

November Coming Events

Thursdays November 2, 9, 16, and 30, 7:30 pm
“Around the Rabbi’s Tisch” at the Vorspans



This popular Shir Ami educational series continues its 5778 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.



Sunday, November 5 at 9:00 am
Mitzvah Day at Temple Judea Social Hall
5429 Lindley Ave., Tarzana

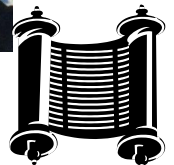
We will again fill backpacks for **School on Wheels** as well as projects for **Jewish World Watch** and **Operation Gratitude**.



Call **Leon Nachenberg** at (818) 885-6736 for more information. Our Social Action Committee urges members and the community to participate in and financially support this worthy effort.

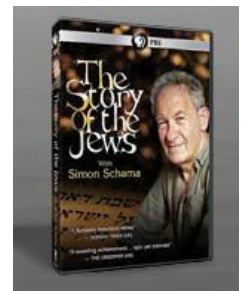
Saturday, November 11 at 10:30 am
Torah and Shabbat Study with Stan Schroeder
at Northridge Mobile Home Park rec room

Stan leads a Shabbat study session one Saturday morning each month. We discuss the weekly Torah portion, the Shabbat prayers that are included in our Contemporary service, and subjects relevant to Conservative Judaism. The parsha is *Chayah Sarah* (Genesis 23:1 - 25:18). Call Stan at (818) 718-7466 for more information.



Sunday, November 19 at 2:00 pm
Second Episode of *The Story of the Jews*
at the Vorspan home

Congregation Shir Ami presents **Rabbi David Vorspan** hosting and discussing the Five part PBS documentary award winning series created by **Simon Schama** in his home “theater” in Woodland Hills. **It is free to our members on a “first come, first serve” basis.** This second episode covers the medieval period with Jews living under Christianity and Islam..



Simon Schama presents this epic series exploring the extraordinary story of the Jewish experience from ancient times to the present day. Both deeply historical and utterly contemporary, this is a compelling film is a celebration of the ways in which Jewish thought, imagination, and achievement have transformed the world for us all.



You can register by email to stan101@pacbell.net or phone Stan Schroeder at (818) 718-7466

December Coming Events

Thursday December 7, 7:30 pm

“Around the Rabbi’s Tisch” at the Vorspans

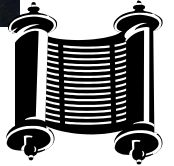
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Saturday, December 9 at 10:30 am

Torah and Shabbat Study with Stan Schroeder at Northridge Mobile Home Park rec room

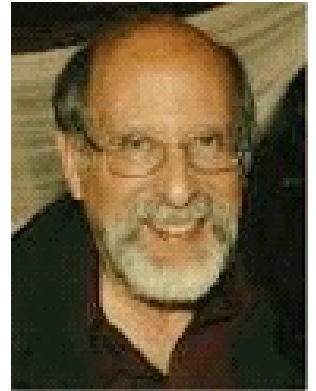
Stan leads a Shabbat study session one Saturday morning each month. We discuss the weekly Torah portion, the Shabbat prayers that are included in our Contemporary service, and subjects relevant to Conservative Judaism. The parsha is *Vayeshev* (Genesis 37:1 - 40:23). Call Stan at 818) 718-7466 for more information.



Sunday, December 10 at 2:00 pm

Classics to Klezmer presented by Neal Brostoff at de Toledo High School

Neal Brostoff will take us on a delightful journey through legendary Jewish Music. Neal was the Music Programs Coordinator for the Mickey Katz Endowed Chair in Jewish Music at UCLA. He has taught Jewish music courses at Loyola Marymount University, American Jewish University, and UCLA. He has independently produced Jewish music concerts and festivals and has served as Cultural Affairs Director for the Israeli Consulate in Los Angeles and as Music Specialist at the Skirball Cultural Center.



The cost is \$10 per person and includes coffee and cookies. Call **Gladys Sturman** at (818) 222-4604 for more information.