

Temple Kol Tikvah October Events

Shabbat and Holiday Services

Kol Nidre, Friday, October 3, 7 PM Service

Yom Kippur, Saturday, October 4, 9:30 AM Torah Study, Nosh and Drosch; 10 AM Morning Service; 12 noon Learning; 1:30 PM Afternoon Service; 3:30 PM Healing Service; 4:15 PM Yizkor Service; 5:30 PM Community Break Fast

Sukkot, Thursday, October 9, 9:30 AM Breakfast and Service

Friday, October 10, 5:30 PM Challah Chevre (make challah as a community) and Shabbat Schmooze; 6:30 PM PJ Shabbat/Jr. Congregation; 7 PM Kabbalat Shabbat

Friday, October 17, 6:15 PM Shabbat Dinner B'yachad; 7 PM Kabbalat Shabbat

Saturday, October 18, 9:30 AM Torah Study, Nosh and Drosch; 10:30 AM Morning Service

Friday, October 24, 6:30 PM Jr. Congregation, 7 PM Kabbalat Shabbat

Friday, October 31, 7 PM Shabbat on Tap

Saturday, November 1, 9:30 AM Torah Study, Nosh and Drosch; 10:30 AM Morning Service

Temple Kol Tikvah continues to thrive with excitement. Mark your calendar to join our congregation for one of these upcoming events.

Temple Blood Drive - Sunday, October 19

Holocaust Lecture - Tuesday, October 28

Caregiver Support Group - Second Tuesdays of the Month

Are you caring for a friend or loved one? Taking care of yourself is just as vital as taking care of your loved ones. Bring your dairy lunch to these confidential, safe monthly meetings to explore your feelings and discuss your concerns with other caregivers struggling with issues that confront them as they care for a spouse, aging parent or loved one. No charge but registration requested.

Positive Discipline Parenting Workshop - Sunday, October 26

Designed to teach young people to become responsible, respectful, and resourceful members of their communities. In this free parenting workshop offered during Sunday School, JFS Therapist Caroline Biber, MSW, LCSW will teach parents how to employ kindness and firmness, to build mutually respectful relationships with their children. No charge but registration requested.

Sisterhood Events

Sisterhood Coffee and Shmooze during Religious School - Sunday, October 26

Sisterhood Book Group - First Tuesdays of the Month

Looking for a good book to read? Sisterhood's next book for discussion in October is *Middlemarch* by George Eliot. One of the most accomplished and prominent



novels of the Victorian era, *Middlemarch* is an unsurpassed portrait of nineteenth-century English provincial life. Dorothea Brooke is a young woman of fervent ideals who yearns to effect social change yet faces resistance from the society she inhabits. In this epic in a small landscape, Eliot's large cast of precisely delineated characters and the rich tapestry of their stories result in a wise, compassionate, and astute vision of human nature. As Virginia Woolf declared, George Eliot "was one of the first English novelists to discover that men and women think as well as feel, and the discovery was of great artistic moment."

For more details and complete worship/activity schedule go to www.templekoltikvah.org or call 704-987-9980. ✪

Temple Kol Tikvah Receives Grant to Continue Senior Programs

Temple Kol Tikvah of Lake Norman is excited to announce that they have received a \$5,000 grant from the Blumenthal Foundation for Senior Services which will enable them to continue their "Learn Kibbitz and Nosh" (LKN) program for seniors.

The purpose of LKN is to enhance the lives of seniors by providing an opportunity to increase

their knowledge on topics relevant to their lives, provide an informal venue for social interaction, and a healthy lunch. Seniors engage in meaningful learning by participating in dynamic and interactive discussions. The knowledge and friendships gained has an enduring impact the participants. The program is open to Jewish seniors and their spouses/partners (if ap-

plicable) who may be unaffiliated. "Learn, Kibbitz, and Nosh" is an inviting atmosphere on site at Temple Kol Tikvah.

For more information, or to be on the mailing list, please contact Lynn Calnek, Director of Lifelong Learning, Temple Kol Tikvah of Lake Norman, 704-987-9980, principal@templekoltikvah.org. ✪

Prominent Senator Visits Members of Charlotte's Jewish Community

As Jews, we all share communal concerns when reading news about global anti-Semitism in general and anti-Israel sentiment in particular. It was at a peak this past summer and that's why I thought it quite fortuitous when I got a call from an elder colleague who has been deeply involved in Israel activism and educating Jewish communities, when he called to throw a possibility our way.

One of his contacts told him that U.S. Senator Rand Paul would be traveling through Charlotte and had an hour slot open; could we find a small group of people and a place for him to speak with some members of the Jewish community? This was not going to be a fund raiser or Rand Paul for President meeting. To the contrary, it would be a bipartisan meeting where issues concerning Jews —

most notably the situation in Israel — would be discussed.

Being as we were given such short notice, we had to move quickly. The first hurdle was to find a small, respectable space. Fortunately in Charlotte there's a family that's always interested in events that are focused on Israel, Jewish continuity, or for that mat-

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Temple Emanuel in Gastonia Stands with Israel

The families of Temple Emanuel Religious School gathered in support of Israel on the first day of classes. Temple Emanuel's religious school focuses on subjects such as Hebrew, Jewish history, biblical studies, Israel and more. In addition to traditional classroom learning, hands-on projects are introduced to help illustrate the importance of ritual in the Jewish home. School director, Hannah Kaunitz, has introduced both a year-long ritual project of the "Shabbox," and a Tzedakah project. For the "Shabbox," students will create ritual

items used for Shabbat and holidays, while learning their significance in Jewish practice. Our Tzedakah project allows students to create their own Tzedakah box, to take home. They will collect funds to be donated to charity that will be decided upon by the entire school. Classes at Temple Emanuel meet on Sundays from 10 AM-12:30 PM. We are still enrolling students K-confirmation.

For more information on Temple Emanuel Religious School, please contact Hannah Kaunitz at hkaunitz@yahoo.com. ✪



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