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CELEBRATE THE HIGH HOLY DAYS WITH US

L'shana Tovah! Please join us at Congregation Achduth Vesholom for an exciting <u>High Holy Days</u> season as we welcome a new rabbi, guest cantors, and celebrate for the first time with two worship traditions!



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The New Year 5780 will start with an expanded service

schedule that includes Reform and traditional options on Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Selichot, Tashlich, Sukkot, and Simchat Torah will be celebrated jointly. Please review the new schedule on page 6 because customary dates and times may be different. <u>Visit our calendar</u> for complete details.

Reform services will be led by <u>Rabbi Paula Jayne Winnig</u>, Achduth Vesholom's new spiritual leader for the coming year. She will be joined by <u>Cantor Yvon F. Shore</u>, Director of Liturgical Arts and Music at <u>Hebrew</u>. <u>Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion in Cincinnati</u>, with accompaniment by <u>Maestro Robert Nance</u>. The Temple's Hazemir Choir will sing at evening services and Yizkor.

Traditional worship will be led by <u>Cantor Michael C. Small</u>, our guest spiritual leader from Chicago. An attorney, Cantor Small is an active member and shaliach tzibur at North Suburban Synagogue Beth El in Highland Park, IL.

Prepare for the Days of Awe on Saturday, September 21 at 8:15 p.m. at our <u>Selichot</u>service when we change the Torah covers to white.

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Please join us for a deconsecration ceremony at Congregation B'nai Jacob on Saturday, September 14 at 8 p.m. as we say good-bye to the beautiful facility that has served as a synagogue since August 1993. We'll have a nosh, make Havdalah, and deconsecrate the building, led by Rabbi Paula Jayne Winnig.

Groundbreaking for the building at 7227 Bittersweet Moors Drive began in March 1993, with the first two shovels of dirt dug by Leah Tourkow and Jeff Goltz, co-chairs of the building committee. The previous building on Fairfield at Pierce had been sold to the Fort Wayne Philharmonic.

Worship services led by Rabbi Harvey Markowitz were temporarily held at Scottish Rite, with the synagogue office in rented space on West Jefferson. The generosity of Ted & Bessie Levy helped pay for the synagogue property and the parsonage next door.

The congregation moved into the building on August 13, 1993, in time for the Bat Mitzvah of Rachel Kelman on August 20-21. The synagogue dedication began on a Friday night on October 29, 1993, with the transferring of the Torahs. A formal dedication took place on Sunday, October 31.

As our Jewish community comes together as one congregation, we honor and remember the special times of worship, celebration, and learning that took place over the years in the synagogue building.

UPCOMING EVENTS & SERVICES

SEPTEMBER SERVICES

Shabbat Service Friday, September 6 7:30 p.m. at the Temple Music: Ronnie & Norm Greenberg

Shabbat Morning Service Saturday, September 7 9:15 a.m. at the Temple

Shabbat Service Friday, September 13

7:30 p.m. at the Temple Music: Ronnie & Norm Greenberg

Shabbat Morning Service Saturday, September 14 9:15 a.m. at the Temple

SEPT. EVENTS

Thoughtful Thursdays Wednesday, September 4 10 a.m. at the Temple

Religious School Begins* Sunday, September 8 9:45 a.m. to noon at the Temple

Rosh Chodesh Women's Group*

Monday, September 9 6 p.m. at Barrett McNagny Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne

Deconsecration Ceremony

Saturday, September 14 8 p.m. at B'nai Jacob

Security Workshop*

Sunday, September 15 Noon at the Temple RSVP by Sept. 12

Friday Night Live Shabbat Friday, September 20 7 p.m. at the Temple Oneg Shabbat follows

Shabbat Morning Service Saturday, September 21

9:15 a.m. at the Temple

Selichot Service Saturday, September 21

8:15 p.m. at the Temple

Shabbat Service Friday, September 27 7:30 p.m. at the Temple Music: Ronnie & Norm Greenberg

Curiosity Day

Sunday, September 15 Noon to 2 p.m. at Barnes & Noble Jefferson Pointe Sponsor: Jewish Federation & PJ Library

Fort Wayne Jewish Family Day Sunday, September 22 Noon at the Temple Northeast Indiana Jewish Genealogy Society

Temple Book Club* Tuesday, September 24 7 p.m. at the Temple

OCTOBER EVENTS

Yahrzeit Plaque Dedication Friday, October 4 7:30 p.m. at the Temple

Cemetery Service Sunday, October 6 1 p.m. at Lindenwood

Cemetery Service Burial of Books Sunday, October 6 2:30 p.m. at Fort Wayne Jewish Cemetery

Families Lost and Found: **Tracing My Viennese Roots** After the Holocaust Sunday, October 6 2 p.m. at The History Center Irv Adler will give the George R. Mather Lecture.

Break-the-Fast* Wednesday, October 9 Follows Yom Kippur services RSVP by October 2

B'vachad Dinner & Simchat Torah Celebration* Tuesday, October 22 6 p.m. Dinner

7 p.m. Service

Bruce Colegrove: Strings of Inspiration Tuesday, October 29 7 p.m. at the Temple

Rosh Hashanah Services

Monday, September 30 At the Temple 8:30 a.m. Traditional Service 10 a.m. Reform Service Tashlich follows

Rosh Hashanah Service (Second Day) Tuesday, October 1 8:30 a.m. at the Temple

Kiddush follows our Shabbat services

Find High Holy Days Schedule

ONGOING EVENTS

Mah Jongg Open Play* Sign up to play Check dates and times in the Madge Rothschild Resource Center by following the link at www.templecav.org

Lunch With The ROMEOs

Join the Retired Old Men Eating Out for lunch at noon:

> **Thursday, September 12** Don Hall's Old Gas House 305 E. Superior St.

> Thursday, September 26 Green Frog Inn 820 Spring St.

RSVP to Denny Reynolds at dennisreynolds@me.com

TRAFFIC DELAYS FOR FORT4FITNESS

When coming to our Shabbat service on Saturday morning, September 28, please allow extra time because the Fort4Fitness race is taking place in the vicinity of the Temple. Find the race map.



TRAFFIC DETOUR NEAR TEMPLE

Please be aware that the road is closed near the intersection of Broadway and Rudisill until at least spring 2020 to allow construction of the Rudisill Consolidation Sewer. At \$188 million,

it's the largest and most expensive public works project ever undertaken by the city of Fort Wayne. Find detour map.



