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# Temple Shalom

One family, many connections

## MISSION STATEMENT

Temple Shalom of Naples is an inclusive Reform Jewish congregation where all individuals are equal partners in making our world whole and holy. We are One Family, believing in the sacredness of relationships, fostering connections – one to another, Temple, Israel, Torah and God. We are living Jewish values and nurturing future generations.

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## Readying Ourselves for the New Year

A traveler once set off to discover the secret of Libush, a town renowned for its Shabbat experience. Upon arriving, he learned to his dismay that the rabbi credited with the wonderful Shabbat left many years before. After searching throughout the town, the traveler finally found a woman who could remember Shabbat with the rabbi. "Please tell me," he said to her, "what was it like to have Shabbat in Libush when the rabbi was here?"

"I was just a girl," she began. "I remember that everything was so chaotic. There were always guests coming to stay, and everyone was bumping into everyone else. We all had our tasks, and we were focused on going from one responsibility to the next. We would be running around, stepping on each other's toes, and causing quite a commotion. It was a very tense time getting ready for Shabbat and everyone was on edge."

"I don't understand," said the man. "What made it so special, so amazing, with the rabbi? Surely there is something that stands out in your mind."

The woman thought about it for a few moments and then answered, "I only remember that we were always angry at each other. Oh, and every week we always forgot."

"Forgot what?"

"We always forgot to let go of the busy work that we were doing. We were so focused on what we each needed to do, that we forgot to pay attention to the other people around us. We forgot about the holy time of Shabbat. As soon as we remembered, we would forgive one another for any transgressions, take a nice deep breath, and then it was Shabbat. Just like that."

The last year we have been running full speed. We

entered last year's High Holy Days eager to begin life P.C. (Post COVID). Many arrived that first day of Rosh Hashanah excited to start a new year with hope. By the end of the second Day of Rosh Hashanah, we were scrambling to prepare for Hurricane Ian. The storm devastated Southwest Florida, and altered the lives of many in our Temple family. Tears filled the eyes of those who witnessed the Torah from Sanibel in our Ark at Yom Kippur – miraculously saved from the wreckage of the storm. Collectively we rallied and brought blessings through the Rainbow of Hope. For the rest of the year that followed, we have been living in the aftermath of the hurricane. Adapting to the loss of vehicles, homes, or favorite stores and restaurants. Knowing that even as things started to return to "normal" and Season arrived, that life was not the same as it was before. Too many still have repairs and claims waiting to be resolved.

All throughout, we have been going like the people of Libush. Bouncing from one place to the next, without ever taking time to pause. Finally, Rosh Hashanah is here, allowing us to put 5783 behind us, and start anew. Before we can do that, we must remember to stop and pay attention to the people who are with us on this journey. It is time to prepare for the new year by asking forgiveness from those around us, and granting it to those who seek to make amends. We pause our work to make time for the rituals of worship and shofar (whether in-person or online). Take a deep breath and give thanks for the blessing of another year of life, especially after all that has transpired around us. Embrace the peacefulness, hope and possibility offered by a new year.

When we do those things, 5784 will arrive, and it will be amazing.

## President Leonard Teitelbaum



Shalom Chaverim!

As we approach that time of year when we get to reset the clock and erase the mistakes that need to be erased, we begin to feel tangibly different. Regardless of our religious background, these Days of Awe create a new awareness. We can sense it. We are approaching OUR TIME! As we crawl out of the abnormal period of the pandemic and try to come to grips with a new normal, it is comforting, in many respects, to take refuge in our traditions, particularly the High Holy Days. From Covid, to lan, to integrating growth beyond what well meaning people thought possible, we need to take a moment to ourselves in a place we feel comfort; THIS PLACE, YOUR TEMPLE, YOUR FAMILY! This is OUR TIME.

When I was a young boy, my brother and I would get a new sport coat (or suit) and necktie because we were going to shul as a family and had to pass our grandmother's inspection. Those were the days! Now I am older (or just old) and my children and grandchildren go with me to synagogue—physically or

in spirit—as a family. We can be together, block out the difficult memories and hopefully create better ones. This will be MY TIME. As I look back over the last year, I also find comfort in the times I spent with you, My Temple Family. You're a tremendous group of people, who, while not always agreeing with each other, always respect each other. I hope we can all take comfort in the fact that we tried, really tried, to make things better for those who depend on us, individually or collectively. The successes are ours together, any mistakes are on me.

As my grandfather (who received his semikha in Lithuania) would say to me with his hand on my head, "I ask to be forgiven for my mistakes or any harm I may have done to you and I promise to try to do better in the coming year."

Shana Tova Tikateievu  
(or depending, on your neighborhood)  
Gut gebenstsht yor (or)  
Have a good, sweet year in a world at peace!

**High Holy Days Ushers**  
Help ensure a smooth holiday experience by volunteering to be a High Holy Days usher.  
Contact Michael Feldman at 239-238-8897 for more information

The graphic features a white background with a decorative border of colorful illustrations including apples, pomegranates, and leaves. The text is centered and uses a mix of bold and regular fonts.

# WORSHIP WITH US



## SHABBAT WORSHIP TIMES

**Shabbat Evening - 7:30pm**

*Followed by an oneg provided by the Sisterhood.*

**Saturday Morning - 10:00am**

*Followed by a light Kiddush luncheon.*

## 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](mailto:info@naplestemple.org).

## SPECIAL SERVICES

**Beach Shabbat**

**Friday, September 1 at 7:00pm**

We meet at the north end of Lowdermilk Park beach for a beautiful sunset service. Bring a beach chair.

*There will be no service at Temple Shalom.*

**Soulful Shabbat with Birthday & Anniversary Blessings**

**Friday, September 8 at 7:30pm**

A soul-stirring service conducted entirely through the enchanting melodies of Cantor Donna Azu and the Temple Shalom Band.

## JOIN US ONLINE!

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

Livestream - [www.naplestemple.org/media](http://www.naplestemple.org/media) Facebook - [facebook.com/templeshalomnaplesfl](https://facebook.com/templeshalomnaplesfl)



# HIGH HOLY DAYS 2023/5784

## Schedule of Services

*All High Holy Days services that are held in the Sanctuary will be livestreamed and available to the public—there will be no registration, payment, or password required to access our virtual worship services on our website and Facebook page.*



### Selichot

**Saturday, September 9** 7:30pm

A screening of the film, "J'accuse," followed by the service.

### Erev Rosh HaShanah

**Friday, September 15** 7:30pm

### Rosh HaShanah

**Saturday, September 16**

Morning service 10:00am

Young Family service 2:00pm

Tashlich 3:30pm

We gather for Tashlich, to symbolically cast our sins into the water in the form of breadcrumbs.

*Lake at Vineyards Park*

### Rosh HaShanah Day 2

**Sunday, September 17**

Morning service 10:00am

### Memorial Service

**Thursday, September 21** 10:00am

*Two locations: Naples Memorial Gardens and Palm Royale Cemetery.*

It is customary to visit the graves of our dearly departed between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Understanding that many have family buried up north, we invite you to attend the memorial service at one of the local cemeteries to symbolically remember and honor those too far away for you to visit.

### Erev Yom Kippur

**Sunday, September 24**

Kol Nidre

7:30pm

### Yom Kippur

**Monday, September 25**

Morning service 10:00am

Afternoon Study Session 2:00pm

*Join Rabbi Frank Muller for a discussion of the new book, "Awe: The New Science of Everyday Wonder and How it Can Transform Your Life," by Dacher Kelter.*

Young Family service 2:00pm

Afternoon service 4:00pm

Yizkor & Neilah 5:00pm

### Sukkot

**Saturday, September 30**

Shabbat morning &

Sukkot service 10:00am

**Tuesday, October 3 - Thursday, October 5**

Sukkot Lunch & Learn *See page 11 for times.*  
Each day will be a different theme and topic.

**Saturday, October 7**

Shabbat morning &

Yizkor service 9:30am

### Simchat Torah

**Sunday, October 8**

Simchat Torah service 10:00am

Complete the High Holy Days season by celebrating the conclusion and restart of our Torah reading cycle.

