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One family, many connections

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Senior Rabbi Adam F. Miller

By the time you receive this, the High Holy Days will have concluded, and we will be well into 5784. Below is the story that I shared on Rosh Hashanah, taking note of the meaningful moments from our lives. I look forward to hearing what makes your notebook and the blessings you have discovered thus far. May it be a year of sweetness for you!

This summer I heard a version of the following story told by Amy Smyler Macfarland, the Director of Camp Coleman.

Long ago, a traveler came across a small town located in the hills. As she approached, the traveler noticed a cemetery on the outskirts of the community. Curious to learn more about the townsfolk, she paused to look at the stones.

At the first marker, she read a puzzling inscription. On the stone was a name, but in lieu of the usual dates of birth and death one might expect, it read 18 years and 25 days. "Too young," she said out loud, shaking her head. Moving on to the next one, she found a name, and the inscription, 15 years and 103 days. "Oh, my goodness! Another life cut short," she exclaimed. Walking from stone to stone, she felt herself overcome with immense sadness as the pattern continued, "10 years and 18 days," "7 years and 45 days..."

Tears in her eyes, the traveler did not notice that someone was coming toward her until she heard a voice. "Excuse me." The sound startled her causing her to look up. "You look quite distraught. Are you here to grieve a loved one?"

"No," she replied. "I am just overcome with immense heartache to see so many dying at such a young age. What happened here?"

"Oh, I think you misunderstand," replied the stranger. "You see, in our town we have a custom. When one reaches adulthood, they are given a notebook. Inside they are to write down the memorable and meaningful moments of their lives, and for each one, how long the emotion of that experience lasted.

When one is buried, we add up the time, and put it on the gravestone. After all, isn't the time that we find to be meaningful, sacred and special the most important part of our lives? For us, those meaningful moments that shape our lives are more valuable than the total of the years we spent walking this earth."

As we celebrate the 10th year of One Family, I want everyone here to make note of the meaningful moments that you encounter in your lives. At your seat is a notebook from Temple Shalom. Record the times when you encounter moments of *Kehillah*, community, feeling yourself connected to something larger than yourself and conscious of the relationships that make us One Family.

Make note of the experiences when you witness those with differences coming together to create *Shalom*, peace, as they make our world more whole and holy.

Write down when you find *Tikvah*, hope, to persevere in the face of difficult challenges and experience the joy of discovering new solutions to the problems at hand.

With each notation, you will be recording your own meaningful moments, and you will also be writing all of us into the Book of Life. For with each connection you give meaning and life to the future of Judaism, our source for *Kehillah, Shalom*, and *Tikvah*, the meaningful experiences that define what it means to truly live our lives.

May the year ahead be one full of blessing and meaning, *Shana Tova U'Mtukah*.

AMEN

Executive Director Deborah Fidel



I feel a special sense of satisfaction at this time of year, a particular calm that comes after months of planning for the High Holy Days. I have a unique perch from which to see the extraordinary feat that our entire staff accomplishes, making it possible for each of you to focus on your own Jewish experience of this sacred time on our religious calendar.

Our clergy outdid themselves this year. Rabbi Miller, Rabbi Boxman, Cantor Azu, and Rabbi Emeritus James Perman, all helped us to fill our hearts and souls with prayer, music and Torah. While they are the people we see and hear, there are dozens of people who make the magic happen – staff and volunteers who partner with our spiritual leaders to make the High Holy Days holy indeed.

So much of what makes the holidays possible happens behind the scenes. The logistics of the High Holy Days are complex. It is essentially a multi-day festival over several weeks (from Selichot through Sukkot) for over a thousand people. At this time of year, the staff is handling a long list of behind-thescenes work, in addition to processing the hundreds of membership renewals and new memberships at this time of year. They plan for everything, and handle whatever comes their way with a smile. When there are glitches (and there are always glitches!), they jump into action so quickly and graciously that you never know anything was amiss. Thank you, Anne Maner, Jeanette Fischer, Esther Garfield, Judy Mahan, and Leslie Bautista. You worked long hours under difficult conditions at times. I recognize that the importance of our work weighed heavily on everyone, but you kept going...and going...and going, until the job was complete.

Anyone who joined us for worship – in person or online – knows that the production value of our services is second to none. What looks like a simple transmission of audio and video via our livestream and Facebook Live, is actually an incredibly sophisticated operation that relies on the expertise

and extraordinary commitment of Megan Black and Dustin Herl. We literally could not do what we do without these two talented people.

Our building staff - Victor Lucas, Michael Sanroma, Pedro Cruz and Rick Holsbeke - do a tremendous job in every way, from the moment you arrive in the parking lot. I saw them break a heavy sweat more than once, as they tended to our material needs and comfort. Their care and devotion are only matched by their kindness and good humor.

Our Music Director, Dr. James Cochran and the choir elevated our worship to new heights. Thank you, Rabbi Muller, for leading us in an engaging and inspired text study. Thank you, one and all!

I thank our school staff for a wonderful children's program and Family service. The High Holy Days are an especially hectic time of year for them, overlapping with the launch of the preschool and YESh school year. Idea Kabashi, Lijena Shurdhi, Julie Fischer, Paolette Pikus and Mary Flores, together with all of our teachers and tutors, work magic for us every day – not just on the holidays.

Eric Taylor, our contracted security guard went the extra mile to keep us safe and volunteered his own golf cart and time to shuttle members to and from their cars.

As always, Ada Rossell and her crew were indispensable to Victor and to me. While they are not technically part of our staff, Eric, Ada and Wilson are definitely part of our One Family. Thank you!

