As Rabbi Gibson encourages us to wish Yasher Koach to each other for milestones and accomplishments. It’s now our turn to return the cheer!

Join in the celebration of Rabbi Jamie Gibson’s 30th Anniversary with Temple Sinai:
Sunday, April 29, 2018
5:30 PM • 6:00 PM dinner, followed by program
Temple Sinai
5505 Forbes Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA

An evening of much fun and entertaining festivities!
Delicious dinner catered by Big Burrito.
Dress is party casual.

Together, let’s fête Rabbi Gibson for his feat of stellar leadership, support through all our life cycles and inspirational spiritual guidance.
Seton Hill University Theatre & Dance Presents:

**Letters to Sala** by Arlene Hutton

It is 1941 in Poland. Sixteen-year-old Sala volunteers to take her sister’s place at a labor camp, which begins an odyssey that will take her to seven Nazi labor camps during the course of World War II. Every letter she receives from home is saved, hidden and transported to the next destination — over 300 letters in five years. In 2005, when an elderly Sala reveals her collection to her daughter, a struggle ensues among three generations of women. Should the letters be kept as personal family history or donated as historical documentation of the Holocaust? Based on the true account as told in Ann Kirschner’s book *Sala’s Gift*.

**WHEN:** Thurs., April 12, 10:30 AM  
**WHERE:** Seton Hill University  
100 Harrison Avenue  
Greensburg, PA 15601  
**HOW:** RSVP by Wednesday, April 4  
**COST:** $10 (lunch not included)

**TRIP ITINERARY**

9:30 AM Meet at Temple Sinai to carpool  
10:30 AM Play begins  
12 PM Lunch (location TBD — lunch not included in price)

RSVP BY WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4 AT NOON

To reserve your spot, return this form with a check (made out to WoTs) to  
Temple Sinai, 5505 Forbes Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15217.

Member Name: ____________________________ Guest Name: ____________________________

Home Phone: ____________________________ Cell Phone: ____________________________

Number of People: ____________________________ @ $10 each ____________________________

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED ____________________________
Rabbi’s Reflections
April 2018/Nisan-Iyar 5778
By Rabbi Jamie Gibson

My dear friend and Dean of the Jerusalem school of Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute in Jerusalem, Rabbi Naamah Kelman, has written on three aspects of the Amidah, the central prayer of our services, as follows:

“For many of us, praise of an omnipotent God is a struggle, petitionary prayers flow; gratitude is often felt but not expressed with a full heart.”

It was the last part that caught my eye:

“Gratitude, however, is often felt but not always expressed with a full heart.” She means gratitude to God. Right now, I’d settle for gratitude towards each other.

There are so many reasons why gratitude is not “expressed with a full heart.” I think lack of gratitude is embedded in our time, which overflowed with fear and coarseness.

Yet, I believe with all of my heart that gratitude, honestly shared from the heart, can dissolve both fear and coarseness.

All of this is to frame my prayer of gratitude to you, all of you.

For 30 years we have struggled together in the face of loss, trauma, and tragedy. For 30 years we have celebrated times of boundless joy and accomplishment. For 30 years we have woven our lives together, journeyed together (never in a straight path), and worked together to build a place for liberal Judaism in our lives and in the life of our community.

Thank you for sharing your hopes and dreams with me even before I had earned your trust.

I am grateful beyond measure to all who have given me the opportunity to share my spirit with you — the leaders, the generation of Temple Sinai’s builders, the younger voices clamoring to be heard.

Thank you for taking a chance on me, even when it seemed frightening.

I am grateful beyond words to the four generations of children who have opened their hearts and minds to my Torah. I am so gratified that so many have sung with me with open throats, minds and hearts, from the Shema to Debbie Friedman tunes to the traditional Shalom Aleichem, and Adon Olam.

Thank you for lifting your voices in song even when the melody was new.

I am grateful beyond all thanks to those whom I have accompanied to bat and bar mitzvah Torah reading, those whom I have confirmed, those who have stood with me under the chuppa, those who have entrusted me to hold their babies as well as the hands of their family members who were ill or lay on the edge of death. I have received more from you than I could ever have given to you.

Thank you for the Torah of life you have taught me, humbling me with your wisdom.

And to all of our incredible family who don’t see themselves in my words above, I thank you for our encounters, our Shabbat conversations, our songs, our shared commitments, even our disagreements. You have shaped my mind and heart in ways I could never have imagined.

Thank you, from my overflowing heart, for the innumerable blessings you have showered on me and my family.

