

# Temple Sholom in Broomall June 2012 emple Sholom in Broomall emple Sholom of the Sidings

# ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Please join us on Sunday, June 10<sup>h</sup> at 5:00 PM to hear recaps of our wonderful year past, thank our outgoing Board, vote on our new slate of Officers and Board of Directors and the Temple Sholom budget for 2012-2013. The Treasures of Sholom Award will also be presented.

Congratulations to this year's Slate:

President: Michael Danowitz (2012 - 2014)

Executive Vice President: Brett Amdur (2012 - 2014) Senior Vice President: Emily Mendell (2012 - 2014)

Treasurer: Steve Granoff (2011 - 2013)

(Term has one more year)

Recording Secretary: James Meyer (2012 - 2014) At-Large Member: Steven Berger (2012 - 2014) At-Large Member: Mary Ann Gould (2012 - 2014)

Two Year Term 2012-2014 (Voting for 5 Members) and One Year Alternate term (Remaining 3 Members)

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Two-Year Term 2011-2013 (Continuing Board Members)

Margaret Husick Carl Miller

Alexis Rosenfeld Mark Rubinoff Mitch Wolfson

# **BUDGET TOWN MEETING** WEDNESDAY JUNE 6TH FROM 6:00 - 8:00 PM

The 2012 - 2013 budget had been reviewed and approved by the Board of Trustees and has been sent out to members of the congregation, along with a summary sheet with descriptive charts for your review. As in the past, there will be an opportunity for you to discuss the budget at a Town Meeting with members of the Committee as well as to pose any pertinent auestions.



Cantor Emerita Patty Kaplan, out-going Temple President, Mike Samuels and Cantor Kerith Spencer-Shapiro. See Mike's farewell message on page 4.

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# FROM THE DESK OF RABBI RIGLER

Fair "World of Tomorrow," Amy L. Sales (associate director of the Cohen Center for Modern Jewish Studies at Brandeis University). recently wrote an essay for the

Central Conference of American Rabbis' journal looking at the synagogue of "tomorrow". She begins with the premise that the role of the synagogue is changing and wonders what synagogues can do to remain a vital part of Jewish life in the future.

I agree that our vision and understanding of Jewish life needs to always be growing and changing. This is, after all, the deepest insight Reform Judaism has brought to Jewish life. We are working hard to plan for our future in many ways! This is a moment when we need to just pause as a community and celebrate who we are and all we are accomplishing together!

The first story I will share, is of a woman in her twenties who a few months ago started attending our services. She was very nervous the first night she walked into our doors. She has been meeting with me to do some studying and is keeping a journal of her experiences. She wrote, "I was so warmly welcomed the minute I walked into Temple Sholom, enveloped by wonderful music, kindness and prayer. It didn't feel foreign at all; the Rabbi, Cantor and community made it feel like my home." This was her reaction to the first night she came! To me this speaks volumes about who we are and I am so proud to serve as the Rabbi of a community that these words can be written about! We live the values every day of being warm, vibrant and inclusive.

Taking a page from the 1939 World's I am so proud of so much that we do and have done! From our growing Preschool, vibrant Religious School program, the successful transition of staff, meaningful worship experiences of all types, cultural programs and classes of the highest caliber, dedicated lay leadership, vibrant constituency groups (including Sisterhood, Brotherhood, Youth Group and Hilltoppers), all with a deep respect for the past and an eye for our future! All of the love and passion that we bring to our work is infectious, so much so that this year we have grown by twenty families. An accomplishment that speaks volumes about who we are, especially in a time when so many other houses of worship are struggling.

> Our staff has done a wonderful job this year and deserve a great deal of thanks for all that they do! I am honored to work with them all!

> Thank you to our lay leadership who work tirelessly to care for our community on every level! This includes the countless volunteers for each event and service who treat Temple Sholom as their home! What an incredible community!

> As the "head volunteer", our out-going President, Mike Samuels, has served our community with incredible kavod (honor) and love. For the past two years we have been blessed to have him guiding our community. Most may not realize how much Mike and our Board has to do or how much responsibility they have. I am grateful for all that Mike and those serving on our Board have helped us accomplish. As Mike prepares to finish his term as President. I want to thank him for all that he has done! So what now? Share our community with friends and loved ones!

~ B'Shalom - Rabbi Rigler



# DO A MITZVAH! BE A HERO!

Donate Blood on June 27th from 12:30 PM - 6:30 PM

With school out and many people on vacation, summer is the most challenging time for American Red Cross blood drives; consequently blood supplies are at their lowest. Please take a moment and consider participating in our June blood drive. To register online visit: www.redcrossblood.org and enter Sponsor Code = 0222044 or contact Sandy Cohen skcohen@temple-sholom.org.

The Temple Tidings

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# CANTOR SHAPIRO'S NOTES

# What's in a name?

This past Sunday, I had the distinct pleasure of attending the Ordination ceremonies for the newest Reform Rabbis and Cantors who graduated and were ordained by the Hebrew

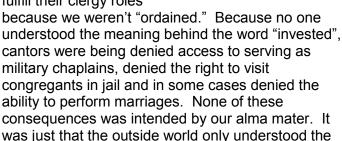
Union College – Jewish Institute of Religion in New York City. The ceremony was held at Temple Emanu-El. The setting was majestic, the music was moving and the ceremony was profound. Attending the ceremony each year has become a tradition for me. My close friend, and former accompanist, Pedro d'Aquino, plays Temple Emanu-El's grand pipe organ for the ceremony each year, and we have a standing date in the choir loft, where I get to meet the Cantorial class who comprise the choir for the event, and turn pages for Pedro. It's something I look forward to each year.

When I became a cantor, in 2003, I was "invested" as a cantor, while my rabbinic colleagues were "ordained." I didn't really think much about the difference between the two words. I was becoming a cantor, I was called in front of the ark, where Rabbi David Ellenson spoke words of encouragement to me and I was handed my certificate of investiture by Cantor Israel Goldstein, a mentor, who was the head of the School of Sacred Music at the time.

Since that time, I have invested much time and energy to my professional organization, the American Conference of Cantors ("ACC"). I rabbis and cantors currently serve as one of three vice presidents of the organization. In this role, I became aware that

cantors were being denied opportunities to fulfill their clergy roles

word "ordained".



This year for the first time, the graduating cantors were ordained along with their rabbinic colleagues. I was so proud to be there, cheering for them from up in the choir loft, listening to the presidents of the CCAR and the ACC address the graduates, and listening to Rabbi/Cantor Angela Buchdahl address the congregation, as she spoke so eloquently about community and belonging, weaving music into her sermon.

I feel blessed to work with a clergy partner who understands that while rabbis and cantors may have distinct roles in our tradition, we can work together to bring out the best in each other and support one another as we help to create community. I believe that the ordination of cantors will help others (and especially non-Jews who may be baffled by the role of the cantor) to understand that the best way for rabbis and cantors to work together is through true clergy partnership.

