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Shanah Tovah !

Special Selihot Service for The New Year 5769

Selihot is the first opportunity tradition gives us to get into the spirit of the new year. We hear the sounds of Rosh Hashanah, contemplate what we need to do to make our lives better in the New Year, and experience the spiritual wonders of forgiveness. On Sept. 20, 2008 we will share in a modest reception sponsored by the Sisterhood at 9:00 p.m. followed by Selihot services at 9:30 p.m. As part of our service, we will change over our Torah scrolls from their usual colorful mantles to the white mantles that are special for the Holyday season, install our new synagogue officers, and honor many synagogue volunteers.

Join The High Holyday Young Family Celebrations

Complete your High Holyday experience by participating in an energetic, interactive service designed for families with children aged one month to eight years old. The young family service, which will run from 11:00 to 11:30 am on the first day of Rosh Hashanah, Tuesday, September 30, will provide an excellent opportunity for children to lead and participate in a Rosh Hashanah celebration full of song and prayer. The children will also be invited to help conclude the service with the sounding of the shofar. Families are encouraged to bring their own shofarot, and toy shofarot will be available for all children. Following this format, there will also be a Young Family service on Yom Kippur in the main sanctuary from 11:00 to 11:30. Children will participate in leading special Yom Kippur songs and prayers and have a chance to carry a plush Torah in our Yom Kippur Torah procession.

High Holyday Schedules
are available at
the Temple Office and
templeofaaron.org

Majestic Frankenthaler Ark Curtains Signal A New Year



WELCOME!

Volunteer ushers and Temple of Aaron Board members will welcome you to High Holyday services, as well as view tickets.

Jubilee Histories Available During High Holydays

For those of you who have not picked up your award-winning history of our first 95 years, stop by the Temple office immediately following Rosh Hashanah or Yom Kippur services to obtain your book and DVD. You will enjoy both for many years.

Second Day Rosh Hashanah: Our Traditional, Untraditional Musaf Service

Do you believe that if you have three Jews you have three opinions? That the only thing that Jews have in common is that we all do everything differently than our neighbors? This Rosh Hashanah, on the second day of the Holyday we will look at the many faces and aspects of peace.

High Holyday Appeal

An important part of balancing our 2008 budget is to perform the *mitzvah* of *tzedakah*. Financial and human resources are necessary to meet our mission of perpetuating Conservative Judaism. With your generous High Holyday donation many positive things can be accomplished for your family, friends, and our community.

Kever Avot

It is traditional to visit the graves of family members during the High Holyday season. These visits offer moments of reflection and prayer, and honor memories of those who have died. We will gather for this special service at 1 p.m. on Sunday, October 5, 2008 at Temple of Aaron Cemetery.

Operation Isaiah Needs Help

The High Holyday Food Drive reminds us we can keep families strong by supplying food. Bring canned or boxed food-stuffs each day during the High Holydays or write a check. Matzie Miller and Joanie Davidson are chairpeople, Lorraine Hertz is Treasurer. Seymour Rosen, of blessed memory, donated the food collection barrels.

From the Rabbi's Desk . . .

High Holyday Preview

Hazzan Kowitz, Rabbi Barry Cytron and I, along with the entire synagogue staff, are working to create a High Holyday experience that is based on the foundation of the past and looks towards the future. Our goal is to provide an engaging, concise, meaningful worship service that will take the traditions of Temple of Aaron in particular, and of Conservative Judaism in general, and make them accessible and relevant to all in attendance. This will mean familiar prayers and songs, with explanations of what the prayers mean, and how we can use them. We are seeking a balance of words and music, English and Hebrew, clergy and members. I have elaborated upon some of the details below.

Selihot

High Holydays this year will begin with Selihot, Saturday night September 20th at 9 pm. The service uses music and readings to help get us in a High Holyday frame of mind. This year we will have a ceremony honoring members who volunteer so much of their time and energy to the synagogue. We will call up board members, as well as the new presidents of Sisterhood, Men's Club, and USY. During the service we will also dress our Torahs in the white High Holyday covers.

Rosh Hashanah

For Erev Rosh Hashanah on September 29th, we will return to an 8 pm start time as has been a long standing Temple of Aaron tradition. The first service on both the first day of Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur will begin at 7:30 a.m. and end at 10:30 a.m., leaving time for the Young Family Service to begin at 11:00 am. The second service for both the days will begin at noon and end by 3 pm.

There will be one service on the second day of Rosh Hashanah, from 9 am until noon. The theme this year will be "The Many Faces of Shalom."

During this creative service, we will use song, study and prayer to explore how we can achieve peace on every level. Part of working for peace and balance is having a vision for the future. During the High Holyday period, I will be sharing many of the exciting projects that are

developing from the year long strategic planning process. Hazzan Kowitz, Rabbi Cytron and I are creating what we think is an exciting and participatory service that we hope will leave everyone moved and energized.

Young Family Service

Rabbi Bernard S. Raskas Religious School Music Director Wendy Baldinger and I will again be leading the Young Family Service. This service is a high energy, exciting opportunity for children, their parents, uncles, aunts, and grandparents to share prayer, song and stories. It will be familiar, participatory and, we hope, contain a few moments that make the kids say "wow!"

Participation

We have many opportunities during the High Holyday season for you to participate in the services. There will be familiar songs and melodies, so I hope you will sing along. In addition, there are member led readings in both English and Hebrew still available. Please call Kim Thomey in the synagogue office (651-698-8874) and she can help find a reading that works for you. We will also open the ark at the end of Yom Kippur and invite anyone who wishes to the bima for a private moment of prayer.

Bima Leaders

This year Rabbi Cytron will join us on the bima, where he will lead parts of the services, give a sermon, and answer questions during the "Ask The Rabbi" session on Yom Kippur afternoon. We as a congregation will benefit from his skill and wisdom during the High Holydays just as we have during several Shabbat services already.

