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HANUKKAH PRENEG **CELEBRATION December 20 6:00 pm**

LIGHT 1ST CANDLE ON December 22

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26 AT 7 PM

St. Pius X Church LAWRENCE ROAD, BROOMALL

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Hanukkah Blessings

Candles are added to the hanukkiyah (menorah) from right to left but are kindled from left to right. The newest candle is lit first. (On the Shabbat of Hanukkah, kindle the Hanukkah lights first and then the Shabbat candles.)

Light the shamash (the helper candle) first, using it to kindle the rest of the Hanukkah lights. As you do, say or sing:

Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam, asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tsivanu l'hadlik ner shel Hanukkah.

Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of all, who hallows us with mitzvot, commanding us to kindle the Hanukkah lights.

Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam, she-asah nisim laavoteinu v'imoteinu bayamim hahaeim baz'man hazeh.

Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of all, who performed wonderous deeds for our ancestors in days of old at this season.

For first night only:

Baruch atah, Adonai Eloheinu, Melech haolam, shehecheyanu v'kiy'manu v'higianu laz'man hazeh.

Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of all, for giving us life, for sustaining us, and for enabling us to reach this season.

Hanerot Halalu

We kindle these lights because of the wondrous deliverance You performed for our ancestors. During these eight days of Hanukkah, these lights are sacred; we are not to use them but only to behold them, so that their glow may rouse us to give thanks for Your wondrous acts of deliverance.



THOUGHTS FROM RABBI RIGLER



A little boy once returned home from Hebrew school and his father asked, "What did you learn today?" He answered, "The Rabbi told us how Moses led the children of Israel out of Egypt." "How?" questioned the father. "Moses was a big strong man and he beat Pharaoh up. Then while he was down, he got all the people together and ran towards the sea.

When he got there, he had the Corps of Engineers build a huge pontoon bridge. Once they got on the other side, they blew up the bridge while the Egyptians were trying to cross." The father was shocked. "Is that what the Rabbi taught you?" The boy replied, "No. But you'd never believe the story he DID tell us!"

Our stories of miracles seem outlandish and over the top! Perhaps that's the way you feel about the miracle of oil we share on Hanukkah. Rabbi David Hartman taught that the miracle of oil is only a symbol that arouses human faith. When human beings are willing to believe that more is possible than meets the eye, then they will invest in historical projects like the Maccabean Revolt and the Declaration of the Independence of Israel in 1948 even against all odds. Our presupposition that a cruse of oil cannot burn for eight days, that it is a natural impossibility, is only a symbol of the mistaken belief in the historical impossibility of change.

If you don't believe in miracles look at the course of Jewish history. Three thousand years and this small group is still here and still strong. We have watched empires fall around us and countless more who tried to destroy us. Want a miracle? Just celebrate our Jewish history and survival.

For me, the person who summed this up best was David Ben Gurion, the first Prime Minister of the State of Israel. He said: "A Jew who does not believe in miracles is not a realist."

In many ways, the point of the holiday is to see that miracles are possible when we work together to make them possible. Though it's challenging to do in most of our homes, the original intention of the rabbis of the Talmud was that we would place our Chanukiah outside our front doorway or in a large window. This was so that everyone could see the great light shining or as we call it *pirsumei nisa*: "publicizing the miracle." This is a ritual we perform at home; even if we light candles here with our Temple Sholom family or in some other public space, we are still supposed to make sure we have lit them at home, too. Maybe "publicizing the miracle" is not only about sharing the story of the miracle of the oil and the Maccabees with the world, but also about finding a way to share our unique Jewish light.

We hope that you will find a way to share the light of our holiday of Hanukkah. Bring family and friends together or place the light in the window.

B'Shalom, Rabbi Rigler rabbi@temple-sholom.org

TOP 10 REASONS WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR OUR RABBI

(Written by Emily Mendell and Mike Danowitz, delivered by Emily and Dave Mendell on October 25)

Shabbat Shalom! We feel so privileged to be able to offer our gratitude for the last 10 years we have enjoyed with Peter as our Rabbi. Ten feels like a really big number but it doesn't even begin to approach the number of reasons why we are so very thankful for the time we have spent together.

So while we could kvell on and on about the hundreds of reasons why we love Peter, we will restrains ourselves and present to you:

The Top 10 Reasons We Are Grateful for our Rabbi.

- 10. He is a Rabbi AND a foodie who can cite Torah and recommend the best place to score a great piece of salmon.
- 9. He loves and respects our children... even when we are struggling to do so.
- 8. His commitment to social justice has no boundaries, and extends beyond the Jewish people to all people.
- 7. His creativity and growth mindset. Peter is always willing to try new things and take us all along on the ride even if that ride is on a camel.
- 6. Our Rabbi is funny! Whether he is completely deadpanning or breaking into that infectious giggle, you can't help but smile in his presence.
- 5. He gives a great sermon and can somehow teach a new lesson each week from the same story about a poor or hungry or lost man walking along a road and coming to a village.
- 4. Rabbi welcomes everyone on the bima literally. Everyone feels at home here, whether you are a Jew or not, a congregant or not, a God believer or a God wrestler. It is why we thrive and why we are proud to say that Temple Sholom is where we belong.
- 3. We love his family! You know it can be difficult at times when your spouse is always the smart one, the funny one, the Rabbi everyone loves. But Peter handles it really well and we are glad he has a role model to aspire to at home.
- 2. His commitment to our community. He is willing to do what is needed when it is needed to serve as our spiritual leader and our friend. He rarely misses an opportunity to remind us how wonderful it is just to be together.
- 1. And the number 1 reason we are so grateful for Peter is

His love for the band AC/DC?

No...

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NOTES FROM CANTOR JAMIE MARX



Fall is absolutely my favorite season. I love sweater weather and cool breezes. I love driving in the rain and lighting a fire in the fireplace. All of it brings me such joy. (And of course my birthday comes in the Fall.) And this Fall, I'm thrilled to share a few concerts as well.

On November 10 at 3:00 p.m., the Reform Cantors of Philadelphia will be presenting their first concert ever, *Voices of the Jewish Soul*. Featuring ten (!) local Reform cantors, we'll be singing songs from the last 100 years, cantorial classics new and familiar and even a Broadway song or two. We are raising funds for the incredible URJ 6 Points Creative Arts Academy (CAA), a Reform Jewish overnight arts summer camp that is located in West Chester. Tickets are just \$18 and all proceeds go to benefit CAA's scholarship fund. (*See page ??? for concert details.*)

And on Wednesday, December 4 at 7:00 p.m., I'm honored to share the stage at the Colonial Theatre in Phoenixville with two incredibly talented Jewish performing artists: Chana Rothman and Amy Elkins (Mama Mac). The concert is called *Shiru L'Adonai: New Voices of Inspiration* and we'll each be sharing our own original songs in a joyous and energizing show. The event is sponsored by the Kehillah of Chester County and the Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia. You can get tickets through the theatre's website at www.thecolonialtheatre.com.

I hope to see you there! ~ Cantor Jamie Marx cantor@temple-sholom.org

TOP 10 CONTINUED

His ability to schlep congregants of all ages to far away destinations like Nicaragua, Cuba, Israel, and Alabama with a level of good cheer rivaled only by cruise director Julie McCoy?

No...

The fact that he is not only our Rabbi, but also our dear friend?

THAT would be it. And we can't wait for what the next decade brings. *Hazak*, *hazak*, *venit-hazek* - May we continue to move from strength to strength.

CELEBRATING SUKKOT IN YOUR OWN BACK YARD

For the first time this year, we were lucky enough to have four Sukkah Kits available for families to take home. This allowed them to have a sukkah at their home during Sukkot! The only requirement we gave them was that they had to invite other families from Temple Sholom to join them in their sukkah during the holiday and then send us photos. Check out some amazing photos we received from the families! All families said it was a wonderful experience. We are excited to give four families the same opportunity next year during Sukkot. Be on the lookout next year for all of the details or contact me with any questions/book your Sukkah in advance!



We loved using Temple Sholom's portable Sukkah and welcomed families from our congregation and others to join us. Our ToaSTY teens led the shaking of the lulav and etrog! It was wonderful! Emily Mendell



MUMMERS ON THE BIMAH? GOATS IN THE HALL? YUP!

There are moments as a Rabbi, that I stand on the bimah and I wonder what my Orthodox Eastern European Grandfather would think about what I was doing. I am sure that in the shtetl in Romania he never imagined the Mummers marching through his shul on Rosh Hashanah, or any other day of the year!



Who are the Mummers you might ask? If you are not from Philadelphia let me explain. A Mummer is any person involved in the fantasy of song, dance and costume splendor on each January 1st in the annual Philadelphia Mummers New Year's Day parade. This year during the family service at Temple Sholom in Broomall we invited the Aqua String Band to come and surprise our community by marching down the center aisle to help us celebrate the world's birthday.

This is not the only thing my grandfather would wonder about that I have done. Each year for seven years with the assistance of a Temple member who worked on *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*, we have created a comedy video called, "*Hey Rabbi*" to share from the bimah during a High Holy Day family service. Is it heretical? Am I worried about the lightening that may hit me? No, all I can think about is the hundreds of kids scurrying to get closer to see what this year's episode is as they learn about some part of the Holy Days.

These are not the only examples that would have shocked my Eastern European family...costumes (including a whale mascot, so great for the story of Jonah), a large monkey puppet, a massive inflatable globe, camels in our parking lot, live action Pokemon games, cooking displays on the bimah, bees in a sealed hive, a goat in the lobby, puzzle pieces that needed to be returned to form a world.

I never wanted to be the Rabbi for my grandfather but actually, I imagine if my grandfather understood this moment in Jewish time he would be proud that I am trying to find a way to connect, make warm Jewish memories and bring joy back into the sanctuary. I am not sure he would have been any more shocked at the organ or choir than he would be at the Mummers.

I grew up at URJ Camp Harlam and I remember the gate we used to drive past to enter which described Camp as, an institute of living Judaism. That is exactly how I remember my time at camp! Judaism

was engaging, fun and creative. Fire signs at the end of Havdalah over the lake, dancing with hundreds singing Shabbat songs, writing creative Shabbat stories to share with camp, building an ancient temple out of popsicle sticks and much more. That was the Judaism that brought fire to my

soul and helped me to connect with our tradition and people.

I am not the only Rabbi, and we are not the only congregation who are spending time and resources to bring a new life to Jewish ritual and practice. As part of our CCAR (Central Conference of American Rabbis) Facebook conversation, I was so impressed to hear just some of the amazing things congregations are doing across our movement! Communities are taking services to parks, bringing in world class musicians, using Yoga/meditation, telling beautiful stories, sharing engaging and passionate social justice sermons that challenge our communities.

We have many responsibilities as a community to teach Torah, support those in need, and celebrate simchas and so many other things. Creating warm Jewish memories has to be one of the focuses of our work. I want our families to think of our community and smile. If all we do is come into the sanctuary and share a passive service with participants not feeling connected we won't see them back in those seats as part of our communities at all.

