



Temple Israel Program Celebrating Multiculturalism



Author Gina Nahai to speak November 7th

Iranian best-selling author Gina Nahai will speak at Temple Israel in a special presentation on Wednesday, November 7, at 8:15 P.M. The topic of her address is "Iranian Jews at Home in Exile: Myth, Reality and the True Story of the Iranian American Jew."

"Her visit to Temple Israel will provide the rare opportunity for all of us to hear the true narrative of the Iranian American Jewish experience across three generations, as told by a gifted story-teller," said Rebecca Friedman-Charry, co-chair of Temple Israel's

adult education program, TILL, which is sponsoring the presentation.

Ms. Nahai's first novel, "Cry of the Peacock," told for the first time in a Western language the 3,000-year story of the Jewish people in Iran. It won the Los Angeles Arts Council Award for fiction. Her second novel, "Moonlight on the Avenue of Faith," was a finalist for awards in England, Dublin and the United States. A Los Angeles Times best seller, it was named as "One of the best books of the year" by the newspaper. Her

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Supporting Egalitarian Judaism in Great Neck and Jerusalem



A large group of Temple Israel members gathered for a photograph standing by the congregation's limestone Jerusalem wall in the lobby in response to a request made from Jerusalem-based Women of the Wall. The congregants gathered to show solidarity and support for the Jerusalem group's cause, equal access for men and women to the Western Wall in Jerusalem.

Established in 1988, Women of the Wall is a prayer group of women who meet monthly on *Roshi Chodesh* to pray beside the Western Wall. The group has often been subject to physical and verbal attacks and arrests.

"In light of the recent arrest of Women of the Wall leader Anat

Hoffman, which occurred after this picture was taken, our support becomes even more important," said Rabbi Howard Stecker.

In response to Women of the Wall's request, and moved by an exhortation by Rabbi Stecker during his High Holy Days remarks to act against inequality faced by Women of the Wall, members of the congregation came together for the photo, some donning *tallitot*, which will be posted on the Women of the Wall website. Temple Israel members elected to deliver even more than what was asked. Rather than photograph only women beside the *kotel* replica, a photograph was taken with men and women together, demonstrating egalitarian practices for which Conservative Judaism and Temple Israel stand.

Knowing From Where We Came

By Rabbi Marim D. Charry

EDITOR'S NOTE: Rabbi Marim D. Charry, Temple Israel's former senior associate rabbi, delivered a moving sermon to the congregation on Rosh Hashanah. This Guest Column features excerpts from that sermon.

We all have favorite stories about family members that get told and retold at family gatherings, and we are surely aware that they are not necessarily accurate accounts of events as they actually happened. That is what is re-

*...you have to know
where you came from
in order to know
who you are and
where you are going.*

lated in the Book of Deuteronomy that we have been reading in the weeks leading up to Rosh Hashanah. Moses is telling the family story of the Israelites to the second generation—children of the people who came out of Egypt.

FROM THE RABBI

Three Ingredients for a Fuller Life

By Rabbi Howard Stecker

The holidays are over and, if you're like me, you've done a fair amount of eating. I want to offer a recipe that I shared with our congregation on Shemini Atzeret, right before the Yizkor service. In deference to all the eating we've done, the recipe is not for food. It's a recipe for how we can live life more fully, a recipe that has been time-tested and tasted by the Jewish people.

The first ingredient is stimulation, or challenge. The more we challenge ourselves, body and spirit, the less likely we are to feel that life is just passing us by. From Rosh Hashanah to Simhat Torah, through music, words and ritual, the holidays challenge us to look within and also to acknowledge each other.

I encourage each of us to challenge ourselves through the many educational and cultural offerings that exist in our synagogue. Just to give an example, I'm confident that our new People of the Book series, which we're starting with a look at Peter Beinhardt's "The Crisis of Zionism," will spark wide interest and involvement. The next ingredient our tradition calls

A similar family story was reported recently in the magazine "CJ: Voices of Conservative/Masorti Judaism." Dr. Artie Dean of Waterford, Connecticut, wrote a story for his local Jewish paper about an heirloom *kiddush* cup that was damaged and repaired. The story was reprinted in "CJ" and resulted in a phone call from a man in Ottawa who turned out to be a cousin. As a result, Dean discovered that contrary to what he had thought, a branch of his family had survived the *Shoah*.

On the personal level, I meet with two cousins annually to go to the cemetery and visit graves of several relatives, where we spend the time telling family stories.

Dr. Daniel Kahneman, an Israeli Nobel laureate psychologist, wrote a book entitled "Thinking Fast and Slow." In his concluding chapters, he distinguishes two selves:

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for is responsibility. A lecture by Michael Norton of Harvard Business School entitled "How to Buy Happiness" underscores a correlation between generosity and pleasure. By conducting experiments in several locations, Norton determined that people who spend money on others report a greater feeling of satisfaction than those who spend money on themselves.

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Acting responsibly toward others, especially those whose basic human needs aren't adequately being met, has been a mandate for the children of Israel from Biblical times. "For there will never cease to be needy ones in your land, which is why I command you: open your hand to the poor and needy kinsman in your land." (Deuteronomy 15:11) Isaiah, perhaps anticipating the findings of Michael Norton,

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Our Appeal

By Alan Klinger

EDITOR'S NOTE: This column by Temple Israel President Alan Klinger is adapted from his recent Kol Nidre address to the congregation. The appeal remains open and contributions are welcome.

I want first to thank you. Last year, as reflected on the board outside this service, in response to this appeal, you gave Temple Israel over a half million dollars. You did this during times where the economy was, at best, uncertain. We understood this as a sign of faith in the clergy and the lay leadership that we could successfully advance your interests.

In coming to you now, I want to address how we did on that score and what our plans are for this coming year. A year ago, we committed to expanding the reach of the synagogue to you. In this regard, let's start with family activities, for many the

*We depend upon
this appeal
to support our budget.*

staple of Jewish life. We worked to reinvigorate family prayer services. At a recent Friday night N'rananah session we had more than 80 people attend. On the social/cultural front, this past year saw the start of the Nitzanim Family Connection, where our clergy interacted with kindergarten families to create their own *kehillah*, out of which emerged two recent additions to our Board of Trustees. This year, we are creating a new Nitzanim group, along with maintaining the existing one as they enter their Aleph year. This past summer Rabbi Stecker took a group of families to Israel for an inspirational ten days of touring, building ties to our spiritual homeland along with strengthening relationships with each other. And, as mentioned on Rosh Hashanah, we have expanded our family Chesed program to distribute provisions to the needy on the North Shore. We are currently in the middle of a food drive to ease the plight of those less fortunate in the community.

