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Temple Israel

Bulletin

WELCOME, NEW LIFE

Nervous, scared, and excited, we awaited Emily's birth. Our doctor scheduled a C-Section delivery on Friday, January 3rd. A few days before her birth, I began to feel Emily knocking at the doors of life. By the time I arrived at the hospital on January 3rd at 6:00 am, Emily was ready to be born. The day started out with hospital routine, triage, nurses checking vital signs, and IVs going into my arm. However, as the staff began to trickle into my room, we realized it was no ordinary day. No, I am not talking about my daughter about to be born, for we were overwhelmed by the sea of scarlet and gray colors that the hospital staff and visitors wore. It was the day of the Fiesta Bowl 2003 after all, and we just happened to be having a baby on this day. My doctor arrived a few minutes before surgery to check on me. She sported a scarlet red blazer, and an Ohio State turtle neck. As I looked up at the nurse helping me along to the surgical room, I noticed that she was wearing Ohio State earrings. During my surgery prep, the discussion didn't circle around what we would name the baby, what sex we anticipated, or how Dad was holding up. Instead, questions began with what time is kick off, where are you watching the game, and how everyone hoped the Buckeyes would win the national championship. As the clock ticked ahead, Emily was born at 8:24 am and within seconds we heard the scream of life. The cry from a newly born baby is the most beautiful sound. It was clear and loud as Emily let us know she was ready to begin her life.

Baruch ata Adonai Eloheinu melech haolam, shehechyanu vekiyemanu vehigeanu lazman haze.

As I gazed at Emily for the first time, the words of the *Shehechyanu* went through my mind. What else is there to say. Thank you God for her life. We praise You, Eternal God, Sovereign of the Universe, for giving us this child, for sustaining us through surgery, and for enabling us to reach this day together as a family. Amazing! Truly Awesome! There are no other words to express the miracle of birth. Of course, the Buckeyes went on to win on Emily's birthday, and we knew we would forever be a family of Buckeye fans, as all Columbus celebrated. Please join with David, Jeremy, and me on Saturday morning, March 8 at 10:30 am, as we give Emily Hallie Lefton her Jewish name.

—Rabbi Deborah Lefton

Moments of Prayer

Saturday, March 1

Shabbat Morning Service – 10:30 am

Shabbat Vayechel

Location: Prayer Space

Friday, March 7

Erev Shabbat Service – 6:00 pm

Kindergarten Participating

Rabbi Nemitoff will speak

Location: Sanctuary

Shabbat Dinner – 7:00 pm

Join us for our First Friday service - shorter and more informal, welcoming to families and children. A special story, appropriate for all ages, will be offered instead of a sermon. Following our service, be sure to stay for a scrumptious Shabbat dinner. **Reservations are required.**

Saturday, March 8

Shabbat Morning Service – 10:30 am

Naming: Emily Hallie Lefton, daughter of David and Rabbi Deborah Lefton

Shabbat Pekudei

We welcome into our Temple Israel family, *Emily Hallie Lefton*, daughter of our own Rabbi Deborah Lefton and her husband, David. We rejoice in the growth of their family and delight in welcoming this special child into our hearts. Please be with us for this unique moment in our congregation's life.

Location: Prayer Space



Friday, March 14

Erev Shabbat Service – 8:00 pm

Rabbi Goldfarb will speak

Location: Prayer Space

Saturday, March 15

Shabbat Morning Service – 10:30 am

Rabbi Nemitoff will teach

Shabbat Vayikra

Location: Prayer Space

Concurrent Tot Shabbat Svc- 10:30 am

Our youngest congregants and friends will enjoy a delightful Shabbat morning experience. Join us in a celebration of prayer, song, and activities.

Location: Sanctuary/Social Hall C

Monday, March 17

Erev Purim Celebration

5:30 pm - Megillah Reading, Songs & Purim Shpiel: *Whose Megillah Is It Anyway?*

6:30 pm - Purim Carnival & Dinner

Come One! Come All! Come in Costume! Purim comes

but once a year and is filled with surprises, ACTIVE participation (Hint! Hint!), and lots of fun.

Following a great rendition of the Purim story, enjoy our Purim Carnival, with food and prizes galore, hosted by our youth group, YFTL. **BE SURE TO COME IN COSTUMES...ALL AGES!**



Friday, March 21

Erev Shabbat Service – 6:00 pm

Rabbi Nemitoff will speak

Location: Prayer Space

Saturday, March 22

Shabbat Morning Service – 10:30 am

Bar Mitzvah: Jay Hirsh

Shabbat Tzav

Location: Sanctuary

Friday, March 28

Erev Shabbat Service – 8:00 pm

Rabbi Goldfarb will speak

Location: Prayer Space

Saturday, March 29

Shabbat Morning Service – 10:30 am

Rabbi Nemitoff will teach

Shabbat Shemini

Location: Prayer Space

Shabbat Dinner

on

Friday, March 7

service - 6 pm

dinner - 7 pm

Cost - \$10/adult; \$5/child

Reserve your spot
at our Shabbat table!

614-866-0010;
office@templeisrael.org

FRIDAY EVENINGS

1st Friday - 6 pm service
followed by 7 pm Shabbat dinner
(reservations required for dinner)

2nd Friday - 8 pm service
followed by an Oneg Shabbat

3rd Friday - 6 pm service

4th Friday - 8 pm service
followed by an Oneg Shabbat

SATURDAY MORNINGS

Every Saturday Morning
10:30 am service



MARCH SERVICE SCHEDULE

Rabbi's Message

Dear Friends,

Eighteen years ago, I set out on a journey that has taken me from the world of retail and restaurants into the realm of spirituality and self-realization. This journey has brought me to the heights of human happiness, to the depths of human despair and has deepened my understanding of God and Judaism. Since becoming a rabbi, I have served congregations in El Paso, Texas, Flint, Michigan and, for the past two years, Columbus, Ohio. Though the places changed and the duties varied, the one constant throughout my rabbinate was my desire to serve the Jewish people.

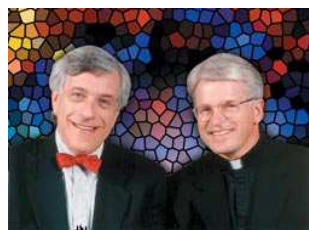
I have the opportunity to follow that passion and serve the Columbus Jewish community as its first Community Chaplain, a position created by the Columbus Jewish Federation, Columbus Jewish Foundation and endorsed by the Columbus Board of Rabbis. The duties of the Community Chaplain will include networking with Jewish congregations, hospitals, nursing home, care fa-

cilities and prisons in and around Columbus, to better meet the needs of individual Jews and the Jewish community.

It is with mixed emotions that I write you to tell you that I have accepted the position of Community Chaplain for the Columbus Jewish Community to begin this summer. I have very much enjoyed being a part of the Temple Israel family! I am grateful for the opportunities afforded me by Rabbi Nemitoff, Susan Schubert and the Temple Board of Trustees. I thank each of you for welcoming me into your hearts and am grateful for the opportunity to serve you and to share with you in the joys and sorrows of life. Although our time together has been relatively short, I feel deeply enriched by the experiences we have shared. *Chazak, Chazak v'Nitchazek* – May we continue to move from strength, to strength as we strengthen each other!

