Wow! What an amazing time this is!

As July begins and I walk through the Stratford Place doors to assume the position of Interim Senior Rabbi, I will be walking through the very doors from which I departed in June of 1990 for my own pulpit in northern New Jersey. Fran and I will be standing at the spot near the lobby where we met for our first date, looking up at the bimah where we were married and where three of our four children were named. It seems almost surreal, but here we are. And we could not feel more excited, more honored, indeed more blessed!

So much has happened over these last three decades, in our lives as well as in the history of Temple Sholom. At Temple, a whole generation has passed away while more than one generation has come to be. But while the faces have changed, the smiles have not, neither has the spirit of community. For what it has meant to be a community has remained remarkably consistent. You see, the Temple is not just the building which houses it and it is not just the people who comprise its corporeal existence. The Temple is the spirit of community which embraces us in mutual concern and common commitment, inspires us in sacred moments of beauty and transcendent meaning, and matters in our lives and in the world. Each of us has our own connection, our own reasons for belonging; but the Temple embraces us all and lifts us up in a community that truly makes a difference.

How, then, can I NOT be excited to be returning home to Temple Sholom? Please know that I, together with my colleagues and coworkers, are here for YOU, just as we are all here for each other. That is what it means to be a community. That is what it means to be Temple Sholom!

Looking forward to a year of blessing and joy,

Rabbi Don Rossoff

What’s the Rabbi Reading?

Lincoln’s Battle with God
A President’s Struggle with Faith and What It Meant for America
by Stephen Mansfield

Given the spiritual tone of many of his writings and his many allusions to God, one might be surprised to know that Mr. Lincoln went through periods of outspoken atheism, publicly questioning traditional Biblical faith. This book follows our great(est) President through his spiritual journey and what that journey meant for our country during its most tumultuous of times.

Welcome Home, Rabbi Don & Fran Rossoff!

JULY 1  Rabbi Rossoff joins Temple Sholom as Interim Senior Rabbi

JULY 26  Please Welcome (Back) Rabbi & Fran Rossoff to Temple Sholom at a Special Shabbat Service!
**Of Blessed Memory**

| APR. 17 | Charlotte Jacobson | Mother of Andrea Jacobson |
| APR. 30 | Sheri Kamikow Goodman | Wife of David Goodman |
| MAY 8 | Beverly Wipson | Grandmother of Max Wipson (Mig Dickson) |
| MAY 16 | Inez Isabella Ringland | Mother of Jessica Ringland Zwi (Howard Zwi) |

**Yahrzeits / First Year**

| JULY 2 | Jeffrey B. Rosenstein | Brother of Robert Rosenstein |
| JULY 8 | Columbus Chambers, Jr. | Father of Larry Chambers |
| JULY 9 | Marion Levin Stone | Mother of Michael Levin, Grandmother of Rachel Albert and Ari Levin |
| JULY 14 | Charlotte Marks | Mother of Al Marks |
| JULY 18 | Alice Brandeis Popkin | Mother of Susan Cahn |
| JULY 28 | Bernard J. Reisin | Grandfather of Danielle Kaufman |
| JULY 30 | Ann Hootnick | Grandmother of Danielle Kaufman |

**Worship Schedule**

**FRIDAY | JULY 5, 12, 19, 26**  
5:45 PM Wine & Cheese Reception  
6:15 PM Shabbat Service, Oneg to follow

**SATURDAY | JULY 6, 13, 20, 27**  
9:00 AM Minyan Service  
10:30 AM Service for B’nai Mitzvah  
*No 10:30 am service scheduled*

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Sponsored by the Bar T

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**Mazal Tov**

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| APR. 26 | Marty Canes & Gaby Basok | on their marriage |
| MAY 26 | Taylor Mandel & Isaac Abramowitz | on their marriage |
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**Our Inspiring Temple Sholom Community**

One of the best parts of this time of year is the opportunity to chat with prospective members and speaking with them about why we see so much value in our community.

In these conversations, we’re given a unique opportunity to reflect on what community at Temple Sholom means.

To us, a community is more than just being a member of the same organization or simply having a shared interest. Community transcends these things: it’s deeper, more meaningful — taking on a personality and livelihood that is shaped and defined by the people who belong. A community embraces its members’ diversity of thought, its differences of background. It feeds and prospers on the joint energy that comes from a mix of individuals and families.

