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Tu B'Shvat Supplement

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REMAINING SHABBAT WEEKENDS

Led by Rabbi William S Tepper

- 1. February 19-20, 2021
- 2. April 16-17, 2021

Led by Religious Educator, Sue Potechin

- 3. March 12-13, 2021
- 4. May 14-15, 2021

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SERVICE WEEKEND

Led by Religious Educator Sue Potechin

Friday January 15, 2021 at 7:30pm

Study Session

Topic: Tu Bishvat Seder

Everything you ever wanted to know about Tu Bishvat (or didn't) in a "nutshell".

Sue has provided resources for two possible Tu Bishvat Seders.

One is an updated seder referenced in a sheet titled, "Tu B'Shvat Seder 2021".

The second was written by the Religious Action Centre (RAC) and NFTY.

Both copies are enclosed in the email containing this newsletter supplement so we can participate in the readings.

All 7 pages can also be downloaded from our website by clicking here.

Sue also provided a "grocery list" of sorts with suggested fruits and nuts, etc. to eat at home. Had we been in person, Sue says she would have gone shopping for it all. She was really hoping lockdown conditions would improve to enable us to meet in person, but the recent stay-at-home order was the worst possible scenario.

In addition, Sue added a few recipes that include most of the Shivat Haminim (7 species).

Join Zoom Meeting

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Saturday, January 16, 2021 at 10:00am

Shabbat Day Service

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WOMEN'S STUDY GROUP

...and Book Club

Date: Monday, February 8, 2021

Title: Famous Father Girl: A Memoir Of Growing Up Bemstein

Author: Jamie Bernstein

ISBN-10: ISBN-10: 0062641352

ISBN-13: ISBN-13: 978-0062641359

Hosted By: Martha

Date: Monday, March 8, 2021

Event: Women's Seder

Hosted By: Sherry Stayer

Date: Monday, April 12, 2021

Title: A Fortunate Life

Author: Ruth Dukas

Hosted By: Ruth Dukas

Join Zoom Meeting at 1:30pm

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MEN'S GROUP

Thursday February 04 at 7:30pm.

We had another lively discussion On January 07, with 10 attendees! If you are unfamiliar with ZOOM or have any tech problems, please contact Richard at iyrhamelech@gmail.com ahead of time, so we can start on time.

Join Zoom Meeting

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KINGSTON JEWISH COUNCIL

Virtual Tu B'Shvat Celebration








Led by Rabbis William S Tepper and Erin Polansky

Thursday, January 28, 2021 / 15 Shvat 5781

A combined virtual learning program, on the topic of Tu B'Shvat, for Iyr HaMelech, Beth Israel and the larger Kingston Jewish community.

A one hour program, including items/visuals for screen-sharing. Rabbis Tepper and Polansky will each teach two of the first four topics, and then share in teaching the final one.



-  Introductions/B'ruhim HaBa'im
-  Sources of Tu B'Shvat - Rabbinic
-  Commentaries - modern and older
-  Foods and the Seder
-  Popular customs associated with Tu B'Shvat
-  Tu B'Shvat and the future of our communities
-  Questions, Comments, Wrap-up

KJC 2021 LATKES & BABKA PURIM EVENTS

Video Demos

A Fun Challah Class

February 25, 2021, 7:00 to 8:00pm

Demonstrating preparation of the 3-braid challah.

30-40 minutes.

Includes ingredients and instructions for preparing the dough the night before.

Accessible through Facebook or Zoom – TBA

Future Events


May include making Matzah balls for soup, etc.

More details to come

Tuesday, January 05, 2021 Newsletter

KJC SPEAKERS SERIES – SURVIVORS

Children's Lives after The Holocaust



Survivors

Despite volumes about the Holocaust, the research documented in "Survivors" published in 2020 uses archival material and interviews to tell an untold story – that of young children who lived through the way in concentration camps, in hiding or in a variety of homes or institutions, and of what happened to them after the war. Rebecca Clifford's ability as a historian meshes with her skill at making history accessible. Her talk will also describe how these children learned to say what they thought interviewers wanted to hear, to sometimes not acknowledge that they had a living parent, and to often shape their stories in ways that might increase their odds of survival.

Rebecca Clifford, our guest speaker, is a professor of modern European history at Swansea University in Wales. Originally from Kingston Ontario, her research on child survivors is not only scholarly but also personal. She'll share that as well at the event.

Part of the KJC Speakers Series

January 24, 2021 at 3:00pm on ZOOM

<https://zoom.us/j/95453432936?pwd=OTJTSmY0UUMFiMDdJSFZaeWtobzlnQT09>