

# Temple Shabbat Shalom

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## The “Global Village” Congregation

Shalom and Blessings:

The Temple Shabbat Shalom Seder that follows is an invitation to a weekly celebration of the Sabbath. Everyone is familiar with The Passover Seder. Kindly refer to our newsletter section for ideas on how to conduct your Passover. One night a year we relive the story of our Exodus from the slavery of Egypt. The Sabbath is also a type of Exodus from the toils and travails of the workweek. The Kiddush of The Shabbat Seder thanks God for the gift of the Sabbath, “first among the sacred days which recall The Exodus.”

This Seder invites commentary. The order of The Seder welcomes additions, including singing and topics for discussion at your table.

Remember, observance of The Sabbath in the home is essential. Reviewing the Ten Commandments we learn that only The Sabbath is declared holy. The Hebrew word is *Kaddosh*, which is similar to Kiddush. I often teach at weddings that we are invited to go from Kiddushin, the wedding, to a weekly Friday evening Kiddush, which sanctifies a weekly honeymoon for bride and groom. The intimacy of the candles and wine of Shabbat are sacred. As you sanctify the Sabbath you also fulfill the divine command

“Make me a Sanctuary so The Presence may dwell within.”

Our Temple is called Shabbat Shalom because the Sabbath is the genesis point of our faith. Enjoy The Temple Shabbat Shalom Seder.

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### ***Passover***

1st Night Sundown April 12th  
Last Night April 20th

## Simcha's- Mazel Tov to all

**Many blessings to Butch on his new Liver and a speedy return to good health**

**Mazel Tov to: Theresa and Matt Manela on the baby naming of their son Alex Michael and for their generous donation in his honor**

### Mazel Tov to our Newest Newlyweds

Scott and Diana -NYC  
Inga and Sean-NYC

### Mazel Tov to our Newest Bundles of Joy

**Jolie and Bob on the Birth of their son Asher Theodore on February 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Erica and Kirk on the Birth of their son Cameron Michael on February 19<sup>th</sup>**

### Newest Congregants

Phil & Linda- Connecticut  
Howard & Lori- Corning, NY  
Dana & David- Queens, NY  
David & Jennifer- Straton, VT  
Amy & Thomas- Syracuse, NY

Vadim & Chris- NC  
David & Amy- NJ  
Jonathan & Kelly- Rochester, NY  
Marilyn & Don- NJ  
Michelle & Michael- Albany, NY

Rebecca & Matt- Albany, NY  
Adam & Jackie-Rhinebeck, NY  
Evan & Jennifer- New Hampshire  
Sarah & Peter- California

### Happy Anniversary

Brian & Cara-Montana - March 8  
Beth & Brice- Chicago-April 17  
Audrey & Mike- Chicago- May 18  
Rebecca & Jason- Saratoga - May 28  
Eva & David- Berkshires-June 1  
Dan & Samantha- Colorado- June 5  
Sarah & Johan-Virginia- June 12  
Sarah & Fred- June 16  
Danielle & Kyle- England-June 19  
Lianne & Tony-Montreal- June 23  
Joe & Wendy- MA- June 29  
Hilary & Stu-Montana- July 9  
Joshua & Rebecca- NY- July 16  
Jonathan & Monica- NY- July 18  
Melissa & Emile- NY- July 19  
Jessica & Paul-NY-July 27  
Karen & Justin- NY- July 29

Stu & Colleen- Pittsburgh- March 24  
Jim and Sandra- RI- April 24  
Chelsea & Nick-Montreal-May 22  
Alex & Cynthia- N. Miami- May 29  
Jamie & Matt- RI- June 2  
Mark & Pon- CA- June 6  
Art & Liz- MA- June 14  
Andrew & Erin- Ottawa- June 18  
Matt & Alissa- Maine-June21  
Jill & Sandy- Florida- June26  
Brett & Arley- CT- June 29  
Ben & Leanne-NY- July 9  
Laura & Joseph- Ohio-July 16  
Jennifer & Alec- NY- July 18  
Susan & Mark- NY- July 20  
Matt & Marie-MA- July 28

Jolie & Robert- Fishkill-April 2  
Brian & Amy- RI- May 15  
Karen & Jacob- NYC- May 25  
Adam & Erin- CA- May 30  
Irv and Dorothy- Syracuse-June 2  
Sandi & Jonathan- Saratoga- June 12  
Rona & Josh- CA- June 15  
Evelyn & Joel-Illinois- June 18  
Lisa & Jim-CA-June 22  
Yamini & Benjamin- Cleveland- June 28  
Joshua & Kim- Minneapolis- July 3  
Kristin & Gary- Belgium- July 13  
Jonathan & Emily- July 18  
Allison & Mark-CA- July 19  
Tracy & Tim- NY- July 27  
Jeremy & Connie- Long Island-July 28

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**Bruce Feiler has a new book “Where God was Born” We highly recommend it.**  
**In this book he speaks of Noam Zion of the Shalom Hartman Institute in Jerusalem.(page 357) “ He is a passionate advocate for what he calls “Home-made Judaism”. The future of Judaism (and perhaps religion in general) he believes, depends on turning away from the professionalization of faith that has occurred in recent centuries, which overemphasized soaring buildings, stern public rituals, and passive congregations, and rediscovering a more familial, do-it-yourself tradition of creatively celebrating holidays at home. This change fits other aspects of modern living, he said, in which people say, “I am taking back control over my life. I exercise, I eat healthily. Why can’t I do the same thing with the way I shape my home time?”**

**HAPPY PASSOVER**