L'Shalom,
–Rabbi Mark Goldfarb

The God Squad



Rabbi Marc Gellman and Monsignor Tom Hartman – “The God Squad”

Sunday, May 4

Major Sponsor Dinner - 5:30 pm

Presentation - 7 pm

Sponsor Dessert - following

Who is this unlikely pair? A rabbi and a priest. Reform Jew and Catholic. Religion consultants and philosophers. Fun and funny. Men of faith. Unique. **How did they meet?** They met 15 years ago when Passover and Easter fell on the same day and a local TV station invited them to explain the similarities and differences between Passover and Easter in two minutes. That's when they first explained the mysteries of life in a ridiculously short period of time — that there are no chocolate bunnies on Passover and no horseradish on Easter. For more information, the pair urged people to find a synagogue or church! **How does Temple Israel benefit from your support?** This is the second (annual?) fundraiser that the synagogue has sponsored. The proceeds from this event will benefit all educational programming at Temple Israel — youth through adult programming. Our membership approves of this priority. So would the God Squad. **How do I become a sponsor?** Glad you asked! See the chart below for the description of various sponsorship levels and the benefits to each level. If you wish to become a sponsor and cannot attend the event, Temple Israel will arrange for your tickets to benefit someone unable to afford to attend. *Won't you consider sponsorship?* Sponsors at \$2,000+ levels will be recognized in the event promotion. For more information contact Elaine Tenenbaum (614-866-0010 x115/chiefadmin@templeisrael.org).

Title Sponsor	\$20,000	10 dinner guests, 10 reserved seats, 10 dessert guests
Corporate Sponsor	\$10,000	8 dinner guests, 8 reserved seats, 8 dessert guests
Platinum Sponsor	\$5,000	6 dinner guests, 6 reserved seats, 6 dessert guests
Pearl Sponsor	\$2,500	4 dinner guests, 4 reserved seats, 4 dessert guests
Gold Sponsor	\$1,000	2 dinner guests, 2 reserved seats, 2 dessert guests
Silver Sponsor	\$500	1 dinner guest, 1 reserved seat, 1 dessert guest
Bronze Sponsor	\$250	2 reserved seats, 2 dessert guests
Patron	\$75	1 dessert guest
General Admission	\$30	General Admission

Sponsor Name (as to be listed in promotional materials): _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

I/We wish to become a sponsor at the following level: _____

Mail to: Temple Israel, 5419 E. Broad Street, Columbus OH 43213

BAR MITZVAH



Jay Austin Hirsh
March 21-22, 2003

Son of Susie and David Hirsh, Jay is a 7th grade honor roll student at New Albany Middle School. He is a Pre-School Camp volunteer and participated in the 2002 Drug-Free Winner's Choice Camp. His interests include football, diving, snowboarding, band and the Science Olympiad.

MAZEL TOV

We offer congratulations to these members of the congregation:

Troy & Lisa Crawford

*on the adoption of their new daughter
Allie Luba Crawford*

Les Somogyi

*Columbus Cancer Clinic
Cancer Survivor of the Year*

WISH LIST

Bridge tables

for use by our new Seniors Chavurah

High chairs

for use during congregational meals

LCD projector

*for use with our
Jewish Heritage Video Collection*

From generation to generation

לדור ודור

TODAH RABBAH

We offer our thanks to these members of the congregation:

Brotherhood, Sisterhood

*for sponsoring the Oneg for the
Joint Reform Shabbat*

Sisterhood

*for providing a delicious breakfast for the
Joint Reform Shabbat*

Brotherhood

*for preparing and serving a wonderful
brisket dinner for First Friday*

**Sandy & Drew Ungar, Melissa &
Tatiana Mendell, Harvey Schwager, Irv
& Wendy Galan, Cindy & Sam Black,
Lesli & Amy Mautz, Beverly, Bob, Evan
& Ross Darwin**

for cooking for the homeless

Sam & Betty Gordon

*for donating an overhead projector & slide
projector to the Pre-School*

Lisa & Jon Shiroma

for donating a camera to the Pre-School

Pamela & Michael Stein

*for donating an aquarium and fish
to the Pre-School*

WELCOME

we offer welcome to the newest members of our congregational family

Edward & Maitzie Stan

IN MEMORIAM

We remember with sorrow the following loved ones who have passed away recently:

Norman Berger

*beloved member
husband of Shirley Berger*

Lawrence B. Gordon

*brother of Sam Gordon
uncle of Jody Scheiman,
Lisa Schwager*

Elaine Schwager

mother of Harvey Schwager

Stefanie Stein

niece of Marlene Brisk

Shelly Kleinbaum

*stepmother of
Rebecca Kleinbaum Sanders*

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Messages left on voice mail (614-866-0010) will be returned the next business morning. For emergencies only: Elaine Tenenbaum, is available via pager (614-770-4578).

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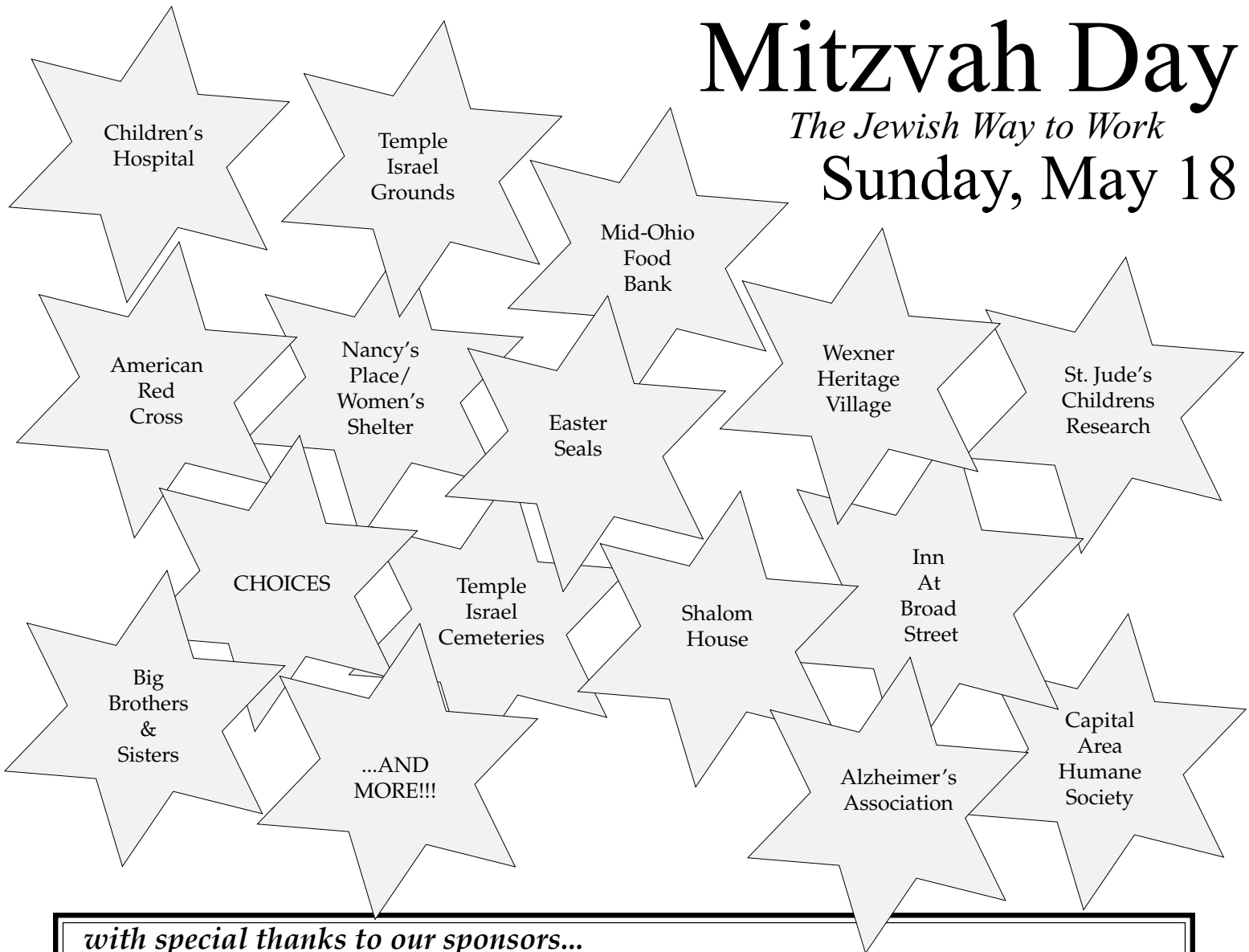
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Mitzvah Day

