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# A Message from Rabbi Bloch

Dear TDD,

I have never really been a football fan. But I did grow up with four brothers and my dad so I saw my fair share of screaming at the TV in the hopes that someone would score a touchdown or run more yards. And then there is my husband who is a die-hard fan of his Cleveland Browns. And this year I can't help but be excited for my family because our Detroit Lions are doing amazing in the playoffs. In just a few weeks we will be eating chips and salsa in front of the TV with friends and family to watch the Super Bowl. And I can't help but think what do Judaism and the Super Bowl have in common? On the surface, the Super Bowl is a sporting event where teams compete for victory. However, when we delve deeper, we find connections to Jewish concepts such as teamwork, perseverance, and the importance of community.

One of the central tenets of Judaism is the value of teamwork. Just as football players must come together and work collaboratively to achieve their goals, we too are encouraged to support and uplift one another as a community. Our tradition teaches us that we are to be there for one another through our *simchas* and our sorrows. As we read in our daily prayers, we are to visit the sick, feed the hungry and rejoice with bride and groom. The Jewish people are supposed to be a team who takes care of one another.

Additionally, the Super Bowl serves as a reminder of the importance of perseverance. Consider the years of training, sacrifice, and setbacks that athletes endure to reach this high level of achievement. Similarly, our Jewish journey requires resilience and determination. This has become more evident since the events on October 7. Throughout our history we have always faced challenges both individually and as a community, but by remaining steadfast in our faith and embracing our traditions, we can overcome obstacles and reach new heights.

The Super Bowl also provides a platform for fostering connection and unity. Whether it's gathering with family, friends, or fellow congregants to watch the game, hosting a themed potluck, or engaging in friendly discussions about our favorite teams. The Super Bowl reminds us of the power of gathering and connecting with one another much like we do when we come to the synagogue. It reminds us the power of what it feels like to all be cheering or praying for the same thing. The Super Bowl is a beautiful reminder of what it means to belong and for a greater purpose. I hope and pray that we remember these teachings when we come into the synagogue for the greatest holy days of the year.

With blessings,

Rabbi Marci R. Bloch

PS: Don't forget to join us for the TDD Tailgate on February 3 at 6:00 pm and RSVP at [tdd.shulcloud.com/event/tailgate2024](https://tdd.shulcloud.com/event/tailgate2024).





# President's Message

Dear Temple Dor Dorim Family,

I don't know about you, but I can't believe it's already February. Time is flying, and before we know it, the end of our fiscal year will be upon us! With that in mind, I am excited to invite all of you to Weston's most anticipated event of the year – Temple Dor Dorim's 26th Annual Gala.

Mark your calendars for April 6, 2024, when our beloved Temple will transform into the magical land of Oz, bringing together our community for an unforgettable evening. This year's theme, "There's No Place Like Home," beautifully reflects the deep sense of warmth and love that defines our community. Our Temple has been a second home for many of us, and the Gala is the perfect opportunity to celebrate that. Go to [dordorim.org/gala](http://dordorim.org/gala) for all the information.

The Temple Gala is not only a celebration of our shared values and traditions, but also our largest fundraiser of the year. Your participation directly supports the various programs and initiatives that make Temple Dor Dorim thrive.

Here's how you can get involved:

[Purchase Your Tickets](#): Secure your spot at the Gala and encourage your friends and family to do the same. Your attendance is not only a chance to enjoy a magical evening but also to make a meaningful contribution to the Temple. Go to [tdd.shulcloud.com/form/Gala2024Tickets](http://tdd.shulcloud.com/form/Gala2024Tickets).

[Sponsorship Opportunities](#): One of the most impactful ways to support our fundraising efforts is through sponsorship. If you or your business would like to contribute through sponsorship, please reach out to [David Pasternack](#) or go to [tdd.shulcloud.com/form/Gala2024Sponsorship](http://tdd.shulcloud.com/form/Gala2024Sponsorship).

[Secure Auction Items](#): Our silent auction promises unique and valuable items. If you have items or experiences to donate, please contact [Mara Mientag](#) and [Stephanie Farbman](#). Examples include gift certificates, hotel stays, signed memorabilia, event tickets, professional services, airline tickets, liquor, and much more.

[Volunteer](#): We appreciate the support of dedicated volunteers. If you would like to contribute your time and skills to help make the Gala a success, please contact [Maria and Isaac Maya](#), our Gala Co-Chairs.

Beyond the Gala, I encourage each of you to actively engage in the other activities our Temple has to offer this month from Shabbat services to the TDD Tailgate (see page 31 for more information). Your presence matters at every event, big or small, fostering a sense of community and belonging that truly makes our Temple feel like home.

## THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME!

With Gratitude,

Rachel DiDio  
Temple President



# Executive Director's Message

Dear Temple Dor Dorim,

February...One of my favorite months. February is heart month, Valentine's Day, Presidents' Day and it was my dad's, brother's, and grandmother's birthday month. Truly a month of love. As we all know, we can love your spouse, your children, your partner, your community, your work and your Temple; it seems the heart has room for an unending supply of love.

This year will be a difficult one for me after losing my spouse. Fortunately, in the last year I found the Temple Dor Dorim community. I truly love serving all of you and trying to make your experiences here better and building community. The people here are so special and love can be felt in every corner of the building. The happiest part of my day every day is entertaining the children in the ECC who somehow think I am a dinosaur.

We are very busy working on all the amazing programming coming up. The 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Temple Gala is only two months away as we take a journey down the Yellow Brick Road in the quest to remind ourselves there is No Place Like Home...our home, TDD. We need your support for the Gala as it is our biggest fundraiser. The funds raised help us with many important programming around the Temple. There are so many opportunities to support the Gala from becoming a sponsor, buying tickets, raffle tickets, providing silent auction items, placing journal ads or just talking it up in the community and bringing your friends.

Another exciting fundraiser we are just kicking off in a big way is the new ECC playground. We have needed this for a while and the objective is to make it one of the reasons parents choose our ECC. It will be a WOW! Again, we really need your support as this will cost us about \$300,000. Our plans are to have it done before school starts in August 2024. So there is lots to do.

Since February is heart month and the theme of our Gala is There Is No Place Like Home from the *Wizard of Oz*, I leave you with some trivia about the Tin Man who was born without a heart: Buddy Ebsin (Jed Clampett and Barney Jones) was hired and started filming the role. He was very allergic to the silver makeup and had to drop out of the part. That is when Jack Haley took over. When the Tin Man finally gets his heart the wizard tells him, "Remember, a heart is not judged by how much you love but by how much you are loved by others."

As always, my door is always open if you need anything.

David Pasternack

# RABBI SEARCH UPDATE

After an extensive nationwide search, Temple Dor Dorim is thrilled to announce the appointment of Rabbi Bryan Zive as our Senior Rabbi effective July 1, 2024. We are looking forward to welcoming Rabbi Zive and his family to Weston and our TDD community this summer!



**RABBI  
ZIVE**  
**SENIOR RABBI**

**Thank you to the Rabbi Search Committee Co-Chairs:  
Stephanie Farbman and Adam Silverman  
and the entire Rabbi Search Committee for all of your hard work, time,  
and dedication throughout this process!**

If you are interested in finding out more about the  
Rabbi Transition Committee, please reach out to  
Stephanie Farbman [selaskin@gmail.com](mailto:selaskin@gmail.com)





dordorim.org/gala/

# TDD

26TH ANNUAL GALA

APRIL 6, 2024

THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME

EMBARK ON A  
MAGICAL JOURNEY

Weston's most anticipated event of the year





**Celebrate a  
Special Shabbat with  
Family & Friends  
All Are Welcome!**

**5:30 PM  
Friday, February 9, 2024  
Dinner by Lucille's American Café  
at Temple Dor Dorim**



All proceeds benefit  
Youth Programming

Dinner will be served prior the 7 PM Shabbat Evening Service.

Shabbat Evening Service led by our 2nd & 3rd Grades.

\$28 Adult | \$18 Child (3-17 including TOUCHYites) | Kids under 2 eat free!

Any questions contact Jamie Mafдали. [JMafдали@templedordorim.org](mailto:JMafдали@templedordorim.org)

RSVP Online: [dordorim.org/Shabbat-Registration](http://dordorim.org/Shabbat-Registration)



**SAVE**

**2ND & 3RD  
GRADE**

**FEBRUARY 9TH**

**2024**



**THE**

**DATE**

**SHABBAT  
SERVICE**

at 7:00 PM



# S'more Shabbat

Friday, February 23, 2024

Come join us for a special Shabbat under the stars  
in the TDD Generations Circle.

5:30 pm Pizza Dinner

6:15 pm Family & Tot S'mores Shabbat Service  
(special time)

\$10 per pizza pie - Order by Wed., Feb. 21

RSVP to attend & for Pizza to Faye Kotler

[fkotler@templendordorim.org](mailto:fkotler@templendordorim.org) by

Wednesday, February 21, 2024







Friday, March 15, 2024

6:30 pm

Before going down the Yellow Brick Road to our 26th Gala, come to our

## WIZARD OF PERSOZ PURIM SHPIEL

RSVP at [dordorim.org/Purim](http://dordorim.org/Purim)

Bring a box of pasta to shake and leave for donation to a local food bank. Other nonperishable food will be accepted too!