**Tickets are required for all services held at Temple Shalom.  
Bags may be subject to search.**

# HIGH HOLY DAYS 2023/5784

## High Holy Days Ticket Information

### MEMBERS

Tickets were sent by USPS to members in good standing in mid-August. "Good standing" means that you're current on your L'Shalom pledge and tuition (if applicable) from the 2022-23 membership year or have made other payment arrangements with us.

### VISITING FAMILY

We love to see families worshipping together! You may request complimentary tickets for immediate members of your family (parents, grandparents, siblings, children over 25) who are visiting from out of town, military personnel and college students (with ID). Visitors who are members of other Reform congregations are welcome, but a reciprocity form must be sent from their home congregation to Temple Shalom at least two weeks before Rosh Hashanah.

### GUESTS

Guests are welcome, but all adults must show a ticket for security purposes. The suggested donation is \$250.00, but no one is turned away for financial reasons. Visitors who join by November 30, 2023 can apply their gift toward a L'Shalom pledge and join the Temple Shalom One Family!

Members in good standing at another synagogue can attend our services via the Union for Reform Judaism's (URJ) reciprocity arrangement. *Their* synagogue should complete and send the URJ's reciprocity form to us on your guests' behalf, by email to [info@naplestemple.org](mailto:info@naplestemple.org).

***Please note:*** guest tickets must be ordered by Friday, September 1. After this deadline, we can't guarantee that we'll be able to accommodate your request.

### SAFETY & SECURITY

Your safety and security are our top priority, and there are several additional layers of security that will be in place for the holidays this year. Temple Shalom will have Florida Highway Patrol officers onsite for High Holy Days services as well as a private security guard to assist our Greeters at the door. **Each individual adult MUST present a valid ticket to enter services.** Bags may be subject to search.



# HIGH HOLY DAYS 2023/5784

These forms can also be completed and submitted online at [naplestemple.org/HHD2023.html](http://naplestemple.org/HHD2023.html)

## DEDICATE A SET OF HIGH HOLY DAYS PRAYER BOOKS

Dedicate a set of the Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur prayer books in memory of a loved one or in honor of a special person or event. The cost to dedicate a prayer book set is \$118.



☐ I/We would like to dedicate a set of prayer books

☐ In Memory of    ☐ In Honor of

Dedicated by:

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_



## PULPIT FLOWERS

Suggested donation is \$300 per holiday.

☐ Rosh Hashanah    ☐ Yom Kippur

Name(s) for recognition:

☐ In Memory of    ☐ In Honor of

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ My/Our check made payable to Temple Shalom is enclosed for \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ Please charge my/our credit card in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp \_\_\_\_\_ CVC \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Send completed form to Temple Shalom • 4630 Pine Ridge Road • Naples, FL 34119



## Memorial Book Yom Kippur 2023/5784

**“Write this for a memorial in the book...”**

**Exodus 17:14**

At Temple Shalom, the act of remembering is done in a very tangible way. We publish a Sefer Zichronot, a Memorial Book, listing the names of our loved ones who have died since last Yom Kippur, and those we remember from years past. A copy of that book is placed in the Holy Ark during the Yizkor service on Yom Kippur. The Memorial Book will be available at the Yizkor service on Yom Kippur and will also be accessible on the Temple Shalom website. If you would like to include the names of your loved ones, please complete the form below.

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Use the same listing as last year

List NEW or ADDITIONAL names of departed loved ones below. If you would like to be notified of their annual yahrzeits, please share their date of passing.

	<u>Month</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Year</u>	Observe on Hebrew date
Name _____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Name _____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Name _____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Name _____	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

Remembered by \_\_\_\_\_

In keeping with Jewish tradition, a donation of *tzedakah* to Temple Shalom is requested. Your donation is considered a tribute to the those whom you hold dear and is used to produce the Memorial Booklet and to support Temple Shalom. As a guide, it is suggested that a minimum of \$18 (*chai*) per name be contributed. Larger gifts, prompted by your own generosity, will be gratefully received.

☐ My/Our check made payable to Temple Shalom is enclosed. (write Memorial Book in the memo line)

☐ Please charge my/our credit card in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ in memory of those listed above.

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp \_\_\_\_\_ CVC \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Please contact me/us with information about having the name of a departed loved one placed on the Memorial Wall in the Sanctuary.

**Send completed form to Temple Shalom, 4630 Pine Ridge Road, Naples, FL 34119**

**This form must be received by Friday, September 8.**



## Sign up for our High Holy Days Youth Activities!

Reservations for all youth programs **MUST** be received by **September 6**.  
To ensure proper staffing, we can only accept children who are pre-registered.

Drop off begins 30 minutes before the start of services.  
Each program runs for the duration of the service.  
Please pick up your child(ren) at the conclusion of the service.

## HIGH HOLY DAYS CHILDREN'S EXPERIENCE

Free for all children in grades K-4

Join us on the mornings of Rosh Hashanah (September 16) and Yom Kippur (September 25) for a special program led by Rabbi Boxman. You can also register online: <https://www.naplestemple.org/form/hhd-childrens-experience-2023.html>

- ✓ Brief, kid-friendly service
- ✓ Holiday activities (by grade)
- ✓ Snack time

### Check all that apply

- ☐ Rosh Hashanah 10:00am  
☐ Yom Kippur 10:00am

### Children's names & ages

Name	Age
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
Total	\$0

## HIGH HOLY DAYS BABYSITTING

For preschool children ages 12 months to 5 years.

Reservations **MUST** be received by September 6 so that we can ensure proper staffing.  
You can also register online: [https://www.naplestemple.org/form/HHDs\\_Babysitting](https://www.naplestemple.org/form/HHDs_Babysitting)

Fees: \$10.00 per child per service  
\$15.00 for 2 siblings per service  
\$20.00 for 3+ siblings per service

### Check all that apply

- ☐ Rosh Hashanah 10:00am  
☐ Yom Kippur 10:00am

### Children's names & ages

Name	Age
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
Total Enclosed \$	_____



Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Food Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_



Thank you

## High Holy Days Flower Sponsors

### Rosh Hashana

Jane P. Berger *In memory of Charles M. Berger*  
Susan & Nathaniel Ritter  
Stephen Light & Anne Schuchman  
Howard & Janet Solot  
Walter & Eleanor Angoff  
Mary & Chuck Kiven *In memory of Blake Aaron Kiven*  
Daryl & David Sissman

### Yom Kippur

Michael & Marsha Goldstein  
Rissa Grossman *In honor of her beloved husband, Richard Alan Grossman (z"l)*  
Stephen Light & Anne Schuchman  
Mary & Chuck Kiven *In memory of Blake Aaron Kiven*  
Daryl & David Sissman

## a week of SUKKOT CELEBRATIONS

New, large, air conditioned sukkah!

\*FREE but registration is required and space is limited.

Sign up: [tinyurl.com/TSSukot](http://tinyurl.com/TSSukot)



Shakes in the Sukkah

September 29  
Erev Sukkot

Special Oneg  
after services



Back to School  
Bash

Sunday  
October 1  
12:00pm

With food, music,  
and games after  
the first day of YESh



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.





## TEMPLE SHALOM SISTERHOOD JUDAICA SHOP

*Visit the only Judaica  
Shop in the Greater  
Naples area!*



OPEN SUN.- FRIDAY  
10:00AM-12:00PM  
STARTING SEPTEMBER 11

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TO SCHEDULE SHOPPING DURING OTHER TIMES  
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Two plots for sale in the  
Star of David section at  
Naples Memorial  
Gardens, located at 525  
111th Avenue North,  
Naples, FL 34108.

Beautiful spot to gather  
with loved ones for  
memorial service and  
unveiling. Retail value is  
\$13,990. All offers over  
\$10,000 will be  
considered.

Contact Executive Director, Deborah Fidel  
at [dfidel@naplestemple.org](mailto:dfidel@naplestemple.org)  
or 239-455-3030.



The Jay & Susan Weiss  
**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS**

**October 22**  
Starts at 9:00am

All pets must be leashed or in a carrier.



Temple  Shalom



## Tikkun Olam Volunteers Don Belmont, Chair

*"When you are asked in the world to come, 'What was your work?' and you answer: 'I fed the hungry,' you will be told: 'This is the gate of the Lord, enter into it, you who have fed the hungry'" (Midrash to Psalm 118:17).*

L'Shana Tova!

