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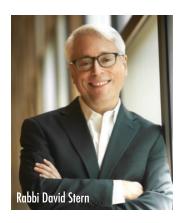
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The Joyful Noise of Second Chances



he sounds emanating from the room on the third floor of Building 6 at MASS MoCA, the Massachusetts Museum of Contemporary Art, land somewhere between joy and cacophony. It's my favorite room in this sprawling complex of 19th century buildings by the Hoosic River in North Adams that once housed

textile mills and an electronics plant. In it, you will find the instruments created by Gunnar Schonbeck (1917-2005), accomplished classical musician and longtime professor of music at Bennington College.

But don't expect anything resembling a slender Stradivarius or a fine horsehair bow. Schonbeck created his instruments from found materials: rebar, car parts, plumbing, aircraft fuselages, bellows — all of which have their own interesting sonic properties. And best of all, you get to play everything that's there: 10-foot-tall congas made of airplane parts (with steps and a platform to reach the top), a rack of chimes that looks like a deconstructed Calder mobile, irregular steel drums, an outsize lyre, or pretty much anything you can hit with a mallet. Originally used in community concerts on campus and in the town of Bennington, these brightly colored instruments invite play in every sense of the word.

Like the strips of discarded Mylar balloons that Suzanne Tick wove to create the magnificent ark doors in the Stern Chapel, the scraps of metal and wire that make up Schonbeck's creations gain a second life, and their story a second telling. Scrap metal from a junkyard now makes music and joy. If that rebar could talk, I bet it would sing.

Schonbeck's instruments make the messy sound of second chances — just like the shofar that we will begin to sound each day in the month of Elul, multiple times on Rosh Hashanah, and again to conclude Yom Kippur. *T'kiah/Shevarim/T'ruah/T'kiah Gedola* — in ragged majesty, the shofar offers the Jewish sound of second chances. We come to services at the High Holy Days to examine our souls and deeds, and with the fundamental faith that *t'shuvah* — repentance and return — are possible. We have all erred in the past year — we have hurt people we love, we have let selfishness trump compassion and impatience outstrip awareness. We struggle for compass in a world that can frighten and overwhelm us. We have judged others too harshly, and ourselves.

We have all wandered, but now the shofar comes to call us home — to relationship, to community, to love, to the essence of goodness that God has implanted in every one of us. In the words of author Bryan Stevenson, "Each of us is more than the worst thing we've ever done." Our faults and flaws are real, but now we have another story to tell: from recognition to repair, from condemnation to forgiveness, from apathy to engagement. Another story: from spirits cramped with pettiness and fear to a sense of commonality and communion with all that is, and hope for what can be.

It's hard work — the music of second chances does not make for a pretty ditty. It requires dissonance, changing rhythms and unfamiliar registers. But like the sounds emanating from that third-floor studio in North Adams, Massachusetts, it makes a joyful noise.

The shofar sounds. Our second telling awaits. Shanah Tovah!





HIGH HOLY DAYS

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ELUL

Elul is the month we prepare to repair our world as we prepare ourselves to enter the New Year.

Daniel Cohan, Ph.D. (see page 26 for details)

Sept. 13 | 6:15_{РМ}

Out of Our Comfort Zone: Climate Change and Judaism

Sept. 14 | 12PM

Lunch-and-learn with Daniel Cohan

Selichot

Sept. 28 | 7:30_{РМ}

Join us for text study, music and reflection led by Rabbi Kimberly Herzog Cohen and Cantor Leslie Niren.

Psalm 27 Online Class with Rabbi Debra Robbins Wednesdays at 9AM, Sept. 4-Oct. 13

This Elul marks the sixth season of "Opening Your Heart with Psalm 27" and we return to these words for courage and hope.

Rosh Hashanah | October 2-3

All Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur services will be livestreamed unless marked as "in person only."

Erev Rosh Hashanah

6PM: Olan Sanctuary

8PM: ATiD service, Stern Chapel

For 20s and 30s, oneg reception following

Rosh Hashanah Day

9AM: Tots and Their Families Service, Stern Chapel

Ages birth through kindergarten, including a blessing for all children born since last Rosh Hashanah

9:30AM: Olan Sanctuary

10:30AM: Family Service, Stern Chapel

Especially for families with children in grades K-5; siblings of any

age are welcome

1PM: Stern Chapel

Experiential service, introduced in 2023, that combines traditional Rosh Hashanah prayer with poetry, reflection and contemporary music. (A pre-service oneg will be held at noon for ATiD 20s and 30s.)

Tashlich

Tashlich is the ritual tossing of sins and regrets into flowing water. We will host multiple observances throughout Dallas. While some are designed for certain groups, all are open to everyone. We request reservations so that our lay facilitators will have enough materials for everyone.

10AM: Caruth Park, 7801 Hillcrest Ave., especially for tots

12:30PM: Caruth Park, especially for families

3:30PM: Caruth Park

4PM: Twin Lakes Park, 7400 Campbell Road

4PM: White Rock Lake, 4600 W. Lawther Drive, especially for

ATiD, 20s and 30s

Kever Avot | October 6

10:30AM: Temple Emanu-El Cemetery and Mausoleum, in person only

Join the clergy and other members in this service of reflection and memory.

YOM KIPPUR | OCTOBER 11-12

Kol Nidre

7:30PM: Olan Sanctuary

Yom Kippur Day

9AM: Tots and Their Families Service, Stern Chapel

10AM: Olan Sanctuary

10:30AM: Family Service, Stern Chapel

12:30-2:15PM: Expanding the Tent: Study, Reflection, Rest and

Spirit (see next page for details)

3PM: Prayer and Music of the Heart, Olan Sanctuary

4:30pm: Yizkor, Olan Sanctuary

5:30PM: N'ilah and Havdalah, Olan Sanctuary, followed

by a congregational break-the-fast

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YOM KIPPUR AFTERNOON Expanding the Tent

This year, with our new schedule, we hope you will spend the day at Temple, moving from place to place along the journey toward wholeness in our lives and healing in our souls. This year we are Expanding the Tent on Yom Kippur afternoon, and there are times and places to learn and to listen, to express your creativity and open your heart. Take a guided tour of the Barbara Zale Center for Living History and visit with friends in Tycher Gathering Space. Seek a quiet place for reflection in the Celebration Garden and other spaces around Temple. We invite you to relax and recharge in our *mishkan* on this Sabbath of Sabbaths.

Please join us as we deepen our connections and embrace this sacred time together as a *kehillah kedoshah*, a holy community.

A PEACEFUL PLACE

A quiet zone to put down your phone and put up your feet will be available from 12-3PM. Watch Temple communications for locations of all Yom Kippur afternoon experiences.



EXPANDING THE TENT

12:30-1:15РМ

Notes of Resilience and Forgiveness

Cantor Leslie Niren and Ben Loeb
Let the music performed and created in Czechoslovakia's
Theresienstadt Camp inspire and guide you at Yom Kippur.

Nafshi Y'shoveiv, My Restored Soul

Rabbi Debra Robbins

The enduring words of Psalm 23 (in various translations) guide us from the valleys of shadow into the light of a new year.

The Soul's Sanctuary

Cantor Vicky Glikin and Rabbi Kimberly Herzog Cohen Through meditation, song, silence, poetry and gentle movement, we will seek greater attunement of mind, body and spirit.

Yom Kippur for Teens: Forgive or Forget?

Rabbi Michael Lewis and Megan Sims Temple teens are invited to a conversation to explore how we can forgive our friends, our family and ourselves.

1:30-2:15_{PM}

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The Soul Returns: A T'shuvah Workshop

Rabbi Amy Rossel and Rabbi Michael Lewis Jewish sources will guide us to greater awareness of who we are and who we want to be.

Mapping Our Journey

Cantor Leslie Niren and Aya Margalit, Jewish Agency Community Sh'lichah With visual arts to center us, we will use the themes of Yom Kippur to help process our emotional journey since October 7.

12-3PM

Barbara Zale Center for Living History

Docents will be available to help you learn about this exciting new space at Temple.

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SUKKOT | OCTOBER 17-23

Sukkot Festival Service

Thursday, Oct. 17 | 10:30AM | Temple sukkah, in person only

Sukkot Weekend with MAC Artist Jacob Spike Kraus Oct. 18-20 | Register to attend at tedallas.org/events

Bring on the joy of Sukkot with Jacob Spike Kraus' spirited blend of folk, pop and rock. Learn more about Spike and his music on page 12.

