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...but Temple is feeling Tropical!

Let Loose at Temple's Purim Celebration: Sunday, March 12





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Hola Amigos y Amigas,

Greetings from your Rabinos y Cantor recently returning from our Temple expedition to the island nation of Cuba.

Over 70 members of Temple in two separate cohorts voyaged to Cuba in January and February and had some extraordinary experiences. We listened to wonderful Cuban street musicians; ate at Paladares (family owned home restaurants); witnessed the political history of Cuba through magnificent art (including Cuba's Mona Lisa, "The Tropical Gypsy"); delighted in an enthralling young percussion/dance ensemble playing on congas, drums and chairs while moving to the complex rhythms; visited Hemingway's manse in the hills; strolled through the charming bustling plazas of old Havana; rode along the city streets in vintage 1950's era Chevys; and listened to fascinating lectures on Fidel Castro, Che Guevara, the revolution, and the Jewish community of Havana and the greater history of the Jewish presence in Cuba over the centuries.

While there is good education with a relatively low illiteracy rate, free medical care and cheap public transportation, most Cubanos are still living hand-to-mouth with food rationing, buildings in disrepair and significant air pollution in Havana. In this communist nation the average worker earns under \$40 a month. But with private enterprise and the tourist trade making its way into the economy, a doctor or university professor paid in Pesos by the Government earns far less than a hotel housekeeper, a guide or a restaurant owner.

Of course what made our trips "missions" was meeting and worshipping with these proud and vibrant Jewish communities currently established in greater Havana. Depending on who you are talking to, there are anywhere between 900-1300 Jews in all of Cuba. Though they have no ordained Jewish professionals to guide them, they are deeply loyal to the traditions, celebrate holidays at the appointed times, and pray each and every Shabbat from a Hebrew/Spanish siddur. As clergy, we participated in the music of the Friday night Shabbat service, we gave a d'var Torah, and attended Sunday school. The community truly seemed to enjoy our presence, and were grateful for the monetary donations we made, as well as medical supplies for their clinics. Though Cuba and Israel do not enjoy diplomatic relations to this day, there is no history of, nor present anti-Semitism.

There is no telling what exactly will befall Cuba as a nation, or the Jewish community there in the years soon to come. We visited at a very interesting "nexus point" between a land that time (and the world) seems to have forgotten, and what might well become a more westernized society in the not too distant future. We certainly came away with a renewed appreciation of what it means to live in a free society with a large robust Jewish community, and the timeless admonition: kol Yisrael aravim zeh b'zeh – "All Jews are responsible for one another."

We hope it will not be too long before we are again acquainted with our Cuban Jewish brothers and sisters, and will be keeping an eye on the developing relationship between Cuba, the United States and Israel.

B'virkat Shalom—With Blessings of Peace,

Rabbi Marcia Zimmerman Alvin & June Perlman Senior Rabbinic Chair Rabbi Sim Glaser

Canton Bar Abelson







Worship Services

March Worship Services

Friday, March 3

Learners' Shabbat Workshop: 5:00 p.m.

Braid challah, create a challah cover.

make a spice box and candle for Havdalah.

Free and open to all ages!

Erev Shabbat Learners' Service 6:00 p.m.

Tot Shabbat followed by a 6:00 p.m.

family-friendly dinner

Saturday, March 4

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Jennifer Hartman:

T'rumah. Exodus 25:1-27:19

Congregational Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 a.m.

including the Bat Mitzvah ceremony of

Josephine Shuster followed by a

Kiddush luncheon

Friday, March 10

6:00 p.m. Carlebach Erev Shabbat Service with

> guest speaker Jessica Fishman, author of Chutzpah & High Heels: The Search for Love and Identity in

The Holy Land

Saturday, March 11

Torah Study with Rabbi Joseph Edelheit: 9:00 a.m.

T'tzaveh, Exodus 27:20-30:10

Congregational Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 a.m.

including the Bat Mitzvah ceremony of

Hattie Hyman followed by a

Kiddush luncheon

Sunday, March 12

Megillah reading and Purim shpiel 10:45 a.m.

Friday, March 17

Nefesh Erev Shabbat Service including a 6:00 p.m.

sermon on the congregation's recent trips

to Cuba

Saturday, March 18

Torah Study with Rabbi Jennifer Hartman: 9:00 a.m.

Ki Tisa, Exodus 30:11-34:35

Congregational Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 a.m.