How do we turn our faith into action? By combatting hunger and food insecurity right here in our own community.

We know that our neighbors need our help more than ever right now. Did you know...?

- About 19% of the people served by the Harry Chapin Food Bank (HCFB) are seniors? They often choose between buying food and paying for medicine.
- Most of the food bank's clients are working families, struggling to make ends meet.
- About 32% of the people served by the food bank are children.
- Those who receive SNAP (or food stamps) had their monthly benefit reduced when the pandemic supplement ended. That means less money for food just when inflation has caused the price of food to soar.

We need not remind you that as Jews we are not only encouraged, but mandated, by Jewish law and tradition, to help feed those who are hungry. It's in the Torah. It's in the commentaries. It's part of who we are. At Temple Shalom we have responded in the past with food drives, fundraising and volunteering at the food bank - a record we are proud of. In total, we have donated approximately \$300,000 to Harry Chapin Food Bank during the High Holy Days since 2002, when Temple Shalom first began collections between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur.

But, this year the need is even greater, due to Hurricane Ian, rising costs for housing, and growing

### The Annual High Holy Day Harry Chapin Food Bank Appeal



**Harry Chapin Food Bank**  
OF SOUTHWEST FLORIDA



inflation, which mean fewer dollars in each family's food budget.

We ask that you make a generous gift to the Harry Chapin Food Bank this year to help address this need.

Why Harry Chapin? The HCFB serves about a quarter of a million people each month. It's the largest hunger-relief nonprofit in SW Florida. They leverage every dollar they receive into \$8 worth of food value. This is why we are asking you to make a financial rather than a canned food donation.

For ten consecutive years, Charity Navigator has given the Harry Chapin Food Bank 4 stars - the national watchdog group's highest rating -for cost-effectiveness and efficiency, with 96 cents of every dollar donated being directed to programs and services.

Here is how you can help, right now:

**Option 1** - Make a check payable to: Harry Chapin Food Bank and drop it off or send it to Temple Shalom at 4630 Pine Ridge Rd, Naples, FL 34119.

**Option 2** - Donate through the food bank website ([HarryChapinFoodBank.org](http://HarryChapinFoodBank.org)) and designate Temple Shalom under "Gift Notes."

We sincerely thank you for your generous support over the years and ask you to give as much as you can to help feed our community. That's how we turn our faith into action - it's important and it makes a difference!

Sincerely,  
Don Belmont, Tikkun Olam Volunteers Chair  
Deborah Fidel, Executive Director  
Leonard Teitelbaum, President



# NEW MEMBERS

As of August 15

## Steven & Madeline Deutsch

### Jen Sherwin & Eric Dean

Jen and Eric completed their medical training in NYC prior to relocating to the Naples area. Jen is a pediatrician and Eric is a pediatric gastroenterologist. They are loving parents to Eliana. They have an adorable dog named Sunny. They enjoy travel and are big foodies.

### Bill Ross

Bill is a long-time Chicagoan, now permanently residing in Naples. After graduating from University of Illinois Champaign/Urbana, and military service, he spent his career in the packaging industry. He has been blessed to have five children, several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He's been very active as a private pilot and gets his fitness playing golf. Presently he is addicted to pickleball!

## Brian & Meryl Serotta

Both Meryl and Brian are excited about relocating to Southern Florida. They have lived all their lives in the suburbs of NYC and welcome the chance to enjoy the relaxed and friendly pace of life in Greater Naples. Now they are focused on making friends and establishing roots in the Jewish community.

Meryl is an educator, attorney, and entrepreneur. After going to law school as an adult, Meryl created a business teaching students how to survive the challenges of law school. She expanded her business to include students from law schools throughout the NY Metro area and tutored students for the Bar Exam.

Brian is a CPA who headed a medium sized public accounting firm, where he provided business advice and mentored young accountants. He originated a forensic accounting practice for his firm, for which he testified as an expert witness for bankruptcy and matrimonial cases. Both Meryl and Brian also enjoyed the extensive social interaction with their clients in NY and NJ.

Now it is time for fun in the sun and at Temple Shalom! They look forward to meeting and establishing friendships with the members of the Temple Shalom family!

*Welcome to our new members!*



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

**\$35 PER PERSON**



**SIGN UP:  
TINYURL.COM/TSS-OCTOBER**

**Featured Speaker: Debbie LoVerde, Shy Wolf  
Sanctuary Education & Experience Center**

**Shy Wolf Sanctuary Education & Experience  
Center forms partnerships with area  
organizations via the Healing Hearts program.  
Because the animals come from abused,  
abandoned and neglected situations, a magical  
healing connection is made with humans who  
have had similar experiences in their lives. The  
sanctuary's animals help humans learn about  
kindness, forgiveness, gratitude, courage and  
unconditional love.**

**RSVP BY OCTOBER 12 USING ONLINE  
REGISTRATION OR VIA CHECK PAYABLE TO:  
TEMPLE SHALOM SISTERHOOD  
(WRITE "OCTOBER LUNCHEON" IN THE MEMO LINE)  
MAIL TO: 4630 PINE RIDGE ROAD  
NAPLES, FL 34119**





# OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, September 10  
from 11:00AM - 1:00PM

Stop by to meet our YESh  
teachers and explore our  
classrooms!

## FIRST DAY OF YESh SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1 AT 9:00AM

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## NOSH

*Registration required.*

Wednesday, September 6 at 6:00pm  
The Yard House  
[www.naplestemple.org/form/nosh-yardhouse](http://www.naplestemple.org/form/nosh-yardhouse)

Monday, October 11 at 6:00pm  
Tavern on the Bay  
[www.naplestemple.org/form/nosh-Tavernonthebay](http://www.naplestemple.org/form/nosh-Tavernonthebay)



Make a yummy treat to take home.  
*Registration required.*

Thursday, September 7 at 1:30pm  
French Apple Cake and Apple Crisp  
*Instructor: Leesa Pammer*  
Cost: \$10  
[www.naplestemple.org/form/sc-apple-cake](http://www.naplestemple.org/form/sc-apple-cake)

Monday, October 16 at 1:30pm  
Chocolate Pecan Pie  
Cost: \$10  
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[www.naplestemple.org/form/shalom-chef-pecan-pie](http://www.naplestemple.org/form/shalom-chef-pecan-pie)

*Registration required.*

Sunday, September 10 at 8:30am

Join us for a three hour eco-shelling boat tour to Keewaydin Island.

Cost: \$60/person  
[www.naplestemple.org/form/shelling91023](http://www.naplestemple.org/form/shelling91023)



Sunday, October 29 at 9:00am

Hike in Fakahatchee State Park. Cost: \$5/car (carpooling encouraged)  
[tinyurl.com/Kadima-Fakahatchee](http://tinyurl.com/Kadima-Fakahatchee)

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# ADULT EDUCATION

## 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.

*Registration required.*

Send an email to [ppikus@naplestemple.org](mailto:ppikus@naplestemple.org).



## Jewish Yoga

Mondays at 10:30am

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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.