All-In Shabbat, Congregational Dinner and Concert Friday, Oct. 18 | 6PM | Nasher-Haemisegger Family Atrium and online

Celebrate Sukkot together as a community in a Shabbat service, followed by a congregational dinner and art activities for all ages. After dinner, keep the festive spirit flowing at an exciting concert with Spike!

Shabbat Morning Concert with Spike Saturday, Oct. 19 | 9AM | Nasher-Haemisegger Family Atrium, in person only

Calling our Tot Shabbat community and all families with young children! Enjoy a lively Shabbat of music and prayer with Spike for the whole family, complete with a bagel breakfast.

Shabbat Nosh

Saturday, Oct. 19 | 12
PM | Temple sukkah, Nasher-Haemisegger Family Atrium

Following the Shabbat morning service, welcome new members to Temple with a special Shabbat Nosh in the sukkah. Thank you WRJ for supporting our Shabbat Nosh lunches this year.

Order Your Lulav and Etrog by September 25

Enjoy the beautiful symbols of Sukkot in your own sukkah or here at Temple. Order your set for \$54 by Sept. 25. Orders will be available for pick-up at Temple Emanu-El.

To order: bit.ly/lulav2024 Contact: Tal Drori, Education and Engagement Event Manager, tdrori@tedallas.org

Reserve Time in the Temple SukkahFulfill the mitzvah of dwelling in the sukkah by organizing a meal or gathering

Reserve your timeslot today at bit.ly/sukkah24

to take place in the Temple sukkah.



SIMCHAT TORAH | OCTOBER 23-24

Simchat Torah Evening Service

Wednesday, Oct. 23 | 6PM | Stern Chapel and online

Join us for a joyful and energetic evening that will include consecration of our youngest learners, unrolling the Torah from beginning to end, singing and dancing with the Torah and our sixth grade siddur ceremony.

Simchat Torah Morning and Festival Service with Yizkor Thursday, Oct. 24 | 10:30AM | Stern Chapel and online

This service includes the opportunity to remember your loved ones.



HUNGER RELIEF

The High Holy Days Hunger Relief Drive will resume in our annual effort to help those in need at this sacred time of year. We welcome donations of nonperishable items to our collection truck from Oct. 1-19. The food will then be distributed to North Dallas Shared Ministries. Cash donations are also accepted at tedallas.org/hungerrelief or by mailing a check to Temple indicating the Hunger Relief Fund as the recipient.



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Helpful Details

HIGH HOLY DAYS REGISTRATION

All registration for High Holy Days services is being conducted online only. Temple staff will be available to help anyone who needs technical assistance. For information, call Temple's main line at 214.706.0000 or email hhd@tedallas.org.

LIVESTREAMING

It's easy to participate in Temple's beautiful online services. Please visit the homepage of tedallas.org, and you'll find prominent links to the High Holy Days services. If you want to watch them on your own time, recordings will be available shortly after the conclusion of the service.

DAY-OF ADMISSION AND SECURITY

- Admission to High Holy Days services is tied to the QR code that you received when you completed your online registration, it will give you access to all services you registered for this year.
 Everyone has an individual QR code, which will be resent to the email provided at registration prior to the day of the service.
 If you need assistance locating each QR code for those you registered for, please contact us at hhd@tedallas.org.
- There will be three entrances to the building during the High Holy Days. The main entrance ramp facing Hillcrest, the doors into Tycher Gathering Space through Nasher-Haemisegger Family Atrium and the access entrance for drop-offs at the back of Olan Sanctuary.
- Security is a priority at Temple. To keep everyone safe and keep the entry process as quick as possible, please refrain from bringing large handbags, backpacks or duffel bags to Temple. Occasional searches may be necessary at the discretion of security personnel.

ACCESSIBLE TO ALL

- Our access entrance in the back of Olan Sanctuary will be open for drop-offs for those who need mobility assistance or a shorter walk. When you arrive, let our security team know that you are looking for the access entrance and they will guide you.
- Also at the back of Olan Sanctuary, Temple staff and lay leaders will help our guests with wheelchair entry, hearingassisted devices and large-print prayer books.
- For those who would like, an elevator is available to the left of the Lefkowitz Chapel doors outside of the Tycher Gathering Space Hillcrest entrance. An elevator is also available in the rear foyer of Stern Chapel to access the balcony.

HIGH HOLY DAY RECIPROCITY

If you or your family will be attending High Holy Days services at another congregation, please contact High Holy Days Team at hhd@tedallas.org and we will help get the information you need.

PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION

- There is plenty of parking available at Temple and the satellite location at NorthPark Center. Please leave yourself time for transit and plan your choice of parking according to the service schedule. Also be aware that Temple has increased security measures and only one entrance will be used; the entrance will be monitored by Dallas police and Temple's own security staff.
- Temple parking lot: Be prepared to show your QR code for entry at checkpoints before entering the lot. Parking access will be available at the middle entrance on Hillcrest Road. We will do our best to accommodate those with handicapped parking tags, either from Temple or state-issued, with closer parking spaces. There will be multiple golf carts in the parking lot to offer rides to people from their cars to the doors.
- NorthPark Center: Parking is also available at NorthPark Center, just north of Macy's, facing Park Lane. Be prepared to show your QR code before boarding the bus which will drop you off at the main entrance ramp facing Hillcrest.

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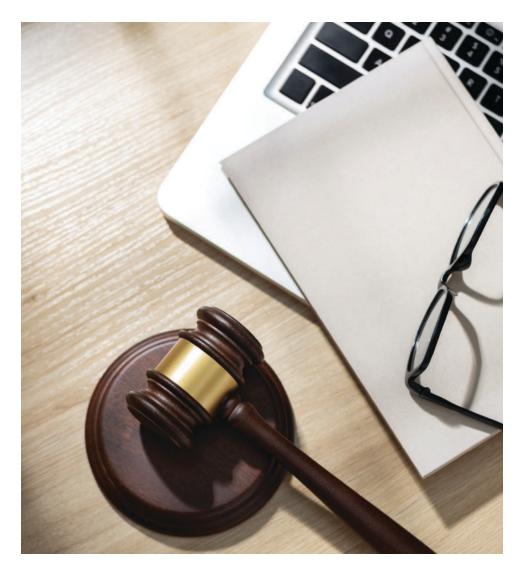
TEMPLE FORWARD A New Look at Governance

emple has been fortunate to benefit from 150-plus years of committed lay leadership. In a congregation of more than 2,500 households, our best moments come when we work together to make the best decisions for Temple. Being a Temple leader means countless hours in committee meetings, coffee dates, parking lot huddles, phone calls, Zoom screens and more, collaborating on the best ways to chart a course for Temple's future.

As we look toward the future in the aftermath of TE150, the bylaws, or policies determining how we govern, are 50 years old. While they have served us well over the years, they are outdated concerning Texas nonprofit law, Reform movement practices, and our own growth as a congregation. (In 1974, for example, Temple did not have a preschool!)

"Although there have been some revisions along the way, this is the first opportunity to take a comprehensive look and see where there are opportunities to make some enhancements that will serve our temple well for the future," says Greg Gerstenhaber, co-chair of the Bylaws Task Force convened by President Bob Krakow.

"Through the bylaws, the congregation delegates to the Board of Trustees the responsibility for managing the affairs of Temple," says Bob. "This includes critical items such as the hiring of clergy and the Executive Director, as well as the management of Temple's finances. I formed the bylaws task force to address the longstanding need to review our current bylaws and, in the process, our entire governance structure."



The task force has been working for 14 months on a thorough audit of Temple's bylaws, a review of the current governance model and a proposal for new bylaws. In the coming months, the congregation will have many opportunities to learn about the task force's work and give input before voting next January on bylaws revisions and proposed changes to our governance model.

Greg Gerstenhaber and Sara Albert are the Temple officers who lead the task force, which includes Flauren Bender, Harlan P. Cohen, Larry Ginsburg, Mark Kleinman, Katherine Krause, Nancy Rivin, Scott Rosuck, Jeff Zlotky, Bob Krakow ex officio, and Julie Meyer as staff liaison.

"We have a phenomenal task force comprised of thoughtful leaders with substantial Temple experience, leadership roles at other prominent Dallas nonprofits,

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and expertise in nonprofit governance. They are hard at work to present for approval first to the Board and then the congregation the bylaws we need for 2024 and beyond," says Bob.