~ B'shirah (in song), Cantor Shapiro



Wednesdays June 6, 13, 20 & 27 at 9:30 AM in the Annex

(please arrive 5 - 10 minutes early so we can start promptly)

On Wednesday mornings in June, we will be offering Jewish Meditation sessions open to all Temple members - men and women. Jewish Meditation gives us a chance to practice the mindful art of meditation enriched by using words and teachings from our Jewish tradition. We will be meeting on June 6, 13, 20 and 27 in the Annex from 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM.

Please try to arrive between 9:20 - 9:25 AM, since we wish to get started right on time. We would love to have you join us.

# TANAKH STUDY

Wednesdays,
June 13, July 25,
August 1, 22 & 29
at 10:30 AM in the
Library

# A MESSAGE FROM OUT-GOING PRESIDENT, MIKE SAMUELS

# THANK YOU FOR TWO REWARDING YEARS!

You may or may not know that our annual congregational meeting is on Sunday, June 10 at 5:00 PM. If you have never been to a congregational meeting I highly encourage you to attend. It is a fun night of gift giving and recognition of those who have done so much throughout the year. The meeting provides us with some time to reminisce and think of how blessed we are to have such a wonderful community. Then there is the business side of the evening. We vote to fill board vacancies and this year elect a new president. Come out, make your voice heard and help elect the lay leadership for the coming year. The slate of nominees is very strong this year.

For some people transition or change is difficult. I, on the other hand, embrace change. Change, good and bad, keeps us engaged and vibrant. Being entrusted to help foster positive change for a community I love is very humbling and rewarding. Some people sarcastically say time flies if you are having fun or not. My response is, then why not have fun. The last two years have been much fun. Since I became involved. there has been much change at Temple Sholom. I was on the Rabbi Search committee that was expertly run by Eric Cantor and Mark Rubinoff under Barbara Mark's watchful eye. Thanks to all for bringing Rabbi Rigler to our community. What a kind hearted and generous spiritual leader he is. We have hired several preschool directors. We owe a huge amount to Lorri Myers and Liz Sussman for the existence and success of our ever growing preschool. We hired Betsy Blackburn-Goslin as our bookkeeper. What a find! Every day I give thanks for Mitch Wolfson's recommendation and for all that Betsy does for us. We hired Abbey Krain as our executive director. Like manna from heaven. Abbey was recently honored by her own synagogue for outstanding contributions. Having worked with her on many tasks over the last year I can see why. Abbey is amazing.

Nothing can be more stunning than getting a call from our cantor of 28 years. I'll never forget those words...."Mike, I think it is an appropriate time. I have decided to retire at the end of this year." Remember the beginning of this paragraph, about embracing change. Oy. We all have many remembrances of Cantor Patty and Jeff. We have shared tears of sorrow and tears of joy. Patty was the one spiritual constant for my family. Those tears keep coming with every singing of "Meet Me in St. Louis". Patty and Jeff, you will be missed as you are part of the fabric of who we are. At the same time, I shed tears of joy, thinking of the joy you will receive spending more time with your children and grandchildren. You missed many of your children's special days because you were making our

lives special. Wherever you are, you will always be in our hearts, and fortunately in our iTunes, cricket and all!

All of this leads us to our latest and greatest. Brett Amdur led an outstanding search committee and Melissa Shusterman orchestrated the transition of our new and beloved Cantor Shapiro. Cantor, Scott, Frances and Zev, thank you for believing in us as we believe in you. We began the year with a special musical installation and culminated the year with an incredible concert. From the Afro-Semitic Experience to "Bewitched, Bothered and Bewildered". Your entire family's embrace of the Temple Sholom Family Riders and enthusiasm for Temple Sholom is infectious. Thank you. It has been a joy.

Before becoming president I attended the Scheidt Seminar, a URJ event, for incoming Temple presidents. One of the gripes of many new presidents was that they have to reinvent the wheel due to lack of participation by past presidents. At Temple Sholom we are blessed to have many very active past presidents. In fact, there are too many to mention each by name! Your continued leadership makes Temple Sholom a better community for us all.

Thanks to the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, Mike Danowitz, Brett Amdur, Steve Berger, Steve Granoff, Jim Meyer and Emily Mendell. Great teams make great decisions. Thanks to Mike Bolotsky, Steve Granoff's predecessor as treasurer who made Mr. Granoff's life easier and who made a huge impact on the financial stability of Temple Sholom. Thanks to Matt Frankel for financial insights and for quietly being there when it mattered. Leslie Greenfield, I owe you one for getting me into this. To Barbara Mark, thanks for making the tough decisions that facilitated all that we have today.

To Mike Danowitz, you have been provided a strong foundation. I know you will make it your own and we will continue to grow and benefit under your leadership. To Rabbi Rigler and Cantor Shapiro, I love you both.

To a community that is truly warm and welcoming, thank you.

~ B'shalom, Mike

Editor's Note:

And thanks, Mike, for all of your time and dedication to our Community. Your efforts are so appreciated!



# JUNE ONEG SPONSORS

June 1

Betsy and Mark Rubinoff, in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Alec

June 8

Merraine and John Rein, in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Dylan

June 22

Debra Saylor-Brown and Michael Brown, in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Samuel

The Danowitz Family, in honor of the Installation of the new Board of Directors

CELEBRATING A SIMCHA? SHARE IT WITH AN ONEG!

Honor your loved ones and the Temple by sponsoring an Oneg and sharing your special day with us. A birthday, anniversary, baby naming, or marriage blessing are all perfect occasions.

Please contact the Temple office at 610-356-5165 or info@temple-sholom.org for details.



# COME MARCH WITH US!

On July 4<sup>th</sup> don't just watch the parade go by - be a participant and join us in representing Temple Sholom in Broomall at this wonderful community event.

We will be marching in the July 4th parade in Broomall. All are encouraged to attend. Whether you want to be a part of the creative process or just march along, let us know.

Contact Rachel Thomas at <a href="mailto:theatlvr@ms.com">theatlvr@ms.com</a> or Sandy Cohen, Community Coordinator to participate <a href="mailto:skcohen@temple-sholom.org">skcohen@temple-sholom.org</a>.

# COMMUNITY NEWS

While school is winding down and everyone is gearing up for summer, behind the scenes at Temple Sholom things are hopping.

- ★ The annual 2012-2013 Temple Sholom calendar will be finalized by mid-June. I'd like to offer a special thank you to all of the Auxiliary and Committee Chair people and Board members that submitted their special events and programs to the calendar. Their participation so far in advance contributes to our ability to offer meaningful and diverse programming spread out throughout the year.
- ★ Planning for the August 3 5 WOW Weekend of Welcome and Welcome Back is in process.
- High Holy Day planning and logistics are well underway.
- Volunteers are always an integral part of all that we do. If you'd like to volunteer, please contact Abbey or me and we will find an opportunity that plays to your interest and availability.

Special dates for June and July:

June 3 Preschool Fun Day

June 10 Temple Riders outing

June 10 Annual Meeting

**June 15** Shabbat in the Park

**June 22** Installation Shabbat to honor the new Temple Sholom Board and Officers

June 27 Be a Hero - Give Blood!