*Registration required.*

[tinyurl.com/TSJewishYoga](https://tinyurl.com/TSJewishYoga)



## Israel Book Discussion

*Now on Tuesday*

Tuesday, September 26\*

11:00am via Zoom

September Book:

*"Impossible Takes Longer:  
75 Years After Its Creation,*

*Has Israel Fulfilled its*

*Founders' Dreams?" by Daniel Gordis*



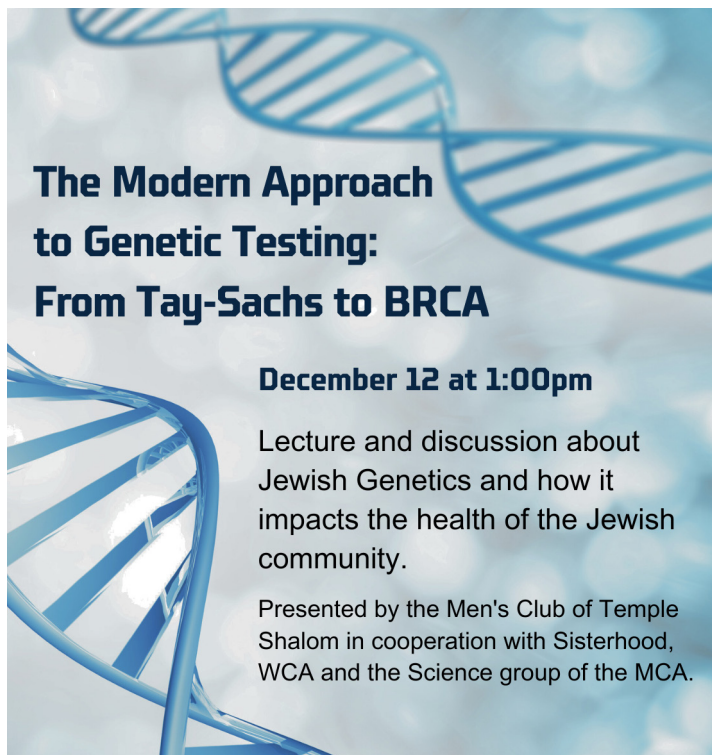
Explore aspects of Israeli society in the monthly Israel Book Discussion on Zoom. Delve into captivating fiction and non-fiction works. Engaging conversations guaranteed. Please contact Michael Rubner by email at [exfgomsu@aol.com](mailto:exfgomsu@aol.com) for additional information. Zoom link is found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

## The Modern Approach to Genetic Testing: From Tay-Sachs to BRCA

**December 12 at 1:00pm**

Lecture and discussion about Jewish Genetics and how it impacts the health of the Jewish community.

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## Sisterhood: Upcoming Season

We want to wish our Temple Family a sweet, happy, and healthy New Year!

The Sisterhood has developed a terrific lineup of programs. Learn about topics ranging from health issues and the Holocaust to orchid growing and financial issues impacting women.

We're starting off our season with a very interesting topic: The Shy Wolf Sanctuary and Educational Center. Shy Wolf has rescued more than 1200 animals, simultaneously providing therapeutic and educational experiences in our immediate area. Far more than a rescue and sanctuary, Shy Wolf partners with area non-profits to provide hope and healing to at-risk youth through its Healing Hearts Program. Please join us on October 17 for a luncheon and to learn more about this wonderful organization right here in our backyard.

On November 7, Sisterhood is putting on the Ritz. We've re-envisioned our annual fashion show with great food (a choice of three entrees), live music, and plenty of razzle-dazzle. Sisterhood models will showcase the latest fashions in snappy dresses, casual wear, jewelry, and accessories from Naples' popular Fifth Avenue boutique, Petunias. And let's not forget demonstrated makeovers. The season's first fundraiser, our Fabulous Fall Fashion Show also features raffles and opportunities to contribute clothing to Dress for Success, a nonprofit program empowering women to achieve economic independence. Don't miss it!



That's just the beginning. Mark your calendars and rest assured there's even more to come. You don't want to miss the wonderful programs we have lined up, nor the opportunity to see your friends, and participate in Sisterhood's committees and teams. Watch for new programs in the *Kol Shalom* weekly email and future issues of *The Voice*.

We give big thanks to those of you who have already enrolled, or renewed your membership in Sisterhood for the 2023-2024 season. Your continued support is very important as it allows Sisterhood to put on high-quality events and support the Temple's education programs. If you have not yet signed up, please do so today. It's easy, just visit the Sisterhood page on the Temple Shalom website under the Connect tab.

### **Sisterhood Book Bag**

*Meets the third Thursday of each month at 1:30pm*

**September 21** - "Horse" by Geraldine Brown  
*Facilitated by Diane Schwartz*

A heart-pounding American epic that takes us back and forth in time. This book, by Pulitzer Prize winner Geraldine Brooks, tells a story about race and freedom, horses and art.

For more information, contact Nancy Suslov at [nisuslov@gmail.com](mailto:nisuslov@gmail.com).

**For a calendar of upcoming Sisterhood programs & events, visit the Sisterhood page on the Temple Shalom website under the Connect Tab!**

## Men's Club Ron Yasbin, President



For more information about Men's Club, or to join the Men's Club, visit the Men's Club page on the Temple Shalom website under the Connect tab.

L'Shana Tova!

The Temple Shalom Men's Club is more than an organization that promotes social activities. Through our activities and membership dues we generate resources that provide funds for important groups and people in need. This is, of course, one of the principles that is stressed during the High Holy Days.

Having this dual purpose makes us unique as an organization for men in the community. Just this past month, we committed over \$9,000 to support YESh (religious school) and the Congregation.

For well over 15 years, the Temple Shalom Men's

Club has been holding our annual fundraiser at the Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre. This coming year, our major fundraiser will be held on March 31. It's always a great time at the Broadway Palm, and this year will be no different. Join us on March 31 for "Beautiful—the Carole King Story." We know that Naples is a busy place in season, with many organizations planning events and programs. We made sure to calendar this event well in advance and ask that you please save March 31 to join us for a wonderful time and help us raise money for our children, our community needs and for the Congregation. Watch for more information on this and other events brought to you by the Temple Shalom Men's Club.

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Stephen Bacharach, Kyle Cohen,  
Susan Hager, Andy Karpman,  
Peter Levi, Eric Meyer, Stacy Nicolau,  
Estelle Price, Jessica Rosen and  
Diane Schwartz





After the great Flood, Noah witnessed the rainbow as a sign of blessing and the promise of a better future. Throughout the last year we generated a Rainbow of Hope, lifting up those in our community, and across Southwest Florida, devastated by the impact of Hurricane Ian. As One Family, we repaired the brokenness, and made our world more whole and holy. Now, we prepare to enter a new year, our hearts filled with the desire to build on that positive energy. May this new year of 5784, which marks ten years of One Family, be filled with moments of comfort, connection, and blessing with our community at Temple Shalom. Wishing you all a sweet new year and joyful new year.

Shanah Tova U'Mtukah,

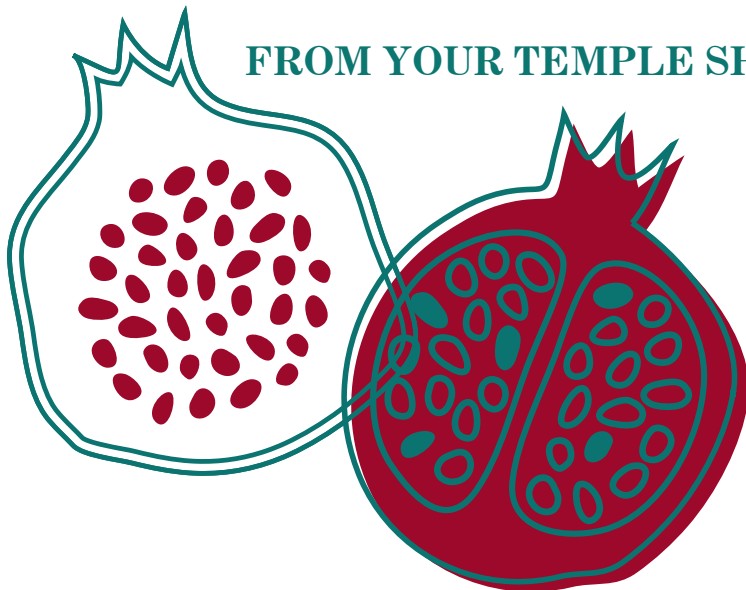
*Rabbi Adam Miller, Cantor Donna Azu, Rabbi Ariel Boxman  
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**5784**

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May 5784 be a  
better year for  
everyone.  
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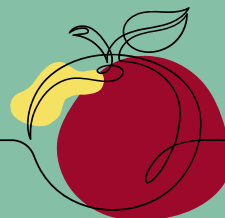
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**שנה טובה**

**WISHING OUR TEMPLE SHALOM  
FAMILY A SWEET AND HAPPY  
NEW YEAR**

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Wishing Temple Shalom Family  
peace, health & many  
blessings in the year 5784!