Together, our staff worked this year as an extraordinary crew – supporting each other, helping each other wherever we could, paying attention when things got stressful for one or another of us. It's an incredible blessing to be part of this team. Thank you for an amazing High Holy Day season–I appreciate you all!



SHABBAT WORSHIP TIMES

Shabbat Evening - 7:30pm
Followed by an oneg

Saturday mornings - 10:00am Followed by a light Kiddush

TORAH STUDY

Saturdays at 8:30am via Zoom

Join our vibrant virtual Torah Study every Saturday morning at 8:30am via Zoom. Delve into the rich wisdom of the weekly Torah portion with thoughtful discussions and meaningful reflections. Led by a member of our clergy or a lay-leader, this interactive session welcomes all to explore and connect with Jewish teachings. Zoom link can be found in the weekly email or by contacting info@naplestemple.org.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Shabbat morning & Yizkor service Saturday, October 7 at 10:00am The Jay & Susan Weiss Blessing of the Animals Sunday, October 22 at 9:00am

Simchat Torah Sunday, October 8 at 11:00am **Soulful Shabbat** Friday, November 3 at 7:30pm

JOIN US ONLINE!

Can't make it to services in person? You can join us online!

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October 22 Starts at 9:00am

All pets must be leashed or in a carrier.



a week of SUKKOT GELEBRATIONS

New, large, air conditioned sukkah!
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A CHICAGO

Preschool in the Sukkah

Monday October 2 9:00am-2:00pm

Preschool classes will visit the Sukkah throughout the day and shake the lulav!

Pizza in the Hut'

Tuesday October 3 12:00pm

Lunch and Learn with Rabbi Boxman

*registration required



Scotch in the Sukkah*

Wednesday October 4 5:00pm

Sip and snack in the sukkah with Rabbi Miller

*registration required



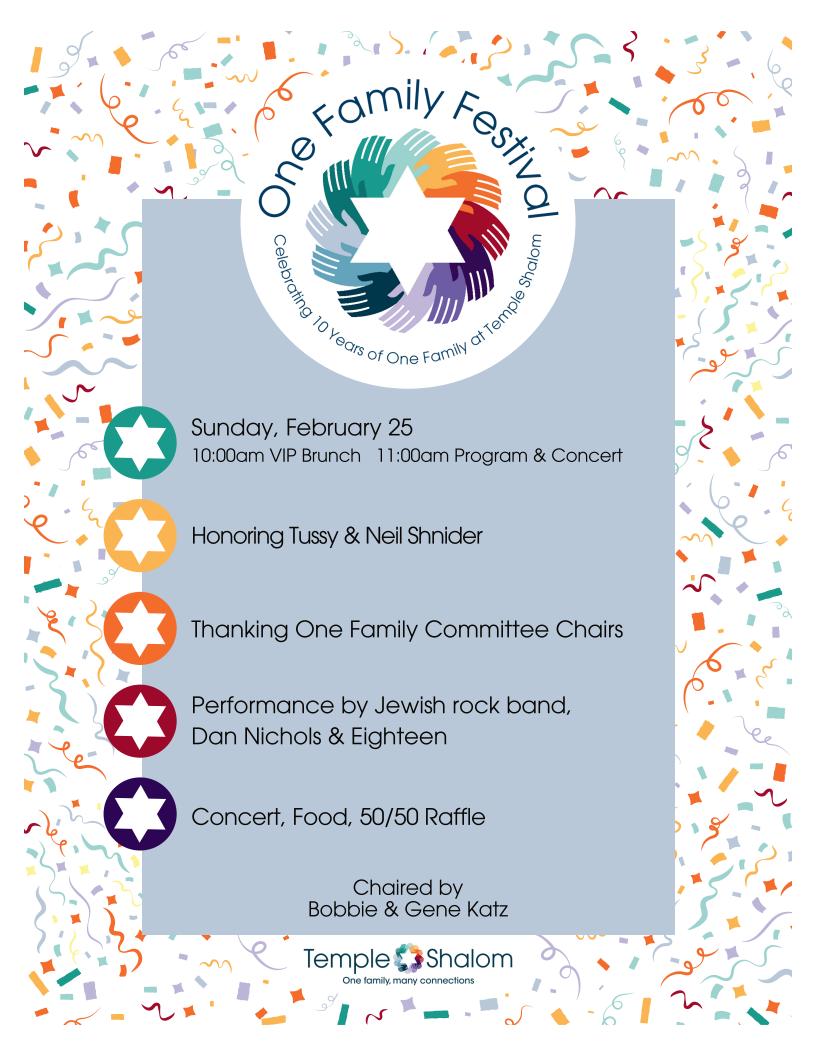
Sushi in the Sukkah*

Thursday October 5 12:00pm

"Songs for Sukkot and Simchat Torah" Lunch and Learn with Cantor Azu

> *registration required

Can't make it to one of the events above? Come and visit the sukkah at your convenience between October 2 and October 5, 9:00am - 6:00pm.









TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17 11:30 AM TEMPLE SHALOM SOCIAL HALL



\$35 PER PERSON

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Shining Stars of Shabbat: The Dedicated Volunteers Behind Friday Night's Oneg

By Tracy McMullen

Temple Shalom members who attend Friday evening Shabbat services know that the onegs that follow are truly a delight of Shabbat. We enjoy a marvelous array of sweet and savory treats beautifully displayed and artfully presented. The quantity and variety of goodies ensure that everyone can find something delicious to enjoy as we connect with old friends and new acquaintances who are all a part of our Temple's One Family.