No discussion about family can be complete without a focus on our schools. Our nursery program, Beth HaGan, celebrated its 50th anniversary this year with a reunion of past attendees spanning the decades, along with a fundraising

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IN MEMORIAM

Temple Israel extends condolences
to the families of:

IRVING AARON

husband of Lorraine Sosnow Aaron,
father of Mindy Horowitz
and esteemed member of Temple Israel

BERNARD SILVERSTEIN

brother of Dr. Fred Silvers

ISAAC WEITZMAN

father of Dr. Gil Weitzman

RAYMOND SULTAN

father of Cheryl Ross

ETHEL KIRSCHENBAUM

sister of Dr. Martin Handler

May their memories be for a blessing.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT TEMPLE ISRAEL

Oct.	21	Shalom Club Meeting	6:30 P.M.
	23	Sisterhood Trip to Nassau County Museum	
	24-25	Beth HaGan Nursery School Book Fair	
	25	Men's Club Meeting	7:30 P.M.
	26	Kabbalat Shabbat Service and Dinner For College Grads and Friends	7:30 P.M.
	27	"Shabbat Talk" Topic: Tallit--Not For Men Only	12:45 P.M.
	28	Children's Choir Auditions	Noon
	30	Sisterhood Lunch and Read Program	Noon
Nov.	1	"Torah For Our Day" Home Discussion Series	10:30 A.M.
	3	Waxman High School and Youth House Casino Night	7:30 P.M.
	4	Blood Drive Sponsored by the Men's Club	8:30 A.M.
	4	Religious School Kristallnacht Program	10:30 A.M.
	5	Congregation General Meeting	8:15 P.M.
	7	An Evening with Gina Nahai: "The Enigma of Iran"	8:15 P.M.
	8	"Torah For Our Day" Home Discussion Series	10:30 A.M.
	9	Kristallnacht	
	9-11	Waxman High School and Youth House USY Fall Kinnus Weekend	

CANDLE LIGHTING TIMES

Kindle the Sabbath Lights!

Friday, Oct. 19.....5:51 P.M.

Friday, Oct. 26.....5:41 P.M.

DAILY MINYAN TIMES

The Daily Minyan needs you!

Mon. & Thur. 6:45 A.M. 8:00 P.M.

Tues. & Wed. 7:00 A.M. 8:00 P.M.

Fri., Oct. 19 7:00 A.M. 6:00 P.M.

Fri., Oct. 26 7:00 A.M. 5:30 P.M.

Sat., Oct. 20 8:45 A.M. 5:20 P.M.

Sat., Oct. 27 8:45 A.M. 5:40 P.M.

Sunday 8:15 A.M. 8:00 P.M.

Next Voice Issue, Deadline

The next issue of The Voice will be published on Thursday, November 1. The deadline for that issue is Friday, October 19.

The following issue will be published on Thursday, November 15. The deadline for that issue is Friday, November 2.

*More Than Manischewitz –
Great Kosher Wines Have Gone Mainstream*

Wine & Wisdom

Join a wine tasting hosted by Temple members and wine enthusiasts Andrea Farkas and Harriet Becker. Sample exciting kosher wines and have the option to order the ones you enjoyed, followed by a spirited discussion with Rabbi Seth Adelson:

*"Wine Stories They Didn't
Teach In Hebrew School"*

See for yourself how kosher wines have evolved!

Wednesday, November 14 8:15 P.M.

Blue Room

Space is limited. **RSVP A MUST TO:**

Angela at <ajones@tign.org> or call 482-7800. ext 1108

IN QUOTES

EDITOR'S NOTE: "In Quotes" calls attention to passages from Jewish prayers and writings frequently overlooked or said by rote, but profoundly written.

This issue's quote recited after the Sh'ma, the quintessential prayer of Jews. What is your favorite quote? Send it to the "The Voice," c/o Temple Israel, 108 Old Mill Road, Great Neck, NY 11023.

“*These words which I command you this day
you shall take to heart.*

*Teach them, diligently, to your children,
and recite them at home and away, night and day.*”

B'NAI/B'NOT MITZVAH IN OUR TEMPLE ISRAEL FAMILY



Jesse Smith

Jesse Ethan Smith will be called to the Torah as a *Bar Mitzvah* on October 27. He is the son of Beth Stephens and Noah Smith and has four brothers, Arieh, 22, Nathaniel, 20, Isaac, 18, and his twin, Rubin, 13. Jesse is an eighth grade honor student at Great Neck South Middle School, where he is studying Chinese. He is also teaching himself Japanese. He enjoys drawing and illustrating cartoons and spent the past summer learning about book design and illustration. Jesse is a member of his school's swim team. He is currently attending the Waxman High School and Youth House and plans to visit Israel in the near future.



Rubin Smith

Rubin Asher Smith will be celebrating his *Bar Mitzvah* on October 27. He is the son of Beth Stephens and Noah Smith and has four brothers, Arieh, 22, Nathaniel, 20, Isaac, 18, and his twin, Jesse, 13. Rubin is an eighth grade honor student at Great Neck South Middle School, where his studies include Chinese. He has spent several summers studying piano. Rubin enjoys skateboarding and diving and is on his school's diving team. He is currently attending the Waxman High School and Youth House and plans to visit Israel in the near future.



Katie Berman

Katie Berman will be called to the Torah as a *Bat Mitzvah* on November 3. She is the daughter of Heidi S. and Robert Berman and has a brother, Spencer, 13. Katie is a seventh grade student at Great Neck North Middle School. She is a member of her school's cross country team and a travel basketball team. She also enjoys acting and participates in her school's plays. Katie enjoys working with children and has volunteered as a peer mentor and participates in an after-school program helping children with special needs. She is currently attending the Waxman High School and Youth House.

