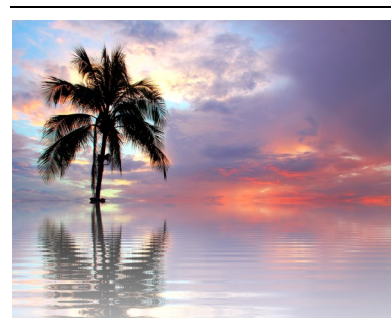


July 2025

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SHALOM
A Reform Congregation



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A Letter from the President July 2025

In Fiddler, Tevye and Golde sing: “Do you love me? -- With our daughters getting married
And this trouble in the town...”

I would change that to “with antisemitism at an all-time high and trouble in our world” – do we love being a part of Temple Shalom? I certainly do! I agreed to do a third term as President because I believe in us as a community, a support system, a family.

Thank you to the Board of Directors for all that you have done to make this year successful. Thank you to our members for leading/participating in services, doing clerical work, doing manual work, teaching/learning, planning and working events, and attending activities. Thank you for supporting Temple Shalom by being a member and through your donations.

This year, our Temple Shalom family has come together to support one another in both sad times and in times of celebration. Thank you to everyone who has reached out in support of others. We are so blessed to be part of such a caring community.

Changes for 2025-2026:

Rabbi Aaron Sherman has joined us as our part time Rabbi. He will be in attendance two weekends a month and holidays.

Dues increased for the 2025-26 fiscal year by \$50 per person.

The cost of Temple sponsored meals has been changed due to higher food costs: lunch/brunch-\$20 for members and \$27 for guests, and dinner-\$25 for members and \$32 for guests.

Our first Budget committee has been formed.

Activities

We will be rescheduling the discussions about “Caring for the Caregiver” and “Preventing Falls.”

We will be scheduling another safety training and a self-defense training.

We are going to try to do another Kulanu event.

We are going to be working on some fund-raising ideas.

What can you do?

If you are not a member, please join us!

If you are a member – volunteer to help lead a service, write a d’var Torah, write an article for the newsletter, teach an activity as a fundraiser, organize an activity like a movie night or a game day or a trivia outing, or whatever...

Thank you for engaging with and belonging to our Temple family. July 1 begins our new fiscal year; may it be an even stronger year of engagement and belonging.



SHABBAT SERVICES

We meet at 4023 Belle Terre Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC 29579.

Our **Friday evening** services begin at 7:30pm. Saturday at 10:30 AM. Members who cannot physically attend Friday night or scheduled Saturday services can view services via Zoom. Contact TempleShalommbpresident@gmail.com to request a Zoom invitation.

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Please join us in welcoming Rabbi Aaron! His first weekend at Temple Shalom is the weekend of July 11th and 12th.

Temple Shalom welcomes Rabbi Aaron Sherman of Charleston, South Carolina as our part-time Rabbi.

Rabbi Aaron comes to us after serving as the part-time rabbi of Beth Israel Congregation in Florence from 2011 – June 2025. He also works as a chaplain with Jewish Family Services.

Rabbi Aaron will perform Shabbat evening and morning services two (2) weekends per month and holidays. He will be teaching adult education classes at various times throughout the year.

Rabbi Aaron will also provide the following for members upon request: officiate at life-cycle events, provide personal pastoral counseling, and reach out to congregation members who are convalescing at home, in the hospital, live in assisted living facilities or nursing homes via telephone, virtual communication media, or in person visits.

ONEG NEWS

Half the year is already over and we have had an oneg following every Friday night service! The calendar for the second half of the year is rapidly filling up. You can still volunteer to provide an oneg for the following dates.
Sponsored onegs will be assigned when the need exists.

There are plenty of dates to choose from-Plan ahead!

August 22, 29
Oct 3, 10, 17, 31
All of November
December 5, 26

If you pick a date for a special occasion, let me know. (Yahrzeit, anniversary, birthday, etc).

Remember if you are providing an Oneg, you get the honor of lighting the Shabbat candles. If you aren't sure how, ask any of the regular Friday attendees.

If you are homebound and would like to sponsor an Oneg, contact me.

You can ask me how to do this if you are unsure.

