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## NEW ITEMS ON THE MENU FOR 13<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CORNED BEEF SALE

Savor delicious delicatessen when our 13<sup>th</sup> annual Corned Beef on Rye – Sure to Satisfy Fundraiser returns on Thursday, October 30. New this year, in addition to our traditional boxed meals, you can order extra pounds of corned beef, loaves of rye bread, whole pickles and brownies.

Boxed meals are \$14 each when ordered by Thursday, October 23. After that date and at the door, meals are \$15 each. Each meal includes a heaping 1/3-pound corned beef sandwich on rye, giant pickle, creamy cole slaw, fudgy brownie, and a drink. [Find an order form](#) and bulk pricing on our website. Delivery service is available when you order 12 meals or more by Thursday, October 23 for \$6 per address.

Become a sponsor by donating \$100 or more to help underwrite our costs. Names of individuals and businesses will be recognized in every meal and posted the day of the sale at the Temple.

Volunteers are needed on Wednesday, October 29 for Prep Night from 6 to 9 p.m. and on Thursday, October 30, with shifts beginning at 9 a.m. Contact the office to say you'll help.

Thank you to Co-Chairs Kris Gray, Melissa Kessel, and Bonnie Pomerantz!



## CELEBRATE HIGH HOLY DAYS AT THE TEMPLE

We invite you to share the High Holy Days season with us when we come together as a congregation for worship, reflection, and community. See page 2 for the schedule. During the afternoon *Yizkor* and *Ne'ilah* services, Rabbi Cattapan will use a draft of the new High Holy Days prayer book planned for release in 2015 by the Central Conference of American Rabbis, their first *machzor* in 30 years.

## COUNTER-MISSIONARY EXPERT AT SHABBAT B'YACHAD

We will not have a service at the Temple on Friday, October 31 so that we may come together as a Jewish community for Shabbat B'yachad (Shabbat Together) at 7 p.m. at Congregation B'nai Jacob. Rabbi Tovia Singer, director of the counter-missionary organization [Outreach Judaism](#), will discuss “The Battle for the Jewish Soul, Are the Missionaries Winning?” Thank you to the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation for its support.

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# UPCOMING EVENTS

*\*Reservations Required*

Need more information? Visit [templecav.org](http://templecav.org) or give us a call!

## OCTOBER

### Thoughtful Thursdays Bag Assembly

Wednesdays, October 1 and 15  
10 a.m. at the Temple

### Torah Study

Saturdays, October 11, 18, 25  
9:30 a.m. at Rabbi Cattapan's home

### Nazi Persecution of Homosexuals 1933-1945 - Traveling Exhibit from U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum

Through November 5 at [Artlink](http://artlink.com)  
Find out more: <http://ipfw.edu/ihgs> or <http://artlinkfw.com>

### Lecture by Michelle Kearn

Sunday, October 5  
At 4 p.m. at [Auer Center ArtsLab](http://AuerCenterArtsLab.com)  
"The Holocaust, Homosexuality, and Contemporary Gay Rights Movements: How Analogies Assist and Limit the Fight for Equality"

### Lecture by Erik Jensen

Sunday, October 12  
At 4 p.m. at [Auer Center ArtsLab](http://AuerCenterArtsLab.com)  
"The Nazi Persecution of Homosexuals: Context and Comparison"

### Film: [A Love to Hide](http://ALoveToHide.com)

Sunday, October 26  
4-6 p.m. at [Cinema Center](http://CinemaCenter.com)  
Rabbi Cattapan will lead a discussion after the film.

### Musician Alan Goodis

Friday, October 17  
7 p.m. at the Temple  
[Musician Alan Goodis](http://MusicianAlanGoodis.com) joins us for Simchat Torah.