Before going down the Yellow Brick Road at our Gala, Join the TDD Purim Shpiel Cast

## WIZARD OF PERSOZ

We need help behind the scenes too!

Rehearsal Dates:

Thurs., February 29 at 5:30 pm

Sun., March 3 at 12:00 pm

Thurs., March 7 at 5:30 pm

Thurs., March 14 at 5:30 pm

Purim Shpiel Date:

Friday, March 15 at 6:30 pm - Shabbat Evening Service & Purim Shpiel

Contact Cantorial Soloist Robin Koota with any questions ([rkoota@templedordorim.org](mailto:rkoota@templedordorim.org))



# TDD 1st Annual Challah Bake

Hosted by TDD Religious School

Sunday, February 25, 2024

12:30 - 2:30 pm

\$36 per person

Open to the Community for ALL Ages

Register at [tdd.shulcloud.com/form/RSchallahBake](https://tdd.shulcloud.com/form/RSchallahBake)

Registration will close on Thursday, February 15

All proceeds to benefit TDD Religious School

Demonstration led by Pastry Chef Iris Dahoah

Raffle Prizes, Vendors and more!

Bring *Tzedakah* for Israel

Pizza lunch offered for Religious School Students staying for Challah Bake. \$5 per student.

Contact Jessica Smiley with any questions

[jsmiley@templedordorim.org](mailto:jsmiley@templedordorim.org)



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# TEMPLE DOR DORIM PURIM CARNIVAL

Sunday, March 17, 2024  
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Bounce  
Houses

Come In  
Costume

Games

Arts &  
Crafts

Face  
Painting

Lunch

Contact Jamie Mafдали at [JMafдали@templedordorim.org](mailto:JMafдали@templedordorim.org)  
with any questions.

Register or Sponsor online at [tdd.shulcloud.com/form/PurimCarnival2024](https://tdd.shulcloud.com/form/PurimCarnival2024)

One Wrist Band For Everything! - Just \$18 for kids includes all games, 1 meal ticket and 1 Hamantashen  
Adult meal/wristbands: \$10

We would like \_\_\_\_ child (\$18) wristbands and \_\_\_\_ adult (\$10) meal tickets.  
Please purchase 1 for EACH family member.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Check enclosed. Check # \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Credit Card on File

☐ Credit Card as listed. Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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# PURIM CARNIVAL SPONSORSHIP

Sunday, March 17, 2024 | 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

## \$500 Gold Sponsor

- Logo/family name recognition on sponsor poster at carnival
- Half-page ad in Dor Dorim Newsletter for 4 months
- Logo/family name recognition in dedicated "Thank You" email
- Acknowledgment on social media
- Logo/family name on Dor Dorim website
- 10 Carnival wristbands

## \$180 Bronze Sponsor

- Logo/family name recognition on sponsor poster at carnival
- Logo/family name recognition in dedicated "Thank You" email
- Acknowledgment on social media
- Logo/family name on Dor Dorim website
- 4 Carnival wristbands

## \$360 Silver Sponsor

- Logo/family name recognition on sponsor poster at carnival
- Quarter-page ad in Dor Dorim Newsletter for 2 months
- Logo/family name recognition in dedicated "Thank You" email
- Acknowledgment on social media
- Logo/family name on Dor Dorim website
- 8 Carnival wristbands

Contact Jamie Mafдали at  
[JMafдали@templedordorim.org](mailto:JMafдали@templedordorim.org) with any questions.

Register or Sponsor online at  
[tdd.shulcloud.com/form/PurimCarnival2024](https://tdd.shulcloud.com/form/PurimCarnival2024)

First & Last Name/Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsorship Level: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Check enclosed. Check # \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Credit Card on File

☐ Credit Card as listed. Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp.: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature to Authorize Payment: \_\_\_\_\_

# Happy PASSOVER



## **TDD Congregational Family Passover Seder Second Night of Passover Tuesday, April 23, 2024 | 6:00 pm Sternlieb Hall**

Please join us as we celebrate Passover together on the Second Night of Pesach. This will be a congregational Seder for all ages, led by Rabbi Marci Bloch and Cantorial Soloist Robin Koota.

Our participatory and fun Seder will be both traditional and modern with something for everyone. Whether this will be your first or second Seder for Passover this year, all are invited.

