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#### Dear Friends,

Judaism affirms that God is with us in everyday life, but also, and perhaps especially, in sickness and in times of sorrow.

Cantor Abelson

Over the past many years, I have had the privilege and honor to stand at the bedside of the sick and dying, with families of our congregation. At these poignant times, I hold their hands, offer words

of comfort and blessing, and guide them through the darkness. As tears of love fill their eyes, I share words and melodies of comfort from our tradition, while their loved one, unable to speak, barely able to open their eyes, squeezes my hand. Often a faint smile comes to their lips as I sing Mi Shebeirach and Oseh Shalom.

Through these intimate moments, I have been blessed to build powerful bonds and connections with these beloved families. I walk alongside them on their journey through illness, loss and healing. These extraordinary experiences have shaped my career as your Cantor and, as I continue to serve this great congregation, I look forward to infusing the words of our tradition with new depth and meaning.

I have learned a great deal through these moments, but there is always more to learn and new ways to grow through continued study. Over the years I have humbly come to realize the depth of Jewish texts concerning healing and I have wanted to go deeper into Jewish healing practice.

Temple is giving me that opportunity to do so this winter—an opportunity for which I am so thankful.

I extend my whole-hearted thanks to our congregational leaders, the Board of Directors, staff, the clergy and especially Rabbi Zimmerman, who has been my friend, my rock, and from whom I have learned the power of compassion and of bringing healing comfort to others.

During this time of sabbatical, for three months beginning in the middle of December, I will be working here in Minnesota with medical professionals, as well as hospice and pastoral care counselors, to enhance my skill in serving this cherished congregation.

I look forward to returning to Temple refreshed and invigorated by this precious gift of time, and to sharing with our congregation a sense of renewal in God's healing presence.

B'virkat Shalom–With Blessings of Peace,

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**Cantor Barry Abelson** 





# **Worship Services**

#### Friday, November 6

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service Cantorial Intern Jen Rueben will join Cantor Abelson on the bimah.

#### Saturday, November 7

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with guest teacher Rabbi Lynn Liberman: Chayei Sarah, Genesis 23:1-25:18
9:30 a.m. Tot Shabbat at the Sabes JCC Auditorium

(Note new day, time and place)

10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service including the Bat Mitzvah ceremony of Michelle Teyvel followed by a Kiddush luncheon

#### Friday, November 13

6:00 p.m. Carlebach Shabbat Service

#### Saturday, November 14

9:00 a.m.	Torah Study with guest teacher
	Rabbi Alan Shavit-Lonstein:
	Toldot, Genesis 25:19-28:9
10:30 a.m.	Congregational Shabbat Morning Service
	including the Bar Mitzvah ceremony of
	Joshua Lightowler followed by a
	Kiddush luncheon

#### Friday, November 20

6:00 p.m.	Nefesh Shabbat Service	
	Shabbat to End Homelessness	

#### Saturday, November 21

9:00 a.m. Torah Study with Rabbi Glaser: Vayeitzei, Genesis 28:10-32:3
10:30 a.m. Congregational Shabbat Morning Service including the Bar Mitzvah ceremony of John Murphy followed by a Kiddush luncheon

#### Thursday, November 26

10:00 a.m. Interfaith Thanksgiving Service
 Westminster Presbyterian Church,
 1200 Marquette Avenue, Minneapolis
 The Reverend Peter Nycklemoe of Central
 Lutheran Church will preach.

#### Friday, November 27

6:00 p.m. Erev Shabbat Service

#### Saturday, November 28

9:00 a.m.	Torah Study with Rabbi Zimmerman:
	Vayishlach, Genesis 32:4-36:43
10:30 a.m.	Congregational Shabbat Morning Service
	including our adult Anshei Mitzvah ceremony
	followed by a Kiddush luncheon

## Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

Thursday, November 26, 10:00 a.m.

Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1200 Marquette Avenue, Minneapolis

Celebrate the Thanksgiving holiday with our neighboring congregations at the 2015 Interfaith Thanksgiving Service at Westminster Presbyterian Church. The Reverend Peter Nycklemoe of Central Lutheran Church will preach.



# 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.

#### Tot Shabbat \*\*New Day, Time and Place!\*\*

Saturday, November 7, 9:30—10:30 a.m.

