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WELCOME TO CONGREGATION Or Zarua

SHABBAT SHALOM



SHABBAT & LAST DAYS OF PESAH

Thursday, April 25, 2019, Seventh Day of Pesah
Candlelighting, 7:28 pm

Friday, April 26, Seventh Day of Pesah/Erev Shabbat & Last Day of Pesah
Shaharit, 9:00 am
Minhah/Ma'ariv 6:15 pm
Candlelighting, 7:29 pm

Saturday, April 27, Shabbat and Last Day of Pesah
Shaharit, Yizkor, 8:45 am
Minhah, Seudah Shlishit Lecture with Rabbi Bolton, Ma'ariv, 6:15 pm
"Big Gifts in All Kinds of Packages"

Youth Shabbat Services

Torah Tots (Nursery/Pre-School/Pre-K) 11:00-11:45 am
Torah Kids (Elementary School) 11:00-11:45 am

Shabbat/Yom Tov Ends 8:27 pm

SERVICE TIMES FOR APRIL 28-MAY 3, 2019

Sunday, 8:45 am, followed by breakfast
Monday-Friday, 7:15 am, followed by breakfast
Thursday is Yom HaShoah
Minhah/Kabbalat Shabbat Friday, May 3, 6:30 pm
Candlelighting at 7:36 pm



Main Sanctuary, 2nd Floor
Sanctuary Balcony, 3rd Fl.
Social Hall, 1st Floor
Library, 4th Floor
Coatroom and Restrooms,
Lower Level

Scott N. Bolton, *Rabbi*
Dr. Harlan J. Wechsler, *Rabbi Emeritus*
Diane Okrent, *President*
Helene Santo, *Executive Director*
Sigal Hirsch, *Director of Youth Education & Programming*

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A Case of Mixed Emotions

Love and Fear of God in Jewish Thought: Marc Ashley's Adult Ed Course

Tomorrow, April 28 at 10 am

Mondays, May 6 and May 13 at 7:30 pm *(note revised dates).



The very first word of the first paragraph of the Shema prayer instructs – indeed commands – us to love God, with all our heart, soul and might. Yet Proverbs counsels us that the “beginning of wisdom is the fear of God.” Those visceral emotions, at least at first glance, seem conflicting rather than complementary. So, which is the core and foundation of our relationship with God – love or fear? Which approach takes priority? Both love and fear of God are crucial religious directives but reconciling them can be challenging. No prior knowledge is required. Please come and participate in this important conversation on a crucial theme in Jewish thought through the ages. All congregants and their friends are welcome to join.

Their Mother's Story, Told by Daughters of Textile Artist Esther Nisenthal Krinitz.

Tomorrow, April 28, 6:30 pm in the OZ Gallery



Bernice Steinhardt and Helene McQuade, daughters of Esther Nisenthal Krinitz, will share remembrances of their mother. The evening will begin with a viewing of the current show in our gallery, *The Fabric of Survival: The Art of Esther Nisenthal Krinitz*, followed by the 30-minute film, *Through the Eye of the Needle: The Art of Esther Nisenthal Krinitz*. After the screening, Bernice and Helene will talk about their mother and answer questions from the audience. *Memories of Survival*, by Bernice and her mother (posthumously) will be on sale and can be inscribed.

Flames of the Heart: Lag B'Omer Event

Wednesday, May 22, 7:00 pm



Explore the symbolism of fire in Jewish tradition and the power of firemaking in wilderness therapy in this community awareness program with Jory Hanselman, director of BaMidbar Wilderness Therapy. This Lag B'Omer evening of learning will focus on health and wellness. How do we as a Jewish community increase awareness and decrease stigma around mental health challenges, to create healthy, whole, and supportive communities. Rabbi Scott Bolton will explore the symbolism of fire in Torah and other texts, and Jory Hanselman, featured presenter, will examine the intersection of Jewish tradition, wilderness experiences and whole health wellness. With a Lag B'Omer backdrop, we will celebrate as a community and take pride in opening our hearts to hear about firemaking and other therapeutic approaches of outdoor behavioral healthcare. Sponsored by Or Zaru'a, BaMidbar Wilderness Therapy, Ansche Chesed, Reshet Ramah and USY (USCJ's youth movement). RSVP to dwenger@orzaru'a.org.



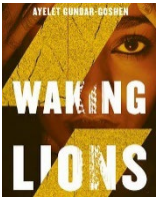
Seudah Shlishit Lecture Today, April 27, 6:15 pm. When it comes to gifts, Jewish literature gives packaging details. From the very concrete to more conceptual approach, join Rabbi Bolton as we explore the way packages are presented for presents in “Big Gifts in All Kinds of Packages.” Minhah is at 6:15 pm, followed by the lecture, then Ma’ariv. *This learning is*

dedicated to the memory of Stewart L. Bolton, Rabbi Bolton's father, as well as packaging engineer.



