeds for our ancestors in  
days of old, at this season.**

On the first night we add:

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם שֶׁהַחֲדָשָׁה  
וְקִיּמָנוּ וְהַגִּיעָנוּ לְזֶמֶן הַזֶּה

Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam,  
shehecheyanu v'kiy'manu v'higyanu laz'man hazeh.

**Blessed is the Eternal our God, Ruler of the universe,  
for giving us life, sustaining us, and for enabling us  
to reach the season.**



## After We Light the Candles

As one candle may kindle many others yet lose none of its own light, so Judaism has kindled the light of truth for many religions in many lands and still shines brightly to this day.

### Each Candle's Meaning...

#### Day 1

The first light reminds us that **God is One**. As God is One, so may we all try to work together for the good of all.

#### Day 2

The second light is the light of the **Torah**. May our Torah always be a lamp unto our feet and a light to our path.

#### Day 3

The third light is the candle of **Tzedakah**. Even in our greatest joy may we remember and give to those who do not have as much as we.

#### Day 4

The fourth light is the light of **Family**. May the togetherness that binds us today be with us through all of our tomorrows.

#### Day 5

The fifth light is the light of **Understanding**. May we grow by being not just understood but by being understanding as well.

#### Day 6

The sixth light is the light of **the Jewish People**. We are one people tied to each other by our history and our faith.

#### Day 7

The seventh light is the light of **Patience**. May we be a little more patient with each other and our world.

#### Day 8

The last light is the light of **Shalom (of Peace)**. Let there always be peace among members of this family, this community, this country, and our world. May we work for peace throughout our lives.

## How to Play Dreidel



### Why Are There Letters on a Dreidel?

The four Hebrew letters on the dreidel—*Nun, Gimmel, Hey, Shin*—represent the Hebrew phrase, “**Nes Gadol Haya Sham**,” which means “A Great Miracle Happened There.”



### What You'll Need

- Two or more players
- An equal number or gambling pieces for each player (about 10-15). Traditionally, hard candies, nuts, or gelt are used, but pennies, buttons, or plastic chips work well too
- A *dreidel* (spinning top) for the group



### Rules of the Game

- Each player puts one or two pieces into the middle to form a “pot”.
- Take turns spinning the dreidel, with each player acting according to the letter which comes up after the dreidel stops. (When a player gets *gimmel*, they empty the pot, and then everyone tosses a piece into the pot to start a new round.)
- The winner is the person who collects all of the pieces (or has the most after an agreed upon number of rounds).





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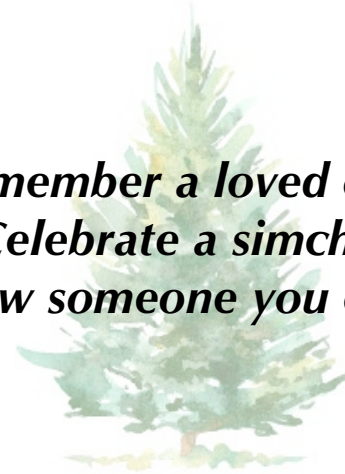
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Father of Jeffrey (Joy) Alekman

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### SAT 11/5 at 10:30 AM

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Ralph Raskin  
Belle Robinson\*  
Evonne Callaghan Rogers  
Sidney Rosenblatt\*  
Jeffrey Marc Roth

Tylle Rubin  
Barbara A. Saperstein\*  
Patricia Schlaff  
Robert S. Schwartz  
Stanley L. Shuman  
Louis Silverfarb  
Helen Hilda Siskind  
Phyllis Barr Sislin\*  
Melvin S. Stein  
Irving Steinberg\*  
Edith Wasserman  
Manny Weigensberg  
Lieba Weingarden\*  
Robert Weiss  
John Wierzbicki  
Julian R. Winston  
Bernard Zuppke

