



SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Mornings:
Sundays 8:30 a.m.
Monday – Friday 7:30 a.m.
Shabbat 9:00 a.m.
Evenings
Sunday – Friday 6:00 p.m.
(See High Holiday service schedule inside)
Saturdays (Minchah-Maariv)
September 3 8:00 p.m.
September 10 7:45 p.m.
September 17 7:30 p.m.
September 24 7:15 p.m.

SHABBAT TORAH PORTIONS

SEPTEMBER 3
Shoftim
SEPTEMBER 10
Ki Tetze
SEPTEMBER 17
Ki Tavo
SEPTEMBER 24
Nitzavim-Vayelech



HIGH HOLIDAYS 5772

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ROSH HASHANAH
September 29 & 30
KOL NIDRE
October 7
YOM KIPPUR
October 8



- ONLINE CALENDAR -

Now online: your 2011-2012 Adat Shalom Calendar - holidays, service times, programs and much more.
Go to www.adatshalom.org.
Calendars will be updated each month.

ADAT SHALOM WELCOMES

DENNIS PRAGER



SEPTEMBER
23 & 24

DENNIS PRAGER will open Adat Shalom's SYnergy Shabbat Series with a presentation on Friday evening, September 23. Mr. Prager is one of America's most widely respected radio talk show hosts, columnists, authors, speakers – and Jewish theologians, who regularly speaks to both Christians and Jews. His daily three-hour radio show is heard on more than 100 radio stations across America and around the world on the Internet. Widely sought after by television shows for his opinions, he has appeared frequently on Larry King Live, Hardball, Hannity & Colmes, and CNN Headline News.

Mr. Prager has written four books, including *The Nine Questions People Ask About Judaism* and *Happiness is a Serious Problem*. He writes a weekly syndicated column, teaches bible at the American Jewish University in Los Angeles, and engages in interfaith dialogue with Catholics at the Vatican, Muslims in the Persian Gulf, Hindus in India, and Protestants at Christian seminaries throughout the United States.

Dennis Prager has been called by Toastmasters "one of America's five best speakers." He will address our congregation both Friday and Saturday evenings.

SEE COMPLETE SCHEDULE OF SYNERGY PROGRAMS ON PAGE 8

INVEST IN THE STRENGTH AND STABILITY OF ADAT SHALOM SYNAGOGUE

Guaranteed Returns!

\$18 | \$36 | \$54 | \$180 | \$250 | \$360 | \$500 | \$1000 | \$1800 | Other - Please contact us

I (we) pledge to Adat Shalom Synagogue's Yom Kippur Appeal the amount indicated by the tab folded above.

Maimonides wrote that the week between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur "is a week of unprecedented opportunity with guaranteed returns for those who will invest." This fall your Adat Shalom leadership is asking for your support in making an investment in the strength and stability of our congregation. They are appealing to you to assist in raising money for our annual operating needs, to balance our budget, and, therefore, assist in eliminating our annual deficit.

The Synagogue has unmatched personal resources in our clergy and staff, but we, as with all Jewish institutions in this community, struggle with our annual operating needs. Changing demographics taking place in the Detroit Metropolitan area, compounded by the impact of the current lingering economic recession, have placed significant hardship on our member families.

All families will be receiving "tab cards" on which you can turn down a dollar amount tab to indicate your commitment.

Please make your selection and bring the card with you when you attend Yom Kippur services on October 8th. A duplicate tab card will also be available in the Synagogue lobby preceding the service.

SHABBAT ROCKS

FRIDAY EVENING,
SEPTEMBER 23 6 PM

WELCOME SHABBAT
IN FESTIVE SONG
AND PRAYERS
WITH RABBI BERGMAN,
HAZZAN GROSS,
DAN SHERE,
AND MARTY LIEBMAN



Mazal Tov to our September B'nai & B'not Mitzvah

September 3



Jack Ryan Berkey



Sarah Rose Shea

Jack Berkey is the son of Lisa & Paul Berkey and the grandson of Mickie & Sam Orechkin, Jan & Sanford Golin, and Faye Berkey and the late Richard Berkey.

Sarah Rose Shea is the daughter of Kimberly Lifton & Kevin Shea and the granddaughter of Carol & Sidney Lifton and Virginia Shea and the late Jerome Shea.

September 10



Carly Madison Goldring



Jacob Austin Goldring

Carly and Jacob Goldring are the daughter and son of Carri Goldring and Michael Goldring, the grandchildren of Shary & Marvin Cohn, Dennis Dickstein, Lola & Joe Goldring, and Carol & Herb Lawson, and the great-grandchildren of Mary Meyers.

September 17



Joshua Isaac Kavner



Nathaniel Doron Lawler

Joshua Kavner is the son of Shelly & Lon Zaback and the grandson of Betsy & Jerry Loomus, Charlotte Zaback & the late Jerry Zaback.

Nathaniel Lawler is the son of Julie & Chris Lawler and the grandson of Barbara Lawler and the late Roslyn & Edward Samet.

- MINCHAH BAR MITZVAH SERVICE -
Jeremy Benjamin is the son of Lisette & Yossi Benjamin and the grandson of Lidy & Anton van der Steege and Rachel & Nadir Benjamin.

September 24



Jeremy Raphael Benjamin



Andrew Bryan Nathan

Andrew Nathan is the son of Emily & Stuart Nathan and the grandson of Allan Warnick and the late Elizabeth Warnick and the late Audrey & Herbert Nathan.

Selichot Observance

Saturday evening.

September 24

Guest Speaker Dennis Prager
Special Musical Prayer Service

The Synagogue welcomes congregants and the community to a prelude to the High Holidays at a Selichot Program & Service on Saturday, September 24.

Following refreshments at 9:30 p.m., we are pleased to present Dennis Prager, our SYNergy speaker, who will discuss *Why I Am a Jew*. The program will run from 10 to 11 p.m.

This year's 11 p.m. Selichot service will feature Hazzan Daniel Gross, Lauren Skuce Gross, and Adat Shalom Sacred Music Resident Marty Liebman.

Selichot sets the mood for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, as participants move during the evening into penitential prayers and highlights the most poignant sections of the High Holiday liturgy.

- LULAV & ETROG -

You may purchase your Lulav and Etrog for Sukkot through Adat Shalom. Please order by October 3.

Call the Synagogue office, 248-851-5100.

Sukkot begins this year on Wednesday, October 12.

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Messages

FROM THE PRESIDENT

MAKING A DIFFERENCE

There are so many of our members at Adat Shalom who work hard to make a difference in our lives and the lives of others. I want to highlight just a few of our members whose work on behalf of the Synagogue and our community at large deserves special notice.

EVVA HEPNER, her husband Michael, and daughter Sarah joined Adat Shalom in 1994. Evva is a retired social worker (MSW) in the Southfield Public Schools. Evva has been the chairperson of our Social Action Committee and is also a member of the Board of Trustees. A few years ago, Evva took over coordinating the Housing the Homeless program, in which we provide a week of housing for homeless individuals through the South Oakland Shelters. Housing the Homeless is a program that is not only beneficial to the clients of SOS, but

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**JULIE
TEICHER**

FROM RABBI BERGMAN

THE HAPPIEST TIME OF THE YEAR BEGINS THIS MONTH!

Too often we think the purpose of the High Holidays is about focusing on all the things we have done wrong, and are likely to do again. This leads us to thinking about the flaws in our loved ones and in our relationships with them.

This tends to increase our stress and our disappointment. Introspection is certainly an important part of the holiday, not for punishment, but for compassion and ultimately joy.