**Temple Israel/
Tikkun Alliance of the
North Shore 4th Annual
COAT DRIVE
through
FRIDAY, NOV. 2**
Bring new or gently used
**CLEAN coats, socks & winter
supplies & place them in the
labelled bins in the
Temple Israel lobby.**
**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED
to sort donated items on
Friday, November 2,
in the Crystal Ballroom
beginning at 10 A.M.**
**For more information,
contact: Laura Gal at
chesedtign@gmail.com**



Spencer Berman

Spencer Berman will be celebrating his *Bar Mitzvah* on November 3. He is the son of Heidi S. and Robert Berman and has a sister, Katie, 12. Spencer is an eighth grade honor student at Great Neck North Middle School. He enjoys playing the saxophone and is a member of the Tri-M Music Honor Society. Spencer is an avid reader and has a strong interest in science. He has been enrolled in advance science courses outside of school for many years. He also enjoys acting and has performed in his school's plays. He is currently writing and directing his own play for the Theater Workshop Program at Levels. He is attending the Waxman High School.



Allyson Hendler

Allyson Nicole Hendler will be called to the Torah as a *Bat Mitzvah* on November 3. She is the daughter of Alina and Richard Hendler and has two brothers, Andrew, 19, and Justin, 17, and a sister, Danielle, 21. Allyson is an eighth grade honor student at Great Neck South Middle School. She is the recipient of a commendation from the Town of North Hempstead for her work at Justin's Cure, her family's not-for-profit organization created to help children diagnosed with Type 1 diabetes. Allyson is a member of the Great Neck travel soccer and basketball teams. She spent a summer in Israel with her family and plans to return again soon.

Youth House to Host USY Fall Kinnus

By Danny Mishkin

From November 9-11, Temple Israel of Great Neck will play host to 150 teens from all over Long Island for the USY Chazak Fall Kinnus. This weekend is sure to be special for our teens who participate, our families who host, and our guests who will receive great *ruach* and hospitality.

It is quite an honor to be a host congregation and I am thrilled we were selected. If you are wondering what the USY Fall Kinnus is, you are not alone. A Kinnus is a weekend retreat, held at a synagogue, that brings teens together from all over Long Island for a weekend that celebrates *Shabbat*, *k'lal Yisrael*, *hachnassat orchim*, and youthful spirit.

Shabbat: It is quite magical to see 150 teenagers doing anything together, but when that "thing" is singing with emotion, praying with sincerity, and experiencing the joy of *Shabbat* together, it is truly inspirational.

K'lal Yisrael: This important Jewish value promotes the idea that all Jews are connected. The fact that this wonderful weekend brings so many Jewish teens together is something to celebrate and helps us promote Jewish continuity.

Hachnassat Orchim: Since Abraham welcomed the strangers into his tent in Genesis 18, we Jews have found value in welcoming others into our home. This weekend is only made possible by generous and welcoming people who host our teens. We hope many of you will be willing to house from 5-10 teens to make sure each student has a comfortable place to sleep while they enjoy this fabulous weekend. You do not have to have a teen to be a host.

So, what can we all do to make sure that this weekend is amazing?

- Sign up your teen ASAP: Please visit "Chazak Fall Kinnus 2012" for more information and to register for this epic event.
- Host some teens: As a host you are required to have a somewhat comfortable place to sleep (the floor is ok), provide breakfast Saturday and Sunday morning, and provide rides to and from the Youth House. If you are in walking distance from Temple Israel that will be very helpful as several participants do not drive on *Shabbat*. Please contact Danny Mishkin at <dmishkin@tign.org> if you are interested in being a host.

The theme for the weekend is "It's Easy Being Green!" Hope to see you there.

This Year's Men's Club Blood Drive On Sunday, November 4, Will Help Magen David Adom As Well As Temple Israel Members

Giving blood at the Temple Israel Men's Club blood drive will provide a dual purpose this year. Not only will it help member families, but this year it will also assist Israelis in the event of an emergency.

Long Island Blood Services, which coordinates the Men's Club blood drive, will also be providing blood and blood components to Israel's Magen David Adom, if needed.

Long Island Blood Services requires nearly 800 donations a day to meet the life-saving transfusion requirements of patients in 50 area hospitals. It relies on the generosity of volunteer donors to meet the demand and replenish the community blood supply on a daily basis.

The Men's Club is asking all congregants to donate blood on Sunday, November 4, from 8:30 A.M. to 1 P.M. in the Crystal Ballroom. Donors are

New Congregational Book Discussion Group Exploring Divergent Views On Israel

Seeking to bring the Temple Israel community together through learning, the congregation's adult learning program, Temple Israel Institute for Lifelong Learning (TILL), is undertaking a program to have all members read and comment about a book at the same time.

"A project of this magnitude has not been done at our synagogue before," said TILL Co-chair Rebecca Friedman-Charry. "We hope the project will bring people together to talk about issues important to us all regardless of individual divergent opinions."

The book the TILL Committee selected, with Rabbi Howard Stecker's guidance, is "The Crisis of Zionism," by Peter Beinart.

"The book was chosen," Ms. Friedman-Charry said, "because Israel is important to us all. The author's ideas need to be acknowledged. If we are going to understand our relationship with Israel, as Americans we need to be aware of the entire spectrum of views."

There are four ways to participate in the program, called Am Hasefer, or People of the Book. Read the book, engage in informal discussion with family and friends, participate in an online discussion about the book's contents, or attend a book group discussion on Tuesday evening, November 27 at 8:15 P.M.

The book is available at a discount from the Temple Israel office, for \$23. It is also available from a variety of sources, including libraries, in paper and Kindle format.

The book discussion will focus on the entire book, and discussion will include the following points:

- Beinart states that Israel's founders envisioned a democratic, liberal state. Do you agree?
- Is there, as Beinart assumes, an inherent tension between Zionism and democratic principals?
- Do you agree with how he defines each of these subjects? What do you think about his positions?
- Does Beinart envision Zionism as a static principle? What do you think?

For further information about how to participate in the book discussion, visit <www.tign.org> or call Jodi at 482-7800, ext. 1105.

