



Scribe

Setting Intention & Perspective – Creating Sacred Space & Making Time Holy

Getting Ready for the High Holidays with Temple Shir Shalom

This year's High Holidays will be a once in a lifetime experience (please!). At Shir Shalom, we strive to find opportunities within the challenges of our lives. We believe that with our services this year, we have done just that. Like the ancients of our faith, we have found unique ways to innovate and adapt.

The Torah proscribes a worship by our ancestors that is quite different than anything we have practiced for the past 2,000 years. Yes, *Yom Teruah*, the Day to Sound the Shofar, and Yom Kippur have scripts for us to follow if we were in the one place that was consecrated for prayer, the Temple in Jerusalem. With its destruction and our diaspora, the rabbis of old conceptualized prayer in a completely different way. At first they wondered how would prayer be possible. How could they pray without a central place of worship? Fortunately, we are the blessed inheritors of their answer: our home would become the "*mikdash me'at*," a small sanctuary, our places of holiness.

While we love gathering at Temple for the sense of community, the beauty of this sacred space and the joy our voices create when lifted into song as one, the realities of our world does not allow for such. However, the idea behind the *mikdash me'at* is precisely what we can create – even in front of a computer screen. With a little preparation and intention, the resulting holiness will help us begin our year filled with hope.

With this in mind, to help you think about the meaning of the holidays and how you want to experience them, we wanted to share some suggestions so that you can begin your preparations:

- **Choose your prayer space in advance** – Don't wait until the last minute for this one. Maybe it is a family discussion or merely individual contemplation about where will be most appropriate to gather.

- **Choose your seat** – At Temple, some like to be in the classrooms, some like to be in the wings. Some like the back row and others the front. Okay, no one likes the front. Which

chair will you use at home? Here's the chance to pray in the ultimate of comfort! Maybe adorn the chair in some special way, drape a tallis across it to set this space apart.

- **Create a sacred space** – If you're watching on your computer, make it different from your work space. Cover the desk or table with a tablecloth. Add a vase with some flowers. Create space between you and the computer so that you are watching and connecting more than when you typically sit at that laptop. If possible, link your computer to your television. Make this different than other videos you quickly pull up on our screens.

- **Add meaningful holy objects to your space.** On Rosh Hashanah include candlesticks and a kiddish cup, apples and honey, a shofar. On Yom Kippur, place family heirlooms, mementos, photos of loved ones.

- **Limit other distractions.** Turn off your email and text message alerts. There's a non-Jewish world out there – and many will still have work messages arriving, not to mention the latest sales from our favorite retailers.

- **Choose your outfit.** For some, the clothing creates the feeling of holiness. Wearing a kippah and tallit can separate the time as something particularly special. For others, sweatshirts are just fine. As long as it is something you have thought about, you're doing it with intention.

- **Grab your Prayer Book.** The *machzor* we use is the Gates of Repentance. If you do not own a copy, contact us at temple and we'll arrange for you to pick up a loaner in advance of the holidays. While our services will be different this year, there still will be times you'll want to follow along with the readings.

We appreciate the time and effort it takes to make your *mikdash me'at* a reality. Think of it as a "work in progress!" May it add even more meaning to your new year, as together we all pray for hope, health and sweetness.

Shana tova umetuka (wishing you a good and sweet year,)

Rabbi Michael L. Moskowitz, Rabbi Daniel A. Schwartz,
Rabbi Dannel I. Schwartz and Cantor Penny Steyer



SEPTEMBER

Friday			Saturday		
4	6:30pm	Online Shabbat Service via livestream www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom			
	7:30pm	Online Shabbat Service Bat Mitzvah of Griffin Fleischer www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom			
			5	9:15am 10:30am	Online Tish via Zoom Online Shabbat Service via livestream Bat Mitzvah of Leah Wine www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom
11	6:30pm	Online Shabbat Service via livestream www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom			
	7:30pm	Online Shabbat Service Bat Mitzvah of Luke Schwanki www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom			
			12	9:15am 10:30am	Online Tish via Zoom Online Shabbat Service via livestream Bat Mitzvah of Eve Kutinsky www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom
				9:30pm	Online Selichot- A Journey Through the Synagogues of the World www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom
18	8:00pm	Online Rosh Hashanah Evening Service via livestream www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom			
			19	9:30am 10:30am	Online Rosh Hashanah Family Service Online Rosh Hashanah Service www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom
				12:00pm	Drive In Shofar Blast RSVP: www.shirshalom.org/hhd
				2:00pm 3:00pm	Online New Years' Meditation Pitzeleh Service Tailgate RSVP: www.shirshalom.org/hhd
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27 8:00pm Online **Kol Nidre Service** via
livestream
www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom

28 9:30am Online **Yom Kippur Family Service**
10:30am Online **Yom Kippur Service**
www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom
Rabbis' Extended Tish
1:00pm Online **Beyond The Sermon**
2:00pm Online **Meditations of Reflection**
3:00pm **Pitzeleh Service Tailgate**
RSVP: www.shirshalom.org/hhd
4:00pm **Afternoon Service**
4:45pm **Yizkor & Concluding Service**

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www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom

Saturday

3 9:15am Online Tish via Zoom
10:30am Online Shabbat Service via livestream-
Bat Mitzvah of **Samantha Moss**
www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom
4:30pm Online Havdalah Service
B'nai Mitzvah of
Asher & Davis Langwell
www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom

9 6:00pm Online **Simchat Torah & Consecration**
Service via livestream
www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom

10 9:15am Online Tish via Zoom
10:30am Online Shabbat Yizkor Service via
livestream
www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom

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www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom

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NOVEMBER

Friday			Saturday		
6	6:30pm	Online Shabbat Service via livestream www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom			
	7:30pm	Shabbat Service Bar Mitzvah of Jack Roth www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom			
			7	9:15am 10:30am 6:00pm	Online Tish via Zoom Online Shabbat Service via livestream www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom Havdalah Service Bar Mitzvah of Ari Nikolavsky www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom

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Ready As Ever



Brian D. Fishman
Executive Director

It is hard to believe that it is already September! While we are still limited by the COVID-19 restrictions, there are a lot of exciting things going on at Temple! For starters, we have done some construction in the office. Special shout-outs to **Joel Smith** and **Richard Scheck** and their respective teams for doing a fantastic job opening up our space allowing Andee and Alyah to join the rest of our staff in the downstairs office. This will make collaboration much more natural and we are especially aware of the importance of that after working from home for so long. Who realized how much gets accomplished and learned from hearing conversations and joining in? We are also replacing the work-stations with updated desks that include glass panels for protection and increased the space in between everyone. Although we don't know when we will all be back in the office at the same time together, we will be ready!