Shabbat Morning Service

Erev Rosh Hashanah Services

Saturday, September 28

9:15 a.m. at the Temple

Sunday, September 29

Rabbi Paula Jayne Winnig

Music: Cantor Yvon F. Shore,

Robert Nance, Hazemir Choir

New Year's Reception follows

8 p.m. at the Temple

Traditional Service:

Cantor Michael J. Small

Reform service:

RABBI PAULA JAYNE WINNIG FINDING NEW INSIGHTS FROM THE LESSONS OF ELUL



On Friday night, August 30 and on Saturday and Sunday, August 31 and September 1, we will observe Rosh Hodesh Elul, the first days of the new Hebrew month of Elul. We will mark this celebration by reciting the Hallel Psalms during Shabbat worship. Elul is the sixth month on the Hebrew calendar and is the month directly preceding the month of Tishri during which we celebrate all of our fall

holidays.

During the month of Elul, we begin to prepare ourselves for the period of introspection and renewal that is our task during the holiday period leading us to Rosh Hashanah through to Yom Kippur. We participate in soulful examination and worship which leads us to forgiveness and another chance for a better life in the New Year.

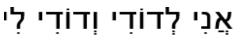
During the month of Elul, we add Psalm 27 to our liturgy and we begin to hear the sounds of the shofar each day. Traditional communities do not blow the shofar on Shabbat; however, we will be adding the sounding of the shofar and the reading of Psalm 27 to our Erev Shabbat worship, beginning August 30 through September.

Psalm 27 is meant to both comfort and unsettle us simultaneously. It pushes us to seek to find ways to better connect to God, our world and ourselves. Yet it also reminds us that the world can be a scary place if we face it alone. Psalm 27 also reminds us that we can and will find safety and security in our world if we actively seek it. We are reminded that we cannot be passive and expect our world to change around us. We are required to do the work to make change happen.

The month of Elul is the beginning of the period of time during which we are called upon to help change what happens in our lives and in the life of the world around us. Little by little, day by day, we can find new ways and new insights if we but open ourselves to see them.

The word Elul is spelled in Hebrew אלול

The rabbis describe the spelling of the month as an acrostic for the famous phrase from the biblical book the Song of Songs, 6:3



Ani L'Dodi V'Dodi Li

I am my beloved's and my beloved is mine.

This phrase is chosen to remind us that even, or perhaps especially, during difficult times, we are God's beloved people and God can be our beloved connector to the world if we but open ourselves up to the beautiful spiritual possibilities around us.

This Elul, and this High Holyday season, may we all find ourselves surrounded by loving companions, beauty and an ever-growing appreciation of how special our world can be if we help make it so.

My best wishes to you for strength and courage to do this introspective work during this month and throughout our High Holiday season. (Read Psalm 27 on page 5.)

Rosh Chodesh Tov, Happy New Month!

Rabbi Paula Jayne Winnig

SECURITY TRAINING WORKSHOP OFFERED FOR MEMBERS

Congregants are invited to a security workshop on Sunday, September 15 at noon at the Temple to learn safety tips in case of an emergency in the building.

In this training workshop, Deputy Chief James E. Feasel Jr. of the Fort Wayne Police Department and owner of Integrated Threat Analysis Consulting LLC, will provide participants with strategies that can be used to prepare and respond to an unpredicted event. Participants will be presented with several steps to take to help law enforcement response to help limit the number of potential injuries.

Please RSVP to the Temple office at (260) 744-4245. Contact Executive Director Samara Sheray with questions.

SECURITY AWARENESS

TƏP YOUR TOES OR DƏNCE IN THE AISLES ƏT FRIDƏY NIGHT LIVE

Our spirited Friday Night Live service returns on September 20 at 7 p.m. Combining klezmer, folk, Middle Eastern and Hebrew melodies that everyone can sing, the lively music presented by Bob Nance and FNL musicians will enliven and enhance our Shabbat worship service. Dance in the aisles or just tap your feet, but plan to be part of this refreshing worship experience led by Rabbi Winnig. Thank you to the Dr.

Harry W. Salon Foundation for its support. An Oneg Shabbat follows hosted by Kathy & Todd Sider and Beth & Dan Zweig.



FALL SERVICE TIME BEGINS SEPTEMBER 6

Start your weekends celebrating Shabbat with us on Friday nights throughout the fall and winter. Our service time most weeks will move to 7:30 p.m., beginning September 6. Please <u>check the website calendar</u> for holiday and special event times. Our new weekly lay-led Shabbat morning service continues at 9:15 a.m.

YAHRZEIT PLAQUES TO BE DEDICATED IN OCTOBER

Yahrzeit nameplates added during the past year will be dedicated during our Shabbat service on Friday, October 4 at 7:30 p.m.

Please contact the Temple office if you'd like to purchase an individual nameplate in memory of a loved one for the coming year. Plaques are \$500. Lights are illuminated next to individual names on the anniversary of death and on Yom Kippur. Proceeds from the sale of plaques support the Temple's Endowment.



NEW LOCATION COMING FOR MEMORIAL PLAQUES

The Sanctuary will have a new look after the High Holy Days when most yahrzeit plaques from both Achduth Vesholom and B'nai Jacob are relocated inside the worship space on the paneled wall (opposite the stained-glass windows). The changes are planned in October as part of our transition to one congregation.

CELEBRATING MUSIC

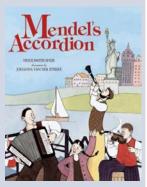
Partially in honor of the upcoming <u>Violins of Hope</u> programs in November, our Temple programming is focusing on music this year. We have dozens of titles in the <u>Rabbi Richard B. Safran Library</u> related to music and the Holocaust, which we'll feature next month. During September, we'll feature non-Holocaust materials, from Klezmer to classical.

First, we have more than 100 music CDs in our collection available for checkout. These include lots of PJ Library recordings for kids and a few lullaby collections. For adult listeners, we have Yiddish songs, Israeli music, and holiday blessings. Our classical collection includes a CD by Israeli cellist, Amit Peled. We also have several collections by Alan Goodis, Dan Nichols, Rick Recht, Craig Taubman, and Debbie Friedman.

Our biography collection features several Jewish musicians and composers. Irving Berlin is the subject of our newest picture book biographies for younger children. Other titles cover Simon & Garfunkel, Bob Dylan, Woody Guthrie, Leonard Bernstein, Benny Goodman, George Gershwin, and Isaac Stern.

In our non-fiction collection, we have a few books of sheet music, including *The International Jewish Songbook* by Velevel Pasternak, and several music prayer book supplements. Holiday music and the blessings of Debbie Friedman are also available. The history of Jewish music, including Yiddish theater and folksong, is also represented in our collection. One of the more intriguing non-fiction titles is Roger Bennett's, *And you shall know us by the trail of our vinyl: The Jewish past as told by the records we have loved and lost.*

Music features heavily in Jewish fiction written for all ages. In our picture book collection, klezmer is part of *Mendel's Accordion*, by Heidi Smith Hyde, Amalia Hoffman's *The Klezmer Bunch*, and *The Kugel Valley Klezmer Band*, by Joan Betty Stuchner. Perhaps the most well-known music picture book in our collection is Leslea Newman's *Ketzel*, *the Cat who Composed*. Thanks to the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne, the author was able to visit with our Religious School students last fall.