The Jewish Way to Work

Sunday, May 18



with special thanks to our sponsors...



WEXNER HERITAGE VILLAGE



Epstein Memorial Chapel



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Insurance

Won't you consider becoming a financial sponsor of Mitzvah Day 2003? Sponsors are recognized in numerous promotional and registration materials throughout the months leading up to the event. Early sponsors gain maximum exposure with monthly mention in Temple Israel's bulletin, mailed to over 800 central Ohio families. One-hundred percent of your donation is tax deductible.

All levels of sponsorship are welcome:

- \$54 – Recognition in the Temple Israel bulletin and in materials distributed on Mitzvah Day
- \$180–Recognition in the Temple Israel bulletin and in materials distributed on Mitzvah Day PLUS a small logo from your company imprinted on the official 2003 Mitzvah Day t-shirts
- \$360–Recognition in the Temple Israel bulletin and in materials distributed on Mitzvah Day PLUS a large logo from your company imprinted on the official 2003 Mitzvah Day t-shirts

To become a sponsor, or for more information on how you can help with Mitzvah Day, contact Mitzvah Day Co-Chairs Lisa Clark (614-855-4767/crleeqs@aol.com), Elaine Pelz (614-235-2305), or Mitzvah Day Staff David Lamden (614-866-0010 x120/tech@templeisrael.org).

Garden of Learning

Phoenix Players Performed! On February 23rd, the Phoenix Players performed *Secrets of a Garden* for our 4th-8th grade students. The show explored themes of beauty, prejudice and forgiveness and was made possible by a donation by Joan and Douglas Gross. Thanks so much for enabling our students to share in a meaningful experience!

Book Drive ~ Monthly Tzedakah Project. Each month of the school year, we have collected a variety of items for various agencies in and around Columbus. For the month of March, we are asking our students to bring in children's books to be collected and distributed to various shelters in and around Columbus. Each Sunday in March, please send your child with a child's book!

Shabbat Services. Plan to join us on Friday, March 7, when students from our Kindergarten classes will participate in Shabbat morning services. Join us for a wonderful Shabbat dinner following our services – Reservations Are Required! Shabbat Worship Service at 6:00 pm, Dinner at 7:00!

Celebrate Purim ~ Monday, March 17! With the month of Adar

comes the holiday of Purim! This year, our Rabbis and Staff have prepared a special treat for all! This year's Purim Spiel is called, *Whose Megillah Is It Anyway?* and features an interactive, audience participation spoof of the *Megillah* Esther – Scroll of Esther. Join us for a fun filled evening, carnival and dinner on Monday, March 17: Hebrew Learning Lab, 4-5:30pm; *Whose Megillah Is It Anyway?*, 5:30pm; Carnival & Dinner, 6:30pm. Be Happy ~ It's Adar!

Hebrew Learning Lab. Our students continue to progress through their Hebrew materials. The 3rd grade and 4th grade students have started a new Hebrew level book. Congratulations to them and their teachers on all their hard work. Our 5th grade students continue to learn prayer Hebrew and share in stories from our tradition. The 6th grade students are reviewing Hebrew vocabulary associated with the Jewish holidays. All of our students help lead the weekday minyan worship services.

No Classes on Sunday, March 23 –Spring Break.

–Rabbi Mark B. Goldfarb

Brotherhood



Meet You at the Bistro!!

Come and join us on Sunday mornings from 8:30 until 12:30 for breakfast and conversation. We have a wide variety of bagels, spreads, sweet rolls/donuts, chips, soft drinks, coffees and teas, and sometimes omelettes!. At the same time you're eating, you are doing a mitzvah as well since the profits go to our Religious/Hebrew school. Brought to you by your friendly neighborhood Temple Israel Brotherhood!



GARDEN AND PATIO CERAMICS SALE

Are you looking for that perfect garden or patio decoration? Come to the Temple on Sunday mornings from 9am until 12 noon on April 6, 13, and 27. All of these weatherproof garden flowers and patio decorations are made in Columbus by people with developmental disabilities (Franklin County Board of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities- Sunapple, a division of ARC Industries). All purchases will help support work for people with disabilities and benefit our Religious/Hebrew school.

A full display of decorative ceramic hangings, flowers, candle holders, dragon flies, and lady bugs will be available for purchase on April 6 and 13 at special sale prices:

BUY 1 and get 10% off
BUY 2 and get 20% off both
Buy 3 and get 30% off all three

Any pieces left over will be sold on April 27 at the highest price offered by 11 am. For further information call Mike Kravitz (614-577-0063).



And you shall teach your children

ושׂתלמדו לבניך



Tot Shabbat **March 15 - 10:30 am** **Social Hall A** **"Gimilut Chasadim"**

Join us for a new year of creative movement-and-music services. Following services, families participate in craft activities related to the program's theme and enjoy a light Kiddush lunch. Tot Shabbat is geared for families with children ages 2-kindergarten. Tot Shabbat is co-sponsored by the Temple Israel Sisterhood and Family Education Program. For more information or to RSVP, contact Mindy Agin, Family Educator (614-866-0010 x103/familyed@templeisrael.org).