**July 4** March along with Temple Sholom in the Broomall 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade

~ Sandy Cohen, Community Coordinator <u>skcohen@temple-sholom.org</u>

# Life is A Cabaret Fund Raiser a Rousing Success

Our first annual Cantors' Concert was a true success! If you missed this year's concert and have heard the buzz, you can put next year's event dollars for music programming at Temple Sholom. on your calendar now. Next year's concert is scheduled for the evening of May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2013.

Cantors Mo Glazman of White Plains, NY; Jonathan Grant of Newport Beach, CA; Patty Kaplan and Kerith Spencer-Shapiro from our own congregation regaled the packed house with jazz standards and songs from Broadway, with exceptional back-up from Dave Posmontier and his band. Our cantors' voices filled the sanctuary with joyful noise, but not exactly what we were used to

hearing from the bimah. In addition to the good time had by all, the concert raised thousands of

Special thanks to Concert Chairs: Mollie Plotkin and Scott Kalish: Committee members: Barbara Barr, Jen Isayev, Liz Berger, Cindy Meyer, Cindy Fastman, Valeri Riesenfeld, Shelby Frankel, Jennifer Saionz, Bey Granoff, Kat Springer and Leslie Greenfield; Prize patrons: Shirley Chalick, Scott Kalish and Alison Holt-Kalish, Lani Bevagcua & Paul Bennett of Context Travel, and the Plotkins.

The concert was especially successful due to the generous support of our concert patrons:

Mollie & Kevin Plotkin and Marcia & Steve Plotkin in honor and memory of Murray & Pauline Plotkin who so loved music, sponsors for a month of Music.

The Kanes-Byun family, sponsors for a month of Choir.

Anonymous, sponsors for a month of Choir.

Steve & Bev Granoff, in honor of their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. Mazel tov! Sponsors for a Shabbat of Music.

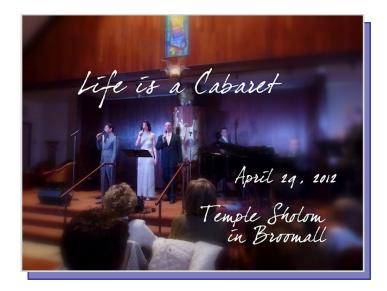
The Samuels family, sponsors for a Shabbat of Music.

The Rabbis Rigler, sponsors for a Shabbat of Music.

Phil and Nancy Bloomfield, sponsors for a Shabbat of Music.











# Congregational Dinner at Temple Sholom in Broomall

Friday, June 22, 2012

5:45 PM

# In Honor of the Installation of the 2012-2013 Board of Trustees

# and Michael Danowitz as President

Yes, I/We would like to join you for the Congregational Shabbat Dinner on June 22, 2012			
Traditional Buffet Shabbat Dinner, including Roasted Chicken and Vegetarian Options			
Adults (13 and up) @ \$20.00 =			
Children (3-12 years) @ \$12.00 =			
Total enclosed \$ Check #			
RSVP no later than June 17, 2012			
Please make check payable to "Temple Sholom in Broomall" *note "Congregational Dinner" on check			
Name			
Phone			
I/We would like to be seated with			
Mail reconcation form and check to:			

Congregational Dinner at Temple Sholom in Broomall

55 North Church Lane, Broomall, PA 19008

Direct questions to Mary Ann Gould at ogouldma@msn.com or 610.356.4725



# Welcome to our Newest Members:

~ JAY & NANCY HANDWERGER ~

~ THE WILSON SMALLWOOD FAMILY ~
JONAH WILSON & YVONNE SMALLWOOD
& SOPHIA WILSON

~ THE LIBERTORE FAMILY ~

JOE & STAYCEE GEORDAN & BROOKE

We'd like to welcome more new members to our congregation. We invite you to invite your family and friends to join our community. For information on Membership, please contact the Temple Office at 610-356-5165 or email: <a href="mailto:info@temple-sholom.org">info@temple-sholom.org</a>.

# Toiletries Needed for Life Care Shelter

Please continue to bring toiletries to every Sisterhood get together so we can keep the homeless shelter stocked in these essential necessities. There are more homeless people than ever in the Philadelphia area. Thank you to those who give "religiously" to this cause.

~ Amy Berkowitz

# NEED HELP? WE'RE HERE! THE MITZVAH CORPS

Please let us know if you are aware of someone ....

- ★ Entering the hospital
- ★ With a new baby
- ★ Death in the family
- **★** Shut-in
- **★** Other

We want to help! Working together we are truly a caring community.

PLEASE CALL THE TEMPLE OFFICE AT 610-356-5165

# JLL LECTURE SERIES: "COMPARATIVE JUDAISM" JUNE 13<sup>TH</sup> AT 7:30 PM

You have heard the old joke, two Jews, three opinions!

Rabbi Rigler will take you on a walk through Jewish history to understand the greatest schisms and movements of our people.

We will focus on the major movements within American Judaism: Reform, Conservative/ Reconstructionist, Orthodox/Hasidism, and secular Jews. We briefly will examine their history in Europe and America, and compare their views on numerous issues. June 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM in the Library for this lively discussion. This is the last in the JLL Series for 2011-2012 season.

# MAZEL TOV TO:

Walter and Helena Ciechanowski and grandparents, Richard and Honore Poch, on the birth of their daughter and granddaughter, Zoeanna Darcie Ciechanowski

Steve and Donna Hendel on their son, Marc's, graduation with honors from Washington University in St. Louis, and his acceptance into the year-long OTZMA program.

Norman Chansky, author of the story "When Sorrele Found Itzig: A Taste of Honey" in the May issue of the internet *Jewish Magazine*.

Denise Moser, sister of Michele Cooperstein, on her performance at the Playing With The Spirit Coffeehouse, located in the Central Baptist Church.

Steve and Ruth Gail Cohen, on the birth of their grandson, Adam Levi Covis

Let's share our happy occasions, milestones and good news with one another. Please submit your information (anniversary, birth, graduation, new job etc.) by Tuesday of each week to our Temple office: <a href="mailto:admin@temple-sholom.org">admin@temple-sholom.org</a>.

# THANKS TO OUR HOSPICE VOLUNTEERS! YOU ARE TRULY ANGELS!

June appears to be our "thank you" issue and I would like to take a moment to thank the following people for being a part of our Hospice Group at Temple Sholom. These dedicated women have been, along with me, an integral part of Hospice since its inception in 1989.

Our group has been underused for a long time, but we are always available to assist our congregants in need. Confidentiality is respected. You may call any one of us at any time if such a need arises. We are available throughout the year.

Therefore, I am giving a heartfelt thank you to: Amy Berkowitz, Pam Haas, Connie Levin, Elaine Smith, Barbara Shay-Martin and Ellen Goldblatt.

~Barbara Smilk 610-356-0840

# HAVDALAH IN THE HOME

The Havdalah at Home group met at the home of Barbara and Steve Clarke, on April 21<sup>st</sup>. We started with the chant Layehudim followed by Brachot Havdalah, Shavua Tov and Eliyahu Hanavi. We took advantage of the end of Shabbat by allowing a minute of personal prayer requests and used an upbeat version of the traditional Oseh Shalom at the end of the prayers.

Everyone was so moved by our Shoah service Friday night that Barb's addition of Hatikvah at the end of the service was a heartfelt boost.

