

# Temple

## Shabbat Shalom

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### The "Global Village" Congregation

Shalom and Blessings

#### Erev Rosh Hashanah Family Seder for Parents with Young Children

Shalom and welcome to Temple Shabbat Shalom's Brief Seder for parents with young children.

#### THE SEDER

- Rosh Hashanah is the season when farmers begin to harvest their fields. Learned farmers know that the corners of the fields are for the poor and a tenth of the crop - the tithe- is for charity.
- Before the Seder set aside some coins to put in your "*Pushki*" (Charity Box) and explain to your children where the money is going. Set aside food for your local food bank.
- Food is an important part of Rosh Hashanah. We all remember the apples and honey and this year we will learn some ancient customs to renew. In Rabbi Isaac Lipi's book "Excellent Sources for Sanctified Jewish Practices" he teaches us the custom of baking a Challah in the form of a ladder or a bird.
- A bird Challah invites the children to question "Why a bird?" We parents answer that just as a bird hovers over its nest to protect its young so God protects the Children of Israel. (Isaiah 31:5)
- A ladder Challah reminds us of the nature of Rosh Hashanah. Remember Jacob's dream at Beth-El (Genesis 28:10). We are like Angels going up and down the ladder. Also, prayer, like a ladder connects Heaven and Earth. Finally a ladder reminds us of the Spiritual law of gravity. What goes up as prayer must come down and become acts of love and kindness.

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### HIGH HOLYDAY SCHEDULE

Rosh Hashanah	October 4 <sup>th</sup> 10am	
Yom Kipper	October 13 <sup>th</sup> 5:15pm	Yizkor and End of Fast
Sukkot	October 18 <sup>th</sup> -26 <sup>th</sup>	Call for schedule

Kindly email us by September 20<sup>th</sup> as to which services you will be joining us for

## Other Congregational News

**A Special Thank you to Ron and Liz Tickman and family for their generous donation and continuing support of Temple Shabbat Shalom**

### Mazel Tov on our newest bundles of Joy:

Heather and Scott Jurnovoy on the birth of Jacob Benjamin on June 14

Kerri Kinioski and Mike Epstein on the birth of Abigail Madison on June 8

Michelle and John Kuhl on the birth of Jordan Ellen on March 16

**Best wishes to Brian and Cara Reagan and their lovely family Brian and Caleb and their move to Montana.**

### Happy Anniversary

Michael & Burke –MA- Sept 4

Kenny & Jenny –NYC-Sept 13

Erica & Kirk- CA- Oct 4

Sally & Anton- Albany-Oct 12

Jill & Dan-New Orleans-Oct 16

Matt & Lesley- MN-Oct 18

Raina & George-NYC-Nov 15

Linda & Mike-CO Nov 24

Doug & Karen- NY- Dec 22

Reg & Gail-Ottawa-Sept 5

Neil & Carrie- CA-Sept 20

Julie & Britt- MA-Oct 6

Andrew & Carrie-Virginia-Oct 12

Todd & Angela-Albany – Oct 16

Frances & Jake-Salt Lake-Oct 25

Adam & Megan-Albany-Nov 15

Marty & Maura-MA-Nov 29

Cindy & Ken- Albany-Dec 25

Melissa & Dan-Virginia-Sept 6

Isabelle & Matt- NYC- Sept 28

Dave & Julie –Brooklyn-Oct 9

Howard & Michele-NYC-Oct 12

Heather & Scott- CT-Oct 18

Nate & Jennifer-MA-Oct 27

Stu & Connie-Ottawa-Nov 16

Michelle & John-MN Dec 20

Jody & Dallas- Cape Cod-Dec 31

### Newest Congregants

Jonathan Binder and Paula Fuschino

Joshua Walsky and Lyra Colfer

Michael Jaffe and Colleen Kennedy

Amanda Cohen and James Melino

Sal and Ariana Quattrocchi and their lovely children David and Sophie Klara

Barrie Brown and Butch Dener

Juliette Mapp and Dan Kaufman

Lindsay Weissberg and Michael Sheehy

Nathan Seltzer and Megan Quinlan

**We want to wish a special Thank you to Cantor Cohen and Rabbi Goldin for all of their work for Temple Shabbat Shalom and also to their lovely wives Patricia Cohen and Margie Goldin**

### Our Newest Newlyweds: MAZEL TOV!!!!

Chelsea & Nick- Montreal

Dan & Samantha-Colorado

Josh & Kim- MN

Karen & Justin-NY

Priscilla & Fabrice-France

Rebecca & Jason- Saratoga Springs

Sarah & John- DC

Ben & Leanne-Colorado

Matt & Sarah-MA

Irv & Dorothy- Syracuse

Andrew & Erin- Ottawa

Laura & Joe-Ohio

Juliette & Dan- Brooklyn