It has been exciting planning for our typical Fall events – starting SHORESH and Preschool, the High Holidays, Sukkot, and lots of unique online experiences. Yes, it has been a lot of work. There is always great effort required for all of these things but most of the staff has been doing all of this for long enough that they know what to do. However, this year is different from any that we have seen before and so much of what was once routine was now out the window. This was a gigantic challenge but, as if we were religious first-responders, we ran into the burning building and looked at this as an opportunity. This was a chance to really think about what we were doing and adapt it to the

ever-changing rules. Since SHORESH runs on a camp-based model, taking our program outside made perfect sense. For those who are opting to go virtual, we are supplementing our wonderful staff with a variety of educators and leaders from near and far who would have never been available to teach here in person. Pods were created for our preschool aged kids that offers a chance for this group to safely socialize and learn.

It is no secret that the High Holidays are the most well-attended services of the year. The idea of not being in the sanctuary at this time is unthinkable for many. Unfortunately, there is simply no safe way to gather in person for a traditional service. The clergy was tasked with putting something together that captured the elements and spirit of the holidays and packaging all of that into something that will be engaging on a screen along with some opportunities in-person. They did an incredible job of creating something that I know you will all believe is very special but I am not going to spoil it here. This would not be possible without the help of a bunch of talented people and a special thank you to **Gayle Gold** for all of her time, expertise and support.

And so as we enter this season, I wish you a *L'Shana Tova* and a sweet and safe year. I hope that you and your families remain healthy and well. •
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Our Kids Are Going to Need More Than Hand Sanitizer!

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Marsha Mitnick
Early Childhood
Learning Director

It's that time of year. Thinking about Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur does offer us some needed predictability. The tune of "Apples Dipped in Honey" is usually one of the greatest hits for the preschool scene. But this year lots has changed. As adults we know that this pandemic is temporary. For the young child its impact can be psychologically enormous.

I have always said that children don't come with an owner's manual. Now throw in the pandemic, schools shutting down, parents overwhelmed, decisions about returning to school on line or in person, parents needing to work, and our children feeling the stress of all this. Often not a word needs to be said. They feel it. And yet the workings of resilience can be as strong as the stress manifested by this pandemic.

Research tells us that for children to adapt to adversity, and become resilient moving forward, there are certain elements that are important. The most critical one for the young child is the presence of at least one stable, caring adult, who can provide a secure psychological container and support for growth. Children look to their caregivers to determine how safe they should feel. The presence of a calm adult can reduce the brains level of cortisol, the stress hormone, in a child's body.

For parents the job of parenting on a good day is stressful. Parents need to take care of themselves. On an airplane flight (anyone remember that?) parents are told to: "Put on your oxygen mask first." Of course it is a challenge to bring your best self to this pandemic every day. It's not about being perfect. It's about being flexible, the power of repair and reconnecting during a stressful time. This is what your child is learning from

you, how to handle themselves in times of stress.

Helping your child process all of the changes brought on by the pandemic is important. I suspect if you are reading this you are already thinking how do you do that when my kid is having more meltdowns, growling and quick to tears. Their behavior becomes the words to how they are feeling. Asking them to stop behaving that way is like telling an adult to stop being mad or sad. Sitting quietly with them without talking too much can help calm the dysregulation caused by such big feelings. Validating that it's hard to manage all these changes is like money in the bank for a child when these feelings come up again and...they will.

For many families being able to return to school in person means so much. Parents will get the much needed reprieve of having adult time. (For some parents just being able to go to the bathroom by themselves could feel like heaven!) Our kids will be happy to see their friends. Returning to a familiar place can bring healing to the worry of the unknown. Acknowledging that your child has not been in school for at least six months is part of the process. They are returning to school different. Some may jump right back in. Some may need some time to warm up. Much has changed. The one solid constant for all of us is our response to change, which is always within our control.

I may not have the answers but if you have any questions please feel free to ask. • marsha@shirshalom.org



Beyond The Logistics



Andee Liberman
Associate Director

Our summer has been filled with learning, growing and the exchange of ideas. We have continued our meetings with our task force of medical doctors, nurses, parents and staff to assist us in our decisions. My time has been spent honing in on technology skills, technology applications to use with our students, classes with educators across the country on new and innovative strategies. The logistics of opening SHORESH in person and virtual is a challenge we eagerly are welcoming. Whether it's what apps to use, how long to meet, where to meet, how virtual learning can happen as well as meet the needs of all our students, has been at the forefront of my summer.

But what happens beyond the logistics? How our children continue their development in a healthy environment is what keeps me up at night. What will our children's reactions be as they return to school in person or virtually? How will they process all the changes they will be a part of? My mind swirls with concerns, questions (and some answers) that I am sharing with you that I hope will help in your home.

What will my child be like when they come home from in person learning?

Often when children come home from school they need time to make the transition from school to home. That transition can be easy for some complicated for others. Don't be surprised if your child has an emotional outburst or appears angry. Give them time to expunge their emotions. Minimal expectations during this time often helps with the child's emotions and yours as well.

Will my child display different behaviors than what I have seen previously?

I have found that during this pandemic our children are displaying emotions that I haven't seen before. Children that tend to display big emotions are displaying, at times, bigger emotions. Crying/whining for 5 minutes can now be 10 – 20 minutes. Yelling or stomping their feet is another way they are expressing a big emotion. They may not have the words to describe their big emotions. Allowing your child to have these emotional displays are healthy. It is their way of expressing "things are different, and I don't like it." As adults we may not like it, but times are different, and our children feel this. Helping them get calm by quietly being there for them will lend the way for the words needed to talk about what's going on.

What will homework look like and (how many arguments will be had over it?) You didn't talk about the arguments?

I have no vision of what homework will look like, but structure will be the key to success for both of you, whether your child is learning in person or virtual. I do better knowing ahead of time what my day will look like and children are no different. At SHORESH we call this rhythm, rhyme and ritual. It's the rhythm we need for our families to successfully work together. The rituals we create in our children's lives. It's the morning rituals, bedtime rituals, or the packing to go on vacation rituals. Having a calendar of each day's schedule is vital for children understanding what is expected of them. Knowing where homework takes place is also a key component for success. Identifying a specific location for virtual learning lets the child know that you value their workspace, just like you value your own.

My child has had enough zoom, now what?

Deep breaths. I think we have all had enough Zooming. Unfortunately, it is not leaving anytime soon I mean soon. I feel like Zoom is the new Google, we can now Zoom it. Learning online for us in SHORESH is about relationships, innovation and engagement. When SHORESH became totally virtual back in March we sent home lesson plans and ideas for families to implement. Our teachers have spent hours learning new ways to engage students online. Our teachers have new tools and strategies we did not have previously in our toolkit of teaching. Our time at SHORESH online now provides an innovative connection with our curriculum and considers our students' needs. We want them to value Judaism as we value their tolerance of learning online.

I know that I have not addressed all the questions you may have. Perhaps I have provided insights that you may not agree with. I understand and acknowledge the stress your children and you as parents are feeling during this time. Our decisions regarding instruction at SHORESH didn't come easy nor did we take our responsibility lightly.