Good food and conversation followed. A special thanks to Noah and Emily Freedman for bringing us New Mexican Wine.

If you would like to join the group or form your own, contact Bob at <a href="mailto:bobnmarians@aol.com">bobnmarians@aol.com</a>. Adding your name to the list will only cost a pot luck contribution when you come. Advice is free.

# THE CHAIMEN STARTING WITH A BANG!

Temple Sholom Chaimen Softball team is out to a fast start scoring over thirty runs in the first two games. The Chaimen are off to a 2-0 start with victories over Lower Merion Synagogue and Har Zion. The Chaimen hope to keep on rollling with their new off season acquisitions Mark Reisenfeld, Dan Lipowitz, and Adam Rubinstein. Please take a look at the website below for team schedule and field

Home	Away	Location	
Sunday, June 3 <sup>rd</sup> 9:45			
Chaimen	Adath Israel 2	South Ardmore - Upper	
Sunday,June 10 <sup>th</sup> 9:45			
Chaimen	Beth Hillel – L	South Ardmore - Upper	
Sunday, June 17 <sup>th</sup> 9:45			
Chaimen	Main Line Reform	South Ardmore - Upper	
Sunday, July 1 <sup>st</sup> 9:45			
Chaimen	Beth Hillel – R	South Ardmore – Upper	
Sunday, July 15 <sup>th</sup> 9:45			
Chaimen	Ohev Shalom	South Ardmore - Tennis	
Sunday, July 22 <sup>nd</sup> 9:45			
Chaimen	Aish	South Ardmore – Tennis	

locations. Come on out and cheer on the Chaimen.



Also check out the league web site for directions and additional information: <a href="http://freeteams.net/lmsmsl/">http://freeteams.net/lmsmsl/</a>.

Please come out and support the Temple Sholom Chaimen! Interested: Contact Jay Prager at 610-446-7588 or via email jay@asrecycle.com.

# SISTERHOOD TO SPEND SUMMER PREPPING AND PLANNING FOR NEXT YEAR!

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Last month, Sisterhood members and friends spent a fabulous evening celebrating our Closing Dinner and "Torah in the Home" with Rabbi Rigler. We multitasked that night at Mary Ann Gould's house by also completing a Social Action Project. Together, we prepared 100 lunches for the Life Center of Eastern Delaware County.

We became closer to each other with the help of photographs of ourselves that we brought along. Women chanted in Hebrew from the Torah and others read in English. We recapped our successful Sisterhood year and were treated to a review of the experiences two of our members had at the URJ Biennial last fall. Our evening culminated in a delicious dinner.

Sisterhood is proud of all that we've done this year and what we've accomplished. For example, did you know that we recently delivered \$1,000 in scrip to the Life Center and also earned an additional \$50 that went to the Temple, based on Sisterhood's Bimah Basket and scrip sales?

Our expectations are that next year will be even more exciting, fun, involving and fulfilling. We are gearing up with lots of plans! Please join us.

We'd love to see you at our final Sisterhood Board Meeting of the season, on Thursday evening, June 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM in the Temple Library. Our Board meetings are open to all and we welcome your

presence and opinions.

For questions about next year's Sisterhood plans, or about Sisterhood in general, please contact sisterhood@temple-sholom.org or call Donna Hendel at 561-445-0021.



"Miss Representation" panel: Ellen Fisher, Fran Epstein, Marcie Seminoff, Margie Preddy

# YOU WALKED WITH US! TODAH RABAH!

1eam Warner's Walker's MS Walk was Sunday April 22<sup>nd</sup>. Unfortunately, it was the first day in a month or two that had any rain!! We walked anyway! We were damp, but not soaked. We had 14 walkers come out and we really did have a fun time. See attached photo. I just want to take a moment to recognize our corporate and non-profit sponsors!

# Please patronize our Corporate Sponsors:

Drexel Hill Pediatrics, Drexel Hill, PA
Joel Perlish Photography, Havertown, PA
Paxon Hollow Middle School Faculty
Roma Travel, Havertown, PA
Sisterhood of Temple Sholom, Broomall, PA
Studio H Color and Design Group, Springfield, PA
Temple Sholom Religious School Faculty
The Nailworks Salon, Broomall, PA

I just wanted to let everyone know that thanks to all of your generosity, Team Warner's Walkers raised ... drumroll please ... \$2,975.00!!!

Team Warner's Walker's MS Walk was Sunday April Thank you all for participating in the 2012 MS Walk 22<sup>nd</sup>. Unfortunately, it was the first day in a month Fundraiser!

For those of you who intended to donate, but were not able to get around to it, I am still accepting donations. Checks can be made out to "The National MS Society" and mailed to me at my home: 113 Diane Drive, Broomall, PA 19008

~ All my best, Lisa Warner



In first row: Ezra Frank Second row:Barbara Barr, Nancy Hays, Denise Vogin Third row: Fran Epstein, Melissa Shusterman, Eric Frank, Max Miller, Lisa Warner, Mike & Beth Malikowski Missing from photo: Jerry Frank, Jackie Blumberg, Mark

# SISTERHOOD EXPERIENCES TORAH IN THE HOME!



Gloria Kresch chants Torah while SH president, Donna Hendel watches.

The Sisterhood of Temple Sholom chose my home for this year's Closing Dinner. Not to disappoint my sisters, I began the search for "the Right" program for the night. There it was in the Tidings: Torah in the Home with Rabbi Rigler! Our sincere appreciation goes to Rabbi Rigler for his instrumental help in planning the evening.

On a personal level, the expectation of having the Torah in our home was met with meditation using my favorite activities: cleaning and gardening. Several nights I went to sleep not knowing if those early planted annuals would survive the cold. I send many thanks to Samuel and Joanna Gould for putting up with my driver mode and working hard without question. *Torah in the Home* requires buy in from household members.

The day before our event, we sent one dog to New Jersey for a vacation; Sisterhood members: Cindy Verbofsky, Evi Elias, Donna Hendel, Hilda Arnold, Bev Granoff and Cindy Meyer joined me for lunch. We spent the afternoon washing, chopping and talking. This is Sisterhood in action. Numerous calls from Sisterhood members assured that we had enough pencils, crackers and challah. God answered my prayers for sun. I should have included calm and warm in my prayer, as by late afternoon we were committed to being inside.

We made 100 lunches for the Life Care Center. Sisterhood members donated the supplies. We ate, drank, worked and talked our way thru appetizer hour. This is Sisterhood in Action!

Imagine the Torah wrapped in our Religious School Tallit sitting on your dining table. My Sisters put on their tallit, one for the first time. Rabbi gave an inspiring D'var Torah followed by a group activity on "How I am holy." Gloria Kresch, Donna Hendel, Nancy Handwerger (our newest Sisterhood member) and Joanna Gould chanted Torah. Shirley Birenbaum, Laurie Burstein-Maxwell, Amy

Cylinder, Evi Elias, Linda Hershman and Margaret Husick read. This is Sisterhood in action!

We ate, talked, shared and laughed. We heard about each other's life. We networked. We cared. Yes, this is Sisterhood in Action. Torah in our home was one of the most meaningful experiences I have had. I thank Rabbi Rigler, my Sisters and my children for making the evening very special.

