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CONGREGATION HAR-EL CALENDAR

MAY-JULY, 2021

CLERGY

Rabbi Richard A. Zionts, Ph.D. ■ Cantor Joseph Gole, D.Mus.
Sherry Schor, President



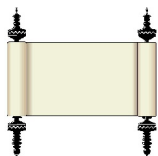
**Zoom Shabbat Evening Services 5 PM
Last Friday of the Month May-July.**

**Torah Study continues weekly
Saturday Mornings at 11 AM**

Shabbat Services last Fridays of May/June/July ■ 5:00 PM Conducted by Rabbi Richard Zionts and Cantor Joseph Gole.

MAY 28; JUNE 25 & JULY 30

Saturday Torah Study ■ 11:00 AM Conducted by Rabbi Zionts **All welcome. For ZOOM invite: harelurjpd@gmail.com**



Torah Portions for Saturday Torah Study with Rabbi Zionts: All welcome. Email for ZOOM invite to attend.

MAY: May 1: Emor; May 8: Behar-Bechukotai; May 15: Bamidbar; May 22: Naso; May 29: B'ha'alotcha

JUNE: June 5: Shelach; June 12: Korach; June 19: Chukat; June 26: Balak.

JULY: July 3: Pinchas; June 10: Matot-Masei; July 17: Devarim; July 24: Va'etchanan; July 31: Eikev.

HAR-EL GALEN SUMMER SERIES:

Please refer to the Summer Series Brochure for greater details on each program.

- **MAY 2021 Judaism & Religion** Exploring the shared roots of three monotheistic religions.

Tuesday, May 4, 2021 at 3:00 PM (PDT): THE APOSTLE PAUL: A 1ST CENTURY REFORM JEW? Presented by Rabbi Joshua Garroway, Ph.D., Sol and Arlene Bronstein Professor of Judaeo-Christian Studies, Professor of Early Christianity and Second Commonwealth, HUC/Los Angeles.

Wednesday, May 5, 2021, 3:30 PM (PDT) Follow-Up Review and Response by Rabbi Richard Zionts, Ph.D. with Discussion: How Is it Possible to View Paul or Saul of Tarsus as a Reform Jew?

Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 3:00 PM (PDT) "THE QUR'AN AND THE JEWS" Presented by Prof. Reuven Firestone, Ph.D., Regenstein Professor in Medieval Judaism and Islam, HUC/Los Angeles.

Wednesday, May 12, 2021, 3:30 PM (PDT) Follow-Up Review and Response by Rabbi Richard Zionts, Ph.D. with discussion. Judaism and Islam Share Much in Common—why the Antagonism Today?

- **JUNE 2021 Judaism & Culture**

Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at 12 Noon (PDT) "CHAGALL AND THE BIBLE" Presented by Jean Bloch Rosensaft, Director, Dr. Bernard Heller Museum, HUC/New York.

Wednesday, June 9, 2021 at 3:30 PM Follow-Up Review and Response by Rabbi Richard Zionts, Ph.D. with Discussion.

Judaism & Civil Society Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 10:30 AM (PDT) "JEWS, WHITENESS, POWER AND PRIVILEGE" Marc Dolinger, Ph.D., Richard and Rhoda Goldman Chair, Social Responsibility, San Francisco State University. Andrew Rehfeld, Ph.D., HUC President, Moderator.

Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at 3:30 PM Follow-Up Review and Response by Rabbi Richard Zionts, Ph.D. with Discussion

- **JULY 2021 Literature & Anti-Semitism**

Re-examine the roots of anti-Semitism that have appeared in the English-speaking world, exploring two examples of anti-Jewish sentiment in English literature, "The Prioress's Tale" in Chaucer's *Canterbury Tales* and *The Merchant of Venice* by William Shakespeare.

Wednesday, July 14, at 3:30 PM "An Early Instance of anti-Semitism in Poetry in the Prioress's Tale as Depicted in Chaucer's *Canterbury Tales*" presented by Rabbi Richard Zionts, Ph.D.

Wednesday, July 28, at 3:30 PM A Modern Perspective on the anti-Semitism in Shakespeare's *Merchant of Venice*, presented by Rabbi Richard Zionts, Ph.D.