#### Sabes JCC Auditorium

During Temple's construction project, Tot Shabbat will take place on select first Saturday mornings with our Temple clergy at the Sabes JCC. Tot Shabbat is a wonderful family experience for infants, toddlers and children up to 7 years old. Join us for one or all of the dates. No registration necessary. Child-friendly snacks will be served and child-friendly fun will be had by all.

Additional Tot Shabbat Dates: December 5, 2015; February 6, 2016; March 5, 2016; May 7, 2016.

#### Volunteer at Jeremiah Program

#### November 19, December 15, and January 28

Volunteers are needed to prepare food and to serve dinners at the Jeremiah Program. Jeremiah is a non-profit organization helping mothers who are working to provide a stable family life for their children. Temple Sisterhood has been a partner in providing meals at Jeremiah for many years now, and it is a very rewarding activity for all who have participated. Jeremiah relies on community organizations to provide these dinners, and Temple Israel Sisterhood has always stepped up to do our part. Our continued participation is vital and deeply appreciated. For more information contact Donna Fredkove at 763-208-5061 or dffredkove@aol.com.

#### **Shabbat to End Homelessness**

#### Friday, November 20, 6:00 p.m.

On any given night, there are over 10,000 people in Minnesota living without a home, and 46% of those are children 21 years old or younger. The Temple Israel Committee to End Homelessness and Rabbi Glaser invite you to come to the Shabbat service on Friday, November 20 at 6:00 p.m. to learn about homelessness, hear a testimony by a young formerlyhomeless woman, and sing-a-long to social justice music led by our Nefesh band. Dean Goldberg and Rabbi Glaser will also be speaking. We hope to see you there!

#### **Kabbalah Sparks**

#### Monday, November 23, 7:00—9:00 p.m.

Temporary Construction Location: Colonial Church, 6200 Colonial Way, Edina

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

#### and open to all.

#### Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

#### Thursday, November 26, 10:00 a.m.

Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1200 Marquette Avenue, Minneapolis See page 3 for full details.

## 23rd Annual Stephan Larsen Wolf Memorial Thanksgiving Meals-on-Wheels Program

#### Thursday, November 26, 10:30 a.m.

Give thanks with the mitzvah of ma'akhil re'evim, feeding the hungry. TIPTY (Temple Israel Program for Temple Youth) needs your help to make its Thanksgiving Meals-on-Wheels Program a success. On Wednesday, November 25 at 3:00 p.m. we need turkey carvers to prepare the centerpiece of the meal. On the day of the event, we need volunteers to help package meals for delivery. We also need drivers to deliver meals. If you are interested in carving turkeys or delivering meals, please contact Haylee Davis at 612-374-0349 or hdavis@ templeisrael.com. See the back cover for full details.

#### Celebrate with our Anshei Mitzvah Students at Our Congregational Shabbat Morning Service

#### Saturday, November 28, 10:30 a.m.

Join together with the congregation to celebrate the accomplishments of our Anshei Mitzvah class upon their completion of three years of adult Hebrew study. They will lead the congregation in prayer, read from the Torah, and reflect on the meaning of the Torah portion. Mazel Tov to Arlene Birnbaum, Kate Bix, Jeremy Hanson Willis, Ruth Hornstein, Kristine Joseph, Jessi Kingston, Marti Sandwick, Jim Schifman, Lissie Rappaport Schifman, Rita Spain, and Barbara Tuttle, who will become adult Bar and Bat Mitzvah on this special day.

November Youth & Education Dates			
1	8th Grade: at TEKO		
	(drop-off and pick up at Sabes JCC)		
	7th Grade: Blank Slate Theater		
	(drop-off and pick up at Sabes JCC)		
25-27	No Early Childhood Center classes (Thanksgiving Break)		
25-29	No Hebrew School, Haggigat Shabbat or Sunday School (Thanksgiving Break)		
9th-12th graders please check the Yachad website			
(http://yachadmn.org/) for all class times.			



Michelle Tevvel November 7, 2015

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Michelle Teyvel is the daughter of Irina & Gennadiy Teyvel; the granddaughter of Lidya & Nukhim Simiryan, Ita & Shmil Teyvel, the late Michail & Khinka Chernyak, Betya & Anatoliy Simiryan, Boris Flysher, Genya & Avrum Grinberg and Klava & Shulim Teyvel; and the sister of Anna and Allen. Michelle enjoys dancing and reading, as well as knitting, crocheting and sewing. Her favorite Jewish activities are learning about the prophets and studying the Torah. When Michelle grows up, she would like to be an anesthesiologist. When asked about her upcoming Bat Mitzvah, she said, "It will be a very exciting experience and I will love spending time with my family and friends."



