While I was in seminary, the Jewish retirement community where I served organized an unprecedented trip to Israel for its residents. Ten residents signed up and in the week prior to their adventure, these travelers sat around a table and shared their reasons for registering for the trip. Their explanations brought many listeners to tears.

One resident, almost 90 years old, had dreamed of this day since the creation of the Jewish state in 1948. But, due to her age and health, she had long ago come to the conclusion that this dream was not to be realized.

Another resident, also an octogenarian, shared that his excitement came from the fact that this was the land that he had grown up hearing about at home and synagogue. It was a land rich with our people’s history and he couldn’t wait to walk in some of the same places that our ancestors had walked, see some of the sites they had seen and put his hands on some of the same things they had touched.

From personal experience, I knew what they were describing – there is no place in the world like Israel. Its mere existence can shape our thoughts, desires and identity. Traveling there impacts the way we see ourselves as Jews and how we live our lives.

And so, it was that conversation around that table that helped inspire my rabbinate. As I saw these octogenarians’ life-long dreams come true, I realized my sacred responsibility to help others build the same type of relationship with Israel and visit there.

It’s one of the reasons I came to Shir Shalom. As a congregation, we have a strong commitment to educating about and traveling to Israel. And our upcoming year is a wonderful model of that commitment. In the next year there will be religious school and adult education classes, the annual Walk for Israel, guest speakers, and three trips to Israel with your clergy.

My hope is that you’ll be a part of one of these so that, one day soon, you too will be sitting around a table with a group of fellow members, sharing why you too are looking forward to making your dream of traveling to Israel come true.
SERVICES

NOVEMBER

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6:30PM Kabbalat Shabbat Service
8:00PM Shabbat Service
B’not Mitzvah of Chloe and Mia Millard

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8:00PM Shabbat Service
Bat Mitzvah of Jocelyn Deutch

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6:30PM Kabbalat Shabbat Service
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Bar Mitzvah of Ryan Waldman

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8:00PM Shabbat Service
Bat Mitzvah of Emily Miller
Naming of Isabella Stein

9:00AM Tish
10:30AM Shabbat Service
Bar Mitzvah of Isaak Raykhinshteyn

9:00AM Tish
10:30AM Shabbat Service
Naming of Rachel Ostheimer

9:00AM Tish
9:30AM Ma’at Shabbat
10:30AM Shabbat Service

9:00AM Tish
10:30AM Shabbat Service
Bat Mitzvah of Alexis Gerchak

Consecration Services 2011

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As Thanksgiving approaches, I am reminded about the things I need to be thankful for. I am first and foremost thankful for my family. My wife Amy and I just added a beautiful baby girl to our family. Watching the other children fawn all over her makes us both so very happy. She completed our family. I am thankful I have a loving extended family and wonderful friends who give of themselves without any hesitation or selfishness. They lead by example, and I try to give back as much as I can. Not only as a way of saying ‘thank you’, but more importantly it feels good to put a smile on someone’s face. I am thankful to have the kind of job that I love. I am thankful to work with such an amazing staff and be a part of a congregation that is truly committed to their Temple. With Thanksgiving in mind, it’s my turn to thank some very important people.

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And to all the other volunteers for their commitment to and love of Shir Shalom. You are what motivates me to do better, work harder and smarter, and to never take my eye off of the ball.

Spread some of your love. Start in your home and let it filter into your everyday life. Yes, we associate Thanksgiving with football (how ‘bout them Lions!), turkey, stuffing, and pumpkin pie… This year make it about giving thanks. Really giving thanks. And giving back.
The school year at SHORESH is off to a great start. It has been wonderful to see the students’ smiling faces at The Corners on Sunday mornings. One word continuously comes to people’s minds as they describe Sunday morning SHORESH: energy. The energy in the building has been fantastic as teachers continue to craft creative lessons that engage and actively involve students, parents pray with their children during T’fillah, and high school and middle school machonikim (teaching assistants) share the knowledge they have gained through the program with their younger counterparts.

This year we and our teachers are involved in an in-depth professional development program through Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Detroit’s Alliance for Education, called CSI Squared, that includes over 20 hours of professional development with the dynamic Rabbi Michele Faudem, who will be teaching topics such as learning styles and student engagement, lesson design, informal education techniques, and technology in the classroom. Our teachers have shown a great deal of excitement and curiosity as we embark on this journey together. At SHORESH we believe strongly in role-modeling the behaviors and values we are trying to instill in our children, and our teachers are doing just that as they actively participate in our first professional development sessions this fall.

