

LUNCH & LEARN

FEBRUARY/MARCH 2020

JEWS IN AMERICA THROUGH STORIES & FILM - Feb 5

Jews have been present in the United States since the mid 17th century, and now in the 21st century, the United States boasts the second largest Jewish population in the world (second only to Israel). The story of Jewish migration to America over the past five centuries has been depicted in books, on the small screen and on the big screen. Through movies and documentaries, this Lunch & Learn series will cover the trajectory of Jewish American life from the earliest arrivals in the Thirteen Colonies through the impact of the Nazi regime in World War II, the creation of Israel and the new challenges of 21st century assimilation.



"THE ROYALS OF ISRAEL" – THE BOOKS OF SAMUEL & KINGS with Shara Siegfeld Feb 12, 26; March 4, 11 & 25

JEWISH/CATHOLIC DIALOGUE: LOCAL BISHOP ENCOUNTERS WORLD JEWRY with BISHOP SCHARFENBERGER MARCH 18



You bring your lunch; we supply coffee, tea & dessert! Our program is free & open to the community. Questions? Contact Deb Sokoler – dsokoler@bethemethalbany.org or 518 436-9761 x230