

SUMMER 2022

Congregation
Shirat HaYam



Weekly Friday Shabbat Services at 6:30pm unless otherwise noted. All are welcome in peace.
Saturday Study Sessions are held at 9:30am for "schmooze" and 10:00 - 11:00am for study.

From Sept 25 – Oct 5, ticket-free High Holy Day Services will be conducted by
Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor & Cantorial Soloist Elliot Levine.

From June 19 - Sept 4, every Sunday at 9:00am, Bike Group meets across Old South Rd. from the Inquirer & Mirror, details TBA.

In general, we currently plan for all services and activities to gather in-person, and many will also be available online.

All will require registration / RSVPs in advance.

Details will be provided in emails and on our website at www.shirathayamnantucket.org.

If you have any questions, please contact us at shayam@comcast.net or 508-228-6588.

MAY

Fri, May 27 Reception: 5:30pm Services: 6:30pm	Welcome Back Pre-Services Reception, rear garden at the Unitarian Universalist Meeting House. Shabbat Services led by Avi Teken.
Sat, May 28, Time TBA	Reception honoring Avi Teken for his 25+ years of service as Shirat HaYam's Educator, details TBA

JUNE

Fri, Jun 3	Shabbat Services led by Harry Mintz.
Fri, Jun 10, 6:00pm	Communal Shabbat Dinner open to all past, present and prospective members. Location: Private home TBA. Shabbat Services led by Darren Sukonick.
Thu, Jun 16, 5:30-7:00pm	Author Reception, hosted by Shirat HaYam, proud sponsor of the Nantucket Book Festival, welcoming Peter Osnos and Evan Osnos, father/son journalists. Location TBA.
Fri, Jun 17	"Challah Shabbat" complimentary delivery on-island, Shabbat Services led by Rabbi Jason Cook. African Meeting House, 29 York St.
Tue, Jun 21, 12:00noon	Third Annual Shirat HaYam Golf and Lunch Event, Lunch and 9 holes of golf. Register & Pay by June 12th.
Fri, Jun 24 Reception: 5:30pm Services: 6:30pm	Pre-Services Reception, rear garden at the Unitarian Universalist Meeting House. Shabbat Services led by Cantor Mo Glazman of Temple Emanu-El of New York, our partner religious school. Services honoring our B'nai Mitzvah students and families.
Sat, Jun 25 Services: 10:30am Luncheon: 12:15pm	Shabbat Morning and B'nai Mitzvah Services, Unitarian Universalist Meeting House, Max Margolis and Ruby Muise will be called to the Torah. Following services, the Congregation is invited to a luncheon hosted by Greg and Joy Margolis in honor of Max and Ruby at The Corner Table, 22 Federal Street.

JULY

Fri, Jul 1	Shabbat Services led by Darren Sukonick.
Thu, Jul 7, 9:30am	Pickleball Round Robin, details TBA.
Fri, Jul 8	Lieutenant Colonel US Army (retired) Alexander Vindman, author of "Here, Right Matters: An American Story" will speak after services. Shabbat Services led by Rabbi Harold L. Robinson, Rear Admiral US Navy (retired).
Sat, Jul 9, 9:30am	Meet and Mimosas, a reception with Lt. Col. Alexander Vindman. Location: Private home TBA.
Thu, Jul 14, 5:30- 7:00pm	Rebecca Frankel, author of "Into the Forest", discusses a "Holocaust Story of Survival, Triumph & Love" at the Nantucket Atheneum, 1 India Street.
Fri, Jul 15 Coffee: 9:30am Dinner: 5:45-6:30pm Services: 6:30pm	Coffee with Clergy, with Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor. He will lead a discussion on "Abortion: Jewish Law and our Personal Stories". Location TBA. Shabbat on the Beach with a Box Dinner on Jetties Beach, with Shabbat Services led by Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor.
Sat, Jul 16, 9:30am	Coffee with Rebecca Frankel, discussion led by Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor, private home TBA.
Fri, Jul 22	"Challah Shabbat" complimentary delivery on-island, Shabbat Services led by Elliott Pollack.
Fri, Jul 29	Elizabeth Blau, an American entrepreneur involved in food services for over 30 years, will discuss "The Celebrity Chef Phenomenon and its Birth in Las Vegas From the Lady that had the Front Row Seat." Shabbat Services led by Peter Kahn.
Sat, Jul 30, 6:00pm	Panel Discussion on Women's Entrepreneurship with Elizabeth Blau, Gwenn Snider and Liz Weiss, moderated by Terry Schubach, at the Nantucket Atheneum, 1 India Street.