### Learning Havdalah

Saturday, October 25  
7 to 9 p.m. at the home of Jan & Steve Sarratore  
Join us for an evening of socializing, learning, dessert/munchies, and Havdalah.  
RSVP by Friday, October 17

### Corned Beef Prep Night

Wednesday, October 29  
6 to 9 p.m. at the Temple

### Corned Beef Fundraiser

Thursday, October 30  
11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Temple

## HIGH HOLY DAYS 5775 AND SHABBAT SERVICES

### Friday, October 3 at 8 p.m. Kol Nidre Service

### Saturday, October 4

#### Yom Kippur

- 10 a.m. - Minyan Katan for children in fifth grade and younger and parents.
- 10:30 a.m. - Service for adults and children 6<sup>th</sup> grade and older
- 3 p.m. - Afternoon, Memorial, and Ne'ilah services
- Break-the-Fast\* follows services (call to see if space is available)
- Sukkah Decorating follows Break-the-Fast

### Friday, October 10 at 7 p.m.

#### Sukkot & Shabbat Service

Bimah Honors: TBD  
Ushers: Pomerantz Family

### Friday, October 17 at 7 p.m.

#### Simchat Torah Service

#### With Musician Alan Goodis

Bimah Honors: Ellen Tom  
Ushers: Pomerantz Family

### Friday, October 24 at 7 p.m.

#### Shabbat Service

Bimah Honors: Yoko Rudolph  
Ushers: TBD

### Friday, October 31 at 7 p.m.

#### Shabbat B'yachad (Shabbat Together) & Talk by Rabbi Tovia Singer

At Congregation B'nai Jacob  
(No Service at the Temple)

## JOIN OUR TORAH STUDY CLASS

Torah Study begins on Saturday, October 11 at 9:30 a.m. at Rabbi Cattapan's home. Our focus this year will be on "History in the Bible" using the Oxford Jewish Study Bible as our text. All are welcome. We'll also meet this month on October 18 and 25.

## NEW ONEG SHABBAT COORDINATOR

Thank you to Board Member Ellen Tom for serving as our new Oneg Shabbat Coordinator. Please contact Ellen at [e\\_tom@comcast.net](mailto:e_tom@comcast.net) to offer your assistance in providing refreshments after a service.



Thoo Lay and his wife, Aye Way, will live in Habitat for Humanity's first Interfaith Build house with their three young children. Members of the Temple and Jewish community are participating in building the house, providing refreshments, and sharing at lunch and learn sessions. Details on the Temple website or contact Jan Sarratore for information on how you can get involved.

## GOOD-BYE SNAIL-MAIL! BULLETIN E-DELIVERY BEGINS IN NOVEMBER

Our three-month transition from print to electronic delivery of the Bulletin ends with this issue. Starting in November, all Temple members who have provided an email address will receive the monthly Temple newsletter in their electronic inbox. The Bulletin also now is available at [www.TempleCAV.org](http://www.TempleCAV.org) and through a link in our weekly upcoming events email on Thursdays.

Please don't miss out on Temple news! If you or other members of your household didn't receive this newsletter directly via email inbox, please let us know at [office@templecav.org](mailto:office@templecav.org) so we can add your email to our list. The Temple increasingly is using email to share information with our members faster and to save on costs. It's very important that we have your email address so that you're not missing out on time sensitive or essential information. Please let us know if you do not have access to email.

Please continue to share your thoughts on the new Bulletin and check out the additional information available on events, features and photos on our website. We'll soon unveil our new website, which will be more user-friendly for our members using various electronic devices. Please send your feedback to Communications Committee Chair Beth Zweig at [blzweig@msn.com](mailto:blzweig@msn.com).

# Rabbi Javier Cattapan

## OUR MUSIC FUTURE



We are moving in a new musical direction within the congregation and are inviting you to participate in our musical future. Two decades ago, our congregation went through a music transition. We went from a professional quartet and organist at every Shabbat service to a compromise that included different musicians on different *Erev Shabbat* services.

There are some practical aspects to consider. First, we lost two of the regular musical offerings (Charlene Gubitz and Hazemir). Secondly, the dwindling membership we have experienced during the last 15 years and the consequent drop in Friday night attendance has made the large sanctuary an unfitting worship space for small groups. The Goldstine Chapel has proved to be more suitable for the congregation we are now, yet a professional choir with organ is no longer fitting for such smaller worship space. In sum, over the last few years, the compromise model has broken down and its usefulness vanished.

In considering any changes, it was important for me to know where our music taste will be in the next 10 years –and not only where it has been. During the last four years as your rabbi, I have had several opportunities to talk to congregants, to discuss at Ritual Committee meetings, and to assess the preferences of those who attend Shabbat services regularly. All the evidence has told me that a collaborative, participatory, and integrated model of music and *tefillah* (prayer) is one that will inspire those who join us on Shabbat and holidays. That is our goal.

