



Member Spotlight: *David Mamon*

My family joined TE about seven years ago, but our path was a bit circuitous. When our firstborn, Marissa, was of nursery school age, we joined Mishkan Tefilah. We left the temple for a chavurah with about 30 other families, however, as my children were getting into their late teens and our parents were aging, I felt we needed something a little more concrete as I knew there would be some major life events happening in our family. TE was the obvious choice for us as we had family who already belonged there. Lauren's aunt and uncle, Phyllis and Jerry Gordon, are part of the fabric at TE (they even have a key to the shul), and my brother's family, Harvey and Roberta, can often be found at the Rabbi's Saturday morning Talmud Class.

Judaism has always been a major part of my life. I grew up in a traditional Conservative home where we kept kosher, went to services almost every Saturday, although I often went kicking and screaming. Of course, Jewish camp was a major part of my Jewishness. My parents sent me to Camp Yavneh. Socially, I loved camp, made many lasting relationships, and grew to truly appreciate and love Shabbat.

The day I truly fell in love with being Jewish was when I landed in Israel at age 21. I felt a sense of belonging. My parents gave me a graduation present of a trip to Israel. I loved kibbutz life. I knew some Hebrew from Camp Yavneh and Prozdor and I quickly became part of the kibbutz family. I decided I wanted to stay a little longer and was able to move to a kibbutz right on the Mediterranean Sea and study Ulpan. It was a great six months. Happily, I returned to Boston and met my wife, Lauren, two months later. The rest is history!

Lauren likes to tell me that I have two seasons: golf season and shul season. I love Shabbat at TE. It's not uncommon for me to leave my house at 8:00 in the morning and be home after 1:00. It starts with Rabbi Wes' class and then a few hours of quiet solitude to reflect, escape from the hustle and bustle of the week and connect with friends in truly meaningful way, plus of course a kibbitz and a bagel. As I began getting more integrated into the fabric of TE, I started to get more involved in a few committees. First the Board of Trustees, then the Board of Directors, the Annual Appeal and I recently became TE Brotherhood President. As Brotherhood President, my goal is to get younger members and those less involved to be comfortable attending, provide networking, intergenerational and Tikkun Olam opportunities, and help them find a connection into the Temple.

I have been married to Lauren for 32 amazing years. She is a speech language pathologist at Belmont High School. Our daughter, Marissa, is a lawyer in Boston and in October, 2018, with Rabbi Gardenswartz and Cantor Roseberg officiating, she married our son-in-law, Zachary. Our son, Jonathan, is a

management consultant in New York. Judaism has always been a very important and major part of our lives. In the Mamon family, Pesach is the favorite holiday. Most years there are 40+ people at our table. It is loud and joyous and so much fun!

I know the clergy truly cares for me and my family and I consider my family lucky to have such a great relationship with them.



David Mamon and his dog, Bodhi.

Over the past two years we have had many simchas to celebrate, however, it seems in Jewish life, there has to be a little "tsuris" to accompany the good times. My dad became sick and was in and out of the hospital and rehab facilities for about a year. This was a very stressful time and the Temple Emanuel family was terrific with my mom and dad. Much to my dad's objections, Wes and Aliza came to visit my dad at the rehab, and through conversation, prayer and song, provided my parents with great comfort. While my dad was convinced he would not make it to Marissa and Zach's wedding, Wes provided the support he needed to be able to walk down the aisle on my mom's arm. I will be forever grateful to them for this. I would also be remiss if I didn't mention how much I look forward to a smile and kind word from Rabbi Robinson. I know the clergy truly cares for me and my family and I consider my family lucky to have such a great relationship with them.

"Cheese!"

by Ruth Tepper with Al Kaplan, Bonnie Greenberg and David Greenfield

Smile, you're on the TE website! You may have noticed them, the PhotoCorps, with their cameras at the ready while you are attending shul events. Recently at the Annual Community BBQ you may have heard Al Kaplan, (a.k.a. The Boss), directing his photographers. "You photograph the tables, I'll get the men at the grills!" By the time the sun went down, the Temple Emanuel PhotoCorps had captured the fun and camaraderie of our members at the not-to-be-missed September fall bash!