*Scott Fergang & Barbara Lieberstein  
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MAY THE COMING YEAR,

**5784,**

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L'SHANA TOVA TO  
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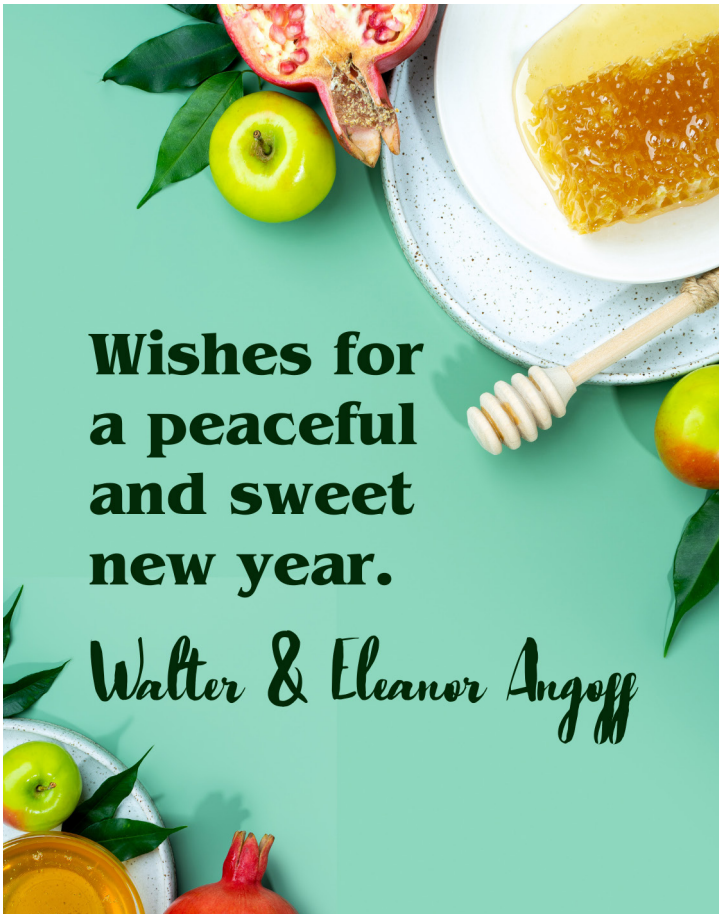
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## Shana Tova!

JOSHUA,  
ESTHER,  
DAVID &  
EVAN  
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Wishing all a  
sweet, happy,  
healthy New  
Year!

*Rita Bernstein  
& Steve Iser*

We wish our  
Temple Shalom  
friends a happy,  
healthy, and sweet  
new year.

*Janett Edelberg  
and Ron Lasofsky*



# שנה טובה

Wishing everyone  
a happy, healthy and sweet  
New Year-5784!!

**L'Shana Tova Umetukah!**

*Darren, Tammy,  
Hanah & Nathan  
Samuel*



Wishing the Temple  
Shalom family our best  
wishes for a happy,  
healthy new year.



*Sharon and Paul  
Stein*





May this New Year 5784  
bring good health and  
peace of mind to you  
and your family.

*Nancy and Jack Wiadro*



*Shana  
Tova*

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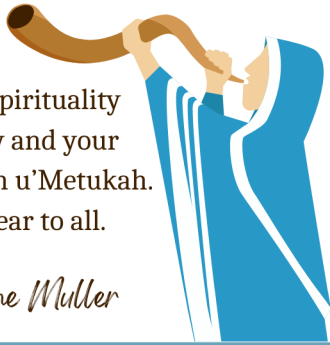
*Jane and Rabbi Jim Perman*





May the New Year 5784  
bring a renewed sense of  
community, serenity and spirituality  
to all in our Temple Family and your  
loved ones. L'shanah Tovah u'Metukah.  
A Happy and Sweet New Year to all.

*Rabbi Frank and Darlene Muller*



To our Temple Shalom Family  
May this New Year bring  
much joy, good health,  
happiness, peace  
and sweetness!

L'Shana Tova

*Linda and Jeff Crell*



**Shana  
Tova!**

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***May the New Year, 5784,  
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# Shana Tova 5784

Wishing good health and a peaceful and happy New Year!  
Lenore Greenstein and family

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Shana Tovah! Best wishes to our Temple Shalom family for a  
happy and healthy 5784. Lynn and Dale Lazar

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Wishing all a sweet and healthy New Year.  
Shana Tova! Sydelle & Andy Weinberger

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L'Shana Tova & love for all!  
Anna & Michael Pierce

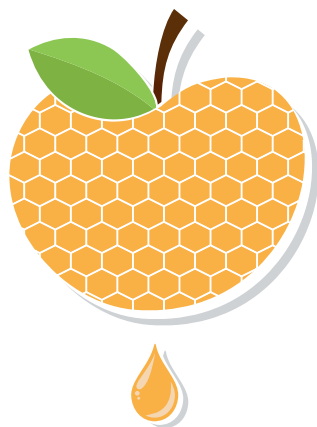
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Wishing all a happy, healthy, peaceful year!  
The Blum Family - Steve, Ellen, Hannah, Josh, David & Jamie

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Shana Tova  
from the entire Wichard Family

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# September Birthdays

1	Mark Rosenfeld Judi Spintman George Buxton	14	Rob Brown Shellie Specter Ann Swartz Ellie Cantor Carolyn Shiffman	21	Jenna Greschler
2	Paul Shaw Susan Sherwin			22	Nanci Reid Eric Peltz Vivi Goldsmith Gil Rashbaum
3	Larry Cohen Deb Philip	15	Hank Schwartz Rick Karpeles Andy Ichel Helene Lerner Sandy Daneberg	23	Enid Levi Mark Mellman Michele Pelletiere Russell Sobelman
4	Jack Gish Rowan Samuel Bebe Kanter			24	Susan Weiss Pat Karpeles Louis Berneman Tracy Askotzky Mel Kaplan Stephen Weisberg Rich Hendler Kim Klausner
5	Felicia Anchor Mark Blaskey	16	Kathy Cohen Brittney Wichard Susan Wichard Dave Waldman Lynn Prosten	25	Alexandre Rosen Sherrill Yasbin
6	Bruce Kaplan Paul Nelson Bob Schriber Bill Schulhof	17	Jill Segal Susan Sissman Ira Secouler Alvin Becker	26	Amanda Dorio Rona Senior
7	Aliza Recher Michael Annes Michael Daneberg	18	Walter Angoff Orly Lawler Ted Koenig Don Weisberg	27	Marshall Fried Leslie Bautista
8	Larry Albert Anne Newman Michael Tsipursky Eleanor Angoff Helen Siegal Scott Feldman	19	Sandy Cohen Melissa Krantz Eva Borkan David Lazan Larry Shuman Lori Cohen	28	Nancy Colodny Mara Marzano Cindi Schrum Carolyn Greenberg Chuck Barry Lee Kaye
9	Liz Lawrence-Ross Merle Crystal Bernie Weiss	20	Dvorah Eder Susan Ritter Joyce Shapiro Steckman Stephanie Portman	29	Wayne Schwartz Stephanie Viviano Geri Lorber Fred Rosenfeld Janet Blum Frann Katz-McCombs Gina Eandi Phyllis Cramer Sandra Schuman
10	Carol Lader Marty Levine	21	Rich Salerno Steven Feiner Elaine Soffer Judith Freedman Larry Sibrack Bobby Kessler	30	
11	Ellen Blum Ruth Oslick				
12	Phil Michel Denise Scappaticcio				
13	Daryl Sissman Lisa Lauber Dave Citrin				
14	Lori Brown Sandy Gordon				

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# September Anniversaries

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|----|---|----|---|
| 1  | Mark & Marija Rosenfeld<br>Judith & Jeremy Freedman   | 14 | Paul & Joyce Moskowitz<br>Stewart Berger & Mindy Zaima              |
| 2  | Larry & Sharyn Harris<br>Eric & Stacey Blicher  |    | Stan & Margaret Jaffy   |
| 3  | Michael & Nina Diamond<br>Andy & Bronia Ichel<br>Deb Hoffman & Mark Hazelbaker                  | 15 | Rob & Carol Woods   |
|    |   | 16 | Bruce & Linda Barter<br>Alan & Eva Freeman<br>Helen & Michael Gould |
| 4  | Mark & Shelley Schloss<br>Brian & Susan Solomon<br>Jerry & Eva Borkan<br>Michael & Debbie Annes | 17 | Steve & Sherry Pino<br>Scott & Jessica Shwedel<br>Curt & Jacy Toll  |
| 5  | Jerry & Cookie Hoberman<br>Stu & Roxanne Levin  | 18 | Myron Freedman & Julie Harris                                       |
| 6  | Brad & Cindi Schrum<br>Jeff Crell & Linda Friedman  | 19 | Roberto & Laurie Bollt<br>Howard & Karen Wilner                     |
| 7  | Dave & Gay Silberg<br>Ken & Glenda Gordon   | 21 | Max Kamerman & Meredith Frankel                                     |
| 8  | Allan & Helena Striker  | 23 | Marty & Lanie Samuels   |
| 11 | Jim Kargman & Heidi Brem-Kargman  | 24 | Eric & Jessica Solomon  |
|    |   | 25 | Curtis & Donna Treiser  |
|    |   | 27 | Rick & Carolyn Shiffman   |
|    |   | 28 | Larry & Shelley Collins   |

## Simchas

### *Mazel tov!*

Jay and Susan Weiss are happy to announce the marriage of their daughter, Allison Weiss, to David Zerad. The wedding took place on the beach in Naples on August 20.