Neilah and Havdalah

The High Holyday season will end, as always, with Neilah and Havdalah. This year, during Havdalah, we will celebrate all congregants who have had spiritual transitions in the past year. We are inviting everyone who, in the past year: had a Bar or Bat Mitzvah, got married, received a Golden Kephah, converted to Judaism, who added to their family by birth or adoption, to the bima for a special blessing. If you have made any type of spiritual transition (however you define it) this past year, please join us.



Rabbi Alan Shavit-Lonstein

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High Holydays for 5769 will conclude on October 9th at 7:30 p.m. with a final shofar blast. You can find the complete High Holyday schedule on fliers at the synagogue, and on the website, www.templeofaaron.org. I look forward to joining all of you in song and prayer this year.



New Message Graces Raskas Road & Mississippi River Blvd.

Our hope for peace and our support of Israel is a beacon for every car, bike, pedestrian, blader, skateboarder and jogger that uses Mississippi River Boulevard.

Todah Rabah to Carrie & Dan Kleinberger for suggesting this meaningful addition to our beautiful campus.

Cantor's Column

A Busy Time

The end of summer is filled with excitement and anticipation. Especially if you are Jewish clergy. Rabbi Shavit-Lonstein and I and the entire support staff have been busy preparing for the upcoming High Holydays, and it will truly be one of comfort, joy and singing. This year at Selihot services we'll be featuring our Temple of Aaron choir chanting some of the most beautiful music that there is for this occasion. We will also be able to sing along with a few of the selections to get into the proper mood for Rosh Hashanah. This year's second day Rosh Hashanah services will be one that I hope can move and stir all of you to lift your voices to God. There will be many pieces that you will be able to sing along with and we will end with a well-known selection from the 60's. My favorite time is Kol Nidre. Chanting this special prayer, not only with the choir, but with solo violin accompaniment always stirs my soul. I know that this year will be a year that everyone will want to join in and participate with. The upcoming holiday Sukkot will be one that many teenagers and adults will be sharing their Torah reading skills at. We have so many talented readers, and we appreciate all of their involvement as each and every one of them will be going for the Golden Kephah. During this busy time, the B'nai Mitzvah schedule is in full force. Practically every week, we will have a wonderful Simcha to celebrate as each student chants their Torah and Haftorah portion. In addition to this, the month of October will culminate its ending with a big concert featuring the Inver Grove Symphonic Band at 4:00 pm on Sunday, October 26. In closing, the High Holydays is the most wondrous time filled with excitement of possibilities to come. For some, it has been a very difficult year. For others, it has been a year of birth and celebration. As I celebrate my 20th High Holydays with you, it is my prayer that each and every one of you have a new year of health, peace and blessing. May our Temple be filled with song and our hearts filled with joy.

Temple of Aaron Food Shelf Needs More Consistent Help

The Sisterhood's Food Shelf has been in great need of food and money. Please make checks payable to Temple of Aaron Sisterhood Food Shelf. Your donation is tax deductible.

We also send cards out for all occasions. Contact Marilyn Miller, 1860 Eagle Ridge Drive #302W, St. Paul, MN 55118. Thank you.

Co-Chairs Marilyn Miller & Joannie Davidson, Treasurer Lorraine Hertz

Save Time With Our Telephone System: 651-698-8874

Save this article so you know how to bypass the voice message system to quickly leave a message or ask a question: Extensions are:

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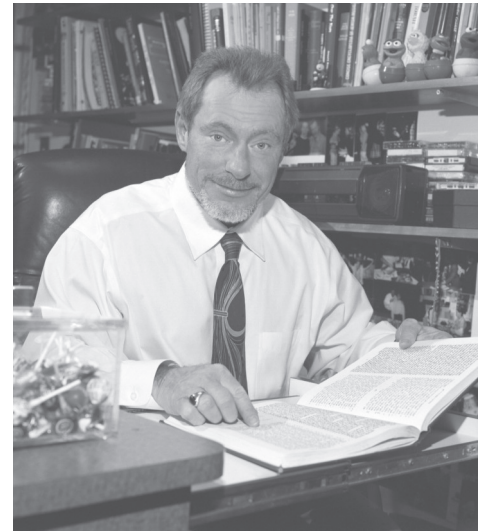


Ellie Bier, Evana Kvasnik, Bayley Taple

Herzl Camp Visit

Rabbi Alan Shavit-Lonstein

Again this year I had the opportunity to visit our students at Herzl Camp. Every one was full of energy and having a great time. Several were surprised to see me. I don't know if that was because we were meeting outside the Temple, or if it was because I was in shorts. Common to my chat with each of them was the joy they felt at seeing old friends and making new ones. Also, each felt a deeper connection to their Judaism. It was good to see them, and to help them connect their Jewish life at camp with their Jewish life at the synagogue. I look forward to strengthening these connections in the years to come.



Hazzan Mitchell D. Kowitz
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We Are Hosting A Fabulous Concert On October 26, 4:00 pm

I'm writing this article for each and every one of you to save the date of Sunday, October 26, at 4:00 pm.

Three years ago I brought in the Inver Grove Symphonic Band for a concert and sing-a-long. It was extremely well attended with over 500 people enjoying the music and singing patriotic songs at the end of the concert. In two months, once again, we will be blessed to have a concert with this talented organization featuring Jewish composers and movies. If you were not there last time, you missed one of the most joyful events in years.

This will prove to be a wonderful tribute to the movies and compositions that surround them. Imagine over 60 musicians on our bema reverberating sound and energy through the entire room. It is something that you must be there to witness and hear. The concert should last around an hour and fifteen minutes with a reception afterwards.

So please, save the date, mark it on your calendar and join us as this concert will truly bring in the new Jewish year with music and song.

I look forward to seeing each and every one of you at this one of a kind event.

— Hazzan Mitch Kowitz

Department of Youth Services



Wendy Goodman,
Director of Youth Services

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL!!

