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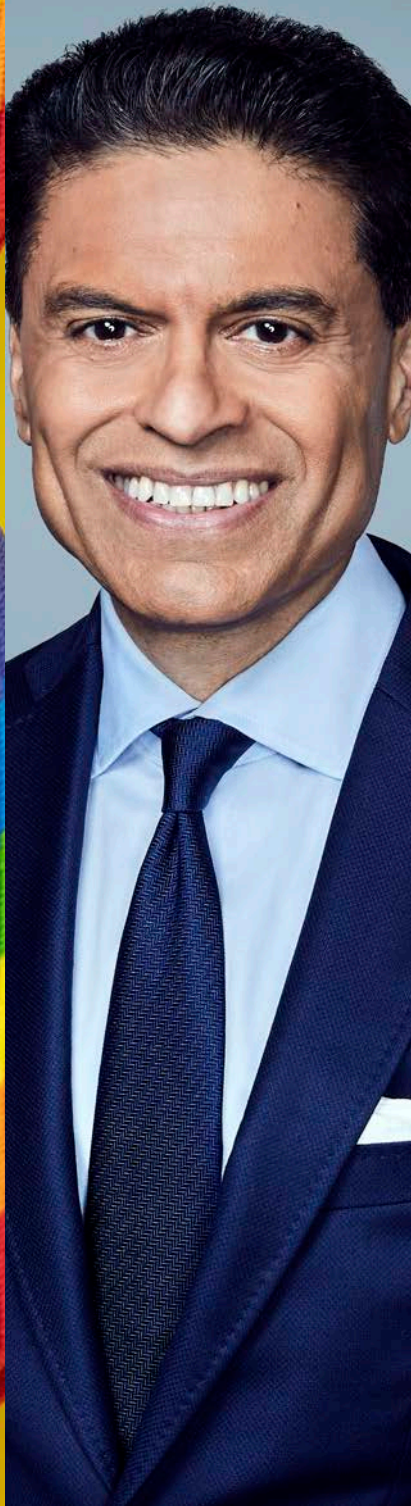
## WHAT'S NEW AT PAS

JUNE - JULY - AUGUST 2021  
TAMUZ - AV - ELUL 5781  
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*Summer  
2021*



PARK AVENUE SYNAGOGUE



# Fun in the Sun

As we start to bring back in-person participation and enjoy the balmy weather, we hope you'll join in to learn, pray, or even simply soak in the summer together. Whether we're gathering via Zoom or in person, your presence helps to make the PAS community a warm and welcoming one!

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# Worship

Shabbat and holidays are times to come together. Even when we are physically distant, we are spiritually connected at PAS. At Kabbalat Shabbat, on Shabbat and holiday mornings, and at weekday minyan, we read Torah, learn from our rabbis, sing with our cantors, comfort mourners, and pray together from wherever we are.



# Worship

## EVERY SHABBAT

Welcome Shabbat

### **KABBALAT SHABBAT**

Fri / 6:15 pm

Gather the family and recharge with a musical, lively, family-friendly service.

Shabbat Morning Warm-Up

### **PARASHAT HASHAVUA**

Sat / Weekly through June 26 / 9:00 am

Interactive study of the morning's Torah reading, ending in time to join the community morning service.

Every 7 days. 52 weeks a year.

### **SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE**

Sat / 9:45 am

An uplifting morning service, with Torah reading, a sermon, and often with celebration of bnei mitzvah.

Get a Head Start

### **SHABBAT MINHA SERVICE**

Sat / 12:30 pm

Hear the first verses of next week's Torah reading and enjoy a liturgical tune that's heard only on Shabbat afternoon.

## DAILY MINYAN

### **SHAHARIT**

Mon-Fri / 7:15 am

Sun / 9:00 am

Mon / Jul 5 / 9:00 am (Independence Day)

Morning minyan on Sunday and Wednesday now has an in-person option in addition to Livestream and Zoom! Check out the website to learn more about our health and safety procedures and to sign up for an upcoming in-person minyan. Space is limited.

### **MINHA / MA'ARIV**

Sun-Thu / 5:45 pm

Now that the days are longer, we have returned to our full Minha/Afternoon Service.



# Worship Holidays

We look forward to these opportunities to come together as a community, whether we're fasting or preparing for the High Holidays.

## HIGH HOLIDAY PREVIEW

Park Avenue Synagogue is offering a hybrid in-person and virtual experience for High Holidays 5782. Fully vaccinated Aleph and Bet Members who are also in good standing are being offered in-person worship opportunities during the High Holidays. We will continue to offer vibrant virtual experiences where members are not attending in-person experiences.