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# In Remembrance

**SUN 12/4** at 10:00 AM

**FRI 12/9** at 6:30 PM

**SAT 12/10** at 10:30 AM

Roberta Abrams\*  
Edith Backalar  
Celia Balbes  
Edith Baril  
Molly Benton  
Paulette Bussell-Oatley\*  
Sophie Ceresnie  
Abraham F. Citron\*  
June Colton  
Jack Conroy  
Renee Eisenberg  
Samuel Epstein  
Harry P. Falk  
Florence Feinstein\*

Irving Feldman  
Nathan Fink  
Larry Elliott Firestone  
Doris Fisher  
Gale Klar Freidenreich  
Stella Gallob  
Farce David Garner\*\*  
Beverly Goldberg  
Wendy Goldman  
Marshall Greenspan  
Berta Haberkorn  
Jeremy David Haberman\*  
Ruth Ann Hampton  
Dr. Ralph Hinz  
Lewis Honigman  
William Jacobs\*  
Harry Koltonow  
Sheldon B. Krause\*

Gertrude Landau  
Marjorie Leopold  
Donald Harold Levey  
Marcus Levitch  
Ida Lewis  
Lillian Lewis  
Stephen Mandell  
Henry Mills  
Naomi Roth Munter  
Tillie Myers\*  
Myriam Nelson  
Eric Steven Patti  
Leo A. Perini  
Minnie Pernick  
Pearl Rhinestone  
Mark Richie  
Arthur Rodecker  
Eugene Rosen

Jo-Lynne Rosenstein  
Grace Ross  
Zoltan Rubin  
Jean Seid  
Alvin Shifman  
David Shwedel  
Leonard Siskind  
Leopold J. Snyder  
Fred Soffer  
James Staley  
Strul User  
Hy Vogel  
Ida Warshawsky  
Isadore Wasserman  
Berti Weiner  
Albert Weishaus  
Michael Wigler  
Dr. Robert R. Wolfe

**SUN 12/11** at 10:00 AM

**FRI 12/16** at 7:30 PM

**SAT 12/17** at 10:30 AM

Rogie Alpert  
Jennie Amberg\*  
Marcia L. Amhowitz  
Harriet Wagner Appleton  
Evelyn Barman  
Dr. Harvey Allen Beaver  
Sophie L. Binkow  
Nathan Bloch\*  
Meghan Elizabeth Trauten Bolon  
Saul Borlack  
David Burke  
Frances Groden Bussell\*  
Edward Ceresnie  
Peter Chodoroff\*  
David Herbert Danowit  
Gloria Davidson  
Marion Davidson\*

Mariann Davis  
Riva Davis  
George Day III  
Philip Deytshe  
Morris Diskin  
Raphael Dorfman  
Philip Dubrinsky  
Myra Eber  
Brenda Fantich  
Sarah Fishkind  
Dorothy Frank  
Rita Sue Fromm\*  
Allen Gersh  
Morris Gold  
Michael Gordon  
Eugene Goret  
Leonard Gorman  
Ellen Greenbaum  
Laura Grossman  
Marilyn Gvazda  
Thomas Hengy

Ann Hirschman\*  
Adele Hoffman\*  
Donald Jacobs  
Harry A. Jacobs  
Andrea Lou Katzman  
Gerald Levine  
William S. Lipton  
Karol Litt  
Reva Markofsky  
Ilene J. Miller  
Charles Moskowitz  
Isadore Niss  
Esther Pantzer  
Faye Pomerantz  
Paul Rakoczy  
Lily Reider  
Joseph Romanik\*  
Henry M. Rose\*  
Max Rosen  
Herbert Schwartz  
Gladys Schweid

Dorothy Shepard  
Norman Shwedel  
Jean Silverman  
George Sirof  
Harvey Sisler  
Aaron Samuel Slootsky  
Robert Smith  
Jean Sosin\*  
Helen Stifter  
Belle Rose Trebuck  
Isadore Trebuck  
Jerry Varon\*  
Charles Warshaw  
Blanche Wendell  
Sylvia Wilber\*  
Arthur Woll  
Louis Wool  
David Youkelson  
David Yovis  
Abraham Zeidman