The task force researched the governance structure of 13 congregations of 1,500 or more members, conducted interviews with current and former Temple lay leaders, identified areas of improvement and presented different concepts for the governance structure.

"The task force has been exhaustive in its approach to this work, including interviews with many from within our Temple community, as well as benchmarking of trends and best practices from other congregations in our size range across the country," says Greg.

Stakeholder interviews identified many positive aspects of Temple's leadership practices, including collaboration among lay leaders, clergy, and staff; participatory decision-making, the importance of committees and task forces; and flexibility to adjust to changing conditions.

"We have taken a fresh look at such things as the size of our Board, the role of our Executive Committee, the engagement of Board members, the critical role of our vast committee structure, and how we develop our next generation of leaders," says Sara, co-chair of the task force and Temple's first vice president.

"We are imagining whether there is an alternative model that might enhance governance at Temple, strengthen decision-making, increase satisfaction with engagement in leadership, and bring more congregants into the leadership tent. Raising these questions has taken us on an exciting journey of learning from our current and past lay leaders, Temple staff and clergy, and from peer congregations across the country," she says.

The Task Force will be presenting a draft of new bylaws to the Executive Committee and Board of Trustees later this fall. The Board will then vote on a recommendation to present to the congregation in a special meeting to approve the bylaws. Any changes would then be implemented with the new Board term in 2025.

"The entire process has been incredibly thoughtful, thorough and collaborative," says task force member Flauren Bender. "The group deliberated the various options for change with the goal of building on what has made our governance so effective to date. Everyone was heard and there was a lot of give and take. The proposed updated bylaws reflect best practices, the diligence and care of this dedicated group, and the pulse of a broad representation of past and current Temple leadership."









SH'MA EMANU-EL Join a Group Today!

It's time to sign up to be a part of a 2024-2025 Sh'ma group! From groups that explore cultural events to hiking to book clubs and mah jong you are sure to find the group that is right where you belong. Visit tedallas.org/shmagroups to use the online group finding system to express your interest in joining a group.

Questions? Contact Shira Stevenson at sstevenson@tedallas.org



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2024-2025 SEASON

OCTOBER 18-20, 2024

SUKKOT WITH SPIKE

Bring on the joy of Sukkot with Jacob Spike Kraus' spirited blend of folk, pop and rock. An electrifying performer, passionate educator and innovative composer, Spike mesmerizes audiences with his singable, modern melodies grounded in Jewish tradition.





DECEMBER 17, 2024 | 6PM

HANUKKAH AT NORTHPARK

Celebrate Hanukkah and show your pride in this beloved annual concert, featuring the Temple Emanu-El Adult Choir, Kol Shir Youth Choir and special guests. Join Temple and the greater Dallas community for a fun-filled celebration for all ages!



NOVEMBER 17, 2024 | 4PM

THE MARCY & ZINA SHOW

Broadway comes to Stern Chapel as award-winning duo lyricist Marcy Heisler and composer Zina Goldrich take center stage in The Marcy & Zina Show, a musical theater cabaret. Marcy and Zina's romantic comedy songs have been featured in venues across the world and recorded by top artists across many genres, but no one does them better than Marcy and Zina themselves!

Sponsored in part by Beverly Goldman Charitable Fund



FEBRUARY 7-8, 2025 SHABBAT SHIRAH

NIGUNIM ENSEMBLE

We welcome Rabbi Cantor Shani Ben-Or and Boaz Dorot straight from Israel and the Israel Movement for Reform and Progressive Judaism. This pioneering ensemble creates, arranges, and performs sacred music to accompany prayer throughout Israel. Experience their uniquely Israeli sound for the first time in Dallas!

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APRIL 23, 2025 | 7:30pm YOM HASHOAH MORTON H. MEYERSON SYMPHONY CENTER



DEFIANT REQUIEM: VERDI AT TEREZÍN

Experience the power of music as spiritual resistance in this multimedia concertdrama about courageous Jewish prisoners in the Theresienstadt Concentration.

Camp (Terezín) during World War II, who performed the Verdi Requiem 16 times, including one performance before SS officials from Berlin and the Red Cross. Presented on Yom HaShoah and the 80th anniversary of the liberation of Terezín, this Dallas premiere features video and narrated testimony by Terezín choir members and their extraordinary conductor Raphael Schächter.

The production is conducted by Temple member Benjamin Loeb, narrated by Defiant Requiem Foundation founder Murry Sidlin and Cantor Vicky Glikin, and features the Temple Emanu-El Choir the Dallas Symphony Orchestra and Chorus, and guest soloists Allison Charney, Scott Conner, Eleni Matos and Bruce Sledge, with participation by Cantors Leslie Niren and Hallie Weiner.



"We will sing to the Nazis what we cannot say to them."

Conductor Rafael Schächter (1905-1945)



Take a Spin with Spike

By Livia Stevenson



e can't wait to celebrate
Sukkot on Oct. 18-20 with
Jacob Spike Kraus, one
of Reform Judaism's leading young
musicians. Spike spent some time
with the Window to share his creative
journey, inspirations and what drives
his passion for Jewish music.

As the son of a Reform rabbi, Judaism has always been prominent in your life. How has your upbringing played a part in your musical path?

Growing up, I was immersed in Judaism through Jewish day school, religious school, URJ Eisner Camp and NFTY. This constant exposure made Judaism feel like a given, and I took it for granted. By high school, I started song leading, which transformed my relationship with my Jewish knowledge and allowed me to engage with it and with others. Music made Judaism exciting for me, and now I write Jewish music hoping to inspire and open doors for others.

Where does the inspiration for your music come from?

I first attended Havah Nashira in 2010, a gathering that celebrates Jewish community through song. Meeting incredible Jewish musicians there made me realize that Jewish music was a path I could pursue. I'm inspired by the rich legacy of Jewish music and how artists build on the work of those who came before them. My goal is not to replace their contributions but to continue the tradition and open doors to Judaism, just as music has done for me.

What can we expect from our upcoming weekend with you?

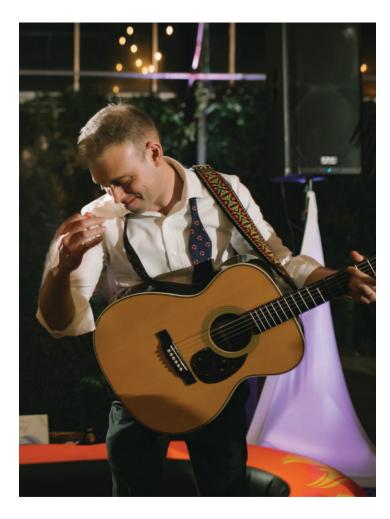
You can look forward to an engaging experience built on three core elements: energy, musicianship, and education. I bring a high energy leadership that encourages participation and makes you want to lean into the experience. With a background in music, I offer a diverse sound and top-notch production while also being creative and having something for everyone. And finally, I aim to do more than song lead. I'm excited to share the knowledge I have about not only what we are saying but also why we are saying it.

One more thing: the nickname Spike?

One summer at Camp Eisner I was in a cabin with four or five Jacobs in it and the counselors needed a way to tell us all apart. I used to spike my hair, so that summer I became Spike. It stuck!

Register for Sukkot with Spike at tedallas.org/events

JACOB SPIKE KRAUS



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Tassbord to Hanukkah

Celebrate and Shop
Presented by Women of Reform Judaism

You're invited to a feast for the senses and a spectacular gathering for the community. Choose from an exceptional gallery of gift merchandise – many from local Jewish artisans – that will offer hours of browsing and schmoozing fun. Mark your calendars now!

COWBOYS GAME DAY TAILGATE & TREATS AT TEMPLE

Presented by Temple Emanu-El Brotherhood November 10 | 9AM-3PM Nasher-Haemisegger Family Atrium

Fuel up for the Cowboys/Eagles match at Brotherhood's pregame experience with a daylong menu of delicious foods including breakfast, burgers, hot dogs and all the classic fixings. It's a touchdown for everyone and a game day to remember!