For forms and more up-to-date details, please check our High Holidays page.

## FAST OF THE 17TH TAMUZ

Sun / Jun 27 / 4:14 am–9:08 pm

Morning services will include Torah reading for fast day

Afternoon services will include Torah reading and haftarah reading for fast days

## ROSH HODESH AV

Sat / Jul 10

Services will include Hallel, Torah reading, and musaf for Rosh Hodesh.

## TISHA B'AV

Fri / Jul 16 / 8:24 pm / Fast begins

Sat / Jul 17 / 8:59 pm / Fast ends

Sat / Jul 17 / Time TBD / Tisha B'Av Learning and Service

Morning services will include Torah and haftarah reading for Tisha B'Av.

Afternoon services will include Torah reading and haftarah reading for fast days. Tallit and tefillin are worn in the afternoon instead of in the morning.

Our learning session will be taught by Menachem Z. Rosensaft.

## READ MORE ABOUT THIS LEARNING SESSION

## ROSH HODESH ELUL

Thu, Fri / Aug 8, 9

Services will include Hallel, Torah reading, and musaf for Rosh Hodesh.

## SELIHOT

Sat / Aug 28

# Community Events

From welcoming Shabbat together to hearing guest speakers, PAS provides many opportunities to find personal connection and build community. Find your people through a plethora of community programs.





Community  
Events

# Summer Keynote Series



WHERE ARE WE HEADED?

# The Future of Our Jewish Communal Lives

WITH CHANCELLOR SHULY RUBIN SCHWARTZ AND RABBI COSGROVE

*This event is in partnership with JTS@PAS*

**TUE / JUN 22 / 7:00 PM**

As we begin to return to the welcoming, familiar communal spaces – the classrooms, boardrooms, and sanctuaries – that shape our Jewish lives, how will our houses of learning and prayer adapt to meet the needs of a new era of Jewish communal engagement?

**READ ABOUT CHANCELLOR SHULY RUBIN SCHWARTZ**

**REGISTER**



Community  
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## Summer Keynote Series



LIFE AFTER THE PANDEMIC

# Understanding a New World

WITH DR. RICHARD HAASS, FAREED ZAKARIA, AND RABBI COSGROVE

TUE / JUN 29 / 7:00 PM

COVID-19 has drastically changed the way we interact in the world. How will the effects of the pandemic ripple out to change us all? We'll tackle these questions and work to understand what comes next as we move into a new era of the 21st century.

READ ABOUT DR. RICHARD HAASS AND FAREED ZAKARIA

**REGISTER**

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## Summer Keynote Series



POSITIVE IMPACT

# Tikkun Olam: The Role of Private Enterprise in Healing the World

WITH GEETA AIYER, DAVID BLOOD, AND LISA HALL

*This event is in partnership with the Tikkun Olam Committee*

**TUE / JUL 13 / 7:00 PM**

From social justice to climate change, how does the business sector fit into the work of repairing the world? Featuring an introduction from Rabbi Witkovsky and Marc Becker, a panel of industry experts moderated by Lisa Hall will share their insights.

**READ ABOUT GEETA AIYER, DAVID BLOOD, AND LISA HALL**

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RISE UP

# *The Light of Days* – Women of the Resistance

WITH JUDY BATALION AND RABBI ZUCKERMAN

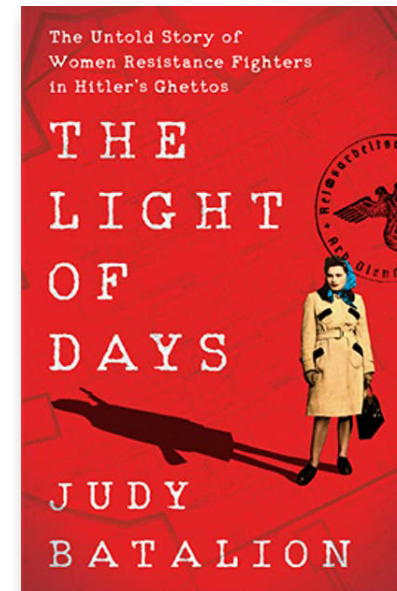
*This event is in partnership with the Women's Network*

TUE / JUL 20 / 7:00 PM

Hear the stories and extraordinary accomplishments of brave Jewish women who became WWII resistance fighters.