~ Mary Ann Gould



Louise Schmidt, Barbara Barr, Stella Maser, Fran Epstein and Rebecca Parmet enjoy the Torah wrapped in the tallit made by the hands of our children.



Amy Berkowitz, Bev Granoff and Rebecca Parmet are part of the kitchen crew preparing 100 brown bag lunches.

# **Torah In Your Home!**

Have a *minyan* (at least 10 people)?
Then you too, can share in this wonderful experience. Contact either Rabbi Rigler or Cantor Shapiro for details!

# TODAH RABAH TO KIM & LARRY SEGAL SUNDAY CAFÉ COORDINATORS



Our Sunday Café has been up and running in the Lobby for three years. During this time, a core of outstanding volunteers has baked and donated food, beverages and their time to sell goodies and coffee to the parents and children of Temple Sholom. Kim and Larry Segal have skillfully coordinated the Café for first and second sessions of Religious School for all three years. Each week they assure supplies and volunteers who come early to start the coffee and stay late to clean and pack up the supplies. The proceeds of the Café benefit the Religious School and part is donated to tzedakah. In three years, the Café has raised thousands of dollars!

Todah Rabah to Kim and Larry, for their continuous efforts on behalf of the children, teachers and parents of Temple Sholom. Your efforts are an inspiration to all of us.

We are now seeking new Cafe Coordinator(s) for the 2012-2013 school year. If you would like to coordinate first and/or second session please contact Mary Ann Gould at ogouldma@msn.com or 610.356.4725.

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# THANKS FROM KIM. RETIRING LOBBY CAFÉ **COORDINATOR**

Dear Temple Families,

I want to thank you all by name for all your support and assistance with running the Café and baking for the Café this year. I also want to thank the congregation as a whole, especially the kids and Sunday Religious School teachers for purchasing our goodies. I have enjoyed working with each and every one of you. We have a wonderful group of Religious School families. I understand how hard it is to get to the Temple on Sunday mornings and then, add baking or purchasing goodies to your busy schedules. I look forward to another great and successful year in the fall. When a new Café coordinator steps up, I will be happy to assist them during the fall learning the ropes of running the Sunday Café. The Café coordinator can be more than one person; it could be two or three folks covering morning and afternoon shifts, by the season or by the month. So please, think about joining the Café team and volunteering now.

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It's time for Kim and Larry to retire from their efforts on behalf of the Sunday Lobby Café. Please offer to help keep this successful on-going fund raiser going! **Contact Mary Ann Gould at** ogouldma@msn.com or 610.356.4725.

# RELIGIOUS AND HEBREW SCHOOL NOTES **Around Our School...**

As I sit in my office I hear echoes of children learning, laughing, and singing. These echoes are not real, but work and creativity of our educational program takes are mere memories of a school year gone by. The classrooms and hallways are now empty and silent ... except for the memories. Many people ask me if I am Have a safe, fun-filled and relaxing summer. Whether "off" in the summer. The answer is a resounding "No"! True, the pace is a bit slower, the phone rings a bit less, but the task of educating our next generation is a year-round journey.

This summer the faculty and I will be exploring new paths along this journey. Have you noticed? Education (both secular and Jewish) is much different than it was when most of us went to school. Our

technology is different. Our world is different. The way in which children learn is different. And we, as a Reform Jewish educational institution, are up to the task of recognizing these differences and teaching accordingly. The faculty and I are excited to be taking on this task and, after some summer down time, will be ready with innovative and relevant 21st century learning. We will meet each learner's real needs, real situations, and real questions. Our education will address individual students in their uniqueness and engage the whole person, not just the part that is labeled, "Jewish".

Registration for the 2012-2013 School Year has begun. The earlier you register the better we can begin to prepare for next year.

So, am I "off" in the summer? No, this is when the real place. Stop by and visit!

you travel far or stay close to home, make sure to see the world through Jewish eyes. Give tzedakah to those in need, celebrate Shabbat and say Shehechyanu when seeing something beautiful in our world. Judaism is part of our lives each and every day!

~ Lori Green, Education Director



# Etta Natalie Rosenblatt Preschool

# We Did It! A Super Successful Year at the Preschool at Temple Sholom!



It seems like yesterday when I started at the Temple Sholom Preschool last fall, but here we are at the end of the school year! In this past year, we have grown to almost twice the size of where we started back in September. Our Preschool is a happy, busy, engaging place for our students and their families. In short, "We did it!" We had a great year filled with personal growth for our students and professional growth for our excellent team of teachers and aides.

Our end of the year activities were amazing. For Israel Independence Day, we had passports and "flew" to Israel. "In Israel," we did many exciting things including an archeology dig, visiting the *Kotel* and touring a kibbutz. Before preparing for our Graduation Ceremony, we also celebrated

Lag B'Omer together and practiced our Shabbat prayers and songs.

Looking ahead to the 2012-2013 school year, I am happy to report that the classes are filling up. We are opening a new "Junior Kindergarten Class" and working on new and exciting programs and activities for our students. If you haven't signed up yet or know someone who is thinking about registering a child, please have them contact my office. A warm welcome and a wonderful Preschool experience is waiting for you and your children.

Have a safe and refreshing summer. Looking to seeing everyone when Preschool opens next Fall!

~ Shalom, Liz Sussman, Early Childhood Education Director

# THE PRESCHOOL TAKES A TRIP TO ISRAEL!













# JUNE B'NAI MITZVAH



Alec Robert Rubinoff, son of Mark and Betsy Rubinoff, will become a Bar Mitzvah on June 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Joining him in this special day will be his brothers Nick, Ethan and Crosby and sister, Leah; and his grandmother from Pittsburgh, PA,

grandmother from Naples, FL, great-uncle and aunt from Toronto, Canada, aunt and uncle and cousin from Boston, MA.

A Springton Lake Middle School, 7<sup>th</sup> grader, Alec enjoys Cross Country Team, camping, and fishing.

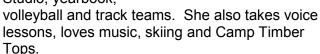
Alec is working with the adult Special Olympics swim class for his Mitzvah Project. They meet every Monday evening at the Rocky Run YMCA.



Dylan Rose Rein, daughter of Merraine and John Rein, will be called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah on Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup>. Sharing her special day will be her brother, Max, and friends and relatives from all over the country. Dylan's grandparents, Eileen and Newton Berger and Dorothy and Jack Rein will

be with her in spirit.

A 7<sup>th</sup> grader at Tredyffrin-Easttown Middle School, Dylan is an honor roll student and is involved in a wide variety of extracurricular activities such as her school's TV Studio, yearbook,



For her mitzvah project, Dylan spent time interviewing and getting to know a Holocaust refugee. A copy of Dylan's finished booklet will be available for everyone to read at her Bat Mitzvah service. Showing her love for animals, especially dogs, Dylan's Bimah baskets will be filled with items to be donated to a local animal shelter.



Samuel Johnathan Brown, son of Debbie and Mike Brown, will be called to the Torah on June 23<sup>rd</sup>. Sam will share his special day with his siblings, Anastasia and Max; greatgrandparents, Ben and Bella Tannenbaum from Florida; grandparents, Joel and Terry Brown from New

Jersey; grandfather Jim Saylor, from New Jersey; along with other relatives and friends from New York, New Jersey and Maryland.