Please reach out to me with any questions you may have. I even welcome your answers as we go through this together. • andee@shirshalom.org



Luke Allan Schwanki September 11, 2020



Luke is the son of Marla Feldman and Bill Schwanki and the grandson of Joanie and Paul Feldman, Gail Sielski and Bill Schwanki and Betsy and Dave Beverlin. Luke is a student at Royal Oak Middle School. He believes becoming a bar mitzvah means undertaking more responsibilities. Luke says that Temple Shir Shalom is a holy community for him because the rabbis are welcoming

and make him laugh. He looks forward to traveling to Israel in the future.

Eve Neumann Kutinsky September 12, 2020



Eve is the daughter of Dr. Michael Neumann and Brian Kutinsky and the granddaughter of Brenda Toby Neumann, the late Leroy Neumann, Donna Kutinsky and the late Leslie Kutinsky. She is a student at Berkshire Middle School. Eve's most memorable experience at Temple Shir Shalom was working as a Machonik at SHORESH last year and helping younger students

learn Hebrew. She is grateful to her parents for always being there for her and her siblings.

Julia Danielle Singer September 26, 2020



Julia is the daughter of Dawn and Michael Singer and the granddaughter of Beverly Fantich, Judy and Harley Faxon and Judith and Dr. Stanford Singer. Julia is a student at Warner Middle School. Her most memorable Jewish experience was participating on the retreats with her friends at Temple. Julia enjoys working with the 2nd grade class at SHORESH and looks forward to

continuing in the future.

Samantha Ilana Moss October 3, 2020



Samantha is the daughter of Mara and Andrew Moss and the granddaughter of Francine and Paul Hack and Sue Moss and the late Douglas Moss. Samantha is a student at Hillel Day School. She is grateful to her dogs because they always entertain her. Samantha says her most memorable experience at Temple was on her first day of SHORESH she went with her two friends and everyone

was welcoming. She is looking forward to continuing to be involved in the Jewish community in the future.

Asher Braden Langwell October 3, 2020



Asher is the son of Stephanie and Jason Langwell and the grandson of Barbara and Bruce Goldstein, Sue and Rick Enos and Johnna and Dennis Langwell. He is a student at West Hills Middle School. Asher's most memorable Jewish experience was his older brother's bar mitzvah and participating in the service from the bimah. He believes Shir Shalom is a holy community for

him because it is where he has learned about Judaism, Jewish history and studied Hebrew. Asher looks forward to traveling to Israel and swimming in the Dead Sea in the future.

Davis Ryan Langwell October 3, 2020



Davis is the son of Stephanie and Jason Langwell and the grandson of Barbara and Bruce Goldstein, Sue and Rick Enos and Johnna and Dennis Langwell. He is a student at West Hills Middle School. Davis' most memorable Jewish experience is celebrating holidays with his family. He says that Shir Shalom is a holy community for him because it is where he has learned about Judaism

with his friends at SHORESH. Davis looks forward to traveling to Israel in the future.



Justin Bradley Wolfe

October 23, 2020



Justin is the son of Amanda and Robert Wolfe and the grandson of Ruthanne and Arvin Pearlman and Sandra Wolfe and the late Jerome Wolfe. Justin is a student at Norup Middle School. His most memorable experience at Temple is singing songs at T'filah on Sunday mornings at SHORESH. Justin is grateful for his parents for supporting him.

While preparing for his bar mitzvah has been different than what he expected, Justin says he feels supported by his Temple community.

Peter Jacob Willner

October 24, 2020



Peter is the son of Dannette and Jordan Willner and the grandson of Ciria Boland, Sylvia and Stuart Willner. Peter is a student at Farmington STEAM Academy. His most memorable experience at Temple was this year's Purim Carnival and how it made him feel part of the community. Peter is grateful to his parents and extended family because they are always there for him.

He is looking forward to continuing to be involved at Temple and the Jewish community in the future.

Lila XinYu Must

October 31, 2020



Lila is the daughter of Leisl Must and Jay Must and the granddaughter of Ellen Must and David Cole, Suretta and Alan Must, Lynda and Larry Newsome and the great-granddaughter of Mary Must. Lila is a student at The Roeper School. She is grateful for traveling to Israel with her family and swimming in the Dead Sea and Red Sea. Lila is grateful for the support of her tutor and clergy

for helping her become a bat mitzvah. She looks forward to continuing her involvement in the Jewish community in the future.

Jack Griffin Roth

November 6, 2020



Jack is the son of Melissa and Dirk Roth and the grandson of Burton Roth, the late Laura Roth, Doris Overdick and the late Ludwig Overdick. Jack is a student at Oak Valley Middle School. His most memorable experience at Temple was participating in his brother's and sister's b'nai mitzvahs. Jack is grateful to his parents for being good examples of having a close and caring family and

his siblings for spending lots of time together. He says that preparing for his bar mitzvah during these times taught him that it is not just about the celebration but the work he put into it and is looking forward to his service.

Ari Jacob Nikolavsky

November 7, 2020

Ari is the son of Marina and Eugene Nikolavsky and the grandson of Irene and Naum Kwitny and Alex Nikolavsky and the late Elvira Nikolavsky. Ari is a student at Berkshire Middle School. His most memorable experience at Temple was volunteering at Tikkun Olam-a-thon this winter. Ari is grateful to his parents and brother for always being there for him. He is looking forward to continuing to be involved in the Jewish community in the future.



New Date: Rabbi Michael's 25 Years of Leadership & Love Celebration Weekend

This past March, our RM25 planning committee reluctantly postponed our celebration of **Rabbi Michael's 25 Years of Leadership & Love**. At that time, the overwhelming outpouring of support and appreciation for Rabbi Mike and the excitement around the weekend made the decision feel extremely hard. Nonetheless, we took heart that a safer date could be found in December 2020. We could never have foreseen that the pandemic would rage on and this reschedule date could still pose a risk to our community.


25
YEARS
OF LEADERSHIP
AND LOVE

In our July 2020 Scribe, Rabbi Michael reminded us that in these uncertain times our Shir Shalom community is blessed to have had the ability to adapt, adjust and remain connected to one another. With these true words at the forefront of our minds, we are again postponing our celebration for, G-d willing, safer times. While one year seems like a long wait for our special weekend, we know that, on the bright side, we have been given 365 more reasons to honor our beloved Rabbi Mike.

Please mark your calendar for the weekend of April 16, 2021. Fingers crossed, we will be able to safely come together, in person, to share in a milestone celebration befitting all the years that Rabbi Michael has enriched our lives and our community. Stay tuned for more details to follow.