Celebration and Remembrance

Compiled by Thomas Booe

BECOMING B'NAI MITZVAH



Liam Calder September 7 Son of Stacy and Eric Calder St. Mark's School of Texas Tikkun Olam: Austin Street Center



Sarah Federick September 7 Daughter of Deborah and Travis Federick Fowler Middle School Tikkun Olam: Lemon Aide Society



September 7 Son of Tatyana Kravets and Felix Shrayber Frankfurt Middle School Tikkun Olam: Shepton High School



Daughter of Lauren and Tikkun Olam: VNA Meals on Wheels



Harper Seaal October 19 Daughter of Wendy and David Segal Parkhill Junior High School





Chloe Netanya Hoffer September 14 Daughter of Caron Hoffer and Matthew Hoffer Shelton School Tikkun Olam: Feed My Starving Children, Operation Kindness, Temple Emanu-El ECEC camp



Avia Winski September 14 Daughter of Ronnie Shalev and Ben Winski McCulloch Intermediate School/Highland Park Middle School Tikkun Olam: East Lake Pet Orphanage, Vickery Meadow Food Pantry



Libby Opal Beck and Judah

Morison Beck



Alexandra Claire Leib October 26 Daughter of Michelle and Fric Leib Renner Middle School Tikkun Olam: North Texas Food Bank

NEW AND RETURNING MEMBERS

Allison, Scott, Kaley and Danielle Anderson Mark Brown, Audrey and Scarlett Westlauer Yolanda Brunson Peter, Arielle, Noah and Eli Derman Adam Falkauff and Alexis Caldwell Kari, Gregory and Paloma Forero Blair, Eric and Henry Freedman Holly, Elliott and Isabel Friedman Mickey and Lori Goldberg Leah Goldsmith Samantha, Scott, Sadie and Sawyer Goldstein **Bud Krause** Andrew, Kimberly, Anna and Alexandra Mabel Ryan, Shauna, Brayden and Ellie Milstein Alex, Kelsey, Nelson and Florence Radunsky Arlene Stein Alvson and Joshua Treistman

WEDDINGS



Rachel Wilk and Sam Ross



Ava Greer Whitman October 19 Daughter of Michelle and Craia Whitman Parish Episcopal School Tikkun Olam: Lemon Aide Society and Operation Kindness



Abigail Goldman October 26 Daughter of Caroline and Mark Goldman Highland Park Middle School

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BABY NAMINGS



Jules Maximus Bettes
Son of Erin Tonkon and Brent Bettes
Grandson of Jamie and I. Edward "Ed" Tonkon



Bronwyn "Winnie" CohenDaughter of Vanessa and Lee Cohen



Julianna Blake DandesDaughter of Ali and Ryan Dandes



Jacob "Jake" O'Boyle English
Son of Jaime Crowley and Nicholas English
Brother of Bennett, Violet and Ives English
Grandson of Bobbie and Geoff Crowley



Miles Knox Freedman
Son of Blair and Eric Freedman
Grandson of Lori and Richard Golman



Amelia Eliora Geld
Daughter of Kiandra and Zach Geld



Jordy Dude Goldberg Son of Lexi and Brandon Goldberg Grandson of Lori and Miles Goldberg



Samuel Abram Jakubowich
Elly Selah Jakubowich
Leah Marian Jakubowich
Children of Sophie and Alex Jakubowich



Connor Lewis Kline
Son of Madeleine and Ryan Kline
Grandson of Stephanie and Scott Rosuck, Samara Kline and
Andy McCarthy and Scott and Michele Kline



Charlotte Brooke "Lottie" Morchower

Daughter of Megan and Andrew Morchower

Granddaughter of Bette and Dr. Gary Morchower



Annie Leona Williams

Daughter of Peyton and Aaron Williams

Granddaughter of Marla and George Williams



Vienna Pauska Daughter of Czarina and Adam Pauska

IN MEMORIAM

Jim Baron

Husband of Liz Baron Father of Zak Baron and Kate Stewart Brother of Daniel Baron

Jerry Barshop

Father of Bruce Barshop and Celia Barshop

Paul Bierbrier

Father of Eric Bierbrier, Stewart Cohen, Nancy Israel, Lisa Rezansoff and Shari Tobin

Norman Bleicher

Husband of Andrea Wolf Brother of Bob Bleicher, Dan Bleicher, Joel Bleicher, Jon Bleicher, Paul Bleicher and Rebecca Bleicher Former spouse of Julie Bleicher Father of Noah Bleicher and Zachary Bleicher Stepfather of Gabriela Jones

Becca Bowen

Sister of Deborah Jones-Hurd



Lior Kolni-Reed

Son of Miriam Kolni and Lindsey Reed Brother of Jude Kolni-Reed and Ayla Kolni-Reed Grandson of Leah Beth and Harold Kolni

Peter Casillas

Husband of Lotty Casillas

Ruth Chafetz

Mother of Michael Chafetz, Nelson Chafetz and Ronald Chafetz Sister of Sarah Yarrin

Lois Miller Daneman

Mother of Michael Daneman, Neal Daneman, Phillip Daneman and Scott Daneman

Harriet Ann McCartney Duke

Mother of Scott McCartney

June Biber Freeman

Mother of Andrew Freeman, David Freeman, Eric Freeman and Gretchen Freeman Sister of Barbara Brous

Jeff Friedensohn

Father of Chad Friedensohn, Jesse Friedensohn, Joshua Friedensohn, Lance Friedensohn and Zachary Friedensohn Sister of Stephanie Adams

Wolf Gloger

Husband of Quinnie Gloger Father of Ethan Gloger, Hannah Gloger and Isaac Gloger

Harvey Goldsmith

Brother of Ann Wolovits

Martin "Marty" Golman

Husband of Susan Szafir Golman Father of Stacey Baer, Max Golman and Robin Unterberg Brother of Ida Ann Zweig

Millicent "Millie" Gorsky

Wife of Leonard Gorsky

Mother of Bob Gorsky and Richard Gorsky

Elizabeth Heald

Mother of Jill Bahen, John Heald, Joy McGarry and Hope Merritt Sister of Elmer Keaton and Dot Tompkins

Suzanne "Suzie" Platt Kornblit-Rosenberg

Sister of Mel Platt

Joy Mankoff

Mother of Doug Mankoff and Jeff Mankoff

Arthur Morganstern

Father of Rhoni Golden and Debby Jones

George Nachman

Husband of Marilyn Nachman Stepfather of Brooke Rawdin Arce and Blake Rawdin

Earl Barry Pachter

Husband of Rosemary Pachter Father of Stacey Hoppenstein and Allison Rosen Brother of Sue Crawford

Henry R. Pearson

Husband of Rebecca C. Pearson Father of Lisa N. Pearson Brother of Janie Pearson

Patricia "Pat" Peiser

Mother of Nancy Krieger and Richard Peiser

Joie Lynn Dominus Reavis

Sister of Marc Dominus
Mother of Ananda Reavis Bankoff
Stepmother of Caroline Geis and Martin Reavis

Marion Rosemore

Mother of Margaret Freeman, Susan Rosemore Gravlee, Dr. Martha Rosemore Morrow, Dr. Andrew Rosemore and Lance Rosemore

Kitty Satinsky

Mother of Ellen Larkin and Mark Satinsky

Susan Schwartz

Mother of Alec Schwartz, Danielle Schwartz, Dara Schwartz, Derek Schwartz, Carlee Schwartz and Dana Sutton

David Teichman

Partner of Georgie Miara Father of Valerie Darpa and Laurent Teichman Brother of Charles Teichman and Simon Teichman

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CONVERSIONS



Yolanda Brunson



Amir Ellis

MAZEL TOV



Natalie Vilensky at blessing before making aliyah



Stephanie Fine



Kimberly Rosenberg

SHINE the light

SUPPORT AND RESOURCES FOR SPIRITUAL AND MENTAL WELL-BEING

Grief Support on Zoom

First Tuesday of the month, 12-1PM: Sept. 3, Oct. 1, Nov. 5

In-Person Grief Support

Last Tuesday of each month, 12-1PM: Sept. 24, Oct. 29

Jewish Family Service Support Groups

Our community partner, Jewish Family Service, helps adults, children and families navigate mental health challenges and coping skills through a variety of support groups. To learn more, visit jfsdallas.org.

Substance Abuse Support for Friends and Families

Thursdays every week from 5:30-6:30PM in person and on Zoom. Contact for more information and Zoom link: Freda Heald, fredaheald@yahoo.com

Here for You

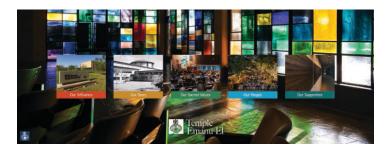
Are you or someone you know struggling with infertility or going through IVF? We are exploring

the possibility of a support group. If interested please reach out to Meredith Pryzant, mpryzant@tedallas.org.