Sam is a 7<sup>th</sup> grader at Springton Lake Middle School where he played soccer and wrestled. He enjoys playing basketball and baseball, but his favorite sport is soccer. The Gunners, Sam's travel soccer team, recently made the quarter finals in the state. He's also in the Philadelphia Union's soccer training program.

Sam's Mitzvah project is Soccer for All. The organization is for kids that are below the poverty line and for kids whose parents aren't home after school. It's located in Trenton, NJ. Mike and Sam planned a day to help out during the program. The kids were ages K-8. They worked with the students as they scrimmaged each other. Sam felt good about helping the kids have a great experience playing soccer.

In his free time, Sam likes to hang out with friends; play outside sports with Max; play video games; watch Sports Center and sporting events; and hang with his dog, Harvey.



# MITZVAH CORPS Wants to Help You!

The Temple Sholom Mitzvah Corps has many wonderful members who want to aid others in the congregation who have needs such as: help setting up a shiva house or with a shiva meal, a ride to the doctor or the supermarket or to the Temple, experienced help in a home with a new baby, a meal or meals for someone home from the hospital, etc. This is the kind of help that sometimes friends or family are not able to provide. Once, we even helped a congregant set up a room for his wife who was returning home after major surgery.

# LET US HELP YOU! IT WLL BE A MITZVAH!

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# SISTERHOOD BOOK CLUB

for Working Women and Mothers (Sisterhood Membership is not required).

The next Sisterhood sponsored book club meeting will be on June 6<sup>th</sup> at the home of Michele Cooperstein, 7 Selwyn Road in Broomall at 7:30 PM. Her contact info is: <a href="teachercoop@aol.com">teachercoop@aol.com</a> and 610-353-8044.

We will be reading Naomi Ragen's "Jephthe's Daughter" Please join us.

Please call or email Laurie Burstein-Maxwell at 610-525-8895 or <a href="mailto:lauriejb@verizon.net">lauriejb@verizon.net</a> to RSVP.



# MITZVAH MEAL UPDATE NEXT: JUNE 12

Do you want to take action to fight hunger in our community? Temple Sholom is committed to serving six times throughout the year at the life Center shelter in Upper Darby. Our next Mitzvah Meal opportunity is Tuesday, June 12. This meal is being coordinated by Temple Sholom's ace baseball players, the Chaimen (though non-ball-slinging contributors are more than welcome). We'll be providing about 200 hot meals to hungry people at the shelter in Upper Darby. To join the Mitzvah Meal team by helping to purchase, prepare and serve - or for that matter, to join the baseball team - please contact Howard Cylinder at hcylinder@msn.com or 610-355-7554.

Volunteers can choose to help purchase, prepare, or serve food to 100 - 200 people. We'll be serving again the second Tuesday in August, so if you miss the chance this time, please join us for the August meal (for the August meal, please contact Emily Freedman at 610-449-2894 or <a href="mailto:emily.freedman2@gmail.com">emily.freedman2@gmail.com</a>).

# THE HILLTOPPERS

# **Board Meeting:**

The Hilltoppers Board will meet on Thursday, June 7<sup>th</sup> Our book discussions will resume in September. at 10:30 AM, in the Temple Library. Join us if you are a Hilltoppers member and you may wish to become involved.

# **Monthly Meeting:**

On Thursday, June 21st at 6:30 PM, we will complete our successful 2011-2012 season with a great deli meal catered by 'Mrs. Marty's Deli & Restaurant' of Lawrence Park and Media. The entertainment will be by Freyda Thomas, who will delight you with her talent and charm. All this for only \$12.00 per person. For more information and reservations, please see the tear sheet in this issue of "The Tidings" or call Serene at 610-356-4047.

# Donations:

Please direct your donations to the Hilltoppers Fund by making checks payable to "Hilltoppers of Temple Sholom" and mailing them to the Temple. Your donations will be listed in "The Temple Tidinas."

# Looking Ahead to Next Season:

Our fall schedule will begin with a Board Meeting on Thursday, September 6<sup>th</sup>, and our next Regular Monthly Meeting will be on Thursday evening. September 13<sup>th</sup>.

# **Book Discussion:**



Cantor Kaplan sings for us.



Always delicious spreads!



New Horizons Senior Glee Club entertained us at last year's Closing Dinner.

# **HILLTOPPERS CLOSING SUPPER &** ENTERTAINMENT

On Thursday, June 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 PM, Hilltoppers and friends will enjoy a deli meal by the Lawrence Park and Media's Mrs. Marty's Deli & Restaurant, followed by an exciting evening of songs and entertainment by Freyda Thomas, playwright, actress and vocalist who has been featured on Broadway, off-Broadway, radio and television.

The cost for the evening is \$12.00 per person. For reservations please send your checks, payable to "Hilltoppers," to Serene Friedman, 53 S. Malin Road, Broomall, PA 19008. Include the number of people, your name and phone number. For any further information call Serene at 610-356-4047.

# FOR CLOSING SUPPER AND ENTERTAINMENT THURSDAY, JUNE 21<sup>ST</sup> AT 6:30 PM

Name(s) & Contact Info:	
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# TS RIDERS

All rides will begin at 2:00 PM, with the exception of the September Schuylkill
River Trail ride and the October all-day Lehigh River
Gorge Trail Ride event. End times are always variable, depending on ride length, number and duration of stops, number of riders, etc.

Schedule for the Year:

June 10<sup>th</sup> - Schuylkill River Trail Ride/ Conshohocken Train Station to Manayunk 2:00 PM start \*Ride Leader - Daniel Endy\*

July 17<sup>th</sup> - Ridley Creek State Park Ride \*Ride Leaders - Robin and Steve Gall\*

August 19<sup>th</sup> - Ridley Creek State Park Ride, yet again! \*Ride Leader - Terry Watson\*

September 9<sup>th</sup> - Oaks, PA southbound on the Schuylkill River Trail \*Ride Leaders - Sharon and Charles Goldman\*

October 14<sup>th</sup> - Poconos/Lehigh River Gorge Trail Ride; White Hall, PA to Jim Thorpe, PA \*Ride Leader - Howard Cylinder\* Lehigh River Gorge Ride will start at 9:00 AM.

~ Howard Cylinder

# MANY MANY THANKS!

To all contributors to *The Temple Tidings*. You help spread the word of our wonderful community by sharing your experiences and thoughts.

A VERY special "Thanks" also to *The Tidings* proofers: Abbey Krain, Sandy Cohen, Becky Krangel, Rabbi Rigler, Cantor Shapiro, Barbara Clarke, Donna Hendel, and Jim Meyer. I really appreciate your eyes, edits, and comments.

~ Elyse

# Women's Spirituality

On Wednesday, June 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM, Rabbi Stacy Rigler will be presenting a thought provoking program to Women's Spirituality from the Torah portion for the week.