Perhaps you think that this type of Judaism is insulting or childish? Why do you need shtick? Yesterday, exhausted from a meaningful High Holy Day season I stood on our deck building a giant booth for Sukkot with my family. We tell an ancient story at Passover with matzah, the shofar shakes us awake during the Yamim Noraim and the candles connect us with the joy of Shabbat. This is who we are; a people of creativity that understands when we engage the senses of our community, we will be most successful!

So as I remember my grandfather and his passion for our tradition, I imagine that while he might be shocked by some of the things that we do, he would also smile knowing that his grandson loves our tradition enough to find ways to make warm and lasting Jewish memories for a community.

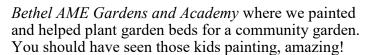
~ Rabbi

YOM TZEDEK: A DAY OF JUSTICE AND COMMUNITY

Our first Yom Tzedek program held on October 13th was an incredible success! We had more than 125 Temple Sholom members of all ages participating! We partnered with the Impact Center, a local organization that helped us identify meaningful connections with local institutions. Our goals were simple: to find meaningful work for diverse ages that we could continue to partner with long after the day was over. We sent participants to many locations including:



The Multicultural Community Family Service center in Upper Darby where we spent time with 25 seniors from Liberia. We share African food and played games together.





St. Barnabas Mission, a transitional shelter for families where we played with their residents and shared a meal.

The Life Center of Delaware County, where participants sat and shared a meal and conversation.

Acting Without Boundaries where we supported actors and staff of differing abilities before a performance later that afternoon. (Some even stayed to see the show.)





The Haverford YMCA where we worked and tended to a community garden that feeds locals in need of fresh food.

We also had four stations here in our building so our youngest students could participate in hands-on projects that will benefit these new partners.

The response to the day has been amazing! People loved volunteering and making connections with our new partners. I also loved hearing how much people enjoyed doing this work as a Temple family! We can't thank all of you enough who participated to help us fulfill a dream and new approach to the work we do! We will see you again for our next *Yom Tzedek* next fall!



DIRECTOR'S CORNER

Dear Friends,



This fall season has been a complete whirlwind for all of us at Temple Sholom. From the High Holy Days to dealing with the Annex Building and planning, organizing and celebrating our wonderful Rabbi's 10th Anniversary Gala events, we have been on the

go morning, noon and night! We can now take a brief moment to pause and reflect.

I am reflecting on how fabulous our community is! We are vibrant and busy and engaged in so many meaningful activities. We embrace all our endeavors completely. And, most importantly each and every effort we put forth is filled with the hard work of countless numbers of volunteers. Whether you volunteer one time a year, a few times throughout, weekly, monthly or even daily, we are grateful to each and every one of you. Temple Sholom would not be the special place that it is without each of you. Thank you for being here for all of us.

November and December bring us the opportunity to show our gratitude to our family, friends and acquaintances as we celebrate Thanksgiving and then Hanukkah. Both months are also filled with wonderful activities, programs and services for all in our Temple community to enjoy.

Please take advantage of all we have to offer that works for you.

If you would like to try something new, would like to participate in an activity or would like to volunteer in any way at all, please reach out to me and let me know.

I look forward to enjoying all that we have to offer in this year with you

~ Warmly *Abbey Krain* director@temple-sholom.org

Bringing our Community Together

I cannot believe we are reaching the close of 2019! I hope you all had a wonderful year filled with all good things. Through the highs and lows and laughter and tears, remember Temple Sholom always has its doors open to you. Whether it be through services, programs, or simchas, we are here!



Join us to celebrate Hanukkah with a wonderful preneg sponsored by Sisterhood and Shabbat Services on Friday, December 20. Check out page 43 for details. Finish out 2019 by doing a mitzvah and donating during our American Red Cross Blood Drive on December 30. Page 44 has all of the details.

Do you have anything to celebrate or someone/ something to honor? Contact me about sponsoring an Oneg, renting out one of our spaces for a celebration, or how we can join you in honoring a loved one at Temple Sholom.

Wishing you all a Happy New Year!

~ Marissa Kimmel community@temple-sholom.org

RELIGIOUS PRACTICES COMMITTEE CONTINUES IMPORTANT WORK

The Religious Practices Committee (RPC) has been meeting on a semi-regular basis to discuss and make recommendations on such issues as a recap of recent High Holy Days, a Holocaust Torah for Temple Sholom in Broomall, Jewish holiday observances, and more.

This is an active committee helping to determine and make ritual decisions, meeting alongside Rabbi Rigler and Cantor Marx.

If you would like to join the RPC, or believe you have issues that should be discussed, please contact Donna Hendel at DonnaHendel@gmail.com. All suggestions are reviewed and taken under consideration.

THINKING ABOUT JOY

Editor's Note: On Yom Kippur morning, Temple President, Laurie Browngoehl stood on our bimah and talked about Joy. I was so moved that I asked her to let me share her words with you. e.

On this day of awe at our wonderful community here at Temple Sholom, my words to you are about joy. My mother's name was Joy. She loved her name. We all loved her name. What's not to love about a name like Joy! The emotion of joy is more than happiness, more than contentment. Joy is exuberant positive feeling that bubbles deep from within.

Since my mother passed away last year, my father has had poor health and is getting confused. He often thinks my mother is with him-physically with him. It's odd, but my husband, my sisters and our children have gotten used to him saying... But where is mom? Where is Joy? She was just here.

But often, he thinks very clearly. He goes to services at the assisted care facility where he lives and although he often gets daytime and nighttime mixed up, he knows when the Jewish holidays are. And he loves that I am president of Temple Sholom and doesn't forget that! So a few weeks ago, it was S'lichot; he asked me how was I preparing for the holidays as president and what was I going to talk about this year. I told him I wasn't sure yet.

My father had just told me that my mother was with him at the movies and that he was upset the staff didn't count her as they were getting on the bus. And then he suggested, "Why don't you talk about Joy?" I was a bit taken back but I smiled and said, "What a wonderful idea dad. I could talk about mom."

He said, "Talk about joyousness. How important it is to be joyful even when life has such remarkable difficulties." (Remarkable difficulties were his exact words and he has certainly had a lot of those this past year.)

And I thought to myself (but didn't say this to him) - we lost my mother just last year in October and it does seem fitting to talk about joy - the emotion of joy. And then I thought a bit more and realized October 9th would be Yom Kippur when I would be sharing my words with you and October 9th is my mother's first yahrtzeit. And, realizing this, I felt a tremendous sense of awe. How fitting on this particular day to talk about joy - a fitting emotion for the beginning of a new year.

Judaism is full of joy.

When our people crossed the sea, when we entered the Promised Land, when we gave sacrifices, all was done with dancing and singing and joy.

And there is so much Joy right here at Temple Sholom.

Hearing the voices of the preschoolers as they sing at Tot Shabbat with Cantor.

Watching the *Rimon* students happily engaged and learning and growing.

Socializing with other congregants and working together to repair the world.

Celebrating Rabbi's spectacular ten years with us at our special Shabbat, our Gala, and throughout this year.

So much joy!

"But dad," I said, "how do you think it's best to keep joy within us when the remarkable difficulties come?" "Two things, Laurie," he said.

"First, the way to handle the difficulties is to not let them overwhelm you. And second and this is the most important (and he looked at me closely) you have to keep giving joy to others."

My father said this to me. My father who is very close to being transferred to the Memory Care Unit because he is confused and because he keeps telling the staff he sees his wife Joy.

My father does see JOY. For him, Joy is his wife, his family, and his friends. Joy is the love that goes from generation to generation and from one person to another. Joy is loving life even life with its remarkable difficulties.

The capacity for joy is what gives the Jewish people and each one of us the strength to go on. We see this in the story of our people in the Hebrew Scriptures, and we see this in the tragedies that make parts of our history, and in the happenings of today as Rabbi Rigler shared with us last night. We endure. We are strong. We have such capacity for survival and joy.

What a gift God has given us. This gift of joy.

And so on this day of Yom Kippur, this day of awe, be filled with awe. Be filled with joy. This new year let us see the world through a lens of joy remembering that the most important thing about joy is to share it with others.

On behalf of the Board of Temple Sholom and with much joy and a heart full of awe, I wish you all a Shana Tova.

~ Address given by Temple President, Laurie Browngoehl Yom Kippur - October 9

We Stepped Up ... We Stepped Out ... We Celebrated! And now we can retire the mortgage!

I woke up this morning with a start – there was so much to do, so many moving parts still to align. But then I sat back and a smile spread across my face as reality sank in: we just concluded the most remarkable weekend imaginable for the Temple Sholom community. After years of dreaming and nearly 18 months of planning, we came together and exceeded our wildest expectations: by all accounts, Step Up, Step Out and Celebrate was a huge success. This weekend-long series of events both recognized the 10th anniversary of the investiture of Rabbi Peter Rigler as our spiritual leader and raised much-needed funds to ensure the fiscal future of Temple Sholom.

Following an elegantly catered Shabbat dinner for 110 congregants, family, and friends, Cantor Jamie Marx and Rabbi Stacy Rigler co-led a worship service that honored Rabbi Peter Rigler and inspired all in attendance. With special appearances by religious and lay leaders from throughout Temple Sholom's history, the congregation came together in prayer, collegiality, and more than a little good humor. The evening concluded with an Oneg for the ages as Juliann Jaffe's handmade delicacies delighted one and all.

But the weekend had only just begun! As Sunday morning's torrential downpour ended and the sun shone brightly on the grounds around the Liseter Carriage House, the celebrating and fundraising continued with a breezy afternoon cocktail party. Then came the big event: 250 of us filled the auditorium at the Uptown! Knauer Performing Arts Center to hear the side-splitting political satire of the alwayspopular *Capitol Steps* and then concluded the evening and the weekend with Shannon Farmer's heavenly homemade desserts.

But more than the events themselves, what has been most impressive, most satisfying and encouraging, has been the enormous outpouring of support our fundraising effort elicited. We had set an ambitious goal to raise \$250,000 so that we could retire our principle mortgage and save approximately \$45,000 in principal and interest payments each year. It sounded like a pipe dream at first; but then the Annex flooded and we knew we needed to raise even MORE money fast or risk losing the critical space that building provides. Undaunted, our fearless fundraisers redoubled their efforts and, as of this writing, we have raised approximately \$330,000.

But we still need your help. As you know, we have a matching contribution of \$100,000 from an anonymous congregant. At this writing, we are still a bit short of that challenge and still short of the funds necessary to restore the Annex. Please, especially those who might not have

financially participated previously, this is a great opportunity to help put us over the top. No donation is too big or too small and is very much appreciated.

The weekend was fueled by the love and hard work of many individuals.

I want to extend my heartfelt appreciation to the Gala Committee members who gave so much of their time and talent: Nancy Bloomfield, Laurie Browngoehl, Mike Danowitz, Evalyn Elias, Elyse & Daniel Endy, Melissa Fein, Susan Friedman, Mary Ann Gould, Bev Granoff, Nany Hays, Henry and Juliann Jaffe, Marissa Kimmel, Abbey Krain, Lisa Lacianca, Emily Mendell, Jim & Cindy Meyer, Mollie Plotkin, Lisa Pottinger, Carol Rubin, Andi Stern, Robin Bender Stevens, and Terri Watson.

