The Unfinished Work of Justice

For Jews, months before Passover each year, January is the month of freedom. Though we tell the Exodus story again each spring at our seders, we first encounter it in these winter months, when we come to the Book of Exodus in the annual cycle of Torah readings. For us as American Jews, the sense of this month as the season of liberation is even more profound, because January also brings us the observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. In a powerful convergence each year, we recall the Israelites’ journey towards freedom even as we recall the courageous spiritual leadership of a modern-day Moses.

In 2015, that convergence feels all the more significant. This year marks the 50th anniversary of the marches from Selma to Birmingham, the 50th anniversary of the Voting Rights Act and the 50th anniversary of Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel’s joining Dr. King on the front lines of that historic march for voting rights and every citizen’s dignity.

And this year, the convergence feels all the more pointed and poignant, because it comes in the wake of the police killings of Michael Brown and Eric Garner, along with the protests that followed the killings of those unarmed black men, as well as the decisions not to indict the officers who committed them.

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WORLD ZIONIST CONGRESS ELECTIONS

Make Your Vote Count

American Reform Judaism depends on it.

At Stake
The 2015 World Zionist Congress elections are vital to the future of progressive Judaism in Israel. ARZA, representing Reform Judaism, is asking every American Jew who holds the values of religious pluralism, gender equality and support of the peace process dear to stand with us by voting for the ARZA slate in the upcoming elections.

Pledge to Vote
www.reformjews4israel.org
(You will be notified when voting begins.)

Election Period
January 15-April 30

Cast a Vote
Register and vote in one session on the secure election website or by completing paper registration and a ballot. Cost is $5 for ages 18-30, $10 for ages 30 and up. Temple will have paper ballots available during the election.

ARZA
REPRESENTING REFORM JUDAISM
BUILDING AN INCLUSIVE DEMOCRATIC ISRAELI SOCIETY
The Jewish Legacy of Civil Rights

This past July marked the 50th anniversary of the signing of the landmark Civil Rights Act of 1964. The Reform movement, including national leaders such as Rabbi Maurice Eisendrath (below, with Torah) and Abraham Joshua Heschel (pictured far right) played an instrumental role in the Civil Rights Act and the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

“True peace is not merely the absence of tension: It is the presence of justice.”

Martin Luther King, Jr., Birmingham, Ala., April 1963

“The sword comes into the world because of justice delayed and justice denied.”

—Pirkei Avot 5:12

FOUR WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

Legacy Preston Hollow
10-11AM
Join with JCC youth in reading and participating in an arts and crafts project with seniors.

North Dallas Shared Ministries
9AM-4PM
Help in the food pantry and clothes closet.

North Texas Food Bank
9-11:30AM
Sort food or help put together backpacks of food for children.
Minimum age: 10

VNA Meals on Wheels
9:30-11:30AM
Deliver hot and cold food to residents who cannot provide meals for themselves.

Contact: Diana Coben Einstein, Director of Community Connections: deinstein@tedallas.org
BFFs
Meet Bracha and Dinka

Bracha, a blind musician, technical writer and tandem bike enthusiast, and Dinka, a Golden Retriever and Labrador cross, are best friends forever. They were brought together in October 2012 by the Israel Guide Dog Center for the Blind and have been traveling the world together ever since. They will be with us to share their love for each other, their passion for life and their story at Shabbat morning services at 10:30 am on Saturday, Feb. 7 in Pollman Hall and on Sunday, Feb. 8 during Youth Learning + Engagement classes. Join them for lunch at our monthly Shabbat Nosh immediately after services to learn more about this organization that brings independence to blind Israelis.

For more information and a sneak peek at Bracha and Dinka, watch their video online at www.israelguidedog.org.

Visit the Bureau of Engraving and Printing

Wednesday, Jan. 21, 8:45 am

G2g is headed to the U.S. Treasury Department Bureau of Engraving and Printing in Fort Worth. Watch printing of U.S. dollars from a quarter-mile walkway suspended above the manufacturing floor. Also visit two floors of interactive exhibits and displays showcasing currency history and manufacturing. Lunch following at Shady Oak Barbecue & Grill

Cost: $25

RSVP
Susan Dunn, sdunn@tedallas.org

Mitzvahs & Mimosas
Sunday, January 18, 10 am, North Dallas Shared Ministries, 2875 Merrell Road

The 9th annual event by TE Young Adults promises a meaningful morning of socializing and social justice work. After a light brunch, we will break up to work in different areas of NDSM, including the food pantry and clothes closet.

RSVP Melissa Duchin, mduchin@tedallas.org
Tu BiSh’vat: Tree Hugging the Jewish Way

Next month marks the celebration of the new year for the trees, beginning at sundown Feb. 3 and continuing through Feb. 4. Temple is marking the holiday with two opportunities, and we encourage you to continue the celebration at home. For information on home celebrations and seders, visit www.tedallas.org/tubshvat.