**\$65 per Adult TDD Member ~ \$75 per Adult Guest  
\$20 per Child TDD Member ~ \$25 per Child Guest  
(ages 2-13)**

**Register by Tuesday, April 9 at  
[tdd.shulcloud.com/form/TDDPassoverSeder](https://tdd.shulcloud.com/form/TDDPassoverSeder)**



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# Torah Study with Rabbi Bloch

Saturday Mornings

Join Rabbi Bloch to study the weekly Torah portion

Please contact Temple Office  
for more information

February 3 ~ 10:00 am via Zoom

February 10 ~ No Torah Study

February 17 ~ 10:00 am via Zoom

February 24 ~ 10:00 am via Zoom

March 3 ~ 9:00 am via Zoom

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# Torah Study

With Rabbi Lipson

Thursdays

9:00 am

Via Zoom

Contact

Temple Office

for more

information



January 11 to March 21,  
**2024**

Two Leaders, **10 Weeks** Thursdays  
One moderator per class **On Zoom** 7:00 pm to  
8:00 pm



## INTRODUCTION TO THE FUTURE OF JUDAISM

### Unveiling the Program

We aim to foster a deep understanding of Judaism's fundamental principles, and how these principles can guide us through the complexities of contemporary life.

Get ready for a variety of beliefs that will enrich our interactions, spark enlightening conversations, and inspire us to seek common ground while respecting our differences.



### Leadership Conversations

Benefit from the presence of prominent leaders and Rabbis from more than 10 temples and organizations from our area.

REGISTER:  
**[futureofjudaism.org](https://futureofjudaism.org)**



# TDD BUSINESS CONNECTIONS

Elevate your business! Connect with fellow Temple members to forge powerful relationships that drive success. Join our Network of like-minded individuals to exchange strategies, amplify growth, and unlock new opportunities.

Save the Date!

**April 4, 2024 | Happy Hour**

Happy Hour  
sponsored by:  **Royal Palm Realty**  
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[TDD.SHULCLOUD.COM/FORM/TDD-BUSINESS-CONNECTIONS](https://TDD.SHULCLOUD.COM/FORM/TDD-BUSINESS-CONNECTIONS)  
TO REGISTER

# URJ Camps & Israel



## URJ Camp Coleman

Thursday, February 8 at 7:00 PM Eastern  
Quest - Thursday, February 13 at 7:00 PM Eastern  
[campcoleman.org/new-families/upcoming-events](http://campcoleman.org/new-families/upcoming-events)

## URJ 6 Points Creative Arts Academy

Thursday, February 1 at 6:00 PM Eastern  
[6pointscreativearts.org/upcoming-events](http://6pointscreativearts.org/upcoming-events)

## URJ 6 Points Sci-Tech Academy

Monday, February 5 at 6:30 PM Eastern  
Thursday, February 29 at 6:30 PM Eastern  
[6pointsscitech.org/virtualinfosession](http://6pointsscitech.org/virtualinfosession)

## URJ 6 Points Sports Academy

Wednesday, February 7 at 6:30 PM Eastern  
Wednesday, February 21 at 6:30 PM Eastern  
[6pointssports.org/calendar](http://6pointssports.org/calendar)

## Yallah! Israel

### Powered by NFTY in Israel

This is the formative travel experience for teens seeking a hands-on, educational, fun summer. They'll travel through Israel, with a one-week Poland option, on a journey that brings history to life, while developing a sense of pride in Jewish identity & heritage. Learn more: [yallahisrael.org](http://yallahisrael.org) | Info Session: [yallahisrael.org/webinar](http://yallahisrael.org/webinar)



## TDD is Proud to Join with Other Broward Synagogues to Support



### Foods Needed in February

- Tomato Paste
- Tomato Sauce
- Diced Tomatoes
- Canned Vegetables
- Grocery Gift Cards



All food donations should be marked Kosher, including but not limited to:



**Drop Off Donations in Our Atrium and School Lobby**

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# Upcoming Dates - Youth Engagement

## Religious School & Youth Programs Registration

[tdd.shulcloud.com/form/23-24-RSYP](http://tdd.shulcloud.com/form/23-24-RSYP)

Youth Dues included with Religious School Registration!

### TOUCHY: 9th - 12th Grade

Wednesday, February 7 - Fondue: Cheese, Chocolate, & Chill - 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Friday, February 9 - Lucky's Cafe - 5:30 PM

Saturday, February 10 - Panthers Game & Overnight - 5:00 PM - \$136

Wednesday, February 14 - Afternoon of Service - 4:00 PM

### ATID: 6th - 8th Grade

Saturday, February 10 - Panthers Game - 5:00 PM - \$85

Wednesday, February 14 - Afternoon of Service - 4:00 PM

Thursday, February 29 - Leap (Year) of Faith - 6:00 - 7:30 PM

### Giborim: 3rd - 5th Grade

Sunday, February 4 - LEV Children's Museum @ TDD - 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Sunday, March 10 - Heads Up! - 12:00 - 1:30 PM

### Gesher: Kindergarten - 2nd Grade

Sunday, February 4 - LEV Children's Museum @ TDD - 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Sunday, January 7 - Pictionary - 12:00 - 1:30 PM