On many Shabbats, there will be a decorated cake at one end of the long serving table in honor of a Bar or Bat Mitzvah, a member's birthday, or some other special life event. The lady most often doing the cutting and serving is Karen Cohn, who joined the oneg 'team' when she came to Temple Shalom in 1992. For the past 31 years she has headed the oneg project, which the Temple Sisterhood has sponsored and underwritten for more than 35 years.

"I decided to get involved with the onegs because I enjoy the camaraderie; I like baking and it pleases me to have people enjoy what I bring," she said. "When I started, Sandy Stone and Helen Weinfeld were still in charge. They were the original team leaders and they trained me. Helen was an artist and composed very elegant fruit and pastry platters. She had a real talent for it."

When Karen took over, she was assisted for many years by Debbie Schertzer (z"l) and Pam Schoen. Now it is Carol Hirsch and Judy Lazan who are most often at Temple on Friday mornings to work with Karen on arranging the 15-20 platters of treats that grace the oneg serving table.

More than half of those treats are provided by members who create batches of cookies, brownies, fudge, nut bars, large and small cakes, cheese and cracker platters, biscotti and traditional Jewish



sweets including mandelbrot, rugelach and cheesecake.

"We try to accommodate everybody by also offering sugar-free or gluten-free selections and labeling anything that contains peanuts or tree nuts," Karen said. "Most of those items are purchased, along with whatever we may need if we're short on homemade treats. It's often hard to gauge how much to purchase but we do our best to minimize discards."

The oneg team gathers at 10:00am on Fridays and often works till noon, preparing everything that will be served that evening. Karen said that fruit platters take the most time because of the prep work involved.



"We always welcome anyone who wants to help on Fridays and of course we're delighted to receive anything that members want to bake or donate," Karen said. "It isn't necessary to bake large quantities—a dozen or two of anything is fine." Karen noted that it's most helpful to have donations before Friday morning and that items should be wrapped to freeze. They should be brought to the Temple office and labeled if they contain nuts or are sugar-free or gluten-free.

Members may also sponsor an oneg for \$180. Details are available from Sisterhood or the Temple office.

And with a wry smile, she added, "If you like to bake but don't want to have a lot of sweets in the house, you can keep a sample, and bring the rest to us."



ISRAEL CORNER

By Andy Karpman

The Palmach Museum

The Palmach (Strike Companies) was the enlisted brigade of the Haganah, constituting the military defense force of the Jewish Yishuv and Zionist movement until the establishment of the State of Israel (the army of the Jewish state in the making). The Haganah itself operated clandestinely during the British rule, and its members were volunteers who trained underground and irregularly, primarily on Saturdays and holidays.

The Palmach Museum is an experiential museum, covering the Palmach legacy through the stories of individuals and groups. Visitors to the museum join the group of young Palmach recruits from its establishment, and advance through the story of the Palmach until the end of the War of Independence.





The manner of presentation is extremely innovative. There are no displays or documents, but rather an account of a fascinating personal story accompanied by three-dimensional decor, films and various

effects incorporating documentary materials.

The visit, which is conducted in groups, correlates with the structure of the presentation, set out as a series of events, symbolizing the Palmach team spirit.

The tour commences and ends in the memorial hall for Palmach warriors who died fighting for establishment of the state of Israel. The presentation is in Hebrew. English, Spanish, French, Russian, and Mandarin Chinese speakers will be provided with a translation through headphones.

Welcome new members!

B'ruchim haba'im!

Susan & Glenn Abrams Ava & Mark Altschul Nancy Benjamin Paul Brager & Nancy Vogler **Bob & Phyllis Felsenberg** Paula & Ronald Filler Jonathan & Beth Fishbane Scott & Michelle Fuchs Joel & Irina Gelbman Milton & Andrea Goodman Roger & Gisela Gorfinkel Julie & Dan Hess Bob & Kathryn Joseph Janet Kantor Steven & Aaron Kantor Marc & Jennifer Kaufman Bernie & Sue Kunitz Linda Mealia Robin Novak Rhonda Konarski & Douglas Propp Harriet Rich Abraham & Michelle Smith Steven & Marla Taub Mitchell Warren & Sandra Kachmar Izabella & Rob Whitman

Keith Kaplan

Keith made Naples his primary residence in December, 2022 to celebrate the blessing of being able to live his best life with his 93 year old father, Norman. Keith also has homes in New York City and Los Angeles where he is a principal in Robust Real Estate. He grew up in Chicago, attended UCLA undergrad and earned his MBA from the University of Chicago. He has also studied at London School of Economics and Oxford University. He has just completed a four-year term as Chair of the West Hollywood Chamber of Commerce and is a member of the Board of Directors of Project Angel Food. He is completing his preparations to take the Florida real estate exam and will soon be working with buyers and sellers in the Naples area.

NEW MEMBERS

As of September 18

Paul & Karen Budnick

Paul & Karen are loving parents to two daughters and four grandchildren. They met on a UJA mission to Israel. Paul and Karen married in New York City and relocated to Lexington, MA for the majority of their professional careers. Paul worked for many years in senior management at Loehmann's, the women's retail fashion store. Then he transitioned to a successful career in retail banking. Karen graduated from Yeshiva University with her MSW and had a successful career as the Hospice/Palliative Care Coordinator with the Edith Nourse Rogers Memorial VAMC in Bedford, MA. Now both retired, they enjoy reading, walking, aqua aerobics, cooking, cruising, mah jongg and leading a life filled with love and gratitude.