A community brings people together, inspiring them to communicate freely and openly in order to achieve common goals that enhance the world in which we live.

Over the past year, our community has laughed, prayed, mourned, and celebrated together. We embraced one another at services in the aftermath of the Tree of Life Synagogue shooting, we danced with the Torahs at Simchat Torah, we supported each other through countless B’nai Mitzvah, weddings, baby-namings, and Shivas. We celebrated an institution and community built on Jewish values, spirituality, and learning.

When we explain this to people who may be interested in becoming members of Temple Sholom, our jobs become exponentially easier, because who would not want to be part of such an amazing community… one we have shaped, and will continue to shape, together?

So, to YOU, our members, a sincere and heartfelt THANK YOU for being part of a community as special and inspiring as Temple Sholom!

**New Members**

| Michael & Sara Cherney | Simon | Ariana Klitzner |
| Ibrahima Diop & Natalie Kissinger | Mason, Jazy, Ruby, & Shay | Julia Logan |
| William Griffith | | Elizabeth Rosen |
| Kate Hendrickson | | Bryan & Erin Wilson |

**B’nai Mitzvah**

| AUG. 24 | 4:30 PM | Trevor Goodhart |
| AUG. 31 | 10:30 AM | Sydney & Noah Nelkin |
June 4: A Historic Night—as Volunteers, Clergy, Staff and the Temple Board Came Together

Annual Volunteer Recognition, Annual Meeting of Members, and Approval of New Board

On June 4, nearly 60 regular Temple Sholom Volunteers—without whom our synagogue could not run—joined staff, lay leaders and the Board for the temple’s Annual Volunteer Recognition Dinner and Annual Board Meeting. After a lively dinner that included comments and song from Rabbi Conover and Rabbi Gellman, and Cantor Ben-David, our Annual Meeting was called to order. Outgoing Board Members Audra Berg, David Lipschultz, and Pamela Narins, were thanked for their years of service. They, along with Barry Kroll and Penny Ravner, were recognized with specially created leaves that will be added to the Tree of Life in Bextor Post Hall. Meanwhile, Bill Anspach was welcomed as a newly elected member to serve a two-year term, and existing Board Member, Steve Fadem, was reappointed for another two-year term.

Marc Kaufman, who recently completed his two-year term as Temple President, reflected on his time serving Temple Sholom, working on the 19th anniversary, the strategic plan, and with a group of lay leaders, clergy, congregants and staff who allowed Marc to leave the temple stronger as we move forward with new leadership. Marc specifically mentioned that he “is comforted by the fact that we will not on laurels, most always look to better our practice, and seek to enhance our community, our social justice and our experiences for congregants as well as our staff, clergy and lay leadership.”

Meet Temple Sholom’s New President, Jed Silberg

Professionally, Jed is a fundraiser for the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum and before that, was with JUF of Metropolitan Chicago.

Laying out his vision for the temple, Jed pledged to spend the next two years working to build upon the foundations of trust and mutual respect that his predecessors have forged, and to spend these years partnering with the congregation to make Temple Sholom the best it can be. He also talked about the search for our new permanent Senior Rabbi, and in the meantime, is looking very much forward to spending a wonderful year with Rabbi Donald Rossoff.

Jed finished his remarks with a question, asking all of us what we want from, and what we need from Temple Sholom of Chicago.

As he said, “This is your community and I would like to help you make it the most meaningful one.”

Listening to You, as We Search for a Senior Rabbi

As mentioned at the Annual Meeting, we are embarking on two main initiatives as we begin our search for a new Senior Rabbi, first is hosting a series of facilitated Town Hall Meetings.

Second, we will be fielding an on-line survey via SurveyMonkey, for those of you who are more comfortable doing this via hard copy, we will ensure that there is an alternate way for you to participate. We will have more information on both versions, including the link to the SurveyMonkey questionnaire, in the coming weeks.

To help us manage participation and facilitation of the Town Hall Meetings, RSVP to Julie Adler at jadler@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1538 and let her know which you plan on attending.

Finally, no change is easy. However, working as a community we can make this next stage of our rabbinic transition as seamless as possible. We are undertaking these initiatives because we want to hear and learn from you— we need your vision for what is most important in our next Senior Rabbi. These insights are critical in informing the Senior Rabbi search; the perspective, passion and wisdom of our community can only serve to strengthen the process and better ensure we end up with a Senior Rabbi that makes Temple Sholom the synagogue of choice for the current and next generation of Chicago’s Reform community!