We cannot wait to see you there,
Allison Parr, Terri Cooper, & Gayle Gold
Co-Chairs

Celebrating Rabbi Michael 25 Years of Leadership & Love



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	<u>Price</u>	<u>Qty.</u>	<u>Total</u>
Half Roasted Chicken Dinner	\$24.00	_____	_____
Boneless Breast of Chicken Dinner (with Marsala Wine Sauce)	\$26.00	_____	_____
Beef Brisket Dinner (with gravy)	\$26.00	_____	_____

à La Carte

Chopped Liver (per pound)	\$12.75	_____	_____
Mushroom Barley Soup (1/2 gallon)	\$17.30	_____	_____
Half Roasted Chicken	\$13.00	_____	_____
Boneless Breast of Chicken Marsala	\$16.00	_____	_____
Beef Brisket with gravy (4 slices)	\$18.00	_____	_____
Potato Kugel (2"x2" square)	\$3.50	_____	_____
Glazed Carrots (Tzimmes, 8 oz.)	\$3.50	_____	_____
Tiny Herbed Roasted Potatoes (8 oz.)	\$3.50	_____	_____
Sweet Kugel (2"x2" square)	\$3.50	_____	_____
Green Beans with Julienne Carrots (8 oz.)	\$3.50	_____	_____

Desserts

Apple Tart (10", serves 10 approx.)	\$43.00	_____	_____
Flourless Chocolate Torte (10", serves 10 approx.)	\$43.00	_____	_____
	<i>Subtotal</i>	_____	_____
	Sales Tax	6 %	_____
	Credit Card Use	4 %	_____
	TOTAL	_____	_____

Please place your order by **Tuesday, September 15, 2020.** Your order will be ready for pick-up on **Friday, September 18, 2020** at Congregation Beth Ahm between the hours of **11:00 am** and **2:00 pm.**
All mail-in orders must be accompanied by a check made payable to **Dish Kosher Cuisine.**

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UPCOMING EVENTS



WEEKLY			
WORSHIP			
Fridays	Kabbalat Shabbat Service	6:30pm	Facebook Live or YouTube
	Shabbat Services	7:30pm	YouTube
Saturdays	Tish Our Weekly Torah Study	9:15am	RSVP to receive Zoom link
	Shabbat Services	10:30am	Facebook Live or YouTube
Sundays	Morning Minyan	10:00am	RSVP to receive Zoom link
GROUP MEETINGS			
Wednesdays	AA, ALANON	8:00pm	RSVP to receive Zoom link

MONTHLY			
GROUP MEETINGS			
Tuesdays			
Sept 22 & Oct 27	Board of Directors Meeting	7:00pm	
Beginning Oct. 18	Adult Ed: <i>Hot Topics: Contemporary Issues Through a Jewish Lens</i>	8:00pm	RSVP to receive Zoom link
Wednesdays			
Beginning Oct 7	Adult Ed: <i>Introduction to Judaism</i>	7:00pm	RSVP to receive Zoom link
Thursdays			
Beginning Oct 22	Adult Ed: <i>Live from The Holy Land</i>	12:00pm	RSVP to receive Zoom link

ANNUAL / SPECIAL EVENTS			
Sept 13 • Sunday	SHORESH Opening Day	9:30am	
Sept 19 • Saturday	Drive In Shofar Blast	12:00pm	RSVP Online
Sept 20 • Sunday	Annual Food Drive	10:00am	
Sept 20 • Sunday	Tashlich with TSS	1:00pm	RSVP Online
Sept 28 • Monday	The Rest of the Sermon...A Conversation with the Rabbis	1:00pm	RSVP Online
Sept 30 • Wednesday	Sukkah Decorating Tailgate	5:00pm	RSVP Online
Oct 9 • Friday	Simchat Torah & Consecration	6:00pm	

HOLIDAYS			
Sept 7 • Monday	Labor Day		Temple Office Closed
Sept 19 • Saturday	Rosh Hashanah		
Sept 28 • Monday	Yom Kippur		Temple Office Closed
Oct 3 • Saturday	Sukkot		
Oct 10 • Saturday	Shemini Atzeret & Simchat Torah		

Highlights of the High Holidays at Temple Shir Shalom

This year, we've added some new opportunities to connect with your Temple family!

Drive In Shofar Blast

Sat. Sept. 19 12:00pm, 12:30pm & 1:00pm
(weather permitting!)



Join us for our first ever Drive In Shofar blast! Fulfill the *mitzvah* of hearing the shofar from your car in Temple's parking lot! All ages are welcome!

Tashlich with TSS

Sun. Sept. 20

West Bloomfield, Beverly Hills & Farmington Hills
(weather permitting!)

Our Rabbis are coming to a park near you! Join us for *Tashlich*, a ritual practice of casting away our sins into water and setting our intentions for the new year! All ages are welcome! We are limiting each location to 36 people, RSVPs in advance are a must! You will find out the specific location with your RSVP.

Tailgate Pitzeleh Service

Sat. Sept. 19 & Mon. Sept. 28 @ 3:00pm
Temple Parking Lot (weather permitting!)

Calling all kids up to 7 years old. This service is for you! Celebrate Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur with a special tailgate Pitzeleh service. Make sure your parents RSVP!



The Rest of the Sermon...Conversations with the Rabbis

Mon. Sept. 28

After listening to our Rabbis' sermons, do you often have questions about the topic or want to know why they chose one phrase and not another? Join our Rabbis for conversations about their sermons on Zoom. **You must register in advance to receive the Zoom link.** Rabbi Michael Moskowitz will begin at 1:00pm, Rabbi Dannel Schwartz will begin at 1:30pm and Rabbi Daniel Schwartz will begin at 2:00pm.

Sukkah Decorating Tailgate

Wed. Sept 30 @ 5:00pm

Help decorate Temple's outdoor sukkah tailgate style. More information at www.shirshalom.org/hhd and check the TSS News!



More information & to RSVP for events: www.shirshalom.org/hhd



Volunteers

We'd like to thank our volunteers!

Minyan Leader: **Ilysa Koltonow** Music by: **David Hearshen**

Shiva Corps: **Flo Paterni**

Annual Food Drive

Sunday, September 20 10:00am-1:00pm



Drop off your non-perishable food at
Temple, SHORESH or Tashlich!

If you would like to volunteer contact
Sallyjo Levine at sallyjolevine@gmail.com

New Realities, Ancient Wisdom: Monday Morning Musings with Rabbi Moskowitz

Start your week off with a fast 15 minutes of learning with
Rabbi Moskowitz and some special guests!

Mondays, at 9:00am,
via Rabbi Moskowitz's Facebook page, Temple's Facebook page
and at www.youtube.com/templeshirshalom, Live!

Heading South for the Winter?

Please let the office know your winter
address, phone number and effective
dates so you don't miss out on updates
from Temple!

call: 248-737-8700 or
email: scribe@shirshalom.org

Have you ever wondered, “Who are these very thoughtful people and why are their names listed in the Scribe?”