I believe that the High Holidays are the happiest and most optimistic times of the year. Even Yom Kippur is a happy day, even though the fasting sometimes distracts us from that idea. I say this because the holidays remind us of our incredible potential as human beings to heal our relationships

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**RABBI
BERGMAN**



FROM RABBI SHERE

EMBRACING CHANGE

Shanah Tovah—Sure, it's a familiar New Year's greeting, but what does it really mean? It is often translated as "have a good year." Although this is an accurate translation, it doesn't convey all that the Hebrew does. The word *shanah* means year, but it also means "change." When we wish someone a *shana tovah*, we are not only wishing them a good new year, but also, "a good change."

I've always found Hebrew to be a wise language and this is no exception. Inherent in our Hebrew greeting is the understanding that change is a natural part of life. Both in spite of, and despite, our hopes, we will all see change in the coming year.

This year, like all others, will be full of changes – some good, some not so good. In wishing someone a *shana tovah*, our unstated hope is that they will be able to find or create something good in all the challenges and changes that await them.

Shana tovah – let us embrace this new year and all its unpredictability. I once heard it said, "Change is inevitable...except from a vending machine."



**HAZZAN
GROSS**

FROM HAZZAN GROSS

AN OPEN INVITATION

In July of 2009, more than 300 participants joined forces with over one hundred of my colleagues from the Cantors Assembly on a very special mission to Poland. By exploring the past and present of this central part of our ancestral homeland, participants were afforded one of the most emotional and inspiring experience of their lives. The essence of this mission was captured in the compelling musical documentary *100 Voices - A Journey Home*, which many of you viewed last

fall.

I am honored to now extend an invitation for you to join me on the Cantors Assembly's 2012 mission to Germany. This trip will provide a unique opportunity to connect with Germany's blossoming Jewish community and to also explore its checkered past.

The High Holidays are a time for celebration, introspection, reflection and new beginnings. We hope our trip to Germany will provide the opportunity for similar experiences through memorable concerts and meaningful ceremonies. We will use the power of music and our Jewish tradition to allow ourselves a reconciliation with a land that for so long alienated our people.

Fliers with information on the "The Cantors Assembly Musical Journey of Heritage & Healing" are available at Adat Shalom or you can find information online at www.cantors.org

FROM RABBI YOSKOWITZ

IMPROVING OUR INNER WORLD

In David McCullough's magnificent new best seller *The Greater Journey: Americans in Paris*, Nathan Sheppard writes of the mental strain, the *ennui*, he experienced in Paris in 1870 during the Prussian siege of the city.

One really knows nothing of what is going on, and there is a prevailing sense of something that is going to happen, and which may come at any moment. This gives a sense of unreality to one's whole life. (p. 288)

As we approach the end of the Hebrew year 5771 and the beginning of 5772, many of us may be echoing the words of an American in Paris in 1870. We do not know what will happen in our outer world. But we can improve our inner world.

When we come to Synagogue for the Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, and Sukkot Holidays, will we be able to focus on the meaning and purpose of our lives? Independent of military, political, economic and social issues in our world, this holiday season directs us to focus on ourselves. The Talmud guides us to ask ourselves specific questions.

For example, in Talmud Shabbat 31a, we read of the requirement to ask the following



**RABBI
YOSKOWITZ**

HIGH HOLY DAY SERVICES FOR YOU AND FAMILY MEMBERS OF ALL AGES

Ware very pleased to again offer you, your children, your teenagers, and college students the opportunity to attend services together for the High Holy Days. We are looking forward to an exciting holiday season at Adat Shalom this coming fall. In this issue and separate mailings you will find a complete listing of all of our High Holy Day services for adults and children of all ages. We hope that this season's High Holy Day services lead to a deeper spiritual experience for you and offers an enhanced family celebration for all.

As always, we will begin services together on Rosh Hashanah at 8 a.m., dividing into two services in the Main Sanctuary and the Rabbi Jacob E. Segal Social Hall at 9:15 a.m. Rabbi Bergman and Rabbi Shere will alternate between the services on the two days of Rosh Hashanah and on Yom Kippur Eve and

Day. Hazzan Daniel Gross will conduct services accompanied by the Adat Shalom Mixed Choir. Mark Vieder will be accompanied by the Men's Choir under the direction of Marty Liebman.



**MEMORIAL PRAYERS
AT THE CEMETERY**



As the High Holy Days approach, it is traditional to offer prayers at the graves of our departed loved ones. Hazzan Gross is happy to assist you in either preparing appropriate prayers to recite or by accompanying you at the cemetery. Please call Hazzan Gross at 248-851-5100, ext. 232, or his assistant Caren Harwood, ext. 231, to make arrangements.

**- SCHEDULE OF SERVICES -
- ROSH HASHANAH -**

Wednesday Evening, September 28

Minchah-Maariv Service6:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 29

Services8:00 a.m.

Torah Service, Sermon and Musaf in the Main Sanctuary and Social Hall9:15 a.m.
Sermon following Torah Service & Haftarah

Supervised Youth Activities and Services9:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Family Service - first grade and older9:45 a.m.

Family Experience - kindergarten and younger10:30 a.m.

Family Tashlikh at the Pond11:15 a.m.

Teen Tashlikh at the Pond11:45 a.m.

Traditional Tashlikh Service at the Pond5:30 p.m.

Minchah-Maariv6:00 p.m.

Friday, September 30

Services8:00 a.m.

Torah Service, Sermon and Musaf in the Main Sanctuary and Social Hall9:15 a.m.
Sermon following Torah Service & Haftarah

Supervised Youth Activities and Services9:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Family Service - first grade and older9:45 a.m.

Family Experience - kindergarten and younger10:30 a.m.

Torah Study with Ruth Bergman11:15 a.m.

Minchah-Maariv6:00 p.m.

- YOM KIPPUR -

Friday, October 7

Minchah Service6:00 p.m.

Kol Nidre6:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 8 in the Main Sanctuary and Social Hall9:00 a.m.

Supervised Youth Activities and Services9:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Family Service - first grade and older9:45 a.m.

Family Experience - kindergarten and younger10:30 a.m.

"Ask the Rabbi" with Rabbi Bergman3:00 p.m.

Healing Service4:00 p.m.

Minchah Service5:15 p.m.

Ne'ilah Service6:30 p.m.

"It's A Blast" (for families of all ages - assemble in Shiffman Chapel)7:15 p.m.

Conclusion of Yom Kippur Service & Sounding of the Shofar7:45 p.m.

TICKETS

The Synagogue is now processing High Holy Day tickets. Extra tickets for the Main Service for adult children over age 30 or parents of members may be purchased for \$250 per ticket. Please fill out request forms for extra seats with names of **unmarried** children and/or **dependent** parents. **Checks must accompany your extra seat requests.**

Tickets will be mailed to all members in good standing (current year's dues, building fund installment, and miscellaneous charges paid). Please take care of unpaid obligations *now* so that your tickets can be processed and mailed. If you have questions in regard to your current balance, please consult our controller, Carma Gargaro, 248-851-5100.

RECIPROCITY

Adat Shalom participates in a reciprocity program where-by members in good standing of other Conservative congregations *outside* Michigan may attend High Holy Day services at our synagogue. Please understand that reciprocity can be extended for a maximum of three consecutive years. For details, contact Alan Yost.

SEATING

In order to be assured of your choice of seats, we urge all congregants to arrive as early as possible for both Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. **YOU MAY SAVE SEATS ONLY UP UNTIL 10:15 A.M. PLEASE FOLLOW THIS RULE SO THAT ALL CONGREGANTS MAY BE SEATED IN AN ORDERLY MANNER.**

PRAYER BOOKS

PRAYER BOOKS FOR THE HIGH HOLY DAYS ARE NOT PROVIDED BY THE SYNAGOGUE. EVERYONE SHOULD BRING HIS/HER OWN RABBINICAL ASSEMBLY MACHZOR.

PARKING

Attendants will be on duty to direct you to a parking space. We realize that parking will be tight. **WHEN LEAVING THE LOT, PLEASE WAIT UNTIL THE CAR AHEAD OF YOU PULLS OUT. WE MUST HAVE YOUR COOPERATION.** Please note that worshippers will be permitted to park in the Beztak Companies parking lot directly adjacent to the Synagogue at 31371 Northwestern Highway on Kol Nidre and Yom Kippur Day. Summit Apartments on Northwestern Highway have requested that worshippers do not use their parking lots.