Pot Luck Lunch and Learning
Sunday, Feb. 1, noon, Community Garden (Tobian Auditorium if inclement weather)
Bring a favorite dish to share and learn with Heidi Kutchin, garden and science educator for Temple, about agriculture and Judaism. Co-sponsored by the Community Garden Committee.
RSVP Becky Slakman, bslakman@tedallas.org

Tree Planting at Home or in Israel
Purchase a red bud, pecan or desert willow tree (in 1-gallon containers) for $10 each to plant at home, or plant a tree in Israel with the Jewish National Fund.
Buy a Tree participate.tedallas.org/buytrees
Plant a Tree in Israel www.jnf.org

Nurturers Needed!
The Community Garden enters fourth year with a new structure.

The Temple Community Garden, about to embark on its fourth year, has approved a change in its structure with hope of increasing its harvest and ability to serve the Vickery Meadow Food Pantry, as well as providing more opportunities for members of all ages to help in the garden without committing to “owning” a bed.

“Instead of adopting individual beds, gardeners will plant, tend and harvest the garden together as a team,” says Community Garden chair Ruth Klein. “We are hoping to increase the yield of crops that we donate, and work together more as a community toward a common goal.”

As before, participants in the Community Garden will be allowed to take produce for their own use in addition to harvesting for the food pantry. Those interested in helping and learning to garden are welcome to come to weekly Sunday morning workdays starting in February, from 10-11:30am. The times will get earlier as it gets warmer.

In its short history, the garden has become a model for small group effectiveness and building community. Temple members designed and built the garden, and until now have tended the beds in groups. Gardeners, most of whom did not know each other before the project, were paired together to organize and tend the beds. A Sh’ma Group led by Ruth Klein has formed. The garden will also participate in the Tu BiSh’vat pot luck and learning session on Sunday, Feb. 1. See above for details. Contact Ruth Klein, ruthbklein@sbcglobal.net

Picnic tables built by Mark Satinsky have been added to a shady spot in the garden to foster community.
UPCOMING WRJ EVENTS

Stitchin’ Sisters
Tuesdays, Jan. 6 and 20, 6:30-8:30 pm, Room 248
This informal group gathers to stitch and share social time. We are currently working on a scrapbook project for the Youth Learning + Engagement department. All skill levels of needlework are welcome, and coaching is available.
Contact Sharon Willey, 214.597.4914, sharon@txwilley.com

General Meeting
Wednesday, January 14, 5-7 pm, Room 242
Brown bag dinner

IntraFaith Luncheon
Sunday, Jan. 18, 12:30 pm, Adat Chavurim
This annual meeting will feature a presentation by Temple member and cookbook author Tina Wasserman.
Contact Rachelle Weiss Crane, benjbuddy@aol.com

Lilith Salon
Sunday, Jan. 18, 3-5 pm, home of Ann Kahn
Join the conversation focused on articles in Lilith Magazine, available in Judaic Treasures. Please welcome guest speaker Dr. Diane Litke, orthopedic surgeon and past president of Congregation Beth El Binah.
RSVP Eleanor Trachtenberg, 214.363.2218

Bourbon & Blankets
Wednesday, Jan. 21, 5:30-7:30 pm, Tobian Auditorium
The third annual event coordinated by WRJ, Brotherhood and the Membership department promises to be a fun-filled warm evening.
Contact Celia Rose Saunders, 214.502.1902, celiasaunders18@gmail.com

Daughters of Abraham
Thursday, Jan. 15, location and topic TBA
Contact for location and topic Leah Beth Kolni, 214.801.7463, leahbkolni@gmail.com

For more information on all WRJ activities, see www.tesisterhood.org

TIKKUN OLAM

January Collection
Bring warmth to fellow Dallas residents by bringing new and gently used blankets to donate to the Pebbles Apartments and Family Gateway.

The Pebbles Apartments are located in Vickery Meadow and provide permanent supportive housing to women and children who were previously homeless.
Contact Nancy Lubar, nlubar1@gmail.com

Family Gateway is a homeless shelter for families, providing food and shelter, job training, search and placement assistance, temporary and transitional living facilities, life skills classes, children’s programming and community transition services.
Contact Robert Karpel, karpels4@yahoo.com.

You can also make a blanket at the annual Bourbon and Blankets event sponsored by WRJ, Brotherhood and the Membership Department. See above for details.
The Unfinished Work of Justice

(Continued from cover)

But what we are seeing in Ferguson and Staten Island is about much more than two tragic confrontations. Because with or without Ferguson, we know that black citizens are incarcerated at a rate dramatically higher in our nation today than white citizens, that blacks serve sentences on average 20 percent longer than whites for the same crimes. These incidents lay bare the fact of deep distrust between minority communities and the police, and the anger surrounding them reveals the depth of unresolved racial tension in American society.

Racism remains a fact in America—no longer enshrined in law, and perhaps no longer as conscious as it once was—but it runs stubborn and deep. It is present in the prejudices we all inevitably hold; may we see them clearly and refuse to allow them to control us. It is manifest in gaping disparities between white and black household income, white and black life expectancy, white and black incarceration rates.

In clinging blindly to a myth of equal opportunity, we are subject to what Nicholas Kristof calls the “blithe disregard of the way past subjugation shapes present disadvantage.” Individual responsibility remains a hallmark of both the American and Jewish ethos. But slavery and Jim Crow are not just isolated marks on some historical timeline. For all the progress of these past 50 years, they remain enduring legacies in a nation where all should be free.