Mark Goetz

Mark was born in Baltimore and moved to Bonita Springs in June, 2015. He is a retired accountant from the Federal Government Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services. He enjoys watching and playing sports, including tennis, pickleball, bike riding, and walking. In Baltimore, he was a Big Brother to four Jewish children and he keeps in contact with two of them. His favorite sports teams are the Orioles, Ravens, Baltimore Colts and the Maryland Terrapins. He loves to read mystery and suspense novels and enjoys going to Artis-Naples, musicals and the movies.

Maxine Rockoff

Maxine has recently arrived in Naples from Brooklyn, NY, drawn here by her daughter, Lisa Vivori, and her grandchildren. Her Bat Mitzvah was one of the earliest held at Temple Emanu-El in Tucson, AZ, and she has been active in Jewish life ever since. She was a co-founder of the Hillel Children's School at Yale in 1969 because New Haven, CT, had no other option for giving Jewish children an education about Judaism. Now retired, Maxine spent many years working for the Federal Government bringing healthcare to underserved rural and inner-city populations. She looks forward with enthusiasm to joining this wonderful congregation!

NEW MEMBERS

As of September 18

Judi & David Beier

Judi and David met in 1988 on a blind date in Queens, New York. After living in Fairfield, Connecticut for 24 years, they relocated 4 years ago to Naples. Judi was raised in Queens, graduated from SUNY New Paltz and received a Masters Degree in Education from Queens College. She was a NYC Public School teacher. David grew up in the Bronx, graduated from NYU and received his Juris Doctor Degree from Boston University School of Law. He was an attorney in New York City specializing in contracts, the NYC Taxi Industry and was a registered lobbyist. At their temple in Connecticut, David served on the Board and was President of the Brotherhood while Judi became a Bat Mitzvah at age 42. Judi enjoys documentaries, biographies, practicing the piano, scrapbooking and organizing everything in sight. David is an avid, steadily improving golfer, voracious reader, jigsaw puzzle enthusiast and a huge NY Jets fan. They have a 28 year-old son, Jordan, who lives in New Jersey and a pug, Wessex, who lives with them in Florida.

Adam & Leslie Bauer

Adam and Leslie Bauer are loving parents to two beautiful girls Emma, 7, and Abigail (Abby), 3. Adam and Leslie are both born and raised in Massachusetts and have deep ties to the Jewish community in which they were raised. Adam is a Vice President of Events for iHeartRadio and Leslie has her Masters in Social Work and has worked for several early education establishments throughout her career. Adam and Leslie both grew up in the suburbs around Boston. They moved to Naples in 2012 and started a family. In their free time, the family enjoys traveling, boating, swimming, and spending time with friends and family.

Welcome new members!
B'ruchim haba'im!

Joseph & Briana Leschen

Briana and Joseph Leschen are parents to two boys, Casey (13) and Sam (11). Briana and Joe grew up in Manalapan, NJ, went to college in NJ and started their family in Marlboro, NJ. Their family were members of Temple Ohev Shalom, aka The Marlboro Jewish Center, where Casey became a Bar Mitzvah last October. The boys are very involved in sports and Joe loves to coach youth sports. Briana has been a teacher for 21 years and also a successful entrepreneur, starting two businesses during that time; The Mix Chix and Project Blanket. They enjoy spending time together with their cat, Rocky. They moved to Florida from NJ to be closer to family.

Stephen & Michelle Such

Stephen and Michele Such met and married in Los Angeles, and soon after moved to San Diego where they lived for 10 years before moving to North Padre Island, Corpus Christi, TX. They stayed there for 4 years and then moved to the panhandle of Florida and then to Naples. They enjoyed each place for what made it unique, but were missing an active Jewish community. As soon as they arrived at Temple Shalom, they felt at home and will make this their forever home.

Emily & Jay Berkowitz

Brooklyn-bred Emily, and Long Islander, Jay, met at Cornell University in Ithaca, NY. She was an undergraduate and he was in Veterinary School. They settled in Port Washington, NY, where Jay established Old Shore Animal Clinic. Emily earned two Master's degrees; the first in counseling and the second in English. She became an adjunct at CW Post College, and began writing for publications including Newsday. A lifelong ballet lover, Emily is the coauthor of Balanchine's Dancing Cowboy, a memoir of her friend, Frank Ohman's decades with the New York City Ballet. Later, she became an educator at the Holocaust Museum and Tolerance Center. Jay and Emily have happily resided in Naples for the last four years. Their pride and joy are their son, Justin, and daughter-in-law Jessica, also both Cornellians, who live in northern California.

Welcome new members!

B'ruchim haba'im!

Zac & Irene Freedman

Zac and Irene have been married for 53 year. They were both raised in the Boston area and attended college there as well. They lived in Chicago for six years during Zac's post medical school training. All three pf their children are native Chicagoans. Zac is active as a Board member of the Jewish Home of Rochester and Irene is a member of Hadassah. Although upstate New Yorkers for over 40 years, they are both Red Sox fans, although their allegiances have shifted from the Patriots to the Bills in pro-football. They enjoy orchestra, theater, beach, and golf/cycling for Zac and mah jongg for Irene. Other hobbies include reading, traveling and family visits.

Mark Gitlitz & Ellen Bohn Gitlitz

Ellen and Mark are moving to Naples full time this year. Mark retired after a long career in technology, the last being EMC. Mark grew up in Connecticut but has been living in the Boston area for the past 35 years. They have 2 adult children in Massachusetts. Ellen is recently retired after a long career in the insurance business and has been on the NE Board of the ADL.