For older readers, *You'll Miss Me When I'm Gone* by Rachel Lynn Solomon, features a viola prodigy, *Birdland* by Tracy Mack works in Charlie Parker, and Kathryn Lasky's *Broken Song*, is about a young violinist. Renee Rosen's *Windy City Blues*, a novel about Chicago jazz, will be featured in our Temple Book Club in January.

Whatever your music interest, we probably have a title for your in our collection. <u>Check out our full catalog.</u>

MAINTAINING A BEAUTIFUL TRADITION

At Achduth Vesholom, we value the opportunity after our Shabbat service to share conversation and an atmosphere of friendship as we unwind from a busy week. We rely on our members to take a turn providing refreshments or sponsoring an Oneg Shabbat so that we can maintain this beautiful tradition. It doesn't need to be fancy!

Hosting an Oneg Shabbat is a wonderful way to celebrate a birthday, anniversary, special occasion, or try out a new recipe. Please call the Temple office at (260) 744-4245 to offer your help on an upcoming Friday night – or to let us know you are interested in serving as our Oneg Shabbat Coordinator. Thank you!

TEMPLE BOOK CLUB BEGINS WITH 'THE GARDEN OF LETTERS'

<u>The Garden of Letters</u> by Alyson Richman is our first title for this year's <u>Temple Book Club</u> on Tuesday, September 24 at 7 p.m. in the Madge Rothschild Resource Center. Please join us when we discuss the book and e-visit with the author.



A selection of the <u>Jewish Book Council's Book</u> <u>Club</u>, this novel follows the story of Elodie, a Jewish cellist arriving in Italy in 1943. The

author is particularly keen to share her experience of researching this novel with us. All are welcome to join us. The book is available in the <u>Rabbi Richard B. Safran Library.</u> Please RSVP.

This year's Temple Book Club selections will follow a musical theme. Please also join us on:

- **Tuesday, January 14** when we discuss <u>*Windy City Blues*</u> by Renee Rosen
- Tuesday, March 3 when we discuss <u>Tasa's Song</u> by Linda Kass



The Hazimer choir rehearses for the High Holy Days led by Dr. John Planer and Cantor Yvon Shore.



We welcomed Rabbi Winnig to Achduth Vesholom in August as our new spiritual leader for the coming year. Thanks to Jane Martin for coordinating a lovely oneg and the beautiful flowers for Rabbi Winnig and the Rabbinic Search Committee.

PSƏLM 27 FOR THE MONTH OF ELUL

ENGLISH TRANSLATION BY RABBI M. ROSENBERG & RABBI ZLOTOWITZ (See RABBI'S COLUMN TO LEARN MORE - PAGE 3)

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- A Psalm of David. God is my light and my help; whom should I fear? God is the fortress of my life; whom should I dread?
- When evil-doers close in on me to devour my flesh,
- It is they, my tormentors and my foes who stumble and fall.
- Though an army should encamp against me, my heart would have no fear; Though war arise against me, Still would I be confident.
- One thing do I ask of God-only that do I seek-That I dwell in the house of God all my life,
- To gaze upon the beneficence of God, And to frequent God's Temple. 5. God will conceal me in God's abode in the day
- of trouble, God will hide me in the secret place of God's tent,
- God will raise me up high on a rock. 6. And now my head reaches high,
- Over my enemies all around me. I will offer sacrifices in God's tentwith exulting sounds-I will sing and chant to God.
- Hear God, my voice, as I cry out, and have pity and answer me.
- Speaking for You, my heart said: "Seek my face,"
- Your face do I seek, God.
- 9. Do not hide Your face from me,

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- Though my father and my mother may abandon me,
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- Yet God will bring me under God's care. 11. Guide me, God, along Your way, And lead me on a level path
- Because of my watchful foes. 12. Do not deliver me into the power of my foes, For false witnesses and corrupt
- accusers have set themselves against me. 13. Had I not faith that I would witness the goodness of God,
- In the land of the living.... 14. Look to God, Be strong and God will give you courage, O look to God

תקיעה שברים

תרועה תקיעה





Neal Baitcher and Samara Sheray installed a new sound mixer to get ready for holiday services.

CELEBRATE CURIOSITY DAY ON SEPTEMBER 15

Celebrate Curiosity Day with Curious George on Sunday, September 15 from noon to 2 p.m. at Barnes & Noble at Jefferson Pointe. We'll



have stories, songs, and games at this fun-filled family event sponsored by <u>PJ Library</u> and the <u>Jewish</u> <u>Federation of Fort Wayne</u>.

HELP US STAY IN TOUCH WITH YOUR COLLEGE STUDENT

Please let the Temple office know your college student's email and school address so that we may stay in touch by sending the Bulletin and other communications.



RELIGIOUS SCHOOL BEGINS SEPTEMBER 8

We're excited for the start of a great year of Jewish learning on Sunday, September 8, as we welcome students from pre-kindergarten through high school, Rabbi Winnig, and two new teachers. Hebrew classes for students in grades 4-6 will meet on a Wednesday/Thursday schedule starting September 11.

Parents are asked to please make sure all registration materials are submitted prior to the first day. Forms may be found at www.templecav.org.

Please contact the Temple office at (260) 744-4245 for more information about Religious School or joining the congregation. Families must be members of the congregation to enroll children in Religious School.

Leah Hadashi returns as our principal for a third year. Our teachers include: Rachel Gordon (PreK, kindergarten, and grade 1), Dave Flapan (grades 2-4), Micah Soltz (grades 5-7), and Leah Hadashi and Rabbi Winnig (grade 8 through high school). Bruce Colegrove will teach Hebrew and Betsy Gephart is our librarian. Religious School Committee chair is Wendi Wallet.



We look forward to welcoming students! This month's activities include a field trip to pick apples at Cook's Orchard on the morning of September 29.

BEGIN THE NEW YEAR WITH US



We're looking forward to celebrating the High Holy Days season with two worship traditions!

Our New Year 5780 begins with expanded options at the Temple. We'll offer Reform and traditional services on Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Selichot, Tashlich, Sukkot, and Simchat Torah will be celebrated jointly. Please review the new schedule carefully because customary dates and times may be different. Visit our <u>calendar</u> for complete details.

Reform services will be led by <u>Rabbi Paula Jayne Winnig</u>, Achduth Vesholom's new spiritual leader. She will be joined by <u>Cantor Yvon F. Shore</u>, Director of Liturgical Arts and Music at <u>Hebrew Union College-Jewish</u> <u>Institute of Religion</u> in Cincinnati, with accompaniment by <u>Maestro Robert</u> <u>Nance</u>. The Temple's Hazemir Choir will sing at evening services and Yizkor.