Our photographers often are asked, "What are you doing?" According to Al, "Our mission is to preserve images of synagogue events for future generations. It also allows the entire congregation to capture the moments they may have missed. Images are also used for marketing purposes."



The group was created more than fifteen years ago by David Greenfield. Rabbi Gardenswartz requested a meeting with him and his first reaction was, "Am I in trouble?" In their meeting Rabbi Gardenswartz showed David three annual reports from other Jewish organizations. Two were filled with pictures and bits of copy and ours was heavy on text with only a few postage stamp sized pictures. The rabbi requested enhanced, quality photo documentation of a broad range of activities

with the objective of showing the vibrancy and diversity of what TE had to offer. David was already covering and promoting Brotherhood events in his role of Vice President. Overwhelmed with what one designated photographer could do, knowing that one photographer could not be everywhere, David told him he needed a full photographic press corps. He enlisted the help of Mark Lowenthal and so the PhotoCorps was born! Since its inception, many members have joined the corps to document our myriad of activities. David has created a guide book for the photographers. No matter the event, they show up to capture our guest speakers, Religious School events, Brotherhood and Sisterhood, Purim, Cradles to Crayons, and Project Manna. Nobody is sure who has more fun – the photographers or the people posing! Joani Katz, a member of the corps remarked, "Capturing expressions of people at shul who are engaged is a joy. Some of my favorites are of people learning to do Hagbah!" Judi Bornstein added, "It gives me pleasure, I enjoy the events and I love capturing it for others to see."

Long gone are the days of developing film. Bonnie explains, "We go home, upload our images to Dropbox and Brian Lefsky gets them onto the website." Members can then download any photos they would like to keep. Imagine – pictures of your grandchildren at Purim or your grandmother starring in TE's Broadway – like play! You can find our pictures on the Temple Emanuel website and in our beautifully curated Annual Report. The only requirement to join the team is an enthusiastic desire to show up and capture the many activities at TE for posterity. Contact Al Kaplan at aikaplanmd@gmail.com if you want to share your skills with the congregation.

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Community Prayer: November (Cheshvan /Kislev) December (Kislev /Tevet) 5780 – 2019

DAILY SERVICES

Sundays at 8:00 am
& 7:30 pm
Monday through Thursday at
7:00 am & 7:30 pm
Fridays at 7:00 am

Rosh Chodesh Kislev (November 28th & 29th)
Chanukah (December 22nd–30th)
Rosh Chodesh Tevet (December 28th & 29th)

Saturday, November 2

Parshat Noach
Bar Mitzvah: David Stern,
son of Judy and Alvin Stern

Saturday, November 9

Musical Shabbat
Parshat Lech-Lecha
Mincha Bar Mitzvah: Noah Peters,
son of Jessica and John Peters

Saturday, November 16

Parshat Vayera
Bar Mitzvah: Lily Katz,
daughter of Debbie and
Doug Katz
Bar Mitzvah: Malachy Dubin,
son of Lauryl and Steven Dubin
Mincha Bat Mitzvah: Ivy Connolly,
daughter of Stacy and Jack
Connolly

Saturday, November 23

Parshat Chayei Sarah

Saturday, November 30

Parshat Toldot

SHABBAT SERVICES

Fridays at 6:30 pm
Saturdays at 6:45 am
& 9:30 am
Childcare at 10:00 am

Saturday, December 7

Musical Shabbat
Parshat Vayeitzei
Bar Mitzvah: Samuel Fishman,
son of Zoe and Craig Fishman
Bar Mitzvah: Jacob Goodman,
son of Ingrid Schreffner and
Josh Goodman

Saturday, December 14

Parshat Vayishlach
Bar Mitzvah: Aaron Spetter-
Goldstein, son of Vicki Spetter and
Warren Goldstein

Saturday, December 21

Parshat Vayeishev
Mincha Bat Mitzvah: Isabella
Coller, daughter of Cara and
Joshua Coller