We are delighted to welcome our school families as the year 2008/2009 5768/5769 begins! We are looking forward to a rewarding, exciting, interesting and challenging year as we continue striving to help our families build a firm foundation for their children – both at the Temple of Aaron and at home.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST KICKS OFF SCHOOL ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH!

Let's have breakfast together and support our Confirmation class help defray costs of Confirmation. Parents Becca and Jon Kvasnik have been working most of the summer to ensure that the morning is fun and profitable for the class! Breakfast begins at 9:00 and ends at 10:00, followed by an opening service and classes for Toddlers through 4th grade in the Sanctuary and classes for those in 7th through 9th grades in their assigned classrooms.

OUR STAFF IS A SOURCE OF PRIDE and admiration to us as we appreciate their time, dedication and love of Jewish learning and students. The weekend staff in the Rabbi Bernard S. Raskas Religious School includes: Toddler/Parent, Marjorie Schneider, PreKindergarten, Barb Weil; Kindergarten, Susie Haim; 1st grade, Robin Taple; 2nd grade, Amy Miller-Stern, Robin Taple; 3rd grade, Deborah Jopp; 4th grade, Wendy Beth Gahm; 5th grade, Lindsay Berg, Bonnie Reinke; 6th grade, Mark Divine, Elyse Less; 7th grade, Rachel Katskee, Bonnie Reinke; 8th grade, Debbie Goldberger, Eddie Winthrop; 9th grade, Catherine Wheaton, Lindsey Garelick; Confirmation, Rabbi Shavit-Lonstein, Ernie Gulner; Art, Tracey Agranoff; Music, Wendy Baldinger.

THE ROSSY AND RICHARD SHALLER HEBREW SCHOOL for those students in 2nd through 7th grades is now in its 9th year! We are pleased with the progress of our students as they concentrate on prayer book Hebrew, learning to read fluently, understand the themes of the prayers, translate key works and actively participate in the prayer services. Our terrific staff is: 2nd grade, Amy Miller-Stern; 3rd grade, Deborah Jopp; 4th grade, Reenie Gitlin, Mark Divine; 5th grade, Bonnie Reinke, Lindsay Berg; 6th grade, Mark Gulner, Lindsey Garelick.

The 7th grade Hebrew School Wednesday evenings begins with dinner. It is a special time for socializing and catching up with friends before class. The last Wednesday of each month is a scheduled visit to Sholom East. Our staff includes: 7th grade, Eddie Winthrop, Wendy Beth Gahm and Charlie Goodman.

HONORS PROGRAM is in its 15th year and is designed for students who are post B'nai Mitzvah, who want to further their commitment to Jewish learning and to the Temple of Aaron. Faculty is: Rabbi Shavit-Lonstein, Elyse Less, Rachel Katskee, Bonnie Reinke, Alex Locke, Mark Gulner and Lindsey Garelick. They also meet on Wednesday evenings beginning with dinner and socializing and friends.

We will be teaching the assistant teachers how to teach, meeting once per month for an hour during Religious School. They will explore the nature of teaching – how to be a successful and skilled teacher – as well as other topics of their choice.

TUTORS AND ASSISTANTS TAKE ROLE MODELING SERIOUSLY

An important part of working with younger children is the concept of "role modeling" – the act of imitation – Be it dressing like their tutors, using the same voice inflections and hand movements, showing the same respect for their tutoring and attitude about Judaism. It is a major responsibility that we stress to our tutors and assistants – one which is consistently mentioned and consistently taught. And it is a

source of pride to those of us who believe so strongly in these concepts. Those who are playing a part in either Shabbat or both (Saturday or Sunday) are: Danielle Berg, Amanda Halfond, Sarah Johnson, Jayme Kauffman, Jessica Kauffman, Sam Lane, Justin Oskey, Sam Schrabber, Zachary Shaw, Andrew Weil, Erica Solomon, Taylor Werthausser, Elana Zien, Jacob Abel, Brittani Berg, Dan Kelman, Sasha Kvasnik, Danielle Perle, Alex Rosenblum, Ben Saxon, Ellie Schneider, Dan Schuleman, Dan Axelrod, Ellie Berg, Rachel Haim, Rachel Kaplan, Sophie Kaye, Joe Lane, Emmy Saxon, Maddy Lerner, Paulina Marrell. Sonya Rosen, Melia Rosen, Gilad Segal, Elliott Stern, Devin Werthausser, William Zien, Devin Bernick, Sophie Gotlieb, Sara Gotlieb, Jennie Bernick, Samantha Saltzman, Isaac Spektor, Morgan Werthausser, Ellie Bier, Jeanne Bloomberg, Joe Devitt, Michael Feinstein, Evana Kvasnik, Ellie Rosenthal, Bayley Taple, and Asaf Segal.

High Holyday Schedule for Grades 1 - 6

Rosh Hashanah Day 1 And Yom Kippur morning:

Alef service Grades 1-6

9:15-9:45	Services in Chapel
9:45-10:30	Tikun Olam project in Freeman Art Room
9:45-10:30	Teen Service in Chapel

Bet Service Grades 1-6

1:30-2:15	Services in Chapel
2:15-3:00	Tikun Olam project in Freeman Art Room
2:15-3:00	Teen Service in Chapel

Rosh Hashanah Day 2 Service Grades 1-6

9:45-10:15	Services in Chapel
10:15-11:00	Tikun Olam project in Freeman Art Room

Students join parents for the remainder of the main service



Aaron Liebo

I would like to begin by thanking you all for welcoming me into this position with such open arms!

I am really excited for this upcoming year. My goals as the new youth director are to combine fun activities, acts of Tikun Olam, and prayer to help our members ease into the Jewish community. The combination of these three elements will allow them to enter any community with confidence, understanding, and joy in their Jewish identity.

I welcome all suggestions and “pop-ins” to help make this year the best year it can be; not only for our members, but for those they will encounter on a day-to-day basis.

