January Coming Events

Thursdays January 5, 12, 19, and 26, 7:30 pm "Around the Rabbi's Tisch" at the Vorspans

This popular Shir Ami educational series concludes the first half of its 5777 season. Come join us for our weekly discussion of **Rabbi Vorspan's** selected topics of Jewish interest. We discuss Jewish texts and current events as they relate to Jewish values and our lives as Jews. This is a unique opportunity to learn and share in an informal format around the Vorspan's dining room table. You may call Rabbi Vorspan at (818) 888-9817 for more information.

Saturday, January 14 at 10:30 am Torah and Shabbat Study with Stan Schroeder at Northridge Mobile Home Park Rec Room

Stan leads a Shabbat study session one Saturday morning each month at the Northridge Mobile Home Park Rec Room, 19120 Nordhoff St. We discuss the weekly Torah portion, the Shabbat prayers that are included in our Contemporary service, and various subjects relevant to Conservative Judaism. This session will be Parshah *Vayechi* Genesis:47.28 - 50.26. We will also discuss Martin Luther King (holiday coming up), the Jews, and civil rights, then and now. Call Stan at (818) 718-7466 for more information.

Saturday, January 21 at 10:15 am (service at 10:30) Annual Social Action Linen Shabbat at New Community Jewish High School

We will again be collecting new linens to donate to the Domestic Violence shelters operated by Jewish Family Service. Call Laura Simon at (818) 883-1765.

Looking ahead to February

Sunday, February 12 at 2:00 pm Afternoon of Contemporary Judaism with Valley Beth Shalom Rabbi Ed Feinsten: *Can You Hear Me Now?* at Temple Ramat Zion

Rabbi Feinstein serves on the faculty of the Ziegler Rabbinical School of the American Jewish University, the Wexner Heritage Program, and the Shalom Hartman Institute in Jerusalem. He lectures widely across the United States. An engaging lecturer and storyteller, he unites the ancient Jewish love of ideas with the warmth of Jewish humor.

Refreshments will be served. Call Stan Schroeder at (818) 718-7466 for more information.