Flo

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[910-368-1070](tel:910-368-1070)



What's Happening at Temple Shalom July 2025

Friday	07/04/25	No services this weekend.
Friday	07/11/25	Shabbat service led by Rabbi Aaron and Cookie Brenner
Saturday	07/12/25	Shabbat service led by Rabbi Aaron and Salem Foels
Friday	07/18/25	Shabbat service led by Cookie Brenner and Michelle Foels
Friday	07/25/25	Shabbat service led by Rabbi Aaron and Mike Sachwald
Saturday	07/26/25	Shabbat service led by Rabbi Aaron and Salem Foels

If you would like to participate in the mitzvah of leading the English or delivering a sermon at a Friday evening service, please contact TempleShalomMBPresident@gmail.com. If you are unable to stand to do the service, accommodations will be made.

Thank You Notes

Thank you to Mike and Cookie for leading our Shavuot service and to Cookie, Mickie, Bobbie, Irene, Gloria, Colin and Barbara, Marlene, Flo and Dave, Barbara, Linda, Lily Ann Revitch, and Gerry for our dairy bonanza.

Thank you to Cookie for chairing the nominating committee and arranging for our annual meeting and supper --again. Thank you to Laurie for letting us use her election materials as our templates. Thank you to Bill and Mike for picking up the pizza and to Jamie for the salad for our supper. Thank you to everyone for voting.

Thank you to Jamie for leading Temple Shalom's OmShalom chair yoga class. Thank you to everyone who participated.

Thank you to Lily Ann for hosting Temple Shalom's 20th anniversary celebration. Thank you to our speakers: Lily Ann, Flo, Dave, Steve, Irene, Felice, Bill, Bobbie, and Cookie. Thank you to Jamie for the food preparation.

Thank you to Tiffany for chairing our Uncomfortable Conversations and to NAACP Myrtle Beach Branch #5568 for joining with us for our Kulanu project. Thank you to everyone who participated in our round table discussion and to Fresh Brewed Coffee House for sharing their space. Thank you to the Sheriff's office for providing security.

Thank you to Irene for hosting the Mah Jongg Marathon and to Michelle for taking reservations. Thank you to everyone who donated a gift card or small gift for prizes. Thank you to Barbara, her son Matthew, Stephen, Bill, Marlene, Flo, Felice, Ina, Linda, and Vicky Thayer who worked parking, set up, clean up and throughout the day.

SAVE THE DATE

There are no services July 4th weekend.

Join us for a self-defense training class, open to members and friends, on Sunday, July 27th from 11 AM - 2 PM at the Temple. Angela Howell, a self-defense instructor with 26 years' experience, is teaching the class. The cost for the 3 hours is \$25 per person. Please email Templeshalommbpresident@gmail.com to RSVP by July 17th.

Our next Book Club meeting is at 2:00 on Tuesday, July 29 at the Temple. We are reading The Girls of the Glimmer Factory by Jennifer Coburn. Lunch will be at the Olive Garden on #501 at 12:30. Text or email Irene to make a reservation for lunch.

VIRTUAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

YIVO Institute for Jewish Research, celebrating their Centennial Anniversary in 2025, is a research institute, an institution of higher learning, an adult education organization, a cultural organization, and a world-renowned library and archive. Their mission is to preserve, study, share, and perpetuate knowledge of the history and culture of East European Jewry worldwide. YIVO offers adult education, Yiddish language programs, lectures, conferences, art exhibitions and concerts, some free and some for a fee.
<https://www.yivo.org>

Also, check out the Events Recorded section.

THE NATIONAL LIBRARY OF ISRAEL (<https://www.nli.org.il/>)

Read articles, listen to music and attend online events.

AMERICA-ISRAEL FRIENDSHIP LEAGUE (<https://aifl.org/events>)

Participate in events about Israel's entrepreneurship, culture, medical research, environmental protection initiatives, and so much more.

Leo Baeck Institute (LBI) is an archive and research library devoted to the history and culture of German-speaking Jews <https://www.lbi.org/>

URJ (<https://reformjudaism.org/>) – choose the calendar tab

Are you a foodie?

Check out The Jewish Food Society at <https://www.jewishfoodsociety.org/> for interesting stories and recipes. Also visit Jamie Geller at <https://jamiegeller.com/author/jamie-geller>, Tory Avey at <https://toriavey.com>, and Jewish at <https://aish.com/jewish/recipes>.