I want to thank Peter Rigler for 10 fantastic years as our spiritual leader and for always believing in this effort.

And I want to thank you – our family and friends – for your generosity and commitment to keeping the everlasting light of Temple Sholom lit for years and years to come.

B'Shalom, Steve L. Granoff, CPA Chair, Gala Committee



The Celebration Tallit (created by Deb Kirsch)

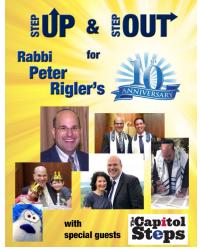
The Temple Sholom Family gathered together to celebrate Rabbi Peter Rigler's 10th Anniversary. The Celebration Tallit was created for the Anniversary and future life affirming celebrations, including baby naming, bar/bat mitzvah, aufruf. It can be wrapped around celebrants and their families during these occasions.

According to the Kabbalist, the tallit is a special garment for the service of God. The tzitzit (fringes) remind the celebrant to do mitzvot and the tree of life represents the connection with one's family and ancestors. With every celebration we must remember who we are, where we came from and what we must do. Each celebration will be embroidered on the tallit with hopes to cover the entire tallit with joy.

The Tribute Book

To help us raise the funds to retire the mortgage and to repair the Annex, a Tribute Book was created to celebrate this wonderful anniversary.

As always, it takes a village to create something so special and meaningful. Many thanks to this amazing team who, in 4 weeks, put the 48 page (!)



tribute book together. Special shout-outs to Daniel Endy for creating the beautiful cover; to Juliann Jaffe who created the two page center fold as well as many of the tribute ad messages; and to Melissa Fein, Marissa Kimmel and Abbey Krain for keeping things on track. Without the help of these wonderful people, I would not have been able to keep my promise to Rabbi to have this tribute done by October 25. ~ *Elyse Endy*, book editor/publisher

THE MANY FACES OF TEMPLE SHOLOM

































Sisterhood Sings Out to All Temple Sholom Women

Hmmm...what does that headline mean? It's because Sisterhood women choir members will be leading others in song at the upcoming Sisterhood Welcome Dinner on November 7. We can't wait to sing along to the selections they have chosen, and if by chance we don't know the lyrics, they will be shown on the large TV screen set up in the Multipurpose Room. Reservations are due by October 30th, although you may pay your membership dues at the door during registration at 5:30 p.m. This evening will also be celebrating Sisterhood's Gift Garden. (Rumor has it that "runway models" will be exhibiting the beautiful jewelry available in *The Gift Garden!*) Our gift shop is run under the very capable hands of Manager Linda Phillips.

And, there's more! Of course, there's no charge for the Sisterhood Welcome Dinner for members and first -year Temple Sholom women, but since we're partnering with HIAS-PA for the month of November, will you kindly bring in one to two of the following items: dish detergent, all-purpose cleaners (no bleach), your own favorites, as well. There's a big football brooms, dust pans, laundry detergent (no bleach), sponges, trash bags (plastic, 4 gallon or larger), wastebasket, or Target gift cards.

Sisterhood is also proud to be partnering this winter with the *Life Care Center*. They have asked us to donate new, adult twin blankets, new, adult gloves and/or new, adult warm hats. [Please bring them to the Lee and David John on Thursday, November 14 at Sisterhood Welcome Dinner on November 7 OR bring 7:30 p.m. in the Temple library. If you want, you your item(s) to the Temple in care of Michele Cooperstein before December 1st.

Sisterhood is also working on building a relationship with a group of Liberian women living locally in Delaware County who create and sell special candy gift creations. We're hoping to have some samples available for sale at the Sisterhood Welcome Dinner. We will keep you posted on this.

Yes, we have many plans for Sisterhood this year, but we can also always use more committee people to make our programs a reality. Please volunteer for a committee to help us make successes of all our plans.

A wonderful way to make new friends and cement former friendships is to become involved and serve on a Sisterhood committee. We'd love to include you as part of Sisterhood's planning process. No experience is necessary, of course, because all our committees are

comprised of women who have served before, as well as those who might be new to Sisterhood organizing.

Once again, we owe great thanks to Elyse & Daniel Endy for spearheading Sisterhood's annual Shana Tova greetings fundraiser. How do they do it? Sisterhood has profited greatly once again due to their efforts, and has even increased participation and profits over last year's record-breaking year. More than \$6,700 was raised this year, with 445 people from our congregation participating. Absolutely incredible!

Soon after Sisterhood's Welcome Dinner is another event that is turning into an annual program, too. Please join us for Game Night! Come on out on Sunday evening, November 17 at 7:00 p.m. Let us know if you are interested in Mah Jongg or Bridge and we will try to set up a game. If not, we'll have plenty of other board games available for you in Classroom 1 & 2, and you can bring along some of game that night, and Brotherhood will be showing it in the Multipurpose Room. Maybe we can keep sneaking over there to check out the score. We'll be serving refreshments, too!

We're all looking forward to Sisterhood Book Club's meeting for The Girl with Seven Names, by Hyeonseo could start reading ahead with Feast Your Eyes, by Myla Goldberg for January 9, 2020. Sisterhood Book Club will discuss this first. Two copies of every selection, purchased for your reading enjoyment by the Sisterhood are in the Temple library.

And, speaking of Sisterhood Book Club, Sisterhood is partnering this year with the Book Club to welcome renowned author Myla Goldberg to Temple Sholom as part of the National Jewish Book Council program. We will open up this Educational Event to the entire congregation on Saturday evening, January 18, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. Goldberg will be discussing her new book, Feast Your Eyes.

Were you one of the lucky people who attended last year's Sisterhood Hanukkah Pre-Neg? We're repeating that special celebration this year on Friday evening, December 20 at 6:00 p.m., prior to Shabbat

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Hanukkah services. Save up your appetites for soufganiot (jelly donuts) and latkes (potato pancakes),

lovingly prepared and served by your Sisterhood. Your choice of applesauce or sour cream will both be available for the latkes.

We have several other programs in the works as well, including a follow up to last year's Challah Baking with Chabad. On April 26, 2020, at 7:00 p.m., we'll be participating in another Cooking with Chabad event. Rugulach, anyone?

Stay tuned to a congregation-wide speaker event, sponsored by Sisterhood, on a timely update on all things LGBTQ. We are also planning a trip to Kilwin's Chocolate and Sweet Shop in Ardmore for an evening of creating our own Chocolate (and other customized) Bark. Yum...can't wait!

Be sure to take advantage of our wonderful Happiness and Memorial greeting card program, or purchase a Jewish National Fund tree. These are ways to reach out to congratulate somebody, or to mark a lifestyle event. Contact Shirley Birenbaum at surabassa@aol.com or call her at 610-328-2171. Sisterhood members may purchase these cards or trees at discounted, competitive rates that include postage and addressing.

Sisterhood's gift shop, *The Gift Garden*, is located across from the Temple Office. It is open throughout the school year with regular hours listed on the door, or by special appointment. Your gift needs can always be met! For examples of merchandise, go to the Temple Sholom website, then Community, then Gift Shop. Sisterhood members are entitled to a nice discount on all Gift Garden inventory.

Do you have any questions or concerns? Are you ready to sign up for a committee? Direct your correspondence to sisterhood@temple-sholom.org. Your response will arrive shortly.

REMEMBER, OUR SISTERHOOD IS YOUR SISTERHOOD. WITHOUT YOU, WE ARE ONE WOMAN SHORT.





Sisterhood Shana Tova Fundraiser Update

Many thanks to everyone who
participated in Sisterhood's 17th annual
Shana Tova Card Fundraiser!
We raised almost \$6800
We had 87 families send their greetings
(10 more than last year)
27 chose to send to the entire
congregation (4 more than last year)!
35 chose the forget-me-not option
(5 more than last year)
This was our best and most successful
year yet!

CALLING ALL PARENTS OF TEMPLE SHOLOM COLLEGE AND POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION PROGRAM STUDENTS



Sisterhood enjoys keeping in touch with our wonderful young members by sending them small gifts at Hanukkah.

You can help by sending Evalyn Elias your child's (children's) address and email for the 2019-2020 school year.

Please send to:

twosons4mom@comcast.net
(or drop off the address when you're
at the Temple next)

Looking forward to hearing from you. Sending you a warm 'thank you' in advance.

What Is a Hilltopper?

What is a "Hilltopper?" Board members have been grappling with this question for quite some time. Here is what we've come up with ... and we'd love your input to our question, if you'll take a few moments.

The Hilltoppers auxiliary invites all to attend, whether you are a Temple Sholom member or not. People can attend individual events (for a nominal fee at the door) or join as a member to take full advantage of all that Hilltoppers offers for just \$20 per year.

We believe Hilltoppers is the most progressive group at Temple Sholom. We don't base ourselves on our pasts, but rather focus entirely on our futures. Our programs reflect this aggressively-forward attitude because our events feature lectures, art, music, and more.

Our only "limitation" on membership is a positive attitude. A Hilltopper can be both old and young, working or retired, as long as he or she is willing to examine the world and all its aspects at a measured pace.

The Hilltoppers mission is to present programs that educate or elevate, including book discussions that enlighten and expand our perspectives. Through our programs, Hilltoppers reaches out both through Temple Sholom and beyond to welcome people of all

ages and genders to share and add to our mutual enjoyment.

That's who Hilltoppers are. How can you resist us?

More than 30 people recently joined us for our first highly successful event, featuring famed musician Ken Ulansey with worldrenowned vocalist and guitarist

Phyllis Chappell. We were treated to "Fabulous Klezmer Music and Beyond," and oh, what a program it was! We sang along at times and even danced, and then enjoyed delicious refreshments.

Be sure to attend our upcoming program on Thursday evening, November 21 at 7:30 p.m., when we will welcome Lena Romanoff. She will enlighten us on *Jewish Superstitions and the Evil Eye*. Of course, we promise you delicious refreshments.

Our first program of the new year will be on January 16 at 1:30 p.m. will be a "first" for our Hilltoppers.

We will be welcoming Temple Sholom member and film enthusiast Steve Singer to lead us in a program of "An Afternoon at the Cinema." Bring your own lunch, and watch a special movie with professional discussion to follow.

Our Book Discussion Group is enjoying a loyal following, thanks to facilitators who definitely do their preparation to lead us in lively discussions. Our November 14 selection is *The Last Watchman of Old Cairo*, by Michael David Lucas. This is the 2019 One Book-One Jewish Philadelphia selection. And, keep reading, because the December 12 book is *Where the Crawdads Sing*, by Delia Owens. The Book Discussion Group meets in the Temple library at 1:30 p.m.

