

2011 Community Scholar in Residence – March 25, 26 and 27, 2011 RABBI NAOMI LEVY

Rabbi Levy was named one of the most influential rabbis in North America. In 1984 she was in the first class of women to enter The Jewish Theological Seminary's rabbinical school. In 1989, Rabbi Levy became the first female Conservative rabbi to head a pulpit on the West Coast. Since then, she has published three books, and founded Nashuva, a groundbreaking religious community in Los Angeles.

Rabbi Levy has appeared on NBC's Today Show and on Oprah, and has been featured in *Parade*, *Redbook*, *Self*, and *Los Angeles Magazine*. She serves on the faculty of the Wexner Heritage Foundation, and she lectures widely on topics of faith, strength, renewal, spirituality, healing and prayer.

THE TOPIC OF THE WEEKEND: “HOPE WILL FIND YOU”

FRIDAY, MARCH 25 – TEMPLE EMANUEL

6:15 p.m. Service followed by dinner at 7:00 and lecture at 8:00 p.m.

Topic: *“Life Under Construction: Repairing Ourselves, Repairing the World”*

SATURDAY, MARCH 26 – AHAVAS ISRAEL

9:30 A.M. Service followed by light lunch and workshop at 1:00 p.m.

Workshop Title: *“Mentors in unlikely places: Learning from all people”*

SUNDAY, MARCH 27 – TEMPLE EMANUEL

Light breakfast at 10:00 a.m. followed by Lecture at 10:30 a.m.

Topic: *“Finding Stability When Life Seems to be Spinning out of Control: The Power of Prayer to Center Our Lives”*

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1 – Friday Italian Sabbath dinner catered by Marie Tulett . . .

\$12 adult, \$6 child, maximum per family \$36

2 – Sunday breakfast (bagel & lox) . . . \$5 per person

*The weekend is sponsored by the Congregation Ahavas Israel, Temple Emanuel,
and The Jewish Federation of Grand Rapids*