Our students also have a great deal to look forward to as they begin the school year. Some of the exciting programming we have coming up includes a concert and song sessions with Jewish rock-star Dan Nichols, a special program through the Holocaust Center for the sixth graders about responsibility, family programs for the kindergarten through third graders, and much, much more. We would also like to extend a warm welcome to the newest members of our school, our pre-kindergarten children. This year we have opened a designated pre-kindergarten class taught by The Learning Center’s, Temple Shir Shalom’s preschool, Ashley Goldberg. We are thrilled to see our youngest members joining in song during T’fillah, making beautiful artwork, and smiling as they too learn Jewish traditions.

If you are feeling low on energy on a Sunday morning, come visit us at SHORESH. The love for learning is contagious around here!
Dates to Remember

FRIDAY EVENING SHABBAT SERVICES
Kabbalat Shabbat Meditation Services, through November 18, at 6:30 PM
Shabbat Services at 8:00 PM

SATURDAY MORNING
SHABBAT SERVICES
10:30 AM

SUNDAY MORNING
MINYAN SERVICES
10:00 AM

MA’AT SHABBAT
Saturday, November 19, at 9:30 AM

TISH WITH THE RABBIS
Saturday Mornings at 9:30 AM

SHARING CIRCLE
Sunday Mornings at 9:00 AM

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
Tuesday, December 6 at 6:00 PM

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
Tuesday, November 8 at 6:00 PM

BROTHERHOOD
Wednesday, November 9 at 6:30 PM

SISTERHOOD
Tuesday, November 15 at 6:30 PM

MAH JONGG
Mondays at 6:30 PM

WOMEN’S AA
Mondays at 7:30 PM

ATTITUDINAL HEALING
Tuesdays at 6:30 PM

AA, ALANON
Wednesdays at 8:00 PM

YIDDISH CLUB
Third Tuesday of the Month at 7:30 PM

November 15

The office will be closed Thursday & Friday, November 24-25, for Thanksgiving.

Make sure to check us out on Facebook! We post upcoming events, pictures, and you can post comments. With over 350 fans and growing, it’s just another way to link us together as a family.
B’nai Mitzvah!

Chloe Alayna Millard,

daughter of Marni Millard and James Millard, will become a bat mitzvah at the Friday evening Shabbat service on November 4, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Donna and Sid Rosenberg, the late Allen Abels, Franness Cambrai-Bell, and Brenda and John Millard. Chloe is a student at Meads Mill Middle School in Northville and describes herself as a funny, silly, and crazy girl who loves hanging out with friends, playing sports, and being active. She is also very sensitive and loves to help people, volunteering to work with special needs kids as well as the elderly. Chloe remembers when her family joined Shir Shalom when she started kindergarten, especially coming for the children’s service at Yom Kippur when Rabbi Schwartz made her feel especially welcome. Although preparing for her bat mitzvah has been difficult at times, her studies and hard work have paid off and she feels ready to lead the congregation. She is grateful to her family, both at home and at Temple, for helping her to reach this point — especially for her parents, her nana and papa, her tutor Geri Zacks for all of her extra help, and to Rabbi Daniel for his encouragement (and the Tootsie Rolls).

Mia Ashley Millard,

daughter of Marni Millard and James Millard, will become a bat mitzvah at the Friday evening Shabbat service on November 4, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Donna and Sid Rosenberg, the late Allen Abels, Franness Cambrai-Bell, and Brenda and John Millard. Mia is a student at Meads Mill Middle School in Northville and says that she’s made some of her best friends here at Temple. Her Shir Shalom family has helped her become more interested and involved with learning about Judaism and its traditions. To her, becoming a bat mitzvah means that she is growing into a more responsible adult, but also that it is important to believe in yourself, do your best, and that the hard work you put into achieving your goal will pay off in the end. Mia is very excited to reach this moment. In the years to come she hopes to be a part of our Confirmation class and to travel to Israel to learn more about Judaism and visit with her Israeli friends that she met at camp. She looks forward to attending her friends’ and family members’ b’nai mitzvah, and hopes that they have the same great experience that she had with hers.