The Forward -- founded in 1897 as a Yiddish-language daily, the Forward soon became a national paper, the most widely read Jewish newspaper anywhere. The English Forward was launched as a weekly in 1990 and moved to fully digital publication in 2019. The Forward delivers incisive coverage of the issues, ideas and institutions that matter to American Jews. Its rigorous reporting and balanced commentary on politics, arts and culture have won numerous awards year after year and made it the most influential nationwide Jewish media outlet. It is currently free and available to everyone everywhere.

Music

Ashreinu by Zach Mayer https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bXBWT5AcdkI&list=PLXj5GEpQ8SM-Hw-Or98NH2G_WNpcnjKlZ

Modeh Ani Dance by Zach Mayer https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N0_KMxAxhqs&list=PLXj5GEpQ8SM-Hw-Or98NH2G_WNpcnjKlZ&index=6

Mi Shebeirach L'tzahal - Eli Levin https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OMXHlwUfG-E&list=RDOMXHlwUfG-E&start_radio=1

VIDEO

JLive with Composer Zachary Mayer https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-fgV_UpnVRo&list=RD-fgV_UpnVRo&start_radio=1

ART

Why Queen Esther was the star in the age of Rembrandt's Amsterdam <https://forward.com/culture/art/701986/queen-esther-purim-rembrandt-exhibit-jewish-museum>

Shavuot 2025



Friday Service led by Rabbi Aaron Sherman



How Can YOU Make Donations to Temple Shalom?



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IN MEMORY/HONOR OF is a tribute on behalf of someone who was/is special in your life and can be in any amount. Available to all.

MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND ON THE WEBSITE UNDER "DONATIONS"



**HAVE YOU EVER WANTED TO SEE
YOUR WRITING PUBLISHED?**

**HAVE YOU WANTED TO LET OTHERS
KNOW THE IMPACT TEMPLE SHALOM
MEMBERSHIP HAS HAD IN YOUR LIFE?**

NOW is your chance. We are looking for members willing to write an article for the monthly newsletter/bulletin about the impact Temple Shalom has had on them. The article can be any size and we will publish one each month.

Please send your article to Hope Sachwald at TempleShalomMBPresident@gmail.com.

Thank you for your help!



On Friday, June 20th Temple celebrated it's 20th anniversary with a very special oneg sponsored by Lily Ann Revitch. Founding members spoke to the congregation



Lily Ann



Irene



Flo



Felice



Cookie



David



Hope did introduction



Steve



Bill did summation



IF YOU SEE SUSPICIOUS OR CONCERNING ACTIVITY, please contact local law enforcement and/or the relevant suspicious activity reporting authority.

Another way we've committed to combating antisemitism and hate in the Lowcountry is through the creation of the first **Joint Incident Reporting Tool**, in partnership between our Federation, the ADL Southeast, and Secure Community Network. Now, when you witness an act of hate, you can report it so that all three organizations can collaboratively respond, investigate, and track patterns of similar incidents around the state.

*The **Secure Community Network (SCN)**, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, is the official homeland safety and security organization of the Jewish community in North America. Founded in 2004 under the auspices of The Jewish Federations of North America and the Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations, SCN serves as the central organization dedicated exclusively to the safety and security of the American Jewish community, working across 146 federations, 50 partner organizations, over 300 independent communities, and other partners in the public, private, nonprofit, and academic sectors. SCN is dedicated to ensuring that Jewish organizations, communities, life, and culture can not only exist safely and securely, but flourish. Learn more at securecommunitynetwork.org.*

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General Fund

Yahrzeit:

In Memory of Gabe Brenner: Marian Press Steve Firestone
 Eleanor Danzig Mother of Beth Boettigheimer Beth Boettigheimer
 Carol Forman Cousin of Beth Boettigheimer Beth Boettigheimer
 Jeff Helfgott Brother of Jim Helfgott Jim Helfgott
 Jacob Brenner Father-in-law of Cookie Brenner Cookie Brenner
 David Friedman Brother of Gerry Silverman Gerry Silverman
 Rena M. Hough Mother of Jay Hough Jay Hough
 Ruth Allen Sister of Rabbi David Weissman
 Rabbi David Weissman
 Joseph Finkelstein Grandfather of Honey Chiocco Honey Chiocco
 Bella Showstack Mother of Bruce Showstack Bruce Showstack
 Bonnie Showstack Wife of Bruce Showstack Bruce Showstack

