

## RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue.

## STUDENT ARTISTS

Four art students from West Bloomfield High School and one 1994 graduate of Groves High School will show their work in the 22nd annual Birmingham Temple Art Show, Nov. 4-6. Michele Lisbowitz entered the photography category; Limor Berkovitz and Danielle Kaller entered the jewelry category; Stacie Nelson entered the drawing and painting section; and Michael Stein, a freshman at Oakland Community College, entered the jewelry category. Lisbowitz is a photographer for The Spectrum, West Bloomfield High School's student newspaper. Her favorite subjects are children and performing artists. Limor is in her third jewelry course under the tutelage of teacher Pamela Groves. Kaller is studying photography and will take her fourth jewelry course and computer graphics next semester. Patrons of the Birmingham Temple show will find holiday gifts of ceramics, jewelry, fiber, glass, sculpture, wood and wall art. A wine and cheese gala opens the show on Friday, Nov. 4. The temple is located at 28611 W. 12 Mile Road between Inkster and Middlebelt in Farmington Hills. Call 477-1410 for more information.

## SINGLE GATHERINGS

Single Place Adult Ministries of First Presbyterian Church in Northville will hold Single Place — Tennis Lessons at 7 p.m. Nov. 6 and Nov. 13 at the Farmington Tennis Club, 22777 Farmington Road. The \$50 cost is payable at First Presbyterian Church. Call 349-0911 for information.

## RADIO SHOWS

WAAM 1600 AM's radio show "What Is This Christian Science and Who Are These Christian Scientists?" continues at 9 a.m. Sundays. An upcoming show will be "Christian Science healing: fraud or fact?" on Oct. 30.

In November, the programs include: "Christian Science and the entertainment industry" on Nov. 6; "Does Christian Science Heal Serious Illness?" on Nov. 13; "What makes Christian Science Christian?" on Nov. 20; and "What proof do you have that Christian Science heals?" on Nov. 27.

The program continues in December with: "How do Christian Scientists feel about modern medicine?" on Dec. 4; "Is Care in Christian Science as Reliable as Medicine?" on Dec. 11; "How do Christian Scientists feel about Jesus?" on Dec. 18; and "What Kind of Faith in God Heals?" on Dec. 25.

## IN CONCERT

The "All Together" tour featuring Out of the Grey, Susan Ashton, Margaret Becker, and Christine Dente will make a stop at Temple Baptist Church, Telegraph and West Chicago roads, Redford, at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 3. Tickets are \$12.50 in advance and \$14.50 at the door. A free cassette will be given to the first 3,000 ticketholders to come through the door. For more information or to charge tickets by phone, call (810) 478-7500.

## MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Couples with strong marriages can improve and deepen their relationship through Marriage Encounter. Worldwide Marriage Encounter will have a weekend in the area Friday through Sunday, Nov. 4-6. For more information, call (810) 349-8195.

## CHARISMATIC PRAYER

A charismatic prayer group meets at 6 p.m. Sundays in Patio Classroom 1 on the ground floor of the University Center at Madonna University, Schoolcraft and Loran roads, Livonia. For more information, call Shawn at (313) 464-9067 or Julie at (313) 464-4566.

A group also meets at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays for praise Scripture and singing at St. Edith Church, 15089 Newburgh, Livonia. The group meets in the church meeting room. (Use rear entrance 2.) Call Sandy at (313) 462-2343.

**FINCH HILL CONGREGATIONAL** Fine Hill Congregational Church, 4190 Middlebelt, West Bloomfield, has Sunday worship services at 10:30 a.m. Nursery care and Sunday school are provided during the service. For information, call 810-626-2787.

**TEMPLE ISRAEL** Temple Israel, 8725 Walnut Lake Road, will have services 7:30 a.m. weekdays, 10:30 a.m. Saturdays, (Rabbi's Tish at 9:30 a.m.), 9 a.m. Sundays and 8 p.m. Fridays. M. Robert Syme, Rabbi, Harold S. Lee, Rabbi, Paul M. Yedwab, Rabbi, Joanne Bennett, Rabbi,

and Harold Orbach, Cantor. Friday evening, Rabbi Syme will deliver the sermon; Saturday morning Rabbi Yedwab will deliver the sermon.