NEW MEMBERS

As of September 18

Iris & Alan Langman

Iris and Alan are newly translocated from the Seattle, WA area. Iris was born in Israel and grew up on the east coast where she met Alan, who grew up in Philadelphia. They are both retired health professionals in the hearing sciences. They are both involved in pro-Israel politics as members of the Pacific NW AIPAC council and enjoy travel and an active outdoor lifestyle. They have two grown children.

Ron & Sandy Miller

Ron and Sandy have been in Naples for most of the last nine years and have now made Naples their full-time home. They have been married for 56 years and have three children, seven grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. They are originally from Reading, PA. Sandy was a hair stylist and Ron was a podiatrist. They are both retired.



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CONNECT



Dine Out With Temple Shalom *Registration required*

Wednesday, October 11 at 6:00pm Tavern on the Bay naplestemple.org/nosh.html



Join this interactive & fun class.

Registration required

Monday, October 16 at 1:30pm

Chocolate Pecan Pie

Cost: \$15

Instructor: Di Karpman

naplestemple.org/form/shalom-chef-pecan-pie

Beading for Betterment

Monday, October 9 & 23 12:00pm

Steve Saks Classroom in the Nina Iser Jewish Cultural Center.



Benefitting the children of the Guadalupe Center. Make a necklace for the children to give as gifts to the special women in their lives. Whether you are an experienced "beader" or have never made a beaded necklace, please join the group for a fun beading session. All are welcome. If you have your own supplies, please bring them. If not, supplies will be provided and only a donation will be requested so that more supplies can be purchased.

For more information, contact Carol Hirsch at chirsch1951@gmail.com. This program is sponsored by Temple Shalom and the Jewish Federation of Greater Naples.



Registration required

Sunday, October 29 at 9:00am Hike in Fakahatchee State Park

Cost: \$5/car (carpooling encouraged) naplestemple.org/kadima

Read the Temple Shalom weekly email, Kol Shalom, for up-to-date information on new events and programs.

The Kol Shalom is sent on Thursday evenings. If you are not receiving this email, please check your spam mail and "allow" emails from Temple Shalom. Or, call the Temple office to make sure we have an updated email address on file for you.

ADULT EDUCATION

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A Reason to Rise: Book Chat with author, Rabbi Jeremy Barras Wednesday,October 18 7:00pm

We invite you for an evening with Rabbi Jeremy Barras to celebrate the launch of his debut novel, "A Reason

To Rise." Rabbi Barras will speak about his writing process, and how the book serves as a vessel to convey his deeply held belief that Zionism animates the soul of every Jew. If you would like to purchase and read his novel prior to the event, the book is available on Amazon. Books will be sold at the event as well. To register, send an email to education@naplestemple.org.

Finding Balance in Ourselves Study Mussar with Rabbi Adam Miller Monday, October 16, 23 & 30 10:00am

Explore the Jewish spiritual discipline of *mussar* – understanding how our character traits (*middot* in Hebrew) shape our experiences. Participants will learn about the history of *mussar*, and study some of the *middot*. To register, send an email to education@ naplestemple.org.

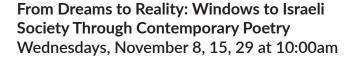


Thinking About Good & Evil part 3 Wednesday - October 11, 18 & 25 at 12:00pm

Join Rabbi Frank Muller to explore the thoughts of great luminaries in the Jewish philosophy of good and evil including Baruch Spinoza, Moses Mendelssohn, Martin Buber, Mordechai Kaplan, Hannah Arendt, Harold Kushner, and others. While this is a continuation from the previous season, there is no requirement to have attended parts 1 and 2. To register, send an email to education@naplestemple.org.

Rabbi Harold Kushner Book Review Series Sunday - October 15, November 12, December 10, January 7, February 11, March 3, April 21, May 5 10:30am

On October 15, Rabbi Frank Muller will kick-off a year-long series on the books of Rabbi Harold Kushner with his bestseller, "When Bad Things Happen To Good People." To register, send an email to education@naplestemple.org.



Join Dr. Judy Avnery to examine and engage in Israeli poetry that reflects the story of revival to the changes and challenges in Israeli society through the decades. The group of poets chosen for this class collectively

represent the various generations that comprise contemporary Israeli poetry. Knowledge of Hebrew is a plus, but not needed to participate in this class. To register, send an email to education@naplestemple.org.





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Lunch with Tal Shneider Monday, November 6 at 12:00pm Cost: \$36/person

Tal Schneider is the political and diplomatic correspondent for the *Times of Israel*. She covers Israel's fierce political arena, including Israel's unprecedented political crisis and the recent multiple rounds of intense elections. Join us for a presentation by Tal on the current situation in Israel. Buffet lunch included in the cost. To register: tinyurl.com/Lunch-with-Tal

Israel Book Discussion Tuesday, October 24 11:00am via Zoom

October Book: "Golda Meir: Israel's Matriarch" by Deborah Lipstadt

Explore aspects of Israeli society in the monthly Israel Book Discussion on Zoom. Delve into captivating fiction and non-fiction works. Engaging conversations guaranteed. Please contact Michael Rubner by email at exfgomsu@ aol.com for additional information. Zoom link is found in the *Kol Shalom* weekly email.

AI & Judaism Sunday, November 5 at 9:30am

Join Temple member, Evan Oslick, to explore the intersection of technology and spirituality in this thought-provoking adult education class. Delve into the fascinating world of artificial intelligence, from its basics to the latest advancements, and uncover how it's shaping our world. Discover the ethical implications of AI on society and immerse yourself in discussions on Jewish law's perspective on AI and its potential impacts. Join us for this engaging journey that bridges the gap between cutting-edge technology and ancient wisdom. To register, send an email to education@naplestemple.org.

