

# 2015 Confirmation Class



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## Mazel Tov to Our Confirmands and their families!

# Clergy Voice

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## Dear Friends,

To witness the daily hustle and bustle, the children streaming in and out of the building as the school year concluded, the construction plans for our campus expansion, and the more than 500 people in attendance for the last three Erev Shabbat services here at Temple Israel,

you wouldn't know there is a national crisis in Jewish synagogue affiliation.

And yet the quickest-rising religious population in the country are the *nones* (not a typo – we are not donning habits and moving to convents). The *nones* are made up of Americans who self-identify as atheists or agnostics (about 7% of all adults in this country) along with those who say they hold to no religion in particular, for a grand total of almost 23% of all adult Americans.

This is big stuff, and the shift is barely a generation old. Not very long ago almost every American family identified religiously in some manner. When they called America a Christian country, they meant it. Religion has been an integral part of American lives for centuries. What's going on?

Young people are the fastest growing *nones*. Millennials are the most secular generation this country has ever known. Many of them believe that a secular America is more in keeping with the original plan for our country: to be free from the yoke of religion and governed instead by reason. Some understand this development to be no less than a natural evolution of human consciousness.

What does that all mean for the modern Jew, and for us here in Minnesota in particular? I considered this as my wife Barb and I, and 40 Temple Israelites, journeyed south several weeks ago on a *Jews, Blues and the Southern Experience* trip. We bussed from Memphis to New Orleans traveling alongside the Mississippi River, stopping in at a number of small Jewish synagogues on the way. The range of these communities went from altogether thriving to totally extinct. Some were now only historic relics from a time when more Jews lived in the south, and others were down to their last ten members and couldn't get a *minyan* for Shabbat services on a Friday night. On our Shabbat stop in Natchez, Mississippi, where we worshipped, we outnumbered the locals 7 to 1.

We heard stories about congregations that had weathered the Civil War, the civil rights era, delta flooding and the boll weevil cotton infestation that were more inspiring than they were depressing. The tenacity of spirit that kept these communities going is one that pervades many congregations around the country, including some in our own region. It was

numbers, not lack of purpose or mission, that resulted in the expiration of these synagogues.

Coming back to town and jumping back into my job as a rabbi at a 2200-family congregation with thousands of members was practically surreal. We rejoice in our large congregation and what appears to be a glorious future. The national trend doesn't seem to have affected Temple's population, which gets larger and younger by the year.

But this is no time to sit on our laurels. People are changing, kids have different focuses and aspirations, adults are busier than ever and as technology advances exponentially, religion and the values we endeavor to teach often take a back seat.

At the risk of sounding like an old preacher attempting to reach a less-than-interested crowd, I feel as though this year might be a good one for us to dial back some of the omnipresent options that force themselves down our collective throats and reconsider what our Jewish faith offers in more human terms. The southern Jewish communities held fast to faith values that got them through some tough times. Often the tension between being a Jew and being a southerner tested their vigor. They persevered because their shared heritage influenced their choices and buoyed their spirits.

I am a firm believer that even if an entire generation eventually decides it doesn't need a religious sensibility or an organized faith system to guide it, *everybody eventually winds up with a set of beliefs!* Everybody. It is only a matter of what you let speak to your heart. If it is your political party of choice, then that will be your faith. If it is solely the economy that lifts or deflates your spirit, that is your dogma. If it is pure science and the unending march of computing capability that provides awe, then those will be your core principles. If it is the unlimited supply of entertainment from which you can choose on 947 cable channels, then that will dictate your convictions. If it is simply the laws of the land that govern your behavior, then those will be your tenets. One way or another we all *get* religion.

Many young Americans, it appears, have chosen to look at their houses of worship and question whether or not they provide an essential piece of their humanity. While a growing number are pulling away, we at Temple should rejoice in being part of an institution that is in the fullness of health and looks with each year to a more engaged kind of Judaism than ever. Every time we walk through these doors is an investment in our spiritual future and that of our children.

B'virkat Shalom—With Blessings of Peace,

Rabbi Sim Glaser



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### Friday, July 3

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service

### Saturday, July 4

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Zimmerman:  
Balak, Numbers 22:2–25:9

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service  
followed by a light Kiddush

### Friday, July 10

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service

### Saturday, July 11

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Gertman:  
Pinchas, Numbers 25:10–30:1

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service  
followed by a light Kiddush

10:30 a.m. Jewish Renewal Service

### Friday, July 17

5:45 p.m. Camp TEKO Shabbat Picnic  
Camp TEKO Shabbat Service follows picnic

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service at Temple

### Saturday, July 18

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Gertman:  
Matot–Mas-ei, Numbers 30:2–36:13

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service  
including the Bar Mitzvah of Austin Marx  
followed by a Kiddush luncheon

### Friday, July 24

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service including  
guest speaker David Rhein, who will  
present on the topic *From None to One:  
My Spiritual Evolution*

### Saturday, July 25

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Glaser:  
D'varim, Deuteronomy 1:1–3:22

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service  
including the Bar Mitzvah of Chance  
Laurie followed by a Kiddush luncheon

Sundown Tishah B'Av begins

### Friday, July 31

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service

## • • • August Worship Services • • •

### Saturday, August 1

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Gertman:  
Va-et'chanan, Deuteronomy 3:23–7:11

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service  
followed by a light Kiddush

### Friday, August 7

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service

### Saturday, August 8

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Glaser: Eikey,  
Deuteronomy 7:12–11:25

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service  
including the Bat Mitzvah of Rachel  
Knutson followed by a Kiddush luncheon

10:30 a.m. Jewish Renewal Service

### Friday, August 14

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service including guest  
speaker Rabbi Jonathan Cohen

### Saturday, August 15

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Guest Rabbi Jonathan  
Cohen: R'eih, Deuteronomy 11:26–16:17

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service  
including the Bar Mitzvah of Domenic  
Brack followed by a Kiddush luncheon

### Friday, August 21

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service

### Saturday, August 22

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Zimmerman:  
Shoftim, Deuteronomy 16:18–21:9

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service  
followed by a light Kiddush

### Friday, August 28

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service

### Saturday, August 29

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Glaser: Ki Teitzei,  
Deuteronomy 21:10–25:19

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service  
including the Bar Mitzvah of Quinn  
Rosenberg followed by a Kiddush luncheon

## 2015 Confirmation Class

**Front Row:** Cantor Barry Abelson, Wendy Schwartz (Confirmation Coordinator), Carli Grossman, Libby Rothberg, Ellen Sussman, Annika Ziegler, Rabbi Marcia Zimmerman, Zoe Stern (Confirmation Faculty)

**Second Row:** Rabbi Jennifer Gertman, Addie Gleekel, Jamie Salz, Lulu Cohen, Sally Young, Camille Rosenfeld, Melissa Bernstein, Peri Yarosh, Julie Smelansky (Confirmation Faculty)

**Third Row:** Bea Frank, Rachel Greenwald, Zoe Kirshbaum, Riley Filister-Weinman, Mark Bloom (Musical Associate), Sam Stillman, Sonya Chechik, Sophia Peifer, Andrea Seiler

**Inset:** Noah Fogel, Jacob Defren

**Not Pictured:** Brian Cook (Confirmation Faculty), Rabbi Sim Glaser, Ben Levin

# What's Happening

## Temple Israel Committee to End Homelessness: Action Update

Can one Phone Call Really Make a Difference?

It was April 10; the Temple Israel Committee to End Homelessness sent me an e-mail with an advocacy action alert, "Bad news at the State Capitol." The Minnesota House had proposed a reduction of millions of funding dollars for Minnesota's homeless. "Please call your house representative this week to ask them not to cut funding for housing and homeless services."

I'd been focused on severe pain in my arm since February when I tore a tendon away from a bone. I was scheduled for surgery on April 22. I'd been preparing: revising my advanced directive and my will, just in case! Organizing where my kids could find all my pertinent financial information—and the deed for my plot at the Temple Israel Memorial Park, just in case!

Three days passed. I hadn't called my House rep. I felt anxious and sorry for myself. Then I thought – how long could one phone call take? Less than five minutes. Just do it! I did, and whether it would help the homeless or not, I felt better; I'd done one simple act of Tikkun Olam.

I was home for a few days recovering from my successful surgery when I received what I thought was a "Get Well" card. It was from my House Representative, Cheryl Youakim; here's what she wrote in her own hand:

"Hello Rachael, Thank you for your phone call regarding funding for housing and the homeless. I support both the Senate and the Governor's proposal for funding in this area. I was very disappointed in the current house leadership's cut to Health and Human Services where programs like these are funded. When we are finally on good fiscal footing in this state, we should be doing more for those who need a little more help. Thank you for your advocacy! Cheryl"

At the time of this writing, the story of this funding bill is not over. Conference Committees are working on a resolution for this year's funding for housing and homeless services.

But I know the answer to my question: Can one phone call make a difference? Yes, it can.

(Please contact Rabbi Glaser at [sglaser@templeisrael.com](mailto:sglaser@templeisrael.com) to join us in any of the work we do on the Temple Israel Committee to End Homelessness!)

- Rachael Freed

## Sisterhood Garage Sale Announcement

After much consideration, we want to inform you that there will not be a Sisterhood garage sale this year at Temple. We will take the time during the year to discuss its future and other Sisterhood fundraising activities. We will inform all of our loyal customers who signed up with us at last year's sale. For those of you who may have been so thoughtfully saving items for the sale, please know that there are many other places that will welcome your items. We sincerely thank all of you for your past volunteerism and donations. We apologize for any disappointment caused by this difficult decision.

If you are looking for a good place to donate or shop, consider the Mount Zion Temple Garage Sale (1300 Summit Avenue, St Paul) which runs from July 29 – August 9. For more information contact [mzgaragesale@gmail.com](mailto:mzgaragesale@gmail.com) or visit [mzion.org/2015/05/2015-mount-zion-garage-sale/](http://mzion.org/2015/05/2015-mount-zion-garage-sale/).

-Temple Israel Sisterhood



## Ushers Needed!

Have you ever considered joining the Temple Israel Usher Corps? We are in need of additional ushers! Ushers help make Temple Israel an extraordinarily warm, welcoming and inviting place by being hospitable and providing friendly greetings to worshippers for Shabbat, High Holy Day services, and to guests at special events throughout the year. If you are interested, we'd love to have you join our team—please contact Jim Gurovitsch at [jamesguro@aol.com](mailto:jamesguro@aol.com) or Dean Goldberg at [dgoldberg620@gmail.com](mailto:dgoldberg620@gmail.com).



## Adult Hebrew Classes at Sabes JCC

### Hebrew I (Beginners)

Sunday Mornings, 9:15 - 10:15 a.m. • Sept. 2015 - May 2016

Instructor: Fran Rosen | Fee: \$300

If you've never had the opportunity to study Hebrew before or need a refresher, this class covers the basics of letter recognition and reading.

### Hebrew II (Intermediate)

Sunday Mornings, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. • Sept. 2015 - May 2016

Instructor: Fran Rosen | Fee: \$300

Study vocabulary, grammar and reading with an emphasis on prayers and understanding their meaning and place in the service.

Contact Wendy at 612-374-0344 for more details.

## Torah Study

**Every Saturday, 9:00 – 10:15 a.m.**

Free and open to all. Come when you can!

Join in an instructive and spirited discussion of the week's Torah portion led by our rabbis. Gain a better understanding of Torah and its relevance to contemporary life through study and dialogue in community.

## Jewish Memory Loss Caregiver Support Group for Spouses and Life Partners

Co-sponsored by Temple Israel and JFCS

**Wednesdays, July 8 and August 12, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.**

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Are you caring for someone who is experiencing Alzheimer's or another memory loss disorder? Support and information can be so helpful during this challenging and stressful time. If you are interested in this group please contact Barbara Rudnick at [brudnick@jfcsmpls.org](mailto:brudnick@jfcsmpls.org) or 952-542-4825. Pre-registration is required. All calls are confidential.

## New Horizons Dinner and Entertainment

Cantor Mitch the Singing Chef Presents

Songs and Recipes for a New Generation of Kosher Cuisine

**Sunday, July 12, 6:00 p.m.**

Temple members over 70, join us for an evening of good friends, good food and fun entertainment. Reservations required. Temple Israel members \$15 per person, non-members \$18 per person. Contact Wendy Schwartz at [wendy@templeisrael.com](mailto:wendy@templeisrael.com) or 612-374-0344.

## Temple Israel Committee to End Homelessness Meeting and Speaker

**Wednesday, July 15, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

The Temple Israel Committee to End Homelessness (TICEH) will update you on what we have accomplished to date and will discuss what progress has and has not been made in addressing homelessness in Minnesota. Guest speakers will talk about their "View from the Street: Homelessness in Minnesota" and "My Experience: The Journey Taken by a Homeless Youth." You will also have a chance to sign up to take action addressing homelessness. RSVP to Rabbi Glaser by contacting Mary Gail Hadley at 612-374-0315 or [mghadley@templeisrael.com](mailto:mghadley@templeisrael.com). We hope to see you there!

## Sisterhood Events

Visit the Sisterhood web page [templeisraelsisterhood.com](http://templeisraelsisterhood.com) or Facebook page [facebook.com/groups/templeisraelsisterhoodmn/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/templeisraelsisterhoodmn/) for events and volunteer opportunities.

## Camp TEKO Shabbat Picnic & Service

**Friday, July 17**

**5:15 p.m. Gates Open**

**5:45 p.m. BBQ Picnic**

**Shabbat Service follows BBQ Picnic**

All are invited to our Men's Club-sponsored BBQ picnic and dessert reception sponsored by our Sisterhood, followed by an outdoor Shabbat service overlooking the lake with our clergy. Come by yourself or bring your future, current or alumni campers.



## Tishah B'Av

**Sunday, July 26**

Tishah B'Av, observed on the 9th (tishah) of the Hebrew month of Av, is a day of mourning the destruction of both ancient Temples in Jerusalem. Although historians dispute the fact that both Temples were destroyed on this day, Tishah B'Av has become a symbol of Jewish suffering and loss. Over the centuries, other tragic events have come to be commemorated on this day, including the brutal massacres of the Crusades, the Jewish expulsion from Spain, and the Holocaust. Today, Tishah B'Av stands as a day to reflect on the suffering that still occurs in our world. Traditionally, Tishah B'Av is a time set aside for fasting and mourning.

## Kabbalah Sparks

**Monday, July 27, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.**

Instructor: Rabbi Sim Glaser

Free and open to all.

Join us for a study and meditation on Kabbalistic themes. Some familiarity with the basics of Jewish mysticism is encouraged, but all inquisitive seekers are welcome.

## Guest Scholar to Speak

**Jonathan Cohen, Rabbi, Ph.D.**

Dean, Associate Professor of Talmud and Halakhic Literature at HUC-JIR/Cincinnati

**Friday, August 14, 6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Services**

**Saturday, August 15, 9:00 a.m. Torah Study**

Learn from an outstanding scholar and teacher during Erev Shabbat Services and Saturday Torah study.

## Elul Reflections E-List

**August 16 – September 13, 2015**

Receive a brief daily e-mail reflection from Jewish sources for each day of the month of Elul, the month preceding Rosh Hashanah. Elul is traditionally a time of repentance and self-examination. E-mail: [e-learning@templeisrael.com](mailto:e-learning@templeisrael.com) to subscribe. If you have subscribed to e-learning in the past you will continue to receive Elul and Omer daily reflections.



# High Holy Days Construction Update

Although summer has just begun, the High Holy Days will be here soon. The construction of our new education center and lobby gathering space will begin in August 2015, prior to the High Holy Days, so that it can be completed prior to Rosh HaShanah 2016/5777. Together with our architects and builders, we are planning every detail of our construction schedule to ensure that your High Holy Days experience is as peaceful, worshipful and stress-free as possible.

Following are a few answers to anticipated questions. Please don't hesitate to contact Amy Griffiths at 612-374-0324 or [agriffiths@templeisrael.com](mailto:agriffiths@templeisrael.com) with any further questions or concerns.

- All High Holy Days service times are the same as last year and are listed on the Temple website.
- The main entrance to Temple Israel for the High Holy Days will be the Emerson Avenue entrance (up the beautiful stairs leading into the sanctuary). There will be an alternative entrance for those with mobility concerns. This accessible location will be communicated by mail, in HaKol and on our website in early September. The Fremont (parking lot) entrance and portico will not be available for use.
- Please arrive early to have plenty of time to park and get to Temple.
- Free valet parking will be offered again this year at Rosh HaShanah and Yom Kippur for those who have mobility concerns. More detailed parking instructions will be mailed, printed in HaKol and posted on our website in early September. If you do not have mobility concerns, please plan to park on the street.
- Do not worry if you are running late due to parking disruptions. No one will be taking notes!
- Shuttle parking options are being considered. Please contact Amy Griffiths at 612-374-0324 or [agriffiths@templeisrael.com](mailto:agriffiths@templeisrael.com) if you are interested in this option.

Additional updates and detailed parking instructions will be mailed, printed in HaKol and posted on our website in early September.

As usual, during the High Holy Days, we will have staff and security personnel available at all entrances at all times to assist you. Please let us know how we can be helpful.



**Alon Alkalai**  
May 23, 2015

**B'midbar** Alon is the son of Jackie & Harel Alkalai; the grandson of Levana & the late Naftali Alkalai and Roslyn & the late Harvey Nairn; and the brother of Andrea. Alon enjoys playing piano, reading, and martial arts. His favorite Jewish activity is spending Shabbat with his grandmother. His favorite subject at Plymouth Middle School is social studies. He was on the High Honor Roll all of 6th grade and the first two quarters of 7th grade. When he grows up, Alon would like to be a scientist. When asked about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, he said, "It is very important to me and I am looking forward to it."

We regret that in the May/June issue of *HaKol* the B'nai Mitzvah announcement for Alon Alkalai contained errors. Please find the corrected announcement above. We apologize for any confusion this may have caused.



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Check out the Yachad website at [yachadmn.org](http://yachadmn.org), and contact Rabbi Gertman with any questions at [jgertman@templeisrael.com](mailto:jgertman@templeisrael.com) or 612-374-0365.



**Austin Isaac Marx**  
July 18, 2015

**Matot/Mas'ei** Austin is the son of Jennifer & Steven Marx; the grandson of Virginia & Richard Wild, Carol Marx and Linn Marx; and the brother of Caleb and Bella. Austin enjoys basketball, swimming, biking, gardening and playing Monopoly. His favorite Jewish activity is celebrating the holidays and eating Jewish food. His favorite subject at Central Middle School is social studies. When he grows up he would like to be a doctor. When asked about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, Austin said, "I'm excited to read Hebrew to my friends and family."



**Chance Aaron Laurie**  
July 25, 2015

**D'varim** Cal is the son of Rachel Laurie and Ian Laurie; the grandson of Jerry & Joey Laurie and Susan & Michael Boggs; and the brother of Dayton. Cal enjoys playing baseball, basketball, football, and video games. His favorite Jewish activity is eating challah. His favorite subjects at Maple Grove Junior High are social studies and gym. Recently, he was honored to be a WEB (Where Everybody Belongs) Leader and was on the honor roll. When he grows up, he would like to be a professional athlete or work for a professional sports team. When asked about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, Cal said, "I am excited to spend the day with my family and friends."



**Rachel C. Knutson**  
August 8, 2015

**Eikev** Rachel is the daughter of Dena M. Warrington and Connie & Matthew Knutson; the granddaughter of Marjorie Abrams, Leslie & Gary Warrington, and Sally Throne<sup>z</sup>; and the sister of Kyle Knutson. Rachel enjoys singing, painting, reading, learning how to do make-up, and doing crafts. Her favorite subjects at Plymouth Middle School are choir, science, and social studies. When asked about her upcoming Bat Mitzvah, Rachel said, "This is a very exciting time in my life. I am grateful for all of the support I have gotten from my family and I can't wait to be an adult!"



**Domenic James Brack**  
August 15, 2015

**R'eih** Domenic is the son of Rhona & David Brack; and the grandson of Phyllis & Gordon Landsman and Marguerite & Eugene Brack. Domenic enjoys playing harmonica, singing, basketball, biking, Boy Scouts, and Safety Patrol. He was recently honored with the Aleph Religion Badge from Boy Scouts. His favorite subjects at Elm Creek Elementary are band and math. When he grows up, Domenic would like to be an EMT and then go to medical school to become a doctor. When asked about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, Domenic said, "I can't wait to have my Bar Mitzvah and become a man."



**Sarah Elizabeth Jennings Jonas**  
August 22, 2015

**Shoftim** Sarah is the daughter of Julie Jonas and Trent Jonas; the granddaughter of Saralee & Neil Mogilner and Candace<sup>z</sup> & Harold Jonas<sup>z</sup>; and the sister of Sam. Sarah enjoys musical theatre, volleyball, ultimate Frisbee, and volunteering at Second Harvest Heartland. She was recently honored with a musical theatre award and an actor of the year award. When she grows up, Sarah would like to be an actress on Broadway. When asked about her upcoming Bat Mitzvah, Sarah said, "I am excited to share my Bat Mitzvah with my friends and family, and to take a big leap into the world of being a Jewish adult."



**Quinn Oliver Rosenberg**  
August 29, 2015

**Ki Teitzei** Quinn is the son of Sherry & Jay Rosenberg; the grandson of Merle Fishman Rosenberg<sup>z</sup> & Robert Rosenberg and Harriet & Larry Gallas; and the brother of Gabriel, Milly, and Remy. Quinn enjoys hockey, baseball, soccer, fantasy football, and volunteering at Feed My Starving Children. When he grows up, he says he'd like to be a "professional hockey player or if that fails, a team manager." When asked about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, he said, "I'm a little nervous, but excited for my Bar Mitzvah."



Temple Israel

# Legacy Circle

2015 Legacy Circle Celebration featuring keynote speaker, Chris Farrell of American Public Media's Marketplace and author of *Unretirement: How Baby Boomers are Changing the Way We Think About Work, Community and the Good Life.*  
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# Temple Israel *Legacy Circle*

## Ashreinu mah tov helkeinu – Let us rejoice in our portion! We are most blessed!

Thank you to each of our Legacy Circle members for your generosity and planning today with a gift in your estate plan for tomorrow. We are pleased to recognize and honor these visionaries whose planned estate gifts will advance the legacy of Temple Israel as a thriving congregation and central Jewish institution in the city of Minneapolis.

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*z"l, May their memory be for a blessing*

# Temple's Annual Meeting 2015



# Sharing Our Lives

## Mazel Tov To...

- Harriet & Bruce Bart on the feature of their stylish home in *The Star Tribune* this past May.
- Kate & Matt Brickman on the birth of their son, Henry Maurice Brickman, on April 29. Henry's grandparents are Elaine & Jeff Brickman and Mary & Keith Pokarney.
- Cindy & Don Brown on the birth of their granddaughter on April 16. Caroline Mae is the daughter of Lacey and Sam Brown of Silver Spring, Maryland, and was welcomed home by her big sister, Rhodes.
- Laura & Steven Engler on the birth of their grandson, Jordan Andrew Morgan, on April 20. Jordan was born to Alexandra Engler Morgan and her husband Jonathan Morgan, who live in Philadelphia. Jordan's aunt, Samantha Engler, resides in New York City—only a train ride away from her nephew—and Great-Grandmother, Marja Engler, is bursting with joy at her new status.
- Carrie Fink & Reid Johnson on the birth of their son, Harlan Meyer Johnson, on April 21.
- Sophie Frank, granddaughter of Joanne Blindman, who received a Rose Rees Peace Award this past April. The Rose Rees Peace Awards are given by the NCJW to high school seniors who demonstrate special interest in and commitment to international relations and world peace.
- Sam Graber, whose play, *What Happened to the Dollar*, opened at The Producer's Club in New York City this past May.
- Rachel Greenwald, new regional Membership Vice President for the North American Federation of Temple Youth, Northern Region (NFTY-No), and to Andrea Seiler, NFTY-No's new regional Social Action Vice President.
- Alli & Mike Hearne on the birth of their son, Samuel Stolper Hearne, on April 22.
- Grandma Ruth Knelman, who was honored at the April meeting of the Minneapolis School Board for her extraordinary volunteer service to the Jefferson Community School and profiled for a feature news story in the *Southwest Journal*.

- Jill Phillips, who was awarded a national Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential by the Council of Professional Recognition of Washington, DC in recognition of outstanding work with young children.
- Jill & Billy Wolfson on the birth of their daughter, Ivy Winter Wolfson, on May 6. Fremajane & Blair Wolfson are Ivy's grandparents.

## New Members

Lauren Sabulsky & Matthew Zeller

## In Memory

*Condolences to our Temple families who have recently lost a loved one.*

Maxine Barrick, *Wife of Robert Barrick*

June Berg, *Mother of Susie (Steve) Feldman*

Phebe Mae Givens, *Mother of Archie Givens*  
(Carol Meshbesh)

David Goldberg, *Son of Paula Goldberg*

Benjamin Goldfarb, *Brother of Esta (Andrew) Goodman*

Maurice Heins, *Father of Samuel Heins (Stacey Mills)*

Susan Herstein, *Mother of Roshelle Herstein*

Sidney Ladin, *Husband of Sharlene Ladin,*  
*Sister of Sandra (Julius) Berezovsky and*  
*Father of Susan (Andrew) Baumel, Peggy (Richard A.)*  
*Bloom, and Karen Ladin (Robert Otis)*

Kenneth Macdonald, *Father of Bruce Macdonald*  
(Nancy Altman)