To find the right individual to achieve that goal, the Ritual Committee and I, in consultation with the entire Board, developed a new pilot position to help us move forward. From September of this year until May of next year, Suellen Kipp will fill the position of Music Specialist (see page 7). The Music Specialist will serve as an integral member of our synagogue team and will be responsible for supporting our liturgical music needs. Suellen will be our *Erev Shabbat* keyboardist on a regular basis. She is a talented musician who comes to us with experience working with non-professional singers and musicians, both at churches and schools. In addition to Suellen, we will still have our beloved “Greenbergs,” as well as the occasional visiting musicians, local and regional.

Having a regular music specialist on staff will help us expand our congregants’ own role in creating music. This is a formal invitation to anyone with a love for music and a gift for creating it - vocal or instrumental - to join us in bringing joy and meaning to our weekly Shabbat *tefillah* experience. If you play an instrument - if you sing - we invite you to volunteer and join with us in the coming months to discover what “sound” CAV might create to lift our Shabbat celebrations even higher (just contact me directly, and we’ll get together with Suellen).

For the rest of you who might not be performance-oriented, you have an equally important role during this pilot year: Be present! Come with enthusiasm to our Shabbat services, join in all of the musical elements of our *tefillah*, and let us know what you experience.

I look forward to the music we share, the *tefillah* that inspires, and the moments of holiness we create when we join together in creative, joyful prayer.

Rabbi Javier E. Cattapan

## YAHRZEITS

### OCTOBER 3

Isadore Besser  
Martin Dicker  
Bernard Frankenstein  
Ivan Franks  
Iva Gordon-Tutor  
Karl Hesslein  
Fannie Katz Kaplan  
Lev Kletsky  
Caroline Leopold  
Herman Levin  
Milton Mendelblat  
Dr. Bernard Ress  
Namuel Roseman  
Meyer Ruchman  
Eleanore B. Schechter  
Harry Silberg  
Louis Snow  
Samuel L. Sposeep  
Harry Wagner  
Pat Waterman  
Robert M. Zacher

### OCTOBER 10

Chester W. Ambler, Jr.  
Eula Black  
Ruth A. Brenn  
Amelia Bruebach  
Howard P. Cole  
Harriet Cristil  
Israel DuBow  
Marshall Glickman  
Jack A. Goodman  
Dorothy Gordon  
Ruth Guerrasio  
Byrde Jordan  
Marie Amber-Koons  
Ernest A. Lowens  
Dr. Maurice Rothberg  
Lona Ruchman  
Herman Schubert  
Jack Schwartz  
Myrtle Shine  
Don Sider  
Alexander Simon  
Arlington Smith  
Nellie Stillpass  
Barbara Strouse  
Goldie Sunshine  
Suzanne Waterberg  
Mamie W. Wolf  
Bessie Zacharia  
Irving Zelinger  
Richard Zinn

### OCTOBER 17

Jack Adelman  
Harry Bosell  
Israel L. Bronstein  
Louis Bukowski  
Flora Dessauer  
Bess Felstein  
Ida Feltman  
Sally Fields  
Eugenia Frank  
Goldie Gold  
Hyman Goldstine  
Hortense M. Green  
Fredric Morgan Hefter  
Dorothy W. Hutner  
Irving Klein  
Karl Kohn  
Irving W. Krohn  
Caroline Levi  
Bertha Stein Lichtenberg  
Fred Lipp  
Jacob Mansbach  
Sylvia Werner Bernstein Meyers

Anna Porges  
Robert Porwancher  
Roberta Reztis  
Maryleonne Ronsheim  
Marco Rosanis  
Mildred R. Schultz  
Roger Sheyer  
Lazarus Stern  
Sara Stern  
Freida S. Strauss

### OCTOBER 24

Isabel Banks  
Rahil Berkovich  
Katherine Bosell  
Alfred Stern Engelhard  
Alice Golden  
Lee Gottlieb  
Herman B. Kaplan  
Esther (Ebby) Krakower  
Abe Lipp  
Fred Llewellyn  
Manuel Michelson  
Ruth Morris  
Albert Nirdlinger  
Eli Nirdlinger  
Dorothy Reynolds  
Jack Schwartz  
Isidor Seelberg  
Lottie Shatsky  
Bernhard S. Trauerman  
Alfons Warschawski