Jewish Yoga Mondays at 10:30am Via Zoom Cost: \$72 for 6 sessions



Discover tranquility and balance in our Jewish Yoga class with yoga instructor, Missy Balsam. Meets weekly on Mondays at 10:30am via Zoom. Unite mind, body and soul with gentle stretches and enriching Jewish spiritual insights. All levels welcome. Only \$54 for 7 sessions. Registration is required. tinyurl.com/TSJewishYoga

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Foodie Film
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Jewish Art & Artists

Tikkun Olam Volunteers Don Belmont, Chair



Advocacy Works!

In the 1970s and 1980s, people with disabilities fought for their rights to equal education, employment, and accessible transportation. Their advocacy led to the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, which prohibits discrimination against people with disabilities. Advocacy works!

Please join with other congregants who want to address important local issues like affordable housing and hunger and food insecurity.

We've held town halls and forums to raise awareness and provide education about these issues. The Temple Board of Trustees voted to support the next step - advocating for change. While our TOV subcommittee is taking the lead on affordable housing and hunger and food insecurity, other groups in the Temple will lead on the issues of antisemitism and hate speech. We will all work through the TOV committee to ensure coordination.



Why do we need your help now?

Thousands of our neighbors, even those who work, cannot afford to find housing for rent or purchase. The reality of hunger among

these families, including children and seniors, cannot be ignored. Challenges from COVID, inflation, Hurricane Ian, and the loss of pandemic public benefits have only made these issues worse for our neighbors. In a state and country with such abundance, we cannot know these statistics and not act. Raising our voices has never been more important. Just like what people with disabilities did 40 to 50 years ago, we can and must do the same. But we need your help.

If you are interested in joining our efforts to advocate for change, please email our subcommittee chair, Susan



Hager at susan.k.hager@gmail.com. What will that mean? There are many ways to help, such as sending an email or a letter to our elected representatives, sending a letter to the editor, participating in advocacy training, meeting with others who are working on these issues, or meeting with our elected representatives or their staff. You will decide the level of involvement you want. We will provide background information, samples, talking points, and optional training.

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has." - Margaret Mead

Temple Shalom's Advocacy Subcommittee Kenneth Goldstein - kengoldstein@mac.com Susan Hager - susan.k.hager@gmail.com Liz Jaffe - jaffeliz@gmail.com Betty Schwartz - bettyofnaples@gmail.com



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Men's Club Ron Yasbin, President



For many years, Paul Moskowitz has been organizing golf outings for the Men's Club and the Temple Shalom family. We want to thank Paul for his hard work. Paul has decided to step down as our golf commissioner. Phil Auerbach will take his place as the new golf commissioner. Stay tuned for more information about this year's outings.

Here are a few of our scheduled events for the year of 5784:

October 15 - The Men's Club is proud to be a sponsor and a financial donor of the BBYO's "a big mock fun Bar Mitzvah party." For more information, contact our liaison with BBYO, Larry Sandler, at lssandler@gmail.com.

December 12 - In partnership with Sisterhood and supported by WCA and MCA, Men's Club presents, "The Modern Approach to Genetic Testing: From Tay-Sachs to BRCA." Hillary Regelman from J Screen will speak about carrier testing for reproductive risk as well as cancer genetic testing and why it's important for the Jewish community. Learn about how JScreen is making genetic testing accessible while debunking the many misconceptions people have about this important topic. JScreen is a national non-profit at-home education and genetic screening program which includes screening for diseases common in Ashkenazi, Sephardi, and Mizrahi backgrounds as well as the general population.

January - We will continue our support for Mitzvah Day by providing financial aid and volunteers as well as by providing breakfast for all of the volunteers.

January 28 - the popular Deli Day (food lunches/dinners from Ben's Kosher Deli) Information on ordering will be available shortly. This year, responding to requests, we



have moved Deli Day to a Sunday. The food will be available for pick up from noon to 2:00pm.

February 13 - Will be our annual, joint luncheon with the Sisterhood.

March 31 - We will be holding our major fundraiser Dinner Theater event at the Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre. Again, responding to requests we have moved this event to a Sunday matinee and the performance will be the fantastic "Beautiful: The Carole King Story."

The Alamo group continues to meet on a regular basis. Contact Ed Cohen for more information (edcohenpt@gmail.com). More announcements will follow as our schedule is filled out. Please remember that we are always looking for more ways to serve our members and the community. All ideas are gladly received.