AUGUST

Wed, Aug 3 Reception: 5:00-5:45pm Concert: 6:00-7:00pm	Concert with "The Rossini Group" for the benefit of the Nantucket, Food, Fuel and Rental Assistance Program of the Nantucket Interfaith Council sponsored by Shirat HaYam, preceded by a Benefactors Reception in the Garden, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 20 Fair Street. General tickets \$30; Benefactor tickets \$75.
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AUGUST (cont)

Fri, Aug 5	<p>Prof Derek Penslar is the William Lee Frost Professor of Jewish History at Harvard University. His books include "The Origins of the State of Israel: A Documentary History", "Jews and the Military: A History", and Theodor Herzl: The Charismatic Leader". Prof Penslar is President of the American Academy for Jewish Research. On Friday after services, he will discuss "Assimilation: The opportunities that Jews have had to enjoy equality of rights, economic opportunity, and social integration with the non-Jewish society". Prof Penslar will also lead the Scholar in Residence Weekend.</p> <p>Shabbat Services led by Cantor David Rosen of Holy Blossom Temple of Toronto and Darren Sukonick.</p>
Sat, Aug 6 - Sun, Aug 7 Coffee and Food: 9:30am Program: 10:00am-12:00 noon	<p>Leonard Greenberg Memorial Scholar in Residence Weekend. The value of studying history is to better understand the prospects facing Jews in the 21st century. The format will include lectures, short film clips, on-site readings and discussion with the participants. Prof Derek Penslar will lead Study Sessions on Saturday -- "Anti-Semitism: The hostility and hatred that Jews have often encountered over the course of history, how they have responded, and what we can learn from them" -- and on Sunday -- "Zionism: Zionism has a future, but it won't be the same as it was in the past". Locations and details TBA.</p>
Thu, Aug 11, 9:30am	<p>Pickleball Round Robin, details TBA.</p>
Fri, Aug 12	<p>Suzanne Nossel is the Chief Executive Officer of PEN. She will discuss "Dare to Speak: Defending Free Speech for All". "Challah Shabbat" complimentary delivery on-island. Shabbat Services led by Elliott Pollack.</p>
Thu, Aug 18, 10:00am	<p>Family Beach Biology Field Trip led by Maria Mitchell Association, with ice cream following, meet at Low Beach parking lot.</p>
Fri, Aug 19 Coffee: 9:30am Services: 6:30pm	<p>Coffee with Clergy, with Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor, location TBA. Shabbat on Jetties Beach, with Shabbat Services led by Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor.</p>
Sat, Aug 20 Study: 9:30am Havdallah: 6:30pm	<p>Shabbat Shmooze and Study Session led by Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor, private home TBA. Havdallah Services led by Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor, location TBA.</p>
Fri, Aug 26 Reception: 5:30 - 6:15pm Meeting: 6:15 - 6:30pm Services: 6:30pm	<p>Pre-Reception in the rear garden at the Unitarian Universalist Meeting House. Annual General Meeting of Members of the Congregation. Susan Glasser, journalist at the New Yorker and Russian expert will speak after services about "Putin's Russia". Shabbat Services led by Peter Kahn.</p>

SEPTEMBER

Fri, Sep 2	<p>Shabbat Services led by Darren Sukonick.</p>
Fri, Sep 9	<p>Shabbat on the Deck. Reception on the Deck followed by Shabbat Services led by Peter Kahn.</p>
Thu, Sep 15	<p>Bee-Keeper Tour with local David Hitchcock of Bee Happy, ages 12+, details TBA.</p>
Fri, Sep 16	<p>Shabbat Services led by Harry Mintz.</p>
Fri, Sep 23	<p>Shabbat Services led by Harry Mintz.</p>
Sun, Sep 25 7:30 - 8:30pm	<p>Erev Rosh Hashanah Services</p>
Mon, Sep 26 Services: 9:30 - 11:30am Lunch: 12:00pm Tashlik: 3:00pm	<p>Rosh Hashanah 1st Day Services Rosh Hashanah Lunch Family Tashlik at Brant Point Lighthouse</p>
Tues, Sep 27 Services: 10:00 - 11:30am	<p>Rosh Hashanah 2nd Day Services</p>
Thu, Sep 29	<p>Movie Night, details TBA</p>
Fri, Sep 30	<p>Shabbat Services led by Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor.</p>

OCTOBER

Sat, Oct 1	<p>Shabbat Shmooze and Study Session led by Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor, private home TBA.</p>
Mon, Oct 3: 4:00pm	<p>Shmooze and Study Session led by Rabbi Gary Bretton-Granatoor, private home TBA.</p>
Tue, Oct 4 Services: 7:30 - 8:30pm	<p>Kol Nidre Services</p>
Wed, Oct 5 Services: 9:30 - 12:00pm Study Session: 3:00pm Neilah: 5:30pm Break the Fast: 6:45pm	<p>Yom Kippur Services Study Session (including Jonah and the Whale) Neilah Break the Fast, White Elephant Ballroom</p>
Fri, Oct 14 6:00pm	<p>Shabbat in the Sukkah Shabbat, location TBA. Services led by a lay leader.</p>
Mon, Oct 17, 5:00-7:30pm	<p>Simchat Torah Celebration</p>