**Contact Jamie to Register & RSVP for ALL Events**  
[JMafdali@templefordorim.org](mailto:JMafdali@templefordorim.org)



# TEMPLE DOR DORIM GALA APRIL 6, 2024 SPONSORSHIP & AUCTION FORM

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to Sponsor Temple Dor Dorim at \_\_\_\_\_ level  
for \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Gala on April 6, 2024.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment: Visa \_\_ MC \_\_ Amex \_\_ Discover \_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Check #: \_\_\_\_\_ Please make checks payable to  
Temple Dor Dorim

Please return to:

Temple Dor Dorim

Attention: David Pasternack, Executive Director

2360 Glades Circle

Weston, FL 33327

## AUCTION ITEM(S) TO DONATE

**\*\*Fill out contact information above.\*\***

Auction Item(s) to donate: \_\_\_\_\_

Retail Value of auction item(s): \$\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ I will drop off or mail items by March 22, 2024

\_\_\_ Please call me to arrange for item(s) pick up

## A LA CARTE AD JOURNAL

Please send your High Resolution, JPEG file to  
fkotler@templdordorim.org by March 22, 2024

\$500 FULL PAGE (8.5"W x 11"H)

\$300 HALF PAGE (8.5"W x 5.5"H)

\$200 QUARTER PAGE (4.5"W x 5.5"H)

\$100 BUSINESS CARD (3.25"W x 2"H)

\$36 SHOUT OUT (2 LINES)





# **SPONSORSHIPS**

## **\$10,000 No Place Like Home**

- *Logo/business name listed as No Place Like Home Sponsor on all marketing*
- *Full page ad in Ad Journal*
- *Reserved seating for 36 Guests*
- *VIP early access to event*

## **\$5,000 Emerald City**

- *Logo/business name listed as Emerald City Sponsor on all marketing*
- *Half page ad in Ad Journal*
- *Reserved seating for 24 Guests*
- *VIP early access to event*

## **\$2,500 Dorothy**

- *Logo/business name listed as Dorothy Sponsor on all marketing*
- *Quarter page ad in Ad Journal*
- *Reserved seating for 12 Guests*
- *VIP early access to event*

## **\$1,000 Scarecrow**

- *Logo/business name listed as Scarecrow Sponsor on all marketing*
- *Quarter page ad in Ad Journal*
- *Reserved seating for 4 Guests*

## **\$500 Tin Man**

- *Logo/business name listed as Tin Man Sponsor on all marketing*
- *Business Card size ad in Ad Journal*
- *Reserved seating for 2 Guests*

## **\$250 Lion**

- *Logo/business name listed as Lion Sponsor on all marketing*
- *Name listed in Ad Journal*
- *Reserved seating for 1 Guest*



# TEMPLE DOR DORIM GALA

## THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME

### SPONSOR A TEACHER



Are you looking for a way to say thank you to the educators that help shape our children's lives? Now you can thank them with a ticket to this year's Gala.

Please send back your donation by March 8, 2024.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you on April 6!

[tdd.shulcloud.com/form/Gala2024Tickets](http://tdd.shulcloud.com/form/Gala2024Tickets)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child(ren)'s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Total Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Suggested donation: \$18 per teacher)

Payment:

☐ Credit Card on File at TDD

☐ Please use the following credit card number

CC Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Code: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Check Number # \_\_\_\_\_

Please make payable to Temple Dor Dorim

☐ Cash

Signature of Credit Card Holder: \_\_\_\_\_

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# A Message from Sandra Blasberg

ECC Director

***Tu B'Shevat*** – the Holiday of the Trees - occurs on the 15<sup>th</sup> of Shevat on the Jewish calendar, and it was celebrated this year on January 25. There are many customs on this holiday. One is to eat a new fruit, or to have a *Tu B'Shevat* Seder where we eat dried fruits, almonds, olives, or eat from the seven species, which are abundant in the land of Israel.

Trees are part of the natural wonder of our world and have always been a special symbol. It is our obligation to care for them and it is important to teach our young children to be respectful of the world and share the fruits of God's earth with all. This is the time to begin helping children think about our natural world and the concept of "*Tikkun Olam*" (repairing the world). Examples include recycling, reducing, reusing and most importantly not to waste paper, which comes from trees! The tree has been a symbol of life and continues to be a source of life for Israel today. Just as a tree continues to grow, so do people. Throughout the year, we watch the children grow physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Performing *mitzvot*, a good deed, is another way we all continue to grow and encourage the children to perform them daily.