This is my prayer of gratitude, to both God and you. I hope to share this gratitude with you in person when we celebrate as a family on Sunday, April 29!
"We were all dark haired 30-somethings standing under the chuppah in January 1989, when you pronounced us husband and wife. Since then, you were there for and with us as we joyously celebrated one baby naming, three Bar/Bat Mitzvahs, and three Confirmations, and as we mourned the death of our three parents/grandparents. As we will also soon celebrate our 30th anniversary, we look back at these life cycle events and smile in response to the memories evoked and the photos that show us all in our transition to silver hair and reading glasses.

Thank you, Rabbi Jamie, for choosing to make Pittsburgh and Temple Sinai your home. Thank you for your spiritual guidance, for your teachings, and for your strong social justice voice."

~ Betsy & Mark Freed
HONOR OUR PAST. EMBRACE OUR FUTURE.

Rabbi Jamie Gibson’s 30th Anniversary

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“SO MANY GOOD MEMORIES.
Do you have a favorite memory of Rabbi Jamie Gibson? Email Tami Prine at tami@templesinaipgh.org. We’ll share your memories in social media, weekly emails, monthly ChaiLights, and slideshows.

“...we were supported and comforted each day by Jamie, whose compassion, sensitivity, and understanding sustained us during that terrible time. He knew when words helped and when silence was solace during his daily hospice visits. Ours is one of many Temple families who found his caring invaluable — we’ll always be grateful.”

~ a grateful congregant

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Don’t Forget:

WRJ-Atlantic District -Pittsburgh Area Day
Panel discussion about
Human Trafficking
April 8, 2018, Noon–2 PM at Rodef Shalom Congregation

Please bring travel sizes of shampoo, conditioner, soaps, toothpaste, toothbrushes, K-cups, instant creamers, paper coffee cups with lids, and non-perishable food snacks to be used at PAAR’s drop in center for victims of trafficking.

$18 (half price for students) check made out to WRJ Atlantic District.
RSVP to Shirley Tucker @ 412-420-3411 ASAP.

SAVE THE DATE! PRIDE SEDER, SATURDAY, MAY 5, 6 PM

You are invited to our first Pride Seder presented by the Pride Tribe and Women of Temple Sinai (WoTS).

The Pride Seder will take a form reminiscent of the traditional Passover seder, but it will share stories and hardships of LGBTQ life, celebrate the freedoms that have been achieved, and explore freedoms not yet gained.

Just as the Pride Seder will welcome LGBTQ individuals beyond the Jewish community, we will also welcome Allies of the LGBTQ community. It will be a unique opportunity to bring Jewish customs and rituals into the light for non-Jews and bring LGBTQ customs and rituals into the light for Allies.

The Pride Seder is underwritten in part by the Women of Reform Judaism. Dayenu!

Watch the weekly emails in April for more information or contact Susan Blackman at susan.blackman@verizon.net.
ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE

Sunday, April 8
10 AM–2 PM

GREAT BARGAINS!
Come find your treasures at Temple Sinai’s Rummage Sale. We’ll have housewares, kids’ items, sporting goods, crystal, jewelry, art, small furnishings, and more!! Proceeds benefit

NATHAN AND HILDA KATZEN at TEMPLE SINA Whale Center for Jewish Learning

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7 PM 11th & 12th Grade Seminar  

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10 AM WoTS Steering Committee Meeting  
11 AM Bereisheet  
7 PM Teen School  

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7 PM Teen School  

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11 AM Bereisheet  
7 PM Last Day of Teen School  
7 PM 11th & 12th Grade Seminar  
9 AM Great Jewish Thinking: Beauty, Power and Temptation with Rabbi Danny Schiff  

Downtown Lunch with the Rabbi, Friday, April 13, Noon  
Would you like to learn with friends over lunch? Join Rabbi Gibson for an uplifting discussion over lunch at an office downtown. Spend an hour expanding your horizons and making new friends. Location TBD. Contact Nancy Conaway for more information at nancy@templesinaipgh.org.

Questions? Suggestions? Content for our weekly email or monthly ChaiLights? We want to hear from you! Contact Tami Prine, Marketing and Communications Coordinator, at (412) 421-9715 ext. 120 or tami@templesinaipgh.org. Visit www.templesinaipgh.org for event details and a full calendar listing.
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**WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULE**

**FRIDAYS**

**APRIL 6**
7 PM MOSTLY MUSICAL SHABBAT: A SENSORY FRIENDLY EXPERIENCE

**APRIL 13**
7 PM SHABBAT EVENING SERVICE

**APRIL 20**
5:30 PM TOT SHABBAT

**SATURDAYS**

**APRIL 6**
8:30 AM TORAH STUDY

**APRIL 13**
9:15 AM INFORMAL SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE

**APRIL 20**
10:30 AM BAR MITZVAH OF NATHAN KAPLAN AND SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE

**APRIL 27**
7 PM SHABBAT EVENING SERVICE

4 PM SHABBAT MEDITATION

Temple Sinai Book Club, May 9
May's book is Two She-Bears: A Novel by Meir Shalev. All are welcome. Contact Anne Faigen at (412) 422-9580 for more information.

