

**ADULT EDUCATION**  
**RIVERSIDE TEMPLE BETH EL**  
**December 2018-March 2019**

**Torah Study and Shabbat Morning Services**

- Torah Study only, Saturdays, 10:00-11:30 AM: January 5, February 2, February 16, March 2, April 6, May 4
- Torah Study and Service, Saturdays 10:00 AM-12:00 PM: December 15, March 16
- B'nei Mitzvah (all are invited): Saturday, January 12, 10:00 AM; Saturday, February 23, 10:00 AM; Saturday, May 11, 10:00 AM
- Service Only: Saturday, April 20, 10:00 AM
- Joint Service with Congregation Emanuel, in Redlands: Saturday, February 9, 10:00 AM

**Special Services**

- Featuring the Riverside Resistance Revival Chorus in honor of Martine Luther King, Jr., Friday, January 18, 7:30 PM
- Yoga, Meditation, and Prayers: Saturday, March 16 and April 20, 11 AM.
- Wine and Cheese Shabbat: Friday, March 22, 7:30 PM
- Community Seder, preceded by a special session about our spiritual and other journeys, with Rabbi Jill Zimmerman: Saturday, April 20, 4:00 PM
- Yom HaShoah, service and program with Leslie Gilbert-Lurie and her mother, Rita, authors of *Bending Toward the Sun*, a Holocaust memoir: Wednesday, May 1, 5:00 PM

**Guest Lectures and Screenings**

- The Jewish Composers of Christmas Music, with Dr. Peter Curtis of RCC. A lecture/recital. Dr. Curtis will play Christmas music by Jewish composers and discuss the phenomenon of Jewish musical assimilation of which the Christmas repertoire is an example: Thursday, December 13, 7:00 PM
- Quieting the Mind, with Dr. Richard Landis: Sunday, January 13, 2:30 PM
- The Jewish Roots of Christianity, with Dr. Josh Garroway of HUC: February 10, 2:00 PM
- "My Love Affair with the Brain: The Life and Science of Dr. Marian Diamond," with filmmaker Gary Weimberg: Sunday, February 24, 2:00 PM
- "Above and Beyond," documentary film about the Israeli Air Force, in honor of Oscar Weingart: Thursday, March 28, 7:00 PM

**JEWS AND THE LAW: 3 Special Sessions**

- Famous Jewish Trials: Mendel Beilis, Leo Frank, the Rosenbergs, and the Holocaust on trial, i.e., Deborah Lipstadt, with Dr. Irwin Wall, UCR History Professor Emeritus: Thursday, March 14, 7:00 PM
- A Gangster's Daughter: Mystery writer Marcia Rosen will talk about growing up with gangsters. She writes about characters such as Zero the Bookie, a version of her dad; Doc, The Gimp, Johnny the Jig, and Fat Lawyer, some of her dad's associates: Sunday, March 31, 2:00 PM
- A Jew in Prison: Evie Litwok, a formerly incarcerated Jewish woman, daughter of a Holocaust survivor, and founder and director of Witness to Mass Incarceration, talks about life behind bars and in solitary confinement, particularly for an older person: Sunday, April 7, 2:00 PM

December 9, 2018