No Barriers

Finances should never be a barrier to participation in Temple life. Confidential financial assistance is available for most Temple events, tuition and dues.

For information or Zoom links, please contact Meredith Pryzant, Director of Member Support, mpryzant@tedallas.org | 214.706.0000, ext. 3802



Take a Tour of the Pollock Family Media Wall

The Pollock Family Media Wall brings Temple's core values to life in creative ways. We encourage you to dig in and explore using the easy touch screen. Just tap the screen anywhere and the following five pathways will lead you to an exciting presentation of Temple's history, values and people.



Our influence

An up-to-date view of the profound impact our Temple members have had on Dallas since its earliest days.

Our Story

Explore important milestones in Temple's history, the history of Dallas and Texas, and U.S. and world history. Test your knowledge of Temple's history with a fun, interactive quiz. Temple members share their unfolding story of through their own digital keepsake pages, with photos, text and genealogical information.





Our Sacred Values

Learn and experience more about Temple's Clergy, Spaces, Art, Community and Social Justice. Focus on Temple's connections to Israel, Confirmation classes through the decades and adult b'nai mitzvah cohorts.

Our People

Photo essay of 102 black-and-white portraits of Temple members, sharing another dimension of our story through text and images.

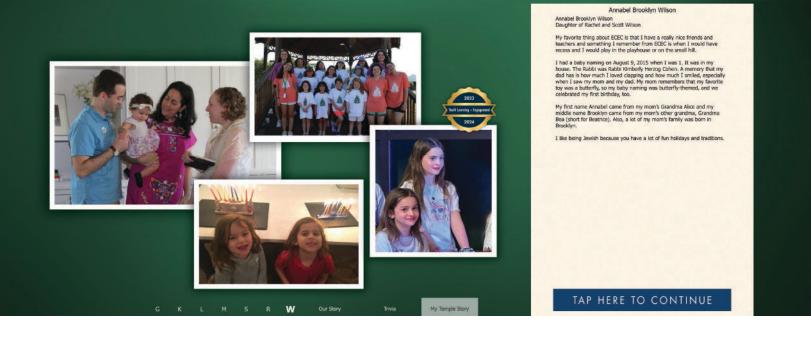


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Our Supporters

Comprehensive list of the generous donors to the TE150 Endowment Campaign and Temple Emanu-El Annual Fund.

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Share Your Temple Story

BE PART OF THE BARBARA ZALE CENTER FOR LIVING History!

e're creating a vibrant tapestry of our community's history, and we need your unique stories to bring it to life. The Pollock Family Media Wall has a section for congregants to share their family photos, Temple stories and list the generations of their family.

Why Your Temple Story Matters

- **Celebrate Our Past:** Your memories capture the essence of our shared journey.
- **Inspire Future Generations:** Let your experiences guide and motivate the next generation.
- **Strengthen Our Bond:** Sharing stories fosters deeper connections within our community.

What We're Looking For

- **Memorable Events at Temple:** Unforgettable moments from Temple celebrations, holidays or services.
- **Personal Milestones:** Your family's special milestones and experiences within our community.
- Everyday Joys: Small, heartwarming moments that capture the spirit of our Temple life.
- **Photos:** Family photos, memorable events of different stages of life, and other activities you enjoy at Temple.

How to Contribute

- **1. Write It Down:** Jot down your story in a few paragraphs of about 400 words or less.
- 2. Add Photos: Include any photos that help tell your tale.
- **3. Visit the My Temple Story Submission Form:** Submit your contributions by completing the form on our website.



Need Help? We're here to assist! If you need help writing or digitizing photos, contact Thomas Booe at tbooe@tedallas.org. Let's preserve our rich history together. Your story is a vital piece of our collective memory.

Thank you for being an essential part of our Temple community! The Barbara Zale Center for Living History will be open from 9AM to 1PM on Rosh Hashanah and from 12-3PM on Yom Kippur Day and docents from the Center for Living History will help you explore.



Gifts of Memory, Honor and Gratitude



OUR CONGREGATION

Dora Aronson Helping Hands Fund

Distributions by Rabbi David Stern to individuals in need of financial assistance, particularly in dire situations Memory of Bill Berry

by Cheryl and Randy Colen Memory of Paul Bierbrier by Julie & David Kronick Memory of Hilda Burtis by Marguerite Burtis & Peter Voael

Memory of Joy Mankoff by Irman Grossman Memory of Joy Mankoff

by Cheryl & Randy Colen Memory of Si Sherman by Carla Sherman Memory of Philip Silverberg by Cathey & Jim Greenfield Memory of Joseph Solomon by Sister & Joel Steinberg Memory of Roslyn Sureck by Sureck/Chiu Family **Appreciation of Cantor**

Vicky Glikin by Marauerite Burtis & Peter Voael

Appreciation of Rabbi David Stern

by Peter Vogel & Marguerite Burtis

Anne and Sam Kesner Caring **Congregation Fund**

Assistance for Temple members through all phases of life, including hospitalization, elder care, military service, mental health challenges and grief Memory of Norm Bleicher by Kemberly Merritt Memory of George Nachman by Anita Samuel Memory of Ida Mintz Nuzie by Martin Mintz Memory of Stephen Louis Brtis Voael

by Irene and Buddy Raden

Susan Salom Clergy Good Works Fund

Distributions to charitable organizations, individuals in need or community causes by Temple's cleray Memory of Jim Baron by Martin Sinkoff

by Liz Baron Memory of Jim Baron by Frada & Alan Sandler

Memory of Irwin B. Behrendt by Lynn & Bob Behrendt Memory of Bill Berry by Eilene & Thomas Toughey

Memory of Paul Bierbrier by Shari & Jay Tobin, Nancy

& Solomon Israel. Stewart Cohen & Kimberly Elting,

Eric Bierbrier & Kristy Parker Memory of Norm Bleicher by Kimberly & Avrum B.

Schonwald Charitable Fund by Andrea Wolf Memory of Peter Casillas

by Bobbie & David Repp by Kim & Avrum Schonwald by Rosie Stromberg

Memory of Lois Miller Daneman

by Gay & Philip Daneman and Family

Memory of Millicent Gorsky by Carl Weisbrod

Memory of Suzanne Platt Kornblit-Rosenberg

by Jody & Mel Platt Memory of Bill Levy by Allison & Alan Levy Memory of George Nachman by Marilyn Nachman

by Ellen & Lee Salzberger Memory of Earl Pachter by Pachter, Hoppenstein, &

Rosen Families Memory of Hank Pearson by Ettie & Melvin Weinberg Memory of Patricia Peiser

by Nancy Krieger, Richard Peiser, and Family

Memory of Joni Ross

by Shari & Ira Nevelow Philanthropic Fund of DJCF

Honor of Rabbi Kimberly Herzog Cohen

by Fran Berry Conversion of Laura Pietzsch by Jennifer Morin Cassell by Judy & Russell Silverstein by Mike Kunen & Brian Stock

by Joel Weinthal by Bonnie Rosenberg & Joseph Zimmerman

Bris of Lior Kolni-Reed by Leah Beth & Harold Kolni Birth of Connor Kline

by Wendy & George Palmer Bar Mitzvah of William Silberman

by The Silberman Family **Appreciation of Cantor Vicky**

by Lynn & Bob Behrendt by Wendy & Marc Stanley Appreciation of Rabbi

Kimberly Herzog Cohen by Nancy & Solomon Israel by Evelyn & Andy Rosemore Appreciation of Rabbi Michael

Lewis by Susie and Joel Litman by Patricia & Richard Prager Appreciation of Cantor Leslie

by Congregation B'Nai Jehoshua Beth Elohim

by Richard & Patricia Prager Appreciation of Rabbi Debra Robbins

by Lynn & Bob Behrendt by The Essenfeld Girls by Harriet & Larry Meyerson by Elaine & Ken Stillman

Appreciation of Rabbi David Stern

by Lynn & Bob Behrendt by Patricia Fagadau by Amber Pierce & Sam

Johnson by Nancy Krieger, Richard Peiser,

and Family by Wendy & Marc Stanley by Maddy & Mark Unterberg **Appreciation of Cantor Hallie**

Weiner by Nancy Krieger, Richard Peiser, and Family

by Ettie & Melvin Weinberg by The Dandes Family Naming of Leo Goldman by Susie and Joel Litman Naming of Leo Kahn

Speedy Recovery of Wes Hart Naming of Julianna Dandes by Shelby & Kyle Kahn Naming of Hannah Paull by Elena & Andrew Paull



OUR TEMPLE AND CEMETERY

Rabbi Gerald J. Klein **Memorial Cemetery Fund** Beautification and improvements of the Temple

Emanu-El Cemeterv Memory of Mimi Goldman by Lawrence Goldman Memory of Sylvia Rosenbera

Hoffman by Arlene Lamark Memory of Mark Kolodny by Jane & Marc Cohen Memory of Sallie Frauman

Leventhal by Milton Leventhal Memory of Jeff Phillips by Sandy Phillips and family Memory of Kace Phillips by Sandy Phillips and Family Memory of William N.

