

ADULT EDUCATION * 5780

Civil Conversations:

We will participate in a series of conversations designed to help us learn about ourselves and each other through conversations that will create safe and hospitable space for listening, engaging, understanding and learning with each other and for addressing the hard questions of our time. How do we ask the questions that we don't know how to ask? How do we address the complex issues facing our society today and respect our differences and enhance our understanding of each other's convictions. The words we use shape how we understand the world, ourselves and each other and we hope that we will discover transformative words that will heal, nurture and bring us together. We will be using prompts from the podcast "On Being" hosted by Krista Tippett.

Please join us on the first Wednesday of each month and create a closer bond among us. October 2, November 6, December 4, January 8, February 5, March 4, April 15, May 6, June 3.

Social Justice Speakers Series-

We will continue this successful series of speakers providing information and insight into some of the issues facing our country today. We seek to enhance our understanding of these issues and their complexity.

October 30, November 20, January 29, February 26, April 22, May 27, June 10.

Do Jews Believe in Angels? October 16 and 23

Being Jewish in America – November 13

Understanding Contemporary Jewish Values Through the Eyes of Biblical Jewish Literature. – December 11 and 18

Rebuke and Disagreement for the Sake of Heaven – January 15 and 22

Women's Health and Wellness – February 12 and 19

Archeology – March 11, 18, 25, and April 1

Social Justice in Judaism – April 22

What Can We Learn from Our Often Overlooked and Underestimated Biblical Personalities – May 13 and 20

Swimming in the Sea of Talmud – June 17 and 24

Reel Nights – October 26, November 16, December 21, January 18, February 15, March 21, April 18, May 16, June 20.

SCHOLAR IN RESIDENCE PROGRAM – With the **generosity of the Powell Family Foundation**, we are looking forward to another year of learning with a renowned scholar. More information will be forthcoming!