Our playground garden looks beautiful! To get ready for the holiday of *Tu B'Shevat*, all classrooms were busy at work outdoors as they learned about the holiday. With the guidance of Ms. Inna, our Judaic Specialist, and the teachers, the children cleaned weeds and rocks from the garden. Then they added clean soil, planted lettuce, celery, collard greens and radishes. The older children made signs to mark the different plants and seeds planted. Every classroom takes turns to go out, water the plants, watch them grow, observe, make predictions, and watch the differences from week to week. The garden is a long-time project that the children are involved in and we can't wait to see how it all blossoms...just like your children!





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# Israel Solidarity Message

**WE STAND**



**WITH ISRAEL**

Friends, Israel is at war to save our Jewish homeland. Temple Dor Dorim has prepared a resource page ([dordorim.org/Israel-Resources](http://dordorim.org/Israel-Resources)). Please refer to it for up to the minute trusted news sources, ways to help Israel, resources to help us work through this difficult time and Temple and Community Events.

## The 2023/2024 Season

Due to the uncertainty in Israel and the extraordinary work in Congress to secure the maximum support for Israel, it is taking longer than usual to confirm our speakers. But, they will be outstanding as always.

**Sunday, February 11, 2024 at noon at Temple Dor Dorim**

ALPAC - See page 27 for more information

Jonathan Zucker, ALPAC Broward Director

Mark Kleinman, ALPAC Major Gifts Director

Yossi Garr, Educational Seminar Leader via live stream from Israel

**Sunday, March 3, 2024 at noon at Temple Dor Dorim**

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# **Yossi Garr**



**Educational Seminar Leader with AIPAC-AIEF Jerusalem**

## **What is Next for Israel?**

**Sunday, February 11, 2024 at 12 noon**

Jonathan Zucker, AIPAC Broward Area Director and Mark Kleinman, Southern States Major Gifts Director will join us in person and Yossi Garr will be on live feed from Israel.



Yossi Garr is based in the Jerusalem AIPAC AIEF (American Israel Education Foundation) office.

The brutal terrorist attack that completely changed Israel and the international Jewish community, is something that we will never forget. For many years, the mantra of "Never Again" was something that we strived for, but never thought we would actually have to face. October 7<sup>th</sup> changed that for everyone! Please join Yossi Garr, from AIPAC's Jerusalem Office, for a conversation about the current situation in Israel and what comes next.

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Present Special Guest Speaker

## **Avi Melamed**

**Founder and CEO of Inside the Middle East in  
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## **Israel at War | a Pivotal Moment for the Middle East**

**Sunday, March 3, 2024 at 12 Noon**

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Avi Melamed is a distinguished Geopolitical Middle East Expert, Intelligence Analyst, Author, Educator, and Founder and CEO of Inside the Middle East Intelligence Perspectives [ITME].

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# Empty Nesters Message

Hi Empty Nesters,

I can't believe how fast the days are going. It seems that I have just gotten up from my computer after writing my article and here I am, back again for the this month's news. I hope that 2024 began on a positive note and continues that way.

What better way to share Valentine's Day than with the Empty Nesters at the Palm for Lunch and Learn with Rabbi Bloch. Each month I try to think of superlatives to describe what happens at this event. Suffice it to say, we all leave happily satiated by a delicious lunch, pondering the topic that was discussed. The cost is \$20 per person and your menu choices are Nova platter, Angus Beef Burger, or Tuna/Chicken salad. Please register with Jill at [jhochberg@templedordorim.org](mailto:jhochberg@templedordorim.org) or Gary at [algari@bellsouth.net](mailto:algari@bellsouth.net).

Guess what? The month of February is a very exceptional month. It is so special this year that they needed to add an extra day. Yes, it's true, February 2024 has 29 days! Most people would say that is because we have Leap Year every four years. Some are of the opinion that it gives an opportunity for a woman to propose marriage to her special someone. I'm here to tell you that at Temple Dor Dorim we have chosen to celebrate that extraordinary day with pizza and a movie. We will be watching *The Infidel*. I'm sure those of you who participated in this event before will remember the delicious pizza and the always thought provoking and enjoyable movie. Please be sure to register with [Jill](#) or [Gary](#) for this event to close out February.

Sincerely,

Wally Berman  
Empty Nesters President

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**TDD Empty Nesters  
Pizza & Movie Night**  
Thursday, February 29, 2024  
6:00 pm in TDD's Sternlieb Hall  
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Join us for pizza and the movie *The Infidel*  
\$10 per person

RSVP by February 27  
Jill Hochberg ([jhochberg@templedordorim.org](mailto:jhochberg@templedordorim.org))  
or Gary Holtzman ([algari@bellsouth.net](mailto:algari@bellsouth.net))



# Sisterhood Message

Hello Sensational Sisterhood Sisters and Temple Family,

The return of Sisterhood and Brotherhood Potluck Shabbat was a wonderful evening! It is true that when we come together, magic happens. Thank you so much to everyone who joined us - we cannot wait to host another great Shabbat event later this year.