> including the B'nai Mitzvah ceremony of Leo Seiler and Lucy Seiler followed by a

Kiddush luncheon

Friday, March 24

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service

Saturday, March 25

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Shavit-Lonstein:

Vayak'heil / P'kudei, Exodus 35:1-40:38

Congregational Shabbat Morning Service 10:30 a.m.

including the Bar Mitzvah ceremony of

Nash Feinstein followed by a

Kiddush luncheon

Friday, March 31

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service

Saturday, April 1

Torah Study with Rabbi Marcia Zimmerman: 9:00 a.m.

Vayikra, Leviticus 1:1-5:26

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service

including the Bat Mitzvah ceremony of

Aliya Rosenthal followed by a

Kiddush luncheon

What's Happening...

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 and guest teachers.

Learners' Shabbat Workshop and Service

Friday, March 3

Prepare for Shabbat: Braid challah, create a 5:00 p.m.

challah cover, make a spice box and candle for

Havdalah. (Free and open to all ages)

Learners' Shabbat Service 6:00 p.m.

Tot Shabbat followed by a family-friendly dinner 6:00 p.m.

Come together as a community, adults and children alike, to learn about and participate in the celebration of Shabbat! From baking challah and experiencing the rituals associated with home Shabbat observance to worshipping in a service that explains the meanings and movements of Shabbat prayers, this Learners' Shabbat evening will enrich your experience and understanding of Shabbat.

Tot Shabbat

Friday, March 3

5:00 p.m. Come braid challah, create a challah cover,

make a spice box and candle for Havdalah.

Tot Shabbat service followed by a 6:00 p.m.

family-friendly dinner

Tot Shabbat takes place on the first Friday evening of each month through May with our Temple clergy. Join us for a special family experience for infants, toddlers and children up to 7 years old. After the service a child-friendly dinner is served, and activities will keep little ones busy while you visit with fellow parents and grandparents. Upcoming Tot Shabbat dates: April 7, and May 5.

Sisterhood Book Club

Did You Ever Have a Family by Bill Clegg

Wednesday, March 8, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Ridgedale Byerly's Community Room

Contact Judy Chucker with any questions: jchucker1@ comcast.net or 952-546-4429

On the eve of her daughter's wedding, June Reid's life is devastated when a disaster takes the lives of her entire family in a moment. June is the only survivor. Alone and directionless. she drives across the country, away from her small Connecticut town. In her wake, a community emerges, weaving a beautiful and surprising web of connections through shared heartbreak.

Carlebach Shabbat Service with guest speaker Jessica Fishman

Friday, March 10, 6:00 p.m.

Chutzpah & High Heels: The Search for Love and Identity in The Holy Land

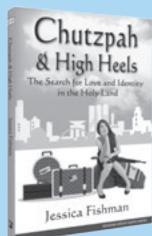


Jessica Fishman

Jessica Fishman made aliyah to Israel, but when the Israeli Rabbinate refused to consider her Jewish because her mother's conversion to Judaism was not an Orthodox conversion, she left The Holy Land. Jessica's memoir explores her deep love of Judaism and the hopes and dreams that brought her

to Israel, which were ultimately undercut by the

lack of Jewish pluralism in Israel. In an uplifting and humorous presentation, she will share her experiences of both humiliating and hysterical events of immigrating to Israel - from learning Hebrew and dealing with Israeli bureaucracy to joining the IDF. Jessica grew up in the Twin Cities and attended Temple's Preschool.



Temple Israel's March Food Drive: Spread the Mitzvah of Mishloach Manot

Mishloach manot are gifts of food or drink that are sent to friends, family, neighbors, and those in need on the Purim holiday. Help Temple Israel spread the mitzvah of giving mishloach manot by donating to the Temple Israel Food Drive. Your gift will directly benefit members of the greater Twin Cities community who need food not only at the holidays, but throughout the year.

Please make your check payable to Temple Israel Food Drive and mail it to: Temple Israel, 2323 Fremont Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55405.







Highlights in Jewish History

Saturday, March 11, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Join us for lively discussions of some of the most important events in Jewish history with Dr. Joseph Goldman.

Dr. Goldman, a noted historian, is a retired senior lecturer at the Carlson School of Management and lectures regularly at Temple Israel. Dr. Goldman holds PhDs in Political Science and History, and has been a university professor for over 40 years. He is the author of a recently published collection of short stories, Voices from a Distant Time, A Dark Place, based on Holocaust survivor testimonies. Highlights in Jewish History is free and open to all.