Reisfeld by Donna Schuback Memory of Eleng Weinstein by Helga & Gerardo Weinstein Memory of Herbert Weinstein by Helaa & Gerardo Weinstein

Rabbi Gerald J. Klein Garden Fund Maintenance of the

Klein Garden Memory of Maria Lola Gomez by Dolores & Lawrence Barzune Memory of Milton Levy by Joanne & Steve Levy Memory of George Nachman

by Joanne R. & Steve Levy Family Philanthropic Fund Memory of Esther Stein by Dr. & Mrs. Lawrence Barzune



Temple Emanu-El General

GENERAL

Operating Fund Support of Temple's general programs and events Memory of Jim Baron by Sally & Bob Rosen by Jackie & Steve Waldman Memory of Maurice Beck by Jav Beck Memory of Paul Bierbrier by Risa Gross by Jan & Tom Timmons Memory of Norm Bleicher by Jan & Tom Timmons Memory of Morris Blyweiss by Marlene & Richard Marks Memory of Eugene Bock by Fonda Glazer Memory of Peter Casillas by Carl Weisbrod Memory of Myron Fine by Brooke Fine Memory of Marsha S. Fischman

by Lawrence Fischman Memory of Marvin Gerard by Jan & Tom Timmons Memory of Wolf Gloger by Dawn Shogren Memory of Harvey Sheldon Goldsmith

by Macki & Paul Ellenbogen Memory of Herbert Goldstein by Susan & Larry Goldstein Memory of Martin Golman by Kim & Jeff Chapman Memory of Martin Golman by Stephanie & Scott Rosuck Memory of Frank Graff by Lottye & Bobby Lyle Memory of Lester A. Levy Sr. by Karen & Walter Levy Memory of Eve K. Lipinsky by Jo Ann & Bob Becker Memory of Beatrice Malow by Barbara Toranto

by Brad Blumenthal by Sandy & Barry Diamond by Beth & Jim Gold by Marilyn Golman by Karla & Larry Steinberg Memory of Mildred Munves by Lois Golman Memory of George Nachman by Barbara & Richard Toranto Memory of Marion Rosemore by Jan & Tom Timmons Memory of Sam Rubenstein by Fonda Glazer Memory of Irving Sheinfeld by Debbie & Davied Sheinfeld Memory of Archie Skibell by Andrea & Richard Skibell Memory of Bertha Skibell by Andrea & Richard Skibell Memory of Jack Sobol by Carol & Barry Sobol Memory of Joseph Solomon by Karla & Larry Steinberg Memory of Nita Spitzer by Lottye & Bobby Lyle Memory of Sig Spitzer by Lottye & Bobby Lyle Memory of Sid Stahl by Juliette & Harold Goodman Memory of Janelle Sterry by Milford Sterry Memory of David Teichman by Patricia Fagadau Memory of Stephen Louis

Memory of Joy Mankoff

Brtis Vogel by Jan & Tom Timmons Memory of Babetta Weinstein by Dorothy & Lew Weinstein Conversion of Stephanie Fine by Sandy & Barry Diamond Appreciation of the Annual **Fund Committee**

by Sandy Diamond & Joselyn Ramev

Temple Emanu-El **Endowment Fund**

Distribution from the foundation supporting Temple's programs Memory of Isaac Ballas by Freda Ballas Memory of Suzanne Platt

Kornblit-Rosenberg by Ellen & Arnie Marks Memory of Joy Mankoff by Deanne & Ray Termini

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by Fran Berry



MUSIC AND PRAYER

Music Fund Enhancement of Temple music proarams Memory of Bill Berry by Jan & Tom Timons Memory of Norm Bleicher by JoAnn & Bob Becker Dianne & Kevin Ovens by Vicki & Charlie Redden by Jacquie & Myron Schwitzer by Barbara & Edward Stone Memory of Peter Casillas by Susan Regan Donnenfield and Family Memory of Gertrude M. Davis by Joan Salzberger Memory of Wolf Gloger by Betsy & Todd Teitell

Memory of Elizabeth Heald

by Jan & Tom Timons

Memory of Dell Kaplan

by Wendy & George Palmer

by Joyce & Joe Rosenfield Memory of Suzanne Platt Kornblit-Rosenberg by Jan & Tom Timons Memory of Joy Mankoff by Connie Rudick Memory of Lisa Mellow by Nancy Wiener Marcus Memory of Earl Pachter by Connie Rudick by Jan & Tom Timons Memory of Hank Pearson by Carl Weisbrod Memory of Marilyn Rich by Jacquie & Myron Schwitzer Memory of Marion Rosemore by Michelle & Ricky Rickoff Memory of Helen Blyweiss Rosenberg

by Marlene & Richard Marks Memory of Roberto Vela by Alan D Budman by Gary M Smith Honor of Cantor Hallie Weiner by Ettie & Melvin Weinberg Birthday of Mike Sheff by Jacquie & Myron Schwitzer

Appreciation of Cantor Hallie Weiner

by Michael, Sharon, Joshua & Danny Karno



ADULT PROGRAMS

Katherine F. Baum Adult **Education Fund** Support for adult education proarams Memory of Norm Bleicher by Peggy & Dave Millheiser Memory of Wolf Gloger by Don & Joanne Epstein Memory of Charles Marks by Marlene & Richard Marks

Henry D. Schlinger Ethics Symposium Endowment Fund Support of the ethics symposium Memory of Marvin Gerard by Sylvia & Malcolm Cohen Memory of Phyllis Somer by Sylvia & Malcolm Cohen

Priscilla R. Stern Memorial

Support of literacy projects in the general and Jewish communities

Memory of Joie Lynn **Dominus Requis** by Judi & Randy Ratner Memory of Irene Edelman by Sheila & Stephen Stieglitz Memory of Richard Lerer by Harriet & Steve Goodman Memory of Joy Mankoff by Lynn & Bob Behrendt Memory of Max Rosmarin by Suellen & A.J. Rosmarin As a Contribution by Felicia & David Morris Appreciation of Rabbi David

Stern by Shari, Steve, Reghan, Sloane and Brady Goldberg

(ATiD) Young Adults Fund Support of Jewish engagement of young adults in their 20s and 30s Memory of Julius Palefsky

by Kathy & Morris Palefsky

Memory of Sammy Rosenblum by Sylvia & Malcolm Cohen



SOCIAL JUSTICE

Hunger Relief Fund Collection of funds for hunger relief throughout the year, especially during High Holy Davs and Passover Memory of Jack Michael Abramson by Fave & Howard Polakoff

Memory of Paul Bierbrier by Pam & Robert Karpel Memory of Joseph Marvin Bloom by Jacque & Fred Roberts

Memory of Jeffrey Scott Donsky by Linda, Robin, Matt & Joy

Donsky Memory of Ida Fox by Evelyn & Eugene Fox

Memory of Martin Golman by Helen Feldman Memory of Gloria Kersh by Susan & Darvl Beck Memory of Joy Mankoff by Ruth Robinson

Memory of George Nachman by Debbie Levy & Barry Rothschild

Memory of Steve **Oppenheimer** by Tricia & Jim Krohn Memory of Meyer Rachofsky by Helen Feldman Memory of Jordan Roseman by Barbara Roseman Memory of Marion Rosemore by Helen Feldman Bat Mitzvah of Marin