As he stood on the steps of the State Capitol in Montgomery, Dr. King declared: “The end that we seek is a society that can live with its conscience.” And he knew the work was unfinished.

When Moses stood on the shore of the Jordan, he knew that the people would continue into the land. But he warned them of what might happen there: “Beware lest your heart grow haughty and you forget the Lord your God who freed you from the land of Egypt, the house of bondage.” He knew the work was unfinished.

When Rabbi Heschel came home from marching with Dr. King, he wrote: “Even without words, our march was worship. I felt my legs were praying.”

In this season of incomplete liberation, may our mouths and our deeds sing songs of justice and freedom. For the work is unfinished, and our steps have only begun.
Shabbat Shalom!

Yizkor
Shabbat Va-y’chi
Genesis 47:28-50:26
Friday, Jan. 2
6:15 pm, Olan Sanctuary
Rabbi David Stern
Rabbi Debra Robbins
Cantor Richard Cohn

Saturday, Jan. 3
10:30 am, Pollman Hall
Rabbi David Stern
Cantor Richard Cohn
Becoming Bat Mitzvah:
Blaire Wartell

Sheva’ah
Shabbat Sh’mot
Exodus 1:1-6:1
Friday, Jan. 9
6 pm, Olan Sanctuary
Tot Shabbat
Rabbi Amy Ross

4:30 pm, Olan Sanctuary
Rabbi Debra Robbins
Cantor Richard Cohn
Becoming Bar Mitzvah:
Max Karp

beit Shira
Shabbat Bo
Exodus 10:7-13:16
Friday, Jan. 16
6:15 pm, Olan Sanctuary
Rabbi Debra Robbins
Rabbi David Stern
Cantor Leslie Niren

8:15 pm, Olan Sanctuary
Rabbi Kimberly Herzog Cohen
Temple Emanu-El Choir

Saturday, Jan. 17
10:30 am, Pollman Hall
Rabbi Asher Knight
Shirat HaLev

10:30 am, Olan Sanctuary
Rabbi Debra Robbins
Cantor Leslie Niren
Becoming Bat Mitzvah:
Katherine Brodsky

4:30 pm, Olan Sanctuary
Rabbi David Stern
Cantor Leslie Niren
Becoming Bar Mitzvah:
Owen Phares

Pre-Order Your Prayer Books
Relive the wonderful discovery of our treasured High Holy Days liturgy, reimagined in Mishkan HaNefesh, the new machzor for the Days of Awe.

ORDERING INFORMATION
Cost: $28 for pickup at Temple, $35 for shipping to your home
Personalization: Engraving is available for $15 a line, two-line maximum
Online orders and information: participate.tedallas.org/mishkanhanefesh
Phone orders: Call Temple’s main line and ask for Joyce Wakefield.

Live streaming
January 9
January 30
live.tedallas.org
Get Involved with Our New Social Justice Partners

The Vickery Meadow and Service Projects Committees periodically and carefully review requests from organizations interested in being our partners. Being a partner means that we encourage Temple members to volunteer with them, have a monthly collection on their behalf and possibly provide funding. We welcome the following groups into our network. Contact Diana Coben Einstein, deinstein@tedallas.org

Information www.tedallas.org/repairing-the-world

**Delete Blood Cancer**

Delete Blood Cancer is a bone marrow donor center. Its mission is to raise awareness and register donors in order to provide bone marrow and stem cell donors for patients. Volunteer opportunities include raising awareness about the need to register and registering donors at a donor drive.

**HeartGift**

HeartGift provides lifesaving heart surgery to children from around the world where specialized medical treatment is either scarce or nonexistent. Members can get involved by hosting the child and caregiver, visiting the family in the hospital, making cards or posters to decorate the hospital room, preparing meals or helping drive the family to appointments.

**PediPlace**

PediPlace is a nonprofit pediatric healthcare practice for children from birth through age 19 who are uninsured or who qualify for Medicaid or CHIP benefits. Help out by creating newborn gift bags, decorating the waiting area or patient rooms, reading and playing with healthy children in the waiting area or collecting and sorting gifts.

**For the Love of the Lake**

This organization is dedicated to the preservation and enhancement of White Rock Lake Park as an urban oasis. Help keep the lake beautiful by participating in the Second Saturday Shoreline Spruce-Ups.

**International Rescue Committee, Dallas office**

The latest organization in our longstanding relationship with the Vickery Meadow neighborhood is the Dallas office International Rescue Committee (IRC), which responds to the world’s worst humanitarian crises and helps people to survive and rebuild their lives. They need volunteers to help with immigration services, teach sign language or mentor a family in English skills.

EXPANDING OUR REACH
Exodus is upon us—literally in next week’s transition to the second book of the Torah and metaphorically at 8500 Hillcrest Road. Many of the spaces in which we have laughed and cried, applauded and debated, danced, sung, learned and prayed are now stripped bare, with only the outlines and the outside views giving clues about our beloved landmarks. It’s messy, frustrating, dirty, crowded and sometimes uncomfortable on the one hand, and exhilarating on the other. These photos, provided by the Beck Group, mark our progress from the way Temple was to its exciting future. But one thing hasn’t changed—our congregation’s resilience, enthusiasm and absolute dedication to the Jewish future.