War Hawks, Peace Makers: Moshe Dayan and Ariel Sharon

When Moshe Dayan and Ariel Sharon are mentioned by historians of Israel, these men are remembered as great captains of war. Both men helped save Israel from defeat between 1948 and 1973 in her defensive conflicts against hostile Arab states or the Palestinian intifadas. Yet both were men of peace. Dayan promoted Israeli archaeology and served as an 'ex officio' adviser to several prime ministers when called upon for security strategy. Between 1982 and 2005 Sharon played many roles in the life of Israel; he became Prime Minister after serving as minister of defense, but was also a 'gentleman farmer' with a ranch in the Golan Heights. Learn more about these giants of Jewish history.

Tropical Temple Megillah Reading & Purim Shpiel, and Purim Carnival

Sunday, March 12

See pages 8-9 for full Purim celebration details.

Minnesota Coalition for the Homeless Day on the Hill

Tuesday, March 14,

8:15 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

One of the easiest and most powerful things you can do to influence the problem of homelessness is to ask your Minnesota legislators to address the problem. Whether you are a toddler or a great, great-grandparent, please come join Rabbi Glaser, members of the Temple Israel Committee to End Homelessness, and hundreds of others in the Minnesota Coalition for the Homeless at the Minnesota Capitol. We will meet with our state Senators and Representatives and ask them to support the Homes for All legislative agenda. This will truly make a difference in the lives of Minnesotans living without a home. Greater numbers of people visiting legislators results in a greater impact. If you are interested, contact Rabbi Glaser at 612-374-0315 or sglaser@templeisrael.com.



Men's Club Update

For over 12 years, Daniel Ribnick has organized the monthly breakfasts at St. Stephen's homeless shelter on behalf of Temple Israel Men's Club. Daniel has recently decided to step down from these duties, and the Men's Club is making arrangements to continue the program in Daniel's absence. On behalf of the whole Temple community, we give Daniel a big thank you for serving the homeless community over these many years.

You should have received a 2017 membership mailing from Men's Club. Your continued support is greatly appreciated as your donations fund our programs:

- Hosting the Camp TEKO Shabbat picnics
- Distributing Chanukah candles to JEWL families
- Families Moving Forward
- YouthLink and The Bridge Bar-B-Q's TIPTY Purim Carnival Lunch
- Consecration Class Breakfast
- St. Stephen's Shelter Breakfasts

Our next event will be serving falafels and hammentaschen at the TIPTY Purim Carnival on Sunday, March 12. If you would like to volunteer, please contact either of our Co-Presidents Jed Marquisee at (612) 309-8663 or Mark Ratner at (612) 272-7060.

What's Happening...

Volunteer at Jeremiah Program

Thursday, March 16, and Thursday, May 4

This is an opportunity for groups of 4-8 people to purchase, prepare, and serve a meal for women and children who live at the Jeremiah Program. Jeremiah is a non-profit organization that is "changing lives two generations at a time." Jeremiah helps mothers and their children move out of poverty into stability and prosperity. Community organizations, including the Temple Sisterhood, support these families by preparing and serving meals for them. Sisterhood has a long-standing relationship with the Jeremiah Program, and volunteering there is always deeply rewarding. Join us for camaraderie, community, and a little tikkun olam. For more information, contact Marsha Seltz at 612-920-7337.

35th Annual Interfaith Seder

Join the Fun; Host a Table

Sunday, March 26, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. at Temple Israel

On Sunday, March 26, neighbors and friends from area churches, mosques and other worship communities will gather at Temple Israel for the 35th Annual Interfaith Seder, led by Temple clergy. Guests will share the rituals of Passover and sample traditional Passover foods. Since 1981, Temple Israel has invited area houses of worship to the Interfaith Seder. If you, your spouse and/or teenage family members would like to help host our guests at this cherished event, please contact the Temple Israel Interfaith Seder Chair Len Kennen at 952-475-4030 or at interfaithseder@templeisrael.com. For more information please contact Liz at 612-374-0318 or liztempleisrael.com.

The Interfaith Seder is underwritten by the Knelman Family Fund for Interfaith Relations of the Temple Israel Foundation. This fund is dedicated to building interfaith understanding through dialogue and sharing.