Pre-School

Kodesh (Holy) Moments

One of the most beautiful attributes of Judaism is that even simple things are worthy of sacredness. The challenge is: how does one convey that attribute and all the wonder that it brings, to young children.? Recently, Rabbis Nemitoff and Goldfarb, participated in our "fish naming ceremonies" and helped to teach our children the Mitzvah of caring for all creatures – including those that live under the sea. Jack Stein, one of our students, and his family donated a 40 gallon fish tank to the Pre-School along with 4 freshwater fish. Julian Raab and his family donated "fish tank amenities" (plants, etc.) The children had been engaged in lively conversation and tactile exploration of life under the sea. When our rabbis visited us, they told "fish tales" and, using names that the children had voted on, named and blessed our fish. The newest members of our pre-school family are: Cutie bat Pre-School, Spot ben Pre-School, Olivia bat Pre-School, and Dag (fish in Hebrew) ben Pre-School. Stop by and meet our newest additions! To arrange a tour or learn about registering your child for next year, please contact Mindy Agin (614-866-0010 x113/familyed@templeisrael.org).



Welcoming our new friends



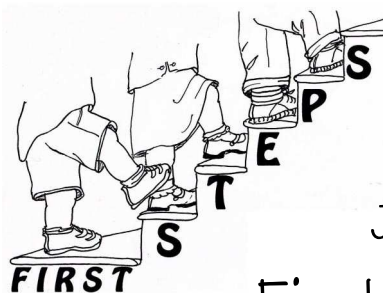
Swimming like our new friends

Family Education

Purim & Passover Happenings

It may seem hard to believe, but it's not too early to start thinking about Passover! Fourth graders and their parents should plan to attend the Family Passover Experience Orientation on Sunday, March 2 at 11am in the Social Hall, with Amy, Rebecca and Mindy. On Sunday, March 9, at 10am, Kindergarten families will make JoAnn's Etc. (across from Easton) their classroom. Families are asked to meet at JoAnn's. What better place to get into the Purim spirit than a craft store! The morning will include stories, music, and mask and gragger making. For those not in kindergarten, there is a community-wide Purim mask making event (complete with music and stories) at JoAnn's that afternoon from 3-4:30pm. The cost for the community-wide program is \$4/child. On Sunday, March 16, at 9:15am 6,7,8th grade parents and teens will participate in "Gossiping about Gossip" which will address issues of slander (via spoken word or chat rooms) and bullying and how to cope with these challenges and overcome them.

If you have any questions about these or other family education programs, please contact Mindy Agin (614-866-0010 x113/familyed@templeisrael.org).



Join us for **First Steps!**

Date: Sunday, March 2
Time: 11 am - 12 noon
Place: Temple Israel-Social Hall
Theme: Purim
RSVP: by Wednesday, February 26
 to Mindy Agin, Family Educator
 (614-866-0010 x113/
 familyed@templeisrael.org)

First Steps: A BIG Program for Little People is a holiday-based program that meets on 5 Sundays throughout the year. It is geared for children ages 3-5 and their parents.

Cemetery

Approved Policy Statement Regarding Burial and Purchasing of Burial Plots in Temple Israel Cemeteries

Any Jewish person, his/her spouse/partner, his/her dependent children, and others as approved by the Senior Rabbi of Temple Israel may be buried within any of Temple Israel's cemeteries. The liturgy to be used will be that of a Jewish funeral. Only clergy of Temple Israel may officiate or other Jewish clergy, as approved by the Senior Rabbi of Temple Israel. Any individual may purchase a burial plot on behalf of any individual eligible for burial in Temple Israel cemeteries. The cost of burial plots and associated opening/closing fees will be determined from time to time by the Temple Israel Foundation, in consultation with the Finance Committee and the Cemetery Committee of Temple Israel.

The following guidelines will be followed for the purchasing of plots after January 1, 2003: A congregant in good standing may at any time purchase "family plots" at the Temple Israel Cemetery located on Performance Parkway. There is no limit to the number of family plots a congregant may purchase. A congregant in good standing may at any time purchase a plot for self, dependent children or spouse/partner at the current congregant rate. A congregant in good standing may at any time purchase a plot for ANY family member (parents, adult children, siblings, grandparents, grandchildren) at the congregant rate plus a 40% surcharge. Any individual may at any time purchase a plot for a person eligible for burial in Temple Israel cemeteries at the congregant rate plus a 50% surcharge.

At the time of death, if the deceased (or dependent child or spouse/partner) is a member of Temple Israel in good standing, there are no additional fees/assessments (other than those levied for the purpose of opening/closing the grave). If the deceased (or dependent child or spouse/partner) is a member of Temple Israel NOT in good standing, the responsible party must make payment/arrange for payment of any arrears or be treated as a non-member. If payment and/or arrangements are made, there are no additional fees/assessments (other than those

levied for the purpose of opening/closing the grave). If the deceased is not a member, Temple Israel will charge a "Funeral and Burial Services Fee." This fee will be determined by the Finance Committee, in consultation with the Cemetery Committee and the Senior Rabbi. (NB: The Cemetery Committee recommends a fee of \$500 if Temple Israel clergy is requested. A portion of the fee, as determined by the above committees, should go to the appropriate clergy's Discretionary Fund. The Cemetery Committee recommends a fee of \$250 if Temple Israel clergy is not requested.) If the deceased is not a member and is indigent as outlined in the Columbus Jewish Family Services program, no fees are levied.

These policies may be changed only under two conditions. Permanent changes may be made by the appropriate committees/boards of the Temple Israel Foundation and Temple Israel according to the constitutionally approved method. Temporary changes may be made by the Senior Rabbi (or his/her designate) in consultation and agreement with the President of Temple Israel (or his/her designate) if it is determined that extenuating circumstances exist in a given situation and may modify aspects of the current policy.

*Temple Israel Cemetery
Refugee Road & Performance Parkway*

*Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens
Temple Israel Section*

*Green Lawn Cemetery
Temple Israel sections*

For information about purchasing individual or family plots, contact Marlene Wolf (614-866-0010 x109/mwolf@templeisrael.org).

Administrator's Report

(As reported at the January Board of Trustees Meeting)
Bequests: Temple Israel has received notification of two bequests from the estates of Miriam Cohen and Lillian Callif Gross.

Facility Update: A digital copier has been leased for five years from the Gordon Flesh Company. As part of the arrangement, Temple Israel will keep the former analog office copier for use by the Pre-School and Religious/Hebrew School. The leasing arrangement is costing \$162 more a month, but the long-term goal is to print the Bulletin in-house at a savings of \$500+ a month. American Air replaced burned-out "heat boards" in three of the eleven roof-top units. Electrical surges were suspected to be the cause of failure. Backflow certification was done on a 3" backflow valve in the southwest corner of the Mechanical Room. City records show that the boiler (removed for reno-

vation) is still in place, as the proper paperwork was not submitted by the plumber to the city clarifying removal during remodeling.

Library Grant: Temple Israel reapplied for a \$1,000 grant from the Columbus Jewish Foundation for participation in the Columbus Online Jewish Resource Center to computerize the learning center's 7000+ holdings to allow on-line data base connectivity via the Internet. Temple Israel was approved for this two years ago, but did not implement the program at that time due to the added cost of data input.

—Elaine Tenenbaum
Chief Administrative Officer

To study Torah is worthy

תלמוד תורה



Diurei Downtown

Temple Israel members and friends
gather weekly downtown for Torah study.
We meet at the offices of Young Isaac, 23 N. 4th St.
Wednesdays, 12:00 Noon - 1:00 pm.
Our teachers are Rabbis Goldfarb & Nemitoff.
March 5, 12, 19, 26.
One hour of Torah.
Join us.