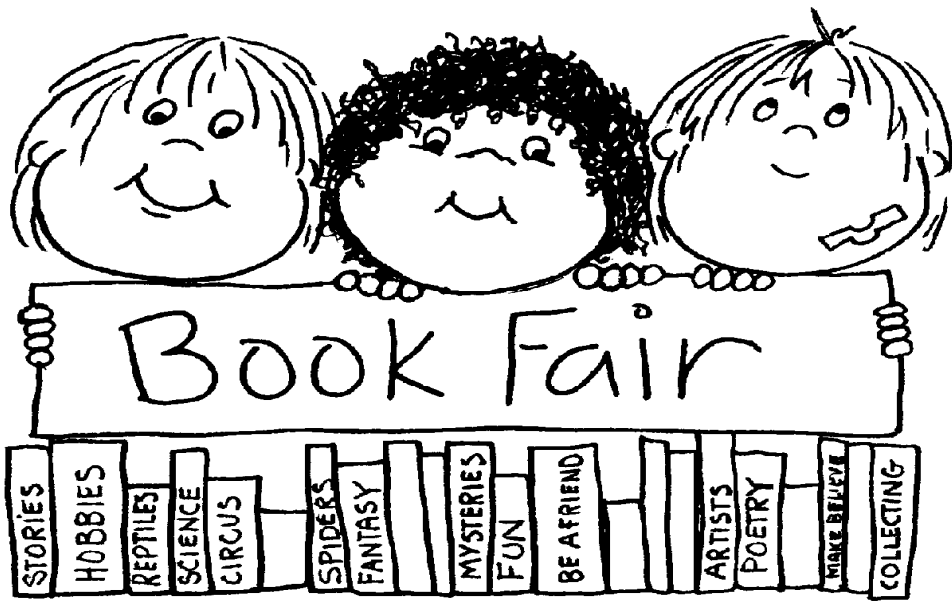
The program got underway last Monday with a panel discussion attracting more than 50 participants. The panelists, each born in a different country, discussed their attitudes towards Israel. They included congregants Steven Markowitz, Bilah Sheffy and Mike Delafraz. Temple Israel President Alan Klingner served as the moderator.

"We are blessed to be a part of a community with so many people with rich backgrounds," Rabbi Stecker said in his closing remarks at the panel discussion. "We all learned new things about Israel, about how to best support Israel, and about each other."

urgently needed and must be 16-75 years old (16 year olds need parental permission; those 76 and older must have a doctor's approval), weigh at least 110 pounds, and be in basic good health. Every donor is given a mini-physical to make sure it is safe to give blood. There is no danger of contracting any disease from donating blood because everything that is used is brand new, sterile, and used only once. Careful screening procedures have been instituted for all donors. ID with a photo is required.

Although appointments are not necessary, they will expedite blood donations. To make an appointment or for further information about the blood drive, call Dr. Adler at 482-4421.

The Blood Drive Committee thanks Bagel Mentch for their generous contribution of bagels for the drive.



Annual Beth HaGan Fall Book Fair

Wednesday & Thursday - October 24th & 25th

The Classroom Wish List Program:

Teachers will be choosing a list of books that they wish to have in their classroom. Parents can review the list, and purchase a book or books. The wish list books go to the classroom with a sticker acknowledging the family who donated the book.

Please come out to support the PTA and purchase some wonderful classics for your children, and fill the **wish list** from your child's class. Profits from this project are used to purchase equipment for the children to enhance their experiences in Beth HaGan.

Please try to accompany your child's class to the book fair. It will make it so much more enjoyable for your child if you are there.

However, if you are unable to attend,
please send in money so your child can make a purchase.
 Credit Cards will be accepted.

Book Fair Schedule

Wednesday, October 24th

Butterflies 9:30
 Seals 10:15
 Gazelles 11:00
 Bears 11:30
 Teddy Bears 12:10
 Lambs 1:45

Thursday, October 25th

Dolphins 9:30
 Kangaroos 10:00
 Giraffes 10:30
 Ducks 11:00
 Kittens 11:45
 Tigers 1:45

For Information Call Amy @ 516-467-4790

NEW, LOWER PRICE!!!

A Tikkun Olam Themed Trip to Israel with the Waxman High School and Youth House!

A nine-day journey to the Jewish homeland
for students in 8th-12th grade

Wednesday night, February 13 - Sunday, February 24, 2013

Estimated Price

\$2300 (subsidized price for 25 students enrolled in at least one
of the YH Tuesday or Sunday programs)

The first 25 enrolled students to return the slip below will be eligible
for this subsidized price

\$2900 (for students not enrolled or who are not in the first 25)

All students are required to raise an additional \$300 to put towards their trip.
This will cover some scholarship needs for our students, miscellaneous/unexpected expenses, and
anything not used will go towards a donation to the organizations we volunteer with while in Israel.

The subsidized price for this trip was made possible by the
Khorshid Dina Harounian Israel Education Fund and
the Benjamin Ziegelbaum Memorial Trust Fund.

Please contact Danny Mishkin to inquire about additional financial aid opportunities for this trip.

To plan adequately, we need a final count by November 1st.

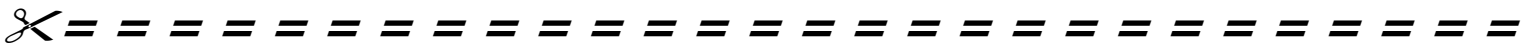
RSVP ASAP to Danny Mishkin at dmishkin@tign.org.

Return the tear-off on the bottom of this sheet with a deposit to hold your place by November 1st.

Payment in full is due December 31st.

Questions? Contact Danny Mishkin at dmishkin@tign.org or at 516-482-7800.

Now is the time to visit Israel! Join us!



Yes! That sounds amazing, count me in!

Here is my \$300.00 deposit to hold my place for the Youth House trip to Israel.

I agree to pay, \$1500 for the flight by November 1st, so don't leave without me!

I understand full payment is due by December 31st, so save my spot!

Name of students _____

Name of Parent/Guardian _____

Students Email _____

Parent Email and Cell Phone _____

***Prices are estimated and may vary slightly. We'll let you know as soon as we have a solid figure.**

LETTER TO THE EDITOR *They Made it Happen!*

I want to extend a well-deserved *yasher koach* and *kol hakavod* to a group of volunteers organized by our High Holy Day Chairman, Howard Spun.

These volunteers gave up an evening during an especially busy time of year to put out each and every Kol Nidre Appeal pledge card, each in its appropriate place. They are: Dr. Charles Adler, Jerry Hirsh, Sam Husney, Dr. Robert Panzer, Marc Langsner, Seth Moin, David Scherr and Abe Sheffy, who organized this effort.

We could not have done this appeal effectively without the pledge cards and the pledge cards would not have been there without these volunteers. I hope their backs have recovered!

I also want to thank Marc Langsner for designing and producing our Kol Nidre Appeal donor boards and Marc Katz for designing and producing the pledge cards.

Rayma Feldman and Vivi Jaspán were of great assistance to the office staff with the labeling and preparation of High Holy Day material, as well as Ana Maria and Malcolm Salit for polishing all the silver.