In every issue of the *Scribe*, we recognize individuals who go above and beyond their dues commitment for our Temple’s fiscal year. We appreciate their commitment and generosity. We often get questions about the different categories, so we thought we would take a moment to describe what each one specifically means.

First, it is necessary to know that dues rates vary. At different life stages and situations, we ask different commitments from our members. That being said, we never want finances to be an obstacle to membership and we are always willing to discuss individual circumstances privately.

TZEDAKAH CIRCLE

Tzedakah Circle participants are those who give an additional \$500 on top of their specific dues rate, regardless of which rate that is.

VATIKIM

Vatik means “enduring, trusty, or strong”. *Vatikim* is also sometimes interpreted as “the most spiritually advanced”. This level of participation is for our congregants who are at the senior dues base rate and have chosen to also give above that amount.

CHAI

Chai participants have a dues rate of \$3,445.

DOUBLE CHAI

Double Chai participants have a dues rate of \$4,345.

Each of these special dues designations helps cover Temple’s operating costs and gives us the ability to help families who need financial assistance. If you are interested in adding your name to one of these groups, please contact Ruth Holcomb at (248) 626-5700.

In addition, there are other ways to give to Temple that you may not be familiar with. Please take a look at the *Planned Giving* page on our website: www.shirshalom.org/plannedgiving for more information.

Contact Brian Fishman to discuss next steps at (248) 737-8700 or brian@shirshalom.org. Thank you!

TZEDAKAH CIRCLE (\$500 ABOVE DUES)

Geraldine Bennett
Barbara & Jack Dorfman
Marilyn Finkel-Brown
Patricia & Daniel Frank
Lola & Joseph Goldring
Barbara & Donald Janower
Linda Klein
Sharon Meisel
Louise Oram
Marilyn & Robert Segal
Joyce & David Steinberg

VATIKIM (SENIOR DUES PLUS)

Paula Milgrom & James Barnett
Maxine & Robert Carson
Mandy & Joel Fisher
Mary Frank
Sara & Michael Frank
Pola & Howard Friedman
Sally & Milton Green
Jackie & Larry Kraft
Muriel & Bernard Moray
Barbara & Jerome Sitner
Eleanor & Philip Smith
Helen & Howard Topcik

CHAI (\$3,445 DUES)

Pam & Rob Kornfeld
Margo & Bob Lesser
Elizabeth & Keith Lublin
Diane & Howard Morof
Ethel Rosenblatt
Jackie & Joel Smith
Terry & Jeffrey Wilner

DOUBLE CHAI (\$4,345 DUES)

Nickole & Evan Black
Terri & Gary Cooper
Fran & Gary Grossman
June Gurwin
Jody Lipton & Geoff Kretchmer
Sallyjo & Barry Levine
Lori Davidson-Mertz & Steve Mertz
Alice Brody & Ronald Ross
Lisa & Joshua Sherbin
Stacey & Gary Shuman
Marjie & Steve Ziff

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ART FISHMAN BURNING BUSH FUND

In memory of

Fannie Hirsch & Rachel Levine – Shirley & Edward Hirsch

CANTOR PENNY M. STEYER'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In honor of

our Aliyah at Maddie's Bat Mitzvah – Joy Lasky & Stephen Margulis

Simon Mirkes' Bar Mitzvah – Michelle & Scott Mirkes

In memory of

Willard "Bill" Cooperstock – Dr. Andrew Cooperstock

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In memory of

Seymour Jaffie & Minnie Pole – Cheryl & Guy Brouillette

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In memory of

Hannah Steel – Jayne & Lawrence Steel

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In honor of

Barbara & Jim Siefer's 50th Anniversary, Kathleen and Michael Sandler's 40th Anniversary – Blanche, Alan and Bethany Mindlin, Alicia Mindlin, Max and Bailey Columbus

In memory of

John Jacobs & Dr. George Mogill – Blanche and Alan Mindlin

Paul Foltyn, Robert I. Lesser, Florence Mars & Loretta Ziegelman – Blanche, Alan and Bethany Mindlin, Alicia Mindlin, Max and Bailey Columbus

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In memory of

Gloria Collen – Rena & Martin Janower

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In Memory of

Gloria Collen – Nicole & David Goldman and Family

RABBI DANIEL A. SCHWARTZ'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In honor of

Simon Mirkes' Bar Mitzvah – Michelle & Scott Mirkes

In memory of

Dr. Sydelle Ronda Markson Katzer – Ellen Katzer & Robert Scher

Seymour Jaffie – Lois Jaffie

To thank

Rabbi Daniel Schwartz – Julie & Ernie Backalar, Lexi & Matt Schwartz

RABBI DANNEL I. SCHWARTZ'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In memory of

Kathryn Krickstein Pressel – Evelyn & Herbert Krickstein

RABBI MICHAEL L. MOSKOWITZ'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

In honor of

Brock Vinter's Bar Mitzvah – Gail Sandweiss

Simon Mirkes' Bar Mitzvah – Michelle & Scott Mirkes

In memory of

Florence Mars – Gerrie Bennett

William Pole – Lois Jaffie

To thank

Rabbi Michael Moskowitz – Julie & Ernie Backalar, Tom & Tobie Hartman, Barbara, Gary, Marla, Seth, Devon, Owen, Jonah, Zander & Penelope Pollack, Lisa & Steve Rotter, and Marcie & Eugene Weissberger

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FUND

In Memory of

Allen Arthur Hyman – Deborah & Jonathan Eber

Debi Mirsky – Renee' Durbin and Robert Greenberger

TEMPLE SHIR SHALOM GENERAL FUND

In honor of

Howard Morof's 60th Birthday – Hilary & Edan King

In memory of

Florence Mars – Diane Silverstein

Gloria Collen – Judy & Bruce Gorman and Family

Ron Disner, Rose Disner & Sylvia Nathan – Susan Disner

Charles Shwedel – Susan & Dicron Mahakian

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TEMPLE SHIR SHALOM LIBRARY FUND

In memory of

Bernard Burrow – Gloria Ellis

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To thank

Flo Paterni – Barbara & Gary Pollack



We regret with sorrow the passing of:

PAUL FOLTYN

husband of Leah Foltyn

FLORENCE MARS

mother of Barbara (Gary) Pollack

DAVID GOODMAN

father of Susan (Lawrence) Becker

RICHARD MENCZER

father of Mark (Tracey) Menczer

PAT CAREY

mother of Patricia Carey (Steven Huff)

KENNETH GITLIN

father of Tarin Gitlin (Robert Wine)