Can't remember when that meeting is? Want to know the latest TI news?

Every Tuesday, the synagogue office sends out the E-BULLETIN, a weekly newsletter featuring the service schedule, programming for the upcoming week, committee meetings AND highlighting the most up-and-coming events & issues at Temple Israel.

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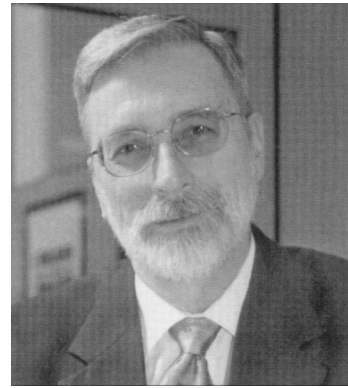
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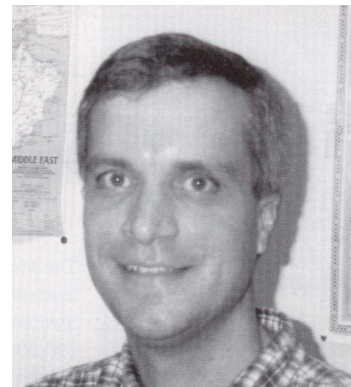
Adult Education

Sunday Speaker Series Double-header!



Sunday, March 9
9:30 am – Breakfast 10:00 am – Lecture
Alan Beyerchen
“Hitler’s Scientists”

OSU History Professor Alan Beyerchen’s specialty is the history of science under the Nazis. He is currently working on a book regarding the tragic figure of James Franck, a German Jew who won the Nobel prize in physics, but fled Germany when the Nazis took power in 1933 and participated in the Manhattan Project.



Sunday, March 30
9:30 am – Breakfast 10:00 am – Lecture
Peter Hahn
“Arab-Israeli Diplomatic Relations”

OSU History Professor Peter Hahn’s expertise is in the field of post World War II American Foreign policy in the Middle East. He was awarded the Stuart L. Bernath Lecture Prize from the SOciety for Historians of American Foreign Relations for his work on US-Israel relations.

January 2003 Board Highlights

Annual Meeting The Annual Meeting, at which time election of officers and trustees will take place, is planned for Sunday, April 27, and will be a breakfast meeting held during Religious School.

Strategic Planning Dan Finkelman, Vice President, distributed his report. In summary, the board "pretty much agreed on the high and low priorities," namely: High – Budget, Staff Quality, Membership, Religious/Hebrew School, Fundraising; Low – Constitution, Technology, Communities of Interest, Cantor, Role/Use of auxiliaries. It was commented that the second or middle group (Youth Ed, Board Leadership, Adult Ed, Family Ed, Board role, governance, security, youth programming) are only possible if the "high" marks group is achieved. "We have to take care of the fundamentals." Dan suggested that this exercise be undertaken every two years or so.

Fundraising Brian Tuckerman, Chair, reported that the God Squad event will take place on Sunday, May 4. The committee is pursuing sponsorships again this year. Videotapes have been prepared for potential sponsors – including a sponsorship form, information about the God Squad and about Temple Israel in the tape case.

Finance Ted Smiley, Vice President, reported that, through November 30, the synagogue projected \$695,000 in income but collected \$812,000. The projection was for \$602,000 in expenses, but expenses have been held to \$579,000. He also reminded the board that approximately \$100,000-140,000 will be lost in the next fiscal year in gifts/grants.

Shabbat & Holidays Committee Irv Boiman stated that the committee is in the initial stages of defining the process and guidelines to make recommendations to the Executive Committee and Board. He announced that three congregational potlucks are planned. Rabbi Nemitoff reported on the pilot prayer book, saying he'd received a few hundred responses. The committee met and filled out the CCAR survey. Opinions were split between positive and negative reactions. The next copy of the prayer book will be sent to rabbis by the end of the year. The prayerbook will be produced in 2005.

Education Search Committee Rabbi Nemitoff reported that our current model is that two rabbis run our Religious School program but that a new staffing structure is being considered – that will not create a net change in staff expense. Rabbi Lefton wishes to curtail her hours in the future as she wishes to spend more time with her family. A job description for the Educator position is being created. Co-chairs of the search process are Ted Fireman and Alice Simon. It is hoped that by July 1, someone will be in place.

Security Jeff Ungar distributed copies of an Emergency Procedures Manual, an in-house document for all Temple Israel staff. Upon recommendation by the committee, consisting of Harvey Schwager, David Lamden, Elaine Tenenbaum and Jeff Ungar, the following motion was made by Jeff Ungar, seconded by Alan Lichtsien and unanimously approved – that additional needed wiring and telephones be purchased to enable front-door entry from the telephone system along with the purchase and installation of a magnetic lock for the front door, allowing access from the receptionist's desk. The cost of these is estimated at \$1,792 for the door lock and approximately \$3,000 for the wiring and phones. The committee also looked at the need to lock the Sanctuary doors – if the synagogue pursues facility rental on a large scale. This item was placed on-hold. Parking lot lighting was also discussed and tabled due to the \$30,000-35,000 price tag.

Use of Facilities Committee The committee, chaired by Harvey Schwager, has been meeting regularly to discuss on-going facility issues and recently held a focus group of bar/bat mitzvah parents to

discuss facility usage fees. At its most recent meeting, the committee advocated using "this great untapped asset" for rental income. Further it was recommended that \$1,350 – 2,500 be earmarked for a Grand Opening Event, targeted to prospective corporate/association renters. All comparable facilities in Columbus were examined. Although the pricing structure has not been set, it was reported that the Athenaeum, for example, charges \$3,000 for facility use and that the Greek Orthodox Church covers their entire operating costs by their facility rental fees. The board unanimously approved the expenditure to plan and produce this event to showcase our facility to prospective corporate/association renters. The committee will now develop a competitive pricing structure, taking into consideration all associated costs and wear-and-tear on the facility.

Cemetery Report Gary Cooper, chair, distributed the Recommended Policy Statement Regarding Burial and Purchasing of Burial Plots. He thanked the committee, comprised of Ken Chambers, Michael Epstein, Bernie Friedman, Tod Friedman, Rabbi Nemitoff and Elaine Tenenbaum. The recommended policy was unanimously approved.

Membership/Finance Joint Committee Artie Isaac reported on several meetings with Ted Smiley and Elaine Tenenbaum. There will be no across-the-board dues increase, but the following was recommended to and unanimously approved by the Board: A membership includes all family members living in the same house, with no limit for the number of generations and relationships. A membership excludes all living in another house, even in cases of recent marital separation or divorce. Members should pay dues at 1.5-2% of their adjusted gross income. A Fair Share dues levels chart will be provided to members for ease in calculating. If the Fair Share level presents a hardship, then members are expected to pay at minimums set forth in Categories of Membership. If this is not possible, then the member is expected to fill out the Dues Abatement Form. The individual who pays for the membership will be designated as the member unless another party is delegated by the payer as the member. The Capital Assessment should be merged with the Building fund. Member education regarding this should begin in early 2003. No separate membership/dues categories should be set for Single, Senior or Divorced households. The Fair Share level applies to all member households. All members will be asked to fill out an Annual Commitment Form, to be mailed to households in early May. Categories of Membership will now include: Full Member* (Age 30+: \$1,500 / Age 31-35: \$1,200); Junior Member (to Age 22 or Full Time student: \$18 / Age 22-25: \$400 / Age 26-30: \$600); Associate Member (one who is a full member in good standing of another synagogue: \$500); Legacy Member (a one-year trial membership for the adult child of a member, after which the legacy member needs to decide whether to become a full member: \$180); Joint Membership (applies to families consisting of adult parents and children living under the same roof: \$1,500) * Full dues is expected unless a financial hardship is determined, in which case a Dues Abatement Form is submitted and approved by the VP-Finance and the Administrator. Members are expected to pay dues of at least the minimums indicated above up to 2% of adjusted gross income. Courtesy membership has been dissolved. Out-of-town and elderly memberships do not exist.