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WANTED: Your Good News!

Please send your good news (awards, graduations, engagements, marriages, births — anything you want to share with your Temple Sinai community) to Tami Prine, Marketing and Communications Coordinator, at tami@templesinaipgh.org, and we will include it in the weekly email and in our monthly ChaiLights. Thank you!

OF BLESSED MEMORY (FEBRUARY)

Gloria Neafach Mendelson, mother of Robert (Debra) Mendelson, grandmother of Lauren and Jesse, aunt of Elaine Weissberg and Carol (Andrew) Stuart

Melvin Krall, father of Joanne (Woody) Chetlin

Clair Barkley, wife of Alvin Barkley, mother of Drew (Jan) Barkley

Robert Glazier, husband of Alan Mason, cousin of Susan Blackman

Linda A. Pelkofer, mother of Sandy (the late Henry) Mordoh, grandmother of Sydney and Madison Mordoh

NEW MEMBERS

Jay Latterman & Joedda McClain

SIMCHAHS

Mazal Tov to Susan and Rick Tabor on the birth of their grandson, Valentino (Tino) Nicholas Perla, born on Feb. 16 to Morgan and Nick Perla.

Mazal Tov on the marriage of Kenneth (Kenny) Mikszan to Sarah Fehl (daughter of Laura Fehl).

Mazal Tov to Anne Faigen, who will be honored by the Pittsburgh Region of Hadassah at their 101st annual meeting on March 11 for leading their book group for ten years. (Anne also leads a book group at Temple Sinai.)

Mazal Tov to Karen Moellenberg on the birth of her nephew, Leo Maxwell Wyman, born to Rachel Cerlen and Bertram Wyman on March 9.

Mazal Tov to Rabbi Keren Gorban for being chosen as one of a cohort of ten leaders from the Pittsburgh region to participate in an invitation-only Harvard Business School (HBS) Young American Leaders Program (YALP). The program brings together representatives from “cities on the move” to share best practices to improve prosperity. For four days in June in Boston, MA, the group will work with Harvard faculty to gain insight into where America and American cities stand today through the eyes of leaders like themselves from across the country.

“These leaders who will represent the Pittsburgh region at YALP are already influencing the positive direction of our community,” said Aradhna Oliphant, president and chief executive office of Leadership Pittsburgh, Inc. “They have... demonstrated significant civic leadership through their professional or volunteer work, they are firmly rooted here, and they have a desire to make an even bigger difference in the future.”

B’NEI MITZVAH ~ MAZAL TOV!

Saturday, April 21
Bar Mitzvah of Nathan Kaplan
Son of Laura & Stuart Kaplan

Saturday, April 28
Bar Mitzvah of Zachary Gordon
Son of Raimee & Jeff Gordon

SENIORS: BE A HELPING HAND

Do you like talking on the phone? Have you been looking for a volunteer opportunity you can do from the comfort of your home? Do you want to connect with other members who are homebound or who may need to hear a friendly voice?

Seniors Calling Seniors
Arlene Smith
(412) 829-9744
sweetn5163@aol.com
SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday, April 25: Last day of Hebrew School
Sunday, April 29: Last day of Next DOR
Monday, April 30: Last day of Teen School
Friday, May 4: Grades 3 & 4 class will share their writings from their “Prayers of the Heart” class during Shabbat Evening Service
Saturday, May 19: Dinner, Confirmation, & Shavuot Services

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, IYYAR!
A Family Celebration of Rosh Chodesh
Sunday, April 15, 3–5 PM at Carnegie Science Center

Join us as Jewish Pittsburgh families with children in grades K–5 (other siblings are invited!) as we learn about and celebrate Rosh Chodesh together at the Carnegie Science Center and Buhl Planetarium. There will be a special viewing of the movie Back to the Moon for Good. Families are able to come to the museum as early as 1 PM.

Questions? Email our youth advisor Alex at alex@templesinaipgh.org.

RSVP by Monday, April 9 at https://tinyurl.com/roshchodeshpgh

Cost: $18 per family

PICNIC & PLAY FOR LAG B’OMER

Club Sinai Event for Grades K–5
Sunday, April 22, Noon–1:30 PM

During the forty-nine days between Passover and Shavuot, Jews usually don’t have any celebrations or even cut their hair! But for one day in the middle, we take a break and have some fun!

Come eat a picnic lunch and play games as we learn about Lag B’Omer, a Jewish field day! (Light lunch provided.)

Questions? Email our youth advisor Alex at alex@templesinaipgh.org.

RSVP by Friday, April 20.
Please register through your Temple Sinai account.