Saturday, December 28

Parshat Mikeitz

CANDLE LIGHTING TIMES

11/15:20
11/84:11
11/154:04
11/223:59
11/293:55
12/63:54
12/133:54
12/203:56
12/274:00

MINCHA TIMES

11/25:20
11/94:10
11/164:05
11/234:00
11/304:00
12/74:00
12/144:00
12/214:00
12/284:00

SISTERHOOD HAPPENINGS

COLLEGE HOLIDAY KITS

There is still time to sign up for College Holiday Kits! Sisterhood Temple Emanuel helps keep college students, military and gap year teens connected during the academic year by sending them fun packages to celebrate the holidays away from home. For details and to sign up, go to tecollegkits@gmail.com.

NOT YOUR BUBBE'S KITCHEN

Sunday, November 17th

Sisterhood kicks off "Not Your Bubbe's Kitchen" with learning, cooking, and tasting new recipes. On four Sundays throughout the year a Sisterhood member will host a cooking demonstration in her home for 10–12 members to enjoy. If you want to host or participate, contact Barbara Epstein at barbepstein@gmail.com.

MAKE A MOSAIC MEZUZAH

Tuesday, December 10th at 7:00 pm

Join us for mosaic mezuzah making with TE member and mosaic artist Cecilia Kremer. Perfect for a Hanukkah gift! Fee: \$20 includes materials and instruction. Please bring cash or a check payable to Cecilia Kremer to the program. RSVP by December 1 to Marilyn Buchenholz at mbuchenholz@comcast.net.

Gemilut Hasadim: B'nei Mitzvah Taking on Our Broken World

During the Bar and Bat Mitzvah year, our students take on the responsibility of learning to chant prayers, Torah and haftarah, writing a d'var Torah and sharing their insights with the congregation. In addition, they take on community service projects, doing Tikkun Olam and fixing a part of our broken world.

Max Hubbard, Lee Nevo and Archie Glazer are taking on the issue of climate change. They feel that America and the world are not doing enough to fight such a monumental crisis. The oceans are getting warmer, causing sea levels to rise and flooding. Coastal areas are being destroyed. The threesome thought it would be fun to talk about and raise awareness through the ever growing YouTube platform. They are creating an informational video about climate change, using footage and clips on nature and showing how organizations are dealing with it. They have met with Senator Cynthia Creem, a Temple member, who gave them some practical and easy suggestions like "using fewer straws, eating less beef and cutting back on electricity usage." Senator Creem was impressed that "these three B'nei Mitzvah have shown their strong commitment to do more."

Their goal is to have as many people as possible watch their videos and then take action. The link to the YouTube channel is: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gVpVg64oGkQ&t=63s>.

Gil Calvederos loves animals so he decided to focus his time and energy in that direction. After he brought an injured bird to the Animal Rescue League of Boston's Dedham location, Gil found out that the organization needs towels, blankets, linens, toys, food and treats. By using Newton Freecycle, asking friends, and putting big collection boxes at TE and his cello teacher's studio, he was able to collect "lots of stuff!" At the Gifford Cat Shelter he played with the cats, getting them ready to be placed in homes. From his experience, Gil learned that "there are many animals in need just in Newton, and although it takes patience to collect things, people are generous and I filled 50 contractor sized bags!"

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Sukkah Building and Celebrating!

Twenty-one years ago, Maxine Zarchan, the Family Educator at the time, created a "Build a Sukkah" program for *Kitah Dalet* (4th grade) families. According to parent Carol Schauer, "it was a fabulous program. The grade was divided into groups of five families, TE provided the raw materials, the group then gathered, built and decorated the sukkah together and followed up with dinner in the sukkah later that week. It was a wonderful way to meet other families."

"Two past TE presidents and other leaders of the shul participated and many families are still friendly because of this one experience! This was not a simple task—we really had to work together to make this happen. Lots of teamwork! Luckily we had some handy people in the group. They were the construction crew and others were the decorators."

