



✿ GATES OF GEMILUT HASADIM ✿

ACTS OF LOVING KINDNESS

**Tom's Shoes**

One of our High Holiday tzedakah projects will be our partnership with Tom's Shoes, an organization that provides shoes for underprivileged children in the developing world. On Yom Kippur it is customary to wear non-leather shoes. Canvas shoes, like Tom's, are a great alternative. You can purchase a pair for yourself and have a pair donated to a child who is in need. Go to [www.tomsshoes.com](http://www.tomsshoes.com) and use our promo code CHAI18 to receive \$5 off.

**Project Isaiah**

Kosher food will be collected at Kol Nidre services and other times during the year and then distributed to families in our community.

**The Giving Tree**

We will be partnering with Temple Beth El and other institutions to help purchase Christmas presents for kids in our community who might not be able to experience the joy of Christmas without this wonderful program. Please sponsor a child or two and make their holiday season one to remember.

**B'nai Mitzvah Projects**

Please help out our b'nai mitzvah students as they collect items for various organizations. Collection baskets will be located in the synagogue lobby. Check out our bulletin and website for updates regarding new projects.

**Shaarei Kodesh Cooking Crew**

Join us as we prepare meals in advance for our congregants who may need them. Whether for the arrival of a new baby, a shiva minyan, a new move or a variety of other reasons, the Shaarei Kodesh Cooking Crew will have meals ready to go to help support our members in times of need and in times of joy. For more information, contact Eve Nasetti at [eve@nasetti.com](mailto:eve@nasetti.com).



✿ GATES OF FAMILY ✿

B'YACHAD FAMILY PROGRAMMING

This year our B'yachad Family Programming will be offering five sessions. Families will learn and socialize by joining together for a havdalah soccer game, Tu B'Shevat fun, a Purim carnival, ice cream and movie night and Passover on the beach.



\*\*Please note that there may be minimal fees that apply to some programs.

\*\*Please check our website or the office for program times.

\*\*There is a minimum requirement of people needed in order for a class to be held. Please see individual classes for numbers needed. If we do not have this minimum, some sessions may be postponed, rescheduled, or cancelled.



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## A LIFETIME OF LEARNING



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✿ GATES OF TORAH ✿

### LEARNING

**Understanding Theology 101**

You have grown so much since you were in Hebrew school, but what about your view of God? Join us for a three-part series on understanding Jewish theology. In this series, we will discuss different views of Revelation of our Torah, our different views of God, and you will be given the tools to develop your own personal theology. Dinner will be provided. Cost: \$45 for the series. Oct, 27, Nov 3, 17

### Global Day of Jewish Learning

Communities across the world will be learning Talmud in order to mark Rabbi Adin Steinsaltz's completion of his English translation of the Talmud which he began in 1965. Shaarei Kodesh will be one of the many places where learning will be taking place. We hope you will join us for this truly historic event. **Nov 7**

### Spring Adult Education Three-Part Series

Rabbi Baum will teach an interactive and engaging series. **Spring TBA**

### So You Want to Learn Hebrew?

If you are interested in learning how to "decode" Hebrew and want to read from the *siddur* (prayerbook), then sign up for this class! Teddy Garber will be teaching on Sunday mornings throughout the year. A minimum of four students is needed in order for this class to run. Please call the office to register.

### L'dor VaDor: Tastes and Teachings of Judaism for Parents and Kids

This year we will offer two programs to strengthen the parent/child bond.

Parents and children will join together to make a special ritual object. Together, they will work and learn on this project. **Feb 27**

Parents and children will compete in the Second Annual Lag BaOmer Maccabiah/Color War. Learn what Judaism has to say about being a good sport, as we run, jump and play at the Lag BaOmer Picnic. **May 22**

### Yom Ha'Atzmaut Service and Breakfast

Let's celebrate Israel Independence Day with a morning service and a delicious Israeli breakfast replete with salads, pita, humus, and cheeses. Cost: \$8 pp **May 10**

### Camp Send-off Shabbat

We will send our CSK campers off to their respective camps with blessings, good wishes and a special treat. **June 4**

### Tikkun Leil Shavuot

Each year as we prepare to receive the Torah, we ready ourselves by staying up late and studying. Traditionally, Jews stay up all night and watch the sunrise before davening *shacharit* (the morning service). Last year, we made it all night! Join us for any or all of the evening and help us go all night again. **June 7**

# Gates of Holiness

❁ GATES OF AVODAH ❁

## WORSHIP

### Yoga on the Beach

The women of Shaarei Kodesh will be meeting several times during the year to celebrate Rosh Chodesh at the Palmetto Park Beach with teacher Shelly Zacks. There is no cost for this program but donations are welcome. A minimum of six participants is needed in order to run this program. **Oct 3, Dec 5, Jan 30, April 3**

### Shabbat Across CSK: Shabbat Shalom In The Home

Congregants will have the opportunity to be matched up for Shabbat lunch, either as guest or a host. **Oct 16, Feb 5**

### Training Session for Shabbat Across CSK

Both hosts and guests are encouraged to attend this session. Learn how to perform the *brachot* (blessings) for a Shabbat lunch and the meaning behind those blessings. In addition, you'll learn some Shabbat songs and exchange recipes. **Oct 6**

### Shabbat Dinners

We hope you will join us after Shabbat services for a delicious dinner. Services begin at 6:00 pm, dinner immediately following. **Oct, Jan, April**

### Mishpachat Shabbat

Several times during the year we will be having a special family service from 5:30-6:15 on Friday night. We hope your family will attend this abridged, interactive and engaging service. **Nov 19, Jan 21, April 15, May 20**

### JTS Seminary Shabbat

We are excited to welcome a JTS Rabbinical student to join us for Shabbat. We will have the opportunity to learn from the rabbinic student during services as well as during a lunch and learn. **Winter 2010**



# Shaarei Kodesh

### Lunch 'n Learn Sessions

Throughout the year we will have various interesting and engaging sessions after Saturday morning services. We hope you'll stay for the great food and the great conversation. Lunch cost: \$12 per adult/\$7 per child (under 10) **Nov 6, Jan 15, April 23**

### Minyan Chavaya: The Experiential Minyan

Mark your calendars! Plan to participate the second Wednesday of each month and each Rosh Chodesh.

### Havdalah Hannukah Happening

Join us for the 2nd annual Hannukah Beit Cafe-Talent Show. Bring your talent and sign up to share it with our congregation. Adults and kids both welcome! Kol Isha will be holding a "Latke Taste-Off" so you'll be able to vote on your favorite latke, ranging from traditional to gourmet. **Dec 4**

### Megillah Reading and Purim Fun

You won't want to miss our Purim celebration which promises to be better than last year (is that possible?). See what our Purim Players have up their sleeves this year. **March 19, 20**