Carl & Diana Steinhouse celebrated their 70th anniversary on August 16.

Ellie Cantor will be celebrating her birthday on Rosh Hashanah and her daughter, Suzanne Sheber, will be celebrating her birthday on Yom Kippur.

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*May their memories be a blessing.*  
Zichronam liv'rachah.

# Yahrzeits - Sept. 2023

15 Amy Rucker  
Jason Sabbag  
Michael J. Salerno  
Adele Sanders  
Rita Sandler  
Meyer Saval  
Betty Schiff  
Ann Schwartz  
Lillian Schwartz  
Larry Schwartz  
Abraham Segal  
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Pearl Silverman  
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22 Simon Baseman  
Mildred Bassewitz  
Mary Becker  
Sidney Benmax  
Gertrude Berger  
Howard Brody  
Elizabeth Bross  
Lillian Kasten Coane  
Ruth Pauker Davis  
Samuel Dreier  
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Harriet Keve  
Rita Kleiner  
Roger Koch  
Ida Kramer  
Ben Kushnir  
Kalman Malc  
Jennie Lee Meister  
Nathan Meister  
Leonard Meltzer  
Gertrude Myers  
Edith Parker Kusner

22 David Paulson  
Sol Phillips  
Nathan Popkin  
Jacqueline Sallade  
Rosalie Salpeter  
Edith Satkin  
David Schwartz  
Paul Segall  
Libby Seltzer  
Michael Shapiro  
Dorothy Stabiner  
Sylvia Stein  
Edward Steinman  
Bernard Strauss  
Shirley Abrams Tucker  
Lisa Turkel  
Edward Van Houten  
M. David Warshauer  
Martin Weiner  
Robert Wollman  
Pauline Wright  
Beverly Young  
29 Bernard Bernstein  
Joe Birkenfeld  
Debbie Blinder  
Hannah Blumenthal  
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Harry Fried  
Dina Ginsberg  
Marvin Glassman  
Millie Glassman  
George Goldenziel  
Bernard Hanau  
Israel Harris  
Judy Hefter  
Alvin Heller  
Joseph Herman  
Regina Hirsch  
Isidor Hirsch  
Joe Hirsch  
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Stephen Ryan Kepp  
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Sylvia S. Lerner  
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Amir Mashadi  
Herbert Matties  
Martha Meltzer Carrera  
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Dr. Alex Miller  
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Harry Porter  
Louie Prolman  
Morris Rotskoff  
Hilda Schwartz  
Loulu Seltzer  
Abraham Singer  
Sara Singer  
John Wm. Spiegel  
Joseph Stein  
Thelma Tabachnik  
Morris Teitelbaum  
Alvin Weinstein  
Lena Wolf  
Bella Zailer  
Anna Zimmerman

## RECENTLY DECEASED ( As of August 16)

**William Hechtman** - Brother of Marilyn Statfeld, uncle of Carolyn Roth and Dr. Robert Statfeld

**Joan Saperstein** - Wife of Marc Saperstein

**Alan Malinow** - Uncle of Stephanie Heuer

**Brian Kelly** - Partner of Linda Denning

*May their memories be a blessing.*  
**Zichronam liv'rachah.**

*To make a memorial donation please visit [www.naplestemple.org](http://www.naplestemple.org)  
and click on Donate in the top right corner.*

For many generations, Jews have made it a custom to remember their loved ones and sanctify their joyous events with a charitable donation. At Temple Shalom, there are several ways for us to remember or honor a loved one and give thanks for milestone events in our lives. Please consider a *yahrzeit* plaque, Tribute Garden paver, leaf on the Tree of Life, or dedicating a Torah portion in the Illustrated Torah as a permanent remembrance. Your generosity will contribute to the future of Temple Shalom.

Scan the QR codes below with the camera on your cellphone to go directly to an order form, or call the Temple Shalom office for assistance.



Remember your loved one with a *yahrzeit* memorial plaque in the Sanctuary. A light next to the plaque is lit during the week of their *yahrzeit* and during *Yizkor*.



Order and customize a brick, a tree or a bench in the Temple Shalom Tribute Garden in memory of, or in honor of a loved one or special event.



A leaf or Star of David on the Tree of Life in the Sanctuary is a beautiful way to commemorate a loved one or a meaningful occasion.



Dedicating a Torah portion in the Illustrated Torah is a meaningful way to memorialize an individual or a special celebration. You may also choose to dedicate a word or a special verse.



# TZEDAKAH

## Showing We Care

Contributions to Temple Shalom funds are wonderful ways to show your appreciation of family and friends, to celebrate happy occasions and to honor the memories of loved ones. We suggest a minimum donation of chai (\$18.00). With a minimum donation of chai, a notice of your gift will be sent to the honoree and mention will be published in The Voice. To make a donation, visit the donation page on the website at [www.naplestemple.org](http://www.naplestemple.org), or call the Temple office at 239-455-3030.

## Operations Funds

### General Fund

Supports Temple operations

### Security Fund

Improves safety and security

## Worship Funds

### Memorial Fund

Donations in memory of loved ones

### William Freschel Kiddush Fund

Provides Kiddush lunch each Saturday following worship services. A \$250 donation sponsors Kiddush in honor of a special someone or occasion.

### Flower Fund

Bimah flowers each Shabbat. A \$200 donation sponsors flowers in memory or in honor of a special someone or occasion.

### Mitzvah Baskets Fund

Bimah food baskets for Shabbat. \$200

### Dr. Philip & Shirley Gilbert Music Fund

Enhances music at Temple Shalom

### Prayerbook Fund

Prayer books and Torah commentaries.  
Prayer books - \$54, Torah commentary - \$100  
High Holy Days prayer books (set) - \$118

## Library Fund

### Rabbi James & Jane Perman Library

Books, magazine subscriptions and slides

## Education Funds

### Adult Education Fund

Enhances adult education programs

### YESh Enrichment Fund

Augments educational programming for youth

### Perry L. Switzen Educational Fund

Religious School scholarships

### Ben Calmenson Fund

Sponsors children to attend Jewish camp

### Joseph S. Weinfeld Faculty Development Fund

Enrichment activities for Religious school teachers.

### Youth Activities Fund

Financial assistance for our youth to attend Camp Coleman, regional/ national youth conventions, and Israel summer experiences.

### Preschool Enrichment Fund

Special programs in Preschool

### Jack and Charlotte Ward Family Children's Music Shelf

Audio and video music for children

### Artist-in-Residence Fund

To bring visiting musical artists to the Temple as an educational benefit to the membership

### Stephen & Rhonda Brazina Family Fund

Enhances Adult Education Programs

## Social Action Fund

### David and Lillian Thalenfeld Fund for Social Justice

Supports Temple's participation in social justice events and activities

### Mitzvah Day Fund

Supports Temple Shalom's Mitzvah Day programs

## Oneg Shabbat Fund

Sponsors Onegs in celebration of an event or to honor someone. This fund is administered by Temple Shalom Sisterhood. Please contact Barbara Druckman at 239-405-1141.