Please feel free to join us for our monthly board meetings. We welcome everyone to have a say in our auxiliary's doings. We will be meeting in the Temple library on November 7 at 10:45 a.m., and December 5 at 10:30 a.m.

It's not too late to sign up for Hilltoppers membership. This will guarantee you regular email reminders of upcoming Hilltoppers events. Please write your \$20 check payable to the Hilltoppers of Temple Sholom. Also, remember to invite your friends and neighbors to

our programs. All our events are open to the public for just a \$5 donation per program.

If you have any questions about Hilltoppers, just check in with the Hilltoppers President, Cindy Meyer, at cfrogs@aol.com.

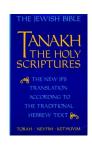


TANAKH SCHEDULE

Most Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. at the Temple

Facilitated by Rabbi Rigler Open to members, guests, non-Jewish friends, Atheists; basically ANYONE!

*no previous knowledge necessary



HIT THE CINEMA; DINE LIKE A ROMAN OR BOTH WITH CULTURE CLUB

Autumn is in the air and Culture Club is busy planning social activities for the months ahead. Here are two that we hope you will place on your calendar:

Lights, Cameras, Culture Club on November 10!

Join us for a Night at the Jewish Film Festival Sunday, November 10, 7:00 p.m. Bryn Mawr Film Institute 824 Lancaster Ave, Bryn Mawr, PA 19010

THE FILM: The Local Premiere of Crescendo

Can Israeli and Palestinian students put their difference aside to play music together in a youth orchestra? Is music really powerful enough to pierce through years of caustic political discourse and the real-life suffering experienced by both sides of the conflict? Let's find out!

Tickets are \$15 at the door or \$10 at with the discount code *BroomaLLShoLOM#TWR2019* if you purchase ahead at: https://pjff.org/crescendo/

RSVP to Leza at 215-808-3513 or leza@comsolutionsgroup.com

Roman-Jewish Dining at Tiramisu-Berwyn on December 7

The Jewish community has existed in Rome for over 2000 years without interruption. The unique flavors of Roman Jewish food developed between 1500's and 1800's when the Jews were confined to the ghetto. Join Culture Club for dinner at Tiramisu- Berwyn (720 Lancaster Ave, Berwyn) as we learn about the history and the cuisine that combines Jewish and Roman culture into a recipe for dining success!

Space is limited so please RSVP by November 21 to Leza at leza@comsolutionsgroup.com or 215-808-3513.

Have great ideas for Culture Club? Your Committee Chairs want to hear them! Email us at our contact info below:

Grace Gherovici - <u>lagacorreo@hotmail.com</u> Leza Raffel - <u>leza@comsolutionsgroup.com</u> Penny Toren- <u>pennytoren@gmail.com</u>

LIBRARY TIDINGS

We have a lot to be thankful for at Temple Sholom. In particular, we are grateful for your generous contributions to the Howard Weiner Library Fund. Donations to this fund enable Temple Sholom members and teachers to access current informational materials by Jewish authors or containing Jewish content. Your donations are essential to purchase new books, newspapers, book covers, labels, and library supplies. Think of the Temple Sholom library when honoring or memorializing a person or event.

We are thankful for our loyal volunteer corps that continues to meet every Tuesday and Sunday morning to process books by Jewish authors or containing Jewish content. Our library thrives through their devoted efforts. Contact Mary Ann Gould if you are interested in joining us.

Most of all we are grateful to you, our readers of the books.

B'Shalom, Mary Ann Gould, Librarian and Immediate Past President

THANKS FOR THE BOOKS! TS LIBRARY DONATES TO TEMPLE KOL AMI

Dear Temple Sholom of Broomall,

On behalf of Temple Kol Ami in Fort Mill, South Carolina, I would like to thank you for the generous donation of children's books. As a young congregation (we are turning 10!!) this donation is allowing us to continue growing our library, directly impacting the children of our congregation. Temple Kol Ami was founded in 2010 and since our inception we have been committed to providing a Jewish home in York County, South Carolina for our members and all members of the Jewish community.

We have been privileged to have come in contact with the Endy family when Greg, Ashley, and Mia joined our congregation. The connection between our two congregations is something that is becoming very special to us. Elyse Endy has been a guiding light to me as one of our leaders and she quickly recognized something special in our congregation.

We cannot thank you enough for sharing these books with us and allowing us to continue growing our congregation's library. Please know that if you are ever visiting our beautiful state, we welcome you to join us for a service! I am looking forward to being able to continue growing our friendship with Temple Sholom of Broomall.

Fondly, *Bonnie Shaw* President Emeritus, Temple Kol Ami



We meet on Sunday mornings 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. during Religious school hours so you can join us after you drop off your kids at *Rimon*.

Sunday, November 3 - Spirituality and Politics

The pendulum that we call politics seems to be swinging to the insular and the authoritarian in many significant countries over the last few decades. The world is going through a significant shift. What do our Jewish traditions have to say about this? Are we repeating the past or is this different? How do the teachings of the Torah apply to the political shifts in the world today? We hope you will join us to discuss these issues.

Sunday, December 8 - Spirituality and Gun Control

It's a perennial question in human society - how much protection is the "right" amount? In our country today, the divide between those who believe guns are the answer and those who believe guns are the problem has grown much wider and more polarized. The availability and quantity of guns distributed across society is greater than at any other time in history. What might our traditions and the Torah have to say that may help us navigate this difficult issue? Please join us to discuss this issue.

~ Daniel Endy daniel.endy@gmail.com

INVITATIONS FOR ALL OCCASIONS!

Bar/Bat Mitzvah

Wedding

Newborn Announcements

Stationery

Save the Date

Contact Nancy at 610-417-5918 or <u>haz@comcast.net</u> for more information

CHAIMEN



The Chaimen is Temple Sholom's softball team playing in the Main Line Men's Softball League. We've had many members of the Temple play with us over the years, and we are always looking for more players. If the softball bug HITS and you are interested in playing on Sunday mornings in a fun and competitive league, please contact me, at larkimseg@gmail.com or 215-694-3431.

The Manager, Larry Segal

Brotherhood's 2nd Annual Tailgate Party!

Join us for the 2nd Annual Temple Tailgate Party! - Sunday, November 17th - starting at 3:00 p.m. to tailgate and watch the Eagles take on the Patriots! Featuring a live pre- and post- game broadcast of the Eagles Talk Live podcast. See page 37 for details.

The Temple Brotherhood is looking for members to join us as we continue to rebuild and expand our activities at Temple Sholom! If you are interested, please be sure to send in your member registration to the Temple. If you have any questions or need a new enrollment form, please contact Dave Mendell at: brotherhood@temple-sholom.org.

~ Dave Mendell, Brotherhood President



CELEBRATING JEWISH DISABILITIES AWARENESS & INCLUSION MONTH

Each February, Jewish organizations and synagogues host presentations and programs in celebration of Jewish Disabilities Awareness and Inclusion Month (JDAIM). As always, the Jewish community is a leader in the community of special needs and inclusion issues. Temple Sholom continues to take an active role in the Jewish Special Needs Consortium of Greater Philadelphia, in partnership with Jewish Learning Venture, meeting monthly with representatives of synagogues, schools, and other organizations which serve the Jewish community. Regina Levin, the chair of the Inclusion and Special Needs Committee here at Temple Sholom, enjoys learning about the achievements of other Jewish organizations as well as sharing the efforts of Temple Sholom to be an inclusive community.

Temple Sholom is delighted to welcome Dr. Mark Salzer on February 7, 2020 for our annual JDAIM Shabbat service. Dr. Salzer will be speaking about the inclusion, welcoming, and embracing of individuals with mental illness.

Visual Tiffilah will also be part of the service on February 7th. Check announcements for other Shabbat services featuring Visual Tiffilah. Please remember, if you need assistance with accommodations for special needs for yourself, a family member, or a guest, please contact either Abbey Krain, Executive Director or Regina Levin at inclusion@temple-sholom.org or call her 610-715-1745.



To: Linda Hershman on her new book Gray Divorce: A Guide for Professionals Working with Late-life Breakups

To: Mark & Natalene Kramer on the birth of their grandson, Landon Louis Kramer

To: John & Marilyn Ioannidis on the birth of their son, Eli Jackson Ioannidis

To: Scott & Mary Ann Goud on the marriage of Samuel & Lauren Gould

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: director@temple-sholom.org.

SISTERHOOD BOOK CLUB

Sisterhood Book Club is all set up for the coming year. Thanks to those of you that offered suggestions! Here's what we have to look forward to:

November 14

The Girl With Seven Names by Hyeonseo Lee with David John
January 9

Feast Your Eyes by Myla Goldberg ****

March 12

The Last Jew by Noah Gordon

May 14

Another Time by Jillian Cantor

*** Sisterhood Book Club is joining with Sisterhood to welcome Myla Goldberg to Temple Sholom on Saturday January 18th at 7:00 p.m. It will be exciting to meet this author in person after having read her book. Some of you may be familiar with this author if you read *The Bee Season*. More details to follow!!!!

We will continue to meet at Temple Sholom at 7:30 p.m. in the library.

Please let me know if you would like to lead the discussion on any of the above evenings. New readers are always welcome so pass the word! Excited for another good year!

~ Michelle Cooperstein <u>teachercoop@aol.com</u>

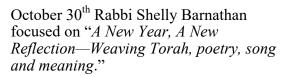
Women's Spirituality

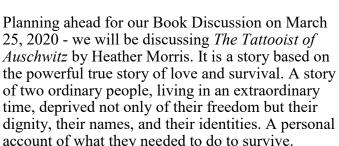
As the seasons change, please join Women's Spirituality on Wednesday, November 20th at 7:30 pm when Rabbi Tsurah August will be presenting her program "Moving Witness." The program is a body-centered mindfulness practice which includes movement, working in pairs, journaling and sharing with a closing ritual. Don't miss this opportunity of coming together with Rabbi Tsurah August as we welcome her to Temple Sholom in Broomall.

"Can a Husband Die from Disappointing His Wife? The Talmud tells us, "Yes!"

Rabbi Leah Berkowitz will be returning to Women's Spirituality on December 18th. Join us to explore a series of stories about how the rabbis tried to balance their devotion to Torah with their obligations to their families, and what happened when, often, they failed. What can the rabbis teach us about navigating the competing responsibilities in our own lives?

Reviewing our first two months together we met with Lori Green on September 25th when she presented "Moments of Change-An Epic Journey" — When we explored how our lives mirrored that of our ancestors by integrating our past, our present, and our future.





Please remember to mark your calendars for November 20th 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. for Rabbi Tsurah August's program *Moving Witness* and December 18th for Rabbi Leah Berkowitz's program "Can a Husband Die from Disappointing His Wife? The Talmud tells us Yes!"

In closing, we would like to say goodbye to our dear friend Gloria Kresch. All of us wish her the best in her move to California. She has been an integral part of Women's Spirituality since the very beginning - 30 years ago. We thank her and appreciate all her contributions and support for everything she brought to our group. We will miss you Gloria.