### OCTOBER 31

Goldye Appel  
Rose K. Baum  
Ida Blumenthal  
Sarah Braza  
Samuel Brooks  
Elliott Burkhardt  
Pauline Cristil  
Diane Ervin  
Rabbi Ephraim Fishoff  
Marion Fishoff  
Mitchell Goldstein  
Bertha F. Gross  
Charles Gubitz  
Saul Richard Hutner  
Mina Goldberg Isay  
Esther E. King  
Harold Lesser  
Enid Lesser  
Lloyd Mullennix  
Henriette Rothschild  
Sadie Rush  
Regina Safirstein de Lerner  
Lawrence J. Schubert  
Kathleen Shine  
Mrs. Harry Silberg  
David Lester Smith  
Solomon Speyer  
Matilda Stiefel  
Joseph Sweedler  
Alfred S. Weil  
Joseph Weinraub  
Adolph Wetstein  
Louise A. Widdfield  
Rosa Zweig



## BUILDING HISTORY ONE STORY AT A TIME

When Rabbi Emeritus Richard B. Safran visited Fort Wayne last month, he reflected on his 26 years as Achduth Vesholom's spiritual leader during an interview done as part of the Temple's efforts to chronicle the history of our congregation and Jews in Northeast Indiana.

In a wide-ranging conversation, Rabbi Safran shared his thoughts on the shift from Classical Reform to Traditional Reform when he arrived at Achduth Vesholom in 1969, as the congregation transitioned to the young rabbi after 30 years under the leadership of Rabbi Frederic Doppelt. Rabbi Safran and several other long-time members are among the first to share memories of earlier days at the Temple as we prepare for the proposed Resource Center as part of the Rifkin Campus at 5200.

"The Campus is a wonderful opportunity," said Rabbi Safran, who became Rabbi Emeritus in 1995 and now lives in Tucson. "I hope it creates a sense of unity for the Jewish community...and shows the commitment of people who care about the future."

During the first interview conducted by Rena Black with Videographer Gary Kasunic, Betty Stein, 97, talked about becoming the congregation's first female board member and first woman president. In another conversation, Leonard and Rikki Goldstein discussed Jewish life in Fort Wayne from the mid-1940s forward and talked about the planning and building of our current building. Betty Fishman recalled life at the Temple and Fort Wayne from 1948 to the present, her long and continuing role with the Art and Beautification Committee, and memories of Rabbi Doppelt and his wife, Lucille.

Resource Center Director Jan Sarratore and Eileen Baitcher helped develop the oral history questions for use with the interview subjects. They also supervised intern Madison Hincks over the summer on several projects, including research on the Honor Roll Plaque of members who served in World War II, early congregational history, and the Bezalel School of Art that influenced pieces in the Temple's collection.

Funding for the intern and the videographer came through a generous grant from the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation. Members are invited to contact the Temple office to be part of a History Team that will be led by Eileen Baitcher to gather information for exhibits. The Resource Center, which will include our new museum and library, will incorporate displays on local Jewish history.

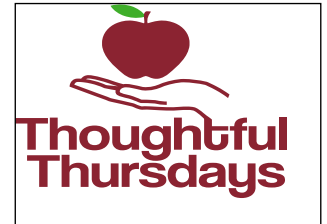
Over the summer, a group of congregants visited The History Center to meet with Curator Walter Font and Exhibitor Randy Elliot to learn more about setting up exhibits and historical displays. Led by Jan, the group included Museum Committee Co-Chair Maureen Grinsfelder, Campus Co-chairs John Stein and Sally Trotter, Architect Richard Wismer, and Program Vice President Beth Zweig.

Fundraising continues toward our goal of raising \$2.25 million for the capital campaign, which is anticipated to be complete at the end of the year. [Gifts made through 2014](#) will be tripled through matching grants from the Rifkin Family Foundation and the Madge Rothschild Foundation. A congregational meeting likely will be held in February to vote on spending monies on the Resource Center.

## TOILET PAPER OVER FLOWERS...

In June after the Temple's Annual Meeting, David Seligman asked me if Thoughtful Thursdays still was in need of toilet paper donations. The simple answer was "yes." But I also shared that after four years of the Jewish community's program, toilet paper is still the number one item appreciated and requested from the more than 340 Temple Head Start families who have been part of Thoughtful Thursdays.

In early September, I got notified that a delivery was made to the Temple for Thoughtful Thursdays. I arrived to find two very large cases of toilet paper containing 192 rolls.