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**FRI 12/23 at 7:30 PM**

**SAT 12/24 at 10:30 AM**

Donna Jean Barkey  
Emil Barzely  
Fay Beckwith  
Isabel Berlin  
Joseph Bing  
Albert Blair  
Arnold Blau  
Sybil Pauline Bodzin  
Robert Burrow  
Bernice Theresa Caliguire\*\*  
Frank Morris Cleary  
Albert Cohen\*  
Annie Cohen\*  
Rev. Henry Covington  
Rose Diamond

Norma Elconin  
Roger Daniel Ettlinger  
David Feinstein  
Elizabeth Friedman  
Joyce Friedman  
Robert M. Gales  
Charles Galinsky  
Morris Ginis  
Jeffrey Gold  
Gloria Goleski\*\*  
Moishe Goodman  
Ruth Goodman  
Zena Gordon\*  
Dr. Harold L. Gregg\*  
Dorothy Hack  
Gertrude Honigman  
Aryana Itkis\*  
Jennie Jacobs  
Audrey Cornfield Lacoff

Alvin Lewis  
Richard Lewiston  
David Edward Markson  
Myron Milgrom  
Henry N. Moses  
Carl Nelson  
Charlotte Nelson  
Charles Newell  
Penelope Nichol  
Morry Noorily\*  
David Olen  
Sarah Pitler  
Henry Ravis  
Adolph Reichenberg  
Donald Ripley  
Alan Rosen  
Sylvia Lillian Rosen  
Belle Rosender  
Harvey Rubin\*

Joyce Sakwa\*  
Dr. Nathaniel Sandler  
David Segel  
Erwin I. Sherman\*  
David Allan Silverman  
Sol L. Singer\*  
Paul Sislin  
Ben Starr  
Rose Stern  
Lila Taylor  
Ruth Wald  
Dana Wartell-Zupke  
Howard Weingarten  
Helen Weishaus  
Eugene Weissman  
Stanford Wolf  
Lois H. Zussman\*

**SUN 12/25 at 10:00 AM**

**FRI 12/30 at 6:30 PM**

**SAT 12/31 at 10:30 AM**

Max Adler\*  
Nathan Adler  
Bessie Alpinier\*  
Susan Averbuch  
Regina Becker\*  
Gary Berger  
Joseph R. Berman  
Anna Bussell  
Angelo Coccia\*\*  
Ilde Coccia\*\*  
Nancy Bleecker Cohn  
David Davis  
Saul Dunitz\*  
Sylvia L. Dunitz\*  
Sonia Dunitz Dunn\*  
Msgr. William H. Easton

Lena Emmer\*  
Mitch Fallcon  
Ruth Fantich  
Bernard Farris\*  
Jeffrey Feldman  
Harold Finstein  
Sidney Fogel  
Michael Foyle  
Marilyn Freedman  
Eugenia Gavartin  
Adell Gittelman  
Oscar Gold  
Archie C. Goldberg\*  
Itche Goldberg  
Clement Noah Goldman\*  
Louis Groden  
Sam Heiser  
Abe I. Himmelstein\*  
Helen Indianer  
ReneEllen Jakubiak

Rose Kasmer  
Georgia Klask  
Fannie Pearl Komenarsky  
Reva Krause  
William Krefman  
James E. Leopold  
Louis Lerman  
Dorothy Lockman  
Rachel Miller  
Cal Moss  
Albert Myles  
Kunji Raman Nair  
LeRoy Neumann  
Ida Nosanchuk  
Dr. Gerald Perkoff  
Suzanne Pevos  
Morris Pikstein  
Rebecca Reizman  
Evelyn Ross  
Jennifer Rowland