Thank you, and we look forward to this inclusive next step in the transition to our new Senior Rabbi.

* SOUNDS OF SUMMER

Cantor Katzman Returns for a Special 7-Week Series

This summer, Temple Sholom will be treated to two sources of wonderful sound coming together to create one singular voice as Cantor Emerita Aviva Katzman returns to the bimah for a Special Summer Series. Working closely during the week with Cantor Ben-David, Cantor Katzman will be delighting us during Shabbat services, singing and leading the congregation in the songs and prayers we’ve grown to know and love (she will also regale us with musical favorites from the past).

This Summer Series also reunites Cantor Katzman with Rabbi Rossoff, Temple Sholom’s interim Senior Rabbi, with whom she worked side-by-side at the temple during the 1980s. Together, they will fill our Sanctuary with the love and joy, warmth and energy to which we are all accustomed.

Cantor Ben-David will share her beautiful voice and spirituality with campers at Camp Modin in Maine, where she will oversee their Shabbat programming. She’ll be at Temple Sholom Monday through Thursday, continuing her routine work with B’nai Mitvah, tending to lifecycle needs, and overseeing our musical program, including preparing for the High Holy Days.

Whether from the lapping shores of Lake Michigan or the camp-side bliss of Camp Modin in Maine, we look forward to the meaningful music and sword of Temple Sholom ringing out in glorious two-part harmony this summer!

It Was A Great Year of Religious School!

We celebrated our year of learning with a closing family service featuring each grade leading different H’illel (prayers) on the Bimah, which was followed by a community lunch.

E.1st/2nd Grades

F.3rd Grade

G.4th Grade

H.5th Grade

J.6th Grade
Excerpts from Crown Family High School Kabbalat Torah Graduation Shabbat speeches

“My experience at Temple Sholom has been amazing! I have been a Madricha for 7th Graders for four years, now. Being a Madricha has taught me how to be a strong leader while keeping up my Jewish identity. I would encourage my students here tonight to continue their Jewish learning after having a bar or bat mitzvah.”

MIA LIPSITZ

“Crown Family High School has always been about much more than Torah study – it is about what our Torah can inspire. It is an opportunity to learn about world issues from a Jewish perspective, from sexuality and gender, to restorative justice, to Israeli politics. It is an opportunity to develop friendships regardless of our grade level or school or personal religious beliefs. It is a place to speak our minds, debate, reflect, and grow. Teaching younger students on their way to becoming B’nai Mitzvah for the past three years has allowed me to see just how much Jewish learning can not only build understanding at a young adult’s role in the world as a Jew, but also the deep emotional connections that are formed and strengthened at Temple Sholom.”

SOPHIE RHODES
Co-President of Or Shalom High School Youth Group Executive Board

Looking back on the past 4 years, temple has become a second home to me. It’s the place where I have met some of my closest friends and made amazing connections with people I might not have otherwise met. Now, Wednesday nights are something I look forward to every week. Being a Madricha has been especially rewarding.”

ABIGAIL GELB
Co-President of Or Shalom High School Youth Group Executive Board

Religious School Starts
Sunday
Sept. 8

SUNDAYS | 9:30 AM – 12:05 PM
Ages 4 and up

New Religious School Parent Q&A

WEDNESDAY | SEPT. 4
5:00 – 6:00 PM

Questions?
Contact Hannah at hannah@sholomchicago.org or 773-438-1544 (beginning July 15).

Online registration is now open

“Buddy” placement requests due by Aug. 1.

Register at sholomchicago.org/register.

Welcome Hannah Klegon – Our New Religious School Coordinator!

We are excited to welcome Hannah to Temple Sholom starting July 15!

Hannah joins us after spending two years as an Education Fellow at the Southern Institute for Jewish Life. Previously, she worked as an After-School Coordinator at the Madison Community Jewish Day School. She also spent five summers at OSRI in various leadership positions, including Unit Head. Like Rebecca Weller before her, Hannah will work part-time. We are thrilled that Rebecca will stay with us as a Religious School and Midweek Hebrew teacher next year!