JERRY BROWN

father of Tracie (Stephen) Engel

GEORGE MOGILL

grandfather of Shira (Lyle) Wolberg

HARRIET CHODOROFF

mother of Terri (Steven) Hillenberg

SUN 8/30 @10am

FRI 9/4 @6:30pm

SAT 9/5 @10:30am

Sharon Allen
*Michael B. Aronovitz
Sylvia Beresh
*Ruth Berkowitz
Dr. Jason Bodzin
Tracy James Bowman
Phyllis Bratt
Jean C. Burk
Bernard Burrow
*Heleta Chernack
*Charles P. Cohen
Paul Doigan

Jacob Henry Dorn
Rose Epstein
Sharon Joy Hoffman- Fiander
Thomas Fromm
Harmon Gallant
Ben Gelman
Sheldon Gilbert
Meyer Hertzberg
John Hole
Mary Homisak
Florence Howard
Eugene "Gene" Jakubiak
Aaron Harry Katzman
Anne Kayman
Roger Leebove
Ellen Levy

H. Kirke Lewis
Celia Kohn Michaels
Jacob Moray
Rebecca Leikin Mullen
Jean Newling
Martha I. O'Dell
Douglas Pierce
David Polk
Leah Simka Raykhinshteyn
Roslyn Rock
Helen Rom
Hyman Rosenberg
Millie Roth
Sara Rzepka
Melvin Scher
Robert Schlaff

Jason Eric Schwartz
Bruce Seid
Don Sharfman
Liliya "Lily" Sharova
Bonia Shur
*Rose Silverstein
Lester Singer
Mary Steffin
Joseph Taylor
Samuel Toby
Seymour Ungar
*Eva Goldberg Weinstein
Ruth Yarrows

SUN 9/6 @10am

FRI 9/11 @6:30pm

SAT 9/12 @10:30am

*Victims of September 11, 2001
Fern Adelstein
*Rose Adler
*Terry Jay Alpert
Betty Aronoff
Gertrude Assiran
*Dr. Herman "Herm" Bennett
*Charles S. Berman
*Ruth Terebello Blackman
Marvin J. Blank
Herbert Bloom
*Bernard "Bunny" Cassels
Dorothy Chaiken
Lucille Ruth Cherney

Sharon Cohen
Cecile Engel
Anne Pomerantz Feldman
Bessie Finn
Herman Foster
Ernest Fridson
*Kenneth Friedman
*Jules Gales
Rose Goldstone
Rabbi Alfred Gottschalk
Don Greene
*Michael "Mickey" J. Grey
Helga Hartman
*Miriam Hass
*Robert Elliott Heller
Fannie Hirsch
Susan Johnson
J. Walter Jonas
Rosalind Kahn

Benjamin Kaplan
David Klugman
Bernice Kramer
Marianne Hatton Lane
Sara Levy
Bernard "Bernie" Mege
Dr. Milton Meyers
David Miller
Frieda Miller
Robert Miller
Esther Morof
*May Nosanchuk
Samuel Oberman
Frank J. Palazzolo
David Pennet
Lynn Kerner Rycus
Sadie Schafer
Sylvia Seigel
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Gail Sheila Stein
Hershel L. Stuart
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Lea Weinberg
Derek David Zorn
Fannie Zumberg Kay

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SUN 9/13 @10am

FRI 9/18 @8:00pm

SAT 9/19 @10:30am

Gabriel "Gabe" N. Alexander
Ruth Beresh
*Robert Allen Berman
Ben Blau
Regina Burdowski
**Dr. Gary A. Burnstein
Sam Cascade
*Pearl Cohen
Robert M. Dworman
Rose Elfman
Roger James Ettlinger
Sidney Fineberg
David Freedman
Allan Freund
Robert N. Gaberman

Bill "Bud" Gawlik
Stephen Goldman
*Rubin Golds
David Goodman
Dorothy Goss
Nathaniel J. (Bud) Greene
Isaac Greener
*Oscar F. Grey
Marcella Gundlach
Sol Horn
Seymour Howard
Jason C. Kaltreider
Barbara Sarko Karr
**Isadore "Iz" Koffron
Harry Korelitz
Zelig "Zel" Landy
Max I. Levine
*Rena B. Levy
Benjamin Marton

Pauline Michaels
Dave Mikol
Phillip Minkin
"Cat" Montestruc
Dr. Maxwell L. Nadis
*Alfred Neisser
*Dr. William "Bill" Nemeth
William "Bill" Nosanchuk
Robert Nusholtz
Lenore "Babe" Pickman
David Pollack
Helen Ratner
Robert Rissman
Rita E. Rosen
*Dr. Gary Rosenblatt
Paula Rosenbloom
William Rosender
Laura Marcia Roth
Martin Schott

Leo Schwartz
Ian Schwartz Scott
Aaron Segal
Betty Seid
*Eleanor Mozen Silver
Hilda Tanenblatt
Abraham A. Terman
*Samuel Terman
Harry Tushman
James Wechsler
*Herb Weingarden
Abe Weisman
Elizabeth Weiss
Herman Wepman
*Marian Ruskin Williams
Evelyn Youkelson
Judith Zeidman
Mary Zipper
Babe Zuppke

SUN 9/20 @10am

FRI 9/25 @6:30pm

SAT 9/26 @10:30am

*Ida Aaron
Max Solomon Beim
Harry Brown
Howard Brown
Adele T. Caruso
Angie Chadwick
Janet Etta Cooperstock
Esther Epstein
Lee Friedman
Harriett Ginsburg
Jeffrey Ginsburg

*Michael Golds
Sam Goodman
Roland Gottesman
*Evelyn Gray
Bessie Groden
*Nathan Harris
Julius Hessing
Burton Isaacs
*Harry H. Janower
Ella Kahn
Joseph Kasmer
Rachel (Rae) Kaufman
Dr. Yeong Wook Kim
Marilyn Klegman
*Bella Leikin

*Ezekiel Leikin
Dr. Arnold Leshman
Dave Lewis
*Paul Milgrim
Barbara Osentoski
Charles N. Pappas
Patti Peters
*Mania "Mary" Raiber
Dorothy Rapp
Nat C. Rosenfeld
Dr. Mervyn Ross
*Edwin Schiff
*Florence Schwartz
*Morris Schwartz
Ethel Segal

Joel Scott Serlin
*Albert Shapiro
Toby Shapiro
Joanne Sheiman
Steven Silk
Merle Silverman
Dr. Benjamin C. Stein
Ruth Stockler
Leonard Tagliavia
Ruth Wayne
Simon Wiesenthal
Cecil Wiseman

SUN 9/27 @10am

FRI 10/2 @6:30pm

SAT 10/3 @10:30am

Meyer Arbit
Bruce Bailen
Mortimer Beaver
Harry Becker
Rosalind Becker
Sherman Becker
Dorothy Bell
Burgess Blevins
William L. Bronstein
Leonard Brose
Sylvia Budson
Vincent Michael Cioffi
Joe Dash
**Kim Lynnette DeCapite
Lillian DeRoven