Traditional worship will be led by Cantor Michael Small, our guest spiritual leader from Chicago. An attorney, Cantor Small is an active member and lay leader at North Suburban Synagogue Beth El in Highland Park, IL.

Plan to join us at the Temple:

Selichot – Saturday, September 21 at 8:15 p.m. – Begin the holiday season together with Havdalah, help change the Torah covers, and observe Selichot

Erev Rosh Hashanah Service & New

Year's Reception – Sunday, September 29. Following services, we'll gather in the Social Hall for our annual reception.

- 8 p.m. Reform service
- 8 p.m. Traditional service

Rosh Hashanah – Monday, September 30

- 8:30 a.m. Traditional service
- 10 a.m. Reform service
- Tashlich together after morning services

Rosh Hashanah – Second Day – Tuesday, October 1

8:30 a.m. – Traditional service

Cemetery Services – Sunday, October 6

- 1 p.m. at <u>Lindenwood Cemetery</u>
- 2:30 p.m. at <u>Fort Wayne Jewish</u> <u>Cemetery</u>

Erev Yom Kippur Service – Tuesday, October 8

- Traditional Services Minchah at 7 p.m. and Kol Nidre at 7:15 p.m.
- Reform Service 8 p.m.

Yom Kippur – Wednesday, Oct. 9

Traditional Services

- 8:30 a.m. Shacharit
- 11 a.m. Yizkor
- 5:15 p.m. Minchah
- 6:30 p.m. Ne'ilah
- 7:30 p.m. Ma'ariv
- 8 p.m. Havdalah
- Break-the-Fast Please make a reservation by Wednesday, October 2 for the meal hosted by the ROMEOs.

Reform Services

- 10 a.m. Morning Service
- 3 p.m. Afternoon Service
- 4 p.m. Yizkor Memorial Service
- 5 p.m. Neilah (Concluding)
- Service Break-the-Fast – Please make a
- reservation by Wednesday, October 2 for the meal hosted by the ROMEOs.

Check next month for Sukkot and Simchat Torah schedule.

SUPPORT THE TEMPLE WITH HIGH HOLY DAYS DONATION

Remember a loved one or celebrate a special occasion during the <u>High Holy Days</u> with a gift to the Floral Fund to help purchase beautiful bimah flowers for holidays and other occasions or to the Temple's General Operations.

Donors who make a gift of \$54 or more by Friday, September 20 will be listed along with their honoree or



occasion in a special program distributed at services during the High Holy Days. (Checks should be made out to "CAV-The Temple" and indicate if your donation is for the Floral Fund or General Operations.)

REMEMBERING YOUR LOVED ONES

If you wish to have a loved one's name included during memorial services on Yom Kippur, please provide information to the Temple office by Wednesday, October 2. Call us at (260) 744-4245 or email at office@templecav.org. Join us for memorial services on Wednesday, October 9: 11 a.m. (traditional) and 4 p.m. (Reform).

CEMETERY SERVICES PLANNED

Memorial services will be held Sunday, October 6 at 1 p.m. at <u>Lindenwood Cemetery</u> and 2:30 p.m. at <u>Fort</u> <u>Wayne Jewish Cemetery</u>. Join Rabbi Winnig for the traditional El Maleh Rachmim and Kaddish prayers, along with the appropriate psalms, poetry and prayers. For more information or to arrange transportation, call the Temple office.

ITEMS IN GENIZAH TO BE BURIED

A genizah, meaning storage or archives in Hebrew, is a temporary area to store worn Hebrew holy books or other Jewish items that are deemed sacred and that require burial according to Jewish tradition.

Please join us on Sunday, October 6 at 2:30 p.m. at the <u>Fort Wayne Jewish Cemetery</u> on <u>Decatur Road</u>. At that time, we will have the Kever Avot (memorial) service led by Rabbi Winnig and also bury the items in our genizah.



GUEST CANTORS JOIN US FOR HIGH HOLY DAYS

CANTOR YVON F. SHORE

Cantor Yvon F. Shore, Director of Liturgical Arts and Music at Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion in Cincinnati, will be our guest cantor this fall for Reform services for the High Holy Days at Congregation Achduth Vesholom.

She will join us for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur worship, as well as several Shabbat services. Maestro Robert Nance will accompany Cantor Shore on keyboard. In addition, members of our former Hazemir

choir will reunite to add their voices during holiday evening services and Yizkor.

Cantor Shore earned a Masters in Sacred Music and Ordination through HUC-JIR, New York. She received a bachelor's degree in Music Education from West Chester University, College of Visual and Performing Arts with a double major in flute and conducting.

Cantor Shore took additional studies in ethnomusicology at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem and The Jewish Theological Seminary in NYC with Bathja Bayer, Israel Adler, Amnon Shiloah, Edwin Seroussi, and Johoash Hirshberg. She continued graduate studies with an emphasis in musicology at the University of Cincinnati, College Conservatory of Music and liturgy at HUC-JIR Cincinnati.

Thank you to the Dr. Harry W. Salon Foundation for its generous support of Cantor Shore's visit.



JOIN US FOR START OF HOLIDAY SEASON ON SELICHOT

For centuries, Jews have gathered in synagogues on Saturday evening near Rosh Hashanah to prepare for the sacred season of self-scrutiny and renewal on Selichot. The word comes from the Hebrew for "forgiveness" and "pardon."

Continue the tradition with us on Saturday, September 21 at 8:15 p.m. at the Temple. Please join us for Havdalah, help change the Torah covers to white for the New Year, and observe Selichot, led by Rabbi Paula Jayne Winnig.

CANTOR MICHAEL J. SMALL

Cantor Michael J. Small will lead traditional services this fall during the High Holy Days at Congregation Achduth Vesholom.

After many years leading High Holy Days services in the Chicago area, Cantor Small said he's excited to return to Fort Wayne, where he's previously served as the guest spiritual leader for holidays at Congregation B'nai Jacob.



Cantor Small grew up in Kansas City, MO, attending Beth Shalom Congregation and spending summers as a camper and staff member at Camp Ramah in Wisconsin.

After graduating from Brown University in 1985, he spent a year studying in Jerusalem at Midreshet Yerushalayim (now known as the Conservative Yeshivah) and then earned an M.A. in Judaic Studies from The Jewish Theological Seminary of America in NYC.

Cantor Small said he's continued to learn and study as a lay person. An active synagogue member now at North Suburban Synagogue Beth El in Highland Park, IL, he frequently davens as a shaliach tzibur (prayer leader) and gives lay sermons.

He served for eight years as a board member of Rochelle Zell Jewish High School in Deerfield, IL, including two years as president. Professionally, Cantor Small practices law and is a partner at Foley & Lardner, LLP in Chicago.

He and his wife, Sheila, have three daughters. Cantor Small said he and his family have fond memories of their holidays at B'nai Jacob and look forward to making new ones together with the

congregation.