## Stuart & Estelle Price A/V Fund

For the purpose of enhancing, improving and maintaining Temple Shalom's livestreaming capabilities

## Endowment Funds

### General Endowment

Secures the future, enriches programs and provides for emergency needs of the congregation

### Honey Berkle Endowment

Supports the overall mission of Temple Shalom

### Paula Brody & Merrill Hassenfeld Endowment

Supports the Cantorial Music Program

### Graev Family Endowment

Supports the overall mission of Temple Shalom

### Kraus Scholar-In-Residence Endowment

Brings visiting scholars to the Temple

### Gracia & Merrill Kuller Family Endowment

Supports the overall mission of Temple Shalom

### Low Family Endowment

Secures the future of Temple Shalom and Reform Judaism in Southwest Florida

### Temple Shalom Sisterhood Endowment

Supports the Religious School (YESh)

### Truly Nolen Family Endowment

Supports the overall mission of Temple Shalom

### Janet & Howard Solot Endowment

To recruit and train future leaders of Temple Shalom

### Stephen & Bebe Saks Endowment

Supports the overall mission of Temple Shalom

## Clergy Funds

### Rabbi Miller's Discretionary Fund

For tzedakah, charitable purposes, and general enhancement of the Rabbi's work

### Cantor Azu's Discretionary Fund

For tzedakah, charitable purposes and general enhancement of the Cantor's work

### Rabbi Boxman's Discretionary Fund

For tzedakah, charitable purposes, and general enhancement of the Rabbi's work

# DONATIONS

July 25 to August 18

## ABOVE & BEYOND

### Best wishes

From Anonymous

### In Memory Of

Beatrice Elkin from Sherrill & Ron Yasbin

Michael Seaman from Phyllis Seaman

## CANTOR AZU'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

### Prayers For a Speedy Recovery to

Lydia Bond from Dave Citrin

### In Appreciation of

Cantor Azu for the aliyah from Lee Kaye

### In Memory Of

Paul Zailer from George & Sherry Zailer

Hershel Rosenblum from Janett Edelberg & Ron Lasofsky

Ruth Skilken Topolosky from Karen Deutsch

Freda Zonana Daniels from Shelly & Paul Nelson

## DR. PHILIP & SHIRLEY GILBERT MUSIC FUND

### In Honor Of

Michael Rubner's second Bar Mitzvah from Marcy & Ira Cotton

## FLOWER FUND/ FOOD BASKET DONATIONS

### In Memory Of

Eva Birkenfeld and Beverly Feingold from Jean & Lenny Nacht

## GENERAL FUND

Thank You from Calvin Boyer

### In Honor Of

Michael Rubner's Bar Mitzvah from David Millstein

### In Memory Of

Shirley & Emanuel Schwartz from Bennett & Mardelle Berman

William Greenberg from Carolyn Greenberg

Dr. Alan Kaplan from Daniel & Joann Roth

Charles Ciner from Emily Rose

Gloria Averbach from Gene & Bobbie Katz

Harry Clark from Iris Bland

Barbra Schwartz and Sidney Salpeter from Janet & Howard Solot

Irving Wainick and Jonah Pollack from Jerry & Linda Wainick

Joanne Cowles from Joshua and Esther Garfield

William Goldstein from Ken & Diana Goldstein

Alan Kaplan from Ken & Harrilee Shevin

Dr. Alan Kaplan from Michal Weisler

Howard Karp from Robert & Marsha Karp

## MEMORIAL FUND

### In Memory Of

Saul Feinberg and Leah Feinberg from Elliot Feinberg & Sandy Parker

Judith Peltz from Ken Sidman & Joyce Levy

## MITZVAH DAY DONATIONS

### In Memory Of

Philip Bernstein, Jr from Rita Bernstein

## PERRY L. SWITZEN EDUCATIONAL FUND

### In Memory Of

Rita Rothman from Fara, Rosalie & Daniel Switzen

Gwendolyn Jarrett from Lynné, Cameron & Saffron Buxton

## PRAYERBOOK FUND

### In Celebration Of

The marriage of Allison Weiss to David Zerad from Jay & Susan Weiss

## RABBI JAMES AND JANE PERMAN LIBRARY

### In Honor Of

The special anniversary of Dr Stuart & Judy Kaplan from Jeffrey & Freyda Albin

Louise and Spencer Forman's new granddaughter from Larry & Linda DuKatz

Bobbie Katz's special birthday from Len & Barb Cutler

Michael Rubner's birthday from Iris Bland

### In Memory Of

Howard Galbut from David & Cary Goodman

## RABBI MILLER DISCRETIONARY FUND

### In Memory Of

Judith Peltz from Ben Peltz

Chester Deutch and Adaline Deutch from Judy Miller

Allan Kaye from Lee Kaye

Sam Riefberg from Mae Riefberg

Max Nusbaum from Mark & Cindy Nusbaum

## SECURITY FUND

### In Memory Of

A. Fasciana from Susan & Nat Ritter

## TEMPLE SHALOM SISTERHOOD ENDOWMENT FUND

### In Memory Of

Alan Kaplan from Ted & Nancy Brother

## YESH ENRICHMENT FUND

### In Memory Of

Wilford Dopkin from Roslyn & Albert Katz

**ALL JEWS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR EACH OTHER.**

*-TALMUD, SHAVUOT*

*Thank you!*

# ABOVE & BEYOND

As of August 18

## **Torah Circle - \$18,000 +**

Carol Clarke

## **Rabbi's Circle - \$10,000 - \$17,999**

Dan & Linda Carp

Myra & Mort Friedman

Don & Arlene Shapiro

Anthony & Ashley Solomon

Howard & Janet Solot

## **Supporter - \$5,000 - \$9,999**

The Sissman-Smith Families

Michal Weisler

## **Sponsor - \$2,000 - \$4,999**

Shelly Berkle

Karen Cohn

Len & Barb Cutler

Steven & Shelley Einhorn

Bob & Deborah Fidel

Howard & Rachel Gutman

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Rob & Fran Nossen

Wayne & Toby Press

Stephen Light & Annie Schuchman

Bob & Arlene Subin

Jerry & Linda Wainick

Walter & Rita Weil

## **Pillar - \$1,000 - \$1,999**

Irene Adler

Cantor Donna & Steve Azu

Jane P. Berger

David & Janet Blum

David Dembo

Drs. Jack & Alice Gish

Joel & Wendy Grossman

Corky Kaplan

Jack & Judy Kaufman

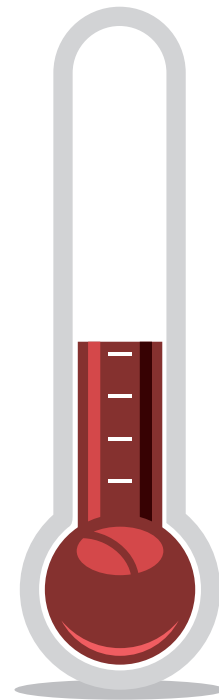
Gracia Kuller

Michelle Levine-Troupp

Tracy McMullen

## **Help Us Reach Our Goal!**

**\$415,000**



**\$156,200**

“Tzedakah and acts of kindness are the  
equivalent of all the mitzvot of the Torah”  
– Jerusalem Talmud, Pe’ah 1:1

Rabbi Adam Miller & Jennifer Siegal-Miller

Judi Palay

Benjamin Peltz

Jane & Rabbi Jim Perman

Stanton Pikus

Rabbi Ariel Boxman & Asher Saida

Brad & Cindi Schrum

Phyllis Seaman

Mark & Susan Sherwin

Sheldon & Betsy Starman

Andrew & Sydelle Weinberger

Nancy G. White

*Thank you!*

*Continued*



# ABOVE & BEYOND

As of August 18

## Friend - \$500 - \$999

Walter & Eleanor Angoff  
Phil & Judy Ciorciari  
Dave Citrin  
Kal & Ruth Faye  
Martin Feins & Barbara Cohen-Feins  
Diana & Ken Goldstein  
Carole Greene  
Matty Hasson  
Michael & Ellen Hoffman  
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Jack & Susan Rabin  
Gil Rashbaum  
Ken & Judi Rotskoff  
Marc & Joan(z"l) Saperstein  
Diane & Hank Schwartz  
Bill Warshauer