## WEST BLOOMFIELD BIBLE CHURCH

West Bloomfield Bible Church, 4900 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield, Church: 810-681-3467; Parsonage: 810-738-5260. Sunday school, 10 a.m.; worship service, 11 a.m. Sunday (evening, 6 p.m.); Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p.m.

## LUTHERAN CHURCH

Holy Spirit Lutheran Church, 4800 Orchard Lake Road, has services at 6 p.m. Saturday and 8:30 and 10:45 a.m. Sunday; nursery provided; second service; Sunday school for toddlers through adults at 9:30 a.m.

## CONGREGATION SHAAREY ZEDOK

Congregation Shaarey Zedek B'Nai Israel, 4200 Walnut Lake Road, will have services 9 a.m. Saturday and Sunday, and 7:15 a.m. weekdays. For more information, call (810) 681-5553.

## CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR

Church of Our Saviour, Presbyterian (USA), 6555 Middlebelt, cond. 8 a.m. Sunday. The church school classes for infants through high school and crib care are available during worship. For more information, call 810-626-7606. Facilities are barrier-free. Weekday preschool program and child care are open to the community. Call 810-655-6186 for more information.

## CONGREGATION B'NAI MOSHE

Congregation B'Nai Moshe is at 6800 Drake in West Bloomfield. 810-788-0600. Services: Friday at 8 a.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m. and 7:15 p.m.; Sunday, 8:30 a.m., and 7 a.m. daily.

Elliot Pachter, Rabbi; Louis Klein, Hazzan; Shalom Ralph, Sexton Emeritus; Abram Rabinowitz, Torah reader; Joel Ungar will chant the Haftarah. Federation Shabbat guest speaker: Sary Alterman.

Shabbat Mincha at 8:30 p.m., followed by Se'udah Shalishit, and Rabbi's Mishna class. Ma'ariv and Havdalah. Kiddush will follow Shabbat services.

## SHEPHERD KING LUTHERAN CHURCH

Shepherd King Lutheran Church, 5300 W. Maple (at the northwest corner of Maple and Middlebelt), 810-626-2121.

## TEMPLE SHIR SHALOM

Temple Shir Shalom is at 5642 Maple, West Bloomfield. Friday service at 8 p.m. Saturday service: 9:30 a.m. Tish; 11 a.m. Shabbat services. For more information, call the temple office at 810-737-7700.

## TEMPLE KOL AMI

Temple Kol Ami, 5085 Walnut Lake Road, West Bloomfield, 810-661-0040. Services will be held Friday, Oct. 14 at 8 p.m. (Shabbat worship); Saturday, Oct. 15 at 9:15 a.m. (Se'udah Torah) and 10:30 a.m. (Shabbat worship, Bar Mitzvah).

## FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

The First Assembly of God Church of West Bloomfield is meeting in the facilities of Temple Kol Ami, 5085 Walnut Lake Road, and normally meets at 10 a.m. Sundays and 7 p.m. Wednesdays. 810-624-6824.

## CONGREGATION BETH ABRAHAM

Congregation Beth Abraham Hill-el Moses, 5075 W. Maple, has morning services Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and Monday-Friday at 6 p.m. and Monday-Thursday at 7 p.m.

Rabbi A. Irving Schnipper and Aaron Bergman; Cantor Ben-Zion Laxner; Haftarah Reader, Mitch Herman; Rabbi's Class: 8:45 p.m.; Mincha: 7:15 p.m.

## BIRMINGHAM TEMPLE

The Birmingham Temple is at 22811 W. 12 Mile, Farmington. Call 810-477-1410.