The following congregants helped with the labeling of seats: Dr. Charles Adler, Robert Aizer, Bill Blye, Robert Kahen, Marc Katz, Marc Langsner, James Levin, Dr. Jack Moallem, Seth Moin, Gary Sazer, Abe Sheffey, Steve Smolinsky and Howard Spun.

Last, but definitely not least, a special *yasher koach* to our president, Alan M. Klinger, who so eloquently delivered "The Appeal."

To all of them, *todah rabah*. They made it happen!

Dr. Arden Smith, chair
Kol Nidre Appeal Campaign

Celebrate Shabbat!

for Great Neck College
Grads and Friends
Kabbalat Shabbat Service
Friday, October 26
7:30-10:30 P.M.
followed by good food,
wine & beer

All 2012 grads are welcome to join
this growing community ages 21-30.

This event is free and sponsored
by Temple Israel.

To RSVP call Susan at 482-7800
or smundhenk@tign.org

A Special Shabbat Talk

Tallit: Not for Men Only

Rabbi Adelson will facilitate an engaging analysis of how the Conservative Movement arrived at the decision that women may wear a tallit. Members of the congregation will add a personal perspective as they share their enjoyment of this *mitzvah*. Before the discussion, enjoy *kiddush* in the Crystal Ballroom, which will include a tallit-themed art installation.

Both men and women are encouraged to attend this event.

Saturday, October 27
following *kiddush* in the Blue Room

Temple Israel Author's Presentation Will Celebrate Multiculturalism Nov. 7

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fourth novel, "Caspian Rain," was also a Los Angeles Times best seller.

"To understand a nation we must know its history and we must know its current story," Ms. Friedman-Charry said. "Our Temple Israel community is blessed with a multicultural membership, and we are eager to learn more about each others heritage, both the myths and the realities. Ms. Nahai's address is the first of many programs which TILL hopes to sponsor that will help to enlighten us about the diverse population which constitutes Temple Israel."

The presentation is being sponsored by Jackie and Bert Eshaghpour and Nadia and David Eshaghpour to help promote educational events at our Temple.

Jackie Eshaghpour, who is an active member of TILL, said: "Our Temple is our second home. As members of Temple Israel, it is our responsibility to participate in and support different activities that will be interesting and intellectually stimulating to us and our children. We value tradition and heritage from our ancestors, while we adopt new ideas and grow with new opportunities. Gina Nahai represents a woman of our generation who we can relate to and look up to because of her wonderful attributes and achievements. She is a mother, an educator and a creative writer."

The celebrated author holds a B.A. and a Master's degree in international relations from UCLA, and an M.P.A. in creative writing from USC. She lives in Los Angeles, where she is at work on a new novel.

Her writings have appeared in the Los

Angeles Times, San Francisco Chronicle, Los Angeles Magazine, and the Huffington Post. She writes a monthly column for The Jewish Journal of Greater Los Angeles, for which she has twice been a finalist for a Los Angeles Press Club award.

"In the past 30 years, since we came to spend a 'summer' in the United States, Iranian Jews have penetrated and often excelled in just about every facet of American society," Ms. Nahai said. "We have maintained the best of the old country's cultural and social values. And, we have shed, I dare say, much of the less commendable attributes of the traditional society from which we came.

"We thrived because we had settled in a country that, for all its spotty record of the treatment of minorities, including Jews, opened its arms to us in 1979 and thereafter, and gave us all the rights, all the opportunities, all the chances we could have asked for and more."

Speaking of her Iranian heritage, she said: "We are, after all, a people accustomed to being strangers in our own land. To a great extent, even in America—in Great Neck and Beverly Hills—we're still the insider-forever-on-the-outside which we were for 3,000 years in Iran."

There is no charge for the program, but RSVPs are appreciated by the committee. Reservations can be made by calling the Temple Israel office at 482-7800.

The program is endorsed by SHAI, the Sephardic Heritage Alliance, and IAJF, the Iranian American Jewish Federation.

TILL OFFERINGS FOR 5773

TEMPLE ISRAEL OF GREAT NECK

What is TILL?

Temple Israel's Institute for Lifelong Learning - TILL - provides opportunities for all synagogue members to engage with Jewish teaching in a dynamic, inclusive and enjoyable environment. Events and classes are planned by members, for members, with input from our inspiring clergy. Some events are at the synagogue, others are at members' homes. We are reading, studying, viewing movies, tasting wines, exploring moral boundaries-- truly something for everyone! Meet other synagogue members while experiencing a variety of Jewish traditions.



"When I first began learning with the clergy, I was not sure where that journey would lead. But now I am proud that I understand the Shabbat service and am anxious to learn more about our heritage, particularly through the text of the siddur. I appreciate the warm and welcoming environment for learning that the clergy has created."

This catalog contains many exciting topics and events, conveniently scheduled on Shabbat,

weekdays and weeknights, as well as online. Enter the dates into your calendar now!

Adult Learning Opportunities for 5773

There is no better way to get to know your friends, clergy, and leadership at Temple Israel than to join us as we learn and study Jewish texts and traditions through a variety of lenses and in a variety of venues. In 2012-2013 we are sponsoring new creative programming and bringing back some of the traditional favorites. Our new program-

ming features a Wine and Wisdom event, an online book discussion, a Jewish-themed movie series, and new classes in Talmud and history. Times and locations have been carefully thought through, so that everyone has an opportunity to participate. Our programs explore topics that are

of general interest and are essential to helping us navigate our family's lives in the 21st century. The classes are filled with the beauty that our multi-dimensional Jewish tradition has to offer us. Come and join the journey!

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Learn with us on Shabbat...

Shabbat Talk

Hear from local leaders, teachers and rabbis about issues of interest to the Temple Israel community, including Jewish ethics, Women and *Mitzvot*, Jewish communities worldwide, Kristallnacht, and the Youth House Trip to Israel.

After Kiddush, approximately 12:45 pm.

October 27, November 10, December 8, February 9, March 9, April 20.

Se'udah Shelisheet: The 3rd Shabbat Meal

Every Saturday afternoon throughout the year we discuss seasonally appropriate texts and sing with our clergy while enjoying a light meal.

This class is followed immediately by Ma'ariv and Havdalah.

After Shabbat Minhah Services. Times vary, so please check our website at www.tign.org to confirm.

