



CONGREGATION SHEARITH ISRAEL
The Spanish & Portuguese Synagogue

Shabbat Mishpatim-Shekalim
February 19-20, 2021

SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Friday Evening Services | Main Sanctuary
5:15 pm

Shabbat Morning Services

8:45 am | Outdoors

9:30 am | Indoors in the Main Sanctuary

11:00-11:05 am | Outdoors (weather permitting)

Second reading of *Zakhor*

Shabbat Afternoon Services | Main Sanctuary

5:20 pm

Habdala | 6:08 pm

Virtual Habdala | 6:30 pm | Rev. Z. Edinger

Weekday Service Times

Shahrit | Indoors in the Main Sanctuary

Monday, Thursday, Friday (Purim): 7:15 am

Minha & Arbit | Outdoors (weather permitting)

Sunday | 5:15 pm

Evening Services | Outdoors (weather permitting)

Monday-Wednesday | 6:30 pm

Thursday (Fast of Esther) | 5:30 pm

(see other side for full Purim schedule)

(Reminder: By attending our services or participating in our activities, you and your family are affirming all the procedures, requirements, and undertakings included on our registration forms and are committed to maintaining strict social distancing practices in EVERY aspect of your life. We each rely on one another to keep our community healthy and safe.)

ONGOING WEEKLY PROGRAMMING

Sundays | 8:45 am

Zoom | *Rabbi Sjimon den Hollander*

Guide to the Duties of the Heart

Monday-Friday Mornings | 8:30 am

Zoom | *Rabbi Ira Robde and Rev. Z. Edinger*

Morning Zoom: The Book of Kings

Mondays & Wednesdays | 10:00 am

Zoom | *Liz Rios* | Toddler Zoom

Tuesdays | 7:30 pm

Conference Call | *Rabbi Soloveichik*

The Art of Torah: The Parasha & the World's Greatest Paintings

Wednesdays | 7:00 pm

Zoom | *Rabbi Ira Robde* | Weekly Debar Torah

Thursdays | 7:30 pm

Conference call | *Rabbi Soloveichik*

Friday Night Lights...Now On Thursdays

Fridays, before Shabbat | Times vary

Zoom | *Rev. Z. Edinger*

Hashcaba Service & *Misheberakh* for the Ill

Saturday nights, after Shabbat | Times vary

Zoom | *Rev. Z. Edinger* | *Habdala* Service

Make sure you are signed up for our email list (shearithisrael.org/join-our-email-list) for access to these programs and many more!

Sponsorship opportunities are available for many of these classes. If you are interested in sponsoring a class or series, visit our website or contact Barbara

Reiss at breiss@shearithisrael.org.

THIS WEEK: PURIM!

Shakespeare in Shushan:

A Pre-Purim Shiur Series

Rabbi Meir Soloveichik

Next Session: THIS Sunday, February 21

6:30 pm | Conference Call

Pre-Purim Book Event with Esther Amini

In conversation with member, Ivan Berkowitz

Author of CONCEALED: Memoir of a Jewish-Iranian

Daughter Caught Between the Chador and America

THIS Monday, February 22 | 7:30 pm | On Zoom

Esther Amini was awarded the Aspen Words-2016 Emerging Writer Fellowship and also was selected by Jewish Women's Theatre as their 2019 Artist-in-Residence. *Concealed* is a celebrated debut memoir that draws us into the life of a Jewish/Iranian daughter caught between two worlds: Iran and America. Join us for a fascinating discussion about her life and the process of turning it into a written work of art. The event is free,

but don't forget to get a copy of the book to read beforehand!

To register, go to shearithisrael.org/esther-amini.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mazal tob to **Ellen & Robert Kapito** and **Laurie & Dr. Eli Bryk**, upon the recent birth of a granddaughter, born to their children, Alyssa & Aaron Kapito.

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Happy Birthday to Our Congregants:

Sergio Avidan-Alcayde, Norman Benzaquen, Roger Berg, Ivan Berkowitz, Jonathan Charles, Isaac Ergas, Charles Fox, Judith Gerson, Olivia Herschman, Maia Julis, David Major, Hillel Neumark, Jak Ninyo, Steven Spira, and Elizabeth Tauber.

PURIM SCHEDULE

Megillah Readings at Shearith Israel

In the Main Sanctuary & Outdoors (weather permitting) and on Zoom

Thursday Evening, February 25:

5:30 pm | Minha/Arbit

6:00 pm | Megillah Reading

Additional readings may be added - follow our emails for updates

Friday Morning, February 26:

7:15 am | Shahrit

7:45 am | Megillah Reading

9:00 am | Women's Reading (outdoors, weather permitting)

11:00 am | Family-Friendly Reading (outdoors, weather permitting)

A full halakhic, costume-optional reading for young and young at heart

The deadline for in-person signup has passed - if you would still like to attend, please contact Sarah Gross at sgross@shearithisrael.org to see if we can still accommodate you.

To register for Zoom readings, visit shearithisrael.org/megillah-5781

Fast of Esther

Thursday, February 25

Fast Begins | 5:14 am

Shahrit | 7:15 am

Minha (men wear tefillin) & Arbit | 5:30 pm

Reading of Megillah | 6:00 pm

End of Fast | 6:03 pm