## Builder - \$250 - \$499

Marcy Aizenshtat  
Ed & Cheryl Alexander  
Randi Barr  
Robert & Shirley Bassin  
Bonnie Bodin  
Kathy Braddock  
Ed & Lori Cohen  
Larry & Lois Cohen  
Burton & Miriam Cohn  
Elisabeth & John Galotto  
Ken & Diana Goldstein  
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Ted Goldberg & Jeri Hall  
Sherry & Howard Greenfield  
Larry & Wendy Israelite  
Elliot & Eloise Kaplan  
Al & Roz Katz  
Michael Katz  
Pete & Enid Levi  
Marty & Hilda Levine  
Sam Levine  
Andy & Robin Mintz  
Elliot Feinberg & Sandy Parker  
Wendy Reidel  
Lyle & Gloria Rosenzweig  
Marilyn Ross  
Gail & Dr. Melvin Ufberg  
Allen & Marla Weiss  
Linda & Howard Wolin  
Mel & Judy Zahn

## I/We Care

Nancy & Robert Armocida  
Stephen Bacharach  
Eleanor Bonder  
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Julie Fischer  
Steve & Donna Goldstein  
Bob Hayum  
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Barry & Surelle Wind  
Barbara Winthrop  
Ron & Sherrill Yasbin  
Steve & Suzann Yussen

*Thank you!*



SAVE  
the DATES

## OCTOBER

**BACK TO SCHOOL BASH**  
TEMPLE SHALOM  
OCTOBER 1, 2023  
11:00AM-12:00PM

**SISTERHOOD LUNCHEON**  
TEMPLE SHALOM  
OCTOBER 17, 2023  
11:30AM-1:00PM

## NOVEMBER

**FASHION SHOW**  
TEMPLE SHALOM  
NOVEMBER 7, 2023  
11:30AM-1:00PM  
SISTERHOOD  
FUNDRAISER



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## JANUARY

**GAME DAY FUNDRAISER**  
TEMPLE SHALOM  
JANUARY 10, 2024  
8:30AM-4:00PM  
SISTERHOOD

**MITZVAH DAY**  
TEMPLE SHALOM  
JANUARY 21, 2024  
9:00AM-12:00 PM



**FEBRUARY**  
**ONE FAMILY FESTIVAL**  
TEMPLE SHALOM  
FEBRUARY 25, 2024  
12:00PM-5:00PM

**MARCH**  
**BEAUTIFUL: THE  
CAROLE KING MUSICAL**  
BROADWAY PALM  
DINNER THEATRE  
MARCH 31, 2024  
1:00PM-4:00PM  
MEN'S CLUB  
FUNDRAISER

## APRIL

**2ND NIGHT SEDER**  
TEMPLE SHALOM  
APRIL 23, 2024  
6:00PM - 9:00PM

**ANNUAL MEETING**  
TEMPLE SHALOM  
APRIL 28, 2024  
10:00AM-12:00PM



# September 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Baby & Me 9:00am Beach Shabbat 7:00pm	2 Torah Study 8:30am* Shabbat morning service 10:00am
3	4 <i>Labor Day</i> Temple office & Preschool closed	5 Sisterhood Board meeting 10:00am*	6 Nosh 6:00pm	7 Shalom Chef 1:30pm High Holy Days Choir rehearsal 7:00pm	8 Baby & Me 9:00am Soulful Shabbat 7:30pm (Birthday & Anniversary Blessings)	9 <i>Selichot</i> Torah Study 8:30am* Shabbat morning service 10:00am Selichot service 7:30pm
10 Kadima 8:30am YESh Open House 11:30am	11 Jewish Yoga 10:30am*	12	13	14 High Holy Days Choir rehearsal 7:00pm	15 <i>Erev Rosh Hashanah</i> Baby & Me 9:00am Erev Rosh Hashanah & Shabbat evening service 7:30pm	16 <i>Rosh Hashanah</i> Rosh Hashanah & Shabbat morning service 10:00am Young Family service 2:00pm Tashlich 3:30pm Lake at Vineyards Park
17 <i>Rosh Hashanah Day 2</i> Morning Service 10:00am	18 Jewish Yoga 10:30am* PS Mom's Night Out 7:00pm	19	20	21 Memorial Service 10:00am <i>Naples Memorial Gardens &amp; Palm Royale Cemetery</i> Sisterhood Book Bag 1:30pm High Holy Days Choir rehearsal 7:00pm	22 Baby & Me 9:00am Shabbat evening service 7:30pm	23 Torah Study 8:30am* Shabbat morning service 10:00am
24 <i>Erev Yom Kippur</i> No YESh Kol Nidre 7:30pm	25 <i>Yom Kippur</i> Temple office & Preschool closed Morning service 10:00am Young Family service 2:00pm Study Session 2:00pm Afternoon service 4:00pm Yizkor & Neilah 5:00pm	26 Israel Book Discussion 11:00am*	27	28	29 <i>Erev Sukkot</i> Baby & Me 9:00am Shabbat evening service 7:30pm	30 <i>Sukkot</i> Torah Study 8:30am* Shabbat morning service 10:00am

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# October 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1 Sukkot</b> <b>YESh 9:00am</b> <b>Back-to-School Bash &amp; Sukkot Celebration 11:00am</b>	<b>2 Sukkot</b> <b>Preschool Sukkah visits</b> <i>All day</i>	<b>3 Sukkot</b> <b>Sisterhood Board Meeting 10:00am</b> <b>Sukkot Lunch &amp; Learn - Pizza in the Hut 12:00pm</b>	<b>4 Sukkot</b> <b>Scotch in the Sukkah 5:00pm</b>	<b>5 Sukkot</b> <b>Sukkot Lunch &amp; Learn - Sushi in the Sukkah 12:00pm</b>	<b>6 Sukkot</b> <b>Preschool closed</b> <b>Shabbat evening service 7:30pm (Birthday &amp; Anniversary Blessings)</b>	<b>7 Shmini Atzeret</b> <b>Torah Study 8:30am*</b> <b>Yizkor &amp; Shabbat morning service 10:00am</b>
<b>8 Simchat Torah</b> <b>YESh 9:00am</b> <b>Simchat Torah service &amp; Celebration 10:00am</b>	<b>9</b> <b>Jewish Yoga 10:30am*</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> <b>Thinking About Good &amp; Evil 12:00pm</b> <b>Nosh 6:00pm</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> <b>Baby &amp; Me 9:00am</b> <b>Shabbat evening service 7:30pm</b>	<b>14</b> <b>Torah Study 8:30am*</b> <b>Shabbat morning service 10:00am</b>
<b>15</b> <b>YESh 9:00am</b>	<b>16</b> <b>Jewish Yoga 10:30am*</b> <b>Shalom Chef 1:30pm</b>	<b>17</b> <b>Sisterhood Luncheon - Shy Wolf Healing Hearts 11:30pm</b>	<b>18</b> <b>Thinking About Good &amp; Evil 12:00pm</b> <b>TOV Meeting 1:30pm</b> <b>Executive Committee Meeting 7:30pm*</b>	<b>19</b> <b>Sisterhood Book bag 1:30pm</b>	<b>20</b> <b>Baby &amp; Me 9:00am</b> <b>Shabbat evening service 7:30pm</b>	<b>21</b> <b>Torah Study 8:30am*</b> <b>Shabbat morning service 10:00am</b>
<b>22</b> <b>YESh 9:00am</b> <b>The Jay &amp; Susan Weiss Blessing of the Animals 9:00am</b>	<b>23</b> <b>Jewish Yoga 10:30am*</b> <b>Preschool Back-to-School Night 7:00pm</b>	<b>24</b> <b>Israel Book Discussion 11:00am*</b>	<b>25</b> <b>Thinking About Good &amp; Evil 12:00pm</b> <b>Board Meeting 7:30pm</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> <b>Baby &amp; Me 9:00am</b> <b>Shabbat evening service 7:30pm</b>	<b>28</b> <b>Torah Study 8:30am*</b> <b>Shabbat morning service 10:00am</b>
<b>29</b> <b>YESh 9:00am</b> <b>Kadima 9:00am</b> <b>YESh Family Program - 4th &amp; 5th grades 9:15am</b>	<b>30</b> <b>Jewish Yoga 10:30am*</b>	<b>31</b>				

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