Siddur Study

Get inspired for your Shabbat morning prayer by studying passages from the prayer book in an intimate setting with Rabbi Charry. Follow your learning experience with the Havurah service or join the Main Sanctuary service.

Twice monthly before Havurah services at 9:30 am.

Shabbat Up Close and Personal: A Discussion-Based Service with Rabbi Adelson

Develop a more thorough understanding of the Shabbat morning service in an intimate setting. This is a no-holds-barred opportunity to parse the words of the *tefillah* and find your own path through the *siddur*.

This class meets the 1st Shabbat of each month at 10:30 am starting in November.

Or instead, join us on a weekday morning...

Torah For Our Day: Home Discussion Series

Join us for stimulating talk and friendly bonding over the intersection of Judaism and 21st-century life. Hosted by members of Temple Israel and led by our Rabbis, these two series (fall and spring) will invite you into discussions that bring ancient wisdom to bear on contemporary issues. The topics and location will be announced before each series.

*Thursday mornings at 10:30 am
Fall Series: November 1, 8 and 15.
Spring Series: April 4, 11, and 18.*

Jews and the News

Rabbi Stecker leads the discussion as the issues of the day take center stage. Discuss local and international news items that are of particular interest to the American Jewish community

*Tuesdays at 11:00 am
October 23; November 6, 20; December 4, 18; January 15; February 12; March 12; April 16, 30; May 28; June 11.*

Torah and Tradition

Study the book of Jeremiah in depth with Rabbi Charry. The text will be read in English, accompanied by extensive discussions of the details of selected chapters. Major ideas and structure of the book as a whole will be discussed. Knowledge of Hebrew is not required.

Wednesdays at 9:30 am.

"By making connections through the synagogue, we now have built friendships that will continue to grow..."

Advanced History Seminar

Participate in an ongoing interactive study of Jewish history from the period of the second Temple to modern times with Rabbi Charry. This year, the class is focusing on the book, "Jerusalem: The Biography" by Simon Sebag Montefiore.

Thursdays at 9:30 am

Dor HaBa: The Next Generation

Join Rabbi Stecker, Rabbi Adelson, and other community members as we read and discuss the weekly Torah portion through our own unique lens of modern life, looking for ways to connect our ancient tradition with issues we all face today.

Thursdays at 1:00 pm beginning October 18.



Am HaSefer - People of the Book

Join us in person or online as we read and discuss three selected books on Jewish topics. The first book will be Peter Beinart's thought-provoking, *The Crisis of Zionism*. Join us on October 15th for our book launch party to learn more about the program (including how to participate in the online discussion group) and to hear from a panel of congregants who will introduce and discuss the controversial issues raised by *The Crisis of Zionism*.

October 15, November 27, March 5 and June 4 at 8:15 pm.

An Evening with Gina Nahai

Spend an evening with Gina Nahai the Los Angeles-based best-selling author and professor. In addition to her award winning novels, Gina's writings have appeared in the Los Angeles Times, the Chicago Tribune and the Jewish Journal of Greater Los Angeles. She is a frequent lecturer on contemporary politics, Jewish heritage and Middle East relations.

November 7 at 8:15 pm.

Wine and Wisdom

Come to an elegant evening of tastings at Temple Israel led by wine experts Andrea Farkas and Harriet Becker. While you sample from an interesting array of kosher wines, learn about Jewish attitudes towards wine, wisdom and the importance of spirited conversation.

November 14 and March 19 at 8:15 pm.

Kabbalah and Hasidism: Mutual Influences and Current Trends

Learn with scholar Rabbi Zalman Rothchild in a three part series where he will examine the links between Kabbalah and Hasidism. Topics will include influences of Kabbalah on Hasidism and differences among the current Hasidic movements.

December 4, 11 and 18 at 8:15 pm.



Justice: What's the Right Thing to Do?

Join Rabbi Stecker in a class patterned after Harvard Professor Michael Sandel's course on PBS, which explores the moral decisions we face in our everyday lives. Meet with fellow congregants over scotch and snacks as together we grapple with complex and timely concepts.

January 22 and 29, February 5 and 12 at 8:15 pm.

Temple Israel Film Series

View and discuss recent Jewish-themed films with our Temple Israel leadership and Great Neck community leaders. These popular films depict subjects that enrich our understanding of Judaism and Israel.

Dates TBD. Please check our website at www.tign.org to confirm.



Five Talmudic Texts You Really Should Know

Join Rabbi Stecker and Rabbi Adelson for a survey of essential Talmudic passages. We will study the texts in English translation, analyze their arguments, and attempt to draw modern lessons from ancient logic.

Tuesdays April 9, 23, 30 and May 7 at 8:15 pm.

"My experience with Adult Learning at TIGN began with Shabbat Kol Ishah (the all women-led Shabbat service in 2009). It gave me the opportunity to read Torah for the first time, connect to Torah on a higher level, and to discover my talents. I am grateful to TIGN for making such a positive impact on my life and that of my family."

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Temple Israel Museum – Members' Tour

Join us for a docent-led tour of Temple Israel's unique and historic collection of Judaica. Learn fascinating details of the synagogue's history while adding your story to it by contributing to our Early 21st Century Scrapbook.

Sunday, March 3 at 5:30 pm

Temple Israel Matinee Film Series

View selected Jewish-themed films featured in Temple Israel's evening film series, while your children are in Religious School. After the viewing, participate in a brief discussion with synagogue leaders.

Sunday Dates TBD at 9:00 am. Please check our website at www.tign.org to confirm.

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Other Learning Opportunities...

The Crisis of Zionism: What's Best for Israel?

Peter Beinart and Rabbi Shlomo Riskin will participate in a panel discussion regarding Israel. Beinart, author of *The Crisis of Zionism*, and Riskin, Chief Rabbi of Efrat, will bring their widely divergent views regarding Zionism and Israeli politics to what promises to be a very lively exchange. (This event co-sponsored by Temple Israel).

Sunday, December 16 at 3pm at
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Queens College Center for Jewish Studies

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A Great Day for a BBQ

Temple Israel officially welcomed the congregation back for the fall season at its annual BBQ, hosted by the officers and members of the Board of Trustees.

The BBQ, held in the courtyard, gave members a chance to catch up with friends after a busy summer over good food and conversation.

The yearly food-fest has become a regular part of the Temple Israel calendar—after all, who could resist a good frank?