- - - And Moses lifts up his hand and with his rod he hits the rock twice - - -

There are many biblical interpretations regarding Moses' actions. At the time, the Israelites were very irritating to Moses. He couldn't take all the irritation. so he let out his anger on the rock. How do we relate to this portion? What does it tell us? What can we learn from it? How do we react to others when we are angry or irritated? Sometimes it is not what we do, but what we say. What are the results or outcome from our anger? How can the lessons to this portion help us with our relations with others and guide us in our own personal spiritual journey? All women of Temple Sholom are welcome to join us as Rabbi Stacy Rigler guides us in finding the answers to these questions and more. Meet with us in the Library on Wednesday, June 27th at 7:30 PM as we explore anger and controlling our tempers.

You are also invited to join us in the Sanctuary for Jewish meditation practice at 6:30 PM. Meditation gives us a chance to use the words and teachings from our Jewish traditions and build on the meaning from them to grow in our spiritual experience. This might be a wonderful opportunity before we explore anger and controlling our tempers, which follows, when we will be meeting in the Library for Women's Spirituality at 7:30 PM.

SPECIAL NOTICE: SUMMER BOOK TO READ!

In conclusion, please put a note on your calendars for our July 25<sup>th</sup> book discussion, on "A SPIRITUAL LIFE: A Jewish Feminist Journey" by Merle Feld. The book can be bought 'used' at amazon.com (remember to use the Amazon link on the Temple Sholom home page when you shop). Don't miss this opportunity to enjoy sharing this Women's Spirituality session as we conclude for the 2011-2012 season.



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A ring of three trees was planted by Elaine and Debbie Samans, Mike and Judith Samans Dunn in memory of Mona Weisman Gerber, beloved mother of Margie Lewis and Family

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Linda Pappas

# BIMAH BASKETS



Festive baskets to decorate the Bimah and benefit Temple Sholom's Religious School and the Life Center for Eastern Delaware County.

Two Bimah baskets are \$150 (\$75 each) and a smaller Oneg Basket is available for the Oneg Table for \$45. Interested in ordering the baskets?

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# TOASTY'S TIDINGS <



Hi everyone! I've had a great first year as the ToaSTY advisor and can't wait to continue to grow the youth group next year.

Here are a few dates to keep in mind:

The North American Federation of Temple Youth-Pennsylvania Area Region (NFTY-PAR) has a great event at the end of the summer at Camp Harlam. Summer Leadership Kallah will be held from August 21-24. For registration information, go to <a href="mailto:nfty.org/par">nfty.org/par</a>. NFTY-PAR's fall Kallah will be held November 16-18, also at Camp Harlam.

If you are interested in being on the ToaSTY board next year, have event ideas, or have general questions, please don't hesitate to email me at toasty@temple-sholom.org.

Thanks and have a great summer!

~ Alyssa Kress, Youth Group Advisor



ToaSTY seniors, Eli Wiener and Jenna Wilson (both ctr) at their last NFTY event, Spring Kallah.

# The Jewish Life and Learning Committee Invites You to Join Us for Shabbat in the Park

Friday, June 15, 2012 at Ridley Creek State Park Pavilion #17- Edgemont Township, Delaware County



5:30 pm Guided Walk in the Park with Pat Rosenblatt 6:00 pm BBQ\* and Oneg Shabbat - \*Catered by Brotherhood 7:00 pm Shabbat Evening Service 



Menu: Hot dogs, burgers (meat and veggie), BBQ chicken, corn, green salad, pasta salad, chips, dessert and drinks.

Bring folding chairs and blankets and insect repellant.



In case of rain, Shabbat in the Park will be held in the Multipurpose Room.

? For more information, contact the Temple Office at 610-356-5165.

Directions: Route 3 (West Chester Pike) to Route 252 South to Gradyville Road. Turn right on Gradyville Road, follow 2 miles to park entrance. Continue .5 miles on Gradyville Road to stop sign. Turn left and follow signs to picnic area #17. OR Enter the park from West Chester Pike across from Ridley Creek Plaza in Edgmont. Follow signs to picnic area 17.



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### Religious School Education Fund

In memory of Morton R. Levy
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In honor of the birth of our granddaughter,
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daughter of Walter & Helena Ciechanowski
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In memory of Herman & Blanche Hoffman Craig & Stephanie Hoffman In memory of Jerry Fastman Cindy Fastman

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# YAHRZEITS IN JUNE ... Z"L

June 1 Harold Bilsky father of Steven Bilsky Israel Chalupowicz father of Diana Gherovici Nettie Greenberger grandmother of Elyse Endy Albert Havwood father of Micah Havwood Benjamin Horowitz father of Jean Shefrin Patrick Noonan friend of Ron & Nancy Hays Kelly Powley

twin sister of Tammy Stone Louis Schechter Hannah Schiff grandmother of Andrew

Shanefield James Singleton grandfather of Elizabeth Shanefield

June 2 Leah Freeman

grandmother of MaryBeth Vanett Betty Grossman

mother of Evalyn Elias Daniel Herrmann step-father of Ellen Rubesin Sadie Wolf

mother of Milton Wolf

June 3 Robert Botel Natalie Gitlitz aunt of Laurie Albert

Reba Goss mother of Cynthia Fastman Adelaide Haywood mother of Micah Haywood Lester Levy

grandfather of Kerith Spencer-Shapiro Stanley London

grandfather of Amy Pasnak Elsie Poch

mother of Richard Poch June 4

Ruth Halpert great aunt of Nancy Hays David Knoblock

June 5 Samuel Braverman father of Marjorie Berke Russell Kean

brother of Herbert Kean David Klein father of Susan Dorfman Charlotte Maimon sister of Dolly Reingold aunt of Sherry Reingold Edith Grant Stein

aunt of Barbara Smilk

Sy Tarshis uncle of Melissa Lowdermilk June 6 Ilse Godfry

June 7 Arlene Borson mother of Andrew Borson

Leah Kleger David Veloric June 8

Lou Dunetz father-in-law of Shirley Chalick

Lena Herr Wendy Beth Lamb daughter of Rochelle Solow

Mary M. Novick mother of Anita Kaufman Nathan Sheinen

father of Ken Sheinen Scott Toren

brother of Jeffrey Toren June 9

Maurice Byck grandfather of Margaret Husick

Patricia Kanter wife of Harvey Soifer Marie Motulski mother-in-law of Lottie Morley June 16

**Fthel Sassler** late wife of Norman Sassler Bessie Yaskin

mother-in-law of Ruth Yaskin June 10 Herbert Max Gladstone father of Julian Gladstone Irving Mark father of Jerald Mark

Meyer Pearlman **Edward Samans** husband of Elaine Samans father of Deborah Samans

Ethel Vill grandmother of Jeffrey Springer

Karyn Appel niece of Arthur Zabell Gertrude Foxman

June 11

aunt of Arthur Rabin June 12

Seymour (Sy) Bassman father of Robin Sylvis Sadie Feldman

great aunt of Laurie Albert Barbara Grass mother of Karen Munin Paul Motulski

father-in-law of Lottie Morley Doris Rosen

grandmother of Beth Cope

Bernard J. Sharf brother of Norma Munin Betty Stern

grandmother of Emily Moody Henry Tintner

father of Eleanor Segal June 14 Henry Bangser father of Carv Scottoline John Frederick Barr father of John Barr Margaret Grossman sister-in-law of Evalyn Elias