Come on in. We’re still here, going strong 24/7. With a packed calendar and full hearts, we wish you a very happy 2015.
RECOGNIZE THESE? Clockwise from top left, opposite page: Stairwell near Levy entrance; cross section of excavated levels near Lefkowitz Chapel; aerial view; former entrance to ECEC and Pollman Hall wing; former Linz Hall, looking toward Lefkowitz Chapel; former administrative wing, with views to Hillcrest and Celebration Garden; underground work; site of new chapel
Joshua Nelson has performed for presidents, congregations and even Oprah Winfrey. Born and reared Jewish, he has lived in Israel, has sung with Aretha Franklin and the Klezmatics and was the subject of the acclaimed documentary Keep on Walking. For Joshua, Kosher Gospel is a way to claim both parts of his identity as a black Jew. He brings people and cultures together in joyous song.

**SERVICE**
6:15pm Olan Sanctuary
Rabbi David Stern, Cantors Richard Cohn and Leslie Niren
Temple Emanu-El Choir and Kol Shir Youth Choir
Joshua Nelson, Sheldon Good (guitar),
Thaddeus Hammond (bass) and Noel Sagerman (drums)

**DINNER**
participate.tedallas.org/koshergospel

Made possible by the Pollman Performing Arts Programs

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Known as the “Jewish Pavarotti,” Greek born tenor Alberto Mizrahi is cantor of the historic Anshe Emeth Synagogue in Chicago. One of the world’s leading interpreters of Jewish music, Cantor Mizrahi has thrilled audiences worldwide. Spanning nine languages, his amazing repertoire makes every performance a musical journey to the heart of the Jewish faith.

Tickets: participate.tedallas.org/mizrahi
Becoming B’nai Mitzvah

Katherine Grace Brodsky, Jan. 17
Daughter of Lael and Peter Brodsky
School: Greenhill School
Tikkun Olam: North Texas Food Bank

Madeline Paige Marchant, Jan. 31
Daughter of Cynthia and Randall Marchant
School: Levine Academy
Tikkun Olam: Vickery Meadow Food Pantry, Legacy at Preston Hollow

Bradley Brauman Fetter, Jan. 24
Son of Rachel and Evan Fetter
School: Akiba Academy of Dallas
Tikkun Olam: Fun Saturdays at Jill Stone Elementary School

Owen Scott Phares, Jan. 17
Son of Debra Goldstein Phares and Mark Phares
School: Parkhill Junior High
Tikkun Olam: Collection drive for DME Exchange

David Andrew Haile, Jan. 31
Son of Debbie and Howard Haile
School: The Winston School
Tikkun Olam: Fun Saturdays at Jill Stone Elementary School

Gus Rocket Solis, Jan. 24
Son of Robbin and Michael Solis
School: Greenhill
Tikkun Olam: MS Society, tutoring at George W. Bush Elementary School, DME Exchange of Dallas, North Texas Food Bank

Max Reuben Karp, Jan. 10
Son of Lori and Jon Karp
School: Westwood Junior High
Tikkun Olam: North Texas Food Bank

Blaire Madison Wartell, Jan. 3
Daughter of Becky and Bruce Wartell
School: Hockaday
Tikkun Olam: Caring Congregation, Ronald McDonald House, Brother Bill’s Helping Hand, Voice of Hope, Dallas CASA

Baby Namings

Henry Clark Bader
Son of Samantha and Jon Bader

Cole Padraic Crow
Son of Susan and Brandon Crow

Olivia Rose Duran
Daughter of Stacey and Alex Duran

Gabriella Joy Ginsberg
Daughter of Libby Ginsberg-Dvorin and Ari Dvorin
Granddaughter of Buman Ginsberg

Alexandra “Lexi” Glassman
Daughter of Karen and Jeff Glassman

Hannah Sloane Marx
Daughter of Jessica and Jeffrey Marx

George William Rich and Evelyn Bray Rich
Son and daughter of Sarah and Alan Rich

Alexa Michelle Silverman
Daughter of Matt and Andrea Silverman
Granddaughter of Ira Silverman and Ellen Silverman

Conversion
Dominick Cavuoti

Weddings
Courtney Haas and Dominik Bauch
Courtney is the daughter of Candice and Robert Haas.