Save the Dates for Fall Learning!

Midweek Hebrew Begins
Tuesday | Sept. 10
4:30 – 5:30 PM

Wednesdays | Sept. 11
6:30 – 7:30 PM

Crown Family Hebrew School Begins
WEDNESDAY | SEPT. 11 | 6:15 PM

Know Someone Who Would Make a Great Religious or Hebrew School Teacher?

We’re seeking energetic, enthusiastic, fun and responsible people comfortable with Hebrew, who possess a can-do attitude, and who are interested in creating positive Jewish experiences for children.

TEACHING POSITIONS
K–6th Grade Hebrew and Jewish Studies teachers and specialists for Religious School on Sunday mornings, Tuesday afternoons and Wednesday evenings.

Please send candidate resumes to jay@sholomchicago.org.

More information at sholomchicago.org/beit-sefer.
Mazal Tov to our Crown Family High School Graduates and our 5779 Orr Shalom Board!

*Thanks also to this year’s teen Madrichim!

Lewis Baer
Michael Bayer
Jason Bernstein
Zoe Bernstein
Max Fischer
Sara Fleishman
Abigail Gell**
Grace Gilson
Michael GIlson
Olivia Gork
Malory Gork
Olivia Hirshorn
Hannah Janovsky* 
Samuel Kleinman
Maxwell Kremin
Eliot Landolt
Anya Landolt
Lanie Liebovitz
Mia Lipsitz*
Eitan Loewy
Andrew Luchs
Maddie Marland*
Henry O’Connor
Zoe Okun
Jacob Phillips
Jacob Rausa
Oliiva Rausa**
Sophie Rhodes**
Lila Weiner

Contact caleb@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1533 regarding youth and teen events, or visit sholomchicago.org/youth-group.

Executive Board 5780

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Taal Yisrael: A Taste of Israel
8th Grade Chicagoland Community Trip
FEB. 16 – 24 or MAR. 22 – 30, 2020

This educational experience in Israel is designed to give participants a meaningful, intense, emotional and focused taste of the land and their heritage through a week-long, “hands-on” experience in Israel. Explore Jerusalem and Tel Aviv, archaeological digs, trek through the Negev desert, swim in the Dead Sea, visit historical sites and museums, make friends with Israelis, engage in social justice projects, and much more!

Registration is Now Open! Visit taamyisrael.org to learn more.

Be A Temple Sholom Madrich(a)!*

JOIN OUR MADRICHIM TEEN TEACHER ASSISTANT PROGRAM

• Earn money or community service hours
• Stand out on college applications
• Be a stronger candidate for summer jobs
• Make a positive impact upon students
• All 8th-12th Grade B’nai Mitzvah are eligible

Madrichim (assistants) help out in the Religious School classrooms or office on Sunday mornings, during Midweek Hebrew or Junior Youth Group events!

* Madricha is the feminine version of "madrich"
Thank You Gan Shalom, for Such a Wonderful School Year!

We laughed, we learned, we made wonderful long-lasting friendships!

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT

SAVE THE DATE
Welcome Back School Spirit Tot Shabbat
FRIDAY | SEPT. 6 | 5:00 PM

For more information, please contact Heidi Cooper, Director of Early Childhood Education at heidi@sholomchicago.org or 773-525-4867.
ADULT ENGAGEMENT

OrChadash, Temple Sholom’s LGBTQ affiliate member group, is proud to provide a wide-range of spiritual and social programming, including monthly Friday night services, holiday and festival celebrations, a variety of social activities, and programs honoring individuals and organizations who serve the LGBTQ community.

Join Us for Our Upcoming OrChadash Late Congregational Service
Clergy and OrChadash lay leaders have worked to create and lead services that blend the traditions of Or Chadash and Temple Sholom.

FRIDAY | AUG. 2
6:30 PM Dinner* | 7:45 PM Service
*Optional dinner will be available for purchase.

Open to ALL!

OrChadash
LGBTQ Members & Allies
makom 20s/30s

Makom Shabbat
formerly “Sushi Shabbat”

AUG. 16
6:15 PM Happy Hour & Meet the Board
7:00 PM Dinner
7:45 PM Service

Join Makom and Chicagoland 20s & 30s for our monthly Shabbat dinner. Then, stay and pray at our late service.

For more information, visit facebook.com/templesholommakom/events.