NOVEMBER & DECEMBER ONEG SPONSORS

November 1

The Richardson/Handwerger Family in honor of Alexander's Bar Mitzvah

November 8:

The Getz Family in honor of Elizabeth's Bat Mitzvah

November 16

The Garnett Family in honor of Miranda's Bat Mitzvah

November 22

The Frantz Family in honor of Arianna's Bat Mitzvah

December 6

The Rigler Family in honor of Nathan's Bar Mitzvah

December 21

The Moua Family in honor of Zachary's Bar Mitzyah

Celebrating a Simcha?

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.

A day in the life of **Temple Sholom Preschool**



Some of the Early Care Crew waiting for the start of the day.





OUTDOOR PLAY ON SUNNY DAYS! From the babies to the pre-K everyone loves the outside.





Art is part of every day. Coloring and painting help cognitive, fine motor, social & emotional development.









Story time is a special part of every day. We love to read books with our friends, promoting friendship and literacy.



Developing life-long friendships is one of the cornerstones of Preschool.



gross motor play makes for a fun hay day!

Combining science and An interest in cooking creates a strong foundation in science and math.





Hot Lunch is a favorite part of school for many students.

NAP TIME

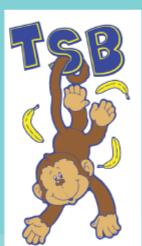


The Etta Natalie Rosenblatt Preschool At Temple Sholom in Broomall



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We Can't Wait to Meet You!

Contact: Lori-An Penchansky, Director 610-886-2065 preschool@temple-sholom.org





A Snapshot of Engagement!

When talking with parents about what they want for their child(ren) at *Rimon* the most common answers are: "I want my child to make Jewish friends" "I

want my child to feel good about being Jewish" "I want my child to enjoy going to Sunday/Hebrew school"

At *Rimon* the focus is learner-centered with the aim of achieving the very things that parents want for their children. Through compelling, project-based learning and noticing each and every learner we strive to engage, challenge, and provide the fertile roots for building friendships and community. Our faculty members are knowledgeable, deeply committed and passionate about what they do.

During my years as Education Director at Temple Sholom I cannot remember a busier and more exciting Fall! Engagement, friendship, and learning are everywhere! With two hundred and ten students and still growing, *Rimon* is the place for active learning, deep questions, and even deeper understandings.

Below is a small "snapshot" of the some of the highlights:

Rimon Sundays

Bonim (Kindergarten and 1st graders) not only learned about Noah and the Jewish value – *Tzaar Ba'alei Hayim* (ethical treatment and caring for animals), they took their learning one step further by visiting Elmwood Park Zoo. While there they learned how the animals are taken care of and were able to ask questions of the zoo staff.

Rimon Hebrew

From our youngest learners through Bar/Bat Mitzvah studies, all of our children engage in fun, meaningful Hebrew instruction that focuses not only on proficiency my meaning-making as well.



Rimon Noar



7th gr. teens are digging deep into Human Behavior and the Holocaust with interactive lessons that stretch their understanding of what it means to be singled out as a people.

8th gr. teens are wrestling with many sides of the Israeli/Palestinian conflict. They are coming to understand that multiple narratives create a divide that is difficult to close. Our teens are taking their learning and questions home to continue the conversation with their families!

JLF (Jewish Leadership Fellowship)

9th – 12th gr. have been embarking of a journey of encountering civil rights, Jewish values, and more as Temple Sholom and the Impact Center have joined together for this unique and impactful partnership. We are looking forward to traveling with 34 of our teens to the Deep South on a Civil Rights journey over President's weekend. They are truly hearing the mandate from our tradition, "Do justice, love chesed (kindness), and walk humbly with your God." (Micah 6:8)

~ Lori Green, Director of Education educator@temple-sholom.org

Mark Your Calendars....

Sundays (November 3, 10, 17 from 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)

Join with Anna Marx in exploring *Embracing*Chaos and Cultivating Presence in Your Family

Life

Friday, November 15 Kristallnacht Service and Dedication of our Butterfly Wall

Sunday, November 24 NO SUNDAY – Regional Teachers' Conference

Sunday, December 1 NO SUNDAY *RIMON* – Thanksgiving Break!

Friday, December 13 6th gr. *Gesherim* Leads Shabbat Worship

Sunday, December 22 – Tuesday, December 31 NO *RIMON* CLASSES – Winter Break!

B'NAI MITZVAH



Alexander Ryan Richardson, son of Beth Handwerger and Michael Richardson, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, November 2nd. Joining him on this special day will be his sister Julia, brother Zachary and grandparents Nancy & Jay

Handwerger. Relatives and friends will be attending from Pennsylvania, New York, Texas, California, Maine, Massachusetts, Ohio, Delaware, New Hampshire and West Virginia.

Alex is in 7th grade at Radnor Middle School. He plays travel basketball and travel lacrosse. He has been studying music since the age of 5, starting with the piano and then moving to the acoustic guitar and the electric guitar. He enjoys playing and singing classic rock and contemporary songs. Alex says, "Playing music is relaxing and fun." He enjoys travel, having recently gone to England and Ireland. In his free time, he enjoys spending time with his friends, family and his cats, Toby and Bruno.

For Alex's Bar Mitzvah project, he became a coach in the Radnor Champions League. The Radnor Champions league teaches basketball and soccer to children of all ages who have special needs. He continues to coach with them whenever he has time. He enjoys teaching others the sports he loves. After he volunteers, he has a smile on his face the rest of the day. Alex says, "Coaching the Champions is a fun experience and makes everyone feel great."

We are proud and very excited to share this special day with Alex!

Lizzie Getz, daughter of Charles & Samantha Getz, will have her bat mitzvah on November 9th. Her brother, Jack, and her sister, Audrey, will be there, as well as both sets of grandparents (from New Jersey), aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. One uncle will be traveling from



Washington, D.C., great uncles will be coming from Nashville and Florida, and an aunt will be flying in from Denver, Colorado. A group of Lizzie's friends from Camp Harlam will also be joining us to celebrate. Lizzie is currently a 7th grade student at Paxon Hollow Middle School in Broomall. She likes playing sports (field hockey, basketball, and lacrosse), cleaning and organizing her room, making videos, hanging out with her friends, and teaching her dog, Bruno, new tricks.

For her mitzvah project, she visited Manna with other Temple Sholom students where they packaged meals for people with serious illnesses. She also participated in a mitzvah meal at the Life Center in Philadelphia where she helped to serve a barbecue meal of hot dogs, chicken, salad, and watermelon to approximately 150 people in need.

We love our Lizzie and are very proud of her!

Arianna Brooke Frantz, daughter of Robert and Lauren Frantz, will become at Bat Mitzvah on Saturday, November 23rd. Sharing this special day will be her sister, Claire, grandparents Robert and Myrna Frantz & Larry and Wendy Barnet, all coming from Florida.



An 8th grader at the Grayson School, Arianna is a swimmer for the Ridley Rays Adams Team, avid reader for the Reading Olympics middle school team at The Grayson School, winner of the first ever Projects Award at The Grayson School (for taking over the world- long live Empress Matilda!)

Arianna completed a few mitzvah projects.

Arianna taped some books for children with dyslexia and other reading differences at Benchmark School. The tapes have already been used by dozens of students to access materials that they could not read alone.

Arianna also spent a day with the Rabbi and other students working at Manna packaging meals for people with illness who are on special diets. She was scooping lentils long after others had given up.

Arianna went to White Horse Village to do her final mitzvah project. She helped pack school bags for people in need with the residents there one day.

B'Nai Mitzvah continued on next page

Another afternoon she created and ran two art projects for the residents. A third afternoon she made and ran a Broadway Trivia game that was very successfully attended. The residents were singing the songs on their way back to their rooms.



Zachary Maddox Moua, son of Michelle and Chong Moua, will become a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, December 21st. Joining him on this day will be his sister, Zoey; grandparents Chuck and Sue Milazzo, Paul and Julie Allen, Lopao and Neng Moua; also in attendance will be aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

Zachary is in the 7th grade at Tredyffrin/Easttown Middle School. He plays golf and wrestles. He also enjoys spending time with family and friends and watching sports, especially Penn State football.

Zach volunteered at the Mitzvah Food Pantry for his Mitzvah Project. As a family, we volunteered several times. We helped pack bags at the pantry that would be delivered to local residents in need, we helped recipients place their food orders on iPads, and on several occasions we drove around and delivered the bags of food to the recipients.

Eliana Sperling, daughter of Cheri and Kevin Sperling, celebrated her Bat Mitzvah on October 12th. She was joined in this celebration by her younger sister Adina, grandparents Jeffrey Davidson, Donna Davidson, and Ted and Gloria Sperling, along with uncles, aunts, cousins, and friends.



Eliana is in 8th grade at Paxon Hollow Middle School. Eliana's interests include dance, flute, theater, and hanging out with her friends.

For her Bat Mitzvah Project, Eliana worked with Jewish Family and Children's Service (JFCS). One of her activities was volunteering at Our Closet, which helps impoverished individuals obtain free clothing. The organization sets up pop-up shops in various locations in Philadelphia, providing a more dignified "shopping" experience. Eliana volunteered at a register, tracking items selected by patrons for tax purposes.

Additionally, Eliana volunteered at the Bala Cynwyd JFCS location helping adults with disabilities make challah. This was then given to Jewish patients admitted to hospitals in the Philadelphia region. Not only does this benefit Jewish patients, but it empowers adults with disabilities to make a difference for others. Eliana enjoyed being a part of helping many people during her Mitzvah project, and it has inspired her to continue volunteering.

HELP OUR PRESCHOOL

Our school is growing!

Now we need more staff!

Come join our fun and friendly team!

Contact:
Lori-An Penchansky
Preschool Director
preschool@temple-sholom.org
610-886-2065

We are looking for full or part time and very willing to split any of the hours 8:00 a.m.- 5:30 p.m. Perfect job for someone who loves children and is looking to get back into the workforce.

and lift up to 30 pounds.

We are looking for Assistants

school. Must have a minimum

of a HS degree, be willing and

able to get low to the ground

and Aides to work in our



The Congregation Is Invited to Celebrate with the Rigler Family as

Nathan Raphael

becomes a Bar Mitzvah on

Saturday, December 7, 2019 at 10:30 AM at Temple Sholom



Please join us for a light Kiddush lunch in the Multipurpose Room immediately following the service. Please RSVP to the Temple Office by December 1.

Please, no gifts. If you are so moved, the family asks that you make a donation in Nathan's honor to Temple Sholom or to Manna

Note: If you would like to help prepare the Kiddush lunch, please let the office know as soon as possible.

A 7th grade student at Radnor Middle School, Nathan likes playing soccer and basketball, building Lego architecture, traveling, playing outside, hanging out with friends, tech, geography, science, spending time with family, and playing video games.

Delivering Nourishment.