READ ABOUT JUDY BATALION

REGISTER



## Community Events

# Virtual Travel: Magic Carpet Mondays

With the globe as our classroom, travel to new places without leaving your living room! We'll expand our understanding of and connection to destinations on the Jewish map, meet dynamic guides, and elevate our spirits through a taste of food, art, and architecture.

Bearing Witness

### **A VIRTUAL TOUR OF AUSCHWITZ**

Mon / Jun 21 / 2:00–3:15 pm

Rabbi Harry Pell

On the day before the 80th anniversary of Operation Barbarossa, bear witness to a moving tour of Auschwitz II-Birkenau. Using Zoom, maps, testimony, and photographs, this tour will bring the words “never again” into a new light.

**[READ ABOUT RABBI HARRY PELL](#)**

**[REGISTER](#)**





# Community Events Our Communities

Engage with PAS from your own perspective. Join our Arms and Committees and make friends who share your interests.

**VISIT THE WEBSITE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT PAS COMMITTEES AND COMMUNITIES.**

## **20S & 30S**

Visit [pasyn.org/communities/20s-and-30s](https://pasyn.org/communities/20s-and-30s) for the latest.

## **ARTS ENGAGEMENT**

Visit [pasyn.org/communities/arts-engagement](https://pasyn.org/communities/arts-engagement) for the latest.

## **JTS@PAS**

Visit [pasyn.org/communities/jts-at-pas](https://pasyn.org/communities/jts-at-pas) for the latest.

Behind the Scenes

### **THE WOMEN OF *SHTISEL***

Thu / Jun 17 / 1:00 pm

Dr. Michal Raucher

Where Are We Headed?

### **THE FUTURE OF OUR JEWISH COMMUNAL LIVES**

Tue / Jun 22 / 7:00 pm

Chancellor Shuly Rubin Schwartz and Rabbi Cosgrove

## **MEN'S CLUB**

Visit [pasyn.org/communities/mens-club](https://pasyn.org/communities/mens-club) for the latest.

## **TIKKUN OLAM**

Visit [pasyn.org/communities/tikkun-olam](https://pasyn.org/communities/tikkun-olam) for the latest.

Positive Impact

### **TIKKUN OLAM: THE ROLE OF PRIVATE ENTERPRISE IN HEALING THE WORLD**

Tue / Jul 13 / 7:00 pm

Geeta Aiyer, David Blood, and Lisa Hall

## **UJA@PAS**

Visit [pasyn.org/communities/uja-at-pas](https://pasyn.org/communities/uja-at-pas) for the latest.

## **WOMEN'S NETWORK**

Visit [pasyn.org/communities/womens-network](https://pasyn.org/communities/womens-network) for the latest.

Rise Up

### **THE LIGHT OF DAYS: WOMEN OF THE RESISTANCE**

Tue / Jul 20 / 7:00 pm

Judy Batalion and Rabbi Zuckerman

## **YOUNG COUPLES GROUP**

Visit [pasyn.org/communities/young-couples-group](https://pasyn.org/communities/young-couples-group) for the latest.

# Adult Education

Enjoy any number of compelling classes, entertaining events, and challenging conversations. From tantalizing television to lively literature, there is learning for everyone! So Zoom into your favorite device and learn with us.

**ALL CLASSES WILL TAKE PLACE ON ZOOM UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED. REGISTER IN ADVANCE FOR ZOOM LINK WHERE APPLICABLE.**





ADULT EDUCATION EVENTS & PROGRAMS

BEHIND THE SCENES

# The Women of *Shtisel*

WITH DR. MICHAL RAUCHER

*This event is in partnership with JTS@PAS*

THU / JUN 17 / 1:00 PM

When we picture ultra-Orthodox Jews, we might imagine men in black coats and hats. The hit show *Shtisel* has plenty such men, but it also has many strong women. Explore how they represent real trends in Israeli ultra-Orthodox society.

**REGISTER**



TEXTUAL ACTIVISM

# Allyship Through a Jewish Lens

WITH RABBI MIKE MOSKOWITZ AND RABBI PHILP

THU / JUN 17 / 7:00 PM

How can we strive to be allies for the LGBTQIA+ community? Rabbi Mike Moskowitz, a progressive advocate for trans rights and a vocal ally for queer inclusivity, will discuss how allyship can become a Jewish practice, and how we can build a more equitable world together.