Daniel Dunn
Bonnie Ellul
*Joseph Epstein
Martin Felder
Mary Feldman
Morris Fenkell
Milton Firestone
*Harry H. Fitlow
*Harry Foster
Irene Freund
Wilbur L. Gale
Hazen Goldman
Dr. Herbert Hertzberg
Charles Horwich
Tillie Hozman
Lillian Hyman
William Hynes
Suzanne Jacobson
Debbie Kalisher

Viola Kappy
*Rose L. Kasoff
Samuel Kayman
Albert King
Sonia Lederman
Donnie Levin
Samuel Todd Levine
Pauline Markzon
Oscar Mazur
Ida Messer
Elaine Mirkes
Ida Mirsky
Elena Orefice
Freda Paull
Shimon Peres
Leonard Posner
Leonard Raskin
Betty Ravis
Emily Rogow

Shirley Rosenberg
*Nathan Rotman
Donna Rott
Elaine Roudet
Hyman Rubin
Sam Ryshen
Eleanor Sarko
Joseph Schwartz
Barbara Bloch Stein Seedman
Elaine Carol Seligman
Zelda Shwedel
Judy Siegel
*Dr. Stefan Simko
Ruth Simmons
Carl A. Stein
Theodore Talon
Anna Werbell
Maida E. Zuckerman

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In Remembrance

SUN 10/4 @10am

FRI 10/9 @6:00pm

SAT 10/10 @10:30am

Roberta "Bobbie" Alexander
 *Charles K. Amberg
 Robert Ameri
 Isadore "I.A." Averbuch
 Robert Bayer
 Jack Beckwith
 Martin Bragman
 Erwin C. Burk
 *Lillian Cantor
 *Esther Chodoroff

Bessie Cohen
 *Harry Yates Cohen
 Joseph E. Cohen
 Irving Colton
 Saul Dicken
 Jerry Dobrusin
 Emmanuel Gauzer
 Helen F. Grossinger
 *Robert Harris
 Manny Hauer
 Rae Hertzberg
 Ida Anne Howard
 *Jordan P. Isaacs
 Sam Jacobs

Leslie Kutinsky
 *Abraham Linden
 Gary Lubin
 Shirley Vera Merzin
 Dr. Jack Morof
 Irving Morof
 James Paterni
 Pearl Pearlman
 Evelyn James Persinger
 Tania Ploper
 Isaak Raykhinshteyn
 George Rocher
 William Rock
 Rose Rosenfeld

Jerald "Jerry" Ruben
 Louis Sheftel
 *Jerry Sherbin
 Marion Sherman
 Fannie Sklar
 *Sarah Slavin
 Morey Strasberger
 Anne Talon
 Ruth Tobin
 **Stanley H. Voelker
 Sidney Weiss

SUN 10/11 @10am

FRI 10/16 @7:30pm

SAT 10/17 @10:30am

*Beverly Apel
 Pearl Bello
 Morris Moody Beresh
 *Isidore Berkowitz
 *Udas Blank
 Daniel Brous
 Estelle Brown
 Ralph Brumer
 Gertrude Cohen
 Sheila "Shuly" Kerstein Eisen
 *Pearl Eisenstein
 Marian Eisler
 Robert Dean Engel
 Julius Fantich
 Sadie Fleisher
 Edith Gantz

Harold Garber
 Philip Garfinkle
 Alex Germash
 Alan Goldstein
 Harold Gottlieb
 Anna Greenberger
 Morris Growick
 Shirley Harris
 Robert Hirschbein
 Alice Hoffman
 Gertrude Jackel
 Isadore Jackel
 Albert Jakobson
 David Kalisher
 Salvator Katan
 Leonid Khanukov
 Dr. Kathleen Marie Joyce Kim
 Norman Klegman
 Minna Kogan
 Anna E. Kolodney
 Dr. Kenneth "Ken" Kurjan

Rebecca Learner
 *Richard Malcolm Lustig
 Galina Mazur
 LeRoy Mertz, Sr.
 William Monashkin
 Gail Parrish
 Fanny Paull
 Evelyn Perini
 Mildred Persinger
 Elizabeth "Betty" Pollman
 *Raymond Portney
 *Henry "Chaim" Raiber
 Audrey Richie
 *Gloria Hirsch Richmond
 Robert Rollins
 Melvyn Rose
 *Joseph Sanders
 **Dominic Sarro
 Sidney Savage
 Alicia Schwartz
 *Rose Schwartz Obre

Dr. Jacob Shapiro
 Joseph Shapiro
 *Bertha Lillian Frank Silverstein
 Sidney George Spector
 Morris Stabinski
 Samuel Stone
 Shirley Taubman
 Louis Tertocha
 Andrew Thomas
 Abraham Wallace
 Frank Wallace
 Tema Watzman
 Moe Weinschel
 Sy Weinstein
 Molly Wepman
 Seymour Wohlman
 Seymour Wolf
 *Ronald S. Yourofsky
 Soloman Zektick
 Soozie Zussman

SUN 10/18 @10am

FRI 10/23 @6:30pm

SAT 10/24 @10:30am

Eve Arno
 Sarah Bennett
 *Cantor Henry J. Blank
 Charlotte Brous
 Joan H. Brown
 Reb Shlomo Carlebach
 Greta Cash
 Francesca Ciccodicola
 Nettie Emmer Cohen
 Carole Hope Sucher Durbin
 Louis Elfman
 Ralph Epstein
 Kay Fabricant
 *Edward I. Feuer

Edna Firestone
 Ethel Fisher
 William "Bill" Gamsu
 Eva Geller
 *Rita Glattstein
 Simon Glick
 Philip Goldklang
 Sherman Goldman
 Arnold "Arnie" Grossman
 Laura Holland
 Stanley Iczkovitz
 Stacey Feig Jacobson
 *Liliann Katz
 *Audrey Susan Klegman
 Pearl Kleiff
 Barbara Krohn
 *Marni Grossfeld Kurjan
 Morris Landau

Calvin "Cal" Lefton
 Esther Lewis
 Marjorie Lieblich
 Carole J. Lipton
 Stanley "Hank" Marx
 Irma McMillen
 Dorothy Moss
 Arlene Marieta Newcombe
 Florence Patt
 *Harry Paull
 Phyllis Payson
 Ruth Pecherer
 *Gloria Portney
 Jacob Resnick
 William "Bill" Rogers
 Frances Rosin
 Wallace Rosner
 Joel Saxe

**Gerald Schumacher
 Esther Schwartz
 Louis Schwartz
 Helen Sylvia Sherman
 Max Silverman
 Harold Singer
 *Mimi Adler Sokolowski
 *Myra Spizizen
 Katelin Stark
 Amelia Steiger
 Harriet "Hope" Steinberg
 Muriel Tarnoff
 Mike Watzman
 Morris Weingarden
 Carl Zipper
 *Max Zuckerman

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SUN 10/25 @10am
FRI 10/30 @6:30pm
SAT 10/31 @10:30am

