

CHICAGO SINAI CONGREGATION

Shabbat Information

Friday, May 16, 2025

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

Tonight's service and music are led by Rabbi Greene, Maia Surace, Esther Fishbein, and Sinai's Professional and Volunteer Choirs.

Mazal Tov to Sinai's Confirmation Class of 5785:

Sadie Cohen, Celeste Kaplan, Harrison Leibsker, Izzy Rassey, Justin Salomon, Bella Scaffai, Amelia Schulson, Charlie Sejud, Ethan Sims.

Mazal Tov to **Marlowe Fernbach**, child of **Jennifer and Keith Fernbach**, on becoming Bat Mitzvah.

Tot Shabbat and Songs Saturday, May 17 | 9 AM | In-Person

Torah Study

Saturday, May 17 | 9:30 AM | In-Person and Zoom

Will be led by Rabbi Greene. This week's Torah portion is Parashat Emor I eviticus 21:1-24:23.

Bat Mitzvah Service

Saturday, May 17 | 10:30 AM | In-Person

Shabbat Service

Friday, May 23 | 6:15 PM | In-Person and Zoom

Services and music will be led by Rabbi Benoff, Maia Surace, and Esther Fishbein.

To learn more about Sinai membership or charitable opportunities in support of the congregation, please call Jan Kaufman, our Executive Director, at jkaufman@chicagosinai.org or 312/867-7007.



Rabbi Amanda Greene, Senior Rabbi Rabbi Rebecca Benoff, Associate Rabbi Rabbi Howard A. Berman, z"I, Rabbi Emeritus Carol Yanowitz Miller, Co-President Jason Taylor, Co-President Jan Kaufman, Executive Director

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THE SILENT AUCTION IS COMING SOON! GET READY TO BID!



Bidding and sign up party registration opens **Tuesday, May 20th**. Sign up party seats are limited and available on a first-come first-serve basis, be sure to register quick and early.

Can We Tempt You...

Have a growing family or a new little one? Place the highest bid to win the **Picture Perfect Family Bundle**. This package includes a Classic Kids Chicago Family Portrait Session, Artwork Credit, and a Monica and Andy gift card.

Do you have home projects you've been putting off for too long? Outbid everyone to treat your home to a little TLC with the **Ace Handyman Services One Day Package**.

Whether it is hanging shelves, installing fixtures, or tackling that growing list of small repairs,

Ace's Handyman team is ready to help Sinai's auction item winner!

Create your account for the auction here:



From Strength to Strength: Facing Aging and Caregiving with Grace Wednesday, June 11 | In-Person 12 PM | Lunch 12:30 PM | Program Begins

As we grow older—or care for those who do—we encounter shifting roles, tough decisions, and new challenges. Whether it's supporting a partner, helping a friend with memory loss, or knowing when to seek help, these moments require presence, compassion, and community.

Join CJE SeniorLife, JCFS Chicago, and Chicago Sinai for a conversation about caregiving, aging with dignity, and the resources, experiences, and Jewish wisdom that guide us through this stage of life.

Register 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.