The joy I felt from that donation was as if someone had told me I was going to receive flowers once a month, only better! A huge thank you to D.O. McComb (David and Doug) and Sunburst Chemicals (Gary and Randy) for this extremely generous donation!

Thank you to everyone who already has purchased apples for our Apple Project to assist in providing a bag of fresh apples for all 86 Thoughtful Thursdays families. For those who donate at least \$10 by Friday, October 10, your name will be included on the apple tree at the Temple. We welcome bag assembly helpers this month on Wednesdays, October 1 & 15 at 10 a.m.

*Jamie Berger, Thoughtful Thursdays chair*

## SAFE SPACE SEMINAR OPEN TO TEMPLE MEMBERS

Members of the Temple are invited to attend a one-hour [Safe Space](#) seminar to guide attendees through LGBTQ terminology, recent events, and developing affirming ally skills as part of our effort to be a welcoming congregation. See website for more information, dates and RSVPs.

The Temple Board recently went through this training and found it a valuable experience. There is no cost to attend. Thank you to the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation. The program is led by Q Consulting ([www.qcanded.org](http://www.qcanded.org)). Contact Jan Sarratore with questions.

**MINYAN KATAN** – Students in fifth grade and younger are invited on Yom Kippur for special holiday programming at 10 a.m. with their parents. Storyteller Allen Haynes will share special tales with the children.

# YOUTH NEWS



Religious School students go “green” in learning *yarok* the Hebrew Word of the Week. Lessons also incorporated *Shomrei Adamah*, this year’s school theme meaning “Keepers of the Earth.” A new Hebrew word will be featured each week on our website and Facebook page.



FORTY’s annual Car Wash in September raised \$250 for youth group programs. The high school youth group, which includes kids from Achduth Vesholom and B’nai Jacob, met for lunch and planned events for the year. FORTY continued its tradition of serving apples and honey after the Rosh Hashanah morning service.

## GOING GREEN IN THE TEMPLE LIBRARY

The Temple Library has some new “green” books to share with you. In conjunction with the Religious School’s push to help the environment, we have acquired several new environmentally-oriented titles. To start, we have *Low Carbon Diet* by David Gershon, recommended by Hoosier Interfaith Power and Light with whom we are partnering for our Religious School program. Both that title and *Simple Actions for Jews to Help Green the Planet* by Rabbi Dov Elkins are books designed to help you take action. If you’re interested in inspiration from Jewish writings and theology, we also have several books for you. Visit the website to learn about Friends of The Library.  
*Betsy Gephart, Library Committee chair*

## SHABBAT KATAN FOR LITTLE ONES

Children in first grade and younger and their families are invited on Friday, October 10 at 6:15 p.m. for Shabbat Katan (formerly known as PJ Shabbat). Our evening includes a Sukkot celebration with family-style potluck dinner and crafts. We’ll visit the Temple sukkah if weather permits. Stay up to date on Shabbat Katan programs by contacting the Temple office to be added to our email list.



Students got a lesson on the first day of class about *g’milut chasadim* (acts of loving kindness) from Temple member Deborah Worpell, who brought Shannon, a yellow Labrador. She and her husband Michael are training Shannon through [Leader Dogs for the Blind](#). Find out more on our [Member Spotlight](#) page at [www.templecav.org](http://www.templecav.org)



Our Junior Youth Group for students in grades 6-8 bowled a perfect game in September for [Wellspring Interfaith Social Services](#), raising more than \$600 for the organization through their participation in a fundraiser to help Wellspring serve central city families in Fort Wayne.

## CONNECT YOUR COLLEGE STUDENT

Please let the Temple office know your college student’s email and address so we can stay in touch.