Lillian Michelson, *Mother of Kirk Michelson*

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(Jane) Gurstel

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Dorothy Stanley, *Mother of Michael (Suzi) Stanley*

Steven Strouts, *Former husband and best friend of*  
*Sara Strouts, and father of Zachary Strouts*

Stanley Taube, *Husband of Patti Taube*



# Anniversaries

*The May/June issue of Hakol misspelled the names of Gloria & John Horowitz, who celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on June 22. We regret the error.*

## • • • July Anniversaries • • •

10th	Helene Haapala & Connie Martin	7/3
10th	Kim & Rob Silver	7/3
10th	Eileen & Jeffrey Silver	7/10
10th	Denise Fogel & Paul Doud	7/16
15th	Addie & Brad Kaplan	7/2
15th	Linda & Steve Goldetsky	7/4
15th	Elissa & Todd Kalman	7/9
15th	Anne & Lance Silverman	7/15
15th	Melanie Litman-Morris & Jon Morris	7/29
20th	Claudia Miller & Wayne Moskowitz	7/1
20th	Debbie & Joe Young	7/1
20th	Judith & Jay Friedman	7/2
20th	Judy & Robert Butwinick	7/8
20th	Andrea Reznik & Rabbi Shalom Reznik Bell	7/9
20th	Rachel & Daniel Pelc	7/16
20th	Jane & Phil Brooks	7/22
20th	Kim & Bob Melamed	7/24
25th	Jane & David Kirshbaum	7/1
25th	Susan Austrian & Mark Dillon	7/6
35th	Roberta & Alan Jaffe	7/13
35th	Cher & Scott Harris	7/18
35th	Heidi & Doug Becker	7/27
40th	Anna & Chuck Silverman	7/20
40th	Michal & Micah Garber	7/24
40th	Barb & Frank Abramson	7/26
40th	Margo & Barry Abelson	7/27
45th	Cooky & Russ Walzer	7/12
50th	Merle & Gerry Weinberg	7/4
55th	Marian & Osher Altrowitz	7/2
55th	Diane & Marv Shedlov	7/9

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5th	Lisa Watson & Dan Tanz	8/7
5th	Robyn Winner & Neil Paloian	8/7
5th	Laura & Kenny Gilman	8/15
10th	Jessi & Jeff Heidelberg	8/7
10th	Betsy & James Schwartz	8/7
10th	Karen & Adam Steinert	8/27
20th	Sally & David Hyslop	8/12
25th	Cecelia & Stephen Bistner	8/4
25th	Julie & Scott Moss	8/12
25th	Judith Adams & Vladimir Leytes	8/26
30th	Tammie & Phil Rosenbloom	8/4
35th	Anna & Michael Danelich	8/2
35th	Dorothy & Alan Nadosy	8/7
35th	Nancy & Larry Shapiro	8/9
35th	Karen & Robert Rabinovitz	8/24
35th	Jill & Larry Field	8/31
35th	Kathryn & Sam Levine	8/31
40th	Nancy & Bob Hartman	8/17
40th	Wendy & Jerome Nalezny	8/20
40th	Sandy & Shel Olkon	8/22
45th	Devie & Jeffrey Koval	8/16
45th	Muffy & Larry Rudnick	8/16
45th	Mimi & Steve Fisher	8/22
45th	Mary & George Strauss	8/30
50th	Diane & Marvin Ingber	8/30

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### Erev Rosh HaShanah

Sunday, September 13

### Erev Sukkot

Sunday, September 27

### Rosh HaShanah

Monday, September 14

### Sukkot

Monday, September 28

### Kol Nidre/ Erev Yom Kippur

Tuesday, September 22

### Erev Simchat Torah

Sunday, October 4

### Yom Kippur

Wednesday, September 23

### Simchat Torah

Monday, October 5

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**Memorial Plaques** are a special way to remember a loved one in perpetuity. A small, engraved brass plate is permanently mounted on the yahrzeit memorial wall in our Hall of Remembrance, and a cast bronze plaque is placed annually in the Deinard Chapel during the week of the yahrzeit. To order memorial plaques for your loved one, please complete and return with payment the blue Memorial Plaque Order Form you received in the mail in late May. Memorial Plaque orders must be received **no later than July 20**.

Please call Amy Griffiths at 612-374-0324 or e-mail [agriffiths@templeisrael.com](mailto:agriffiths@templeisrael.com) with any questions about The Book of Remembrance or Memorial Plaques, or to request additional order forms.