

CHICAGO SINAI CONGREGATION

Shabbat Information

Repro Shabbat – Friday, February 9, 2024

Whether you are joining in-person, on our website, or on Zoom, we are so happy to celebrate Shabbat together.

Services are led by Rabbi Benoff.

Music is led by Scott Kumer and accompanied by Sinai's Professional Choir.

Torah Study | Saturday, February 10 | 9:30 AM

Led by Rabbi Benoff.

Shabbat Service followed by a Congregational Dinner

Friday, February 16 | 6:15 PM

Rabbi Weinberg will give the sermon.

Music will be led by Scott Kumer and Toby Pechner.

RSVP for Shabbat Dinner here:



New Program

Israel: Continuing the Difficult Conversations

Antisemitism: What is really happening and how are we feeling about it?

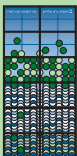
Thursday, February 29 | 6-8 PM

Program will include dinner, a presentation, and conversations.



Welcome our guest presenter, **Trent Spoolstra**, Associate Regional Director, ADL Midwest. Conversations will be facilitated by **Rabbi Michael Weinberg** and **Rabbi Rebecca Benoff**.

Register here:



Alec Harris, President, *Board of Trustees*
Rabbi Michael A. Weinberg, *Interim Rabbi*
Rabbi Amanda Greene, *Associate Rabbi and Director of Lifelong Learning*
Rabbi Rebecca Benoff, *Assistant Rabbi*
Rabbi Howard A. Berman, *Rabbi Emeritus*
Jan Kaufman, *Executive Director*

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Upcoming Events

Adult Education with Dr. Ken Seeskin: A Jew Looks at Jesus

Wednesday, February 14 | 11 AM

What was Judaism like at the time of Jesus? Why did his followers think he was the fulfillment of God's promise to send a Messiah? Did Jesus think he had founded a new religion or offered a purified version of Judaism? How do Judaism and Christianity deal with sin and the possibility of overcoming it?

Register here:



Adult Education with Rabbi Michael Weinberg,

Twenty-First Century Reform Responsa

Thursdays, February 15–May 30 | 11 AM

Please acquire, and bring with you to class, a copy of *Twenty-First Century Reform Responsa, Volume 2*, edited by Mark Washofsky. The book is available on Amazon or through the CCAR Press.

Purim is Coming!

CASTING CALL CALLING ALL SWIFTIES

Purim Spiel & Carnival will be Sunday, March 10th at 10AM

Do you love Taylor Swift? You belong in Sinai's Spiel!
Help us tell *Esther's Story (Sinai's Version)*.

Join our Purim cast!

Sign Up Swiftly

Rehearsals:

- Sunday, March 3rd from 12:30-2:30pm
- Thursday, March 7th from 5:30-8:00pm

Sinai's Purim Spiel, Parade, and Carnival | Sunday, March 10

10-11 AM: Spiel and parade, 11 AM- 12:30 PM: Carnival, lunch, and raffle.

Carnival admission is \$10/per person and includes games, lunch and hamantaschen.

Children 0-2 are free. Raffle tickets are \$5/ticket, or 5 tickets for \$20.

Purchase your wristband/raffle tickets here!



Our Commitment to Inclusion

Chicago Sinai Congregation is committed to being a House of Prayer for All People. Our congregation reflects the rich tapestry of humanity: people of all ages, people of all races, people of diverse religious backgrounds, individuals possessing a wide range of physical ability and gender identities. We constantly strive to be a welcoming community to all.