Rosenbera by Jacque & Fred Roberts Bar Mitzvah of Landry

Rosenberg by Jacque & Fred Roberts Appreciation of Rabbi

Kimberly Herzog Cohen by Jacque & Fred Roberts Appreciation of Roz Katz by Jacque & Fred Roberts Appreciation of Cantor Leslie Niren

by Jacque & Fred Roberts Speedy Recovery of Arlene Steinfield by May Sebel

The Jill Stone Tikkun Olam Fund

Support of Temple's social justice programs including initiatives, advocacy, projects and lectures Memory of Beverly Tobian by Julie Ann Cohn & David

Rolston Memory of Paul Bierbrier by Debbie & Howard Haile by Lynn & Bob Behrendt Memory of Norm Bleicher by Sheryl & Gordon Bogen by Suzi & Jack Greenman

Memory of Alan Gold by Lynn & Bob Behrendt Memory of Harvey Sheldon

Goldsmith by Carl Weisbrod Memory of Joy Mankoff by Betty & Jay Lorch by Gary Kahn by Maddy & Mark Unterberg Memory of George Nachman by Maddy & Mark Unterbera Memory of Gail B. Nusinow by Sylvia & Malcolm Cohen Memory of Patricia Peiser by Maddy & Mark Unterberg by Sylvia Sue Owens Memory of Ann Zar Taub by Rabbi Joshua & Debbie Taub Memory of Arthur L. Taub by Rabbi Joshua & Debbie Taub Memory of David Teichman by Jill & Gary Stolbach Memory of Bridget Tulbert by Mindy & Mark Tulbert Conversion of Laura Pietzsch by Sheryl & Gordon Bogen Appreciation of Rabbi David Stern, Bob Krakow, &

Jeana Foxman by Temple Sinai Atlanta Appreciation of Rabbi Debra Robbins

by Julie Ann Cohn & David Rolston Appreciation of Joshua Taub by Mackie & Alan Kazdoy As a Contribution

by Cathy & Howard Gilberg

Social Justice Youth **Education Fund** Support of worthwhile educational causes for youth in need Memory of Jim Baron

by Betsy & Todd Teitell

Memory of Martin Golman by Cathy Bernstein Memory of Joy Mankoff by Gayle Johansen by Joan Salzberger Memory of George Nachman by Joan Salzberger by Suzi & Jack Greenman Memory of Julie Reichl by Betty & Jay Lorch

Vickery Meadow Food Pantry Support of food and fresh produce to Vickery Meadow residents Memory of Lester Adler by Annette Corman Memory of Robert Adler by Annette Corman Memory of Joy Mankoff by Annette Corman

Memory of Lenore H. Litman by Susie & Joel Litman Memory of Harold Novin by Franchelle & Richard Hirsh Gina Rosenfield Levy Greene Family Camp Scholarship Fund Financial assistance to families for Greene Family Camp Memory of Carol Dickey

Memory of Leonard Kolodny

by Randi Cohen

by Jamie & Ed Tonkon

Memory of Mark Kolodny

Memory of Mark Kolodny

by Kathryn & David Seay

by Lynn & Jay Staub

by Marti, Max, and Jake Rosenfield

Support of an open and

Watson

Lomdim Project



YOUTH AND EARLY CHII DHOOD **EDUCATION**

David B. Shalom Religious **Education Fund** Financial assistance for religious education of Temple members Memory of Norm Bleicher by Linda & Garry Kahalnik

Early Childhood Education Center (ECEC) Fund Support of ECEC programs Memory of Norm Bleicher by Marcy & Michael Grossman Memory of Cary Friedlander by Fonda & Gary Gossen Memory of Marvin Gerard by Cindy & Barry Zale and Julie

& George Tobolowsky Memory of Laurie Gidlow by Doran Beckman by Janie & Bruce Bitterman by Joan Scott Curtis by Mary Beth Dimijian by Jimmy & Dale Glenn by Paige Pando Kirkman by Michele & Mike Lattman by Hillary Levy & Family by Julie & Jay Liberman by Cathy Maier by Joyce & Joe Rosenfield by Anita & Bob Samuel by Marcia B Smith by Harriet & Vic Velevis by Carol Wickstrom by Doris Willis

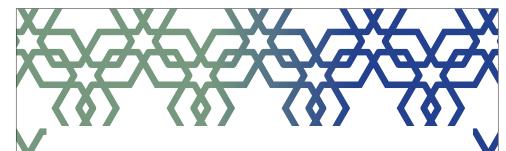
inclusive community for YL+E children with special needs Memory of Wendy Blum by Beverly & Mark Naboshek

Metz Youth Fund Scholarships for Jewish activities sponsored by Temple or other Jewish organizations Birthday of Karlyn Herlitz by Laurie Sutkin

Martin & Charlotte Weiss Religious School Fund Scholarships for YL+E fees, books and additional expenses Memory of Norman Chaiken by Lynn & Jay Staub Memory of Robert Stuart Chaiken by Lynn & Jay Staub Memory of Martin Golman by Carol Hirsh & Family

Paul and Nethie Lande Summer Camp Scholarship Scholarships for children to attend a Jewish summer camp Memory of Martin Golman by Cathy & Alvin Miller

Shor/Lowenstein Youth Scholarship Fund Financial assistance to families for participation in youth programs Memory of Jim Baron by Ruthie & Alan Shor



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CANTOR VICKY GLIKIN & VLAD LEYBOVICH

INVITE YOU TO JOIN THEM AS THEIR SON

SAMUEL NOAM

IS CALLED TO THE TORAH AS A BAR MITZVAH

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2024

10:30AM | STERN CHAPEL SHABBAT NOACH | שבת נח

RSVP: tedallas.org/events | Luncheon following. Please bring a canned good to feed the hungry.

Memory of Alan Gold by Judy & Benton Markey Memory of Joy Mankoff by Judy & Benton Markey Memory of Ronald Mankoff by Judy & Benton Markey Memory of Sid Stahl by Judy & Benton Markey Honor of Debbie Andres by Ruthie & Alan Shor Honor of Jamie Hayden by Ruthie & Alan Shor Honor of Lisa Lieberman by Ruthie & Alan Shor Conversion of Yolanda

Brunson
by Robin Kosberg
Conversion of Kim Rosenberg
by Robin Kosberg
Birthday of Mike Ablon
by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Birthday of Michelle Brown
by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Birthday of Julie Fields
by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Birthday of Danna Hayden
by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Birthday of Rabbi Nancy
Kasten

by Ruthie & Alan Shor

Birthday of Betsy Kleinman

by Ruthie & Alan Shor

Birthday of Steven Lieberman

by Ruthie & Alan Shor

Birthday of Mark Masinter

by Ruthie & Alan Shor

Birthday of Rebecca Masinter

by Ruthie & Alan Shor

Birthday of Wendy Stanley

by Ruthie & Alan Shor

Birthday of Wendy Stanley

by Ruthie & Alan Shor

Birthday of Larry Steinberg

by Judy & Benton Markey

Anniversary of Debbie &

Marr Andres

Marc Andres
by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Anniversary of Julie &
David Fields
by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Anniversary of Beth &
Jim Gold
by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Anniversary of Rebecca &
Mark Masinter
by Ruthie & Alan Shor

David Jay Leibs Video
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Support to purchase media
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Memory of Norm Bleicher
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Support of the Youth, Education
and Service programs of
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Memory of Peter Casillas
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ANNUAL FUND SPOTLIGHT

By Livia Stevenson

The Temple Emanu-El Annual Fund is Temple's highest fundraising priority every year. The dollars raised help supplement Temple's operating budget and help provide support to all our community. Each issue, the Window features Annual Fund leaders and supporters who give generously of their time and financial resources.

Lindsay Shipp

indsay Shipp and her husband, Blake, joined Temple in 2017 with their two children, Poppy and Coco, and have felt at home ever since. As she begins her role as the 2024-2025 Annual Fund Chair, we caught up with Lindsay to learn more about her Temple story.

Tell us more about you and your family's connection to Temple. How has Temple impacted your life?

My mom grew up in Dallas, where her family was active at Temple. We had the joy of attending our cousins' bar and bat mitzvahs and weddings here, and I loved bringing my University of Texas friends to Temple during the High Holy Days.

When I met my husband, Blake, Temple played a crucial role in educating him about Judaism and in our journey to start a Jewish family. Temple has been a part of our lives through our happiest and saddest moments.

Blake and I joined Temple when we married and started considering expanding our family. Our involvement deepened when our daughter, Poppy, began at the Early Childhood Education Center at age 2. We fell in love with the staff, the grounds, the family gatherings and the friendships we formed. Temple soon became our second home.