TASHLIKH SERVICES AT THE POND
Rosh Hashanah - Thursday, September 29



11:15 a.m. Family Tashlikh
 11:45 a.m. Teen Tashlikh
 5:30 p.m. Traditional Tashlikh

The Clergy, Staff & Synagogue Leadership
 wish all our Adat Shalom families
 a very happy & healthy New Year!
L'Shanah Tovah!



Be a High Holy Day Usher

As summer winds down, we invite you to consider joining our Usher Corps for the High Holy Days. You will serve a vital function in making everyone feel welcome and at home during the High Holiday experience.

To volunteer as a first time usher, or to confirm your participation again this year, contact Nancy Wilhelm at 248-851-5100 or by emailing her at nwilhelm@adatshalom.org.

Adat Shalom Young Adult Group
Rosh Hashanah Mixer
 following morning services
 on September 29th
 in the Youth Lounge



Join us for our annual "Meet & Greet" to see old friends, meet new people, and learn more about our amazing Young Adult Group!

There is no charge. Babysitting available. Reservations are appreciated. Please respond to Beth Rodgers at bethLrodgers@gmail.com

ASK THE RABBI...

ASKING QUESTIONS IS PART OF OUR TRADITION. GET READY WITH YOUR QUESTIONS AND EXPECT SOME LIVELY AND INFORMATIVE ANSWERS FROM RABBI BERGMAN DURING AN "ASK THE RABBI" SESSION AT 3 PM IN THE SHIFFMAN CHAPEL DURING THE "BREAK" ON YOM KIPPUR AFTERNOON.

HEALING SERVICE...

OUR ANNUAL YOM KIPPUR DAY HEALING SERVICE WILL BE HELD AT 4 P.M. IN THE SHIFFMAN CHAPEL DURING THE "BREAK" ON YOM KIPPUR DAY. EVERYONE IS WELCOME.

**UNDERGRADUATE COLLEGE STUDENTS
 AND YOUNG ADULTS**

All individuals under age 30 who are children of members are entitled to a complimentary Adat Shalom membership.

(Tickets for children over 30 years of age and for dependent parents of members are \$250 each.)

Please remember to turn in your reservation forms for **SUPERVISED YOUTH ACTIVITIES & SERVICES** and for **ADULT EXTRA TICKET REQUESTS.**



HIGH HOLY DAY EXPERIENCES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Lisa Soble Siegmann to Lead our Family Services

ROSH HASHANAH - DAY 1 THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

☞ **Kindergarten & younger
Family Experience**
10:30 a.m. - The Glass Room



☞ **1st grade & older
Family Service with Lisa Soble Siegmann**
9:45 a.m. - in the Shiffman Chapel
Families with **WHITE** tickets are welcome to attend

☞ **Ages 1-1/2 to 7th Grade
Youth Activities & Services**
9:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Drop off your children downstairs while you are in the Sanctuary or Social hall.
Please pre-register your child(ren).

☞ **Family Tashlikh Service**
11:15 a.m. - at the Pond

☞ **Teen Tashlikh Service (8th - 12th graders)**
11:45 a.m. - meet outside the Youth Lounge

ROSH HASHANAH - DAY 2 FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

☞ **Kindergarten & younger
Family Experience**
10:30 a.m. - The Glass Room



☞ **1st grade & older
Family Service with Lisa Soble Siegmann**
9:45 a.m. - in the Shiffman Chapel
Families with **PURPLE** tickets are welcome to attend

☞ **Ages 1-1/2 to 7th Grade
Youth Activities & Services**
9:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Drop off your children downstairs while you are in the sanctuary or social hall.
Please pre-register your child(ren)

MEET LISA...



Lisa Soble Siegmann is known for her energy, creativity, informal style and ability to engage her audience in a delightful manner. She immediately relates to children of all ages and their parents. Lisa has worked for the Alliance for Jewish Education in Metropolitan Detroit for 12 years, as the director of Jewish Experiences for Families (JEFF) and Informal Education. She lives in Oak Park with her husband, Tal, and their three children.

YOM KIPPUR SHABBAT, OCTOBER 8

☞ **Kindergarten & younger
Family Experience**
10:30 a.m. - The Glass Room

☞ **1st grade & older Family Service
with Lisa Soble Siegmann**
9:45 a.m. - in the Shiffman Chapel
On Yom Kippur, seating is available to families with either color ticket on a first-come, first-served basis.

☞ **Ages 1-1/2 to 7th Grade
Youth Activities & Services**
9:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Drop off your children downstairs while you are in the Sanctuary or Social Hall.
Please pre-register your child(ren).

☞ **Families of All Ages**
7:15 p.m. - "It's a Blast"
Youth activities followed by the "Glowstick Parade" and sounding of the Shofar



**For more information about youth programming, call the
Education & Youth Department, 248-626-2153**

KOL NIDRE FOOD DRIVE

WE NEED YOUR FOOD...

AND YOUR FUNDS to feed the Jewish hungry. The annual community-wide Yad Ezra Kol Nidre Food Drive will take place on Friday evening, October 7. You will be receiving your Yad Ezra bag in the mail. Please fill it (and more!) with kosher, non-perishable food, and bring your bag(s) with you to services that evening.

Please remember that financial donations are also very important. Your checks are critical to maintain Yad Ezra's commitment to the community. Much of the food that is distributed must be purchased.

You will find collection jars so that you may deposit your checks or empty your pockets for a cash donation to the cause – in keeping with the tradition of giving tzedakah just before Kol Nidre Services.

Yad Ezra, our local kosher food bank, distributes thousands of pounds of food annually to more than one thousand needy families in the Jewish community.

Think about bringing:
 canned juices,
 canned gefilte fish, tuna,
 cold cereal,
 canned vegetables
 & fruit, tomato sauce,
 pasta, peanut butter,
 coffee & tea, paper goods,
 baby items and more...



FROM THE PRESIDENT *(continued from page 3)*

but also to our synagogue and its members. It provides us with an opportunity to create a hospitable and caring environment for the week of residency, and many of our members participate in this worthy program. (See article on page 9.) Evva also coordinates a host of other Social Action programs which provide opportunities for our members to help others less fortunate.

ED KOHL and his wife Shelley have been members of Adat Shalom since 1998. Ed is a past president of Beth Achim. He is a retired engineer from Detroit Diesel. Ed was a member of the Merger Committee in 1998 and has been a member of our Board of Trustees for the past 13 years. Ed wears many hats (and particularly a Red Sox hat), and is constantly looking for ways to improve our synagogue environment. Ed is on the House Committee, and has been instrumental in effecting changes in the synagogue to make us more energy efficient. Ed is also on the Israel Advocacy Committee, and is very active with Volunteers for Israel. He is a regular voice in support of Israel in the local papers, and through letter writing to



Adat Shalom Israel Bonds Drive

First Day of Rosh Hashanah, Thursday, September 29

Adat Shalom members have always felt the commitment to partner with Israel in the development of the land that represents both our heritage and our future. Once again, we sincerely urge you to support the State of Israel by investing in Israel through Israel Bonds. Your investment will help ensure that Israel's economy continues to grow despite the multitude of threats facing Israel in the region and internationally.

Please make your selection on the tab card enclosed in your mailing, and bring it with you when you attend **Rosh Hashanah services (first day) on Thursday, September 29.** Duplicate cards will be available in the synagogue lobby preceding services.

Israel's flawless record for debt repayment has been applauded by financial agencies and institutions for good reason - since the first bonds were issued 59 years ago, every payment of principal and interest has been met on time and in full. Israel Bonds investors know that proceeds have been and continue to be an integral part of Israel's evolution into a modern, progressive nation. Buying Israel Bonds builds, preserves and protects our homeland, Eretz Yisrael.