For my Mitzvah project, I spent the day learning about hunger and food issues in Philadelphia. First, we went to Manna for the morning, where we packed meals for people who couldn't buy their own food because of medical bills. Then in the afternoon we went to the food trust, where we learned what they were doing to help people who couldn't buy food in an easy walking distance store, or they couldn't afford fresh food. Food trust also, works with corner stores to help supply fresh fruits and vegetables in the stores instead of candy or unhealthy food when people need to eat.

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TOASTY

ToaSTY is off to a great start this year! Our first event, an escape room, was quite a success and was full of

fun! On Saturday, November 2, we will be doing a food tour of Philly, in which we will go around the city and try some staple Philly foods. Coming up, we have other fun events for grades 8-12 that we are so excited for. For example, we are going to Happy Place at the King of Prussia Mall in December. We hope you can join us! If you ever have any questions about the youth group, please reach out to one of the members of the leadership committee or Marissa Kimmel, toasty@temple-sholom.org.

Shana Deitz, Leadership Committee Member

Leadership Committee: Sydney Zilch, President

Shana Deitz Leah Isayev Ben Kedson Maya Rigler Julia Thomas





INCLUSION AT TEMPLE SHOLOM

Please contact us if we can assist you with any special needs:

inclusion@temple-sholom.org director@temple-sholom.org 610-356-5165

We are able to reserve seats for those in a wheel chair, visually or hearing impaired. We have large print prayer books, a braille edition & magnifying sheets.



Follow us on Instagram @warm.and.toasty

Questions? Contact any of the ToaSTY Board members or Marissa, the ToaSTY Director, at toasty@temple-sholom.org.

JR. TOASTY
6th—8th Graders
JR. JR. TOASTY
4th & 5th Graders

Please keep an eye out for flyers, evites and/or the use of Remind App for details on upcoming events.

Questions? Contact the Temple Office

TEMPLE SHOLOM'S LEGACY PROGRAM



Becoming a *L'Dor V'Dor Legacy Member* is a simple process that has a significant impact for our community. To find out how, please contact Elyse Endy at

elyseendy@gmail.com or Abbey Krain at 610-356-5165.

Your commitment will help provide for the continued success of Temple Sholom so your children and your children's children can experience the fond memories of the open, inclusive and accepting Jewish perspective at Temple Sholom.





WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBERS

~ *The Morrison Family* ~ Seth, Janelle, Garrett, Sienna, Dillon

~ The Chapman / Solomon Family ~ Dawn, Jessica, Mitchell, Graeme Grandma Gayle

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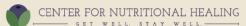
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HAVDALAH IN THE HOME AND DISCUSSION GROUP

Havdalah at home was held at the home of Susan and Eric Thomas with the aid of a fire pit and perfect weather for an outdoor celebration. While we said goodbye to Shabbat, we also said goodbye to a special friend, Gloria Kresch, who has moved to California to be with her daughter and future son-in -law. We had a good attendance of fourteen. Donna Hendel introduced a new version of Sim Shalom and the traditional Havdalah prayers and songs preceded the feast with pot luck dinner and dessert including a farewell cake.

This wonderful program was started 5 years ago and is still going strong. Our hope is that other groups will form. Get together with your friends on a Saturday early evening: perhaps gather a group of singles, a youth group, a group with toddlers and one with young children. It is fun, it is Jewish and it is a great way to make new friends. Advice and help is free. Contact Bob at bobnmarians@aol.com for information.



Temple Sholom discussion group met at the home of Stella and Ed Maser. We are devoting this year to Jewish Philosophers and taking two at a time to contrast one another. Maimonides and Martha Nussbaum were chosen for this first discussion, being worlds and centuries apart. They both warrant modern attention. Maimonides has many insights applicable for today as well as the 1200s.

Nussbaum is one of a very few female philosophers of note and brings a new dimension of regarding emotions as part of the philosophical argument. We were one shy of a minion but had a very stimulating discussion and noshes kindly provided by the Masers.

There is no age limit to join the group which meets in a home Sunday mornings every other month.

The next meeting of the Temple Sholom discussion club will be Sunday, December 15th 10:30 a.m. Discussion location to be announced soon. We will continue our survey of Jewish Philosophers. Our next meeting will discuss Baruch Spinoza and Claude L. Strauss. Reading material will be forwarded periodically on these two. You are welcome to join the discussion and or be on the mailing list to get reading material. Send email expressing interest to bobnmarians@aol.com. ~Bob Slater



Sisterhood Happiness &

MEMORIAL CARDS

Did you know that Sisterhood can handle all of your "Hallmark" needs? For \$5.00, you can send a Happiness/Memorial Card for any occasion, including birthdays, get well, sympathy, etc.

To: Michael Richardson & Beth Handwerger From: Temple Sholom Sisterhood Mazel Tov on the Bar Mitzvah of your son, Alexander Richardson

To: Charles & Samantha Getz
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Mazel Tov on the Bat Mitzvah of your daughter,
Elizabeth Getz

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Miranda Garnett

To: Robert & Lauren Frantz
From: Temple Sholom Sisterhood
Mazel Tov on the Bat Mitzvah of your daughter,
Arianna Frantz

To: Peter & Stacy Rigler
From: Temple Sholom Sisterhood
Mazel Tov on the Bar Mitzvah of your son, Nathan
Rigler

To: Chong & Michelle Moua From: Temple Sholom Sisterhood Mazel Tov on the Bar Mitzvah of your son, Zachary

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To send Happiness & Memorial Cards call Shirley Birenbaum at 610-328-2171 or email her at surabassa@aol.com
Cards are \$5.00 each
(this includes postage)

Do a Mitzvah!

B'nei Mitzvah students have the opportunity to perform hands-on mitzvot in the months leading up to their important life cycle event. What about our adult members at Temple Sholom?

There is a group at our Temple that could really use your help - become part of the Mitzvah Core team!

We need volunteers to add their names to the list, to be ready for a phone call or an email when another congregant needs help: a ride, a phone call, a visit, a meal, or shiva help.

Please contact Mitzvah Core coordinator Barbara Barr at bbooker628@aol.com or 484-412-8066.

When you brighten someone's day, you brighten your own life! Guaranteed!



JNF Trees and Water for Israel

Did you know that Sisterhood can handle all of your "Hallmark" needs? For \$5.00 including postage, you can send a Happiness/ Memorial Card for any occasion, including birthdays, get well, sympathy, etc. Your support through card purchases helps Sisterhood in their many endeavors. Additionally, Sisterhood encourages you to support Jewish National Fund by planting trees in Israel and/or contributing to the JNF Parsons Water Fund to alleviate their severe water shortage.

Planting trees helps to create green forests in previously barren land. Contributing to the Water Fund helps in the building of water reservoirs and dams which provide life-giving water to more than 1.2 million Israelis. Tree purchases are \$18.00 each and contributions to the water shortage also begin at \$18.00.

This is the perfect opportunity to honor and/or remember a family member, loved one, friend, etc. The honoree will receive a lovely certificate which can be framed for an additional nominal fee. Consider acknowledging birthdays, weddings, anniversaries, graduations, bar & bat mitzvahs, confirmations, and other occasions in this very special way. This is also a way to honor and/or remember the memory of dear friends and loved ones. For further information on ordering Happiness & Memorial Cards or contributing to JNF by planting trees or contributing to the water shortage in Israel, call Shirley Birenbaum at 610-328-2171 or surabassa@aol.com

A tree was planted by Shirley & Marty Birenbaum in memory of Elaine Samans, beloved mother of Deborah Samans

For further information on contributing to JNF by planting trees or contributing to the water shortage in Israel, call Shirley Birenbaum at 610-328-2171 or

surabassa@aol.com.



RECENT DEATHS

Marvin Verman, father of David Verman

Mildred Arnold, mother of Maury Reiter

Stanley Roy, father of Jay Seid

Elaine Samans, mother of Debby Samans founder of Temple Sholom

Edward Friedman, father of Jodi Schultz

Denise Flaccavento Feldman, mother of Paul Feldman

Judith Kramer Lustig, friend of Julie Leavitt

Gerry Gutterman, uncle of Rachel Broscoe

MI SHEBEIRACH LIST CONTACT US ONLINE!

Is there someone in your family or in your circle of friends whom you'd like added to our *Mi Shebeirach* list? Your privacy is assured -- we still only print names with permission.

Mi Shebeirach List Online Submission Form is on the Temple Sholom homepage. You can also go to: http://www.temple-sholom.org/community/mi-shebeirach-list-submission-form

Bereavement Support Group



We're considering starting a bereavement support group. Please forward any ideas or interest to Harriet Rosenblatt at hbsteacher1@gmail.com

Lobby Collections

We are currently collecting donations for *St. Marks Food Shelter*:

dishwashing liquid

toothpaste

deodorant

shampoo

laundry detergent

bar soap

feminine hygiene products
(If you are available to deliver our collections to St. Marks in Broomall, please call the Temple Office)

We are collecting for The *Domestic Abuse*Project of Delaware County (DAP).

They are in dire need of:
new scarves, mittens, winter hats, diapers (all sizes), wipes and baby bottles.

women's sanitary products and toiletries
We continue to collect pots / pans / kitchenware
items, glasses, dishes, gift cards & comforters for

Ongoing needs include:

The Nationalities Service Center

This organization provides comprehensive services to refugees and immigrants from around the world. https://nscphila.org/stories.

We have knitters—We need Wool

Please leave your donations in the Temple office marked for Amy Berkowitz. She has knitters ready to crochet and knit blankets for hospice patients

MITZVAH MEALS



On the second Tuesday of every even numbered month, Temple Sholom along with our volunteers serves approximately 150 people at the Life Center of Delaware County. Please take a moment to sign up to donate an item and/or be a server. It is a true mitzvah and we appreciate your generosity.

New Link!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c044da5ac22aaf85-december

If the slots are full and you would like to help with a future Mitzvah Meal, please contact Stephanie.

~ Stephanie Albero, Mitzvah Meal Coordinator Stephalbero061573@gmail.com



Doing Mitzvot in the Community?

Please let us know so we can share your story with the congregation!
Contact the Temple Tidings Editor at

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Become a regular monthly subscriber!

Contact Marissa in the Temple Office at 610-356-5165 or community@temple-sholom.org

GIFT GARDEN NEWS

Come Visit the Gift Garden for all of your gift needs. The Temple Office staff is happy to open it up for you anytime during normal office hours.

Please call Nancy Hays at 610-417-5918 for your own personal appointment for invitations.

The Gift Garden is always looking for volunteers to help.
Please contact Linda Phillips at 484-431-3724.



Our Caring Hospice

Trained Temple Sholom volunteers are here to help!

Please call us - we are here for you.

Contact Rabbi Rigler or Cantor Marx at the Temple or call Pam Haas 484-802-1186 or Amy Berkowitz 610-353-8077

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BEGINNING October 20, 2020

10:00 am - 11:30 am

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Being a parent is one of the most demanding roles out there. How often does the minutiae and exhaustion overwhelm and cloud the possibilities for more connection and ultimately, more joy that we all crave?

Join Anna Marx for a unique discussion group experience from the "Becoming a Soulful Parent"series:

Embracing Chaos and Cultivating Presence in Your Family Life.