# DONATIONS

## Jack & Gertrude Adelman Facility Improvement Fund

In memory of Jack Adelman:  
*Larry & Carol Adelman and  
Tom & Rita O'Neill*

## Joseph & Elsa Adler Memorial Fund

In memory of Marvin Berg:  
*Irv & Fran Adler*

## Adult Education Fund

In memory of Thomas F. Sarra-  
tore: *Irv & Fran Adler, Chuck &  
Martha Replane*

## Art & Beautification Fund

In memory of Suzanne Watem-  
berg: *Mike & Nancy Dicker*

## Biblical Garden

In memory of Samuel Sposeep:  
*Steve & Elissa Cohen and Mike  
& Patrice Sposeep*

## Ruth Brenn Campership Fund

In memory of Ida Feltman & Ida  
Blumenthal: *Bernard Blumenthal*

## Campership Fund

In memory of Morris Fogel:  
*Doris Fogel*

In memory of Lee Gottlieb:  
*Marv & Doris Gottlieb*

In memory of Mo Safirstein &  
Irene P. Sherr: *Mitch & Beth  
Sherr*

## Endowment

In memory of Frances Shine:  
*Lawrence Shine*

## Floral

A donation was received from  
Ron & Gail Cousino

In appreciation of everyone's  
kindnesses: *Chuck & Martha  
Replane*

In memory of Marco Rosanis:  
*Kurt & Marian Einstein*

In memory of Meyer Ruchman:  
*Bill & Louise Warshauer*

## General Operations

In memory of Marsha Dan:  
*Dennis Dan*

In memory of Martin Dicker:  
*Mike & Nancy Dicker*

In memory of Charles "Bernie"  
Fine: *Alan & Caron Goldstein*

In memory of Sadie Rush:  
*Mike & Jo Ellen Rush*

In memory of Mo Safirstein:  
*Betty Fishman & Kay Safirstein*

In memory of Lawrence J.  
Schubert: *Philip & Linda  
Schubert*

In memory of Daniel Stut &  
Regina Safirstein de Lerner:  
*Mo & Kay Safirstein*

## Gold/Turansky Campership

In memory of Dorothy B. Gold:  
*Bud Turansky*

## Ryan Goldstrom Memorial

In memory of Ryan Goldstrom:  
*Glen & Iris Goldstrom and  
Rob & Lori Goldstrom*

In memory of Jeffrey Silver,  
Phyllis Silver & Lauren  
Kaminsky: *David & Cookie  
Rosenblum*

## Himelstein Children's Library

A donation was received from  
Geoff & Betsy Gephart

## Library Fund

In memory of William A. Gitlin,  
MD: *Dorothy Gitlin*

## Jacob & Ethel Mansbach Campership

In memory of Ethel Mansbach  
& Jacob Mansbach: *Art & June  
Shafer*

## Kathryn Kann Mendelblat Cultural Enrichment Fund

In memory of Dorothy Rothberg  
& Dr. Maurice Rothberg:  
*Deborah Rothberg*

In memory of Dr. Maurice  
Rothberg: *Stephen Rothberg*

## Dr. John Planer Music Fund

In memory of Nettie Stumpf:  
*Norm & Ronnie Greenberg*

## Project Assist - Thoughtful Thursdays

In memory of Marvin Berg:  
*Chuck & Martha Replane*

In memory of Terri Darienzo:  
*Jon & Jamie Berger*

In memory of Diane Ervin:  
*Mo & Kay Safirstein*

## Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

A donation was received from  
Indianapolis Hebrew  
Congregation

In appreciation of Rabbi Catta-  
pan: *Kay Safirstein*

In appreciation of Rabbi  
Cattapan's help: *Chuck &  
Martha Replane*

In memory of Grace & Benjamin  
Becker: *Franck Hagendorf*

In memory of Harriet Cristil &  
Pauline Cristil: *Marvin Cristil*

In memory of Gladys Friedman:  
*Norma Friedman*

In memory of R.J. O'Neill:  
*Tom & Rita O'Neill*

In memory of Myrtle Shine:  
*Steve Shine*

In memory of Mamie W. Wolf &  
Dorothy W. Hutner: *Robert &  
Sharon Hutner*

## Religious School

Donations were received from  
*Geoff & Betsy Gephart, Scott &  
Kristin Goldberg, Jared & Andrea  
Haller, Josh & Wendi Wallet,  
Steve & Judy Zacher*

In memory of Grace & Benjamin  
Becker: *Franck Hagendorf*

In memory of Marvin Berg:  
*Jon & Jamie Berger*

## Rifkin Campus at 5200

In memory of Mo Safirstein:  
*Larry & Carol Adelman, Irv  
& Fran Adler, Neal & Eileen  
Baitcher, Ken Burcham, Alan &  
Susan Cooperman, Ron & Gail  
Cousino, Sherwin & Micki Kepes,  
Rich & Sylvia Manalis, Leonard  
& Cookie Mastbaum, Mike & Jo  
Ellen Rush, Steve & Jan  
Sarratore, Eric & Jaki Schreier,  
David Seligman, Joel & Deb  
Vilensky, William & Dianne  
Vorndran, Richard & Cindi  
Wisner, Steve & Judy Zacher  
and Dan & Beth Zweig*