Joshua James Lightowler November 14, 2015

**d** Joshua James Lightowler is the son of Dana & Andrew Lightowler; the • grandson of Gayle & the late Geoffrey Lightowler, Kathy Schmitt and Colleen & Jim Schmitt; and the brother of Kate. His favorite Jewish activity is enjoying the holidays with his family. Joshua is a member of the Honor Roll at Plymouth Middle School, where his favorite subjects are social studies, reading and gym. When he grows up, he would like to be a baseball player. When asked about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, he said, "It's one of the most important days of my life and I am looking forward to celebrating with my family and friends."



John Harold Murphy November 21, 2015

John Harold Murphy is the son of Alison & Geoff Murphy; the grandson of Virginia & the late Daniel Murphy, and Janet & Richard Miller; and the brother of Sam and Grace. John enjoys soccer and reading. His favorite Jewish activity is helping the community, which includes feeding the hungry. John attends Maple Grove Middle School, where his favorite subjects are reading and science. When asked about his upcoming Bar Mitzvah, he said, "I am excited about saying my prayers for my out-of-state family."

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#### Sisterhood Chanukah Cooking Class with Rollie Troup

#### Thursday, December 3, 6:30 p.m.

Dewey Hill South Party Room, 5555 Dewey Hill Road, Edina Sisterhood members \$15, non-members \$20

Send your check to Kim Wolson, 212 Sunnyridge Circle, Golden Valley, MN 55422 or pay online at www.templeisraelsisterhood.com.

Join Sisterhood for a Chanukah cooking class with Rollie Troup. The menu includes Slow Roasted Salmon with Fennel, Citrus and Chilies; Sweet Potato and Parsnip Latkes; and Sufganiyot. Cheese, crackers and wine will be served and we will be taste-testing the dishes we make.

#### **Sisterhood Online Membership**

Temple Israel Sisterhood is "under construction!" Yes, just like the building itself, Sisterhood is making updates - to how you become a member. Membership brochures were not mailed out this year. Instead, please join Sisterhood by signing up online! Go to the Temple Israel Sisterhood website at www. templeisraelsisterhood.com. Click on the upper right hand corner of the page/main menu and click on "Membership." You can also mail a check to Leslie Held, 5929 Ewing Avenue South, Edina, MN 55410, or contact Deb Bomberg, Vice President of Membership, at 763-545-3480 if you have guestions or would like assistance.





# L'Dor Vador Campaign

# Giving For The Future



"I have really strong memories of my time here. In every aspect of my life, I can tie a memory to this place." —Josh Luger, 22

Josh's earliest memories of Temple date back to his time in preschool. Even as a young child, Josh would think about the classrooms and their age, and that his mom likely sat in the same rooms years before.

Josh went on to attend religious school and Camp TEKO, and eventually he took a spot on the board of TIPTY. As a youth leader, Josh fondly remembers the excitement he would see among students and campers when the rabbis were present, and the pride on their faces as they participated in services or became b'nai mitzvah.

It was as a youth leader that Josh remembers trying to find places in Temple to hold social events, often with difficulty. There simply weren't enough spaces with all the programs and classes taking place in the building, or the spaces that were available would be too small for the activities planned.

"The new facilities are necessary to provide new and different opportunities to keep kids involved," said Josh. To Josh, the renovation of the building reaffirms Temple's commitment to ensuring that those experiences and programs will continue for future generations. "I love this place," he said. "I want to see Temple thrive." "What I love about Temple is that it isn't just a place for Jews, but a place to bring Jewishness to the community. There is nothing at Temple that expresses that better than the education program. The community that comes together under Temple Israel is one of the most precious gifts our family experiences every day." –Nate Garvis





"Our daughter is in first grade and our son will be starting next year. We have many years ahead with school and lifecycle events at Temple. We are very excited that our children will get to learn in the new school and that they will experience even more of a sense of community due to the improvements within the program and within the building." **–Shani Graber** 

"Temple has played a very important role in our lives. Our family really feels at home here. This campaign and project are long overdue. Temple is creating an environment that will bring the synagogue to where it needs to be. These renovations will enhance Temple's strong spiritual, educational and social justice activities by creating more possibilities for growth." **-Betsy Sitkoff** 





Celebrating Our Future TEMPLE ISRAEL

100% \$25.6 million goal

\$21.7 million so far!