About Becoming a Soulful Parent

A heartful parenting approach, grounded in Jewish wisdom, to create a community of parents who put their experience as parents at the center. This signature methodology from Ayeka (www.ayeka.org.il) iinvites parents to have honest conversations around what gets in the way of being the kind of parents and partners they want to be. Instead of depending on all the parenting wisdom "out there" it enables parents to become attuned to the parenting wisdom that every parent intuitively has, within themselves.

From the series...

Becoming a Soulful Parent:

"Embracing Chaos and Cultivating Presence in Your Family Life" with Anna Marx

This discussion group will meet three times during Rimon:

10:00am - 11:00am

November 3 November 10 November 17

Please note:

This group is limited to 15 participants. We ask that all participants make every attempt to commit to all 3 sessions.

To register please email: rimon@temple-sholom.org

BUS TRIP TO LOWER EAST SIDE

Wednesday, November 6
Bus leaves Temple Sholom at 8 AM
Bus returns to Temple Sholom at 8 PM



Walking tour of Lower East Side including
Bialystoker Synagogue, a Shteibel, Historic
East Broadway, and the remains of what was
once the largest Russian Jewish Orthodox
Congregation in the US and housed the only
Chief Rabbi of America

Explore Essex Street Market

Lower East Side Food Walking Tour - sample delicacies from some of the most historic and famous restaurants in NYC!



LIMITED NUMBER OF SPOTS AVAILABLE!

Cost: \$100/member, \$125/guest (Non-Refundable)
Cost of bus was generously donated by an anonymous donor



RSVP by October 25 to Marissa, community@temple-sholom.org, or contact her with questions



SISTERHOOD WELCOME DINNER

Honoring The Gift Garden

Thursday, November 7, 2019 5:30 PM - Registration 6 PM - Dinner & Entertainment

Delicious dinner from Carlino's! Fabulous entertainment - fashion show of jewelry from The Gift Garden and Sisterhood women from The Choir leading a sing-a-long!

Sisterhood is adopting HIAS-PA for the month of November. Please bring 1-2 of the following items: Dish detergent, all-purpose cleaners (no bleach), brooms, dust pans, laundry detergent (no bleach), sponges, trash bags (plastic, 4 gallon or larger), wastebasket, or Target gift cards.

RSVP required to sisterhood@temple-sholom.org by October 31. Free to all paid and new members. Can get membership at the door! Should you need any special accommodations, please let Sisterhood know.

Voices of the Jewish Soul

A Concert to Benefit URJ 6 Points Creative Arts Academy

Presented by the Reform Cantors of Philadelphia

Sunday, November 10, 2019 | 3:00 PM

Congregation Kol Ami | 8201 High School Road | Elkins Park, PA

Featuring

Cantor Jordan Franzel
Cantor Lauren Goodlev
Cantor Rhoda Harrison
Cantor Naomi Hirsch
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Cantor Jamie Marx Cantor Faryn Rudnick Cantor Neil Schnitzer Cantorial Soloist Rebecca Schwartz Cantor Elena Zarkh

Mark Daugherty, piano

Tickets \$18

Purchase online at 6pointscreativearts.org/concert or at the door

All proceeds to benefit scholarship funds for



in West Chester, PA



Lights, Camera, Culture Club!

Local premiere of "Crescendo" at the Jewish Film Festival

November 10 at 7 p.m.

Bryn Mawr Film Institute 824 Lancaster Ave. Bryn Mawr, PA 19010

Tickets are \$15 at the door or \$10 with the discount code BroomalLShoLOM#TWR2019 if you purchase ahead at: https://pjff.org/crescendo/

Want to "nosh" with us after the film?

When the film ends at 9 p.m., consider joining us at a local restaurant for dessert, coffee or drinks

Let us know you are coming by contacting Leza at 215-808-3513 or leza@comsolutionsgroup.com BUT do purchase your tickets ahead.







EAGLES VS. PATRIOTS TAILGATE PARTY!

Live broadcast of Eagles Talk Live Podcast, tailgate food, Dave's Famous Chili, and beer exchange!

Sunday, November 17, 2019 3 PM with 4:25 PM Kick-off \$10/person

Questions and RSVP to Robert Fein, robf2067@gmail.com, or Dave Mendell, brotherhood@temple-sholom.org





Sisterhood will supply the tables, background music and refreshments.

Have any leftover Halloween Candy? Feel free to bring it to share, but please, no nuts.

> Invite your friends! Free for Sisterhood members. \$5.00 for non-members.

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The Origins of the Evil Eye

Thursday, November 21, 2019 7:30 PM

The Hilltoppers are excited to welcome Lena Romanoff! Lena is the author of "Your People, My People: Finding Fulfillment and Acceptance as a Jew by Choice." This is a book for Interfaith and conversionary couples. She also runs support groups for parents, grandparents, and children of these couples.

Through her sessions and discussions with these couples, conversations of superstitions, specifically the Evil Eye, would arise, which led to her research on the topic. Lena holds a degree from the University of Pennsylvania in educational psychology as well as a nursing degree. Come learn about the superstition of the Evil Eye and what it all means.



Free for Hilltoppers members
Memberships available
that night for \$20.
Suggested donation of
\$5 for guests.

Light refreshments will be served.

Questions? Contact Cindy Meyer, cfrogs@aol.com

INTERFAITH



TUESDAY NOVEMBER 26 7:00-8:00 PM

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Jewish Federation of Greater Philadelphia Kehillah of Chester County



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December 7, 2019, at 7 p.m.
Tiramisu – Berwyn
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The unique flavors of Roman Jewish food developed between 1500s and 1800s when
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Join Culture Club for dinner at Tiramisu-Berwyn as we learn about the history and the cuisine that combines Jewish and Roman culture into a recipe for dining success!





Space is limited so please RSVP by November 21 to Leza at leza@comsolutionsgroup.com or 215-808-3513.



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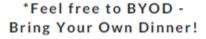
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20 X X) 6 PM

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RSVP to the Temple office by Wednesday, December 18.
Walk-ins welcome!



TEMPLE SHOLOM COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE!

Monday, December 30, 2019

2pm – 7pm

Temple Sholom

(55 N. Church Lane, Broomall PA)

Please Sign up today at www.redcrossblood.org and search by Sponsor Code: TempleSholom, or call 1-800-RedCross

Contact Marissa Kimmel, <u>community@temple-sholom.org</u>, or Harriet Schultz-Rosenblatt, <u>hbsteacher1@gmail.com</u>, with questions.

Save Time & Pre-Register at <u>www.redcrossblood.org/rapidpass</u>

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Please make submissions by EMAIL if possible. A confirmation message will be sent on receipt of your e-mail or send submissions to the Temple TYPEWRITTEN or CLEARLY PRINTED. Questions?

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Festive baskets are available 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?

Please contact Susan Farber at

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Click on "Live Webcast"

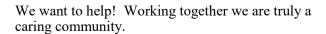
It's on the home page.
It's that simple!

*Not all services will be webcast.

MITZVAH CORE CARES!

Please let us know if you are aware of someone:

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



PLEASE CALL THE TEMPLE OFFICE AT 610-356-5165



Toiletries are needed for the Life Center of Delaware County - bring to the Temple Office.

Canned Goods are always needed to help with empty pantries - a donation box is located in the coat-room closet.

We continue to collect pots/pans/kitchenware items, glasses, dishes, gift cards & comforters for the Nationalities Service Center. This organization provides comprehensive services to refugees and immigrants from around the world. https://nscphila.org/stories.

NOTE: We have two knitters (yeah) so it's time to start collecting wool again. Please leave your wool in the Temple office and Amy Berkowitz will make sure it gets into the capable knitters hands.

Thanks to all who have donated wool over the years. Your generous contributions have warmed many people.

TEMPLE FUNDS

Cantor's Discretionary Fund

Contributions to this fund will be used at the discretion of our Cantor.

Capital Improvements Fund

This fund supports major improvements to our facility above and beyond routine maintenance.

Danowitz Junior Youth Fund

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To support the programs of the Etta Natalie Rosenblatt Preschool.

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To offset the reduction of revenue incurred when a Temple Sholom family cannot afford to pay their total dues. Contributions go directly into the General Fund.

General Fund

To support Temple operations.

Hospice and Healing Fund

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 purchase services, supplies, and equipment to assist congregants, students, and guests in need of accommodations that enable them to participate fully in all aspects of congregation life.

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To secure the future of Temple Sholom.

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Interest is used to send students to a URJ camp each year.

Mayer Selekman Jewish Leadership Fund

To provide grants for graduate study toward becoming a Jewish professional.

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

Contributions to this fund will be used at the discretion of our Rabbi.

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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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To endow the cantorial position at Temple Sholom, ensuring the future of Jewish music in our congregation.

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To defray the cost of purchasing books for our sanctuary. A book plate is placed in each book indicating the donor's name and the occasion, for a minimum donation of \$36.

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To help bring scholars to present and engage with the Temple Community, since 1983. <u>Technology Fund</u>

To maintain and improve all aspects of technology, including our new Webcast used by Temple Sholom.

Temple Beautiful Fund

To improve and maintain the aesthetics of the Temple, including decor, furnishings, grounds and gardens.

Tzedakah (Food) Fund

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.

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November 1 Jacob Coplan Lionel Farber father-in-law of John & Susan Farber Rosalie Fastman mother-in-law of Cynthia Fastman Joseph Graff father of Harold Graff Marv Peitzman grandmother of William Stone November 2 Bernice Freed mother of Patrice Kaplan Kathleen Watson mother of Michael Watson November 3 Hettie Schwartz Jeremy Warnick cousin of Erica Ezold November 4 Chelsea Campbell friend of David & Eileen Buckwalter Morey Gordon uncle of Ira Kenneth Lester Louise Levine aunt of Gloria Kresch Charlie Schwab brother-in-law of Andrew & Rebecca Schwam November 5 Bertha Gartman mother of Loraine Bailie Joseph Jacobs Irving Rosen father of Beth Cope November 6 Phillip Goldstein cousin of Lisa Learner-Wagner Richard Golub husband of Allene Golub father of Dan Golub Anne Rosekind grandmother of Karen Scheikowitz November 7 Ginny Buckwalter niece of David & Eileen Buckwalter Marcus Eisner father of Harriet Schultz-Rosenblatt Nina Joie mkother of Dan Joie Jeffrey Levin son-in-law of Adele Persky Lois Marcus mother of Barbara Barr Sharon Shulman Sarah C. Wilson aunt of Carl Miller November 8 Minnie Bycer mother of Linda Tarash