Sharon M. Sanders\*  
Ilona Schwartz  
Dr. Bernard J. Shapiro  
Carole Shaya  
Betty Shipper  
Robin Sindici  
Anne Sloman  
Sam Soroka  
Ann Gross Starr  
Shirley Strasberger  
Jerome Sturman\*  
Dr. Robert Tam  
Nathan Tenebaum  
Leonora Tsuker\*  
Oscar Warren  
Robert Ira Weiner  
Esther Weiss  
Dorothy Wolf  
Paul Yolles

**A loss within our community is a loss no matter where it occurs,** and we wish to extend our support and sympathy during this difficult time. To have a family member's name read during the Shabbat Service and Sunday morning minyan of their yahrzeit, please go to [www.shirshalom.org/form/shabbat-yahrzeits](http://www.shirshalom.org/form/shabbat-yahrzeits).

Many of our members have asked to be informed about a death in our congregational family in a more timely fashion than the bimonthly publication in our *Scribe*. Call Temple at **248.737.8700** to sign up for e-mail notifications of Shir Shalom families' funerals sent directly to your inbox.

## SIGN UP FOR DAILY FUNERAL SERVICE EMAILS

The *Detroit News* and *Free Press* have cut daily delivery to three times a week, but you can sign up to receive daily email each day updating current and new services in our community. To sign up, please visit:

[www.irakaufman.com](http://www.irakaufman.com) | [www.thedorfmanchapel.com](http://www.thedorfmanchapel.com) | [www.hebrewmemorial.org](http://www.hebrewmemorial.org)

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# Jump Into Temple

Please forgive me if I sound like a broken record. Whenever I ponder the subject of my Scribe article, I think about the meaning of community. For obvious reasons, after all, since I truly believe that Shir Shalom is or can be a spiritual community for each of us. All we need to do is reach out, jump in, or show up. And yet, I can understand that sometimes this is the hardest part. Especially since these days, the idea of community seems to be more pressing while also more elusive.

As 2022 is coming to an end, I have been thinking a lot about the emotional fallout from our recent years of quarantine, social distancing, and our ongoing caution. This



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President

has rendered the concept of community as a heightened contradiction. We want to make connections, avoid isolation and enjoy each other's company. Collectively, however, we are a bit out of practice and often find it too convenient to just stay at home. I especially noticed this conundrum at this year's High Holiday services. Clearly this is a sign of the strange times we are living in. It also presents each of us with an opportunity for improvement that leaves me feeling hopeful. I'm hopeful because I know that we each can find a meaningful way to lean into Shir Shalom. My vision is that together, we join in so that our Temple family becomes our wider circle of support, spirituality and social belonging for ourselves and our family members. For Temple's part, we plan to create more opportunities to come together with better and more targeted ways to facilitate introductions and inclusion.

You might have already surmised that the subject of belonging, contributing and togetherness is also a sneak peek into my own personal mantra. These are the values (and gifts) that my husband Harry and I have instilled in our three daughters. Being actively involved in Shir Shalom was one important way we taught these life lessons. As our girls have gone out on their own, I see them benefitting from these skills. We espoused that you get out what you put in - especially when it comes to being a member of a community. Our Temple connections aptly highlighted this philosophy. Our fellow Shir Shalom members and our clergy have given each of us in my family an added layer of support, belonging and sense of identity. This is why I stressed the concept of relationships in my High Holiday address. It is also why I am asking everyone to maximize what they put in and get out of our Shir Shalom circle.

In the coming months, you will find a variety of ways to be a part of something special. Please don't hesitate to get involved. There will be special themed onegs after Shabbat services, Euchre tournaments, online trivia nights, lunch and learns, a Dan Nichols weekend, Chanukah festivities, new member gatherings, tish, and social action projects, just to name a few. At a member's suggestion, you will find nametags at many of these events to help get us back into the swing of getting to know one another. Speaking of suggestions, please don't hesitate to contact me with your unique ideas or thoughts. I truly appreciate all feedback. Also reach out to me if you want to arrange for a friendly face at one of these activities. I am sincere when I say that I am always eager to meet fellow members! I can be reached at [alparr617@gmail.com](mailto:alparr617@gmail.com) or 248-931-6832.



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