Bruce Abrahams
 **Ronald D. Barnett
 Samuel W. Barr
 Theodore Begley
 Yuriy Benkenshtadt
 Harry Bennett
 *Pauline Berkowitz
 Saul Blackman
 *Louise Blank
 Ruth Blau
 Helen Bluestone
 Marilyn L. Boller
 Ida Bronstein
 Daniel A. Cohen
 Iris Czajkowski

Victims of Congregation Dor
 Hadash
 *Andrea Dubrinsky
 Dr. Milton Elford
 Jack Faxon
 Murray Feigelson
 George Fisher
 Kalman Gold
 *Arthur Goldberg
 Doris Goodman
 Maxwell Joseph Greenspan
 Sarah Greenspan
 Bertha Gulbas
 Kasriel Gulbas
 Cantor David Gutman
 Trudy Hertzberg
 Sam Hoffman
 *Kenneth Joel Iczkovitz
 Sharon I. Katzman

*Hyman H. Kaye
 Ganira Kerimova
 *William Klegman
 Meyer Koltonow
 Dr. Thomas Kovan
 Marilyn H. Lansat
 Henry Lewis
 Fred Linden
 Pauline Josephine Lurie
 Berta Meites
 Charles Miller
 Larry Miller
 Yetta Miller
 Robert Molloy
 Ida Moran
 *Frances Nanes
 Victims of New Light
 Congregation
 Nat Obre

Daniel Pevos
 Jacob Polk
 Gen. Yitzhak Rabin
 William "Val" Resnick
 Saul Rich
 Marion Robinson
 Edith Rosenberg
 Neil P. Rosenthal
 Joshua Saul Ross
 Emeline Sampson
 Richard Siegal
 Lillian Slomovitz
 *Shirley Ruth Steinberg
 John Stifter
 Victims of Tree of Life * Or
 L'Simcha Congregation
 Ida Weinstein
 Charles Weiss
 Mark Wizel

SUN 11/1 @10am
FRI 11/6 @6:30pm
SAT 11/7 @10:30am

*Gladys Baskin
 Betty Beare
 *Irwin Bergman
 Mark L. Berson
 Freida Blostein
 Thelma Brown
 Rosetta Cohen
 Rabbi Ernst J. Conrad
 *Dora Eisenberg
 *Meyer Eisenberg
 Keith Alan Feldman
 *Joseph Foster
 *Carole M. Frank
 Henry B. Frank
 Jack Friedman

Joan Dee Friedman
 Milton J. Garber
 Edwin Gittleman
 Isadore Goldbaum
 Norman Goldin
 Henry Goldsmith
 Fran Goldstein
 *Aaron (Ozzie) Goodman
 Janice Halprin Goodman
 Rose Green
 Harriet "Terry" Anne Greenberg-
 Wautelet
 Sally B. Heavenrich
 Stuart E. Hertzberg
 Bella Hordes
 Carol Horwitz
 *Patricia Jacobs
 Celia Janower
 Fanny Karr
 Bernard Klisman

Mike Kolos
 Charles Komenarsky
 *Rose Konikow
 Josephine Krauss
 Sam Leiter
 Ethel Lesser
 Samuel Levine
 Mark Lewis
 *Bernice Lynn
 Nekhama Minevich
 Rhoda Morrison
 Douglas "Doug" Arthur Moss
 Edith "Edie" Rosen
 Milton H. Rotenberg
 Leon Irvin Schafer
 Norman Schafer
 Ernie Scher
 Jil Marie Schuetz
 Philip Shapiro
 Brenda Shepp

Jodi Beth Jaffe Silverman
 Marion Smith
 Diane Snyder
 Alexander Stark
 Sol Stein
 Jerome J. Steinberg
 *Shelley Sturman
 *Evelyn Diane Swartz
 *Alexander B. Szirtes
 Janet Anne Thomis
 Lucy Y. Topcik
 *Richard N. Varon
 *Harvey Theodore Wechsler
 Helen Weingarden
 Bernice "Paulie" Willenbaker
 Jean Wolfe
 *Jeanette Yourofsky
 Eleanor Zimmerman

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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. 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*.

Here are three ways to sign up for e-mail notifications of Shir Shalom families' funerals sent directly to your inbox:



1. E-mail scribe@shirshalom.org with "Subscribe Death Notice" in the subject line
2. Text FUNERAL to 22828
3. Scan the QR code here

SIGN UP FOR DAILY FUNERAL SERVICE EMAIL

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

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www.hebrewmemorial.org

What's On My Mind...

As you'd expect, this is normally the busiest time of year at Temple Shir Shalom. Preparing for the High Holidays, *Sukkot*, and *Simchat Torah*. The start of the new school year for Preschool and Shoresh. In prior years, maybe you'd call it Hectic, Exciting, and Full of Promise.

And what would you call it now, in the midst of Miserable Coronavirus Lockdown Month Number Seven (?) and Counting? Well I'd still call it Hectic, Exciting, and Full of Promise. Maybe more so than ever before.



Keith Lublin
President

As you know, our High Holiday Services have been totally transformed. We've done so to adjust to the fact that inviting our congregation together & in-person (in any feasible permutation & even if it were not directly against the law) would clearly increase the likelihood of severely sickening our beloved fellow members.

But just as with the newly-online political conventions I eagerly binge-watched, this new platform permits the virtual ability to try new things – maybe bring in Rabbi Dannel from Maine, or Dan Nichols from Carolina, or connect religiously with our immediate family who are

out of town. If 2020 is the Year of the Lemon, we're doing our best to make Lemonade.

I want to thank Board Member Gayle Gold for beautifully leading our efforts here. Together with our clergy & professional staff, we will provide an intellectually-stimulating / emotionally-inspiring welcome the new year in a way that is authentically your Temple Shir Shalom. It's been a Herculean effort and I'm so proud of our team's work & awesome preparation. *Al Cheyt* for any mistakes.

Similarly, for the start of school, our team has worked diligently to provide multiple options for each child to pursue their Jewish education in a safe environment appropriate for their own individual situation. Our top priority may be physical safety; but the importance of our students' educational / spiritual / social development is not far behind. We are focused on making the coming year one of growth, even including in-person times to the extent we can safely do so.

Special thanks to the wonderful team of medical professionals who have helped guide us – Dr. Howard Blank, Dr. Harry Parr, Dr. Rob Cohen, Dr. Seth Faber, R.N. Paula Lynn, Dr. Les Rocher, Ashley Sefferman and Susan Witus. We appreciate your expertise & counsel so very much.

Given the continuing uncertainty (now in mid-August as I write this), I suppose it's just as likely that this whole well-thought-out plan has subsequently been adjusted further. Ergo, thank you – each of you – for your Flexibility, your Open Mind, and your Participation. I appreciate it. And I wish you & your family all the very best this coming year.



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