Alit Krohn and Scott Braswell

Stephanie Buch and Daniel Greenberg

New and Returning Members
Lara, Eugene, Brandon and Natalie Khmelevsky
Marni, David and Frankie Kleiman
Aliza, Ramzy and Rami Malouf
Sarah Parr
Marian Sackler, Leon Holzsweig and Celia Holzsweig
Tracy, Richard and Sidney Shanks

In Memoriam
Allan David Alterman
Husband of Julie Alterman
Father of Brett Alterman
Stepfather of Mark Reichstadt

Margie August
Mother of Staci Mankoff and Barri Burstyn
Sister of Carol Gold

Bernard “Berny” Becker
Father of David Becker, Marc Becker and Bill Becker
Stepfather of Gayle Rose, Shelly Fox and Lynn Jarco

Gertrude Blumoff
Mother of Dr. Ronald Blumoff

Alma Lilly Carp
Mother of Judith Nieto, Elizabeth Cooper, Marion Quiñones and Edwin Carp

Carolyn Clark
Wife of James Howard Clark
Mother of Susan Palmer, Laurie Schell, Louis Tobian and Cullum Clark
Sister of Irwin Levy

Louis Goldman
Father of Dr. Stanton Goldman

Jeanette Melvin
Mother of Linda Swartz

Morton Schneider
Husband of Frances Schneider
Father of Laura Schindler and David Schneider
Brother of Joyce Greenberg
**Time for Class!**

**Introduction to Judaism**
If you are interested in conversion or just learning more about Judaism, this class of 16 sessions will include topics on Jewish home, family, community, history, literature and faith. The spring class meets every Tuesday evening, starting Jan. 13, from 7:30-9pm in Pollman Hall, with two Saturday morning 9-10:30am sessions. Register online: participate.tedallas.org/intro-to-judaism

**Bea Kabler Chever Torah**
*Shabbat mornings, 9-10:20am, Pollman Hall*
A lively and enlightening discussion of the weekly parashah

**Spirituality Group**
*Shabbat afternoons, 1:30-3pm, Archives*
Informal discussions open to all

**Beyond the Torah**
*Sundays during the school year, 10-11:30am, JCC Texas Room*
Jan. 11, 25
This text-based study group focuses on prophetic books, Jewish history and liturgy, ethics, mysticism and responsa literature and meets when YL + E is in session. **Contact** Steve Benenson, sbenenson@echelonanalytics.com

**Talmud Study with Rabbi David Stern**
*Wednesdays, 7:30-8:30am, Pollman Hall*
Jan., 7, 14, 28
This dynamic study of Talmud Tractate Berakhot takes on topics from our intentions in prayer to the presence of evil and good in the world today. Come join us for these thought-provoking discussions.

**Rabbi Levi A. Olan Radio Sermon Series Class**
*Mondays, 12:15-1:30pm, Temple Shalom*
Returning Jan. 26
Listen to Rabbi Olan’s radio sermons from the 1960s and hear their importance today in this weekly series with Dr. Morton Prager.

**New Class: God Talking**
*Tuesdays, Feb. 10, 17 and 24, 7-9pm, Temple Shalom*
Using material from Mishkan HaNefesh, the new High Holy Days machzor, we will reflect on beliefs about God’s many names, needing God and being needed by God, feeling God’s presence and absence in prayer and out in the world. Together we will explore talking about God and with God. This course will be facilitated by Rabbi Debra Robbins and will include discussion, written reflection, movement and meditation. There will be weekly reading assignments for each session and participants are strongly encouraged to attend all three sessions. Advance registration is requested so we can prepare the room and the materials to accommodate everyone. **Registration and information** Melissa Duchin, mduchin@tedallas.org

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**Good Books Galore**

Take advantage of two events that celebrate reading and Israeli literature in particular. No prior participation is necessary. New book lovers are always welcome.

**Lunch & Literature with Rabbi Debra Robbins**
*Thursday, Jan. 15, noon-1:30pm, Temple Shalom*
Share in a discussion of the short story, “Talking to the Enemy,” by Avner Mandelman, from a collection of the same name. This story, as well as the other materials and class information, can be downloaded from the following link: www.tedallas.org/learning/lunch-literature-with-rabbi-debra-robbins.

**Contact and registration for lunch by Little Greek Diana Hall, 214.706.0017, dhall@tedallas.org**

**Temple Emanu-El Book Club**
*Monday, Feb. 2, 2pm, Room 242*
Rabbi Brian Zimmerman will lead our discussion of *My Promised Land: the Tragedy and Triumph of Israel* by Ari Shavit.

**Contact** Nancy Rivin, nrivin@tedallas.org
2015-16 ECEC REGISTRATION

Online Enrollment Begins
Jan. 2, 2015: Current students, their siblings and Temple members
Jan. 16, 2015: New students and non-members

Visiting Days
Jan. 9 and 30: Visitors are welcome to join us for Shabbat at 9:10am, followed by a tour of the school.

Acceptance Letters
Sent to the 2015-2016 class in mid-March 2015

How to Apply
All enrollment is done online using a Temple Emanu-El login and password. Parents will be emailed the login and password we have on file. If you are new to Temple, you can create your login and password at www.tedallas.org.

Feb. 6-13, Pollman Foyer
Monday-Friday, 8AM-3PM, Sunday, Feb. 8, 9AM-1PM
Thursday, Feb. 12, 4-7PM (extended hours)
Snacks and refreshments while you browse
Children’s area with books and crafts

BOOK FAIR UNDER THE SEA
EXPLORE AN OCEAN OF BOOKS!