You can also turn your purchase of a bond into a double mitzvah by purchasing a bond and donating it back to Adat Shalom.

the newspapers never hesitates to address misstatements in the press or call others to account for misinformation about Israel and the Jewish Community.

LARRY BUCH and his wife Cynthia have been members of Adat Shalom since 1981. Larry is a retired engineer from Ford Motor Company and now consults for other companies. Larry has been a member of the Aliyah Committee since 1984, and is a member of the Ritual and Membership committees. Larry's regular presence on Shabbat brings a strong sense of continuity to our Shabbat services. His kindness and interest in assigning aliyot and other honors to participants on Shabbat and during the High Holidays is always appreciated. Larry also chairs our Israel Advocacy Committee and works with community organizations to bring to Adat Shalom informative speakers about Israel.



I am exceedingly proud to be president of a congregation where so many people are committed to making our community a better place.

As we approach the High Holidays, I hope we all think of ways to make our world a better place. I wish you and your families a Happy, Healthy and Sweet New Year.

People & Programs


SYNERGY SHABBAT September 23 & 24

FRIDAY EVENING SHABBAT EXPERIENCE

- ★ 6:00 p.m. - *SHABBAT ROCKS* Service 
Marty Liebman and Dan Shere will co-lead this instrumental service with Rabbi Bergman and Hazzan Gross
- ★ 6:00 p.m. - "Shabbat Shaboom" led by Rabbi Shere 
(Early dinner following Shaboom)
- ★ 7:15 p.m. - Casual Shabbat Buffet
- ★ 7:15 p.m. - Child care until conclusion of speaker
- ★ 8:15 p.m. - "Little Creatures"
- ★ 8:15 p.m. - AN EVENING WITH DENNIS PRAGER
- Happiness is a Serious Problem -
Judaism as a Means to a Happy Life

SYNERGY SHABBAT DINNER - \$48 per household or \$20/adult;
\$10/child 3-12; no charge under 3.
PLEASE RESPOND BY SEPTEMBER 16

SHABBAT MORNING

- ★ 9:00 a.m. - Traditional Service
- Special SYnergy Bibliyoga Workshop - "Soulfood for the Body"
- ★ 9:30 a.m. - with performer, writer, educator and
Bibliyogi MARCUS J. FREED (Come dressed for yoga) 
- ★ 10:15 a.m. - Tots & Torah / Junior Congregation
- ★ Enhanced Kiddush following Services

SELICHOT PROGRAM & SERVICE

- ★ 9:30 p.m. - Refreshments
- ★ 10:00 p.m. - Dennis Prager will speak on *Why I Am a Jew*
- ★ 11:00 p.m. - Selichot Services
with Hazzan Gross, Lauren Skuce Gross, and MartY Liebman,
Resident in Sacred Music

EVENING PROGRAMS SEPTEMBER 8, 14 & 20

Tekiah: Preparing Our Hearts, Minds, and Souls for the High Holidays



Tekiah is the sound of the Shofar that helps our soul to awaken to its fullest potential. Participate with Rabbi Aaron Bergman, Rabbi Rachel Shere and Hazzan Daniel Gross in three "Tekiah" programs during the Hebrew month of Elul.

RABBI SHERE will present a Sisterhood program on Thursday, September 8. She will lead an informal, interactive discussion on **TOLLE AND THE TALMUD**. Captivating millions around the world with its message of spiritual enlightenment, Eckhart Tolle's bestseller, *The Power of Now*, has become a 21st century classic. Rabbi Shere will discuss Tolle's work as it relates to the timeless wisdom of our tradition. No prior reading is expected. Both men and women are welcome.

RABBI BERGMAN will continue our Elul offerings on

Wednesday, September 14, with a presentation entitled **THE SPIRITUAL LIFE OF MEN**. The session will focus on the spirituality of men, but it is open to both men and women.

On the following Tuesday evening, September 20, **HAZZAN GROSS** invites both men and women to enjoy **TUNES FROM SINAI - AN EXPLORATION OF THE MUSIC OF THE HIGH HOLIDAYS**. *How old are some of the melodies that we associate with the High Holidays? Where do they come from? Why are the prayers sung differently on the Holidays?* Hazzan Gross will answer these questions and give us a sneak peak at the music that will permeate the synagogue during the *Yamim Noraim*.

All three evenings will begin at 7:30 p.m. at Adat Shalom. The community is welcome. There is no charge.

Please call the Synagogue office, 248-851-5100, if you plan to attend.

LIFESAVERS* FOR LIFE SAVERS



FALL BLOOD DRIVE

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH

sponsored by the
Adat Shalom Social Action Committee

Blood donors, who are truly "Life Savers," can schedule appointments between 7:45 a.m. and 1:20 p.m. (Please allow 1-1/2 to 2 hours.)

Remember: Each pint of blood can potentially save up to three lives. By taking the time to roll up your sleeve and donate the precious gift of life, you become a hero to patients in need. Donating is easy; it costs you nothing except a little of your time, and it will give you a sense of pride and satisfaction that is beyond words.

If you would like to make an appointment, please contact Ruth Zerin at 248-538-9260, or go online to www.redcrossblood.org and enter *adatss* for sponsor code.

All potential *Life Savers* will be treated to some Lifesavers*.

Save a life - it's a "sweet" experience!

*a Kosher equivalent will be provided

Ruth Zerin and Amy Strauss,
Blood Drive Co-Chairs



Social Action in Action

Shanah Tovah to our Adat Shalom family!

This year promises to be very busy with our Social Action Tikun Olam projects. Participation in Social Action activities can be both fun and rewarding for the entire family. Opportunities to volunteer include collecting books for underprivileged children, collecting used baby items to be distributed by Jewish Family Service, delivering food to our homebound elderly, and making and serving a meal to families at the Ronald McDonald House. Our continued commitment to easing the struggles of the homeless includes our involvement with Housing the Homeless XV and preparation of dinners at the Baldwin Hospitality and Warming Center.

HOUSING THE HOMELESS XV...

Thank you, thank you...to all the generous congregants of Adat Shalom Synagogue, who gave of themselves to insure that the week of Housing the Homeless was a warm and nurturing haven for our guests. Our guests included men, women and children, ranging in age from 11 months to 7 years old. Our members were generous with their time, their resources and their willingness to do what needed to be done. This included an early morning run to insure that a guest got to his job on time and giving up a night of sleep. More than a hundred volunteers met our guests with friendly smiles, great food and medical evaluations. Even in these difficult economic times, our community partners continued to support our efforts with donations. Please take a moment to thank them for their support. Most importantly, there was a sincere atmosphere of caring for all who spent the week in our home. Our kindness is greatly appreciated by our guests. It is a privilege to participate in this *G'milut Chasadim* (Acts of Loving Kindness).

Special thanks to the following:

Medical Staff: Dr. Scott Cooper, Dr. Jeffrey Maisels, Dr. Joel Kahn, Dr. Robert Blum, Dr. Stephen Wittenberg, Dr. Annette Greenstein, Dr. Ted Schwartzenfeld, Susan Kay, RN, Meredith Goldberg, RN, and Elaine Horowitz, RN

Corporate Sponsors: Gleaners Oakland County Food Bank (560 pounds of food), The Owl Laundromat, Mike Israel, Bake Station, Zeman's Bakery, Dunkin' Donuts, Warren Drugs, Johnny Pomodoro, Sam's Club-Farmington Hills, Meijer's

Volunteers: Neal Zalenko, Ronald Charfoos, Stewart Shear, Andy Pass, The Hillel Maisel Housing the Homeless Fund, The Clergy and Staff of the Synagogue, David, Bonnie, Camryn & Kyle Otis, Ian Zaback, AZA members, youth groups of Adat Shalom, Breakfast Coordinator: Carol Maisels

Dinner Sponsors: The Gordon, Fisher, Lewis, Indianer, Leeb and Lipman families, Men's Club, Sisterhood, Young Adult, and A&J Catering

Overnight Supervision: Rabbi Shere, Hazzan Gross, Mike Winkelman, Jerry Cook, Jerry Sukenic, Ed Kohl, Charmley Levine, Alaina Zerlin, Sam Zerlin, Sammi Supowit, Linee Diem, David Schostak, Danny Devries

...and all the individuals, too numerous to list, who made everything come together and work so perfectly!!!