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1	Bonnie Mandell	15	Irving Waldman	23	Shira Swartz
	Bob Klausner		Dave Linz		Lynne Buxton
	Marianne Matties		David Weil	24	Bob Karp
2	Mae Riefberg		Larry Hyde		Donna Treiser
	Mark Kuskovsky	16	Arthur Sissman		Jim Goodman
	Harry Martell		Ashley Solomon		Jeannie Abels
	Betty Martell	17	Paul Danto		Suzy Salerno
	Hetty Weinstein		Ben Riddle	25	Sherri Regester
3	Jared Butterworth		Carol Appel		Ann Varsano
4	Brian Serotta		Luba Rotsztain		Roz Katz
•	David Dembo		Rocio Bershadski		Merrill Solan
	Warren Krangel		Bob Levine		Barrie Graham
	Susan Shore	18	Michael Levy	26	Barry Freedman
5	Marci Fisher	10	Scott Newman	1	Beryl Miller
5	Eric Solomon		Bruce Cohen		Joel Pearlman
7	Anita Freeman		Kim Hochman		Sheldon Starman
,	Lisa Vogel		Neil Shnider	27	Estelle Price
	Maury Bozman	19	Jim Kargman	1	Ellen Seigel
8	Suzanne Tolpin		Judi Pa <mark>l</mark> ay	28	Scott Shwedel
	Ellen Fruchtman		Dale Katz		Michael Gordon
	Spencer Forman		Nancy Armocida	,	Michelle Fuchs
	Marc Kaufman	20	Wendy Riedel		Saul Rosen
	Linda Barter		Gene Katz)	Milena Chernyavskaya
	Jenie Sandler		Michael Goldstein		Ina Barr
	Jason Korn	21	Jay Wolfson		Irene Freedman
9	Jessica Rosen		Carol Simon	29	Marjorie Sidman
	Lisa Freund		Louise Forman		Joyce Zaleznik
10	Robert Statfeld		David Portman		Jeff Ackerman
	Lauren Brodie		Ellen Baseman		Jessica Press
11	Helen Gould	22	Freyda Albin		Florence Feinson
	Joe Atkin		Charles Lorber	30	Joanne Davis
	Steve Goldberg		Lisa Sachs		Cheryl Alexander
12	Jeffrey Shaw		Amy Johnson		Stan Deutsch
	Ben Lawler		Karl Mindel	31	Glenda Gordon
	Michael Warfel		Nancy Wiadro		Ed Alexander
13	Linda Hyde		Leonar <mark>d</mark> Kane		Mark Altschul
14	Rob Nossen	23	Jess Rosenberg		Gabriela Goldberg
	Carole Greene		Linda Grusin	J	Jennifer Eder
	Ronna Hain		Bill Maltby		
	Michael Rubenstein		Michael Pierce		
15	Caroline Gappelberg		Leslie Wasserman		

October Anniversaries

1	Mark & Gloria Mellman	19	Andrew & Fern Jaffe
1	Jay & Rebecca Wolfson	5	Ralph & Brigitte Sabbag
4	Alexandre & <mark>Je</mark> ssica Rosen	20	Greg & Rachel Hinchliffe
	Evan & Kathy Cohen	21	Phil & Judy Ciorciari
5	Bob & Pat Gage		Estelle & Stuart Price
	Denis Franks & Joy Ammerman Franks		Beto & Luba Rotsztain
8	Fred & Wendy Shapiro		Don & Arlene Shapiro
9	Charlie & Adrea Kofman		Rachelle & Paul Danto
	Jeremy & Jessica Schaab	22	John & Veora Little
5 8 9 10 12 13 14 17	Mark Shiffman & Allison Tucker	23	Jeremy Blaufarb & Tamara Sutto
-	Sandy & Barry Demovsky	26	Vern & Diane Hoffenberg
10	Andy & Robin Mintz		Michele & Stephen Such
	Rebecca & Scott Feldman	27	Kenneth & Ad <mark>rienn</mark> e Charak
12	Steven & Cipora Feiner		Joseph & Margu <mark>eri</mark> te Rubin
	Irving & Lorraine Waldman	28	Larry & Rita Sibrack
13	Rabbi Frank & Darlene Muller		Chris & Pam Lundborg
	Maury & Stacey Bozman		Shelly & Barry Potekin
14	David Weil & Ruth Halperin	29	Laura Press Spiller & Ian Spiller
1 7	Abbie & Pau <mark>l S</mark> ladick		Steve & Barbara Suden
18	Ed & Leslie F <mark>el</mark> dman		Bob & Phyllis Felsenberg
	Josh & Kris Isenberg	30	Jennifer Sherwin & Eric Dean
	Ita & Arthur Paquette	31	Stephen & Lety Schwartz
	Rick & Pat Karpeles		Ava & Mark Altschul
19	Larry & Tracey Albert		2

Simchas

Mazel tov!

Nancy Brown & Bill Maltby celebrated the marriage of their granddaughter, Courtney Engel, to Dennis Vinogradov in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Max Aizenshtat, grandson of Marcy Aizenshtat, has received an invitation to join the prestigious Society of Leadership and Success at FGCU for the Fall 2023 semester.

Marcy & Ira Cotton celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on September 2.

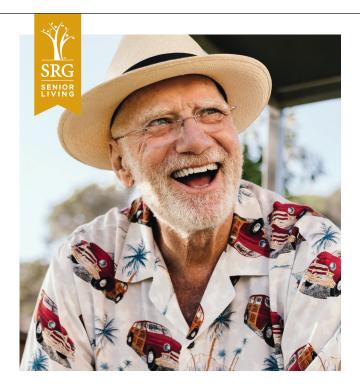
Larry & Sharyn Harris celebrated 61 years of marriage on September 2.

Louise and Spencer Forman are pleased to announce the birth of their granddaughter, Arielle Pearl Forman, on July 31. Proud parents are their son, Jonathan, and his wife, Jenna. Arielle joins big brother, Casey.

Glenda & Ken Gordon are pleased to announce the birth of their grandosn, Asher Max Gugurty.

