

Fall Series

All programs are open to everyone regardless of affiliation. There are no financial barriers to participation.



College-Level Modern Hebrew

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS
7:00–8:30 PM
Oct 4–Jan 24 (24 sessions)

TEACHER Rabbi Yosi Gordon

CO-SPONSOR St. Paul JCC

LOCATION St. Paul JCC

COST \$450 for the semester

The level of this class will be determined by the participants. Register your interest and take the placement test at www.ttsp.org

Dilemmas of Faith

THURSDAYS
7:00–9:00 PM
Oct 4–Dec 13 (10 sessions)

Engage in a broad and deep analysis of classical and contemporary texts and thought, to address the challenges to faith raised by life in the modern world.

TEACHER Rabbi Alan Shavit-Lonstein

CO-SPONSOR St. Paul JCC

LOCATION St. Paul JCC

COST \$200 for the series; \$150 for Hineni supporters and JCC members

Register at www.ttsp.org

Sacred Spaces

WEDNESDAYS
1:00–3:00 PM
FALL: 11/7, 11/14, 11/28
SPRING: 3/27, 4/3, 4/10

Join us for a series of field trips as we explore with local clergy how religious spaces and the rituals practiced in them reflect the values and beliefs of six religious groups.

FACILITATOR Rabbi Alan Shavit-Lonstein

LOCATION St. Paul JCC

CO-SPONSOR St. Paul JCC and By the Rivers

COST \$15/session, or \$45/Fall or Spring series

Register at www.stpauljcc.org

Mussar Va'ad

MONDAYS
7:00–9:00 PM
Oct 15–May 13 (14 sessions)
Bi-monthly

LOCATION Beth Jacob

WEDNESDAYS
11:00 AM–1:00 PM
Oct 17–May 15 (14 sessions)
Bi-monthly

LOCATION St. Paul JCC

This mussar va'ad (community of practice) will accommodate both those with and without prior experience with Mussar practice.

FACILITATOR Sara Lynn Newberger

CO-SPONSORS Beth Jacob, St. Paul JCC and Mount Zion

COST \$300 for the series; \$250 for Hineni supporters, JCC/BJC or MZ members

Register at www.ttsp.org

What Can a Table Teach Us About Akiba's World?

TUESDAYS
7:00–8:30 PM
Jan 8, 15, 22, 29

We will explore social, cultural and political aspects of first and second century Galilee and Judea. Lessons learned from the past will shed light on our lives today.

TEACHER Earl Schwartz

LOCATION St. Paul JCC

CO-SPONSOR St. Paul JCC

COST \$90 for the series; \$75 for Hineni supporters and JCC members

Register at www.ttsp.org



Taste of Me'ah: Rise of the Rabbis

THURSDAYS
7:00–8:30 PM

Jan 10, 17, 24, 31

Through engaging video lectures and probing discussion questions, you will tour through the diverse world of Jewish sects and varying religious practices that flourished in ancient Israel and Babylonia from the aftermath of the Bible to first century Judaism.

CO-SPONSOR St. Paul JCC

LOCATION St. Paul JCC

COST \$90 for the series; \$75 for Hineni supporters and JCC members

Register at www.ttsp.org

The Star and the Crescent: The Long Relationship of Judaism and Islam

7:00–8:30 PM | **TUESDAYS** | Oct 9–Dec 11 (10 sessions)

TEACHER Meryll Levine Page

CO-SPONSOR Beth El's Community Learning @ The Well

LOCATION Beth El

COST \$295 for the series

First Year Core Curriculum: Rhythms and Purposes

7:00–9:15 PM | **WEDNESDAYS** | Oct 10–May 15 (26 sessions)

This text-based, discussion-oriented, pluralistic course is ideal for those looking to study in a community of adults seeking to deepen their understanding of the basics of Judaism and Jewish living.

TEACHERS Sara Lynn Newberger and Rabbi Alan Shavit-Lonstein

COMMUNITY PARTNERS Twin Cities Synagogues and Agencies

LOCATION TTSP **COST** \$500 for the series

Live in the West Metro? Consider joining the second year class on Monday nights at Adath!

Register at www.events.org/MeltonStPaul

One-time Programs



Taste of Mindful Mussar

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 26
11:00 AM–1:00 PM

Come for a sample of this powerful traditional Jewish practice.

LEADER Sara Lynn Newberger

CO-SPONSORS ST PAUL JCC, MZ AND BJC

LOCATION St. Paul JCC

COST \$20; \$15 for Hineni supporter, JCC/BJC or MZ members

Register at www.ttsp.org

Change-makers: Thinking of Change?

SUNDAY, NOV 4
12:30–5:30 PM

Join us for a day of workshops and panels to explore making change in mid-life and beyond. Come and be inspired by stories, experiences and strategies.

CO-SPONSORS JFS, Sholom, St. Paul JCC

LOCATION St. Paul JCC

COST \$25 in advance, \$36 at the door

Register for the program and break out sessions at ttsp.org

Jewish Silent Meditation Retreat

SUNDAY, DEC 16
9:00 AM–4:00 PM

Join us for a day of contemplation as we practice walking and sitting meditation, chanting, silent eating, and heart-centered Torah study.

LEADER Sara Lynn Newberger

LOCATION TTSP

COST \$72

Register at www.ttsp.org

The Other Peace Process

Inter-Religious Dialogue in the Service of Peace

SUNDAY, NOV 11
1:00 PM

PRESENTER Rabbi Dr. Ron Kronish

LOCATION Beth Jacob Congregation

Torah Yoga

TUESDAY, OCT 16
7:00–9:00 PM

TEACHER Diane Bloomfield

CO-SPONSOR Mount Zion

LOCATION Mount Zion

COST \$20 in advance, \$25 at the door

Register at www.ttsp.org

Holy Listening

BY APPOINTMENT

Hineni offers Jewish spiritual direction/companionship through Pam Winthrop Lauer. Pam is available to meet with individuals by appointment and leads Jewish and interfaith Holy Listening groups.

TEACHER Pam Winthrop Lauer

Contact Pam at wpdj@usfamily.net or 651-328-1166.

Ongoing, Drop-in Programs. Open to all, check us out.

No experience is necessary. No cost, donations welcome.

LEADER/TEACHER Sara Lynn Newberger

Torah and Mindfulness Through the Lens of Hasidic Masters

8:15–9:30 AM
TUESDAYS

LOCATION TTSP

Contemplative Chanting

7:00–8:00 PM
WEDNESDAYS

11/14, 12/12, 1/9, 2/13

CO-SPONSOR Beth Jacob Congregation & Mount Zion

LOCATION Mount Zion

Shabbat Meditation

9:15–9:45 AM
SATURDAYS

First & third Shabbat

CO-SPONSOR Beth Jacob Congregation

LOCATION Beth Jacob Congregation

Meditation

11:00–11:45 AM
FRIDAYS

Second & fourth Friday Starts Oct 26

CO-SPONSOR St. Paul JCC

LOCATION St. Paul JCC

Pirke Avot: Ancient Rabbinic Wisdom for Today's World

11:00 AM–12:00 PM
FRIDAYS

First & third Friday Starts Oct 19

CO-SPONSOR St. Paul JCC

LOCATION St. Paul JCC