80%

60%

#### HELP RAISE THE LAST \$5 MILLION!

# of Gifts Needed 5	Gift Amount \$100,000	Annual payments over 5 years \$20,000
10	\$50,000	\$10,000
25	\$36,000	\$7,200
50	\$18,000	\$3,600
75	\$10,000	\$2,000
150	\$5,000	\$1,000
250	\$1,000	\$200
350	\$500	\$100
350	<sup>\$</sup> 250	<sup>\$</sup> 50
500	\$100	<sup>\$</sup> 20

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#### 40%

20%

## **TOGETHER WE CAN DO IT!**

Be a part of this transformative project.

#### Contribute, Volunteer, Learn More

Say "yes" when you are contacted over the next few months or contact Sue Rolfe: campaign@templeisrael.com 612-374-0342

# **Construction Update**



Before demolition began, Rabbi Zimmerman said the Shehecheyanu, and prayed for a successful deconstruction process and for the safety of our construction crew.





- Demolition of the education wing began in early October. Demolition of the portico followed a few weeks later.
- New architectural footings will be installed in early November.
- Electrical and mechanical equipment will be relocated, and power lines along the alley will be buried.

For more construction updates and to watch a time-lapse video of the construction progress, visit our website: www.templeisrael.com.



# 2015 High Holy Days Appeal

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Memory of Lorraine & Sam Shark from their children and grandchildren Cynthia & Donald Brown

Memory of our beloved parents Johanna & Salli Kaufmann and Lena & Edward H. Loeb Carolyn & Harold Kaufmann

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Anniversary of Cynthia & Marvin Gurewitz Sandy & Tristam Hage

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# **Sharing Our Lives**

## Anniversaries

$5^{\rm th}$	Michelle & Aaron Goldstein	11/6
$5^{\mathrm{th}}$	Charline & Mendy Gruesner	11/24
$5^{\rm th}$	Emma Nadler & C.T. Thomson	11/27
$10^{\mathrm{th}}$	Jill & Joel Kravitz	11/5
$15^{\mathrm{th}}$	Andrea & Ted Blumberg	11/5
$20^{\mathrm{th}}$	Carolyn Berman & J. Jolton	11/4
$20^{\mathrm{th}}$	Jodi & Rubin Perelman	11/19
$25^{\rm th}$	Michele & Michael Abel	11/21
$25^{\mathrm{th}}$	Sheri & Scott Yarosh	11/10
$25^{\text{th}}$	Lisa & Barry Zelickson	11/25
$35^{\text{th}}$	Mim Cameron & Mike Ormond	11/23
$35^{\text{th}}$	Helen Kivnick & Gary Gardner	11/16
$35^{\text{th}}$	Heidi & Jeff Petty	11/22
$45^{\text{th}}$	Patty & Bill Call	11/25
$50^{\text{th}}$	Joyce & Robert Sigelman	11/27
$55^{\mathrm{th}}$	Harriet & Nathan Newman	11/20

# In Memory

Condolences to our Temple families who have recently lost a loved one. Bob Barman, Husband of Dorie Barman Sheila Lee Cohen, Mother of Paula (Ricky) Andersen Terry Kirsch, Father of Hugh (Julie) Kirsch Beverly Krank Carlson, Mother of Cathlene (Troy) Buchholz, and Sister of Ron Krank and Joyce (Robert) Liebo Sarra Kogan, Mother of Vladimir (Valentina) Kogan Donald Rosen, Father of Sharon (Joel) Waller Nancy Rush, Wife of Don Rush

# New Members

Amy & Steve Cohn Diana & Jeremy Cohen Ilya Danelich Sarah & Jeff Friede Jerry Fudenberg Blair Halperin Rachel & Russell Pruitt Debbie Hartzman & Mark Besser Christine Clark Kitchener & John Kitchener Joseph Kreisman Rebecca & Jonathan Kurlander Allison Lehman Brooke & Adam Moss Victoria & Robert Rabin Adam Rose Susan & Ron Sarat Judy & Michael Skadron Abby Schneider Darcy & Joel Silver Brie Cohen Vlach & David Vlach Amit Yahov & Yaniv Garama Carly & Matt Zollars