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(As of September 23)

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Stanley Cohen Uncle of Sheryl (Lee) Spielman

Vicki Koeser Sister-in-law of Jeanette & Glenn Fischer and Aunt of Julie Fischer

Ginny LiebraderDear friend of Steve and Sherri Pino

Janet Cohen Widow of Harvey Cohen (z"l)

Amelia Bocanegra Mother of Yolany (Ivan) Carcamo

Melissa Sweeney Step-granddaughter of Carole Greene

Jan Whitman Widow of Shelly Whitman (z"l)

Ira SulzerBrother of Joan Werhane

Eric PircheskyBrother of Michael (Anna) Pierce

Alan Krivit
Uncle of Carol (Burton) Hirsch



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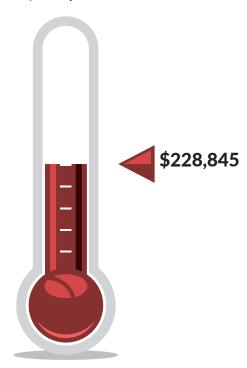
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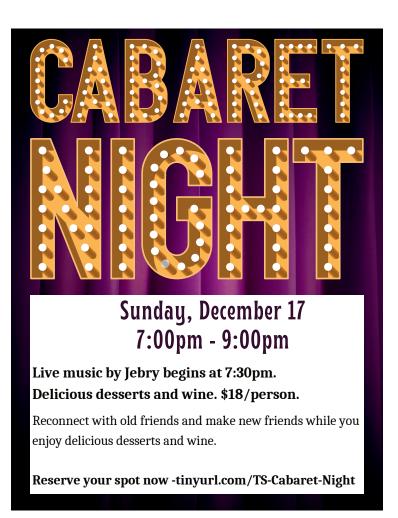
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October 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Sukkot	2 Sukkot	3 Sukkot	4 Sukkot	5 Sukkot	6 Sukkot	7 Shmini Atzeret
YESh 9:00am Back-to-School Bash & Sukkot Celebration 11:00am	Preschool Sukkah visits All day Jewish Yoga 10:30am*	Sisterhood Board Meeting 10:00am Sukkot Lunch & Learn - Pizza in the Hut 12:00pm	Scotch in the Sukkah 5:00pm	Sukkot Lunch & Learn - Sushi in the Sukkah 12:00pm	Preschool closed Shabbat evening service with birthday & anniversary blessings 7:30pm	Torah Study 8:30am* Yizkor & Shabbat morning service 10:00am
8 Simchat Torah YESh 9:00am Simchat Torah service & Celebration 11:00am	Jewish Yoga 10:30am* Beading for Betterment 12:00pm**	10	Thinking About Good & Evil 12:00pm Nosh 6:00pm	12	Baby & Me 9:00am Shabbat evening service 7:30pm	14 Torah Study 8:30am* Shabbat morning service 10:00am
15 YESh 9:00am Kushner Book Talk 10:30am	Finding Balance in Ourselves 10:00am Jewish Yoga 10:30am* Shalom Chef 1:30pm	Sisterhood Luncheon - Shy Wolf Healing Hearts 11:30pm	Thinking About Good & Evil 12:00pm TOV Meeting 1:30pm Executive Committee Meeting 6:000pm* A Reason to Rise 7:00pm	Sisterhood Book bag 1:30pm	Baby & Me 9:00am Young Family Shabbat 6:00pm Shabbat evening service 7:30pm	21 Torah Study 8:30am* Shabbat morning service 10:00am
YESh 9:00am The Jay & Susan Weiss Blessing of the Animals 9:00am	Finding Balance in Ourselves 10:00am Jewish Yoga 10:30am* Beading for Betterment 12:00pm** Preschool Backto-School Night 7:00pm	Israel Book Discussion 11:00am*	Thinking About Good & Evil 12:00pm Board Meeting 7:30pm	26	Baby & Me 9:00am Shabbat evening service 7:30pm	Torah Study 8:30am* Shabbat morning service 10:00am
YESh 9:00am Kadima 9:00am YESh Family Program - 4th & 5th grades 9:15am	30 Finding Balance in Ourselves 10:00am Jewish Yoga 10:30am*	31				

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November 2023 Wednesday Thursday Sunday Monday Tuesday Friday Saturday Torah Study Choir rehearsal Baby & Me 8:30am* 9:00am 7:00pm Soulful Shabbat with birthday Shabbat morning service 10:00am & anniversary blessings 7:30pm 6 Baby & Me **Torah Study** YESh 9:00am Sisterhood Israeli Poetry Beading for 9:00am 8:30am* class 10:00am** **Fashion Show** Betterment Lunch with Shabbat evening service with choir 2:00pm** Tal Shneider Fundraiser AI & Judiasm Shabbat 12:00pm 11:30am morning 9:30am 7:30pm Choir rehearsal service 10:00am 7:00pm B'nai Mitzvah of Max & William Auerbach 12 14 16 17 18 **Torah Study** Baby & Me Israeli Poetry YESh 9:00am Jewish Yoga Fraud & Scam Sisterhood 8:30am* class 10:00am** 9:00am Book Bag 10:30am* Prevention **Kushner Book** 1:00pm 1:30pm Shabbat Talk Series Shabbat evening morning **TOV** meeting service 7:30pm 10:30am Nosh 6:00pm service 10:00am 1:00pm 19 21 22 24 20 23 Thanksgiving Torah Study No YESh Temple office Jewish Yoga Temple office & 8:30am* & Preschool 10:30am* Preschool closed closed Kadima 9:00am Shabbat morning **Beach Shabbat** service 10:00am 5:00pm Lowdermilk Park

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Israeli Poetry

Executive

Committee

class 10:00am**

meeting 6:00pm

Board meeting 7:00pm

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Jewish Yoga

Out 7:00pm

PS Mom's Night

10:30am*

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2:00pm**

11:00am*

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