Guest Column: Knowing From Where We Came

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the experiencing and the remembering. He points out that we don't always remember experiences exactly as they happened; rather we remember them as good or bad depending on how they ultimately turned out. In Hebrew we say "*sof tov, hakol tov,*" if the end is good, the whole thing is good. But if we recognize that memories are all we get to keep from our experiences of living, we should try to structure situations that will create and leave us with good memories.

I have felt the impact of good memories when I heard a colleague reminisce about what happened around his grandmother's table as he was growing up, and when I have listened to moving eulogies delivered lovingly at funerals by children and grandchildren. Here at Temple Israel we successfully created good memories in the years we conducted our Amelim program, an early experiment in family education. In particular, we concluded each year with a family *Shabbaton* at a camp. To this day people stop me to remind me fondly of experiences we shared at those weekends, and in their homes they proudly display creative menorahs and other art or craft products that stem from those times. We create memories by embedding events in stories, which we can easily recall.

Rabbi Lord Jonathan Sacks, chief rabbi of the United Hebrew Congregations of Britain and the Commonwealth, wrote a book entitled "The Home We Build Together." Although he addresses himself specifically to the British community, his analysis and proposals fit our community as well. "Building a home together" is the societal version of creating good memories, and he also stresses the importance of

telling a story. He points out that the Bible has no word for history, but the word *zakhor*, "remember," appears 169 times. Rabbi Sacks points out that "there is a difference between history and memory. History is someone else's story. It is about events that happened somewhere else, sometime else. Memory is "my story." It is about events that happened, in some sense, to me." Thus the *Haggadah* instructs us that in every generation we must see ourselves as if we had gone forth from Egypt. "Memory

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is about identity. It is 'the story of which I am a part. ...' It is the most powerful form through which group identity is formed and sustained across the generations. We are the story we tell about ourselves."

On a personal level, on my first visit to my grandfather's grave I went with my sister and brother-in-law. I had never seen the tombstone of the man for whom I am named in Hebrew and English, and imagine my distress when I saw that the names were both wrong! I almost lost my identity! In the meantime, my brother-in-law was examining the pillared gate at the entrance to the section, and he called us over to show us the list of members of the

landsmanschaft. There was my grandfather's name, spelled just as I have always spelled mine. In a flash, my identity was restored!

The way to create good societal memories is to get people of different backgrounds, beliefs and even ages working together on a joint project toward a common goal. Right now Temple Israel presents us with a challenge to create the Temple Israel story so that others can become a part of it. Recently I was a member of a committee that met to plan our annual memorial program for Rabbi Waxman. The point was raised that many younger members of the congregation have no idea who Rabbi Waxman was and/or how he created Temple Israel. They are not aware of the goals he set, the innovations he put in place, how his work at Temple Israel impacted the Jewish community—local, national, international, in Israel—or the role he played in building interfaith relations. Few are familiar with the ideas he set forth in his seminal book "Tradition and Change," or the history of the Youth House and the influence it had across the country. Nor do many appreciate the number of rabbis who served as assistants/associates, or educators who taught at the Youth House and went on to prominent pulpits and significant positions across North America and in Israel.

We discussed how to help members become part of the on-going story of Temple Israel, and we concluded that we need to create an exhibit of the history of Temple Israel, because you have to know where you came from in order to know who you are and where you are going.

The Board considered the project sufficiently important to get it started, and it is now a work in progress. People are going through archival material and collecting material from other sources, as a first step. The aim is to learn to appreciate Temple Israel's history so we can chart our future.

This project will require participation by many individuals and groups within Temple Israel. It will cut across age lines, involve Ashkenazim and Sefardim families and individuals, regular *shul*-goers and occasional attendees, people on all levels of personal observance. It will give us the opportunity to build community around a common interest and a common goal.

In every Amidah of every service on Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, right after the "Kedushah," we recite a paragraph in which we pray *v'yayasu khulam agudah ahat la-asot r'tzonk'ha b'layoav shalem*, "let all be bound together, carrying out Your will wholeheartedly." Let this be our prayer—that God give us strength and wisdom to create a Temple Israel community with a common story to carry out God's will.

Jews & The News
with Rabbi Howard Stecker
Exploring international and local issues
of interest to American Jews.

11 A.M. in the Blue Room

November 20

December 4 & 18

January 15

February 12

From the President: Our Kol Nidre Appeal

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initiative to renovate the playground. Work on it will start right after the holidays and we have renderings of the new plan in the lobby for you to view. This year's nursery program will see the introduction of a Mitzvah Day, where we will start to teach the Jewish values of responsibility and caring from the earliest of ages.

Last year we acknowledged the need for progress with the Waxman High School. As you will recall, Rabbi Adelson had stepped in to stabilize the program, but we all knew that work would be needed to return the school to prominence. We hired Danny Mishkin as the new director, and we're pleased to report that the program is alive and well, featuring academic classes, social action and a new USY chapter. Enrollment this year has grown to 90, with those in grade eight and above now topping 50. During last February's winter break, Danny led a group of teenagers on a *tikkun olam* themed trip to New Orleans to assist in the continued rebuilding after Hurricane Katrina. This February, Danny plans to lead a group of more than 30 teens to Israel, again with a significant focus on social action. Our goal is to strengthen the bonds to Israel at this important stage of our teenagers' lives so that, when they go off to college and are confronted with issues of politics or the Middle East, they understand what Israel truly stands for. Study after study shows that connections made to Israel at this stage of their lives enhances the prospects for future Jewish engagement. How nice would it be if the synagogue had the funds to help subsidize more teens to make this trip. We also hope this year to revitalize the Youth House building and add components of modern technology to help make the Youth House a center of community activity for our teens. Funds are needed for this.

We spoke last year about the desire to better integrate our three school programs. We looked for someone to lead this effort and, after a thorough search, found Rabbi Amy Roth to be our director of congregational schools. Rabbi Roth has now been with us for several months and, based on early reports from parents and teachers, we're thrilled with her quick start.

Just a few years ago, we were worried about the plight of our schools and wondered whether the investment we were making in them was worth it. Tonight I can say we are moving forward positively, with 120-plus children in the nursery school—and this after we changed the pricing to encourage participation by those likely to remain as members of Temple Israel—228 in the Religious School, and, as indicated, some 90 in the Waxman High School.