Rabbi's Report Rabbi Nemitoff encouraged the board to attend the First Friday Shabbat dinner. He also reminded the board that he will be on Sabbatical during the month of February.

Congregants are welcome to attend board meetings. All meetings begin at 7pm. Upcoming board meetings will be held March 25, April 29, May 27 and June 24. If you have a question or topic that you'd like to have addressed, or would like a copy of the agenda, contact Susan Schubert (614-864-5111) or Elaine Tenenbaum (614-866-0010 x115). Complete copies of Board minutes are available in the synagogue office.

Purim is March 17

Don't forget to Shop the Shoppe for your Purim Costumes!

Temple Israel Gift Shoppe
MARCH SPECIAL

All Passover Merchandise*
20% off with this ad**

*(*excludes all books and Hagaddahs)*

***one per customer during the month of March)*

Come in and fill out a Bridal or B'nai Mitzvah Registry!

To shop by appointment, call Babette Whitman, Assistant Manager (614-866-7783). If you have any questions about the SShoppe or are in need of a special order, call Barb Guthoff Volk, Buyer/Manager (614-890-7646).



GIFT SHOPPE HOURS

Mon 11:30 am - 2:00pm
Wed 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Thur 3pm - 5pm
Fri 1/2 hr before services
Sun 9am - 12:15 pm

Sisterhood & Brotherhood Provide Funds For Madrichim Positions

If you have a child in Religious/Hebrew school, you may be familiar with *madrichim* (student aides/role models). Eleven students who are enrolled in Temple Israel's high school, grades 9-12, currently serve as *madrichim* in the classroom. These *madrichim* are paid through the financial support provided by Temple Israel Sisterhood and Brotherhood. Thanks to congregational support of fundraising efforts such as grocery certificates and the Sunday morning Bistro, Sisterhood and Brotherhood are able to continue their support of such worthwhile activities as the *madrichim* at Temple Israel.

You Are Invited
to participate in a special Rosh Chodesh
Womens' Passover Seder

presented by
Temple Israel Sisterhood
Wednesday, April 2
6:00 pm – Temple Israel
Soup & Lite Supper – \$5 per person
Open to the community

Paid reservations by March 25
For more information contact Miriam Linsey (614-235-7815)

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT

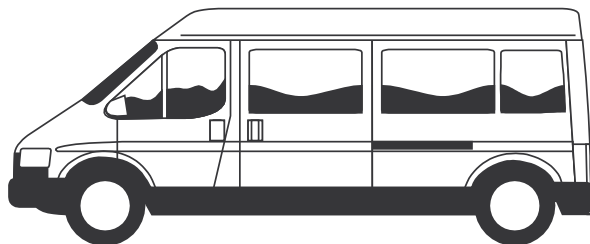
Sisterhood wishes to thank the following businesses that recently purchased significant quantities of Grocery Certificates to give as holiday gifts:

- ☆ Columbus Wood Products
- ☆ First Community Bank
- ☆ Temple Israel Board of Trustees

Thanks to all who support Sisterhood's Grocery Certificate fundraising program. Profits from grocery certificates go to support Temple Israel's Religious/Hebrew School program.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mon., 3/3 – 7:00 pm – Rosh Chodesh & Board Meeting
Sunday, 3/9 – 9:15 am – Cooking for the Homeless
Fri, 3/14 – 6:00 pm – Sisterhood/Hadassah Family Dinner
Saturday, 3/15 – 10:30 am – Tot Shabbat



Want a ride to synagogue and home again? The Shabbat Van is just the ticket! And it's free!

The Shabbat Van will run on the Friday evenings of: March 14 & 28. Available to residents of Heritage Village, Bexley House, Park Towers and Lutheran Village. Reservations are on a first come-first serve basis, and space is limited. Please call Kim at Heritage Tower (614-237-2521 x1407) by Thursday for pick up on Friday.

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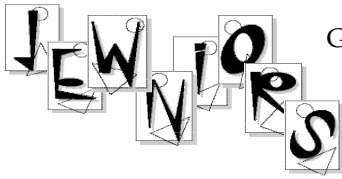
**Columbus Hadassah &
Temple Israel Sisterhood
Family Shabbat Dinner**
Friday, March 14 – Temple Israel
Dinner – 6:00 pm Service – 8:00 pm

\$12–Adult
\$6–children 12 and under

Your check (payable to Temple Israel Sisterhood)
is your reservation

Mail by March 7 to:
Miriam Linsey, 180 S. Roosevelt Ave.
Columbus OH 43209

Youth Activities



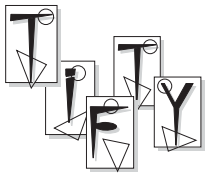
Get in the spirit of Purim by designing your very own Purim masks! We will be meeting on March 9 at 12:15pm at Jo-Ann Etc. at Easton to attend the Purim Mask

Making workshop. We will create the mood for this fun holiday with Purim games, food, music and crafts. It is a great way to begin your costume for this year's Purim Carnival. Please RSVP by March 5.

56 Club had an amazing Hebrew experience at Panera last month! The manager was very impressed at our Hebrew abilities- good job, guys! On March 2, 56 Club hits the bowling alley for an afternoon of healthy competition. The event costs \$10 which includes lunch and however many games we can bowl! Please RSVP as soon as possible.

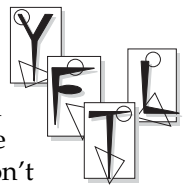


For more information or to RSVP, contact Amy Bhungalia
(614-866-0010 x105/
youth@templeisrael.org)



This is the month you've all been waiting for- TIFTY is heading to GUCI for our Junior Youth Conclave on March 21-23. Get ready for a crazy weekend of team building, studying in ways you've never studied before, and meeting new people. This is a weekend to remember and look forward to every year.

IT'S TIME FOR PURIM! YFTL will host a Purim/Regionals Lock-In on March 15. We will have a night of tons of fun and some work on the side. The time is getting close for both events, and YFTL has a big job ahead. Join us at the Lock-In for food, fun, movies, games, and the chance to make this the best Purim Carnival and Regionals conclave ever! Also, don't forget to join us for another trip to the Mid-Ohio Food Bank on March 11 from 5pm- 8:30pm. Put in as much time as you can! The fun will continue from last time when we sorted and packed boxes of food. For more information contact Kory Blair (614-855-4106).



