



Temple Sholom

Celebrating **100** Years



Summer 2018 Program Guide

July and August





WEEKLY/MONTHLY SERVICES

Shabbat

Friday evenings, 6:30 pm

Saturday mornings, 10:00 am

Followed by a Kiddush lunch.

Minyan

Sunday mornings, 8:30 am

HOLIDAYS

Erev Tisha B'Av Service

Saturday, July 21, 8:00 pm

Join us for this moving service commemorating the destruction of the First and Second Temples and other tragedies in Jewish history. Please bring your own flashlight.

MONTHLY PROGRAMS

Game Night

Hosted by Sisterhood

Mondays, 7:00 pm–9:15 pm

July 9, August 13

Masters and novices alike are invited to play Mah Jongg and Canasta. The cost to play is \$5.00 per person or \$10.00 with an instructor. RSVP required to Laurie Siegel, LAS8807@aol.com.

WEEKLY PROGRAMS

Shabbat Study

Saturdays, 9:00 am–10:00 am

Shabbat Study is a friendly, engaging and in-depth discussion of the Tanach. This weekly group is led by a rotating group of clergy, congregants and special guests. Learners of all backgrounds are welcome and no prior knowledge is required. Join in at any time.

Lunch 'n Learn

Tuesdays, 12:00 pm–1:00 pm

Study Jewish ethics through the lens of the rabbinic sages. A free kosher lunch is provided.

Lunch 'n Learn Mini-Series: *The Underlying Principles of Jewish Ethics*

Tuesdays, August 7–September 4,

12:00 pm–1:00 pm

In the late 19th century, American author Mark Twain remarked in a famous essay that great civilizations come and go, but Judaism came and stayed. Why? According to Lord Rabbi Jonathan Sacks, it is because of seven foundational principles that underlie the Jewish ethical system. Join Barry Gruber, Director of Congregational Learning, as he explores concepts such as the dignity of the individual, human freedom, the sanctity of life, and the other principles. A free kosher lunch is provided and all are welcome to attend.



SUMMER FAVORITES

Kayaking with Rabbi Chaya

Tuesday, July 17, 11:00 am–1:30 pm at Downunder in Rowayton, CT

Rabbi Chaya will lead a group from Temple Sholom on a laid-back, easy excursion. No experience necessary! Downunder is located right on the picturesque Five Mile River. There is $\frac{3}{4}$ mile of flatwater paddling, little creeks to explore, beautiful homes to admire, and an abundance of wildlife to see. The cost to participate is \$50 for a single kayak and \$60 for a double kayak. Registration and pre-payment are required by July 13. If interested, contact Lori Baden at 203-542-7172 or lori.baden@templesholom.com.

Shabbat on the Sound

**Friday, August 3 at Tod's Point, Greenwich
5:00 pm Picnic in the Park**

6:00 pm Shabbat Concert with Sheldon Low

Join Temple Sholom for this annual outdoor Shabbat experience with nationally-acclaimed Jewish rock musician Sheldon Low. Bring your own dairy or vegetarian picnic dinner and blankets/lawn chairs. A light pre-neg of wine and cheese will be provided before the concert. While a beach pass is not required for this event, guests must be added to the Temple's parking list. RSVP to Alice Schoen at 203-542-7165 or alice.schoen@templesholom.com.

Note: Services will still be held at Temple Sholom at 6:30 pm.

CHILDREN UNDER 18 MONTHS

Itsy Bitsy Playgroup*

**Wednesdays, 10:30 am–11:30 am
July 11, 18, 25; August 1, 8**

Whether you are a first time parent or have multiple children, come chat and play with us at this free playgroup for parents with infants and toddlers. This playgroup is a great opportunity to connect with other parents over the joys and challenges of parenthood and discuss topics relevant to Jewish or Interfaith families. Your infant/toddler will also meet new faces and enjoy music, motor play and story time in a group setting. For more information contact David Cohen, Nursery School Director, 203-622-8121, david.cohen@templesholom.com.

***Itsy Bitsy will not meet on July 4 or August 15, 22 or 29.**



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