Our 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Co-Auxiliary Tailgate is only days away and it's not too late to sign up! Join us for this FREE event on Saturday, February 3 at 6:00 pm. There will be a bounce house and kids' activities along with Tomahawk Axe Throwing Co. and tailgate games for the adults. Drinks, Sauwce's Kitchen Food Truck, and Sisterhood's Super Bowl Squares will also be on site for purchase. Register now at: <https://tdd.shulcloud.com/event/tailgate2024> and get excited for an amazing evening with friends!

Join us on Thursday, February 22 at 7:00 pm at Baires Grill for a Ladies' Night Happy Hour. We'd love to see everyone from Sisterhood, ECC and Religious School PTO there. No registration needed - just come on out for great conversation and light bites!

The Sisterhood Book Club continues to thrive. They've been together since pre-COVID and have a great time reviewing a great book. The group meets via Zoom on the fourth Wednesday of the month (with changes if there are vacations or holidays.) The next meeting will be on February 28 and we will be discussing *Mad Honey* by Jodi Picoult and Jennifer Finney Boylan. Contact Iris Kauffman at [iriskauff@aol.com](mailto:iriskauff@aol.com) if you would like more information.

When registering for any of our events this year, please consider donating to our Social Action Shabbat on Wheels. We deliver dinners to Temple families when they need it most – whether it be illness, bereavement, or financial distress. If you know of a family in need of a Shabbat meal, contact Ronni Morrison at [ronni.morrison@gmail.com](mailto:ronni.morrison@gmail.com) or Faye Kotler at [fkotler@templedorim.org](mailto:fkotler@templedorim.org).

Stay tuned for more events coming later this Spring.

Love your Sisterhood Sisters,

Barbara Davis ([davisb927@gmail.com](mailto:davisb927@gmail.com)) and Megan Greenwald ([megangreenwald1@gmail.com](mailto:megangreenwald1@gmail.com))







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**TDD Tailgate**





# Legacy Society Message



## TDD LEGACY SOCIETY wishes you a happy *Tu B'Shevat* 2024

On January 24-25, 2024, we celebrated *Tu B'Shevat*, which is considered New Year's Day for trees. I'll bet that you didn't know that trees celebrated the new year, but they do, and we humans help them to celebrate by planting new trees for their next generation, and for ours. You see, trees and humans live in this world together, and they help each other. Trees provide us with shade, with food, with shelter, and not the least, with the oxygen that we breathe. It's no wonder that trees and humans have enjoyed a symbiotic relationship since the beginning of time.

Five years ago, the Jewish Federation of Broward County called us to say that they were going to start a Legacy program in combination with the Grinspoon Foundation and invited us to become one of the 14 founding members. We gladly accepted. Five years ago, on *Tu B'Shevat* in 2019, we welcomed the first group of 18 members into our newly formed, Temple Dor Dorim Legacy Society. It was a wonderful evening. Those first members of the Legacy Society knew their actions that evening would benefit Temple Dor Dorim long into the future.

The Grinspoon Foundation has been instrumental in assisting communities of Jews throughout the country to begin endowment programs for their own temples and Jewish institutions.

Nationwide, the Foundation has partnered with 828 different Jewish organizations in 73 communities. That's a total of 31,114 individual donors, who have signed legacy pledges which have already raised a total over 189 million dollars, to insure the future of their Jewish organizations. In addition, unrealized pledges total over 1.5 billion dollars.

Locally, the 14 partner organizations of Jewish Federation of Broward have pledged over \$48 million from 633 donors, of which 75% or more have been confirmed.

Our TDD Legacy Society has grown to over 50 members and we are beginning our 5<sup>th</sup> year with high hopes and expectations.

Those who came before us built and seeded Jewish life so that we would have places for connection, education, prayer, and fellowship. Now is our opportunity to do that for the next generation. Please join with us to help TDD plan for the future! It's easy.

Call or email [Bob Ennis](#) or [Stephen Schwartz](#), our TDDLS Co-Chairs, about membership. It's easy!

