



SERVICE SCHEDULE

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FRIDAY, KABBALAT SHABBAT SERVICE - 6:00 PM

SATURDAY, SHABBAT MORNING TORAH STUDY - 9:00 AM

SATURDAY, SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE - 9:30 AM

SUNDAY MORNING MINYAN - 9:00 AM

MONDAY EVENING MINYAN - 6:00 PM

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SCHOLARSTREAM

A PARTNERSHIP OF THE CONSERVATIVE MOVEMENT

Congregation B'nai Zion has partnered again in our ScholarStream program for 5782. Below you will find the link for member of B'nai Zion to register for any of the eight series we are offering this year, spanning October 2021 to May 2022.

We ask our members to enter this coupon code on the registration page under "Event Fees," then click "Apply." That will allow you to register for each of the series we are sponsoring at no cost.

Our members who plan to participate in a series must register for that series. Registrants will receive the zoom link for each series in a reminder email sent about a week before the start of each series, and again on the morning of each session. The deadline to register for a given session is 10 AM ET on the morning of the session.

B'nai Zion has registered to sponsor all eight of our ScholarStream series. Below, please find a full description of the topics and teachers for Series 1: Torah Relationships. We will have full descriptions of the rest of our ScholarStream series soon.

Registration Link: <https://www.rabbinicalassembly.org/civcrm/event/register?id=1401&reset=1>

Coupon Code: CongBnaiZion21



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Thank you!

To all the members
who donated to the
Yom Kippur Appeal
2021.

YOM KIPPUR

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Thank You!

Our sincere thanks to Meyer Marcus and family
for repairing the marquee B'nai Zion sign at our
cemetery entrance.



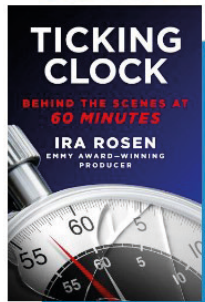
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October Book Zone

Ira Rosen Ticking Clock

Behind the Scenes at 60 Minutes

For nearly twenty-five years, Ira Rosen has produced some of the most memorable, important, and groundbreaking stories for 60 Minutes. A former Nieman Fellow at Harvard University, Rosen was a senior producer of *Primetime Live* with Diane Sawyer. Rosen has won 24 National Emmys, four duPont Awards, two RFK Awards, and two Peabody awards for his work. He is the co-author of *The Warning: Accident at Three Mile Island*.



When producer Ira Rosen walked into the 60 Minutes offices in June 1980, he knew he was about to enter television history. Based on decades of access and experience, Rosen takes his audience behind closed doors to offer an incisive look at the show that invented TV investigative journalism. With surprising humor, charm, and an eye for colorful detail, Rosen delivers an authoritative account of the unforgettable personalities that battled for prestige, credit, and the desire to scoop everyone else in the game. As Mike Wallace's top producer, Rosen reveals the interview secrets that made Wallace's work legendary and the temper that made him infamous. Later, as senior producer of ABC News *Primetime Live* and 20/20, Rosen exposes the competitive environment among famous colleagues like Diane Sawyer and Barbara Walters, and the power plays between correspondents Chris Wallace, Anderson Cooper, and Chris Cuomo. Highly entertaining, dishy, and unforgettable, *Ticking Clock* is a never-before-told account of the most successful news show in American history.

Date: Wednesday, October 6, 2021
Time: 7:00 PM

ZOOM ID: 87883450066
PASSWORD: 805

Daniel Sokatch Can We Talk About Israel?

A Guide for the Curious, Confused, and Conflicted

Daniel Sokatch is the Chief Executive Officer of the New Israel Fund (NIF). He served as the Executive Director of the Jewish Community Federation of San Francisco, the Peninsula, Marin and Sonoma Counties, and as the founding Executive Director of the Los Angeles-based Progressive Jewish Alliance. Sokatch has an MA from the Fletcher School at Tufts University, a JD from Boston College Law School, and a BA from Brandeis University.



"Can't you just explain the Israel situation to me? In, like, 10 minutes or less?" This is the question Daniel Sokatch is used to answering on an almost daily basis. As the head of the New Israel Fund, which is dedicated to equality and democracy for all Israelis, not just Jews, Sokatch is supremely well-versed on the Israeli conflict. *Can We Talk About Israel?* is the story of that conflict, and of why so many people feel so strongly about it without actually understanding it very well at all. It is an attempt to grapple with a century-long struggle between two peoples that both perceive themselves as (and indeed are) victims. And it's an attempt to explain why Israel (and the Israeli-Palestinian conflict) inspires such extreme feelings—why it seems like Israel is the answer to "what is wrong with the world" for half the people in it, and "what is right with the world" for the other half.



Date: Sunday, October 17, 2021
Time: 7:00 PM

ZOOM ID: 83209650763
PASSWORD: 805

International Event brought to us by Jewish Book Council David Grossman More Than I Love My Life

David Grossman is a Booker Prize winner, Sapir Prize winner, and two-time National Jewish Book Award winner.

More Than I Love My Life is the story of three generations of women on an unlikely journey to a Croatian island and a secret that needs to be told.



A Book Conversation with David Grossman and Jewish Book Council's Marilyn Hassid

RESERVATION REQUIRED

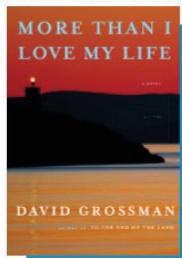
Register at:

<https://www.jewishbookcouncil.org/events/more-than-i-love-my-life-a-book-conversation-with-david-grossman-and-marilyn-hassid>

On the registration site enter

Organization: Congregation B'nai Zion

How did you hear about this event: Congregation B'nai Zion, El Paso



DATE: Wednesday, October 20, 2021
TIME: 10:30 AM



Steven Nadler & Lawrence Shapiro

When Bad Thinking Happens to Good People
How Philosophy Can Save Us from Ourselves

Steven Nadler is the William H. Hay II Professor of Philosophy at the University of Wisconsin-Madison where he is the director of the Institute for Research in the Humanities. His books include *Think Least of Death: Spinoza on How to Live and How to Die* and (with Ben Nadler) *Heretics!: The Wondrous and Dangerous Beginnings of Modern Philosophy* (both Princeton).