Cost: $5

Last Day of Next DOR, Sunday, April 29

Watch your inbox for our enriching and memorable schedule of the morning. A few hints...chug presentations, Torah Walk.

9:30–10:30 AM
6th Grade Parent Meeting
Introduction to Teen School

9:30–10:30 AM
2019–2020 B’Nei Mitzvah Meeting for Parents and Guardians (required)
We will clarify Temple Sinai’s policies and practices regarding b’nei mitzvah preparation, services, and logistics related to services and celebrations.

Watch your inbox for the 2018–2019 school registration!
Is there an app for that? Maybe not, but on Monday, April 9 Barbara Gibson will “up” our entertaining menus with easy appetizers and tapas. RSVP to Carolyn Schwarz by Friday, April 6.

Temple Sinai congregants and friends who have participated in the monthly cooking classes sponsored by the Women of Temple Sinai (WoTS) not only learn a new dish or two, they enjoy sitting together and sharing the tasty results of their lesson.

Classes are usually held the second Monday of each month from 6:30–8:30 PM. Each class costs $10, and anyone age 16 and over is welcome.

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<td><strong>Surprise, Surprise:</strong> Drew Barkley will surprise us with a menu that will please our palates.</td>
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Unless otherwise updated in our weekly emails, please RSVP to Carolyn Schwarz at CarolynSchwarz@gmail.com or at (412) 421-1268. Questions? Please contact either Carolyn or Laura Arnold at lsarnold1@gmail.com or (412) 401-9016.

**AUTHOR TALK: SHARON DILWORTH, WED., APRIL 18**

The Falk Library Committee invites you to a Book Reading and Author Talk with Temple Sinai member and author Sharon Dilworth on Wednesday, April 18, from 1:15–2:30 PM in the Lockhart Lounge.


Sharon has won a National Endowment for Fiction grant, a Pushcart Prize in Fiction and Pennsylvania Council on the Arts Grant. She is the director of the creative writing program at Carnegie Mellon University and lives and writes in Pittsburgh — where else? She and her family have been members of Temple Sinai for 25 years.
Yizkor Service at Rodef Shalom, Friday, April 6, 10 AM
Join us and our friends at Rodef Shalom on this seventh day of Passover. **Location:** 4905 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213

**Mostly Musical Shabbat:**
**A Sensory Friendly Experience,**
Friday, April 6, 7 PM
The music is informal and lively. Come prepared to sing along, and maybe even dance a bit. ALL ARE WELCOME! STAY AFTER THE SERVICE FOR A SWEET TREAT!

**Rummage Sale, Sunday, April 8, 10 AM-2 PM**
Great bargains! Come find your treasures! We’ll have housewares, kids’ items, sporting goods, crystal, jewelry, art, small furnishings, and more!! Proceeds benefit the Nathan & Hilda Katzen Center for Jewish Learning.

**WoTS Cooking Class,**
**Monday, April 9, 6:30 PM**
April features Tapas & Easy Appetizers with Barbara Gibson. Please RSVP to Carolyn Schwarz, (412) 421-1268 or 4carolynschwarz@gmail.com by Friday, April 6. Cost is $10, and anyone age 16 and older is welcome!

**Dinner at East End Cooperative Ministry, Thursday, April 12, 6:15 PM**
We prepare and serve dinner once a month at EECM and would love to have you join us. Please contact Sharon Dilworth at sd20@andrew.cmu.edu for more information.

**Men’s Discussion Group,**
**Sunday, April 15, 9:30 AM**
Brotherhood invites you to become better-informed about the weekly Torah portion, as well as contemporary social or political concerns. **RSVP welcome, but not required** (Dave Hirsh, dhirsh@kwbhlaw.com). **Breakfast purchased individually.**

**Location:** Panera Bread, 3401 Boulevard of the Allies, Pittsburgh, PA 15213

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**SHABBAT DINNER, APRIL 20**
Join us for a traditional Shabbat chicken dinner on Friday, April 20 at 5:45 PM. Please register by 5 PM on Wednesday, April 18 so we can prepare enough food.

Cost: $18 (Register online in your Temple Sinai account to pay by credit card, or contact Judy Lynn Aiello at judylynn@templesinaipgh.org or (412) 421-9715 ext. 124 to register and charge to your account. Community members can register by contacting Judy Lynn Aiello.)

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**Rabbi James A. Gibson, MAHL, DD**
Senior Rabbi

**Rabbi Keren Gorban, MAHL**
Associate Rabbi

**Cantor Laura Berman, MBA, MSM, MJE, Diploma of Hazzan**
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Temple Sinai is an inclusive community that embraces, supports, and values all people, regardless of ability or needs, to participate in every aspect of our Reform Jewish synagogue life. For more information or to request an accommodation, contact Judy Mahan at (412) 421-9715 ext. 110 or judy@templesinaipgh.org.