**Thank you to all of our Legacy Society Members for their help and participation during this past year!**

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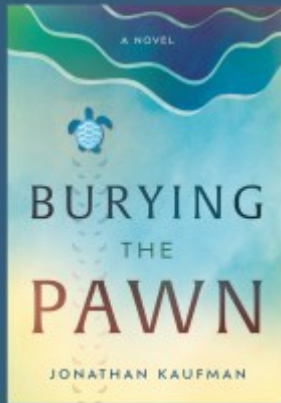
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| <p>4</p> <p>9:00am Religious School<br/>Temple Tots<br/>9:00am Religious School<br/>K-6th Grades<br/>11:00am Confirmation Class<br/>12:00pm Geshet Event<br/>12:00pm Giborim Event</p>                                                       | <p>5</p>                                                                    | <p>6</p>                                            | <p>7</p> <p>Religious School<br/>5:30pm 5, 6 &amp; 7 Grades<br/>5:45pm 8th &amp; 9th Grades<br/>7:00pm TOUCHY Event<br/>7:30 pm Finance<br/>Committee Meeting*</p>    | <p>8</p> <p>9:00am Torah Study with<br/>Rabbi Lipson*</p>                                                                                                                   | <p>9</p> <p>9:30am ECC Kabbalat<br/>Shabbat<br/>5:30pm Lucky's Café<br/>Shabbat Dinner<br/>7:00pm Shabbat Evening<br/>Service with Religious<br/>School 2nd &amp; 3rd Grades</p>      | <p>10</p> <p>10:00am Weekly Shabbat<br/>Torah Study with<br/>Rabbi Bloch*<br/>ATID Event<br/>TOUCHY Lock-In</p>      |
| <p>11</p> <p>Super Bowl Sunday!<br/>9:00am Religious School<br/>K-6th Grades<br/>11:00am Confirmation Class<br/>12:00pm Israel Solidarity<br/>Event</p>  | <p>12</p>                                                                   | <p>13</p>                                           | <p>14</p> <p>Valentine's Day<br/>11:30pm Empty<br/>Nesters Lunch &amp; Learn with<br/>Rabbi Bloch<br/>3:30pm Religious School &amp;<br/>Youth Group Mitzvah Event</p> | <p>15</p> <p>9:00am Torah Study with<br/>Rabbi Lipson*<br/>6:30pm Executive Board<br/>Meeting<br/>7:30pm Board of<br/>Trustees Meeting</p>                                  | <p>16</p> <p>No ECC - Teacher<br/>Professional Development<br/>Day<br/>6:30pm Shabbat Evening<br/>Service</p>                                                                         | <p>17</p> <p>10:00am Weekly Shabbat<br/>Torah Study with<br/>Rabbi Bloch*</p>                                        |
| <p>18</p> <p>No Religious School -<br/>President's Weekend</p>                                                                                                                                                                               | <p>19</p> <p>President's Day<br/>Temple &amp; School Offices<br/>Closed</p> | <p>20</p> <p>9:30am ECC Reader of the<br/>Month</p> | <p>21</p> <p>9:00am ECC Community<br/>Transportation Day<br/>Religious School<br/>5:30pm 5, 6 &amp; 7 Grades<br/>6:00pm TAG Class</p>                                 | <p>22</p> <p>9:00am Torah Study with<br/>Rabbi Lipson*<br/>7:00pm Sisterhood GNO -<br/>Baires Grill</p>                                                                     | <p>23</p> <p>L'Taken Social Justice<br/>Seminar<br/>9:30am ECC Kabbalat<br/>Shabbat<br/>5:30pm Shabbat Dinner<br/>6:15pm Family &amp; Tot<br/>S'mores Shabbat Evening<br/>Service</p> | <p>24</p> <p>L'Taken Social Justice<br/>Seminar<br/>10:00am Weekly Shabbat<br/>Torah Study with<br/>Rabbi Bloch*</p> |
| <p>25</p> <p>L'Taken Social Justice<br/>Seminar<br/>9:00am Religious School<br/>K-6th Grades<br/>11:00am Confirmation Class<br/>12:30pm TDD Challah Bake</p>                                                                                 | <p>26</p> <p>L'Taken Social Justice<br/>Seminar</p>                         | <p>27</p>                                           | <p>28</p> <p>Religious School<br/>5:30pm 5, 6 &amp; 7 Grades<br/>5:45pm 8th &amp; 9th Grades<br/>7:00pm Sisterhood Book<br/>Club*</p>                                 | <p>29</p> <p>9:00am Torah Study with<br/>Rabbi Lipson*<br/>5:30pm Purim Shpiel<br/>Rehearsal<br/>6:00pm ATID Event<br/>6:00pm Empty Nesters Pizza<br/>&amp; Movie Night</p> | <p>March 1</p> <p>9:30am ECC Kabbalat<br/>Shabbat<br/>6:30pm Shabbat Evening<br/>Service with Religious<br/>School 1st Grade &amp; L'Taken<br/>Speakers</p>                           | <p>March 2</p> <p>9:00am Weekly Shabbat<br/>Torah Study with<br/>Rabbi Bloch*<br/>10:00am Tot Shabbat</p>            |