Do you have an extra couch, bed or mattress? Help by housing one of the 250 Jewish youth who will be uniting in Columbus to attend NFTY-OV Regionals at Temple Israel on April 3-6. If you are able to provide housing and transportation during this exciting event, please contact Amy Bhungalia (614-866-0010 x105/youth@templeisrael.org).

Attention Athletes!

The Leo Yassenoff Jewish Community Center is now accepting applications for the Jewish Sports Hall of Fame, established in 1979 to recognize Jewish athletes who have excelled in sports. Candidates for induction must be Jewish, must be age 35 or older, must be a native of Columbus or a resident of Columbus for a significant portion of his or her life, and must have been an outstanding athlete or coach in amateur or professional athletics. The 2003 Sports Hall of Fame Honorees will be inducted into the Hall of Fame at the JCC Sports Spectacular on August 25, 2003 at Winding Hollow Country Club. Applications must be received by March 14, 2003. Applications are also being accepted for the Don Erkis and Lou Berliner High School Jewish Scholar/Athlete Award, which recognizes those high school aged Jewish athletes who excel both in the classroom and in the athletic arena. The outstanding male and female applicants will receive a \$500 scholarship, \$50 gift certificate and a fitness evaluation by a personal trainer at the JCC. Applicants must be Jewish high school students who are graduating and planning to attend college, must reside in Central Ohio, must have participated in a varsity sport in high school and must have maintained a GPA of 3.0 after seven semesters. All applications must be received by March 28. For more information or for an application, contact the Recreation and Wellness Department at the JCC (614-559-6275)

Pre-purchase your tickets for the Purim Carnival and save! Buy 5 tickets for \$1 at the synagogue office

Nominating Committee

The Temple Israel Nominating Committee, chaired by Jody Scheiman, immediate past president, is pleased to present to the congregation its slate of officers and trustees to be voted on at the congregation's Annual Meeting, Sunday, April 27, 10 am. President: Jeff Ungar; 1st Vice President: Brian Tuckerman; Vice President: Ted Smiley; Vice President: Dan Finkelman; Secretary: Roger Sugarman; Assistant Secretary: Paula Levine; Treasurer: Harriette Hansell; Assistant Treasurer: Aaron Shocket. Trustees elected to a term ending April 2006: Ken Chambers, Bev Darwin, Alan Lichtcsien, Mike Mozenter, Maya Raab. Trustees re-elected to a second term ending April 2006: Marci Delson, Ted Fireman; Trustees to fill terms ending April 2005: Norma Katcher, Phyllis Kingsley.

Respectfully submitted,
Jody Scheiman, chair

Irwin Bain, Irv Barkan, Joan Folpe, Tod Friedman, Norma Katcher, Seyman Stern

The Annual Meeting will begin with a bagel brunch at 10 am followed by election of officers & trustees. Asher Moser will be honored with the Marc Simon Volunteer Award at that meeting. Check the April bulletin for more details.

Ready for some "Chai-er" Education?

Take a class at

Passover University

Thursday, March 20

7:00 pm-9:15pm

at Tifereth Israel

TUITION: \$5

COURSE OFFERINGS

A Kiddy Table Extravaganza (7:15 pm)–Mindy Agin & Amy Bhungalia

Find out ways to keep the kids active instead of on a countdown, with kid-friendly games, songs and surprises.

The Youngest Child Syndrome (8:30 pm)–Mindy Agin & Amy Bhungalia

Learn ways to prepare your youngest child for singing the four questions.

The Bad Kid's Question–What does this All Mean to You? (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Rabbi Harold Berman

A new look at the "bad kid," and other kids, and the basic questions of what the Seder is all about.

More than Just Sammy Spider's First Passover! (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Sally Brown

Tour the best and newest books to read to your children for Seder night and during the entire holiday.

Make your Seder Sing (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Cantor Jack Chomsky

Bring your cassette recorders and learn basic melodies to sing at your seder.

Haggadah:Telling the Passover Story (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Rabbi Moshe Dick

Based on traditional responses and texts, explore the purpose of telling the story of the Exodus year after year.

Say Goodbye to Sponge Cake (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Elena Dinkin & Julie Remer

Learn how to make special treats that are so good you'll want to eat them year-round!

Why is this Seder Different from All Other Seders? (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Rabbi Mark Goldfarb

Explore ways of creating a vegetarian seder or bringing vegetarian aspects to your seder.

The True Story of the Four Sons (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Nancy Heiden

Learn about the wise son, the wicked son, the simple son and the son who does not know how to ask.

The Haggadah: Our Sages Imagine the Exodus (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Rabbi Gary Huber

Examine the Haggadah as a classical midrash–history and imagination creating this great work of the Jewish spirit.

It's NOT the Kid's Table Anymore (7:15 & 8:30pm)–Rabbi Arthur Nemitoff

Explore innovative ways to reinvigorate the Seder experience and receive a copy of the rabbi's Haggadah.

Hey, It Could've Happened That Way (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Rabbi Michael Ungar

See if science & religion can be reconciled in this review of an epidemiological analysis of the ten plagues.

Hidden Treasures: Haggadah Highlights for any Seder (7:15 & 8:30 pm)–Rabbi Howard Zack

A hands-on experiential overview and under-the-surface view of the seder and Exodus from Egypt.

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Class sizes limited–register early by contacting Rabbi Michael Ungar (614-253-8523)

March 2003 Adar I / Adar II 5763

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 10:30a-Shabbat Service
2 9:15a-Religious/Hebrew School 11a-First Steps 4p-CRJHS	3 11a-Bubbe's Blessings 4p-Hebrew lab 5:30p-Minyan 7:30p-Sisterhood Board	4 4p-Hebrew lab 5:30p-Minyan 7p-Fundraising Ctee.	5 9:30a-Little Learners 12n-Divrei Downtown 4p-Hebrew lab 5:30p-Minyan 7p-Introduction to Judaism	6 4p-Hebrew lab 5:30p-Minyan 7:30p-Rosh Chodesh [away]	7 6p-Erev Shabbat Service Kindergartners participating 7p-Dinner	8 10:30a-Shabbat Service Confirmation Shabbaton
9 28 Adar I 9:15a-Religious/Hebrew School 9:30a-Sunday Speaker Series 1p-JLDHH 4p-CRJHS	10 29 Adar I 10a-Playgroup Chavurah 11a-Bubbe's Blessings 4p-Hebrew lab 5:30p-Minyan	11 30 Adar I 12n-Facilities Ctee. 4p-Hebrew lab 5:30p-Minyan	12 1 Adar II 9:30-Little Learners 12n-Divrei Downtown 4p-Hebrew lab 5:30p-Minyan 7p-Introduction to Judaism 7p-Facilities Ctee.	13 2 Adar II 4p-Hebrew lab 5:30p-Minyan	14 3 Adar II 6:30p-Hadassah Dinner 8p-Erev Shabbat Service (signed for hearing impaired)	15 4 Adar II 10:30a-Shabbat Service 10:30a-Tot Shabbat 6p-YFTL Lock-In
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23 12 Adar II No Religious/Hebrew School No CRJHS	24 13 Adar II 11a-Bubbe's Blessings 7p-Sisterhood VP Mtg.	25 14 Adar II 5:50p-Exex Ctee Mtg. 7p-Board of Trustees Mtg.	26 15 Adar II 9:30-Little Learners 12n-Divrei Downtown 7p-Introduction to Judaism	27 16 Adar II	28 17 Adar II 8p-Erev Shabbat Service (signed for hearing impaired)	29 18 Adar II 10:30a-Shabbat Service
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Playgroup
Chavurah

A playgroup for kids ages 0-2
A social group for moms, dads and grandparents!