Isaak Matthew Raykhinshteyn,

son of Andrea and Michael Raykhinshteyn, will become a bar mitzvah at the Saturday morning Shabbat service on November 5, 2011. He is the grandson of Berta Meites and a student at East Middle School. When asked about his most memorable Jewish experience, Isaak told us about a bris he went to when he was seven years old – he remembers everyone huddling around a crying baby and taking pictures which seemed very strange to him at the time, but now he understands the importance of this ceremony. Isaak has grown up celebrating the holidays, practicing tikkun olam, and learning about the Jewish culture and our traditions, but he is looking forward to taking on new responsibilities after his bar mitzvah, including fasting at Yom Kippur and increasing his observance of our customs throughout the year. He has enjoyed preparing for his bar mitzvah because it helped him develop a deeper understanding of Judaism and what our traditions mean to him.
B’nai Mitzvah!

Jocelyn Blair Deutch,
daughter of Jackie and Marty Deutch, will become a bat mitzvah at the Friday evening Shabbat service on November 11, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Loretta and Jerome Przekop, and of Joe and Elsie Deutch of blessed memory. Jocelyn attends Orchard Lake Middle School and is kind, nice, hard-working, loving and caring. She fondly recalls her older sister Helene’s bat mitzvah at Shir Shalom, and that has inspired her own studies. Jocelyn says that preparing for her bat mitzvah has made her feel good about herself and learning more about Judaism, and that she loves feeling more involved with Temple. She is grateful to her family because they are always there for her – she loves them very much.

Ryan Jacob Waldman,
son of Lenny and Robin Waldman and Cari and Joe Vaughn, will become a bar mitzvah at the Saturday morning Shabbat service on November 18, 2011. He is the grandson of Elaine and David Lippitt, Elaine and Erwin Waldman, Laurie and Fred Blum, Gordon Suber and Gwyn DeGraf. Ryan is a student at Bloomfield Hills Middle School and feels that Shir Shalom has always been a safe place for him to come and learn about his heritage. He remembers the first time he went up on the bimah to read Hebrew before the congregation, and he is looking forward to his bar mitzvah and being able to lead us in prayer once again. In the years to come, Ryan hopes to travel to Israel, either with the Teen Mission, his family, or with the Birthright trip.

Emily Rose Miller,
daughter of Andrea and Wayne Miller, will become a bat mitzvah at the Friday evening Shabbat service on November 25, 2011. She is the granddaughter of the late Rosalind and Sherman Becker, the late Ruth Miller, and of Francine Miller and the late Hubert Miller. A student at Bloomfield Hills Middle School, Emily is funny, sensitive to others, and loves to perform on almost any stage. She enjoys much of her time at Shir Shalom, especially the family Shabbat dinners, her first Madrichim retreat, and volunteering at the preschool. Emily would like to thank her amazing tutor, Geri Zacks, for her patience and guidance, and her parents and sister Katie for all of their love and support.
B’nai Mitzvah!

Alexis Madison Gerchak, daughter of Carey Gerchak and Richard Levey, will become a bat mitzvah at the Saturday morning Shabbat service on November 26, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Barbara Saperstein and the late Lee Saperstein and a student at Bloomfield Hills Middle School. Lexi is fun-loving, energetic, loves to hang out with her friends, and looks forward to Shir Shalom’s wonderful Food, Fun & Fireworks celebration every year. Although preparing for her bat mitzvah has been a lot of work, it has been well worth it. She is so grateful to all of her friends and family for supporting her through the good and the bad, especially for everything her mom has done for her. Thanks for being there, Mom!

Take Note!

MITZVAH DAY 2011

Please lend a hand on Sunday, December 25, by participating in Mitzvah Day 2011, organized by the Jewish Community Relations Council and co-sponsored by the Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Detroit.

Active Faith Food Bank in South Lyon is looking for twelve volunteers on Christmas Day to perform their yearly inventory. Temple member Anita Fishman is serving as team captain for this Mitzvah Day volunteer site. Please contact Anita (anitafishman@comcast.net or 248-672-9004) for more information.

RIDE 4 REFORM

ISRAEL BY BIKE


Bike through forests, mountains and along the Mediterranean Sea from Haifa to the suburbs of Jerusalem.

Early bird registration is $550 + airfare. For more information, please contact Rabbi Daniel at daniela@shirshalom.org or 248-737-8700.
Tikkun Olam

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Food Drive 2011
SAVE THE DATE!

