



temple israel

NEWS FROM TEMPLE ISRAEL

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EXCITING YOUTH PROGRAMS UNDERWAY

To register your child or for more information, please contact our Youth Director, Ariel Krusch, at 704-944-6816 or

AKrusch@templeisraelnc.org.

MAHAR YOUTH – 3rd-5th Grades

Apple Picking

Sunday, October 13, 12-3:30 pm

Drop-off & Pick-up at TIRS

Cost: \$7 per person

BONIM YOUTH – 6th-8th Grades

Maze Craze!

Saturday, November 2, 7-10 pm

Drop-off & Pick-up at Temple Israel

\$8 per person

GESHER TEENS – 9th-12th Grades

Kickball & Kookout

Sunday, October 6, 5-7 pm

William Davie Park

\$5/pp (members), \$10/pp (non-members)

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

Free & Open to the Public

BRIDGES OUT OF POVERTY WORKSHOP

Tuesdays, October 8 and 15

6:00 – 9:00 pm

Temple Israel Social Hall

Explore practical strategies to help volunteers improve outcomes for people transitioning out of poverty. Led by the Urban Ministry Center.

The book is recommended and sold before the class begins for \$20. Contact: Liz Winer at lswiner@gmail.com or 704-277-4494.

TEMPLE ISRAEL & UNCC WELCOME BRITISH HOLOCAUST & GENOCIDE EXPERT,

Professor Philip Spencer

October 27, 7pm

Details on page 12.

Save the Date

75TH ANNIVERSARY OF KRISTALLNACHT

The night of the broken glass

November 10, 7pm

Community Service at Temple Israel

SCHOLARS-IN-RESIDENCE WEEKEND OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY



Rabbi Shawn Fields-Meyer

Temple Israel invites you to meet nationally-recognized authors and educators

Rabbi Shawn & Tom Fields-Meyer Family Spirituality

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11 – SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

A Michael Meiselman Legacy Event



Tom Fields-Meyer

Temple Israel congregants and clergy welcome the community to join them for a weekend of services, discussion and learning with Rabbi Shawn and Tom Fields-Meyer. Topics include: "Texting, Technology & Torah", "What Special Needs Kids Can Teach Any Parent" and "Round Table on Special Needs" with our Scholars and Area Experts.

Rabbi Shawn serves as Rabbinic Director and Co-Chair of the Judaic Studies department at Milken Community High School in Los Angeles. She is the coauthor of *A Day Apart - Shabbat at Home*.

Tom wrote *Following Ezra*, a memoir of his relationship with their autistic son, which received widespread critical acclaim. Our Scholars-in-Residence will provide thought-provoking Torah discussions on Jewish family values and on special needs family members.

SCHEDULE for SCHOLARS-IN-RESIDENCE WEEKEND

Questions? Please contact
rabbiraucher@templeisraelnc.org

Friday night - October 11

5:45-6:15 Torah Tots

6:15-7:15 Kabbalat Shabbat services

7:25-8:25 Dinner*

(\$15 for adults; \$7.50 per child; Vegetarian option.)

8:30-9:30 *Texting, Technology & Torah*
by Rabbi Fields-Meyer

Shabbat Morning - October 12

9:30-12 pm Services & Sermon

by Rabbi Fields-Meyer

*Please RSVP for Friday dinner by calling (704) 362-2796. **FREE and NO RSVP required for other events.**

Shabbat Afternoon - October 12 12 pm Kiddush

12:40-2 pm Kiddush Torah Study

Family Guy? Mamma Knows Best...

by Rabbi Fields-Meyer

Stuff I Never Thought I'd Have to Teach My Kid, and Other Insights for Special Needs Professionals

by Tom Fields-Meyer

Sunday Morning - October 13

10-11 am - *Following Ezra: What Special Needs Kids Can Teach Any Parent*

by Tom Fields-Meyers

11 am-12 pm - *Round Table on Special Needs*
Moderated by Jewish Family Services

MORE ADULT PROGRAMS AT TEMPLE ISRAEL

Torah on Tap (TI Young Professionals):

Harvest Shabbat Dinner at Camp Mindy

Friday, October 11, 7:15pm (\$15/pp)

RSVP to AKrusch@templeisraelnc.org.

TI Social Club: *WTVI Studios Tour*

Thursday, November 7, 11 am

Tour and lunch. JCC van transportation available. Reserve by 10/29.

Contact Maxine Stein at 704-364-1178.

Book Club: *Ben-Gurion: A Political Life*

Monday, November 11, 7:30 pm

Book by Shimon Peres and David Landau Peres is uniquely placed to evoke this figure of stirring contradictions. Contact Linda Levy at 366-6362 or levyoillie@aol.com.

OCTOBER ADULT EDUCATION

Wednesday, 7-8:30pm *Walking with Justice*

Taught by Rabbi Murray Ezring

This Ziegler School program builds on the success of *Walking with God*, and examines the opposite of good, indifference. Thru Dec. 11th.

Sunday, 10-10:50am *Pirkei Avot - Ethics of our Fathers*

Taught by Rabbi Noam Raucher We'll study sagely wisdom from as far back as 200CE, and examine its relevance in our lives.

Sunday, 10-10:50am *Synagogue Skills*

Taught by Cantor Elias Roohvarg

Make Shabbat and holiday words, pronunciations, and tunes in Jewish prayer come alive!

Sunday, 11-11:50am *Sandwich Generation Issues*

Taught by Rabbi Murray Ezring

Caring for a parent when you have kids of your own is a role for which no one can rehearse.