Tikkun Olam Project: Donating blankets, sheets and comforters to Family Gateway and Pebbles Apartments
Register for dinner: participate. tedallas.org/events

Parent Education:
Gun Violence
Wednesday, Jan. 14, 9am, Pollman Hall
Are you asking the right questions to keep your kids safe? Guest speaker Carolyn Daniels, of Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America, addresses safety issues affecting our children. Learn about navigating gun-safe play dates and more.

A light breakfast will be served.

JANUARY 9
6PM, POLLMAN HALL

TOT SHABBAT
Parent
Education:
Gun Violence

Temple Emanu-El
Early Childhood Education Center
**CONTRIBUTIONS**

**Clergy Good Works Fund**
Distributions to charitable organizations, needy individuals or community causes by the rabbis and cantors of Temple Emanu-El

- Memory of Ben M. Ablon by Susan Bowman
- Memory of Margie August by Lee & Ellen Salzberger by Sid Stahl
- Memory of Bernard “Berny” Becker by Lotty & Peter Casillas by Bobbie & David Repp
- Memory of Roslyn B. Bender by Ronald & Marlene Wall
- Memory of Alma Lilly Carp by Ann Schwartzwald by Frankie & Joe Schwartzwald
- Memory of Carolyn Clark by Debbie, Gerald, Sophie & Lily Barnes by Samuel & Sarah Bloom by Irwin & Irma Grossman by Sally & Houston E. Holmes, Jr. by Julie & Michael Lowenberg by D. C. & Katherine Morris by Mark & Mary Ann Palmer by Thomas Perryman by Betty Sue Steinberg by Karla, Larry & Oliver Steinberg by Michael Ventriglia
- Memory of Arthur Dominus by Mary Ann & Marshall Lustig
- Memory of Steven Feinberg by Carolyn Stone
- Memory of Selwyn B. Heller by Cyndi Heller & Marshal Goldberg by Ynette & Jim Hogue by Phyllis & Joe Somer by Rosie Stromberg
- Memory of Dr. Coleman Jacobson by Henry & Rebecca Pearson
- Memory of Pearl Klausner by Mimi & Larry Goldman
- Memory of Aaron Klausner by Mimi & Larry Goldman
- Memory of Amelia Krohn by James & Patricia Krohn
- Memory of Emma Grace Nevelow by Ira & Shari Nevelow
- Memory of Diane Pachman by Family of Diane Pachman
- Memory of Samuel A. Pearson by Henry & Rebecca Pearson
- Memory of Barbara Pearson by Henry & Rebecca Pearson
- Memory of Pearl Pink by Henry & Rebecca Pearson
- Memory of Morton Schneider by Andrea & Jaye Andrews by Frances Schneider by Marilyn Schnitzer
- Memory of Charles Shapiro by Phyllis Bloom & Rita Levin
- Memory of Ernst Sommer by Helen & John Stettler
- Memory of Lilli Sommer by Helen & John Stettler
- Memory of Florence Staub by Jay & Lynn Staub
- Memory of Theodore H. Strauss by Richard & Kay Levin
- Memory of Shari Vasher by Audrey & Stanton Unell
- Memory of Eugene Zale by Dorothy & Lew Weinstein
- Appreciation of Cantor Richard Cohn by Staci & Jeff Mankoff
- Appreciation of Rabbi Kimberly Herzog Cohen by Bernadette & Gary Solomon
- Appreciation of Rabbi Dr. Asher Knight by The Cauvoti Family
- Appreciation of Rabbi Debra Robbins by Staci & Jeff Mankoff
- Appreciation of Rabbi David Stern by Staci & Jeff Mankoff
- Bat Mitzvah of Katherine Franklin by Audrey & Rick Franklin
- Birth of Noah Aaron Parshall by Mimi & Larry Goldman
- Birthday of Hanne Klein by Fannette Blum
- Birthday of Larry Sayah by Marilyn Gordon by Mina Hyman
- Contribution by Louise Lerner
- Honor of Rabbi Asher Knight by Marc & Miles Nelson
- Honor of Gerald Schneider by Barry & Cindy Zale
- Marriage of Evan & Molly Oxman by Barry & Cindy Zale
- Rabbi Gerald J. Klein Memorial Fund
  Beautification and improvements at the Temple Emanu-El Cemetery
- Memory of Margie August by Melissa & Darrell Robins

**General Fund**
Support of Temple's general programs and events

- Memory of Lisa Mellow by Sondie Rosenthal
- Memory of Morton “Morty” Rudberg by Joel & Sister Steinberg
- Memory of Pearl Solomon Steinberg by Joel & Sister Steinberg

**General Endowment Fund**
Distribution from the Temple Foundation supporting Temple's programs

- Memory of Margie August by The Mark Golman Family
- Memory of Arthur Dominus by Marc Dominus
- Memory of Selwyn B. Heller by Marcia Grossfeld
- Memory of Eugene Zale by Marcia Grossfeld

**Katherine F. Baum Adult Education Fund**
A fund providing for an annual adult education class

- Memory of Selwyn B. Heller by Karen Blumenthal & Scott McCartney by Wendy & George Palmer
- Memory of Beatrice Lempel by Bob & Dee Dee Miller
- Birthday of Rita Morgan by Betty & Asher Dreyfus

