

## Friday Night Announcements – December 29, 2023

**Saturday, December 30 at 9:00am** - Conservative Shabbat & Torah Service

**Wednesday, January 3 at 7:00pm** – Books@Night discussion of *Eternal Life* by Dara Horn  
What would it really mean to live forever? In this novel, Rachel is a woman with a problem - she cannot die. Her recent troubles are only the latest in a litany spanning dozens of countries, scores of marriages and hundreds of children.

**Friday, January 12 at 7:30pm**

Join us for *Shabbat Tzedek* (Shabbat of Justice) as we commemorate Martin Luther King, Jr. Day with special readings and music with themes of righteousness.

**Saturday, January 13 at 7:00pm** – Movie Mavens presents - *Shoelaces*

An aging and ailing mechanic reunites with the special-needs son he abandoned as a young boy and from whom he now needs a kidney to survive.

**Monday, January 15 at noon** – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Ecumenical Community Service at: Foster Memorial AME Zion Church (90 Wildey Street in Tarrytown)

Come together with congregants, community members, and clergy. Rabbi Holtz will offer the sermon at the service.

**Wednesday, January 17 at 7:30pm** – *Tikkun Olam* Committee presents a movie screening and live panel discussion of *The Interview: The Dehumanizing Theater of the Parole Process*

You will hear how *t'shuva* (redemption) relates to thousands of New Yorkers currently serving brutally long prison terms because the parole process is designed to punish and resentence, rather than to acknowledge change and transformation.

**Friday, January 19 at 5:45pm** – Women's Circle – *The Ethical Will* presented by Judi Markowitz  
The Ethical Will is a Jewish practice described in Genesis. Today, it is a powerful way to share life lessons, values, and advice with future generations. Join to learn about the Ethical Will and to try your hand at drafting one for your family

**Friday, January 19 at 7:30pm** – Shabbat Service & Installation of Cantor Lauren Fogelman  
Don't miss this special evening when we will install our new Cantor. The evening will feature our professional quartet, volunteer choir, guest clergy, and accompanists Katia and Dror.