Kabbalah Sparks with Rabbi Glaser

Tuesday, March 28, 7:00 p.m.

Free and open to all. No background in Kabbalah required. Immersing in the Kabbalah: Back to the Basics of Jewish Mysticism

Join in a year-long study of the basic tenets and themes of the Kabbalah. Following the text, A Kabbalah and Jewish Mysticism Reader by Daniel Horwitz, we will explore subjects and definitions including the nature of the Eyn Sof, the sefirot, Biblical origins of mysticism, Lurianic Kabbalah, death and transmigration of souls, the problem of evil, sin and sexuality, prayer, mystical practices, and much, much more. Come continuously, once in a while, often, or eternally, as fits your desire and schedule. Your presence is welcome. RSVP to Rabbi Glaser at 612-374-0315 or sglaser@templeisrael.com if you are interested in being a part of this experience, or would like to receive his email notifications.

Life After Hate

Thursday, March 30, 7:00 p.m.

Christian Picciolini, co-founder of Life After Hate, will speak about his work helping white supremacists and other extremists to leave hate groups. Visit our website for further details: www.templeisrael.com

Cuba Travelers' Reunion and Special Shabbat Service

Friday, March 17

5:15 p.m. Oneg Shabbat featuring Cuban-inspired foods
 6:00 p.m. Shabbat Service featuring photos and reflections from the congregation's trips to Cuba



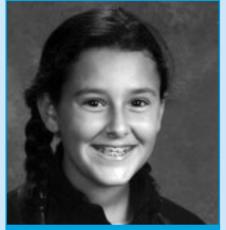




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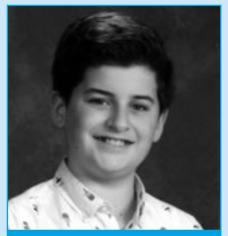
March 4, 2017

Sophie is the daughter of Jen Pettit & Jonathan Shuster; grand Kathy & Hal Pettit, Jill Shuster, Stan (Maureen) Shuster and the late Connie Shuster; and sister of Alex. Sophie enjoys out with friends. Her favorite Jewish activity is going to OSRUI camp. She attends Capitol Hill Middle School. When she grows up, Sophie would like to be an actress or a marine biologist. When asked about her upcoming Bat Mitzvah, she said, "I am so excited to share such a my life.'



Hattie Hyman March 11, 2017

▲ Hattie is the daughter of Kelly & Pete Hattie is the daughter of Keily & Pete Hyman; granddaughter of Wendy & Wayne Salita and Sandy & Fred Hyman; and sister of Gus and Casey. Hattie enjoys soccer, babysitting and being with friends. Her favorite Jewish activity is getting together with family over holidays. She attends Wayzata East Middle School, where her favorite subject is Language Arts. When she grows up, Hattie would like to be a teacher or otherwise work with children. When asked about her upcoming Bat Mitzvah, she said, "I'm very excited



Leo Seiler March 18, 2017

Leo is the son of Alexis & Scott Seiler; grandson of Robin & Stuart Seiler, Suzanne Prass & the late David Prass; 🛂 and brother of Andrea, Abigail and Lucy. Leo enjoys dancing, skiing and attending OSRUI camp. His favorite Jewish activity is the Passover Seder. He attends Anthony Middle School, where his favorite subjects are Math and Choir. When he grows up, Leo would like to be an actor. When asked about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, he quoted Sammy Davis, Jr.—"You always have two choices:



Lucy Seiler March 18, 2017

Lucy is the daughter of Alexis & Scott Seiler; granddaughter of Robin & Stuart Seiler, Suzanne Prass & the late David Prass; and sister of Andrea, Abigail and Leo. Lucy enjoys dancing, skiing and attending OSRUI Camp. She attends Anthony Middle School, where her favorite subjects are Humanities and Math. When asked about her upcoming Bat Mitzvah, she said, "I am looking of my Jewish adventures."



Nash Feinstein March 25, 2017

Nash is the son of Gina Feinstein and Mike Feinstein; grandson of Lee Feinstein and Suzi & Michael Stanley, Pat Sorenson & the late Mike Sorenson. Nash enjoys basketball, football, swimming and biking. His favorite Jewish activity is celebrating Hanukkah with family. He attends Hopkins North Junior High School, where his favorite subject is Math. When he grows up, Nash would like to be a professional basketball player in the NBA. When asked about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, he said, "I am so excited that my whole family is coming to celebrate with me on this very special occasion."

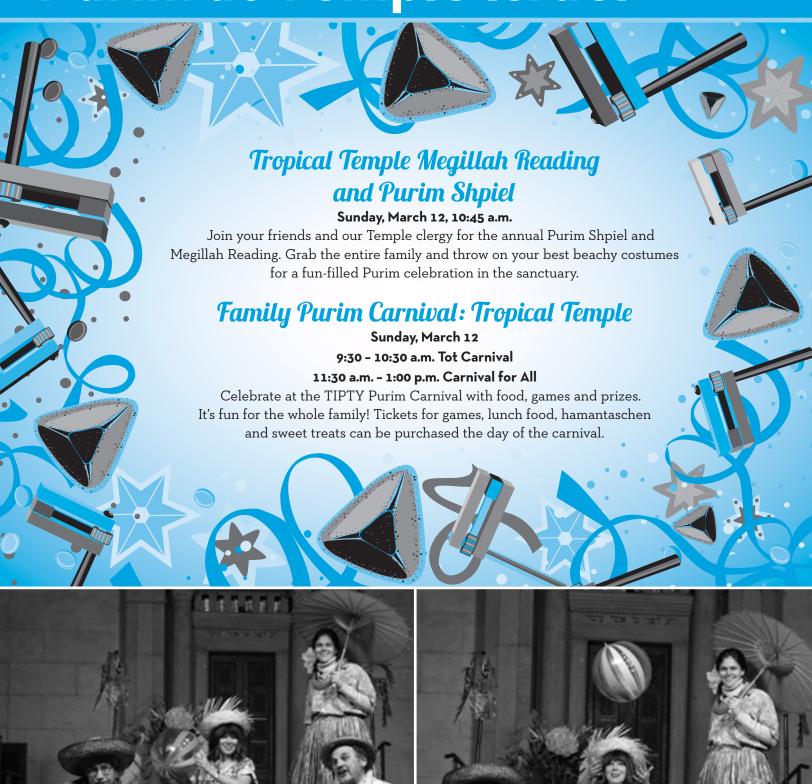
March Youth & **Education Dates**

5	7/8 Grade Field Trip (9:00 – 11:30 a.m.; drop off and pick up at Temple Israel)
12	Purim Carnival 9:30 a.m. Tot Carnival 10:45 a.m. Purim Shpiel 11:30 a.m. JEWL Carnival
26- April 2	JEWL Spring Break
28-29	JEWL B'nai Mitzvah Training in session
April 4-5	JEWLTuesday/Wednesday classes resume
April 9	JEWL Sunday classes resume
9 th -	12 th graders (including

10th grade Confirmation); please check the YACHAD website http://yachadmn.org/ for all class times.

Our B'nai Mitzvah Reaching Jewish Adulthood

Purim at Temple Israel





Sisterhood Is Baking and Selling Hamantaschen for Purim

Calling All Hamantaschen Bakers!

Wednesday, March 1, 1:00 – 8:00 p.m. at Temple Israel Sunday, March 5, 9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. at Temple Israel

It is time once again to put your apron on, bring your rolling pin and come bake with us. We know you are busy, so bake with us on both days, or for just a few hours on one day, whatever works for you! Bring a friend or two. It is a lot of fun. To schedule a baking shift or a selling shift contact Beverly Baker 952-935-7526 or Beverly_baker@att.net. Or register online at http://signup.com/go/DQj6Lz.

Calling All Hamantaschen Lovers!

Come Buy Your Hamantaschen at Temple Israel

Sisterhood will be selling hamantaschen in the Sisterhood Gift Shop.

Friday, March 3, 4:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 5, 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Sunday, March 12, 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (Day of the Purim Carnival)

The price is \$15/dozen or \$8/half dozen:

Poppy Seed, Chocolate, Mixed Fruit and Apricot.













Lighting the Way

TURNING BACK

A tribute to Jeffrey Murman, 1947-2014

Gloria Marks Murman remembers her 11th grade year well. That was the year she dropped out of her synagogue post-confirmation class and missed it terribly.

For the rest of her life, Gloria has made up for that year by turning back to what she loves most—community, family and good causes.

Recently, Gloria made a donation to Temple Israel in

memory of her late husband Jeffrey Murman, to support those things that she—and he—have cared about so deeply.

Gloria grew up at Mount Zion Temple in St. Paul, while future husband, Jeff, was active in his youth group at Mikro Kodesh Synagogue in north Minneapolis. The two met during Gloria's senior year in college and were married two years later.

Michelle, their first child, was born in 1979 and named at Mount Zion. By the time their second child, Julie, came along in 1983, the family had joined Temple Israel, which was closer to their St. Louis Park home. Julie was named at Temple, and then both children became B'not Mitzvah here. But then the whole family got busy with other things, and Temple fell off their radar.

Meanwhile, Gloria left an IT management job at Pillsbury, began a career at Jewish Family and Children's Service, was active in Hadassah and eventually became its chapter president. The family grew larger as daughter Michelle's best friend, Marci Wasserman, became a de facto third child and celebrated all the Jewish holidays and family gatherings with them.



Gloria & Jeff ^{2"} Murman (seated on couch) with their children and grandchildren during Chanukah, 2012

Tragedy struck in 1990 when Jeff lost his eye to cancer. He became angry with God and disconnected from the synagogue. Thankfully he went into remission, but still only a family celebration would entice him to services. In 2001, three days after 9/11, Jeff retired from 33 years in the office supply industry, and he and Gloria began volunteering as election judges. Jeff would help out

periodically with Hadassah projects, as well.

Some 20 years later, just when they discovered Jeff's cancer had returned, Gloria suffered a stroke. Fortunately, she recovered quickly but "this was a turning point for us," Gloria said. "When we needed Temple, Temple and the clergy were there for us."

Jeff began driving himself to Fridley for weekly chemo treatments. He celebrated his granddaughter Emily's birth in April 2012 and babysat three days a week until he was physically unable to do so. It was a huge blessing to be able to walk daughter Michelle down the aisle at her wedding in September 2012 and then later to celebrate Emily's first birthday.

"When Jeff got sick, he turned back to what was really important to him, and he talked about making a donation to Temple," Gloria said. "The synagogue helped shape him in his early years, and gave him comfort and solace in the end."

Jeff died on January 20, 2014, and Gloria has honored him with a gift to Temple. "Temple was a great comfort to him, and to me, and I want it to be there for others when they need it."

Steinfeldt Foundation: Supporting Jewish Education

A special thank you to The Oren and Sharron Steinfeldt Foundation for its long-standing support of Jewish education at Temple Israel and for a \$15,000 grant that is supporting our students this 2016-2017 school year.

Over the years, Steinfeldt Foundation grants have impacted hundreds of children in the Temple Israel School. This school year, grant funding is supporting the JEWL program and providing education financial assistance for families experiencing financial hardship.

"As we continue to grow and innovate JEWL, Temple is making a space for our children to find meaning and make sense of the world through a Jewish lens," said Senior Rabbi Marcia Zimmerman. "We are grateful to the Steinfeldt Foundation for its support, which has given our children the gift of Jewish wisdom and a Jewish heart."

The Temple Israel School receives funding from the Steinfeldt Foundation, the Minneapolis Jewish Federation, the Temple Israel Foundation, the Temple Israel congregation, and school fees. Some 66% of education costs are covered by school fees. The remainder is covered by the congregation and generous funders.

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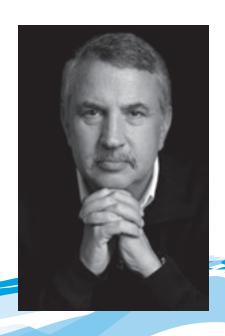
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Temple Israel's 15th Annual Benefit FEATURING THOMAS FRIEDMAN

> Thursday Evening June 29, 2017

Thomas L. Friedman, Minnesota native son, is an internationally renowned author, reporter, and New York Times Foreign Affairs columnist. He is a three time recipient of the Pulitzer Prize, and the author of six bestselling books. His latest book is Thank You for Being Late: An Optimist's Guide to Thriving in the Age of Accelerations.



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Congregational Passover Seder

Temple Israel Congregational Passover Seder

2323 Fremont Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN 55405 Tuesday, April 11, 6:00 p.m.

Join our clergy for a second night seder. **RSVP by Friday, March 31** to Courtney Mault at cmault@templeisrael.com or 612-374-0372. If you would like to attend the seder but are unable to attend for financial reasons, please contact Liz Mack at Imack@templeisrael.com or 612-374-0318.