**REGISTER**





THE GREAT ISRAELI POETS

# The Enduring Legacy of Tirza Atar

WITH RACHEL KORAZIM

TUE / JUL 20 / 2:00 PM

Tirza Atar was a prolific translator, writer, and more. Her translations of plays by Tennessee Williams, Harold Pinter, and others brought their work to a new audience. Several of her own children's books have become classics. Explore her life and work while enjoying live music.

**REGISTER**





READING JEWISH LIVES

# *Julius Rosenwald: Repairing the World*

**WITH HASIA R. DINER**

*This event is in partnership with Jewish Lives, USCJ, and Melton*



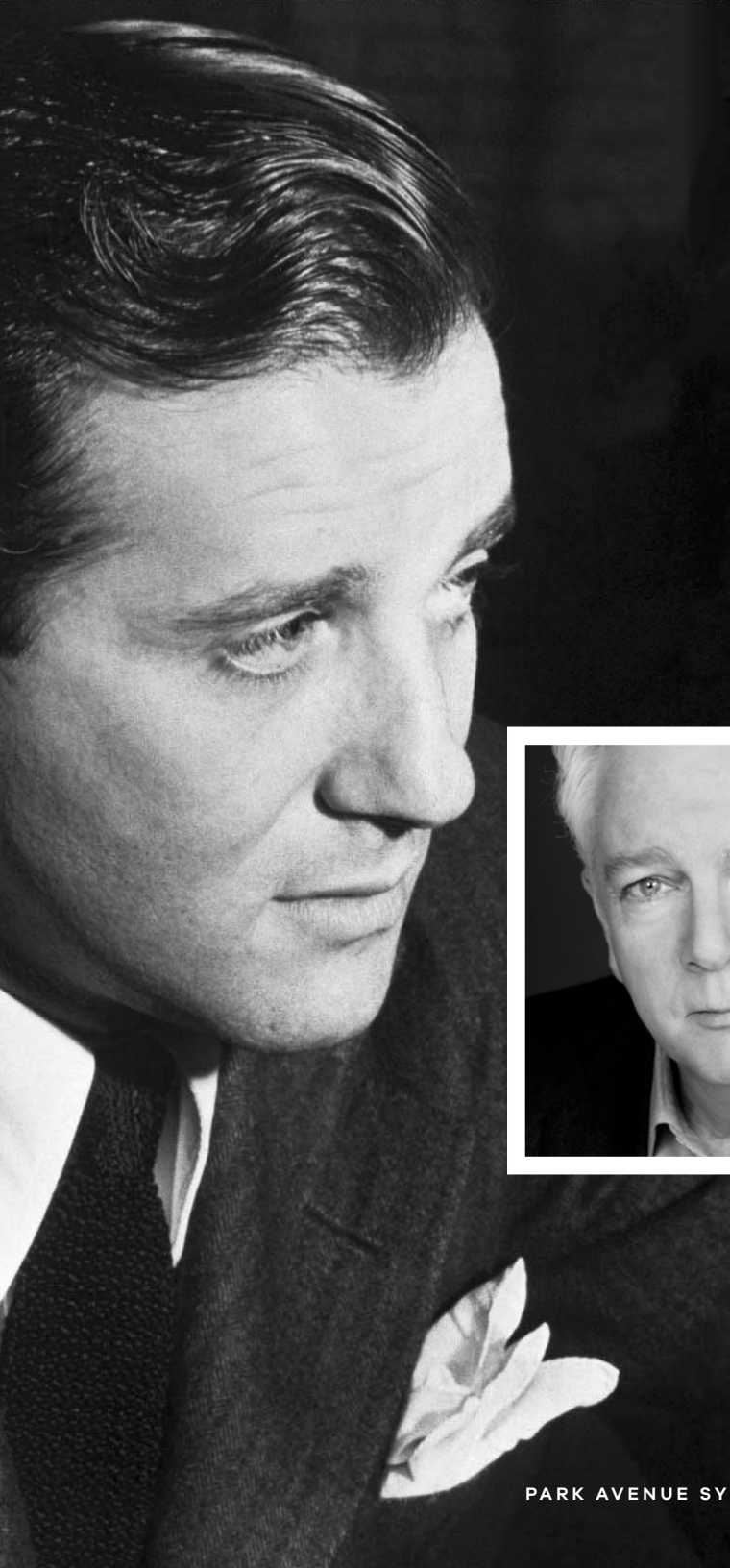
**THU / JUN 24 / 7:00 PM**

Julius Rosenwald led Sears, Roebuck and Co. to success, yet his most important legacy stands on the changes he pioneered in philanthropy. His work influences lives even today.