Lawrence Shapiro is a professor of philosophy at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. His books include *Embodied Cognition* and *The Miracle Myth: Why Belief in the Resurrection and the Supernatural Is Unjustified*.

There is an epidemic of bad thinking in the world today. An alarming number of people are embracing crazy, even dangerous ideas. They believe that vaccinations cause autism.

They reject the scientific consensus on climate change as a "hoax." And they blame the spread of COVID-19 on the 5G network or a Chinese cabal. Worse, bad thinking drives bad acting—it even inspired a mob to storm the U.S. Capitol. In this book, Steven Nadler and Lawrence Shapiro argue that the best antidote for bad thinking is the wisdom, insights, and practical skills of philosophy. When Bad Thinking Happens to Good People provides an engaging tour through the basic principles of logic, argument, evidence, and probability that can make all of us more reasonable and responsible citizens. In a world in which irrationality has exploded to deadly effect, *When Bad Thinking Happens to Good People* is a timely and essential guide for a return to reason.

Something is seriously wrong. An alarming number of citizens, in America and around the world, are embracing crazy, even dangerous ideas.

When Bad Thinking Happens to Good People
How Philosophy Can Save Us from Ourselves
Steven Nadler and Lawrence Shapiro



Date: Wednesday, November 3, 2021
Time: 7:00 PM

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Jewish Heritage Dinners Celebrating Culture, Cuisine & Community

Join us as we explore the cuisine of the

Bnei Anusim

October 28, 2021 Community-wide event

Gourmet kosher dinner prepared by
Chef Mario Ochoa-Gurany & team

Pick up your to-go meal at Congregation B'nai Zion,
805 Cherry Hill Lane, between 3-5:30 pm MT

Learn about the key role that food has played in Bnei Anusim history.
We'll meet at 7:15 pm MT on Zoom with author and speaker **Genie Milgrom**.
In an unparalleled work of genealogy, Milgrom chronicled her unbroken maternal lineage 22 generations going back to pre-Inquisition Spain and Portugal. She speaks around the world bringing awareness of Jews returning from the Inquisition.

Introduction by **Rabbi Stephen Leon**, founder & director of the Anusim Center of El Paso.

Zoom link will be emailed prior to event.

Sets of three of Genie's books will be raffled off at the end of our Zoom program.

Raffle tickets are included in your to-go meal. Two winners!

\$10 adults, \$5 children

RSVP by Monday, October 18

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MENU

GF= Gluten Free
V=Vegan



Branca Dias's Yellow Stew (GF)
Tender chunks of beef and mango in a delicate stew



Mayor Gonzalez's Almorí Chicken (GF)
Chicken cutlet marinated in herbs & spices, roasted & smothered with fruit and lavender blossoms



Isabel Garcia's Chickpeas with Honey and Pomegranate (V,GF)
Sweet and spiced chickpeas with pomegranate arils

Juan Sanchez Exarch's Chard Soup (V,GF)
Greens and white beans in a saffron seasoned soup

Unsalted Barley Cake (V)
Simply delicious flatbread

Garbanzo Empanada (V)
Stuffed with savory eggplant and capers

Roasted Egg (GF)
Traditionally eaten by Anusim before Yom Kippur, ours is with smoky black lava salt

Almond Horn and Dried Fig (V,GF)
Rich flavorful treat

This program is funded by a generous grant from the Jewish Community Foundation of El Paso

GENETIC TESTING: How it Can Keep YOU and YOUR Family Healthy

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10 AT 4PM ON ZOOM

MEETING ID: 915 833 2222 | PASSCODE: CBZBOARD

Hear from JSreen's genetic counselor about the importance of genetic testing. Q&A to follow.

REPROGEN

Are you or your children thinking of starting or expanding your/their family?
Let JSreen help determine your risk for having a child with a genetic disease, like Tay-Sachs or cystic fibrosis.

CANCERGEN

Want to be proactive about your own health? JSreen tests for genetic changes that increase a person's risk for many types of cancer, including breast, prostate, colon and others.

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October Meals to Go



CBZ

PARSHAT NOACH

October 8th

Menu

- Vegetable Lasagna
- Rainbow Salad with Cucumber, Cherry Tomatoes, Shredded Carrots, Yellow Bell Pepper and Sliced Red Onions on a Bed of Lettuce.
- Rainbow Fruit Kebab
- Challah Roll

Serves: 1//\$14.00 or 4/\$54.00

Curbside Pick Up: Friday, October 8th

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

RSVP (915) 833-2222

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Deadline to Order: Tuesday, October 5th by 4:30 PM

Have you heard that this week's
Shabbat meal from CBZ is



**SALAMI
ON
RYE BREAD**



\$15.00 per serving
Curbside pick up: Friday October 15
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

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Deadline to order Tuesday, October 12 by 4:30 PM

PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW! LIMITED QUANTITIES AVAILABLE

CBZ ROASTED CHICKEN WITH POTATOES & CARROTS
CHALLAH LOAF
FRESHLY BAKED COOKIES



\$30
3.5 - 4 lb chicken serves 3 - 4 people

Curbside pick up: Friday, October 22
11:30 am - 1:00 PM

Deadline to order: Tuesday, October 19 by 4:30 PM
Limited Quantities Available

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