For a complete list of contributions see the "Hillel Maisel Homeless Fund" on page 20.

**Evva Hepner and Debbie Cohen,
Homeless Project Co-chairs**

"We Housed the Homeless"



ONGOING PROJECTS...



Beginning in October, **MARVELOUS MONDAYS at the Friendship Circle's Weinberg Village.** In this lifelike village, volunteers role play various positions in a community. Visitors to the Village are school age special needs students who practice everyday life skills. Volunteers are needed in every area of the Village to insure the most meaningful experience for the students. Please contact Leslie Magy at 248-723-6542 (h), 248-514-4179 (c) or, lesliemagy@gmail.com.

THERE IS A CHILL IN THE AIR...Like to knit or crochet?

Drop off 7x9 inch "squares" in the synagogue office, donate or pick up yarn, or help put together afghans. These completed afghans are donated to seniors in the community. In addition to making our afghans, we will continue to make Beanie Baby Blankets. Can you make a 12 x 12 inch square? These squares would be used to make a Beanie Baby Blanket. Beanie Babies and blankets will be donated to area hospitals for pediatric patients. The squares must be made of washable, acrylic yarn. **NO WOOL PLEASE!** We are also looking for new Beanie Babies; check your drawers and closets. Can't knit? Claire Richmond would be happy to teach you. Give her a call at 248-476-3723.



MITZVAH CRIB - Donate your used baby items to the Mitzvah Crib, located in the hallway on our lower level. The Mitzvah Crib Project was started about eight years ago by Jennifer Ribiat because of the needs of struggling families with infants. Our donations are greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, call Jennifer Ribiat at 248-505-3802 or email her at sribiat277mi@comcast.net.

You cannot do a kindness too soon, for you never know how soon it will be too late. ~ Ralph Waldo Emerson

**Evva Hepner, Social Action Chairperson,
248-798-7673 or evva987@aol.com**

Education & Youth



**JEWISH
FAMILY
EDUCATION**

The birds are chirping and fall is here - Shanah Tovah! It is exciting this year to be able to start off the school year a little bit before the High Holidays. It gives us all a chance to adjust to the new schedule and reunite with our friends before the holidays come. We have put a lot of thought and planning into the year ahead. We have made many changes and kept some things the same to serve you better. But one thing remains true, if you don't tell us what you think about what we are doing, we don't know.

This year we are offering Family Shabbat@Adat every month. It is a family service led by our clergy for about 40 minutes. It is appropriate for families with young children up to third grade. Every Family Shabbat@Adat is followed by a free brunch. Join us, we'd love to celebrate Shabbat with you.

- Debi Banooni, Jewish Family Educator

UPCOMING FAMILY EVENTS

Family Education programs are endowed in memory of Oscar Cook and in honor of Jeanette Cook

FAMILY SHABBAT @ ADAT - Saturday, September 10

Experience Shabbat with interactive songs & stories! All ages welcome, but the experience is geared for families with children pre-K through 3rd grade. Followed by brunch.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE & FAMILY PICNIC - Sunday, September 11

Read all about it on the next page!

SYNERGY SHABBAT - September 23 & 24

SYNergy Shabbat is an opportunity to celebrate Shabbat in traditional or alternative ways. If you are looking for no-nonsense praying, family service, music, old and new friends, look no further. Come to Adat Shalom for a SYNergy Shabbat and let your mood guide you. Guest speaker is Dennis Prager. He will speak after dinner Friday evening on *Happiness is a Serious Problem - Judaism as a Means to a Happy Life* and prior to Selichot Services on Saturday evening on *Why I Am a Jew* for Selichot on Saturday. Friday night children's entertainment: *Little Creatures*. Special Shabbat morning Bibliyoga Workshop with Marcus Freed.

HIGH HOLIDAY FAMILY PROGRAMS - SEE PAGE 6

For more information or to reserve your place, contact Debi at 248-626-2153 or dbanooni@adatshalom.org

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

HERE IT IS - SEPTEMBER! It is hard to believe that our Summer Camp program, which was a tremendous success, has come to an end. The children had a wonderful time being a part of our special programs and enjoying summer fun. Take a peek at our "End of Camp Fun" below.



**A GRAND
FINALE
TO A
FUN-FILLED
SUMMER**



Campers and parents, teachers and counselors all enjoyed a musical pre-Shabbat ECC picnic, with tie-dyed t-shirts and "hand-crafted" guitars.

THE FALL SCHOOL YEAR is about to begin. By now the fall packets have gone out, enrollment forms are in, and staffing has been completed. Our teachers are ready and excited to welcome their students and are planning a school year filled with the joy of learning in an interesting and fun way.

As in the past we look forward to the Jewish holidays and teaching our students the meaning and traditions of each. We also look forward to family programs where students, parents and staff come together and share the experience.

We expect this school year to be much more than an average school year. We expect this school year to be one filled with great joy, where students make great strides in learning as well as building relationships with other students, teachers and parents.

I'd like to wish everyone a Happy, Healthy and Very Sweet New Year.

- Julie Eisman, Director

Education & Youth



**AUGUST
KODAK
MOMENTS**



**MAKOR - SHORESH POOL PARTY
HAZZAN GROSS WITH
TAMARACK CAMPERS**

YOUTH SCOOP FROM JODI

Jodi Gross, Associate Director, Education & Youth

AT ADAT SHALOM WE DO OUR UTMOST to create positive Jewish learning and social experiences that meet kids' and parents' needs and interests. One aspect of the Youth Department is our youth group program, which is comprised of four separate groups that range from 1st - 12th grades. With a team of dynamic youth group advisors, it is our goal to plan fabulous social, cultural, and community service experiences that your son/daughter wants to attend. Their participation helps strengthen our youth community at Adat Shalom. *Plus* it is fun! This year's youth department calendar is filled with a fantastic variety of activities.

PARENTS, WE NEED AND WANT YOUR PARTICIPATION! You play an important role in ensuring the success of our programs. Chaperoning events is one simple way to get involved and spend quality time with your child(ren). Marty Kaye, our Youth Commission chairperson, is looking for parents who want to share their ideas and contribute to creating positive experiences for our youth. Last, but not least, please encourage your child(ren) to participate.

SEPTEMBER YOUTH CALENDAR:

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

■ J-SERVE (Jewish Teen Service initiative) interfaith project at Focus Hope in Detroit, Geshur Youth Group for Middle Schools, and Motor City USY are participating 7th-12th graders

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

■ Synagogue Wide Family Picnic

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

■ Teen Volunteer Corps projects at the JCC, J-Games with JARC, and Bookstock collection help, 7th-12th graders

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

■ 1st to 5th graders invited to kick off a fun year with Makor and Shores Youth Groups at Franklin.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 & FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

■ Rosh Hashanah youth activity rooms open

September 11 – A Very Special Day

- ☉ 9-9:30 a.m. Bagels, coffee, juice in the lobby for all of our parents. Bagels and drinks delivered to the classrooms for all students.
- ☉ 9:30-10:30 a.m. Parent program to include an introduction to Rabbi Bergman's HamakOhm program, and a preview of the upcoming school year.
- ☉ 10:30-11:15 a.m. Parents invited to visit the classrooms and meet their children's teachers.
- ☉ 11:15 a.m. Commemoration of September 11
- ☉ 11:30 a.m. Parents and students meet for a sing-a-long with our clergy, music teacher, Janis Braun-Levine and Lisa Soble Siegmann, community educator and head of Jewish Family Education for the Alliance for Jewish Education. This year we are thrilled that Lisa will lead us in our High Holiday family services.