JOIN US FOR BREAK THE FAST



The ROMEOs (Retired Old Men Eating Out) are preparing a delicious break-the-fast meal for the congregation following services on Wednesday, October 9. Everyone is invited for tuna salad, egg salad, kugel, bagels, herring in sour cream, and other delicacies.

The Temple this year is offering two worship options on Yom Kippur. Because the services will end at different times, a break-the-fast will be served at the end of each.

Reservations are required to the Temple office at (260) 744-4245 by Wednesday, October 2 so that we can prepare enough food and seating. Thanks to the generosity of the ROMEOs, there is no charge. However, cash donations gladly will be accepted to help offset the costs.

Volunteers are needed help with set ups and other tasks. Please contact the Temple office to offer your assistance. If you would like to sponsor the sweet wine for Kiddush, please let us know. Thanks to Chuck Replane and Denny Reynolds for co-chairing!

SUPPORT APPLE PROJECT AS THOUGHTFUL THURSDAYS BEGINS 10TH YEAR

The Jewish community's Thoughtful Thursdays program begins a 10th year this month with our annual Apple Project fundraiser to help supply a bag of apples for each of the 72 children who attend Brightpoint Head Start at the Temple.

Many of the students rarely have the opportunity to eat fresh fruits and vegetables. For a ninth year, we will provide them in October with delicious Honeycrisp apples purchased from a local orchard. Thoughtful Thursdays, an effort of Congregation Achduth Vesholom and the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne, provides twice-monthly bags during the school year of food and household items for the Brightpoint families.

This mitzvah is a wonderful way to prepare for the High Holy Days season! A paper tree will be on display at the Rifkin Campus that will be decorated with apples featuring the name of each person who donates \$10 or



more for the apple project by Wednesday, October 2. (Checks may be made out to "CAV-The Temple" earmarked for the Thoughtful Thursdays Apple Project).

Thoughtful Thursdays volunteers will meet on Wednesday, September 4 at 10 a.m. to assemble the first bag of the school year. Thanks to Thoughtful Thursdays Co-Chairs Jamie Berger and Bonnie Pomerantz. Contact Jamie Berger to learn more at jberger02@comcast.net.

HELP THE HUNGRY with a donation to MAZON: A Jewish Response to Hunger. Find out more at <u>www.mazon.org.</u> Contribution envelopes are available at the Temple.

SUPPORT HIGH HOLIDAY FOOD DRIVE

On Rosh Hashanah, please pick up paper shopping bags at the Temple. Fill them with non-perishable food items for the food bank at <u>Wellspring Interfaith Social Services</u> and return on Yom Kippur. Please consider bringing in at least one bag of food for each member of your family. Thanks to Jamie Berger for chairing.



VISITORS WELCOME FOR HIGH HOLY DAYS

Do you know someone who is new to Fort Wayne? Will you have family or friends visiting for Rosh Hashanah or Yom Kippur?

Our High Holy Days services are open to all. We do not require tickets to attend. Donation envelopes will be available at the Temple for those who would like to make a gift in appreciation for the lovely services and to assist our year-round efforts.

We're especially eager to welcome those who are new to our Jewish community to explain the benefits of membership at Achduth Vesholom. Please call the Temple office at (260) 744-4245 to let us know so we can reach out to newcomers.

Traveling to another URJ congregation that requires tickets? Contact the Temple office as soon as possible if you need a letter verifying that you're a member in good standing of Achduth Vesholom in order to obtain tickets at another Reform congregation.

SAVE THE DATE TO CELEBRATE SIMCHAT TORAH & B'YACHAD (TOGETHER)

Plan to join us on Tuesday, October 22 for a celebration of Simchat Torah and the coming together of Achduth Vesholom and B'nai Jacob as one congregation. We will have a festive meal at 6 p.m. before we dance together with the Torahs during our service at 7 p.m., led by Rabbi Paula Jayne Winnig. More information will be coming soon.



SWEETS, TREATS, AND MORE NEEDED

Please volunteer to help and to bake for the Rosh Hashanah Reception, this year on Sunday, September 29. All baked goods are needed at the Temple no later than Friday, September 27. Items may be put in the freezer, but please mark them for the reception including your name. Volunteers are needed to help set up on Sunday morning, September 29 at 10 a.m. Clean-up help also is needed following the reception. Please

contact the Temple office to offer your assistance.



CAST AWAY YOUR SINS ON TASHLICH

The Hebrew word tashlich literally means "You shall cast away." In the book of Micah (7:18-20) we find the verse: "And you shall cast (tashlich) into the depths of the sea all their sins." Traditionally, Jewish communities throughout the world have taken Micah's words to heart by gathering on Rosh Hashanah and symbolically casting away their sins by throwing breadcrumbs into a lake, stream or ocean.

Join us for Tashlich on Monday, September 30, following Rosh Hashanah morning services. Meet in the lobby to walk as a group to Foster Park (behind the Temple) to the St. Mary's River. Bread will be provided.





NEW FOR 18TH ANNUAL CORNED BEEF SALE: WHOLE KOSHER SALAMI!

Get ready to savor delicious delicatessen – including whole kosher salami - when our 18th annual Corned Beef on Rye – Sure to Satisfy Fundraiser returns on Thursday, November 7. Order forms will be available soon.

The committee is working hard to make this year's sale our best ever – and we need your help! Assist in topping last year's sales of 1,200 sandwiches, 60 sponsors, and \$20,000 in profits to support the Temple! Plan to order meals, become a sponsor, tell your friends about our mouthwatering meal, and volunteer your time.

Boxed meals are \$15 each when ordered by Friday, October 25. After that date and at the door, meals are \$18 each. Each meal includes a heaping 1/3-pound corned beef sandwich on rye, giant pickle, creamy coleslaw, fudgy brownie, and a drink.

New this year: Hebrew National whole kosher salami (12-oz. size) will be available for \$12 each.

Online ordering will be back again at <u>www.templecav.org</u>. We've also got additional pounds of corned beef for sale for \$18 per pound. Delivery service is available when you order 12 meals or more by Friday, October 25 for \$10 per address.

Become a sponsor by donating \$100 or more to help underwrite our costs by Friday, October 25. Names of individuals and businesses will be recognized in every meal and on our website, and posted the day of the sale at the Temple.

Volunteers are needed on Wednesday, November 6 for Prep Night from 6 to 9 p.m. and Thursday, November 7, with shifts beginning at 9 a.m. Contact the office to say you'll help.

Thank you to our Co-Chairs Larry Adelman and Samara Sheray and their committee: Carol Adelman, Fran Adler, Irv Adler, Scott Goldberg, Amy Shepsman Krouse, Lee Pomerantz, Chuck Replane, Denny Reynolds, Nancy Salon, Ellen Tom, Judy Zacher, Steve Zacher, Beth Zweig, Jamie Fritz, and Marie McFadden.