Holocaust Memorial Service Wednesday, May 1, 7:00 pm

We will commemorate Yom HaShoah with our annual Holocaust memorial service. At this observance, we will specifically remember the beloved friends and family of our Congregants who were victims of the Holocaust. If you want any names to be mentioned in our Scroll of Names, please send an email to Deborah (dwenger@orzarua.org) no later than 10 am on Wednesday, May 1. Names sent in the past are carried forward each year. The short service is very moving, involving the participation of adults and teens from our community. If you would like to participate in reading English or playing music at the annual OZ Holocaust Memorial Service, please contact Ilana by text at (646) 288-1477 or email hebrewteacher@gmail.com.



OZ Book Discussion. Sunday, May 5, 7:30 pm.

Congregant Dale Stern will lead the discussion on "Waking Lions," by Ayelet Gundar-Goshen. Winner of the Jewish Quarterly Wingate Prize, "Waking Lions" is the story of Eitan Green, a successful neurosurgeon with a wonderful family, who accidentally hits an African migrant while at the wheel of his SUV. While fleeing the scene, Dr. Green loses his wallet.



Movie: Above & Beyond Wednesday, May 8, 7:00 pm.

Honor Israel Independence Day/Yom Ha-atzmaut with this special program sponsored by OZ's Keshet Israel. In 1948, a group of World War II pilots volunteered to fight for Israel in the War of Independence. This ragtag band of volunteers from abroad not only turned the tide of the war, preventing the possible annihilation of Israel at the very moment of its birth; they also laid the groundwork for the Israeli Air Force. “Above and Beyond” is their story. The movie will be followed by TalkBack/informal discussion. RSVP dwenger@orzarua.org.



Talmud & Siddur Classes with Rabbi Bolton

Talmud Class. Wednesdays, 7:30-9:00 pm. No class April 24.

Siddur Class. Thursdays, 8:40-9:40 am. No class April 25.



Did you know 1 in 5 New Yorkers is food insecure?

1. Help package and distribute food pantry packages for families 9:00 am-12 pm Wednesday, May 1.

2. Volunteer to help serve a hot breakfast at the NY Common

Pantry, 8 East 109th St., on Tuesday, May 21, 7:00 am-9:30 am. Volunteers plate meals in the kitchen for 150 to 200 people.

Contact Lesley Palmer at hessed@orzarua.org to sign up or ask questions.

Or Zarua Perspectives (formerly JTS Context) Tuesdays through April 30, 6:30 pm for those who have already registered.

Monday Night Pasta and Salad at NCS 3rd and 4th Mondays of each month.

Or Zarua congregants serve hot food and good cheer at the Neighborhood Coalition for Shelter's East 81st Street Residence from 6:00 to 6:45 pm on the 3rd and 4th Mondays of each month. Volunteers needed as well as donations to the Hesed Fund. Contact Jeff Haberman, jeff32449@verizon.net.



CELEBRATE ISRAEL PARADE SAVE THE DATE! 55th Annual Celebrate Israel Parade.

Sunday, June 2. Celebrate Israel's 71st birthday and all of her achievements. Join Or Zarua's contingent and march proudly behind our banner along Fifth Avenue along with 40,000 other marchers representing different American Jewish organizations

YOUTH AND FAMILY PROGRAMS

Youth Shabbat Services

Torah Tots (Infant-Pre-K), 11:00-11:45 am.

Torah Kids (Elementary School) weekly 11:00-11:45 am



Shabbat HaYeled Saturday, June 1, 10:30 am

Shabbat & Me Saturday (Pre-School and younger)

Family Learning Experience (for Elementary, Middle, High School and parents)

Shabbat Buddies (for Middle and High School)

Shalom Sing-A-Long Mondays, 10:15-11:00 am

Recommended for ages 1-4. Join us on Monday mornings for our Early Childhood morning music class! OrZarua-OrLatid.org/Shalom-Sing-A-Long/ to register, or drop in for any class. Newcomers: try a first class free, promo code "tryshalom."

Go to <http://orzarua-ortalid.org/calendar-2/> for the full Or L'Atid calendar and add it to your Google calendar!



For more information about Youth Programs and Hebrew School, contact Sigal Hirsch at (212) 452-2310 x15 or shirsch@orzarua.org, or visit www.orzarua-ortalid.org.

Power Down and CONNECT!

Help us create and maintain sacred spaces throughout Shabbat and Passover

Your voice, your spirit and your presence are the essentials.

Please don't let cell phones, electronics and other technology distract from our being together on Shabbat and Passover. We ask that all of our Or Zarua spaces in our synagogue building be tech-free on holidays and Shabbat. If you have questions about whether something is Yom Tov or Shabbat-friendly, do not hesitate to ask Rabbi Bolton.