"We ate several more meals that week in the sukkah with family and friends. We put it up several more times and hosted our havurah. The sukkah then got passed on to other havurah families where we were then the guests. Eventually the wood could no longer be used and the sukkah was retired but we still have pictures and great memories." Carol even found an index card her son, Sam, shared with his class. The card, dated 10/98 stated, "This is a picture of me helping build our sukkah for Sukkot (a Jewish holiday). I really liked building the sukkah!"

Since Terri Swartz Russell, our current Family Educator, had heard so much positive feedback through the years about the Sukkah experience, she "decided to replicate it this year with *Kitah Gimel* (3rd grade) students and their families. A number of parents felt that it was a great way to get out of the classroom and traditional book learning and were happy to participate in living and experiencing Sukkot."

Parent Steven Telio wrote that his family participated in the *Kitah Gimel* class project. "We knew one family since our kids were in preschool, had recently met the second and did not know the third. Parents and children worked together to build and decorate with pipe cleaner chains, paper doves and vegetables, (real and fake.) Pizza, salad and a chocolate dessert were followed by parents talking and children playing. If it were not for the mosquitoes we would have been there late into the night. It was a great opportunity to get to know families better, share a meal, some laughs and commiserate about Bar/Bat Mitzvah planning for those of us with older kids!"

The children decorated with chains and vegetables. They learned that sukkahs need at least 3 walls and you must be able to see the stars through the roof. Getting on the ladders to toss s'chach on the bamboo roof was one of the highlights of the "Build a Sukkah" program.

The sukkahs today are easier to assemble but whether it was 1998 or 2019 some things stay the same—the families learned all about making a sukkah and celebrating with old and new friends.



Lee, Max and Archie with Sen. Creem



Gil at the shelters



Carol Schauer putting on final touches, 1998



Kitah Gimel building a sukkah, 2019

Gemilut Hasadim: B'nei Mitzvah Taking on Our Broken World

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Noah Peters and his family have participated at Family Table for several years. His family assembles and distributes monthly donations of food to Jewish families facing food insecurity issues. He was very touched when he arrived at the last drop off of the day. There, an elderly woman accepted the bags filled with groceries, invited them in and offered them a bag of apples in return. "It showed me that even if you are busy, you can help others," Noah added.

Since Mira Fein loves spending time with her own grandparents, she decided to reach out to elders at Hebrew SeniorLife. She goes weekly to play games, talk and eat with the seniors.

She said, "I was surprised about how easy it was to make conversation with people who are more than seventy years older than me! I've learned a lot of good advice about life like just living in the moment. I would definitely recommend HSL as a place for B'nei Mitzvah to do a gemilut hasadim project. Some residents are perfectly healthy, some have physical disabilities and others have Alzheimer's. There is a senior for every kid to connect with in the volunteer program. It will make both a teen and a senior super happy! When I asked my friend, Marcia, who is 89, for a picture, her answer was, "I would be honored to take a picture with you." And the feeling was mutual!"

If your child is looking for a meaningful Gemilut Hasadim project, contact aberger@templemanuel.com.



Marcia and Mira, HSL friends



Artist at work

Art Matters

by Ruth Tepper

On a rainy Thursday afternoon in September, a group of seniors from Temple Emanuel and non-members from the community gathered in Reisman Hall for lunch and an artful afternoon program, the first in a monthly series sponsored by the Temple Emanuel Senior Fund.

Linda Landsberg, an art educator presented "Desert Scenes in the Style of Georgia O'Keeffe." She gave some background on O'Keeffe's life including her marriage to the photographer Alfred Stieglitz and her love of the Southwest. Known as the "Mother of American Modernism," O'Keeffe was best known for her distinct enlarged flowers and glowing New Mexico landscapes. In her later years she suffered from

failing eyesight but kept painting. An inspiration to many who face the challenges of aging, O'Keeffe observed, "I can see what I want to paint. The thing that makes you want to create is still there." And she lived to the age of 98!