☉ ☉ NOON ☉ ☉ FREE FAMILY PICNIC ☉ ☉ ☉ ☉ ☉

At noon, all Adat Shalom families are invited to a grand back-to-school picnic with **putt putt, bouncers, games, art and a unique Family Shofar Making Factory**. Lunch is available for purchase, or you may bring your own. There is a \$10 charge for the Shofar Factory, which includes all supplies and use of tools. Shofarot are limited, so please reserve yours in advance.



From the Beth Achim Religious School



DO WE HAVE PLANS FOR YOU! Sharpen your wits and build up your energy! Put on your thinking caps, your running shoes, your creative, artistic eye, your best singing voice. We have a busy, activity filled school year planned and we are really looking forward to seeing all of you! Classes begin on September 11. This should provide the opportunity for you to get settled in secular school before our classes begin.

There are no classes on September 28, Erev Rosh Hashanah. As always, there are great things happening for families throughout the fall holiday season. Please contact me if your child would like a part in the 4th -7th grade service on Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. For additional information, please see page 6.

Our B'nai Mitzvah Family Connections Program resumes on September 18. At 9:30 a.m. there is an orientation meeting for new families (within 2 years of the Bar/Bat Mitzvah). At 10:30 a.m. Rabbi Shere will present her Talmud Torah Session for families 12 - 24 months before the simcha date. Please respond to the Education Office.

September Shabbat programs offer a taste of the special things that happen at Adat Shalom on Shabbat. September 10 is *Family Shabbat@Adat*, a Special Family Service for students in kindergarten through third grade. Older siblings are welcome to join their families in the service or to *schmooze and daven* with our Shabbat staff at the same time...On September 17, we have our first grade level Shabbat morning. Our 8th graders are also invited to the synagogue that morning. At 11 a.m. they have a special opportunity for them to schmooze with Rabbi Shere and spend some time with their Adat Shalom friends. Please respond...Also, on the 17th, B'nai Mitzvah students who have begun learning their Torah and Haftarah portions are invited to bring their families to the Synagogue and receive their *chumash*. Families are invited to the *bimah* for a special blessing. Please respond...September 23 & 24 is SYnergy Shabbat. (Please see information on pages 1, 8 & 12.)

– Elissa Berg, Director, Education and Youth

**MORE YOUTH NEWS, COLLEGE AND YOUNG
ADULT OUTREACH: See page 12**

Youth and Young Adults



COLLEGE STUDENT & YOUNG ADULT OUTREACH

- Is your son or daughter starting college this fall?
 - Is he/she moving to a new place in the fall?
 - Did he/she graduate from college last May?
 - Do you want your student to stay connected to Adat Shalom?
- If you answered, YES, to any of these questions, help us reach out to your student or young adult.

What is our Undergrad and Post-College Outreach Program?
Throughout the school year our Rabbis visit Michigan universities to connect with your college student and bringing him/her a "taste from home." Thanks to parent volunteers, Adat Shalom also sends "goody" packages for Chanukah and Pesach, a copy of The VOICE and messages from our rabbis.

In addition, Adat Shalom wants to connect with young adults (20-30s). Adat Shalom sends them holiday packages, email messages from our Rabbis, and invitations to participate in the Young Adult Group at Adat Shalom (See right).

We appreciate having received your student's contact information last year. Nevertheless, each fall we update the database and kindly request your help by completing the tear off below or emailing the information on the tear off to Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org. If your student/young adult has not moved, please let us know. Thanks!

COLLEGE STUDENT & YOUNG ADULT OUTREACH

Please help us by returning the form below to the Adat Shalom Education & Youth Department, 29901 Middlebelt, Farmington Hills, MI 48334 or email jgross@adatshalom.org.

Student's Name _____
 Parent(s) Name _____
 School Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Cell Phone _____ Home Phone _____
 Email Address _____
 College _____ Expected Graduation Date _____

YOUNG ADULT FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

Put these dates on your calendar:

- OPEN GYM -

September 15, December 19, February 24, April 26
Schmooze while your pre-school and younger children run and play. Drinks & snacks. No charge.

- SATURDAY NIGHTS LIGHTS -

November 5 & January 14

Enjoy Havdalah with other young families. Kindergarten & younger. Older sibs welcome. No charge.

These programs are arranged by Franki Bagdade, Stacey Columbus and Jen Weinstein

ATID OPENING: MONDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 19



For more information, contact
Jodi Gross, jgross@adatshalom.org
Elissa Berg, eberg@adatshalom.org
 or the Education & Youth Office, 248-626-2153.

ATID is a collaboration between these five conservative synagogues:
 Adat Shalom, Shaarey Zedek, Beth Ahm, B'nai Israel, B'nai Moshe



ADAT SHALOM YOUNG ADULT GROUP GET-TOGETHER PLANNED FOR SEPTEMBER 29

SUMMER PASSED BY TOO QUICKLY, but we had many great events, including a potluck Shabbat, serving dinner during the *Housing the Homeless* week, and fun at Games Day!

Now, with the High Holidays approaching, we are preparing for our annual get-together after services. This year, it will take place on the first day of Rosh Hashanah, Thursday, September 29th. We will gather in the youth lounge immediately following services for a light lunch and a chance to catch up with friends and meet some new people. All young adults who are already in the group, as well as those who live in the area or those who are in town for the holidays, are more than welcome to attend. We are excited to see you there!

We invite you to join us on Facebook (search for Adat Shalom Young Adult Group) or email us at youngadultgroup@adatshalom.org. We send email updates of future events, so if you'd like to join our list, please let us know so that we can share our event schedule with you! Also, if you have an idea for a fall event, please let us know that as well. We are always eager to hear new and exciting ideas!

Wishing you a very sweet new year!

Beth Rodgers, Young Adult Group Chairperson

Living & Learning

LUNCHTIME LEARNING TO RESUME IN SEPTEMBER

Thursdays, September 8, 15 & 22
IN PREPARATION FOR THE HIGH HOLIDAYS



**My Most Inspirational Passages
from the Babylonian Talmud
with Rabbi Herbert Yoskowitz**

Rabbi Yoskowitz will discuss those passages which are particularly instructive in helping us prepare for the fall holidays. The class will learn about tractates pertaining to Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur and Sukkot.

September 8 – Babylonian Talmud Rosh Hashanah – The discussion, based on Talmudic texts, will focus on the balance that a nation and an individual need to make between thinking and acting not only of and for humanity, but of and for itself and themselves as well.

September 15 – Babylonian Talmud Yoma – In the Babylonian Talmud Yoma (Yom Kippur) we read that “sinat chinam (baseless hatred) is as serious and carries the same weight as the three cardinal sins of idolatry, immorality and murder.” We will focus on Talmudic guidelines on how we can be moved as individuals to three signs by which Israel is recognized: humility, justice and the impulse of disinterested goodness.

September 22 – Babylonian Talmud Sukkah – Here Rabbis took a vote whether or not a stolen lulav forfeits its ritualistic qualities and if a blessing announced over it has any religious value. They debate, too, whether a borrowed lulav is governed by the same principles as a stolen lulav. These debates lead us to evaluate the state of ethical behavior both in Talmudic times and in the contemporary period.

Mondays, September 12, 19 & 26

**The Purpose of Life is to be Happy:
The Teachings, Stories & Life
of Rabbi Nachman of Bratslov
with Rabbi Aaron Bergman**

Great-grandson of the “Bal Shem Tov,” founder of the Chassidic movement, Rabbi Nachman of Bratslov revived the authentic chassidic path of faith, prayer, Torah study, simplicity, kindness and joy in the service of God. He taught that no matter how difficult life is, it is possible to be happy. In fact, more than anything, God wants us to be happy.