CELEBRATE 18 YEARS OF CORNED BEEF WITH AN APRON AND CAP



We're celebrating the Temple's 18th annual Corned Beef on Rye – Sure to Satisfy fundraiser this year with two special sandwich-themed items for sale!

We've got you covered – whether you prefer an apron or cap – or both! Swap your hairnet for a cap or don an apron as part of the corned beef crew. Both items are black and feature a colorful corned beef sandwich design that highlights Congregation Achduth Vesholom's fundraiser since 2002.

Aprons and caps are available for \$18 each. Order yours now to ensure you're ready for Deli Day on Thursday, November 7! Items will be available soon and while they last.

Contact the Temple office at (260) 744-4245 or office@templecav.org to order yours. Make checks payable to "CAV - The Temple."



Nearly 20 volunteers folded and stuffed corned beef order forms and sponsor letters on August 22 to prepare for our 18th Annual Corned Beef Sale. Over 1,500 letters will go out at the end of September. Thanks to all who helped!



REMEMBERING BETTY STEIN

December 10, 1916- August 9, 2019



Betty Stein has been a powerful influence in the lives of her family and well beyond. She was a force: She was strong-willed, opinionated and sometimes formidable. But she also had a way with people that got them onboard with her ideas. She was able to make many wonderful things happen and stayed an engaged, active member of the community till the age of 102 – and a half!

She was a towering figure in the community. She wasn't religious in a traditional

sense; in fact, she was something of an agnostic, and definitely irreverent. But social action is a bedrock principle of Reform Judaism, and it's how she lived her life, including her work for the Jewish Federation of Fort Wayne and Congregation Achduth Vesholom – much of which spilled over into the general community. And that was just how she wanted it.

Her leadership included some traditional roles: She served two terms as the Temple's Sisterhood president and was on the boards of both the Temple and the Federation. In fact, she was the **first** woman elected to the Temple board and the **first** woman to serve as its president. But she was also a groundbreaker.

She co-chaired a Jewish-Catholic dialogue between members of the Temple and members of the Church of Saint Mary and developed a close friendship with Bishop John D'Arcy. Years later, in 2014, she was the maybe unlikely recipient of the Father Tom O'Connor Light of Christ Award, presented by Bishop Kevin C. Rhoades. The award is given annually "to persons of faith whose life and work reflect the values of Father O'Connor," who served as pastor of St. Mary's from 1970 until his death in 2004.

In the late '80s, with the Federation, she created the Minority Literature Project, an award-winning program that sent volunteers to area schools to introduce poetry by African-American and other minority poets to students – because materials used at that time contained almost none. As then-executive director of the Jewish Federation Vivian Lansky Skadron said, "She brought the idea to me because her dream 'was to enrich the lives of students through an understanding and compassion for the minority experiences in America.'"

She chaired the Federation's People of the Book program for many years, and she took great pride in bringing truly top-notch authors to Fort Wayne – such as Chaim Potok, Thomas Cahill, Carl Bernstein and one of her personal favorites, Calvin Trillin. She loved having regular attendees from the general community tell her how much they looked forward to these programs every year.

Having witnessed the horrors of the Holocaust, she became passionate about trying to ensure that all students would learn its lessons, that "Never again" was more than a slogan. She was instrumental in producing a video of interviews with eight survivors in Fort Wayne while they were still able to tell their stories. That video remains available for all area schools – and in fact, it's now on YouTube.

She also chaired the Temple's Holocaust Education Committee for many years, finally giving up that role at age 98 but staying on the committee. We regularly met around her dining room table, including a meeting just last December!

In 2016 the Temple, thanks to librarian Betsy Gephart, honored Betty's 100th birthday with a project that was near and dear to her heart. With Betty's help and approval, Betsy created a list of "Betty's 100 Books" to add to the Temple Library. Friends could – and did – donate books – even beyond the 100 on the list.

Her efforts didn't go unnoticed: She was given the Goldie DuBow award for service to the Jewish Federation in 1991. In 2004, she was honored with the William Brosler Award for her lifetime of service to the Temple and the community. And one final accolade is still coming: The Indiana Jewish Historical Society will officially designate her a Hoosier Jewish Legend at its Annual Lunch on August 25th. The

award was announced in June, and she was thrilled.

Betty Stein truly WAS a legend, a role model of an extraordinary life. She was an inspiration, a mentor and a very dear friend to many. May her memory be for a blessing.

Temple member Fran Adler, Betty's former daughter-in-law, talked about Betty's service to the Jewish community during a eulogy at the memorial service on August 15, 2019. These thoughts are excerpts from her remarks.





CONGREGATION ACHDUTH VESHOLOM



PURDUE UNIVERSITY FORT WAYNE INSTITUTE FOR HOLOCAUST & GENOCIDE STUDIES

The name plate for PFW Institute for Holocaust & Genocide Studies is now on the Rifkin Campus sign. We appreciate our campus partners!

Led by Pam Friedman, Temple board members help unload books from Congregation B'nai Jacob to their new home at C.A.V.







Our Friday night supper club met at Wu's Fine Chinese Cuisine after an early Shabbat Service on August 16.





Construction has started to create the new Goldstine-B'nai Jacob chapel.



FAMILIES LOST AND FOUND: TRACING MY VIENNESE ROOTS AFTER THE HOLOCAUST

Temple member <u>Irv Adler</u> will share an intriguing story about tracing his Viennese roots while searching for information about his grandmother and family during the <u>George R. Mather Lecture</u> on Sunday, October 6 at 2 p.m. at The History Center, 302 E. Berry St. His talk is called "Families Lost and Found: Tracing My Viennese Roots After The Holocaust."

The discovery of letters written by Irv's grandmother from 1938 to 1941 identified unknown relatives and eventually led Irv to chronicle his family's Holocaust story and the

path followed to discover, meet, and become acquainted with long lost family members. Irv's talk is presented as part of the Violins of Hope programming.

TEMPLE RECEIVES GARDEN AWARD



The Temple's beautiful landscaping was recognized in August by The Gardeners of America Fort Wayne with its Outstanding Contemplative Gardens Award.

Congratulations and thank you to Temple member Ronnie Greenberg, a master gardener,

who led the renovations of our lovely gardens in front of the building and around the Sposeep Chapel behind the building. The outdoor worship space features more than 30 species of shade-loving plants to enjoy while sitting on park benches.

Temple President Ellen Tom accepted the award on behalf of the congregation on August 8 at a dinner meeting of the gardening organization to celebrate the 2019 Landscape Beautification Award Project.





Temple night at the TinCaps is always a fun family time!