**Rose Marion & Lee H. Berg Building Fund**
Uphold and maintenance of our historic building

- Memory of Fannie Beck by Jay & Joan Beck
- Memory of Abraham Blatt by Julius Blatt & Mary Spector
- Memory of Carolyn Clark by Debbie & Marc Andres by Enid Robinson and Carol & John Levy by Sally, Rick & Robyn Rosenberg

**Anne and Sam Kesner Caring Congregation Fund**
Assistance for Temple members through all phases of life, including hospitalization, elder care, military service, mental health challenges and grief

- Memory of Bernard “Berny” Becker by Bobbie & David Repp
- Memory of Gerald W. Bernstein by Paula & Norman Feldman
- Memory of Alma Lilly Carp by Rob Levy
- Memory of Mary Flores by Anjelica Ruiz
- Memory of Jerome G. Franklin by Marlene Z. Franklin
- Memory of Selwyn B. Heller by Steve & Lynne Gelman
- Memory of Sherman Kusin by Jeanne & Barry Miller
- Memory of Tillie Labovitz by Joan & Jerome Skibell
- Memory of Helen Schwartz by Bobbie & David Repp
- Memory of Eugene Zale by Bobbie & David Repp

**Memory of Linda Cohena by Nicole Lidji**
**Memory of Monis Cohena by Nicole Lidji**
**Memory of Denna S. Ely by Gerry Cristol by Jeanne & Tex Fagadau by Gayle Johansen by Barbara Rose**
**Memory of Fred B. Schenkler by Sue & Peter Stein**
**Memory of Morton Schneider by Abe & Roslyn Katz**
**Memory of Theodore H. Strauss by Jeanne & Tex Fagadau**
**Bat Mitzvah of Madelyn Miller by Muriel & Ralph Pinkus**
**Birthday of Harold Leidner by Joyce & Alan Goldberg**
**Birthday of Sonny Lerner by Ruth Goldberg**
**Birthday of Sydney & Richard Rosenberg by Sally, Rick, John & Kerri (Aikin) Rosenberg & Family**
**Contribution by Lester Melnick**
Memory of Henry Zatzkis by Ralph Zatzkis & Peggy Papert
Birthday of Jack Rothenberg by Morris Stein
Honor of Michele Wahlder by Phyllis & Joe Somer
Cemetery Endowment Fund
Distribution from the Temple Foundation supporting maintenance and improvement of the cemetery grounds
Memory of Francia Burroughs by Max Edward & Marilyn Tonkon
Klein Garden Fund
Sustains maintenance of the Klein Garden
Memory of Albert Darver by Alan & Sherri Darver
Alex F. Weisberg Library Fund
Purchases Judaic books, publications and entertainment media
Memory of Bernard “Berny” Becker by Arlene Leibs
Memory of Carolyn Clark by Burton & Barbara Einspruch
Memory of Rose Messer by Elizabeth Hirsch
Memory of Bessie Olan by Elizabeth Hirsch
Memory of Max Olan by Elizabeth Hirsch
Memory of Rabbi Levi Olan by Elizabeth Hirsch
Memory of Sarita Messer Olan by Elizabeth Hirsch
Birthday of Sonny Lerner by Arlene Leibs
Music Fund
Enhances Temple music programs
Memory of Dr. Albert Fox by Jessonna Fox
Memory of Beatrice G. Goldman by Simon Sargon & Bonnie Glasgow by Miriam & Max Vernon
Memory of Sarah Fox Gutstadt by Jessonna Fox
Appreciation of Cantor Richard Cohn by Jay & Shari Tobin
Birthday of Royal Brin by Frances Blatt by Jessonna Fox by Sandy Ossinsky by Cecile Price by Barbara & Edwin Thorman
Birthday of Pauline Graivier by Frances Blatt
Aline Rutland Prayer Book Fund
Purchase of prayer books as needed
Memory of Clara Feldman by Charles & Helen Feldman
Memory of Orlene Ray Roth by Jane F. Ray
Speedy recovery of Roger Mellow by Jane F. Ray
Rabbi Levi A. Olan Lecture Fund
Support of an annual program with a noted speaker
Birthday of Sonny Lerner by Morton & Jacque Prager
Early Childhood Education Center
Sustenance of ECEC programs
Memory of Grandmother of Steve Davis by Helen Small
Birthday of Debbie Frankfurt by Janis & Dan Gail
David B. Shalom Religious Education Fund
Financial assistance for religious education of Temple members
Memory of Elliott Reuben Hillman by Helene Shalom
Memory of Jack Lopez Klein by Eleanor Trachtenberg
Memory of Joseph S. Trachtenberg by Eleanor Trachtenberg
Speedy recovery of Yolanda Clark by Eleanor Trachtenberg
Henry D. Schlinger Ethics Symposium Endowment Fund
Support of the annual ethics symposium at Temple
Memory of Rae Aronoff by Norma Schlinger
Memory of Selwyn B. Heller by Jeanne & Tex Fagadou
Memory of Richard E. Rosenthal by Sondie Rosenthal
Jill Stone Social Action Fund
Funding for social justice programs and initiatives throughout the Dallas community and for emergency relief and advocacy issues
Memory of Carolyn Clark by Marsha & Lawrence Fischman
Tikkum Olam Fund
Support of programs, projects, advocacy and lectures related to Temple’s social justice initiatives
Memory of Carolyn Clark by Suzi & Jack Greenman
Memory of Louis Goldman by Jim Parrish
Memory of Selwyn B. Heller by Annette & Jack Corman
Memory of Pauline G. Kress by Syl & Murray Benenson by Annette & Jack Corman by Chuck & Debby Stein by Eleanor Trachtenberg
Memory of Herman A. Malone by Katherine, Jim, & Chase Harvey
Memory of Emma Grace Nevelow by Annette & Jack Corman by Chuck & Debby Stein
Memory of Morris P. Newberger by Carol & Jon Weinstein
Memory of Sam Wertheimer by Ruth & Harold Kleinman
Appreciation of Rabbi Asher Knight by Anjelica Ruiz
Birthday of Grandson of Carol & Mark Wigder by Janis & Dan Gail
Dora Aronson Helping Hands Fund
Distributed by Rabbi David Stern to individuals in need of financial assistance, particularly in dire situations
Memory of Dora Aronson by Artyce Colen by Irma & Irwin Grossman
Memory of Margie August by Bootsie Golden
Memory of Libbye Braude by Irma & Irwin Grossman
Memory of Marie Braude by Irma & Irwin Grossman
Memory of Riva Bursten by Susie, Joel, Hillary & Carly Litman
Memory of Adele Colen by Artyce Colen
Memory of Louis Goldman by Chris & Karen Cheniae
Memory of Morris Goldman by Irma & Irwin Grossman
Memory of Marie Grossman by Irma & Irwin Grossman
Birthday of Julie Kronick by Julie & David Fields
Priscilla R. Stern Memorial Fund
Support of literacy projects in the general and Jewish communities
Memory of Zelma Berk by Nancy & Tony Kaufman
Memory of Denna S. El by Nancy & Tony Kaufman
Memory of Abe Gordon by Avrum & Kimberly Schonwald
Memory of Irwin Thomas Kaufman by Nancy & Tony Kaufman
Memory of Morton Schneider by Julie & David Fields
Memory of Milton H. Schonwald by Avrum & Kimberly Schonwald
Memory of Dorothy F. Wittels by Fran, Jeffrey, Mollie & Dani Toubin
Appreciation of Rabbi David Stern by Norma Schlinger by Jay & Shari Tobin by Melvin & Ettie Weinberg
Birthday of Jeffrey Brown by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Birthday of David Fields by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Birthday of Alyson Ray by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Birthday of Brian Sureck by Ruthie & Alan Shor
Honor of Stanley Rabin by Marcia Grossfeld
Temple Emanu-El Hunger Relief Project
Collection of funds for hunger relief throughout the year, including our High Holy Day and Passover drives, for distribution to local, national and international agencies