Participants will take a look at Rabbi Nachman’s teachings and stories on joy, even amidst despair. The class will sing some of his melodies, too, because Rabbi Nachman believed that music can elevate the soul.

Lunchtime Learning meets from 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. You are invited to bring your own dairy/parve lunch. Adat Shalom will offer complimentary drinks and dessert. **THERE IS NO CHARGE.**

Reservations are requested by the preceding Friday. Call Sheila Lederman, 248-851-5100, ext. 246, or email slederman@adatshalom.org.

BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 25 AT 11 A.M.

HAMAKOHM:

FINDING A SPIRITUAL PLACE FOR YOURSELF

Rabbi Aaron Bergman will introduce his “HamakOhm” program for the coming year – at a new time, with a new focus. These Sunday morning sessions will help you find your “internal spirituality,” says Rabbi Bergman, with the realization that “Judaism can make you happier.”

Hamakom is a Hebrew word for God that was often used by our sages beginning two thousand years ago. It literally means *the place*. The program offers a place – Adat Shalom – to re-connect and re-charge your soul. Young parents will find that hour particularly refreshing, and individuals of all ages will welcome a time and place to “recharge.”

The opening HamakOhm program is on September 25 at 11 a.m. Most months there will be two monthly HamakOhm happenings. Watch for a flyer with dates for the entire season so that you can plan ahead.

Participants may attend any or all of the programs. Each is an individual experience.

There is no charge. The community is welcome.

ADAT SHALOM TO CO-SPONSOR SEMINARS WITH BEAUMONT HEALTH SYSTEM

**Sleep better. Concentrate better.
Cope better. Feel better.**

Learn meditation, mindful yoga, eating and communication techniques Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 9 p.m. October 4 - November 22. Attend one of two free, required, information sessions at 6:30 p.m. on September 20 or 27.

Cost of \$350 includes a daylong retreat, 28 hours of instruction, four meditation/yoga CDs and an informational binder.

Classes will be taught by Adat Shalom member Ruth Lerman M.D. and Rabbi Aaron Bergman. Dr. Lerman, Medical Director, Beaumont Silver Linings Program, is an experienced teacher and researcher of stress reduction.

The program is open to the community and is jointly offered by the Beaumont Health System and Adat Shalom Synagogue. This activity has been approved for AMA PRA Category 1 Credit. For more information, call Beaumont Integrative Medicine at 248-551-9990.

~ Healing from Loss ~

SYNAGOGUE TO OFFER BEREAVEMENT CLASSES



A new monthly bereavement support group will begin on September 11. “Healing from Loss” will be facilitated by Rabbi Rachel Shere and Licensed Social Worker Rebecca Hayman, L.M.S.W.

The group will meet from 9:30 to 11 a.m. on the following Sunday mornings:

September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11, January 8, February 12, March 18, April 15, May 6 and June 10.

The support group is open to the community. There is no charge. Questions? Please email Rabbi Shere at: rshere@adatshalom.org

Happenings

Minyan Musings

FROM BARRY L. LIPPIT

RITUAL DIRECTOR & COORDINATOR, BAR/BAT MITZVAH INSTRUCTION

FALL IS HERE, which means the return of Bar and Bat Mitzvah observances on Saturday morning. If you would like an aliyah on a particular Shabbat, please contact me in advance so I can add you to the list; if it is a special occasion, let us know which one, so that we can make any appropriate preparations for your aliyah. You may also get an aliyah by simply coming to services on Shabbat, if open aliyot are available. In any event, when you are looking for a special aliyah, please arrive no later than 9:30 a.m. to speak with me, or with one of the ushers.

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IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HAVE A MI SHEBERACH recited on behalf of someone who is ill, please call me at the synagogue or send me an email. Please include, if known, the person's Hebrew name and their *mother's* Hebrew name; otherwise, just leave their English name. (Note that we prefer to just use the Hebrew names to promote confidentiality.) Also, please advise us of the length of time that a name should be on the list (i.e., indefinitely, a day, a week, etc.) , and the nature of the illness/injury (which will be shared only with the clergy).

On a related note, remember that the new medical privacy laws mean that hospitals no longer provide our clergy with the names of their patients. If you would like us to know that someone is in the hospital (and would like a clergy visit), please call the synagogue to provide us with the relevant information.

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BY ROSH HASHANAH, the first version of the Adat Shalom Minyan blog should be complete. The site will continue to offer weekly emails about service schedules and special events, and will also contain information regarding our minyan, our prayer services and practices, and other useful items that will enhance your experience whenever you come to the synagogue, be it for the High Holidays alone, or every Shabbat, or on the occasion of a *yahrzeit*. Our blog address is: adatshalomminyan.wordpress.com

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THANKS TO HANNAH POSEN, MARTY LIEBMAN AND ARON ZOLDAN for helping out with Torah readings in August so that I could take some time off. If you would like to be on the list to read Torah for the daily minyan on occasion, please send me your name. Several people also had the opportunity this summer to chant Haftarah or have an aliyah to mark the anniversary of a Bar or Bat Mitzvah. We try to accommodate everyone on these occasions, and I'm working on a database matching congregants with their *parshiyot*. Please send me an email letting me know the Haftarah (and Torah portion, if not the same) for the week of your Bar/Bat Mitzvah, and also let me know the year. When my database is complete, I'll be able to reach out to you in advance of these occasions.

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FINALLY, I want to wish everyone and their families and loved ones a Healthy, Happy, and Prosperous New Year in 5772. To reach me, call the synagogue office at 248 851-5100 ext. 230, or send an email to: blippitt@adatshalom.org. You'll find my minyan blog at adatshalomminyan.wordpress.com.



JUNE 27 - JULY 11, 2012

7 NIGHTS IN GERMANY - 6 NIGHTS IN ISRAEL

In 2009 more than 400 participants traveled on a mission of music, healing and connection with the Cantors Assembly to Poland & Israel. It was an emotional and moving "Journey Through Time."

Join the CA next summer in Germany & Israel on what promises to be the trip of a lifetime!

Detailed fliers are available at Adat Shalom, or for more information, contact Hazzan Gross at haz-zangross@adatshalom.org or 248-851-5100

or go to www.ayelet.com 800-237-1517

**SUPPORT ADAT SHALOM,
HILLER'S, PLUM MARKET, & JOHNNY POMODORO**

Adat Shalom partners with **Hiller's Markets** in their Community Rewards Program. For every dollar you put on your Hiller's scrip card, Adat Shalom receives 5%. Hiller's supports Israel and carries many Israeli products. You may receive your free Hiller's scrip card at the Synagogue office or by calling Debbie Supowit. Go to the Hiller's service desk to activate your card with the dollar amount of your choice (for first time use only). You may pay with cash, check, credit or debit card. Cards are reloadable from the cashier.

Plum Market gives Adat Shalom a 5% rebate on all your purchases. Ask at Plum Market for a Rewards Card, and request that it be linked to Adat Shalom.

Use your **Johnny Pomodoro's Market** Loyalty Card. When shopping there on Wednesdays & Thursdays, Adat Shalom will receive 5% of purchases made. This is in addition to the everyday benefits of the Pomodoro's program. Stop by the customer service desk to activate your loyalty card, and link it to Adat Shalom.

14 Questions? Call Debbie Supowit, (248) 489-7017.

Our Active Affiliates

■ MEN'S CLUB HAPPENINGS

We began our year very strongly with a dinner we prepared for the homeless guests at Adat Shalom. Ken Podell and Lon Zaback chaired the dinner, and we had about 30 volunteer helpers! A fantastic turnout for a great event. We also provided doctors that night to administer free health care to those in need. Thank you to Drs. Jeffrey Maisels, Joel Kahn, Steve Wittenberg, Ted Schwartzenfeld, Robert Blum, Annette Greenstein and to nurses Elaine Horowitz, Meredith Goldberg, and Susan Kay. Nearly every guest received some sort of medical care and we can continue to do this yearly due to our eager medical volunteers. We also had provided *schleppers* to help move the mattresses and bedding to Adat Shalom. Thanks to Tom Lebovic, Joey Lebovic, Joel Kahn, Cameron Blum, and Weston Blum for providing the much needed muscle.