LUNCH AND SCHMOOZE WITH THE ROMEOS IN THE NEW YEAR

The <u>ROMEOs</u> -Retired Old Men Eating Out – <u>have</u> <u>a new schedule of</u> <u>dining</u> spots for their Thursday lunches. Join them for good



food and camaraderie a few times a month at noon.

To kick off the New Year, the guys will meet on Thursday, September 12 at <u>Don Hall's Old Gas House</u>, 305 E. Superior. Please RSVP by the day before each lunch to Denny Reynolds at dennisreynolds@me.com.

USHER IN SHABBAT WITH CHALLAH

Get involved at the Temple by volunteering to usher at Shabbat evening services and receive a delicious challah! All Shabbat ushers receive a gift certificate for a tasty loaf donated by Waynedale Bakery, 2610 Lower Huntington Road. Please call to volunteer.





THANK YOU TO PACKERS AND PITCHERS!

We are grateful to the volunteers who have worked so hard in recent weeks to sort, pack, and move yahrzeit plaques, furniture, ritual items, prayer books, and more from Congregation B'nai Jacob to a new home at Congregation Achduth Vesholom. A very special thank you to Pam Friedman for her leadership in organizing this daunting project!

Thank you to all who assisted at B'nai Jacob on Dumpster Day on August 18: Daniel D'Angelo, Pam & Ron Friedman, Betsy Gephart, Jeff Herman, Jerry Jarvis, Brian Johnson, Luci Lane, Olga Malloris, Ruth Minkoff, Marcia & Denny Reynolds, Mort Schaffer, Missy & Mark Schneider, Samara Sheray, Donna Tourkow, Dana, Jay, & Zoey Zemmol.

PRESERVE AND DISCOVER YOUR HISTORY

Do you have old photos that are begging to be digitized? Are you curious about DNA testing? Perhaps you're wondering how you're related to other Fort Wayne Jewish families. The <u>Northeast Indiana Jewish Genealogy Society</u> invites you to our "Fort Wayne Jewish Family Day" from noon to 3 p.m. on Sunday, September 22 at the Temple.

One of the highlights of our open house will be a dedicated scanner from the Allen County Public Library to digitize old photos and documents. Staff will be able to do this on-site for anyone who brings in material.

We will also be introducing our new <u>Fort Wayne Jewish Families Project</u>, a database aiming to cover the history of our community back to its roots in the 19th-century. Come see what we've compiled and add your own information to preserve it for the future. In addition to these to features, we'll have plenty of other information and activities available, including:

- Ask An Expert Genealogy help from NEIJGS members and the ACPL's Curt Witcher
- Photo IDs bring your own mystery photos and help identify others
- · Kids Table family trees for the younger set
- Photo Booth take a family photo while you're here
- · Oral Histories sign up to record your stories
- · Indiana Jewish Historical Society information about their publications and archives

Refreshments also will be available. Plan to come and bring your family to celebrate our community and preserve our history.

ROSH CHODESH WELCOMES VIOLINS OF HOPE

Would you like to learn more about being a docent for Violins of Hope or the program? We would love to have you (women members of the <u>Jewish</u> <u>Federation of Fort Wayne</u>) join us on Monday, September 9 at 6 p.m. at Barrett McNagny, 215 E. Berry St., 6th floor.

Carol Lindquist, a member of the <u>Violins of Hope</u> Steering Committee, will be our guest speaker. After our program, we will meet at a restaurant (TBD) and enjoy a bite to eat. Please RSVP to the Federation office at (260) 456-0400 or office@fwjf.org no later than September 5.





From Generation

To Generation

Fans wore their favorite team jerseys to watch the documentary "Jews and Baseball" during our Friday Night at the Movies in July. Thanks to Dave Flapan for organizing.



Temple board members shared dinner in August to get ready for the coming year. Rabbi Winnig and board members got aquainted over pasta and deserts.

DONATIONS

Jack & Gertrude Adelman Facility Improvement Fund In memory of June Deitch and Mary Kay Byrne: *Carol & Larry Adelman* In memory of Robert O'Neill, Mary Kay Byrne, Gail Cousino and David Salnitsky: *Rita & Tom O'Neill*

Art and Beautification Fund In memory of Abraham Siegel and Mary Siegel: *Joan Siegel* In memory of Elias Horn: *Marvin Cristil*

Dr. John Planer Music Fund

In memory of Gail Cousino: *Carol Brunger* In memory of Cheryl Gannon: *Marcia & Denny Reynolds* In honor of John Planer: *Jo Ellen & Mike Rush, Ronnie & Norm Greenberg* In memory of Barbara Congress and Mary Kay Byrne: *Marcia & Denny Reynolds* In memory of Frieda Hyman: *Nancy & Mike Dicker*

General Operations

A donation has been received from: *Richard Grzych and Scott Fergusson* In memory of Jay Phillip Oppenheim: *Sylvia Furner* In memory of Fira Kutsenok: *Yefim Kutsenok* In memory of Dorothy Rothberg: *Samuel Rothberg* In memory of Mary Kay Byrne: *Lane & Don Ross, Leah & Harvey Ruttenberg* In memory of Al Soraich & Betty Meyer: *Bobbie & Lee Golani* In memory of Marye Newcombe: *Suzi & Jim King* In memory of Frances Shine: *Steve Shine* In memory of William Edward Pownall: *Sue & Jerry Pownall* In memory of Gail Cousino: *Carol & Larry Adelman*

Himelstein Children's Library

In memory of Michael Hunter Leib: *Jere Leib* In memory of Betty Stein: *Pat & Nick Giordano & family*

Holocaust Education Fund

In memory of Fira Kutsenok and Brokha Koyfman: *Victor Kutsenok* In memory of Betty Stein: *Deborah Schmitz, Manny Silverman, Jamie, Jeremy, & Nolan Fritz, Susan & Alan Cooperman, Jo Ellen & Mike Rush, Elissa & Steve Cohen, Beth & Dan Zweig, Ronnie & Norm Greenberg, Megan & Alan Wittenberg, Carol & Randy Roberts, Babes of the Book Club, Terri & Nelson Behar, Vivian Skadron, Renee & Kevin Kilbane, Nancy & Victor Martin, Jeanette Venderly, Carol Lindquist, Patricia Haefling, Bessie Makris, Cheryl Schorey, Angela O'Neill, Linda Renner, Larry Wardlow, Marilyn & Bill Townsend, Margaret Ankenbruck, Amy Jean Beatty, Judy & Steve Zacher, Rita & Tom O'Neill, Doris Fogel, Karen Sandler, Carol & Larry Adelman, Cookie & Leonard Mastbaum, Lorrie & Mike Hollars*

Holocaust Memorial Fund

In memory of Leonid Finkelshteyn: Dora & Leonid Itkin

Project Assist

In honor of Cookie & Leonard Mastbaum: *Laurence Mastbaum* In memory of Arnold Katinsky: *Nola & Matthew Katinsky*

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

In memory of Roz Frankenstein: *Janet Weinraub* In memory of Barbara Congress: *Joe Congress*

Temple Gardens Fund

In memory of Mary Kay Byrne: Ronnie & Norm Greenberg

Thoughtful Thursdays

In memory of Mark Erman and Harriet Weitzman: *Jo Ellen & Mike Rush* In memory of Mary Kay Byrne: *Jo Ellen & Mike Rush, Cindi & Richard Wismer, Jere Leib* In memory of Rose Leib Rothman: *Jere Leib* In memory of Nelson W. Williams: *Sally & Steve Trotter* In honor of Janet & Andy Katz: *Rita & Tom O'Neill*

Explore all of our <u>Tribute Funds</u>.