After Linda showed examples of O'Keeffe's work of the Southwest, with the expansive skies, desert terrain, cacti and flowers and demonstrated some of O'Keeffe's painting techniques, it was the seniors' turn to try creating paintings in the style of O'Keeffe. On each table were sets of brushes, paints and papers and with a bit of encouragement and assistance, even the most reluctant attendees picked up their brushes and painted soft water colored desert scenes.

ACTIVE LIVING PROGRAMS FOR OLDER ADULTS

Celebrate Thanksgiving again!
Tuesday, December 3rd at 12:15 pm

Join L'Chaim for (another) Thanksgiving dinner and featuring entertainment by Lisa Yves, "The Best of Broadway." RSVP to Tracy at 617-959-4928.

Sponsored by Benchmark, *no charge.*

Annual L'CHAIM Hanukkah party featuring Steve Siagel
Tuesday, December 10th at 12:30 pm

Latkes, sufganiyot and menorah lighting! Bring a \$5.00 gift to exchange L'CHAIM on Tuesdays, Memory Cafe, Caregiver Support, Exercise, Zumba, Artful Afternoons, movies and more!

Contact Tracy Schneider, TE Senior Programming Advisor, at 617-959-4928 or tracys120@yahoo.com.

Having "mastered" O'Keeffe, the group looks forward to learning about other artists throughout the year including van Gogh, Matisse, Miro, Mondrian, Lichtenstein, Monet, and Homer.

For more information about *Artful Afternoons* and other programs for active older adults including *L'Chaim* on Tuesdays, exercise, zumba, and morning movies, contact Tracy Schneider at 617-959-4928. *Graciously sponsored by the Breslau family.*

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MEMBERS' MILESTONES

ENGAGEMENT

Mimi Ross and Howard Goldstein announce the engagement of their son, Alex Goldstein, to Alyssa Biller

BIRTHS

Lynn Holden and Lou Zand announce the birth of their grandson, Zev Zand

SPECIAL ANNIVERSARIES

65 YEARS
Ruth and Ron Silberstein

60 YEARS
Helen and David Cohen
Lillian and Glenn Mamon
Paula and Ralph Gilbert

55 YEARS
Mady and Bruce Donoff

50 YEARS
Marilyn and Peter Bernstein
Brenda and Harvey Freishtat
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Susan and David Kopelman
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40 YEARS
Diana and Jack Gould
Susan and Daniel Levy

35 YEARS
Vicky and Richard Levin
Jill and Peter Matusow
Heidi and Scott Schuster
Cindy and Steve Siagel

30 YEARS
Sherri Ades Falchuk and Kenneth Falchuk
Marjory and Marc Gundersheim
Jill and Mitch Roberts
Myra and Mort Zisk
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25 YEARS
Lisa and Jonathan Joffe

20 YEARS
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Mary and Gary Melnick
Lynn Grush and Nelson Ronkin

15 YEARS
Debbie and Doug Katz
Lauryl and Steven Dubin

10 YEARS

Aviva and Steve List
Robin and Jonathan Gilula

5 YEARS

Nicole Hodgman and Josh Mandel-Brehm
Irene and Ari Brettman

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Gail Silberstein on the loss of her beloved mother, Zetta Fradin

Janis Fox on the loss of her beloved mother, Florence Fox

Our Congregation has sustained the loss of our members
MARK LEVY
MARK NEMCHENOK
May their memory always be for a blessing.



From the Gates

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Saturday, November 2	Visiting Hartman Scholar Rachel Korazim
Sunday, November 3	Sisterhood Donor Event
Monday, November 4	Visiting Hartman Scholar Rachel Korazim
Monday, November 11	Veterans Day (Office closed)
Thursday, November 21	Visiting Hartman Scholar Micah Goodman
Saturday, November 23	Visiting Hartman Scholar Micah Goodman
Thursday, November 28	Thanksgiving Day (Office Closed)

Friday, November 29	(Office closed)
Sunday, December 1	Annual Post – Thanksgiving Concert
Tuesday, December 17	Community-wide Pre-Hanukkah Celebration
Sunday, December 22	1st Night of Hanukkah
Monday, December 23	Hanukkah
Monday, December 30	

Adult Education

READINGS FROM THE PSALMS

with Sid Kadish and David Link

Shabbat afternoons following kiddush

12:45–1:45 pm

November 2, 9, 16, 23
December 7, 14, 21

Read and discuss selected psalms in Hebrew and English. Knowledge of Hebrew is not necessary.