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father of Cheryl Lynch

grandfather of Natalie Pantaleo

father of Paul Levin

Rosalyn Rutenberg grandmother of Claudia Kane Thelma Sheinen grandmother of Alyssa Deitz Thelma Sheinen mother of Ken Sheinen November 10 Joseph Cohen Dan Gold friend of Michael Bolotsky Louis Wilson grandfather of Carl Miller November 11 Samuel Axelrod grandfather of Michelle Scolnick Doris Lotsch mother of Christine Levin Esther Querido grandmother of Steven Querido Yaaq Shachter cousin of Barbara Clarke Morris Stiefel grandfather of Eileen Buckwalter November 12 Elaine Amdur wife of Larry Amdur mother of Brett Amdur Marianne Berg ElSaleh Joan Rosenblatt friend of Carol Rubin Rose Tobin grandmother of Arline Lieberman November 13 Stuart Fine brother of Judy Newman Van Gabbard father of Elizabeth Shanefield Anne Goodkin mother of Michael Goodkin grandmother of Alissa Goodkin Larry Kramer brother of Mark Kramer Albert Salkowe uncle of Carol Rubin David Shooster husband of Donna Shooster November 14 Lou Cylinder father of Howard Cylinder Ann E. Hersh mother of Eileen Wolfson grandmother of Rachel Thomas grandmother of Jessica Charmont Neil Margolis friend of Charles & Sharon Goldman Anna Persky mother-in-law of Adele Persky Mark J. Tunick November 15 Clara M. Barnes grandmother of Michael Kane Myer Goldfuss uncle of Beverly Cylinder November 16 Claire Dinsfriend

grandmother of Samantha Getz

Dean Gabbard step-father of Elizabeth Shanefield Myer Levy father of Shirley Plotkin Nancy G. Pautz mother of Sharon Opstbaum David Benjamin Rotenberg father of Nancy Bloomfield Barbara Silver Levin mother of Rebecca Schwam November 17 Leah Chaess mother of Harrison Chaess Eleanore Kozloff mother of Susan Bilsky November 18 Esther Golub Hvman Levine grandfather of Honore Poch Janet Mellman friend of Elizabeth Mellman Evelyn Moldawer aunt of Lisa Learner-Wagner Mary Rogosin mother of Phoebe Resnick Frances Marie Sharf sister of Norma Munin aunt of Robert Munin Mary Steinbach grandmother of Emily Mendell mother of Brook Levin November 19 Rose Cohen mother of Steven Cohen Sheara Golub Whalley sister of Dan Golub daughter of Allene Golub Jerome Ely Rattner father of Susan Mendel Robert Rosenblum father of Jeff Rosenblum Judy Saltz mother of Pamela Zilch Joseph Young November 20 Samuel Weiss father of Kenneth Weiss Mitchell Wolfson husband of Eileen Wolfson father of Rachel Thomas father of Jessica Charmont November 21 Louis Glassberg Joe Joseph father of Ruth Gail Cohen Mae Kohler Ethel Schoenfeld grandmother of Melissa Lowdermilk David Shooster husband of Donna Shooster Isadore Sitner November 22 David Greenberg grandfather of Barbara Barr Barnev Salitsky

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Debbi Schoenstadt

daughter of Bobbi Schoenstadt

Yahrzeits in December ... z"l

December 1

Fannie Aronow mother of Pearl Klausner

Eleanor Rayack Delson mother of Barbara Ostroff

Anna Goss

grandmother of Cynthia Fastman

Elizabeth Gutmaker sister of Jennifer Morgan Sophie Silverman

grandmother of Amy Berkowitz

December 2

Lottie Besterman mother of Ardeth Pinsk

Benjamin Crosby great-grandfather of Anna Marx

Charles Delson

father of Barbara Ostroff Lillian Krangel

mother-in-law of Becky Krangel

Bernard Levy father of Margaret Husick

Irvin Nelson

father of Julie Samuels Hyman Rotman

grandfather of Janice Garnett

Sydney Weingarten grandfather of Rachel Broscoe

Ida Weinman

December 3

Stanley Brockman husband of Yvonne Brockman

Dr. Stanley Brockman father of Leslie Greenfield

December 4

Sidney Brittner grandfather of Andi Lieberman

Sidney Cohen grandfather of Jodie Gold

Harold Litt

husband of Barbara Litt

Burton L. Rapport

December 5

Max Mittman grandfather of Andi Lieberman

Belle Sacks mother of Adele Persky

Murray Shusterman

grandfather of Melissa Shusterman

Sarah Silberman Miriam Tarash

mother-in-law of Linda Tarash

Ben Topal

December 6

Hilton DuBoise father of Nancy DuBoise

Bernard Fishkin

grandfather of Deborah Uhl

John Meyer

brother of Jim Meyer

William Riffkin

father of Marsha Rosenbloom

December 7

Anna Faver aunt of Loraine Bailie

Roy Glazier

Jack Goldberg

uncle of Allen & Barbara Polsky uncle of Candice Polsky

Leon Phillips father of Linda Phillips

December 8

Joseph Babad

grandfather of Barbara Goldstein

Alex Berger

cousin of Cynthia Nissen

Morton Frankel

father of Matthew Frankel

St. George Hunt

husband of Susan Robinovitz

Esther Milichersky grandmother of Carl Miller

December 9

Minna Friedman

aunt of Mayer Selekman

Leonard Jacobs

father of Barry Jacobs

Morris Ross

father of Susan Friedman

William Shapiro

father-in-law of Sara Shapiro

Ruthie Silverstein aunt of Brett Amdur

December 10

David Gorelik

father of Anatoly Gorelik

Anna Jenkin

grandmother of Rachel Broscoe

Nathan Phillips

uncle of Linda Phillips

Todd David Satell

Dora Sherin

grandmother-in-law of Bonnie Sherin

Mary Stone

grandmother of Mollie Plotkin Sharon Weinberg

cousin of Cvnthia Fastman

December 11

Louis Glick

Sylvia Gesoff Thomas mother of Lisa Pottiger

December 12

Helen Amdur

grandmother of Brett Amdur

Ida Goldberg

grandmother of Matthew Silberman

Rose Itzko

mother of Mitchell Itzko

Martin Metoxen brother of Yvonne Brockman

uncle of Leslie Greenfield

Murray Satell

December 13

Tillie Klein Good

mother of Susan Dorfman

Solomon Mellman

father-in-law of Liz Mellman

Morey Wollin

December 14

Judith Apple sister of Pam Haas Ruth Fskovitz grandmother of Stacy Rigler

Sam Kornfeld December 15

Selma Bender

Grace Rapoport

Arthur Rogosin

father of Phoebe Resnick

Bertram Solomon father of Karen Scheikowitz

Ruth Zamble

December 16

Samuel Bachrach grandfather of Daniel Scolnick

Goldie Goldberg Fastman mother of Beverly Joie

Esther Katz

mother of Karen Stern

Morris Lieberman

father of Warren Lieberman

David Perelman

father of Carvn Gourley

Selma Shandler mother of Richard Shandler

Robert Wasserman Diane Kamis-Wasserman

December 17

N. Harry Gartzman cousin of Loraine Bailie

Dora Laster

aunt of Ilene Brouda

Selma Nussbaum

grandmother of Bonnie S. Sherin Faina Varshavsky Rose

mother of Dorilona Rose Meyer Zamble

December 18

Leslie Groce Jean Gubkin Brown

grandmother of Laurie Browngoehl

Roza Kogan mother of Irene Gorelik

Shirley Szabad December 19

Mary Feinstein mother of Norman Feinstein

John Fisher

cousin of Frederick Kelner

Dora Sherin

grandmother of Penny Reiter Adele Siegal

mother of Barbara Berlin

December 20

Norma Minsky Leanore Nathans

grandmother of Leza Raffel

Jerry Pritzker

mother of Randy Pritzker Frances Solomon

grandfather of Eric Thomas

aunt of Carol Jacobs Herman Sorkin

Wendy Stone aunt of Mollie Plotkin December 21

Gloria DiMarco

friend of Julie Leavitt

Jean Friedman

aunt of Eileen Buckwalter

Philip Schecter

uncle of Laurie Burstein-Maxwell Richard Sork

brother of Lisa Rosenfeldt

Armand Spitz

step-father of David Smilk

December 22

Herman Guttenberg

Sue Krisel

mother of Cheryl Lynch

Irving Robinovitz father of Susan Robinovitz

L. Robert Sheffler husband of Shirley Sheffler

December 23

Ann Barron

mother of Linda Litwin

Albert K. Besterman father of Ardeth Pinsk

Morris Freedman

Sophie Jerome grandmother of Bonnie S. Sherin

Elliot Levin father of Kenneth Levin

December 24 Sara Bleiman

grandmother of Jeffrey Bleiman

Magdalen Duffy mother of Kathleen Porter

Michael Foxman

uncle of Arthur Rabin

Martin Goldfuss father of Beverly Cylinder

David Josephs

cousin of David & Eileen Buckwalter

Christopher Massey

brother of Kent Massey Edna Strauss

sister-in-law of Elizabeth Mellman

December 25

Ken Bower

friend of Carol Herman

Harry Schwartz father of Neil Schwartz

December 26 Milton Bricker grandfather of Jeffrey Toren

Sonia Gladstone

Abe Cohen

grandmother of Julian Gladstone December 27

father of Steven Cohen

Saul Korewa

brother-in-law of Sharon Goldman

Leon Schmidt father of Susan Disman

Samuel Wills

uncle of Loraine Bailie December 28

Sonia Bolotsky

mother of Michael Bolotsky

David Cooper

father of Matthew Cooper

Solomon Kaspin uncle of Barbara Goldstein

Morris Wills uncle of Loraine Bailie

December 29

Milton Cooperstein father-in-law of Michele

Cooperstein Joyce Dichter

mother of Beth Verman

Jean Fine

mother of Judy Newman Mary Gladstone

mother of Julian Gladstone

Nate Ostroff cousin of Steven & Beverly

Granoff Benjamin Victor

grandfather of Sharon Goldman

Mayer B. Weinstein December 30

Newton Berger father of Merraine Rein

Alexander (AI) Cohen

uncle of Elyse Endy Betty Cooperstein

mother-in-law of Michele

Cooperstein Thelma Gabbard

grandmother of Elizabeth

Shanefield Freeda Presser

mother-in-law William Kozin Dori Riesenfeld

mother of Mark Riesenfeld Morry Skirboll

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friend of Norma Munin

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Sat	4 Heshvan	10:30 AM Bar Mitzvah: Alexander Richardson	Torah Portion: Noach	11 Heshvan	10:30 AM Bat Mitzvah: Elizabeth Getz	Torah portion: Lech L'Cha	18 Heshvan	10:30 AM Bat Mitzvah: Miranda Garnett	Torah Portion: Vayeira	25 Heshvan	10:30 AM Bat Mitzvah: Arianna Frantz Torah Portion:	Chayei Sara	2 Kislev	Torah Portion: Toldot
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Thu				9 Heshvan 7	10:30 AM Hilltoppers Board Meeting 5:30 PM Sisterhood Welcome Dinner		16 Heshvan 14	1:30 PM Hilltoppers Book Group 7:30 PM Sisterhood Book Club		23 Heshvan 21	7:30 PM Hilltoppers Event: Lena Romanoff		30 Heshvan 28	Happy Thanksgiving! Happy Thanksgiving
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