Our efforts continued beyond the high

school age. We recognized that with the depressed job market of lower salaries or even delayed entry into jobs, more of our college graduates were returning to Great Neck to live with their parents to save money. They lacked the ready community that living together in Manhattan or the hot spots of Brooklyn would bring. Starting with the germ of an idea by Cheryl Moin, we instituted monthly *Kabbalat Shabbat* services and dinners, sponsored by synagogue members

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the synagogue
with a contribution...*

at no expense to the recent grads, to foster their own *kehillah*. The group now numbers more than 30. With more money available, we could expand these activities.

We also look to serve the needs of our empty nesters. You heard on Rosh Hashanah about the expansion of our Lifelong Learning programs. Additional funding will allow us to broaden our lectures, discussion groups and film series. We are looking to create a multi-media center to enhance the range of our offerings, including functions more social in nature, all to make the synagogue a more attractive venue for gathering.

But let's also remember a fundamental facet of Temple Israel, as a place for prayer. There, too, we seek to move forward. We are using a new *machzor* to add meaning to our High Holiday services. Building on the model of the Re-Imagine process of several years ago, we are forming a new group to re-examine our regular religious services. Times change and so do the needs and desires of our community. Led by Rabbi Stecker and

the clergy, and without any pre-conceived notions, we will be looking at our traditional service to see if changes are in order to make our *tefillah* more meaningful for our times.

With Yom Kippur, we approach the close of our season of reflection, where we are charged with reviewing our actions, reconsidering our decisions and re-imagining our aspirations. In this regard, Rabbi Stecker urged us on Rosh Hashanah to consider what positive steps we, as individuals, could take to improve our lot. Returning to the lens of our synagogue, I offer a suggestion. Much has been written about the decline of Conservative Judaism generally and, in the context of Great Neck, the difficulties of our changing demographics. Certainly, challenges are there. But, we here at Temple Israel, with our emphasis on egalitarianism and diversity, are making progress. Building on a new pricing model to stimulate interest, we had 27 new families join us these past few months—the largest group in quite some time.

We ask that you help the synagogue with a contribution by turning in your pledge card...so that we can offer an improved Jewish life for you, your family and our community. We depend upon this appeal to support our budget. If you have not contributed in the past, we ask you to support this appeal. If you have contributed, our thanks again and we ask that you consider increasing the contribution. Your Board of Trustees believes in this mission; I am proud to report that each member of the Board already has committed to this appeal. We will work hard to make sure your dollars count. For hundreds of years, Jews have been moved by the words and melody of the Kol Nidre prayer that we heard tonight—may we succeed here at Temple Israel in doing our own part for that to continue for countless generations to come.

G'mar hatimah tova.

Three Ingredients for a Fuller Life

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prophesized that after we feed the hungry and clothe the naked, our light would "burst forth like the dawn."

Numerous *chesed* activities at Temple Israel provide opportunities for us to act responsibly toward others.

The final ingredient is fun. During the ancient celebration of Sukkot, Rabban Shimon ben Gamliel juggled torches while his colleagues performed acrobatic feats. Moreover, from the Bible to Seinfeld, humor has been an important part of the Jewish landscape.

Naturally, there are many opportunities for us to have fun within and beyond the confines of Temple Israel. Comedy Night, the weekly *kiddush*, the Temple Israel Players and numerous social events give us a chance to enjoy each other's company. Fun has ample precedent in our tradition and it certainly adds texture to our lives.

The Kotsker Rebbe once said, "If I spend my time trying to be someone else, who will be me?" It seems that each of us has to find the right proportion of ingredients, suited to our own needs and temperaments.

But the basic three that I propose strike me as a solid recipe, well supported by Jewish tradition. With 5773 underway, I hope that we will challenge ourselves, reach out to others and enjoy ourselves along the way. Then our light will surely burst forth like the dawn.

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D'VAR TORAH

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Noah

Saturday, October 20

We read of the destruction of the world by the great flood and the recreation of the world in this portion. By the tenth generation after Adam, human evil has sunk to such depths that God can no longer tolerate it and the world must be purged of its corruption. Noah and his family alone, of all mankind, are saved along with seven pairs (male and female) of all clean animals and one pair of unclean animals found on earth. The description of the flood is in many respects a reversal of the process of creation. When the waters subside and the occupants of the ark emerge on dry land, the narrative parallels the creation story. Noah is portrayed as a second Adam, but the world after the flood is a significantly different place. Although Noah's sons become the progenitors of a world full of people, the complete harmony of all creation is gone. This change is symbolized by the permission given to mankind to eat meat, albeit with the prohibition of eating the blood. God establishes the rainbow as a sign of His promise that the earth will never again be destroyed by flood. The account of the Tower of Babel shows how that unity is shattered by mankind's pride. God's plan is again thwarted, but this time He responds by narrowing His focus to one segment of mankind which will be the instrument of achieving His purpose. The reading concludes with an account of the line of Noah's son, Shem, which bring us—after a generation—to Abraham.

Lekh-Lekha

Saturday, October 27

In this portion, we meet Abraham who, at 75, leaves his home in Mesopotamia at God's command and travels to Canaan with his wife, Sarah, and his nephew, Lot, to become the father of a great nation. Abraham meets a number of challenges which test his faith in God and his resourcefulness. He has a son with Hagar, Sarah's handmaid, since Sarah appears to be barren. He also enters into a covenant (*b'rit*) with God, which is symbolized by circumcision (*b'rit milah*), thus laying the ground for the development of the Jewish people and its special relationship to God.

SABBATH SERVICES

Friday, October 19

Evening Service 6:00 P.M.

Saturday, October 20

Morning Service 8:45 A.M.

Weekly Portion: *Noah*

Genesis 6:9 – 11:32

Haftarah: Isaiah 54:1 – 55:5

Sabbath Service Officers: Eleanor Askari and Rebecca Sassouni

Bar Mitzvah

JORDAN GREIFF

son of Brenda and Dr. Lance Greiff

Junior Congregation 10:30 A.M.

Toddler Service 11:00 A.M.

Mincha and Ma'ariv 5:30 P.M.

Friday, October 26

N'ranenah/Evening Service 6:30 P.M.

Kabbalat Shabbat Service and Dinner 7:30 P.M.

For College Grads and Friends

Saturday, October 27

Morning Service 8:45 A.M.

Weekly Portion: *Lekh-Lekha*

Genesis 12:1 – 17:27

Haftarah: Isaiah 40:27 – 41:16

Sabbath Service Officers: Dr. Robert Lopatkin and Lynn Weitzman

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