## Max & Gerda Schmitz Holocaust Education

In memory of Mo Safirstein:  
*Doris Fogel*

## CONDOLENCES TO:

- Kay Safirstein and family on the death of her husband, Moses, on September 4, 2014 in Columbia City.
- The family of Laura Himmelstein Levine, who died on Saturday, September 6, 2014 in Bryan, Ohio.

## REMEMBERING YOUR LOVED ONES

Please let us know by Wednesday, October 1 if you wish to have a loved one's name included on Saturday, October 4 during the Memorial Service on Yom Kippur.

## BUY ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS ONLINE

Save money on eating, shopping, entertainment and more with the 2015 Entertainment Book [now available for easy purchase online](#) to benefit our Religious School. For \$25, you'll have the "ultimate coupon savings book" offering discounts nationwide. To make sure the Temple benefits, just follow the link available via our weekly email or [www.templecav.org](http://www.templecav.org). The book will be mailed directly to your home. Don't just buy one for yourself. These make great birthday and holiday gifts. Questions? Contact Nili Ben-Yehoshua or the Temple office.

## BREAKING THE FAST TOGETHER

Join us for a delicious meal on Saturday, October 4 prepared by the ROMEO (Retired Old Men Eat Out) guys following the Ne'ilah service.

The reservation deadline has pasted. Please contact the Temple office to see if space is available. There is no charge thanks to the generosity of the ROMEOs, though cash donations gladly will be accepted. Thanks to Chairs Rich Manalis and Norm Greenberg.

## SUPPORT HIGH HOLIDAYS FOOD DRIVE

On Yom Kippur, please return grocery bags filled with non-perishable food items for local food banks. Please consider bringing in at least one bag of food for each member of your family.

**HELP THE HUNGRY** with a donation to MAZON: A Jewish Response to Hunger. Find out more at [www.mazon.org](http://www.mazon.org). Contribution envelopes are available at the Temple.

## PURCHASE A HOLIDAY PRAYER BOOK

The Central Conference of American Rabbis will be releasing a new High Holy Days prayer book for 2015. Help us purchase a set for our congregation! Please send your check for \$36 per book (payable to "CAV-The Temple") for the Prayer Book Fund and indicate a loved one or event to be recognized in a bookplate included in each new *machzor*.

[Order forms](#) are available at [www.templecav.org](http://www.templecav.org).

## HARVESTING OUR SPIRIT ON SUKKOT

Shake the lulav, inhale the lovely scent of the etrog, and visit our festive sukkah during our Sukkot service on Friday, October 10 at 7 p.m. Students beginning b'nei mitzvah studies will receive a personalized prayer book during the service. The congregation is invited to help decorate the sukkah on Saturday, October 4 after Break-the-Fast.

## INTRODUCING NEW MUSIC SPECIALIST

Suellen Kipp, the Temple's new Music Specialist, is also the Director of Vocal Music at Woodside Middle School and the Director of Music for the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Fort Wayne.

During her 20-year teaching career, Suellen has served as an adjudicator throughout the state of Indiana for the Indiana State School Music Association judging middle school and high school choral ensembles, vocal solos, show choir, and jazz competitions. Suellen recently completed a master's degree in Liberal Studies from Indiana University through the IPFW campus.



## COMPLETE THE CYCLE AND BEGIN ANEW ON SIMCHAT TORAH

Be part of our Simchat Torah celebration when we parade the scrolls through the Sanctuary, enjoy festive singing and flag waving, and complete the reading of the Book of Deuteronomy while also beginning the Book of Genesis. The celebration on Friday, October 17 at 7 p.m. will include special musical accompaniment by [Alan Goodis](#), a nationally recognized musician.