Irene Stern grandmother of Howard

Verbofsky June 15 Roslyn Appel aunt of Carol Borloff Harry Barnes grandfather of Michael Kane Rose Berger grandmother of Gerri Sassler

Rose Greenfield aunt of Laurie Albert Lillian Margulies Esther Kaplan Trachtenberg Theodore Wunsh father of Elliot Wunsh

William Bleiman grandfather of Jeffry Bleiman Martin Kaplan father of Elizabeth Scarpa

Pauline Richter aunt of Susan Dorfman Arnold Segal

husband of Eleanor Segal Harry Yankeloff father of Elaine Samans grandfather of Deborah Samans

June 17 Belle Axelrod mother of Jerome Axelrod Max Foxman uncle of Arthur Rabin

Abby Haftel friend of Loraine Bailie friend of Daniel & Elyse Endy Israel Litwin

father of Daniel Litwin Jane Silver Michael Amoroso friend of Staycee Liberatore

June 18 Dorothy Goldman

mother of Charles Goldman Marlene Kleinman Richard Silver June 19

Emanuel M. Gilbert father of Laurie Albert Rose Heisen Levy mother of Shirley Plotkin Clarissa Louis mother of Arlene Goodman

Harry Rubin father-in-law of Carol Rubin Sidney Tarrington

Nettie Zides aunt of Sherry Scherer

June 20

Sidney Hersh uncle of Eileen Wolfson H. William Holender

brother of Dorothy Rodney Samuel Kahn

father of Neal Kahn Ida Kramer

grandmother of Mark Kramer Irvin Sherr

Morton Sork father of Lisa Rosenfeldt

June 21 **Evelyn Buckwalter** mother of David Buckwalter Tilly Granoff mother of Steven Granoff Pearl Kristol

friend of Mary Weiner Nina Miriam Rahn sister of Judith Brenner Sylvia Regar

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Nelson A. Boutilier father of Janice Barnett David Lowdermilk, Sr. father of David Lowdermilk

June 23 Anna Epstein mother of Norman Epstein Matt Jacobson son of Steven & Ilene Berger Meyer Kaufman father of Richard Kaufman Sarah Levin

mother of Larry Levin Leo Reisher uncle of Ira Lester

June 24 Theodore Stone father of Deborah Stone June 25

**Bernard Grant** uncle of Barbara Smilk Mark Landis grandfather of Eric Landis June 26

Frances Lehrman grandmother of Jodi Gilbert

William Lehrman grandfather of Jodi Gilbert Joseph Nydick cousin of Serene Friedman

June 27 Anthony Adams father of Christopher Adams **Emanuel Weiner** 

June 28 Edna Freedman

mother of Reina Robbins

Dorothy Robin sister-in-law of Betty Graboyes

Miriam Rodgers aunt of Ellen Lipschutz

June 29 Jerry Lichtman Muncie Schutzberg Albert Seltzer father of Harriet Bleiman

June 30 Aaron Hollender Charles Mittman Ella Scottoline mother of Gary Scottoline Elsie Sewitch

mother of Arline Lieberman Stanley Shapiro

husband of Ellen Shapiro Doris Mayer

Grandmother of Staycee Liberatore

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# Financial Assistance

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# **General Fund**

To support Temple operations.

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To assist the Hospice Committee in carrying out its support programs.

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An endowment fund in which the interest is used to purchase books and supplies for the library.

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To secure the future of Temple Sholom in Broomall.

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# Preschool Music Fund

Established by the Confirmation Class of 2008 to support Preschool Music Programs.

# Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

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To support programs, special events and materials for education at all levels. Contributions can be earmarked for Women's Spirituality Group studies at the donor's discretion.

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This fund is to be used for the purchase of music to better enhance our Temple's religious services and experiences.

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# Temple Beautiful Fund

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To feed the hungry in our community. Contributions are distributed at the close of each fiscal year to outside charities at the discretion of a special Tzedakah committee.

### Youth Scholarship Fund

To send Temple Sholom Youth Group members to National Federation of Temple Youth (NFTY) sponsored events. Scholarships are awarded based on financial need.

Contributions also may be made directly to the Temple Sholom **Brotherhood**, **Sisterhood or Hilltoppers**.

# June 2012 Sivan/Tammuz 5772

	C	6	16	23	30
Sat	Sivan 12 10:30 AM Bar Mitzvah: Alex Rubinoff  Torah Portion: Naso	Sivan 19 10:30 AM Bat Mitzvah: Dylan Rein  Torah Portion: Behalotecha	Sivan 26 Torah Portion: Shlach	Tammuz 3 10:30 AM Bar Mitzvah: Samuel Brown Torah Portion: Korach	Tammuz 10  Torah Portion: Chukat
Fri	Sivan 11 1 11:30 AM Preschool Shabbat 8 PM Shabbat Service	Sivan 18  11:30 AM Preschool Shabbat 6 PM Tot Shabbat Services 6:30 PM Pottuck Dinner 7:30 PM ToaSTY & Post Con Family Shabbat  Last day of Preschool	Sivan 25 15 5:30 PM Shabbat in the Park Hike 6 PM Shabbat in the Park Service 6:30 PM Potluck Dinner 7:30 PM Family Shabbat Service	Tammuz 2 22 6 PM Board Installation Dinner 8 PM Board Installation Shabbat Services	Tammuz 9 29 8 PM Shabbat Services
Thu		Sivan 17 7 7.30 AM Hilltoppers Board 7:30 PM Sisterhood Board	Sivan 24 14	Tammuz 1 21 7:30 PM Hilltoppers Program 1st Day of Summer	Tammuz 8 28
Wed		Sivan 16 6 9:30 AM Jewish Meditation 10 AM Preschool Graduation 6 PM Town Meeting-Budget 7:30 PM Executive Committee 7:30 PM Sisterhood Book Club	Sivan 23 13 9:30 AM Jewish Meditation 10:30 AM Tanakh Study 4 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class 5 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class 7:30 PM JLL Lecture Series- Comparative Judaism	Sivan 30 20 9:30 AM Jewish Meditation 4 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class 5 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class Rosh Hodesh Tammuz	Tammuz 7 27 9:30 AM Jewish Meditation 12:30 PM - 6:30 PM Red Cross Blood Drive—Be a HERO! 5 PM B'nai Mitzah Class 7:30 PM Women's Spirituality
Tue		Sivan 15 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class	Sivan 22 12 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class	Sivan 29 19	Tammuz 6 26 5:30 PM B'nai Mitzvah Class
Mon	WOW WEEKEND Aug. 3 - 5	Sivan 14 4 10 O M Preschool Havdalah 7:30 PM Scholar-In-Residence Meeting	Sivan 21 11	Sivan 28 18	Tammuz 5 25
Sun		Sivan 13  10 AM Preschool Family Fun Fair 2:30 PM Adoption Group	Sivan 20 10  1 PM Temple Riders 4 PM Calendar Meeting 5 PM Annual Congregational Meeting	Sivan 27 17 Father's Day	Tammuz 4 24

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