# Mazel Tov To...

- Dr. Michael Belzer for being named the 2015 Harold S. Diehl Award recipient from the University of Minnesota Medical School. This lifetime achievement award is granted to individuals who have made outstanding professional contributions to the Medical School, the University, and the community. Dr. Belzer was presented the award at the Medical School Alumni Awards Banquet in September.
- Cheryl & Mark Feinberg on the birth of their granddaughter, Sadie Rose Feinberg, on September 10, 2015. Her parents are Rebecca & Daniel Feinberg of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- Donna and Jim Fredkove on the birth of their grandson, Jordan Louis Greenberg, on January 3, 2015. Jordan's parents are Blair and Holly Greenberg, who live in Hoboken, New Jersey. Jordan's other paternal grandparents are Barbara Rubin-Greenberg & Barry Greenberg and his maternal grandparents are Cathy & Edward Newman, of Miami, Florida.
- Annie Jacobsen & David Waytz on the birth of their baby girl, Jeanette, on July 5, 2015. Jeanette's adoring older sister is Florence, and her proud grandparents are Susan Gray & Paul Waytz.
- State Senator Ron Latz, who received the Purple Gavel Award from the Minnesota Supreme Court for his leadership as chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee.
- Candice & Chuck Nadler and their children, Emma Nadler and Geoffrey Nadler, who will receive the Friends of the Family Award at the 27th Annual Jewish Family and Community Services (JFCS) Benefit in December.
- Mika & Jacob Simms on the birth of their son, Aron Harry Simms, on September 25, 2015. Aron's big sister, Noa, big brother Ari, and proud grandparents Arlene and Zvi Leibovich, are thrilled to welcome him!
- Dr. David Weissbrodt, whose extraordinary contributions to international human rights law were celebrated at a dinner in his honor at the University of Minnesota Law School in October.
- Maggie Wilson, who was honored as Volunteer of the Year for her 30+ years of volunteer service by the Friends of the Minnesota Orchestra at their annual luncheon in September.

## Remembering Stephan Larsen Wolf November 22, 1971 - December 23, 1992



Stephan Larsen Wolf was idealistic, motivated and committed to tikkun olam—repairing the world. A Temple Israel member from birth, he was guided by Jewish teachings and loved his family, friends and community. Tragically, he died in a car accident at age 21. Just a month before his death, he penned these very powerful words in his journal:

"Jewish teachings dictate that one is never really dead unless all but forgotten. My belief, and consequently

my advice, is to live forever. Leave your mark! Be remembered as one who has accomplished great things. Ensure that your spirit lives on in the hearts, souls and minds of all those that shall follow."

In 1978, the TIPTY (Temple Israel Program for Temple Youth) Meals-on-Wheels program was started with the help of Jane Ketroser and Sheila Schuman. In 1993, Anne and Allen Wolf chose to honor the memory of their son by establishing the Stephan Larsen Wolf Meals-on-Wheels Fund at Temple Israel and sponsoring the Thanksgiving Meals-on-Wheels program in his memory. Today, 400 meals are prepared, packaged and delivered on Thanksgiving morning.

"It has been said by many that Stephan would be proud to know about this important project that the congregation is doing, and he would be smiling," said his father, Allen Wolf.

> We remember Stephan and honor his memory by gathering as a community for this worthy cause. Please join us.



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# TIPTY's 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Stephan Larsen Wolf Memorial Thanksgiving Meals-on-Wheels Program

### Wednesday, November 25 at 3:00 p.m. & Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 26 at 10:30 a.m.

TIPTY needs your help on Wednesday, November 25 and Thursday, November 26 to make its Thanksgiving Meals-on-Wheels Program a success.

On Wednesday we need experienced turkey carvers to prepare the centerpiece of the meal. On Thanksgiving day we will need volunteers to help prepare and package meals for delivery. We also need drivers to help deliver meals.

If you are interested in volunteering for the Meals-on-Wheels program, contact Haylee Davis by Thursday, November 19 at 612-374-0349 or hdavis@templeisrael.com.

#### On November 25

Join us to carve turkeys. Arrive at Temple at 3:00 p.m. and bring your carving knife.

#### On November 26

- Join us to prepare and package meals. Arrive at Temple at 10:30 a.m. Feel free to bring your family and friends.
- Volunteer to drive and deliver meals. Space is limited and not all volunteers will be needed for this task. Arrive at Temple at 10:30 a.m. and join us in Joseph and Minda Halls.