SAVE THE DATE
Annual Sholom Justice BBQ
SUNDAY | SEPT. 8 | 5:00PM

Join us at Rabbi and Damien Conover’s home for our annual BBQ celebrating all that we have accomplished this past year and looking forward to the year ahead.

Please be on the lookout for more information during the summer.

Upcoming Events
Feed the Hungry
SUNDAY | JULY 14 | 9:30AM
Lox & Bagel TBD
Monday Meal
We have a Monday Meal each week this summer, and with students away at camp we are always looking for volunteers!

Exciting Recent News
In May, the Monday Meal program hosted its annual Parents’ Day expanded meal!

We welcomed more than 100 guests who enjoyed a wonderful prime rib dinner. Thank you to Larry & Carol Levy for generously sponsoring our expanded Monday Meals each year!

Sholom Justice also sent a delegation to the Consultation on Conscience (CoC) in Washington D.C. Wendy Brown (fourth from left) recaps her first time at CoC:

“For the first time, I attended the Religious Action Center’s Consultation on Conscience - May 19-22 in Washington, DC. More than 1,200 Reform Jews who care deeply about social justice were in attendance. One of the most moving programs was a pre-consultation program Sunday morning: ‘Social Justice, Progressive Politics and Israel.’ Three speakers presented the most balanced view of Jews, Arabs, Israel and Palestine that I have heard in a long time. A morning plenary session featured three young people discussing gun violence and immigration times. Matt Deitsch is the co-founder of March for Our Lives; Zoe Turner is North American Social Action VP of NFTY and chairs the Gun Violence Prevention and Sexual Violence Prevention Task Forces. Elias Rosenfeld came to this country legally on an L-2 visa with his mom who died suddenly of cancer. He learned when he was applied for a driver’s license that the visa expired with her death and he became undocumented. He is a Dreamer who is a senior at Brandeis and could be deported at any time. All three were passionate and articulate and driven.”

Other highlights from first time participant, Bonnie Podesky (third from right) include: “the many informative and thought-provoking breakout sessions – which allowed me to return home with several action items to strengthen my advocacy – and participating in such a large community of Jews actively engaged in social justice.”

In other exciting news, The Keep Illinois Families Together Act passed the Senate and is on its way to the Governor’s desk! HB 1637 will prevent law enforcement from becoming deputized as ICE agents, and will help keep families together. This is the second victory following passage of the Retaining Illinois Students and Equity (RISE) Act (HB 2691). This bill will ensure more Illinois students are eligible for state financial aid toward higher education.

We are excited for what the 2019/2020 year will hold for Sholom Justice, so be sure to be on the lookout for upcoming events and information!

To learn how to get involved, receive the Sholom Justice e-blast, or learn about upcoming activities and events, email Toby at toby@sholomchicago.org.

Jewish War Veterans Post 710
The Community Service Post

We will not meet in July and August. During this time, Post 710 members will receive updates via email.

SAVE THE DATE
Korean Festival | July 22
at Old Orchard

All members are welcome to join! Veteran status NOT necessary.
For more information or to join JWV Post 710 community service projects, contact Dr. Jerry Field at jerrychicago710@gmail.com.

Mindful Jewish Aging
Join Mindful Jewish Aging for a spiritual discussion on growing older.

SATURDAY | JULY 13
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM
at Temple Sholom

SATURDAY | AUG. 10
10:30 AM – 12:30 PM
at Temple Sholom

To be added to the communications list, contact Stacy Charnay at stacy@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1545.

Game Day
THURSDAYS | 1:00 – 3:00 PM at Temple Sholom

Join in the fun at our weekly Game Day – play Mah Jongg, Canasta and other group games!

For more information, or to be added to the Communications List, contact Stacy Charnay at stacy@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1545.

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ADULT ENGAGEMENT

WTS, MCA...and All That Jazz!
at the MCA

TUESDAY | JULY 30 | 8:00 PM
FREE | No RSVP Needed

Join us as we spend a summer evening socializing, noshing and enjoying the music of renowned Chicago jazz singer Maggie Brown at our first meet-up of the MCA’s Tuesdays on the Terrace. Maggie has recorded with Ramsey Lewis, Stevie Wonder and her legendary father Oscar Brown, Jr., among many others.