General Donation

Barbara Rudner Morgan Wally Nelson

In Memory of Jay B. Janney:

Stephen Post David & Flo Pflaster Felice Breidner
 Mike & Hope Sachwald Marlene Paul

Chai Club

Felice Breidner Stephen Post Linda Post
 Flo & David Pflaster Sheila Honer Katherine Fuller
 Bobbie Guseman Michelle Foels Cookie Brenner
 Irene Klein Laurie Ward Diahann Saddler

Birthdays

Beth Boettigheimer July 2
 Estelle Grossman July 9
 John D'Ambrosio July 23
 Salem Foels July 23
 Lily Ann Revitch` July 23
 Jamie Stanton July 26
 Sheila Komito July 31
 Gerry Silverman July 31

Anniversaries

Joan & Walt Paxton July 6
 Katherine & David Fuller July 6
 Patricia & Bard Goldstein July 25

Yahrzeits July

Farin R. Loeb	daughter	of	Gloria&Larry	Loeb	3
Marjory Gans	Sister	of	Jane	Gans	5
Baruch Revitch	Father	of	Ze'ev	Revitch	7
Jerry Kaplan	Father	of	Marc	Kaplan	11
Rebecca Pollack	Grandmother	of	Lily Ann	Revitch	12
Burt Kramer	Husband	of	Natalie	Kramer	21
Carol Rosenbloom					23
Rita Swerling	Sister	of	Lily Ann	Revitch	24
John Lehman	Husband	of	Mary	Lehman	25
Jay Post	Father in law	of	Linda	Post	25
Craig Held	Step Father	Of	Bradley	Cohen	26
Amy Danzig	Sister	of	Beth	Boettigheimer	29
Ze'ev Revitch	Husband	of	Lily Ann	Revitch	29

Congregation Temple Shalom welcomes our newest member Bradley Cohen



*Sadly, we share the news of the passing of
 Jay Barry Janney, father of Michelle Foels
 and grandfather of Salem Foels, on June 11,
 2025 and*

*Vikki McGuirk, a long time member of Temple
 Shalom on June 20, 2025*




From the editor's desk:

**Deadline for August Bulletin is
 July 23, 2025**

Submission is via e-mail to :
 djp3747@atmc.net

July 2025

TAMMUZ 5 – AV 6

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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DONATIONS AND DEDICATIONS TO TEMPLE SHALOM

Donations to Temple Shalom can be made in several ways and are greatly appreciated.

- ☐ **MEMORIAL BOARD PLAQUES** are a great way to remember someone perpetually. Every year, on their Yahrzeit (anniversary of death), the person will be remembered in regular services. Available to and for members only.
 Cost: \$300.00
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 ▪ takes at least 6 weeks
 Name on plaque: _____
 Date of death (English): _____ We will figure Hebrew date.
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 Cost: \$50.00 – small leaf OR \$75.00 – large leaf
 Inscription: _____
- ☐ **HIGH HOLIDAY DONATION** is a great way to make an annual donation to Temple Shalom for any amount. Available to all.
- ☐ **CHAI CLUB OF TEMPLE SHALOM** is a unique way to support Temple Shalom with a donation of \$18 per month per individual. The club is open to everyone. This can be set up on a monthly pay basis or \$216.00 per year. There are no club meetings or responsibilities. Available to all.
- ☐ **Yahrzeit** is a wonderful way to remember loved ones who have gone before us and can be in any amount. Congregation members receive notices prior to Yahrzeit observances. Available to all.
 Yahrzeit for whom: _____
 Relationship to Donor: _____
- ☐ **IN MEMORY/HONOR OF** is a tribute on behalf of someone who was/is special in your life and can be in any amount. Available to all.
 In Memory/Honor (circle one) of: _____
 Relationship to Donor: _____
- ☐ **GENERAL DONATION** is a way to support Temple Shalom and is a mitzvah (good deed). Available to all.

Please take a moment to select your donation(s), write a check, and mail it to Temple Shalom, or use PayPal.

NAME: _____
 ADDRESS: _____

**PLEASE MAKE ALL THE CHECKS PAYABLE TO TEMPLE SHALOM.
 IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PAY VIA CREDIT/DEBIT CARD, PLEASE GO TO THE
 DONATIONS PAGE ON OUR WEBSITE – www.TempleShalomMB.org.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATION!