

COMMUNITY MESSENGER

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TENTH ANNIVERSARY
Temple Shir Shalom, 9999 Walnut Lake Road, West Bloomfield, begins the yearlong celebration of its 10th anniversary on Friday, May 15, with a family service honoring the ushers that have served for the past 10 years. An Oneg Shabbat follows. On May 16, the Gala 10th Anniversary Dinner Dance features the music of Orthea Barnes and her band. On May 17, the celebration continues with a family picnic hosted by the Temple Sisterhood, Brotherhood, The Golden Branch, the Net and the Youth Group. For information, call (248) 737-8700.

ORTHODOX IN ISRAEL
Temple Beth El, 7400 Telegraph

Road, Bloomfield Hills, is hosting "Orthodox Power in Israel: What it Means for World Jewry" with columnist and author Ze'ev Chafets at 7 p.m. on Sunday, May 17. A man whom the New York Times has called the "Israeli Tocqueville" and whom Michigan hails as a native son, Chafets is noted for his incisive commentary on both American and Israeli society. Reservations are not necessary for the free program, which is underwritten by the Theodore and Mina Bargman Foundation. For information, call Barbara Grant at (248) 851-1100.

TEACHERS RECOGNIZED
Temple Israel, 5725 Walnut Lake Road, West Bloomfield, will recognize its teaching staff and its contribution to Jewish education on Friday, May 29. Honor awards will be presented to Barbara Eskin, Joan Melnick, Carole Miller, Ziona Ragowsky and Alex Skoczylas for five years of service; Pearl Baum and Eileen Rodner for 10 years; Ronda Brodsky, Gayle Hirsch,

Sue Kaufman, Ruth Maroko and Judith Weinstein for 15 years; Zina Shaykhet for 20 years; Joanne Viviano for 25 years; Robert Lask and Sander Papo for 35 years; and Linda Brodsky for 40 years. The Ruben and Goldie Levine teacher award for curriculum and creative will be presented during the service.

TEEN-LED SERVICE
Cong. Shir Tikvah, 3900 Northfield Parkway, Troy, will hold a Sabbath service written by teenage congregants at 7:45 p.m. on May 29. Leading the Atidah service will be Chris

Cogswell of Huntington Woods, Shari and Jill Gross of Troy, Ken Kollin of Rochester Hills, Brian Kloe of Huntington Woods, Justin Racklin of Southfield, David Starr of Troy and Adam Witkov of Sterling Heights. For information, call (248) 649-4418.

WOMAN TO WOMAN
Lutheran Hour Ministries is airing a special edition of the weekly radio talk show, "Woman to Woman," at 5:30 p.m. on Sundays on WAAM, 1600. The 30-minute special, "To Mom, With Love," features

Suzanne Douglas, star of the television sitcom, "The Parent Hood," and LaDonna Gatlin, the youngest sister of country music's famous Gatlin Brothers. Hosted by Phyllis Wallace, the program focuses on national celebrities whose intensely driven lives are impacted by their mothers. The program is also available in RealAudio on the Internet at

<http://www.lhm.org/w2w>. Lutheran Hour Ministries is a service of the International Lutheran Laymen's League, an auxiliary of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod and Lutheran Church-Canada. To learn about other Lutheran Hour Ministries programs, visit "Wired with the Word" at <http://www.lhm.org>.

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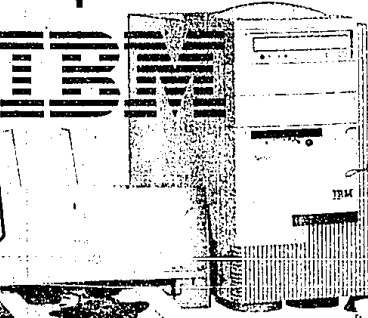
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