Being Jewish needs to be fun, thoughtful, and giving; and with this great group, we can set the bar high on all three.

Thanks again, and I hope to hear from all of you. — Aaron Liebo, Youth Director

Youth Events

September 7- 12:30-2:00 PM
Tap Class for *Anything Goes*

September 10th- 6:30PM-9:00 PM
Root beer and Study Night with TUSY

September 14th- 12:30-2:00PM Tap
Class for *Anything Goes*

September 20th- 7:00PM-10:00 PM
Havdallah, TUSY and 8th Grade Event

September 21st-12:30-2:00PM Tap
Class for *Anything Goes*

September 25th- 5:00PM-8:00 PM
TUSY Tikun Olam and Pizza Dinner

September 28th-12:30-2:00 PM
Tap Class for *Anything Goes*

L’Atid Helps Reshape Our Present and Future

Effective strategic planning implements multiple improvements in varied areas. Committee Chair Judy Werthausser notes she already sees subtle changes in the *Aaronion*, based on feedback from two crucial committees: *Elu v Elu Divrei Elohim HaChaim* (Improving Communication) and *Tikun Olam* (Social Action) .

President Nancy Lane has expressed deep admiration for the ongoing time committee members are investing to help the synagogue be more meaningful in the lives of more members. Extensive clergy participation is being applied to create more life-long learning options, more volunteer opportunities, and more worship strategies, all to strengthen our community.

Rabbi Shavit-Lonstein and Hazzan Kowitz encourage all members to share ideas for improvement. Attracting new members and investing more time in out-reach to people under 35 are crucial for our Membership Committee. A more welcoming environment can be achieved by clergy, staff and members working cooperatively in this effort.

Svetlana Kazistova Is Our New Kitchen Supervisor

Our Kitchen Committee, led by Betty Agranoff, Nancy Perle, Polly Saxon, Paula Schrabber and Marcia Taple conducted interviews with a variety of qualified kitchen operators.

The Committee is proud to announce the hiring of Svetlana Kazistova, who has worked in a variety of capacities in our kitchen since 1997.

The committee will provide more information on a regular basis regarding menu options and pricing.

Svetlana will specialize in providing food for synagogue events 52 weeks per year. Also, she will be available for cost-effective, small catered events with limited menu options for 75 people or less.

Also, there are a variety of top notch kosher caterers in the Twin Cities who can meet your needs for luncheons and dinners serving larger crowds.

Shabbat Babysitting Every Week In Jacob Locke Preschool Center

Try this option so you can enjoy a meaningful service, while your child enjoys the age-appropriate environment nurtured by experienced, caring individuals.

Make A Planned Gift Today to Build The Temple of Aaron of Tomorrow

Everyone can make a gift to support existing endowment funds. A single *chai* gift of \$18 helps solidify our future.

We are delighted to discuss various options available for you to make a lasting gift.

You can consider including Temple of Aaron in your will, or name the Temple in your life insurance or retirement plan. Or you may wish to honor a loved one with a new endowment fund. These are just a few of the available options.

Contact Exec. Dir. Ken Agranoff if you would like to discuss your next step in strengthening Temple of Aaron.

Welcome to Temple of Aaron Community

Please welcome everyone to our Temple of Aaron family:

- Aviva Abosch & Joe Dowd
- Eric Bomberg
- Tracy Bomberg
- Jan Ehrlich
- Becky Feinwachs
- Andrew Greene
- Alexandra Grin
- Marshall & Julie Hoffman
- Steve Jones
- Jeff Lande & Jennifer Hall-Lande
- Jana Lane
- Brian & Ann Latzer
- Jonathan Muscoplat & Miriam Halstead
- Mark Nauth
- Glenyce & Jeff Stine
- Andrea Warren
- Tracy Warren
- Bevin Waters

Thank You

Todah Rabah

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נחמו נחמו עמי

*Our deep and sincere sympathy
to the families
of the following members
who have passed away*

**Mollie Bloom
Leon Weingarten**

*A Memorial Plaque
Has Been Displayed For*

Debra Faith Katz

Cemetery Planning Saves Family Stress

Contact Executive Director Ken Agranoff, 651-698-8874 x106, to schedule a 15-minute meeting to review options, locations and financial information. Flower planting can be endowed forever by creating a fund for \$2,000.

Honor Someone with an Inscribed Prayer Book

It is a great honor for both donor and honoree to dedicate a new Daily Prayer Book for the Leifman Chapel.

Your desired wording will be included on a dedicatory book plate affixed to the inside front cover of the prayer book.

There is a limit of one book per family, so more have an opportunity to honor someone.

Please mail your desired wording and check for \$36 to the Temple office, attention Kathy.

Thank you (*todah rabah*) to those listed below who supported our Yahrzeit Fund in memory of loved ones with donations of \$10 or more

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| Alm, Adler, Shelley | Jerson, Francine & Sidney | Ringer, Jan & Sherman |
| Agranoff, Betty | Kahn, Bruce | Rutzick, Ethie & Yale |
| Aldes, Mike | Kamin, Evelyn | Rutzick, Sandy |
| Averbach, Rose | Kanivetsky, Rozita | Sadowsky, Sherman |
| Barenbaum, Stanley | Kaplan, Louis | Savage, Edith |
| Bergal, Ruth | Katz, Chelle & Leon | Schraber, David, Paula & Sons |
| Besner, Rae | Kloner, Louise | Schumeister, Ruth Ann & Dick |
| Block, Maxine | Lane, Miles | Shear, Bert |
| Blumenfeld, Milt & Geri | Levitt, Bea & Art | Silverman, Toby |
| Bookspan, Bonnie | Levitt, Rachel | Simon, Yetta & Jerome |
| Braginsky, Isya | Levy, Harriet | Skadron, Stan & Nancy |
| Cohen, Loretta | Lifson, Helen & Ron | Sloane, Sylvia |
| Diamond, Harvey | Lovich, Robert | Solodkina, Rakhil |
| Dudovitz, Sophie | Mack, Ellen | Spector, Daniel |
| Edelstein, Rebecca | Mary, Bob & Florie | Stacker, Howard |
| Eisenstadt, Linda & Larry | Mastbaum, Mildred | Stillman, Tom & Sue-Sue |
| Fleyshman, Nelli | McKee, Lenore | Straus, Zelda & Stanley |
| Garbuz, Khaya | Michaels, Noreen | Tisnovskaya, Izabella |
| Gleeman, Harriet | Mogol, Leo | Tragar, C.A. |
| Gleeman, Mark, Kristin & Andy | Mogol, Marc | Udodovsky, Mira |
| Godes, Barb & Steve | Orloff, Arnold | Udodovsky, Vladimir |
| Goldberg, Sharleen | Paletz Family | Vysotskaya, Mila & Eydelman, Grigoriy |
| Goldberg, Shirley | Patterson, Esther | Vysotsky, Alla & Gak, Feliks |
| Goldetsky, Celia | Peker, Busya | Warren, Mel & Marilyn |
| Goldman, Irene | Pieser, Ben | Watchman, Israel |
| Gordon, Frank & Cookie | Pieser, Sara | Zukerman, Boris |
| Grobovsky, Shirley | Pogoler, Barbara & Andrew | |
| Halbrich, Arleen | Portnoy, Roxanne | |
| | Pripilitskaya, Pesya | |
| | Rafowitz, Sam | |

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... to David Baldinger for leading the congregation in Shabbat services.

... to Cheryl Bier for arranging the Shabbat Potluck Dinner.

... to Gary Portnoy for coordinating food for the Sit Down Shabbat Kiddush.

... to Irene & Howard Goldman for reading from *Lamentations* during *Tisha B'Av*.

... to Larry Eisenstadt for leading Friday night services on August 15th.

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FOR
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WILL BE HERE
IN 2010**

Sisterhood News

Paid-Up Membership Dinner – Thursday, Sept. 18th, 6:30 p.m., at Temple of Aaron. Matthew Bear, pianist, and Samuel Van Wyk, vocalist, will be entertaining us at our first Sisterhood event of the year. Mr. Bear is a local pianist, music director and vocal coach who has been the rehearsal pianist and keyboard player in the pit orchestra at the Bloomington Civic Theater for numerous shows, the music director at The Lyric Arts of Anoka for several productions and has also worked with the Morris Park Players, the Stages Theater Company, the Fourtissimo Coalition and in the public schools. He currently works at Ameriprise Financial. Mr. Van Wyk has performed nationally but now calls the Twin Cities his home. He has performed in numerous productions at the Bloomington Civic Theater, the Minneapolis Musical Theater and at the Park Square Theater. To reserve your spot for this musical evening, send a check for \$18, payable to Temple of Aaron Sisterhood by Sept. 11th, to Marcia Taple, 1833 Eagle Ridge Dr. #4, Mendota Heights, MN 55118. Need a ride, want to request a vegetarian meal or for any other questions, call Marcia at 651-688-3030.

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Book Club – On September 21st, the Book Club is meeting to discuss *Then She Found Me* by Elinor Lipman. The group meets on the third Sunday of the month at The Highland Café and Bakery in Highland Park at 10:00 a.m. Questions, call Teddy Gerr at 651-405-6658 or Anna Specktor at 651-454-4612.

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Art Show/Israeli Art Exhibit & Sale – Nov. 20th – Nov. 23rd at Temple featuring original oil paintings, watercolors, lithographs and etchings, 1500 works by 100 Israeli artists. Thursday, Nov. 20th from 7:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. there will be a wine and cheese preview with a \$5 admission charge; open house dates are as follows: Friday, Nov. 21st from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 22nd from 7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m., and Sunday, Nov. 23rd from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Time to redecorate!! Volunteers still needed to make this event a success; call Marcia Taple to help out.

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Warm Up America: Community Service Project – Join this group of knitters and help to create lovely afghans which will be donated to those in need. For more info, call Catherine Wheaton at 651-730-8330.

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Education Committee – Get involved at the beginning of something new. Sisterhood is looking for a chairperson to head up this new committee. Call Paula Schrabert at 651-454-2708.

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Upcoming Events: Sept. 18th – Paid-Up Membership Dinner; Oct. 16th – Bob Latz will discuss his book, *Jews in Minnesota Politics; The Inside Stories*; Nov. 6th – Allison Kaplan, columnist for the Pioneer Press, will discuss women's topics; Nov. 20th-23rd – Art Exhibit & Sale.

Men's Club Menschenings L'Shana Tovah!

The Temple of Aaron Men's Club once again hosted a very successful picnic on Sunday July 27, which was attended by nearly 100 people. Enjoyment of the great food was only exceeded by the warmth of spending time with family and friends. At the risk of leaving someone out, I would like to thank the following people for making the event such a huge success: George and Cheryl Bier, Matt Clark, Jim Leventhal, Matt O'Brien, Jeff Stein, Howard Bell, David Baldinger, Hugh Gitlin, and the Temple's maintenance staff.

Upcoming fall events include flipping pancakes on Sunday, September 7 for the congregational breakfast on the first day of Sunday School that benefits the Confirmation class (we begin no later than 7 a.m.); Sukkah building after Yom Kippur; and our annual bonfire sing-along in October. We need your participation! We want your company!

I would like to take this opportunity to encourage you to join the Men's Club for the low annual dues of \$36. Please make your check payable to "Temple of Aaron Men's Club" and send it to

SISTERHOOD GIFT SHOP 651-699-9192

SEPTEMBER HOURS

Sundays 9:00–11:30
Tuesday 10:00–2:00
Wednesday 10:00–1:00 & 6–8
Thursday 10:00–1:00

For Your Holydays:

Shofars, Candle Sticks
Apple & Honey Dishes
Table Cloths
Fruit & Vegetable Dishes
Children's Books
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Kiddush Fountains, Cups

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Please call me at (651) 452-4465 if you have any questions.

B'Shalom,

Terry R. Zien
President
Temple of Aaron Men's Club

L'Shanah Tovah Tikatavu

2008 Temple of Aaron Sisterhood 5769

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Chaya and Terry Zien and Family

Interfaith Iftar Dinner on September 7, 2008

You are cordially invited to an Interfaith Iftar/Ramadan Dinner, hosted by the Islamic Center of Minnesota, in cooperation with the St. Paul Interfaith Network and many local houses of worship and community organizations. The evening will include dinner, an introduction to the Islamic practice of fasting in Ramadan, and a discussion of the theme, "Knowing God," in Jewish, Christian and Muslim traditions. The event will take place on Sunday, September 7th at 6:45-9:15 PM at the Islamic Center of Minnesota, 1401 Gardena Avenue, Fridley, MN 55432. Registration is required by September 2nd at www.spacc.org/iftar. A donation of \$15 is requested for the fish dinner. Women may wish to honor Muslim custom by covering their heads. Questions? Contact Marc Blakesley at mblakesley@spacc.org (preferred) or 651-789-3877.

Fall Interfaith Dialogue Series

"Your Truth and My Truth: Absolutes and Openness in Our Religious Traditions." Mark your calendar for an interfaith dialogue series sponsored by the Saint Paul Interfaith Network, Temple of Aaron and a number of other faith communities; to be held five Monday evenings, Oct. 27 - Nov. 24, 2008, at five different area houses of worship. Dialogue will focus on questions such as: How does your faith tradition view the teachings and practices of other religious traditions?

How can we affirm both absolutes and openness in our religious traditions? How can our traditions support positive interfaith relationships without sacrificing their uniqueness and authority? Each evening will include brief presentations by area religious leaders, followed by facilitated dialogue in groups of participants from different traditions. Open to the public; donations invited. Watch for further details and/or check www.spacc.org/spin for information and pre-registration.

HOMELESS SHELTER UPDATE

The Temple of Aaron had another successful year with Project Home. This program is sponsored by the Saint Paul Area Council of Churches to assist families who are temporarily homeless. We helped host the overflow homeless shelters at Unity Unitarian Church in May and Messiah Episcopal Church in June. The Social Justice Committee would like to recognize and thank our following members who volunteered for this important effort to benefit homeless families: Sasha Amnuel, John Ball, Lisa Capp, Becky Feinwachs, Susan Flynn, Hugh Gitlin, Reenie Gitlin, Bruce Goldfarb, Laurie Goldfarb, Howard Goldman, Irene Goldman, Etta Lambright, Bill Lerman, Brook Leventhal, Mindy Leventhal, Jan Phillips, Gary Portnoy, Roxanne Portnoy, Judy Rein, Chris Rosenthal, Vic Rosenthal, Doris Rubenstein, Gayle Saeks, Larry Solomon, Gregg Steinman, Kelsey Steinman, Robin Taple, Brian Zaidman, and Rachel Zaidman.

SEPTEMBER WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

We display every 5 years and all anniversaries of more than 50 years

מזל טוב

- 5 Neil & Nancy Fink,
- 5 Thomas & Pauline Sayer
- 10 Howard & Lynn Goldman
- 15 Steve & Debbie Zuckerman
- 20 Dave & Layne Rosen
- 20 Allen & Judy Werthausen
- 35 Phil & Mary Beth Kibort
- 40 Ira & Peggy Denenholz
- 53 Gerry & Inge Hirschhorn
- 55 Jim & Marcella Kahn
- 58 Ed & Elaine Devitt
- 60 Stanley & Bettie Barenbaum
- 60 Marvin & Millie Jacobson
- 60 Ben & Kayleen Feldman
- 62 Sid & Lorraine Applebaum
- 67 Sherman & Marge Rutzick
- 67 Max & Jeanette Kurnow

AUGUST WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

We display every 5 years and all anniversaries of more than 50 years

מזל טוב

- 5 Andrea & Daniel Dobrin,
- 5 Linda & Cantor Mitchell Kowitz
- 10 Janie & David Berg
- 15 Debbie Schnur & Darin Warling,
- 15 Cori Rutchick & Scott Newell
- 15 Lynn & Brian Hisle
- 20 Rona & Bob Devitt
- 35 Bonita & Ken Prawer
- 35 Lucy & Slav Slutsky
- 40 Jane & David Broude
- 45 Carole & Leonard Levine
- 45 Carole & Harold Fogel
- 45 Nancy & Charles Reich
- 50 Ruta & Mikhail Fradkina
- 52 Nancy & Stan Skadron
- 52 Shirley & Ron Goldman
- 53 Georgia & Jerry Fishman
- 53 Sis & Ron Goren
- 53 Jan & Sherm Ringer
- 53 Ryv & Bill Tilsner
- 56 Annette & Milt Zien
- 57 Malka & Ernie Goodman
- 59 Marilyn & Mel Warren
- 60 Barbara & Fred Hirsekorn
- 61 Motel & Roza Vinokur

SUPPORT THE RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE

Temple of Aaron members support the Ronald McDonald House in its effort to provide a "home away from home" for families of seriously ill children receiving treatment at nearby hospitals. Since its inception, more than 10 million families around the world have benefited from the comfort provided by a Ronald McDonald House.

We are excited that we are offering brunches the 4th Sunday of each month. Either individuals or groups (families - friends - clubs - chavurah etc.) may volunteer to participate.

Our brunches will provide much needed and appreciated respite to people who are facing significant challenges. If you (or your group) are interested in volunteering please call either: Jaymee Chanen at: 651-698-1183 or Richard Diner at: 651-748-0047

Good Recipes are Always Welcome



Everyone Needs a Bayit



The Hebrew word for home, *bayit*, begins with the first letter of the Torah, a letter shaped like a house, a *bet*. And this is no coincidence, since the letter *bet* represents all that a home should be. It is solid and simple, with a roof for protection and a solid foundation for stability. Most importantly, like a good home, the letter *bet* is open and welcoming of guests.

The Torah begins with the *bet* because all else depends on it. A place to call home is not considered by Jewish tradition to be a luxury, but a necessity. While ritual and study are central, the mitzvah of making sure that the basic needs of everyone in the community (both Jewish and not) are met, take precedence. It is up to each of us to help ensure that everyone in St. Paul has a *bet*, a *bayit*; a safe and secure place to call home. (Rabbi Alan Shavit-Lonstein)

Report on the Habitat For Humanity Build-2008

DALE STREET COMMONS- On a series of very steamy July days, Temple of Aaron members helped to frame the upper floors of several 2 BR units on Dale St. in St Paul, just north of University. This area is one of the targeted neighborhoods of St. Paul that is being revitalized as part of the city's new vision. As a partner of Interfaith Builders, we helped St. Paul's vision of affordable housing to move forward. This 4-flat building incorporates both affordability and "green construction" for the long term benefit of the new homeowners. Bent nails and sore thumbs aside, this hands-on experience is one that EVERYONE with a concern for *Tikkun Olam*, "Repairing the World," should take part in. It gives us all a greater appreciation for what most of us consider a given—safe, affordable housing; yet one that has been denied to so many good people who are struggling on a day to day basis.

Please join us next year!

Ever notice how many foods have a kosher *hekhsher*? Ever thought about how kosher food is produced? Does kosher food production comply with Jewish ethical social justice values? Soon read more about the Conservative Hekhsher Tzedek campaign and our involvement.

TAKE NOTE - A fall series about immigrant populations. Call the JCA (651) 632-2184 for dates, times and topics.

Habitat in a Nutshell

- Operating since 1985.
- Built over 650 homes in the 7-county metro area in those years.
- no interest is charged to new homeowners.
- Out of 650 applicants each year, 50 are chosen for a habitat home.



PROFILE: Suellen Flynn



Coming from Connecticut via California, Suellen is no stranger to Habitat, having been a part of "builds" there before coming to us in 1999.

Suellen was instrumental in bringing us to Interfaith Builders and HFH in 2001- seeing our commitment grow each year.

Her view: "I believe we all need to give back what we can to make a better world."

High Holyday Ushers needed

Usher captains
Neil Gitlin and Ron Miller
are trying to recruit more
volunteer ushers to help the services
run smoothly.

If you want to help during part or all of
the services, please contact
Ron, Neil or the Temple office.

Added Security To Provide Sense of Control

In 2007, each member had an opportunity to make a \$25 or \$50 donation to provide additional security during the High Holydays and on weekends while school is in session. More than 50% of the congregation responded favorably.

We respect the viewpoint of those who believe the extra precautions are not needed. Security charges for 2008 have appeared on August statements.

Recognize a special occasion, save time & help the Temple

Janet Gordon (651-698-8809) and Sis Goren (651-686-0425) are happy to mail meaningful cards on your behalf for all occasions. These volunteers mail Building Fund cards throughout the year and all the donations are presented to the synagogue at the annual meeting. Treasurer Betty Agranoff bills twice per year, May and December. Call Janet or Sis to save time while remembering a milestone or sending condolences.

Order Lulav & Etrog Sets

Having your own *Lulav* and *Etrog* is an important *mitzvah* to fulfill on *Sukkot*. The sets are ordered from New York City. Therefore, we need to receive your \$50 check by Monday, **October 6**. Your check is your *Lulav* and *Etrog* order. You may pick up your order from Ritual Coordinator Larry Eisenstadt in **Stein Hall** on Monday, **October 13** after 6 pm Minyan.



Endowments and Special Gifts above and beyond dues add to our High Holyday experience

Yearly, a new Supplementary Service Booklet for 2nd Day Rosh Hashanah is donated in loving memory of S. Paul Johnson, Toni Braverman and Lewis H. & Rivian Johnson.

Max (of blessed memory) & Felicia Schulz established an endowment for Rosh Hashanah expenses in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary.

The David A. Berg Family created an endowment that provides apples and honey on the 2nd day of Rosh Hashanah.

Friends and family of Rachel Liba Cardozo established the Baalat Koreh grant in her memory. We perpetuate her beautiful High Holyday trop by funding a teacher to train Torah readers in her trop. Wendy Kane continues to train Golden Kephah recipients.

Ken & Tracey Agranoff created an endowment to sponsor the Holydays Family Services in the sanctuary in memory of fathers Harry Agranoff and Sidney Cass, in honor of mothers Marion Cass and Betty Agranoff, and in honor of daughters, Samantha and Jessica.

David & Paula, Adam & Samuel Schraber established an endowment for High Holyday Torah Reading in honor of the 62nd wedding anniversary of David's parents, Rose & Harry Schraber, of blessed memory.

Yizkor and Yom Kippur Supplement Booklet was given in memory of William & Fanny Feldman Smith by children Lorraine & Sid Applebaum, Joyce & Marvin Smith (of Blessed Memory), Marilyn & Richard Smith.

Tashlich Service Booklets and bird seed are provided by an endowment from Dr. Paul & Lois Bloomberg in honor of daughters Anne, Sarah and Jeanne.

The David A. Berg Family created an endowment in memory of Robert H. Berg to provide a "Break the Fast" following the final shofar blast on Yom Kippur. Janie & David Berg helped organize the festive food and beverages.

Bimah flowers are provided by a fund in memory of Marvin Perlman.

High Holyday Babysitting is partially endowed by the generosity of the congregation in memory of Carole Kowitz and by her family, Shelly, Michael, Joshua & Hazzan Mitchell Kowitz.