35th Annual Interfaith Seder Join The Fun; Host A Table

Sunday, March 26, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. at Temple Israel

On Sunday, March 26, neighbors and friends from area churches, mosques and other worship communities will gather at Temple Israel for the 35th Annual Interfaith Seder, led by Temple clergy. Guests will share the rituals of Passover and sample traditional Passover foods. Since 1981, Temple Israel has invited area houses of worship to the Interfaith Seder.

To sign up as a table host or to attend as a representative of Temple, contact Len Kennen at 952-475-4030 or interfaithseder@templeisrael.com.

The Interfaith Seder is underwritten by the Knelman Family Fund for Interfaith Relations of the Temple Israel Foundation. This fund is dedicated to building interfaith understanding through dialogue and sharing.

Sharing Our Lives

Anniversaries

10 th	Heidi & Nathan Fell	3/23
15 th	Elizabeth & Mark Goldman	3/2
20^{th}	Nicky & Gary Metchnek	3/8
20^{th}	Nina & Brian Sinykin	3/9
25 th	Susan & Dick Goldman	3/15
30 th	Kathryn Frommer & David Schanfield	3/9
30 th	Lynn & Ed Bick	3/28
30^{th}	Sheryl & Steve Newman	3/29
35^{th}	Jeri Glick Anderson & Charles Anderson	3/6
40 th	Jami & Robert Tish	3/12
$45^{ m th}$	Marsha & Joel Seltz	3/12
$45^{ m th}$	Sande & Rick Ross	3/20
55^{th}	Marion & Steve Sussman	3/4
55 th	Miriam & Erwin Kelen	3/11
55 th	Irena & Albert Fine	3/24

Mazel Tov To...

- Donna & Mike Kaplan, proud grandparents of Sylvie Parker Kaplan, born to Josh & Jackie Kaplan on December 24. Sylvie's big brother is 2½ year-old Max. Murray & Linda Kieffer are Sylvie's maternal grandparents, and Sylvie's great-grandmother is Bernice Steinberg.
- Aaron Leventhal, co-founder of Fly Feet, one of the first boutique fitness studios to focus on indoor running in a group setting. Aaron is a former professional soccer player for the Minnesota Thunder. Aaron, his wife Christine, and their four children are involved in our JEWL program at Temple.
- Danny Sigelman, in collaboration with photographer Daniel Corrigan, on the publication of their book, Heyday. Published by the Minnesota Historical Society Press, this coffee table book covers 35 years' worth of the Minneapolis music scene.

Jessica Wohl & Brent Tate on the birth of their son. Malcolm James Tate. Proud grandparents are Bonnie Levy, David & Kathy Wohl and Ruthie & Jimmie Tate. Malcolm is the great-nephew of Janny and Alan Silver. The Tate family lives in Sewanee. Tennessee.

New Members

Diana & Hugh Hoffman Jamie & Jason Tanker

In Memory Of

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

Marion Apple, Sister-in-law of Alvin Apple

Ruth Azrin, Sister-in-law of Dorothy Marden

Ross Fefercorn, Son of Rosella Fefercorn and Brother of Sally (David) Hyslop

Stuart Friedell, Brother of Peggy (Bill) Cohn

Susan Gershman, Mother of Bruce (Karen) Gershman

Mandel Gruesner, Husband of Charline "Chuckie" Gruesner

Leo J. "John" Harris, Brother of Ray Harris

Antoinette Hunstiger, Mother of Mary Hunstiger (William Blazar)

Larry Leventhal, Brother of Paula Maisel and loving partner of Vicki Schraber

Scott Levitt, Son of Seymour Levitt

Nathan Neff, Father of Nicole Neff

Ida Prozumenshikov, Mother of Ellen Prozumenshikov

Rosemary Ryweck, Wife of Morton Ryweck and Mother of Daniel (Beverly) Ryweck

William Sipkins, Husband of Dorothy Sipkins

Kevin Wolfe, Husband of Nick Wolfe, close friend of Jill Wolfe, and Father of Carly (Drew) Levin and Phillip Wolfe

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z'l May their memory be for a blessing

Temple's New Address

If you are arriving to Temple in a taxi, Uber, Metro Mobility bus or using GPS, you'll want to use our new address, 2323 Fremont Avenue South. Using this address to navigate brings folks right to the parking lot, and directs them more easily into our beautiful new lobby. Our original address (2324 Emerson Avenue South) won't go away, but the new one is the best for helping our visitors find their way!





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(Overnight stay August 4 - 11)