BEGINNER MODERN SPOKEN HEBREW

with Sigalit Davis

Wednesdays from 7:45–9:00 pm

November 6, 13, 20,
December 4, 11, 18

Starting from scratch, learn to read, write and speak. Course fee: \$120 Register at www.templemanuel.com/modernhebrew

DEATH CAFE: SAYING KADDISH

How to Comfort the Dying, Bury the Dead and Mourn as a Jew with Anita Diamant
Sunday, December 15 at 7:45 pm



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MUSIC AT TEMPLE EMANUEL

Thanksgiving Concert: 'S Wonderful

Sunday, December 1st at 7:00 pm in the Rabbi Samuel Chiel Sanctuary

A tribute to George Gershwin with our wonderful and marvelous Cantor Elias Rosenberg, Rav Hazzan Aliza Berger, Jeremiah Klarman and special guests. The concert will be a tribute to this great American composer and pianist whose compositions spanned both popular and classical genres.

The concert is sponsored by Lloyd David and family in memory of Lucia Myersohn David ^{z"l}.

Zamir Chorale of Boston

Hanukkah Happens – The Lighter Side

Tuesday, December 4th at 7:00 pm in the Rabbi Samuel Chiel Sanctuary

A one-of-a-kind concert celebrating the prestigious Zamir Chorale of Boston and featuring Cantor Elias Rosenberg as a soloist.

Hartman Learning Initiatives

Start your summer with us at Hartman in Israel!

Learn from phenomenal teachers, build community with Temple Emanuel members and experience Israel in a new way on a vacation for the mind with Rabbi Robinson from June 24–July 1, 2020. To learn more about our annual Hartman Institute Study Retreat, contact Amy Klein and Brian Lefsky at abklein@inis.com or visit www.templemanuel.com/HartmanStudyTrip.

Scholar-in-Residence Dr. Micah Goodman

Thursday, November 21
8:00–9:15 pm

Building a Religiously and Politically Passionate Center in Israel

Saturday, November 23

Talmud Class: 8:30–9:30 am
The Challenge of Death and the Meaning of Life: New Reflections on the Book of Jonah

Shabbat Sermon: The Enigma of Abraham

Post-kiddush Session: The Three Challenges Israel Faces Today

For more information on Hartman go to:
www.templemanuel.com/HartmanLearningInitiative

B'TSELEM: INCLUSION

Our B'TSELEM Inclusion Committee works to create a community where people of all abilities are welcomed, valued equally and able to participate fully.

Join us on Sunday, November 17th from 7:45–9:15 pm

If a Tree Falls: A Family's Quest To Hear and Be Heard

with author Jennifer Rosner

A revealing memoir of a family's "wrenching journey into deafness from the standpoint of a mother, a wife, a daughter, a philosopher, and a Jew."

Rabbi Samuel Chiel Kallah

with Rabbi Dr. Bradley Shavit Artson, Scholar-in-Residence

Saturday, December 7, 2019

Jewish Wisdom For Better Living

Talmud class: 8:30–9:30 am

Acquiring Torah: The Story of Rabbi Akiva

Shabbat Sermon: Judaism as World Wisdom

Post-kiddush session: 12:45 pm

Almighty? No Way? Embracing the God We Actually Love

TE Cradles to Crayons Community Service Project

Sunday, December 15 from 2:00–4:00 pm

Join us for a family-friendly volunteer day to help local children at our 4th Annual Community Drive and Sorting Event. Start collecting gently-used and new items. Clothing, shoes, boots, books and art supplies are most appreciated. Go to www.cradlestocrayons.org for details about acceptable items or contact Joe Ackerstein at ackjoe@aol.com, Lois Cohen at lois.cohen@gmail.com or Pam Weil at pweil2@aol.com for more information.