Monday, March 10 – 10:00 am
Social Hall

We meet at Temple Israel from 10-11 am on the second Monday of the month. Bring a toy or two, a snack and yourself and meet other Temple Israel parents, grandparents and children in your child's age group. The group is informal, social, and meant to be a way for our children and their families to make connections

RSVP to Jill Russ
(614) 372-1152



The Shabbat & Holidays Committee
invites you to
celebrate community while
celebrating Shabbat

Third Fridays Potlucks

Friday, March 21 – 7:00 pm
"Wild & Zany Foods" [Purim]

Friday, April 18 – 7:00 pm
"Seder Leftovers" [Pesach]

Friday, May 16 – 7:00 pm
"Outdoor Foods" [Shavuot]

RSVP to Joni (614-866-0010)



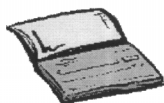
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Rachel Hillman

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 Gussie Katcher Adell*
 Bertha Asch
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 Bertha Korey Bardige
 Annette Bennigson*
 Annie Chason*
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Monday, 3/3–5:30 pm
 Gussie Applebaum
 Katherine Feinknopf*
 Fred Heiber
 Nathalie Isaacs

Tuesday, 3/4–5:30 pm
 Harry Bernstein
 Lotte Fleisch*
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 Michael Steven Melton
 James Lee Neustadt*

Wednesday, 3/5–5:30 pm
 Karoline Bottigheimer*
 Marie Bronska
 Wavelene Brown
 Sherwood Korn
 Milton M. Parker*
 Izadore Sokolof*
 Leo Turner

Thursday, 3/6–5:30 pm
 Max Friedman*
 Dorothy Halper
 Bessie Heit*
 Laney Landaker
 Ida Leland
 Frank Levenstein*

Friday, 3/7–6:00 pm
 Saturday, 3/8–10:30 am
 [in addition to names
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 Harry Cobey*
 Sam Eisenstein
 Etta Friedman
 Irwin Heins
 Minna F. Levick*
 Judith Miller
 Bertha Bach Moser
 Bluma Paine
 Sarah Pastor
 Carrie Priluker
 Isaac Roth*
 Harry M. Rothman*
 Rose Schimel
 Abe Thall

Monday, 3/10–5:30 pm
 Benjamin B. Friedman*
 Henry Moser
 Frances Posner
 Etta Weinstein

Tuesday, 3/11–5:30 pm
 Ceil Binder
 Manuel Nathan Fineman
 Sarah Lind Mirvis*

Wednesday, 3/12–5:30 pm
 Joseph H. Feinberg
 Miriam Salzman
 Julius Stein
 Milton Teitelbaum

Thursday, 3/13–5:30 pm
 Hannah Comarnitsky
 Sylvia Forstadt
 Dora Podell Goldberg*
 Burton Hollander*
 Harry Levine

Rebecca Pinkus
 Louis Press*
 Anne Zakem

Friday, 3/14–8:00 pm
 Saturday, 3/15–10:30 am
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 Leona Bennet
 Louis Blumberg
 Sophie Dworkin
 Bronstein
 Rose Clayman*
 Bertha Headlee
 Morris Holtz
 Frances Honigberg
 Moses M. Jay*
 Helen Lapidus
 Lottie Lieberman
 Bessie Partoll
 Jack Schreiber
 Jay Siegel
 Arlene Simon
 Martha G. Staub*
 Arthur Tiber*
 Abraham Zuckerman
 Elizabeth Zuckerman

Monday, 3/17
 No minyan

Tuesday, 3/18–5:30 pm
 Benjamin Berman
 Sam Coen
 Carolyn Lehman David
 Edward E. Frank*
 Max Green
 Gertrude Rose
 Gloria Zeitsman
 Shetzer*
 Frank Spira*

Wednesday, 3/19–5:30 pm
 Barney Davis
 Helen G. Glick
 Henrietta Schiff*

Thursday, 3/20–5:30 pm
 Joseph Blazar
 Fanny Sarah David*
 Ida Globe
 Hildegard Gross
 Lotte Lekisch
 Julia Peselnick
 Sidney Schwager
 Julius Snider*

Friday, 3/21–6:00 pm
 Saturday, 3/22–10:30 am
 [in addition to names
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 Natalie Levy Altman*

Michael Barnebey*
 Alfred Fishman*
 Katherine Friedman*
 Morris Goodman
 Zelda Greenfield
 Eli Levison*
 Jennie Lewis
 Morton Lewis
 Philip Lichtcsien
 Arthur Miller
 David Papier*
 Edward Rabin
 Sylvia Seiveich
 Sally Silverman

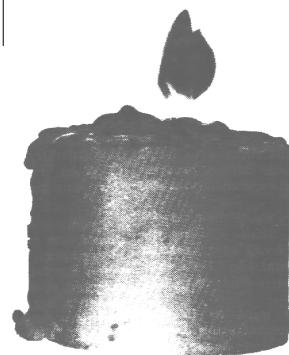
Monday, 3/24–
 Thursday, 3/27
 No minyan

Friday, 3/28–8:00 pm
 Saturday, 3/29–10:30 am
 Norman Aronow*
 Philip Berman
 David Brisk
 Dorothy M. Brown
 Helen L. Cohen*
 Sylvia Cohen
 Wilbert Cohen
 Miles Cummins*
 Millard M. Cummins Sr.*
 Irene Daroe
 Paul Feinknopf
 Martha Fields
 Rhea Freedman
 Mollie Gilbert
 Gabriel Goldberg*
 Albert C. Greenberg*
 Sam Greenberg
 Dora Gurevitz
 Ditta Robinson Halpern*
 Angele Hart
 Florence Kaplan
 Lillian Kanzer
 Herman L. Kaplan*
 Helen Kaufman
 Louis J. Krakoff*
 Miriam Kurtz
 Fred Lazarus Sr.*
 Peggy Lederer*
 Harry Levin*
 Adam Stuart Linhart*
 Beatrice Meltzer
 Hazel Gordon Meyer
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 Sigmund Ornstein*
 Dvid Robey*
 Elizabeth B. Schaefer*
 Mildred Elaine
 Schneider*
 Regina Feibus Schwartz
 David Shkolnik
 Fannie Shnider

Sidney Siegel
 Brian Smiley
 Hannah Stein
 Celia Esther Teitelbaum
 Benjamin Tyser
 Fannie Wein
 Frank Yassenoff
 Ben A. Zuckerman*

Monday, 3/31 – 5:30 pm
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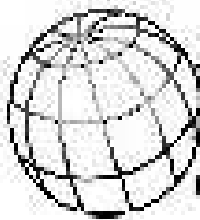
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