SECOND ANNUAL TEMPLE SHIR SHALOM CHICKEN SOUP COOK-OFF


Sunday, January 29, 2012 from 12:00-1:30 pm @ The Corners
Brotherhood

Michael Colton, President

A huge ‘thank you’ to Eileen and Len Terman for serving up yet another wonderful meal at this year’s annual paid-up Brotherhood dinner!

If you haven’t joined us yet this year, it’s not too late to do so. Our annual dues are only $37, checks payable to TSS Brotherhood. Our next meeting is Wednesday, November 9 at 6:30 PM at Temple. Hope to see you there.

Your Brotherhood Board: Michael Colton, President; Terry Alpert, Treasurer; Gordon Krainen, Secretary

Sisterhood

Janice Schwartz, President

We welcome fall with thoughts of Thanksgiving and family. Thanksgiving is a special time of year when our families gather to celebrate, give thanks for all of our blessings, reflect on what is really important to us, and watch some Lions football! At Sisterhood we are always embarking on new ventures and I hope you will continue to be involved with our many activities.

There are so many interesting, fun, and fulfilling projects and events that Sisterhood is active in and are attended by our caring members. For those who have questions about what we do, what our plans are for the upcoming year or how to get involved, please attend one of our meetings or activities or talk to one of our members. Sisterhood members are friends who share the common goal of tikkun olam.

All of our monthly meetings include a guest speaker or event. To name just a few, our ongoing mitzvah activities include volunteering at Yad Ezra; providing and serving dinner at Care House; and supporting I Am My Brother’s Keeper church with various dinners, clothing, and other essentials.

Our teamwork and dedication is a common theme throughout all we do. I have said many times and believe strongly that an involved and committed Sisterhood can make a difference in our congregation and in our community. Please join us!

May you and your family have a happy and healthy Thanksgiving holiday. (And remember, all diets start the following Monday!)

College Connection

Throughout the year we want to be in touch with your college students through periodic e-mails, care packages, and possibly campus visits. Please help us by sending the following information to ilene@shirshalom.org.

Student’s name, school and/or military branch, year in school, mailing address, e-mail address, phone number.
Take Note!

Come with us and take your family on the journey of a lifetime. Take a walk through the Old City, hike up Masada, dip into the Dead Sea, ride a camel, have a falafel, dig into antiquity, spiritually explore Safad, welcome Shabbat in Jerusalem, celebrate Hanukkah like never before, shop in Tel Aviv, pack a real Israeli-life experience into a 10-day journey (or a 29 day journey for your teen) that you and your family will never, ever forget.

Travel with Rabbi Daniel on the Teen Mission and with Rabbi Moskowitz on the Family Mission.

Teen Mission: July 2, 2012 – August 3, 2012
(Registration open online starting September 19 at www.thisisfederation.org)


Register today!
Please contact Sidra at sidra@shirshalom.org and let us know you want to go!
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($3,800 dues)

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**Mentschenings**

**Mazel Tov!**

Colonel Daniel R. Hirsch, son of Dr. Ed and Shirley Hirsch, has returned from a year in Iraq and is back with his family at Fort Bliss, Texas.

**Susanna Piontek Stern** will present her short story collection *Have We Possibly Met Before? And Other Stories* at the 60th annual Jewish Book Fair at the JCC on Wednesday, November 9 at 3:00pm.

**Mikaela Schulz** on her first hole in one on the 108 yard par 3 at Twin Beach Country Club.
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- Harvey Elford: Father of Maura (David) Levine
- Ruth Simmons: Mother of Michael (Stacey) Simmons
- Mimi Sokolowski: Wife of Daniel Sokolowski

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*Charlotte Johanna Harris

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What's on My Mind?

From the President: Pam Kornfeld

In the lobby of Shir Shalom you will notice a statue depicting Jacob’s ladder from the well know Genesis story. After leaving his home in Beersheva and traveling a great distance to Haran, Joseph stops to rest and dreams of a ladder reaching to heaven with angels ascending and descending on it. Some scholars interpret this dream as a lesson applicable to our daily lives: we never stand still. We are always in motion. The challenge is to make sure that we take steps forward and head in the right direction. As I told you in my Rosh Hashanah appeal, Shir Shalom is moving ahead, but we need your help to continue.

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Wishing you a wonderful Thanksgiving,

Pam Kornfeld