What made you say yes to chairing the 2024-2025 Annual Fund?

When Mary Lee Broder, Beth Gold and my fearless leaders, Staci Mankoff and Sandy Diamond, asked me to be the vice chair of the 2023-2024 Annual Fund and then the chair of the 2024-2025 Annual Fund, I immediately said yes. I admired these VERY strong women who had shared this role before me and who were so involved in the Annual Fund — I feel fortunate to have the opportunity to work and learn alongside each of them.

Please share a favorite Temple memory?

Hearing the squeals of excitement and giggles that my girls get EVERY TIME we pull into the Temple parking lot and hearing them say, 'we are home'.



Your Voice Matters: Vote!

he right to fair and open elections is not only an American value; it's a Jewish value expressly stated in the Talmud: "A ruler is not to be appointed unless the community is first consulted."

Temple Emanu-El continues to advocate for 100% voting by all members of the congregation, and has been working on a variety of nonpartisan activities to support this goal. See below for the ways you can get involved!

For information, contact Erica Matsil, Director of Social Justice and Family Engagement, ematsil@tedallas.org

Write Postcards

The Religious Action Center of Reform Judaism is partnering with the Center for Common Ground's Reclaim Our Vote Campaign to send postcards to voters in states where there is a significant number of people of color and racial gaps in voter participation. rac.org/take-action/every-voice-every-vote

Attend Forums

Learn the issues and get to know the candidates in various forums in the area. Jeff Kitner, a Temple member and Chief Operating Officer of the North Dallas Chamber of Commerce, is moderating at least three forums with candidates from both parties in federal and state races. All events are held at the Chamber, 5710 Lyndon B. Johnson Freeway, Ste. 100, from noon to 1 PM:

- October 4 | US House of Representatives, District 32: Julie Johnson and Darrell Day
- October 9 | Texas Legislature, District 115: Cassandra Hernandez and John Jun
- October 15 | Texas State Board of Education, District 12: Pam Little and George King

Register at northdallastxcoc.weblinkconnect.com/atlas/calendar

Become a Volunteer Deputy Registrar

Texas residents can help increase voter registration by becoming Volunteer Deputy Registrars. This designation allows adults to register voters.

votetexas.gov/register-to-vote

Temple contact: Erica Matsil, ematsil@tedallas.org



Join March to the Polls

Founded in 2018, March to the Polls is a voter empowerment organization that works in the schools and greater community to register voters and provide voter education. Temple members Robert Elkin and Sheila Steiglitz are involved in leadership. marchtothepolls.org

Stay Informed

Voting resources are available on the Temple website and dallascountyvotes.org, both great places to learn more about polling places, voter registration and the Jewish value of voting. tedallas.org/outreach/your-voice-your-vote

Showing Up for Our Neighbors

Temple has been recognized by the North Texas Food Bank and HIAS for its efforts to make the world a better place. Additionally, Temple will be a satellite drop-off site for Jewish Family Service's annual diaper drive. For information on all three projects, contact Erica Matsil, Director of Social Justice and Family Engagement, ematsil@tedallas.org.

Good to Grow: North Texas Food Bank

The hunger relief organization has awarded a grant of \$18,350 to the Jill Stone Community Garden at Temple Emanu-El. The money will be used to expand the garden's capacity by adding more controlled environments such as a hoop house and additional greenhouse for the year-round production of nutritious foods for the diverse Vickery Meadow community.

The grant also provides funds to continue the Nudge Pantry in the Vickery Meadow community, a program that provides nutrition education and community building in a food pantry setting. The congregation and community partners for the garden are invited to a celebration information session at 9:30AM on Sunday, September 8 in the garden. Register at tedallas.org/events

'Beacon of Light and Hope:' HIAS

HIAS has awarded Temple its Pathways Leadership Award for our efforts to help refugees resettle in Dallas. The organization was founded to help Jewish people fleeing pogroms in Europe and has evolved into an international organization to help refugees, asylum seekers and forcibly displaced people. For many years, Temple has assisted in efforts to find housing and employment for refugees.

"Knowing how hard this past year has been for the Jewish people, you have been a steadfast and unwavering beacon of light and hope," HIAS said in awarding the honor to Temple. "You have embraced a central tenet of Torah to welcome the stranger. Communities like yours represent the best of Jewish values lived in the world."

Comfort for Babies and their Parents: Jewish Family Service

Temple has been invited to be a satellite site for the 14th annual Diaper Shower for Jewish Family Service. During the month of September, please bring donations of disposable diapers and wipes to Temple's bin on the Hillcrest entrance ramp. The organization has set a goal of collecting 100,000 diapers and wipes.

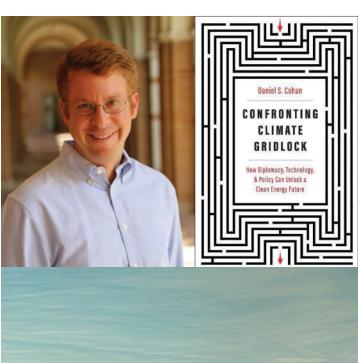


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Out of our Comfort Zone: Climate Change and Judaism



oin Daniel Cohan, Ph.D., climate change specialist and author of "Confronting Climate Gridlock: How Diplomacy, Technology, and Policy Can Unlock a Clean Energy Future," for a weekend of learning and conversation drawing on lessons from his book and connecting them to our Jewish values.

Shabbat Evening Service including the Schlinger Ethics lecture: Out of our Comfort Zone: Climate Change and Judaism Sept. 13 | 6:15_{РМ}

Lunch-and-learn with Daniel Cohan

Sept. 14 | 12PM | Weiss Youth Wing

Dr. Cohan, who grew up at Temple, is an associate professor of environmental engineering at Rice University. He leads a research group that studies the connections among air pollution, climate change and energy.

"What makes confronting climate change so central to the environmental dimension of tikkun olam is that it touches so many aspects of our lives — the cleanliness of our air and water, our safety from storms and droughts, our own health and the survival of other species. And because what we emit today can warm the climate for centuries, taking action now is part of our obligation to our children and future generations, l'dor vador."

In gratitude: This scholar-in-residence Shabbat honors the memory of Henry D. Schlinger, z"l, known for his personal integrity and outstanding service to the congregation and community. Schlinger served as president of Temple Emanu-El and the Dallas Bar Association.

One Year Later

HEARTBREAK AND HOPE BOOKEND THE SOLEMN ANNIVERSARY OF OCTOBER 7.

 \blacksquare ach of us approaches the arrival of October 7, 2024 in a different way. But none of us is immune to the human I tragedy that occurred on this day in 2023, and the unfolding events of the year that has passed.

We invite you to join Temple in supporting the Jewish Federation of Greater Dallas community commemoration event at 7PM on October 7 at Congregation Shearith Israel. We'll come together to honor the memories of those we have lost, stand in solidarity with Israel and pray for a peaceful resolution.

Registration is required to attend, and multiple layers of security will be provided.

Register: bit.ly/oct7commemoration



Thinking of Them Always

The following prayer is recited often at Shabbat services and Temple gatherings. Keep it in your hearts as we approach the one-year anniversary of the Hamas attack on Israel.

Prayer for Redemption of Hostages

By CCAR members Rabbis Ofer and Rachel Sabath Beit Halachmi

Our God, the One who raised Joseph up from the pit, be "a refuge for the oppressed, a refuge in times of trouble." (Psalm 9:10)

Send complete rescue and full redemption to all those held captive by the enemy.

Strengthen their spirit and bring them our prayers that they be protected from all harm.

Implant understanding in the heart of the enemy that they may return the captives in wholeness of body and spirit.

Grant wisdom to the Israel Defense Forces that they may secure freedom for the captives without loss of life. Grant strength of spirit and courage of heart to all the sons and daughters of Abraham, Sarah and Hagar to release bonds of captivity and allow us all to live in freedom.

"They shall call upon Me, and I will answer them; I will be with them in distress; I will rescue them, and honor them." (Psalm 91:15).



THE ISRAEL FOOTPRINT

Temple provided multiple programs, art exhibitions, learning, music, sermons, performances and sharing of information over the past year. For a comprehensive timeline of events and response to the October 7 attacks, scan for the article in the 2023-2024 Impact Report, which is arriving in congregants' homes in September.







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