Memory of Selwyn B. Heller
by Debbie & Marc Andres

Memory of Emanuel Laub
by Harriet Levine

Memory of Bessie Levine
by Harriet Levine

Memory of Arthur H. Levine, M.D.
by Harriet Levine

Memory of Janet Orenstein
by Alan & Sherri Darver

Birthday of Sonny Lerner
by Phyllis Stern

Youth Scholarship Fund
Financial assistance to families for participation in youth programs

Memory of Selwyn B. Heller
by Eleanor Trachtenberg

Memory of Pearl Solomon Steinberg
by Larry & Karla Steinberg

Memory of Ann Weinberg
by Jo-Sandra & David Greenberg

Memory of Henry A. Wertheimer
by Ruth & Harold Kleinman

Bar Mitzvah of Joey F. Trachtenberg
by Eleanor Trachtenberg

Birthday of Royal Brin
by Kitzi & Myron Ball

Gina Rosenfield Levy Greene Family Camp Scholarship Fund
Financial assistance for Greene Family Camp

Memory of Sam Wertheimer
by Ruth & Harold Kleinman

Rabbi Sheldon Zimmerman Endowment Fund
Support of the maintenance of Temple’s building

Memory of Morton Schneider
by Harold Krom

Sisterhood of Temple Emanu-El
Support of WRJ/Sisterhood

Memory of Selwyn B. Heller
by Pat Zilbermann

Memory of Joan Wolman
by Barbara & Edward Stone

WRJ Interfaith Shabbat
February 13
6:15PM

With
Rabbi Debra Robbins, Temple Emanu-El
Rev. David Schaefers,
First Presbyterian Church of Richardson
and their choirs

Complimentary dinner provided by WRJ-Sisterhood, with advance reservation. Please register at participate.tedallas.org/interfaithdinner or contact Rachel Gross at rgross@tedallas.org for additional information.
COME LATE ROCK WITH RICK
Sunday, February 22 | 12:30-1:30 PM

The Department of Youth Learning + Engagement invites you to a special morning.

YL+E Students: Arrive at 10:30 AM, enjoy a pizza lunch and sing with Jewish rock star Rick Recht.

Parents: Join your kids for the concert!

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