## COVENANT BAPTIST CHURCH

Covenant Baptist Church, 5800 W. Maple, has worship services 9:30 a.m. Sundays. Sunday school for infants through adults begins 11 a.m. Vespers and youth fellowship are 8:30 p.m. Wednesday activities include Bible study, 7 p.m. and adult choir rehearsal, 7 p.m. For information, call 810-855-9191.

## PRECEPT MINISTRIES BIBLE STUDY

A class to study II Thessalonians entitled "So You Won't Be Deceived About His Coming," meets from 9:30-11:45 a.m. Fridays from Sept. 9-Oct. 21, at Kirk in the Hills, Key. 810-678-1800.

## BIBLE STUDY

Jack Brinkman hosts an ecumenical and non-denominational Bible study from 7:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday evenings at the Baldwin Library: Dec. 15 and at the Bloomfield Township Library on Oct. 27.

## Humanistic Judaism

## Center's dedication is Saturday

The first rabbinic seminary to be established in this area, as well as the first seminary to train rabbis for Humanistic Judaism, will be housed in the new Lorraine and Ben Pivnick Center for Humanistic Judaism in Farmington Hills.

The center, which is part of the Birmingham Temple Campus will be dedicated at a ceremony at 5 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 29. Community, government and civic leaders are invited to attend. It is named for Lorraine and Ben Pivnick, longtime Humanistic Judaism

supporters. It will provide headquarters for the International Institute for Secular Humanistic Judaism, which serves as the intellectual center for Humanistic Judaism.

Four students are enrolled in the rabbinic program of the Institute and more than 60 people are enrolled in the leadership program for ceremonialists, professional leaders and educators for Secular and Humanistic Jewish communities around the country. The center will serve as head-

quarters for the Society for Humanistic Judaism, a federation of 21 Humanistic Jewish communities in the U.S. and Canada, including the Birmingham Temple.

It will house the Birmingham Temple education programs and bar/bat mitzvah and confirmation classes and an extensive education and resource library.

"While Humanistic Judaism will continue to impact people wherever they live, the center gives us tangible grounding and a

greater ability to support individual communities," said Rabbi Sherwin Wine, founder of Humanistic Judaism and rabbi of the Birmingham Temple.

Secular Humanistic Judaism combines rational thinking with a celebration of Jewish culture and identity. It places power and responsibility of people to shape their own lives independent of supernatural authority. Secular Humanistic Jews value their Jewish identity and celebrate holidays and events with non-traditional ceremonies.

## Habitat for Humanity plans rally

An international rally will be staged Tuesday in Redford by Habitat for Humanity as they organize a western Wayne County affiliate.

The rally will begin 7 p.m. Nov. 1 in the activity center of St. Robert Bellarmine at the southeast corner of Inkster Road and W. Chicago.

The mission of Habitat for Humanity is to build affordable housing.

Founded in 1976 by Millard and Linda Fuller, Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit, ecumenical Christian housing ministry that

seeks to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness from the world and to make decent shelter a matter of conscience and action.

Habitat invites people from all walks of life to work together to help build houses for families in need. The organization has built 30,000 houses around the world, providing more than 100,000 people with safe, decent, affordable shelter.

Through volunteer labor and tax-deductible donations of money and materials, Habitat builds and rehabilitates houses with the help of the homeowner (partner)

families.

Habitat houses are sold to partner families at no profit, financed with affordable, no-interest loans. The homeowners' monthly mortgage payments go into a revolving Fund for Humanity that is used to build more houses.

In addition to a down payment and the monthly mortgage, each homeowner partner family invests hundreds of hours of their own labor (sweat equity) into the building of their houses and the houses of others.

A three-bedroom Habitat house in the U.S. costs the homeowner

an average of \$34,300. In developing nations, a Habitat house costs between \$500 and \$3,000.

Habitat houses are affordable for low-income families because there is no profit included in the sales price, and no interest charged on the mortgage. The average length of a Habitat mortgage in the U.S. is 20 years.

Families apply to local Habitat affiliates and selection is made on the basis of level of need, willingness to become partners, and ability to repay the loan.

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