



Office hours  
Monday – Friday  
10am to Noon

After hours 204-333-6884  
Emergency Family Crisis

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## President's Message

A wise woman shared an article with me from Tablet Magazine entitled “It’s Time to Show Up” by David Sax. Sax tells us that “Judaism requires presence. In fact, it commands it.” We are not only a communal religion (think *minyan*), we are a community (think *tikkun olam*). And so, I got to thinking about what it means for us at Temple Shalom to “Show Up.”

This is a time of transition and change at the Temple and our Board and Planning Group are doing a lot of reflection-looking at our past, and planning-looking to the future, but there is no point in doing this if no one is going to “show up.” I know it’s cold; I know the pandemic has changed our lifestyle and our priorities; I know we are all navigating the change; and I know that “showing up” does not always mean being somewhere physically in person, but sometimes it does. And while it would be wonderful to see the synagogue full of congregants at services and programs, there are also other important ways to “show up.”

The synagogue’s role is not to be there for you just when you need it. You are Temple Shalom. The synagogue is made up of members; its strength comes from a community of engaged members who “show up.” Showing up allows us to have a shared experience; the experience can be anything, hearing sacred music, mourning, smelling latkes, reading the same book, seeing a movie, packing lunches, serving on a committee or the board...anything we do together. It gives us the opportunity to schmooze over coffee, chat about family and get to know people in ways we can’t online or in print.

Right now, “showing up” also means letting us know your vision for **our** future. Judaism gives us all so much, but the benefits come with obligations and responsibilities, and if we are to survive as a people and a community, among the most important, is “showing up.”

Judith Huebner

## Project Bal Tashchit (Make No Waste): **Post Boxing Day Edition**

Many of us took advantage of holiday and Boxing Days sales to replace winter boots, jackets, and accessories for us and our families. Please consider donating the gently used items you've replaced for inner city residents and new immigrants.

## West Broadway Project

West Broadway Project lunch packing on Sunday, January 8<sup>th</sup> at 11AM

We welcome Donations of

Sandwiches (chicken, tuna, egg, cheese, & PB&J), baking, carrots, apples & oranges

To assist in any way ... Please email Anita Moeller: [tshalom1@gmail.com](mailto:tshalom1@gmail.com)

## Todah Rabba - Volunteers - Thank You!

Our Shabbat Service Lay Leaders in December

Brent Smith and Shoshana Forester-Smith for managing our Instagram Postings

Sherry Wolfe Elazar for running our Temple Book Club

Anita Moeller for running our West Broadway Project lunches  
and Shoshana Forester-Smith for running Project Bal Tashchit

*With the Healing Cleaning Company, Nafiya hopes to engage and empower Yazidi refugee women to be self-sufficient and independent, which in turn, helps create a safe space for healing.*

*"I want to provide these refugee women with meaningful and reliable employment so they can support themselves and their families. These women are hard-working, intelligent and deserve an opportunity for a fresh start". – Nafiya Naso*

*Healing Cleaning Company launched in June 2022 and is made up of a team of four (4) Yazidi refugee women. They offer residential house cleaning, post construction cleaning, commercial cleaning, and office cleaning, using primarily eco-friendly products and flat rate pricing for recurring weekly, bi-weekly and monthly cleaning services in Winnipeg.*

Contact Information:

Nafiya Naso

Phone Number: [1\(204\) 295-6276](tel:1(204)295-6276)

Email: [healingcleaningcompany@gmail.com](mailto:healingcleaningcompany@gmail.com)?

## January 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> Office Closed	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> 7:30pm <b>Kabbalat Shabbat</b>  Rabbi Allan Finkel & David Vamos	<b>7</b> <i>Vayechi</i>
<b>8</b> 11:00am WBP lunch packing	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> 7-8:30 pm Intro to Judaism	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> 7:30pm <b>Kabbalat Shabbat</b>  Ruthie Maman & David Vamos	<b>14</b> <i>Shemot</i>
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> 7-8:30 pm Intro to Judaism	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> 6:00pm <b>Shabbat Together</b>  Rabbi Allan Finkel & Janet Pelletier- Goetze	<b>21</b> <i>Va'eira</i>
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Rosh Chodesh	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 7-8:30 pm Intro to Judaism	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> 7:30pm <b>Kabbalat Shabbat</b>  Myriam Saitman & David Vamos	<b>28</b> <i>Bo</i>
<b>29</b> 7-9:00 pm Paint Night	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>				



# Yahrzeits January 2023

*Please call or email the office, to add yahrzeits to your file.*

*You will be notified of the yahrzeit and date on which your loved one's name will be read at the Temple.*

*Acts of generosity in memory of loved ones is a Jewish tradition.*

*Please consider making a contribution to Temple Shalom at the time of a yahrzeit.*

Name	To Be Read Fri.	Civil Date (Evening)	Observed
DAVID GOTTHILF, husband of Fern Swedlove	Jan 6	Sun Jan 1	Tevet 8
MOSHEH GRUNBERG, uncle of Ken Mount	Jan 6	Sun Jan 1	Tevet 8
DAVID SILVERA, brother of Monica Schor	Jan 6	Sun Jan 1	Tevet 8
HARVEY NAIRN, husband of Roslyn Nairn	Jan 6	Mon Jan 2	Tevet 9
AMIT FYX, Child Shoah Victim	Jan 6	Tue Jan 3	Tevet 10
FRUMA STAPANSKY, mother of Rebecca Webber	Jan 6	Tue Jan 3	Tevet 10
THEODORA ARONSON, mother-in-law of David Topper	Jan 6	Wed Jan 4	Tevet 11
JOEL STAPANSKY, brother of Rebecca Webber	Jan 6	Thu Jan 5	Tevet 12
ABRAM FISHLIN, Child Shoah Victim	Jan 6	Fri Jan 6	Tevet 13
GERTRUDE GLASS, mother of Sheldon Glass	Jan 6	Fri Jan 6	Tevet 13
SHEILA WEINER, wife of Charles Weiner	Jan 6	Sat Jan 7	Tevet 14
BRYAN NATCH, uncle of David Salita	Jan 13	Sun Jan 8	Tevet 15
LYOVA GABAY, Child Shoah Victim	Jan 13	Tue Jan 10	Tevet 17
SOPHIE MOUNT, mother of Ken Mount	Jan 13	Tue Jan 10	Tevet 17
JOSEPH BOONOV, grandfather of Sharon Yanofsky	Jan 13	Thu Jan 12	Tevet 19
YEKUTIEL FISHMAN, Child Shoah Victim	Jan 13	Fri Jan 13	Tevet 20
LOUIS DINER, father of Joe Diner	Jan 13	Sat Jan 14	Tevet 21
ELYAKIM GEORGE SOUDACK, father of Ruthie Soudack-Maman	Jan 20	Sun Jan 15	Tevet 22
HARRY SCHACHTER, grandfather of Miral Gabor & Seema Schachter	Jan 20	Mon Jan 16	Tevet 23
ABRAHAM/SARAH FISHMAN, Child Shoah Victims	Jan 20	Fri Jan 20	Tevet 27
HAROLD SWEDLOVE, father of Fern Swedlove	Jan 20	Fri Jan 20	Tevet 27
NATE LIPSON, grandfather of Ruth Livingston & Phil Spevack	Jan 27	Mon Jan 23	Shevat 1
EDYTHE SAUNDERS, mother of Elliott Saunders	Jan 27	Mon Jan 23	Shevat 1
JOEL SOURKES, father-in-law of Jacque Sourkes	Jan 27	Mon Jan 23	Shevat 1

# Yahrzeits January 2023 cont.

Name	To Be Read Fri.	Civil Date (Evening)	Observed
<b>BESS SPEVACK</b> , mother of Ruth Livingston & Phil Spevack	Jan 27	Mon Jan 23	Shevat 1
<b>PHILIP TRAVIS</b> , father of Jean Travis	Jan 27	Mon Jan 23	Shevat 1
<b>MORRIS SCHECHTER</b> , father of Issy Schechter	Jan 27	Tue Jan 24	Shevat 2
<b>JACK FINE</b> , father of Irwin Fine	Jan 27	Wed Jan 25	Shevat 3
<b>ISAAC FREED</b> , father of Sandy Schechter	Jan 27	Wed Jan 25	Shevat 3
<b>FAITH LINDA TAPPER</b> , mother of Gabrielle Doll	Jan 27	Wed Jan 25	Shevat 3
<b>BEN FRANKEL</b> , father of Sid Frankel	Jan 27	Thu Jan 26	Shevat 4
<b>PEPKA FLEICHER</b> , Child Shoah Victim	Jan 27	Fri Jan 27	Shevat 5
<b>MIRIAM LEE</b> , mother of Ariel Lee	Jan 27	Sat Jan 28	Shevat 6
<b>HARLEY WEST</b> , brother of Bradley West	Jan 27	Sat Jan 28	Shevat 6
<b>SYLVIA TOPPER</b> , wife of David Topper	Feb 3	Sun Jan 29	Shevat 7
<b>JOSEPH WALTER ZION</b> , father of Elaine Saunders	Feb 3	Sun Jan 29	Shevat 7
<b>ANNE SCHAEFFER</b> , mother of Donald Schaeffer	Feb 3	Mon Jan 30	Shevat 8
<b>JOSEPH WOLODARSKY</b> , grandfather of Bert Wold	Feb 3	Mon Jan 30	Shevat 8
<b>SUNNY SCHACHTER</b> , mother of Joyce Billinkoff	Feb 3	Tue Jan 31	Shevat 9



**Standard Cards - \$18 & \$25**

**Art Cards by  
Isabel Cheer or Ruth Livingston**  
\$36 & up: (7.5w x 5.5h)

**Funds**

**General, Building, Music, School,  
Rabbi's Discretionary, Torah/Book Fund**

**Rabbi Allan Finkel, Cantor Len Udow, the  
Board of Directors and the Temple Shalom  
Congregation extends...**

**Condolences**

To the Carr Family On the loss of their husband, father &  
grandfather, Jim Carr

**A speedy recovery to  
Shawna Forester-Smith**

**Thank you to  
Sandy Hurwitz & Syd Palansky**

For their most generous donation to the Temple

**Social Action Fund**

**A speedy recovery to  
Shawna Forester-Smith**

*-Ruth Livingston*

**In Memoriam**

Bess Spevack, mother of Ruth Livingston & Phil  
Spevack

*-Ruth Livingston*

Nate Lipson, grandfather of Ruth Livingston & Phil  
Spevack

*-Ruth Livingston*

**Building Fund**

**In Memoriam**

Theodora Aronson, mother-in-law of David Topper

*-David Topper*

Sylvia Topper, wife of David Topper

*-David Topper*

**Thank you for your generous donations!**

We do appreciate your gifts!

We accept donations by e transfer, cheque, cash  
or credit card.

**General Fund**

**Condolences**

Sandra Kagan, on the loss of her sister Annie Kohan

*-Chuck Weiner*

**In Memoriam**

Maurice Lipson, father of Phyllis Dana

*-Phyllis & Nate Dana*

Ida "Billie" Lipson, mother of Phyllis Dana

*-Phyllis & Nate Dana*

Joseph Dana, father of Nate Dana

*-Nate & Phyllis Dana*

Louis Diner, father of Joe Diner

*-Joe & Sandi Diner*

Clara Diner, mother of Joe Diner

*-Joe & Sandi Diner*

Pesha Kraut, mother of Sandi Diner

*-Sandi & Joe Diner*

Shea Kraut, father of Sandi Diner

*Sandi & Joe Diner*

Carmela Finkel, mother of Marla Shragge

*-Marla Shragge*

**A speedy recovery to**

Shawna Forester-Smith

*-Judith & Erwin Huebner*

**Rabbi's Discretionary Fund**

**Condolences**

Glen Kuntz & Sherry Kudlacek, on the loss of their  
mother Frances Kuntz

*-Sheryl Rosenberg*



## Temple Programs

### January Shabbat Together

What could be more Jewish than praying and eating together? Invite someone new to join you. Our January Shabbat Together will be on Friday, January 20. Services start early, at 6:00 so you have lots of time afterward to join friends or family for Shabbat Dinner at home or together at a restaurant.

**Save the Date: Tu'B'Shvat is Coming!**

**Temple Shalom, Congregation Shaarey Zedek, and  
The Jewish National Fund (JNF) proudly present...**

**An evening celebrating the Jewish People's connection to  
the Land of Israel on Jewish Arbor Day**

**When: Sunday, February 5, 2023, 7:00-8:30**

**Where: The Contemplation Garden @ The Canadian Human  
Rights Museum**

**What: Tu'B'Shvat Seder, Featuring the 7 Indigenous Foods of  
Israel and other fine tastings created by Caterer Joel, Wine-  
tasting, and a Special Concert by our Cantors**

**Stay tuned for more details in the New Year!**

## Temple Programs

Tu B'Shevat Paint Night  
Sunday January 29th  
7:00 - 9:00 p.m.



Temple Shalom Social Hall  
All materials supplied  
No fee for Temple Shalom members  
Non-members \$ 10.00

No previous experience with watercolour painting required  
Register by January 22 @ [ruth.livingston.studio@gmail.com](mailto:ruth.livingston.studio@gmail.com)



## Temple Programs

### Yoga Shalom at Temple Shalom

Yoga Shalom is the blending of two ancient spiritual practices. It pairs the poses of Yoga, a Hindu form of spirituality with the meditations and music of Jewish tradition. It is a gentle form of exercise and is open to anyone interested in relaxing their body, calming their mind, and nurturing their spirit.

Yoga Shalom is meant to be adaptable to various skill levels and comfort levels. The program has adaptations for those with limited mobility. It helps us along our path to self-awareness, understanding, acceptance, wholeness, and contentment in our life's journey.

This program is offered free of charge and begins in January. Please contact Cynthia if you are interested in participating.

Join us on the Bima on:

Wednesdays @ 10:30

Fridays @ 10:30

Sundays @ 10:30



## Temple Programs



# Temple Shalom Book Club This year...

Celebrating Israeli Authors

**When:** THURSDAY, March 23 @ 1:00

**Book:** The Beauty Queen of Jerusalem by Sarit Yishai Levi



**Facilitated by:** Sherry Wolfe Elazar

**Where:** Temple Shalom- meet in the sanctuary

Please email Sherry@ [tshalom1@gmail.com](mailto:tshalom1@gmail.com) if you are a new participant who would like to be added to the email mailing list to receive updates.

## Community Programs

**BUILDING BRIDGES**

**חִנְיָנִי**  
*Answering the Call  
to Heal the World*  
A 6-part speaker series  
to challenge and inspire



**Sunday, January 8, 2023**  
11 AM PST on Zoom

**Sari Shernofsky**  
*Stories from the Narrow Bridge:  
Meeting People in Their Time of Need*

For details and to  
register, please visit  
[KolotMayimReformTemple.com](http://KolotMayimReformTemple.com)



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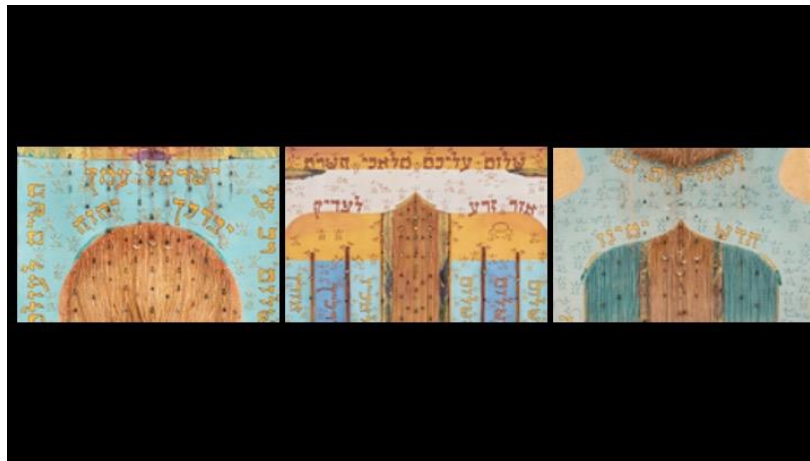


Art and Scroll  
STUDIO

**Art and Scroll Studio** is a Zoom series featuring Judaica artists in presentation and conversation; each episode dedicated to promoting a featured creator and maker of Judaica art. Find us on Facebook and Instagram @artandscrollstudio or view our channel <https://bit.ly/ArtandScrollStudioChannel>  
Shelley Werner + Caron Glickman + Tamar Barr

Please join us on Wednesday, January 18, 2023  
8:00 pm CST. Virtual and Free

### “Unweavings” by Laurie Wohl



Artist Laurie Wohl is internationally known for her unique Unweavings, liturgical projects and interfaith messages. Through her own iconography and collage, texture, and calligraphy, she communicates a message of hope in each piece. Integrating materials with fiber and pattern, she boldly “unweaves” the fabric to reveal beginnings of new artwork that are visually stunning and spiritually uplifting.

To register for free tickets, click here: <https://bit.ly/LaurieWohlTickets>

To view short preview, click here: <https://bit.ly/LaurieWohlPreview>

alternative and traditional burial at  
Temple Shalom's  
**Bet Chaim Mikdash Shalom**  
on the property of Chapel Lawn Funeral Home  
  
For information call  
204-453-1625 Temple Shalom  
or  
204-982-8108 Melody Brown, Chapel Lawn

**Memorial Plaques:**  
Small: \$144 (first base)  
Medium: \$180 (second  
base of candles  
Large: \$360 (on candle  
stick)  
Flame: \$540  
  
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**Tree of Life:**  
Leaf: \$144  
Rock: \$900

**Tribute Cards**  
Standard Cards \$18 & \$25  
  
Art cards by Isabel Cheer &  
Ruth Livingston  
\$36 & up  
  
Funds  
General, Building, Music,  
School,  
Rabbi's Discretionary,  
Torah/Book Fund

**Penn Torah**  
One of the Five Books  
\$3,600  
Parashah - \$900  
Biblical Story/Chapter  
\$450  
Paragraph - \$360  
Hashem's Name - \$360  
Verse - \$180  
Word - \$54  
Letter - \$36

**Planned Giving and Temple Shalom**

**Securities:** Donate securities, which have matured, but on which you prefer not to pay capital gains. When a security is donated, there is no tax on the capital gain, and a charitable tax receipt is issued for the full amount. This donation benefits you, while helping the Temple.

**Israel Bonds:** Celebrate by building for the future with the State of Israel's promise of a bond! Israel Bonds may be given as gifts, in either CDN or US! Israel Bonds can be registered jointly in the name of Temple Shalom and are 100% self-directed RRSP, RRIF, TFSA & RESP eligible. Pledge cards are available on the table in the lobby near the sanctuary.

**Estate Planning:** We are grateful to those donors who remember Temple Shalom with Bequests. These gifts contribute significantly to the Temple's long-term financial well-being and help ensure its success in our Jewish Community and as a representative of the Reform Movement in Canada.

As you make plans for your estate, we hope that you will consider a bequest to Temple Shalom.

For information on planned giving, please contact the office 204 453 1625 [tshalom1@gmail.com](mailto:tshalom1@gmail.com)