Our Machzorim were donated in loving memory of Ben & Stella Freeman by their children, Arthur, of blessed memory & Margie, Earl, of blessed memory & Gretta, Allen & Toba; in loving memory of Marion & Alfred Spicer and Mildred Kaplan and in honor of Louis Kaplan from the H.S. Kaplan Family Fund of the Minneapolis Foundation; in loving memory of our parents, Samuel & Edith Mack and Jack & Adele Shaller, by Rossy & Richard Shaller; with loving thoughts of our Parents and Grandparents, Lillian & Morris Savage, Yetta & Julius Yellin from Susan & Dr. Paul Yellin, Jason & Mandi Yellin.

Yom Kippur Havdalah candles have been endowed by Jim and Judy Berg in honor of the B'not mitzvah of Brittani and Danielle Berg.

David Gregory Wows The Crowd for a Very Successful Annual Fundraiser

More than 300 people were enthralled by "The Race to The White House" program. Our dynamic Annual Fundraiser Committee was led by Laurie & Bruce Goldfarb, Lisa & Randy Lane, Polly & Michael Saxon, Erike & Paul Applebaum, Elaine & Michael Johnson, and Julie & Bill Gotlieb.

Politics impact everyone and David Gregory displayed the virtuosity to educate, entertain, and engage everyone who attended.

We appreciate everyone's support. The net proceeds help pay a portion of the tuition for families who cannot afford full tuition to our educational program options.

We are investing in the youngest generation so they can appreciate the beauty of our Jewish traditions.



Temple of Aaron Calendar of Events

September 2008
Elul 5768 / Tishri 5769

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Day 9:00 am Minyan Office Closed 6 pm Service 7 pm Bldg. Closes	2 7:30 am Minyan 6 pm Service 7 pm Bldg. Closes	3 7:30 am Minyan 6 pm Service 6:30 pm Grief Group	4 7:30 am Minyan 6 pm Service 6:30 pm Talmud Class 7:30 pm Bible Study	5 7:30 am Service 8 pm Shabbat Service Candlelighting 7:24 pm	6 8am Coffee w/Rashi 9 am Service 6 pm Minyan
7 9am Pancake Breakfast Start of Sun. School 9 am Service 5 pm Hebrew Class 6 pm Service	8 7:30 am Minyan Office Closed 6 pm Service 7 pm Bldg. Closes	9 7:30 am Minyan 6 pm Service 7 pm Bldg. Closes	10 7:30 am Minyan 4pm Heb. School Begins 6 pm Service 6:30 pm Honors, 7grade	11 7:30 am Minyan 6 pm Service 6:30 pm Talmud Class 7:30 pm Bible Study	12 7:30am Service 8 pm Service-ESL Jack Schuleman Bar Mitzvah Candlelighting 7:11 pm	13 8am Coffee w/Rashi 9 am Service Shabbat School Begins Jack Schuleman Bar Mitzvah 6 pm Minyan
14 9 am Service, School 5 pm Hebrew Class 6 pm Service	15 7:30 am Minyan Office Closed 6 pm Service 7 pm Bldg. Closes	16 7:30 am Minyan 6 pm Service 7 pm Bldg. Closes	17 7:30 am Minyan 4 on Heb. School 6 pm Service 6:30 pm Honors, 7grade. Grief Group	18 7:30 am Minyan 6 pm Service 6:30 pm Talmud Class 7:30 pm Bible Study	19 7:30am Service 8 pm Service Sonya Rosen Bat Mitzvah Candlelighting 6:57 pm	20 8am Coffee w/Rashi 9 am Service Shabbat School Sonya Rosen Bat Mitzvah 6 pm Minyan 9:00 pm Selihot Service
21 9 am Service, School 5 pm Hebrew Class 6 pm Service	22 7:30 am Minyan Office Closed 6 pm Service 7 pm Bldg. Closes	23 7:30 am Minyan 6 pm Service 7 pm Bldg. Closes	24 7:30 am Minyan 4 on Heb. School 6 pm Service 6:30 pm Honors, 7grade	25 7:30 am Minyan 6 pm Service 6:30 pm Talmud Class 7:30 pm Bible Study	26 7:30am Service 6 pm Service -ESL Followed by Potluck Dinner Candlelighting 6:44 pm	27 8am Coffee w/Rashi 9 am Service Shabbat School 6 pm Minyan
28 9 am Service, School 5 pm Hebrew Class 6 pm Service	29 7:30 am Minyan Office Closed 8 pm Service Erev Rosh Hashanah	30 1 Tishri Rosh Hashanah Office Closed 7:30 am First Service 12 Noon Second Service 5:30 pm Tashlich 6 pm Service				

B'nai Mitzvah

Jack Schuleman, son of **Michelle** and **Mark Schuleman** and brother of **Danny**, will celebrate his *Bar Mitzvah* on *Shabbat*, September 12th and 13th, 2008.

Jack is in the 8th grade at Friendly Hills Middle School. He enjoys computers, electronics overall, acting, reading, creative writing, car statistics and playing Gran Turismo, and is a member of Temple of Aaron Kadima.

Jack has designated the Second Harvest Heartland for his *tzedakah* contribution.

Oneg Shabbat will be sponsored by Jack's grandparents, **Al** and **Tos Dietz**, and his *Zaide* and wife, **John** and **Margot Schuleman**.



Jack Schuleman

Sonya Rosen, daughter of **Layne** and **Dave Rosen**, will celebrate her *Bat Mitzvah* on *Shabbat*, September 19th and 20th, 2008.

Sonya is in the 8th grade at Hopkins North Junior High School, where she participates in Student Council, Cadet Band, soccer and track. She also enjoys biking, Camp Chi, reading, photography, and is a member of Kadima.

Sonya has designated Prism Food Shelf for her *tzedakah* contribution.

Oneg Shabbat and Kiddush refreshments will be sponsored by her grandparents, **Carolyn** and **Joe Rosen** and parents, **Layne** and **Dave Rosen**.



Sonya Rosen



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