Please bring an appetizer, side dish, wine or dessert to share. Food and drinks are also available for purchase. Find us on the lawn and please bring your own chair/blanket and food.

The MCA is open until 9:00pm on Tuesdays and is free for Illinois residents, so plan to come early or stay late and enjoy the latest exhibitions.

Contact info will be provided closer to the event date, for in case of rain.

For more information, contact Stacy Charnay at stacy@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1545.

Monday Morning Minyanas

FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH
JULY 1 | 8:00 AM
AUG. 5 | 8:00 AM

A monthly relaxed, come-as-you-are, early-morning service lasting approximately 30-45 minutes, led by one of our Clergy, featuring a Torah Reading with explanation and discussion. The short service is followed by continental breakfast with coffee, juice and pastries, plus time to socialize with new friends, congregants and the Clergy.

Whether you are a newcomer to the Torah and Minyan service or a biblical scholar, this service will appeal.

Open to the entire congregation and sponsored by It’s Our Turn - please join us!

For more information, contact Stacy Charnay at stacy@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1545.

Millennium Park Concert

SATURDAY | JULY 20 | 5:30 PM
FREE | No RSVP Needed

Meet, nosh and socialize while enjoying great company and a world-class concert in Chicago’s most amazing outdoor setting.

Bring your own food and drink, and chairs or blankets, and if you can, bring an appetizer, side or dessert to share. Look for the lively Temple Sholom group gathered in a visible location on the lawn near the seats.

For more information, or to be added to the Communications List, please visit sholomchicago.org/its-our-turn or contact Stacy Charnay at stacy@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1545.

Provide for the Jewish Community of Tomorrow

Together, with your commitment to legacy giving, we can ensure that our children and grandchildren will benefit in the way we have benefitted from the generations before us.

L’Dor Vador

Questions? Contact Marla Kuyzman at marla@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1535.

Meet Beverly Clor: Member, Volunteer, Donor, Friend, and More

After 30 years in California, Beverly moved back to Lakeview and became a member at Temple Sholom in 2015. While she has family in the Chicagoland area, she was eager to connect and make friendships in her new neighborhood and she knew the temple would be a key connector.

She found her niche and quickly became a devoted Monday Meat Volunteer as part of the salad making crew every week. She also enjoys making it a priority to attend weekly Shabbat services, especially enjoying the new friendships she has made. Making friends like Phyllis Vihon, Marina Friedman and Bella Siora and many others, has been an immeasurable benefit.

The temple in turn, has benefitted as well. Beverly has been committed to making monthly contributions to support the Annual Fund and the Seed the Light initiative, as well as honoring beloved family and friends with special Yahrzeit gifts.

Her love of the Temple Sholom community is deep. “I am blessed; the temple is a large part of my life, my family! It is a community that I support and that supports me.”
There’s never been a better time to go home...join us in Israel!

JUNE 17 – 28, 2020

It’s never too soon to start planning NEXT summer’s vacation, especially when it involves an historic trip to Israel with Rabbi Conover as a personal guide!

We anticipate the trip filling up fast, so hurry and register today!

For more info and to register, visit arzaworld.com/sholomchicago2020-register.aspx.

Open House 2019

FRIDAY | AUG. 16 | 5:30 PM
at Temple Sholom of Chicago
3480 N. Lake Shore Drive

Reception and Dinner with Shabbat Service to follow

Join us as we welcome new and prospective members, and honor those celebrating membership anniversaries!

RSVP by Aug. 9

RSVP to Emma Harmon at emma@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1542.
For more information about any Open House event, please visit sholomchicago.org/openhouse or contact Stacy Charnay at stacy@sholomchicago.org or 773-435-1545.
A Message from Your Clergy
We want to be present for you and your family. The sacred work of comfort during times of illness is very important to our Rabbis and Cantor. Please find us in person or by phone at 773-435-1531 so we are sure to be informed. In these technological times, social media, texts or even email may not reach us in a timely way.

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**IOT Millennium Park Concert**
SATURDAY | JULY 20
9:30 AM
For more info, visit sholomchicago.org/openhouse

**INDEPENDENCE DAY**
BUILDING CLOSED
7:00 PM

**URJ Camp OSRUI Daily Tours for Prospective Families**
SUN–THURS. | 2:30 PM
(OR BY SCHEDULED APPOINTMENT)
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