ADD A LEAF TO THE OLIVE TREE

Purchasing a leaf on the olive tree mural in the hallway leading to the Madge Rothschild Resource Center is a wonderful way to recognize an important person or significant occasion. Leaves are \$180 each and may be personalized with three or four lines to highlight a lifecycle event, anniversary, or special kindness. Proceeds benefit the resource center.



MAZEL TOV TO:

Marni & David Hutner on the birth of their first grandchild, William Thomas Krumanaker, on July 24, 2019 in Fort Wayne. Proud parents are David's daughter Jessica and her husband, John Krumanaker.



A REMINDER ABOUT OUR FOOD POLICY

Bringing food to a Temple event or coordinating a meal? A reminder that Achduth Vesholom's long-standing food policy states: No pork or shellfish are allowed in the building. Milk and meat may be served at the same meal, but not on or in the same dish to allow the individual to choose. At meals where meat is served, a vegetarian alternative must be offered. Thank you.

SEPTEMBER YAHRZEITS September 6-7 Mildred K. Jacobs Dora Buxbaum

Grace Becker Clara Brosler Etta Brower Gita Bruckman Abraham Hyman Doppelt Max Dubrowin Harry Fryefield Robert Gaskill William A. Gitlin, MD Paul Grossman Lilly Hertzman Dr. Morris "Fuzzy" Himelstein Sara M. Jay Sophia Maier Johnston Max Kaposky Robert I. Kesselman Michael Kupersmith Mildred Kurtz Laura Himmelstein Levine Joseph Ostertag Lloyd Ray Lawrence Ress Eugenia Russ Dr. Moses Safirstein Marilyn Sax Morris Schuster Irene P. Sherr Abraham Siegel Fanni Spanjer Thelma Strouse Jacob Weil

September 13-14

Rosie Adams Benjamin Becker Claire Beer Blanche Boyles Terri Darienzo Betty Dubinsky Rabbi Eddie Fox Joseph Goldberg Ryan Goldstrom Joseph Y. Goltz Adolph Greenebaum

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September 20-21

Gladys Adams Lloyd Amster Minnette Baum Abe Beck Sophie Bialick Joe Blumenthal Rose Carol Brown

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September 27-28

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OUR CONDOLENCES TO:

- John Stein and Rena & Don Black on the death of their mother, Betty Edlavitch Stein, on August 9, 2019 in Fort Wayne. We also think of granddaughters Lisa (Scott) Fybush, Wendy Stein, Susan (Patty) Engle and Lisa Engle Aichele; great-grandchildren Ari and Eli Fybush and Libby and Christian Aichele; former daughter-in-law Fran Adler; and step-granddaughter Janet Black.
- Jan & Bill Chambers and family on the death of her mother, Thea Nordtvedt, on August 9, 2019 in Oregon.
- Rita & Tom O'Neill on the death of his sister, Mary Kay Byrne, on July 24, 2019 in Oregon, Wisconsin.
- The family of Donald Garringer, who died on July 17, 2019 in Vincennes. He retired in 1993 as the Temple's long-time maintenance manager.



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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. Please contact the Temple office at (260) 744-4245 (office@TempleCAV.org) for information. President Ellen Tom can be reached at president@templecav.org.

The deadline for the October Bulletin is Friday, September 13

PRESIDENT'S CORNER **ELLEN TOM**



We are just a few weeks away from celebrating the High Holy Days and the start of 5780. This time of year is always a chance to take a fresh look at the many opportunities we have at the Temple and celebrate our accomplishments. Our Board of Trustees will continue to provide strong leadership and direction. We will turn our focus to drafting a Security and Crisis Management Plan, develop and recruit leadership for next year, and continue to exercise fiscal responsibility. And our Rabbinic Search Committee resumes its efforts to recruit a permanent spiritual leader for our congregation.

In the coming weeks, I hope you will join us for Friday night or Saturday morning Shabbat services, as well as share in the excitement with our youth as we begin another great year of Religious School.

Our September programming includes a security workshop on Sunday, September 15 to learn safety tips in case of an emergency in the building, as well as a return of our Friday Night Live service. In addition to holiday preparations, we are continuing to work on the Goldstine-B'nai Jacob Chapel and Sanctuary renovations, and preparing for our 18th annual Corned Beef Fundraiser on Thursday, November 7.

We come together for the first time with two worship traditions for the High Holidays. Please join us at the Temple on Erev Rosh Hashanah where Reform and traditional services both begin on Sunday, September 29 at 8 p.m., followed by our annual Rosh Hashanah Reception in the Social Hall.

Yom Kippur observances begin on Tuesday, October 8. Traditional services begin with Minchah at 7 p.m., followed by Kol Nidre at 7:15 p.m. Reform services begin at 8 p.m. We'll mark the end of Yom Kippur on Wednesday evening with our Break-the-Fast hosted by the ROMEOs. Rabbi Paula Jayne Winnig, our Ritual Committee and staff, and Hazemir Choir have been working hard to ensure a meaningful start to the New Year.

For many years at this season, our members have generously responded to requests for donations to address needs at the Temple. We're seeking support for our Floral Fund and General Operations. Your contribution can be a noteworthy way to remember your children or grandchildren, to celebrate a special birthday or anniversary, or thank a friend or teacher.

We ask for a minimum donation of \$54 by Friday, September 20 to have a name listed in the special service booklet during the holidays. Please indicate whether your gift is for the Floral Fund or General Operations. Please call the Temple office if you have questions. Thank you for your generosity.

From my family to yours, we wish you all the best for the New Year. May we go from strength to strength together. L'shana Tovah!

DON'T MISS URJ BIENNIAL IN CHICAGO!

Register soon to join thousands of Jews from across North America and around the world for the Union for Reform Judaism's Biennial on December 11-15 in Chicago! Learn, pray, share ideas, dance, and sing, hear from inspiring speakers and the leaders of our Movement, reunite with old friends, create new connections, and make decisions about the policies of the Reform Movement.

Several members of Achduth Vesholom plan to attend. Please contact the Temple office if you are interested in going. 16