## PLEASE WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS

Three new families have joined the Temple:

- **Jared & Andrea Haller** recently moved to Fort Wayne from Indianapolis, their home for over 13 years. They previously lived in San Francisco, where Andrea trained as a neurologist. Jared went to Law School in Indianapolis and became a Public Defender at the Marion County Public Defender Agency. Their 12 year-old son, Samuel (Sam), attends The Canterbury School and will become a Bar Mitzvah in 2015. Andrea will be working for the Fort Wayne Neurological Center.
- **Scott & Kristin Goldberg** have been married nearly four years and have a 3-year-old son Samuel. Kristin says they live in the middle of a cornfield (literally) near Montpelier. Scott is a scrap metal dealer for his family's company, Hartford Iron and Metal. Kristin is an accountant for Community Hospital in Anderson and Samuel attends preschool at Anderson University. The Goldbergs also are members of Temple Beth-El in Muncie, where she is involved with Sisterhood and Hadassah and he formerly served on the board. They said they joined Achduth Vesholom for Religious School so Sam can socialize with other Jewish children.
- **Yavin Bamnolkar & Yady Granados Guerrero** – Originally from Mumbai, India, Yavin has worked for the past 12 years for Serco Global Services managing operations and being involved in consulting assignments. Yady, a graphic designer, was born and raised in Cali, Colombia. As Yavin tells it, they met online, "started chatting, one thing led to another, and we fell in love and decided to get married." They wed in March 2012 in India and moved to the U.S. in June 2012 through his job. They initially lived in New Jersey and later moved to Fort Wayne for Yavin's work with a client here. Yavin was born and raised as a Jew in Mumbai (and will tell you an interesting story about the history of Jews in India). Yady grew up Catholic and is studying toward conversion with Rabbi Cattapan.

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WE WELCOME YOUR COMMENTS

The Temple board welcomes your comments and suggestions. We will do our best to address your questions and concerns. President Hod Hefer can be reached at 616-617-0367 or [Presidentcav@gmail.com](mailto:Presidentcav@gmail.com).

USHER IN SHABBAT WITH CHALLAH

Receive a delicious challah by volunteering to usher at services. All Shabbat ushers receive a gift certificate for a tasty loaf donated by [Waynedale Bakery](#), 2610 Lower Huntington Road. Please call to volunteer.

**The deadline for the November bulletin is Wednesday, October 15.**

**TEMPLE OFFICE HOURS:** The Temple office is open on Tuesday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. We will be closed on Thursday, October 9 for Sukkot and on Thursday, October 16 for Simchat Torah.

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*Hod Hefer*  
PRESIDENT'S CORNER



Fall is my favorite time of year for many reasons. In addition to the changing leaves, start of football season, and cooler days and nights, I look forward to welcoming a new Jewish year! For me, the 10 days of repentance after the beginning of a New Year are spent in thoughtful reflection and with prayers for forgiveness.

Yom Kippur, the holiest day of the year for the Jewish people, is always a time for me to ask for forgiveness and through my actions on this day I feel rejuvenated for the coming months. Then we celebrate the harvest festival, or, as we call it in Israel, *Chag Haasif* (חג האסיף) also known as Sukkot and Simchat Torah.

To add to all the festivities, we also have our biggest fundraiser of the year on Thursday, October 30. The Corned Beef on Rye – Sure to Satisfy Fundraiser, now in its 13<sup>th</sup> year, has been a Temple celebration and, in my opinion, one of the largest gathering, socializing and working together times at Temple. I'm told that the early organizers of our Deli Day never predicted that the sale would have such an impact on the membership through building friendships and attracting everyone from our youth groups to seniors.

Our Corned Beef fundraiser brings together the entire congregation for two days of preparations. The level of commitment and passion is contagious.

I love the member interactions during our evenings of preparation! The sound of conversation and laughter. The sight of the kitchen filled with smiling faces working together toward a common goal. Each volunteer learns his/her part in the process and a feeling of *Kehillah* (community) can be felt.

It's also great fun to hear people around the city talk about looking forward to this annual treat. This year, I'm pleased to tell them that for the first time they can extend the delicious flavors of the day by ordering in bulk. Extra corned beef, bread, pickles, and brownies will be available on the order form.

As we prepare for this exciting event, I'm asking for your continued support in any way you feel comfortable. Be a sponsor, promoter, customer -- or part of the preparation group, such as a sandwich artist, or a pickle packer.

Thank you to our Corned Beef Chairs Kris Gray, Melissa Kessel, and Bonnie Pomerantz and to those who have volunteered their time this year and in the past to make this fundraiser successful. Happy New Year! *L'shana Tovah!*

*Hod Hefer*