In August we had a barbeque for our executive board, board of trustees, and our past presidents. Our first event of the year will be **Sports Night** on Wednesday, September 21 at 6:30 p.m. Rhonda Moss, WWJ and 97.1 The Fan Weekend Sports Anchor, will be our guest speaker. Families are welcome. \$5 - Men's Club members and guests; \$10 - at the door for everyone. We also will be having a golf outing on Sunday, September 25. Watch for details.

**Go
Lions
Tigers
Pistons
Red
Wings**

On Yom Kippur we will be providing a Post Neilah snack to help everyone "break the fast," followed by **Sunday in the Sukkah** on October 16. Also, mark your calendars for **Chillin' with the Clergy** on October 25, and the start of our Hebrew Literacy program. (See page 7)

The Men's club of Adat Shalom is one of the most active anywhere in the country. We have programming for everyone. If you are a current member, thank you. If you are not currently a member, please join us. We can always use more members with new ideas and enthusiasm.

Chag Sameach to all.

- Bobby Blum, President

Adat Shalom's Boys of Summer.....

For the first time, our Men's Club had two teams in the Intercongregational Softball League. Players had more playing time and a lot more fun on Sunday mornings this summer.



Team #1 in handsome red shirts, led by manager Larry Kaplan, finished 3-9, had the 10th seed, and lost in the first round of the playoffs 6-11. Team #2 in bright blue attire, led by manager George Dickstein, finished 8-4, earned the 5th seed and a bye in the first round of the playoffs, and lost in the 2nd round in a close game, 13-14.

Want to play next year? Please contact League Commissioner Michael Betman at noagold@sbcglobal.net or watch for information next spring.

IT IS HARD TO BELIEVE that summer is almost over. Our children are going back to school and the High Holidays are quickly approaching. I hope that everyone enjoyed their summer and that you are ready to get involved in the many wonderful programs that Sisterhood is currently planning for the coming year.

Lillian Schostak is arranging our first program scheduled for September 8. Sisterhood is pleased to offer an educational program with Rabbi Shere called, "**TOLLE AND TALMUD.**" Rabbi Shere will lead a spiritual discussion about Eckhart Tolle's bestseller *The Power of Now*. Please join us at 7:30 p.m. at Adat Shalom. (See page 8)

OUR SISTERHOOD BOOK CLUB will hold its opening meeting on September 22 at 7:15 p.m. Our first book this year is *The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*, by Rebecca Skloot. I would like to send a big thank you to Karen Lewis for again organizing our Sisterhood Book Club.

Sisterhood is an active and vibrant group of women of all ages and we would love for you to become a part of it. Together we support; our synagogue, Kiddush, Jewish programming, and Women's League for Conservative Judaism...to name just a few. If you have been a Sisterhood member in the past, we look forward to your continued involvement. If you are not a member, please join us and see what we can offer each other. Membership forms will be arriving in your mailboxes soon. Please take a moment to fill yours out and send it back to us.

My family and I wish you all a happy and healthy new year.

Sherri Morof, Sisterhood President

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FROM RABBI BERGMAN (continued from page 3)

with our loved ones and ourselves and to grow spiritually even in tough times. The real purpose of these holidays, then, is to remove all the things from our lives which tend to make us frustrated and unhappy.

I believe this is the main purpose of Judaism. I believe that God created us with the potential for happiness, and with the desire that we be happy. Whether we are actually happy is up to us. Sometimes we do not realize how many wonderful things are in our lives, because we do not get exactly what we want when we want it. Sometimes we do not feel entitled to be happy because we have not lived perfect lives.

My primary purpose as a rabbi is to help you and your loved ones find the joy in your lives, even when things look bleak. The programs that we offer at Adat Shalom are mostly designed to help you live a less stressful and more meaningful life.

I particularly want to emphasize a program called *hamakOhm*, which had its beta year last year. The purpose of *hamakOhm* is to show that Judaism provides a lot of ideas which seem like alternative forms of spirituality, but are really within our tradition, including meditation and chant. These ideas can help make the rest of our week less stressful for ourselves, and by extension our families. The main sessions will be two Sundays a month at 11 a.m. Everyone is invited. You may come occasionally, regularly, or even just once. Look for the details in our weekly emails and in the Voice.

Learning to be happy is not always an easy process. Years of self-doubt and criticism, years of frustration with ourselves and others do not disappear easily. With determination and compassion, though, amazing things are possible.

In Memoriam

We send heartfelt condolences to the families of:

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Each month we list birthdays & anniversaries of those adult congregants who have requested that we print their "special occasions" in The VOICE. If you would like to be listed in this column, please send the information to Nancy Wilhelm at Adat Shalom Synagogue, 29901 Middlebelt Rd., Farmington Hills, MI 48334, or contact Nancy Wilhelm, 248-851-5100 or nwilhelm@adatshalom.org.

FROM RABBI YOSKOWITZ (continued from page 3)

questions of ourselves on the High Holidays and on other occasions: "Have you engaged in honest business dealings, in honest labor? Have you set aside time for Torah study? Have you helped to build family life? Have you kept your trust in God's power to save?" To these questions, I would add David Brook's question to students at Rice University in Houston, Texas, at commencement exercises on May 14: "Do you have the ability to throw yourself against the currents of a culture and recognize that you are not the center of your life?"

When we read the Haftarah on the second day of Rosh Hashanah, we may be amazed to note that Jeremiah cites a deceased person, the Matriarch Rachel, and not a live person, praying most fervently for the well-being of the exiled Jewish people. Perhaps studying the teaching in Talmud Brachot 7, "The righteous are greater in death than during their lifetime" will help us to understand the reason for Jeremiah's choice.

When we confess our sins on Yom Kippur, will we realize how self-destructive unconditional hatred can be to ourselves? In the Tractate Yoma 9, which focuses on Yom Kippur, we read "sinat chinom (baseless hatred) is as serious and carries the same weight as the three cardinal sins of idolatry, immorality and murder." Do you believe that? We will discuss this view of the Rabbis at our lunchtime learning series which begins at Adat Shalom on Thursday, September 8.

The Hebrew month of Elul, which began on August 30 and continues through September 28, requires us to hear the sound of the Shofar and to engage in Jewish study to provide us with a sense of reality in our life. I hope to hear the shofar sounds with you at morning minyan in September and to study with you at our Talmud Lunchtime Learning Series.

We may not know what is going to happen in our outer world but we do know that through Repentance (Teshuvah), Prayer (Tefillah) and Righteous Actions (Tzedakah) including Jewish study, we can deepen and enrich our inner world.

L'Shanah Tovah!

WE'RE PLEASED TO LET YOU KNOW...

RABBI HERBERT YOSKOWITZ delivered the invocation of the "Secret Heroes: The Ritchie Boys" exhibit at the Holocaust Memorial Center.

Running through February 5, the exhibit focuses on the lives and achievements of a special band of World War II soldiers fighting a psychological war against the Nazis. The Ritchie Boys were a little known American Army Intelligence Unit from Camp Ritchie in Maryland. The unit was comprised primarily of Jewish soldiers, mostly refugees who had fled Nazi controlled Germany.

Mazal Tov!



Marriage of Lorie Niskar, daughter of Elaine & Gary Rosenblatt and **Ronald Lieberman**, son of Adele Lieberman and Katherine & Charles Lieberman

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We're look forward to sharing your good news with the Adat Shalom family! Please email marriage and birth announcements to Judy Marx at: jmarx@adatshalom.org.

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