**REGISTER**

**SAVE 30% + GET FREE SHIPPING ON JULIUS ROSENWALD: REPAIRING THE WORLD WITH CODE ROSENWALD.**





READING JEWISH LIVES

# *Bugsy Siegel: The Dark Side of the American Dream*

WITH MICHAEL SHNAYERSON

*This event is in partnership with Jewish Lives, USCJ, and Melton*



THU / JUL 22 / 7:00 PM

Benjamin “Bugsy” Siegel rose from desperate poverty to ill-gotten riches, from a Ukrainian-Jewish immigrant family in New York to his own kingdom in Las Vegas.

**REGISTER**

**SAVE 30% + GET FREE SHIPPING ON *BUGSY SIEGEL: THE DARK SIDE OF THE AMERICAN DREAM* WITH CODE *BUGSY*.**

# Classes

ALL CLASSES WILL TAKE PLACE ON ZOOM UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED. REGISTER IN ADVANCE FOR ZOOM LINK WHERE APPLICABLE.



Call and Response

## **S.Y. AGNON AND DEVORAH BARON IN LITERARY DIALOGUE**

Wed / Jun 16, 23, 30; Jul 7 / 7:00–8:45 pm

Dr. Wendy Zierler

Analyze the works of S.Y. Agnon (1888–1970) and Devorah Baron (1887–1956), direct contemporaries who distinguished themselves among their Hebrew literary peers for their frequent focus on the shtetl past and the seeming traditionalism and midrashic nature of their prose fiction.

**REGISTER**



Study al Fresco

## **ROOFTOP TORAH**

Wed / Jul 14, 17, 21 / 6:15 pm / 87th Street Roof

PAS Clergy

Enjoy some outdoor learning this summer in a small group on the PAS rooftop. Space is limited, and registration is required.

**REGISTER**



ADULT EDUCATION

# Drop-in Classes

ALL CLASSES WILL TAKE PLACE ON ZOOM UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED. REGISTER IN ADVANCE FOR ZOOM LINK WHERE APPLICABLE.

SOME WEEKDAY DROP-IN CLASSES WITH PAS CLERGY ARE ON HIATUS FOR THE SUMMER AND WILL RESUME IN THE FALL.

## MONDAYS

### SHULHAN IVRIT

Mon / Jun 28, Jul 12, 19 / 7:00 pm

## TUESDAYS

Read Through the Tanakh in a Year

### ESSENTIAL ESSAYS

Weekly / 8:00 am

Rabbi Cosgrove

Ideas of the Moment

### CONTEMPORARY JEWISH THOUGHT

Weekly through Jun 22 / 12:00 pm

Rabbi Zuckerman

## THURSDAYS

### SHULHAN IVRIT

Thu / Jul 29 / 7:00 pm

## FRIDAYS

The Great Debates

### TALMUD STUDY

Weekly through Jun 25 / 8:00 am

Rabbinic Intern Bedo

## SATURDAYS

Torah for the Soul

### PARASHAT HASHAVUA

Weekly through Jun 26 / 9:00 am

PAS Clergy

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Small Group Learning

### STUDY CIRCLES

Intimate learning experiences with our clergy and staff, along with building community and deepening your personal relationship to Judaism, are at the core of the Study Circle experience. Study Circles typically meet monthly during the academic year and focus on a specific topic or medium of learning. If interested in participating in a Study Circle, please email [studycircles@pasyn.org](mailto:studycircles@pasyn.org).

**ADULT EDUCATION**

TORAH FOR TOMORROW

# Lunch and Learn

**WITH RABBI SAVENOR AND  
GUESTS**

**WED / 12:00 PM**

Journey through Jewish text, culture, and history, exploring the stories that shape our past, present, and future.

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## JUNE

**JUN 16 / AN ACCIDENT WAITING TO HAPPEN: PRESIDENT JOHN TYLER AND THE JEWS**

Rabbi Savenor

## JULY

**JUL 14 / BIBLICAL POETRY AND LAMENTATIONS IN ITS DAY**

Dr. Sharon Keller

**JUL 21 / THE TORAH OF TED LASSO**

Rabbi Savenor

**JUL 28 / CHAGALL AND THE BIBLE**

Jeanie Rosensaft

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**THE FLORENCE MELTON SCHOOL AND PAS GRADUATE PROGRAM IS FOR SEEKERS AND QUESTIONERS.**

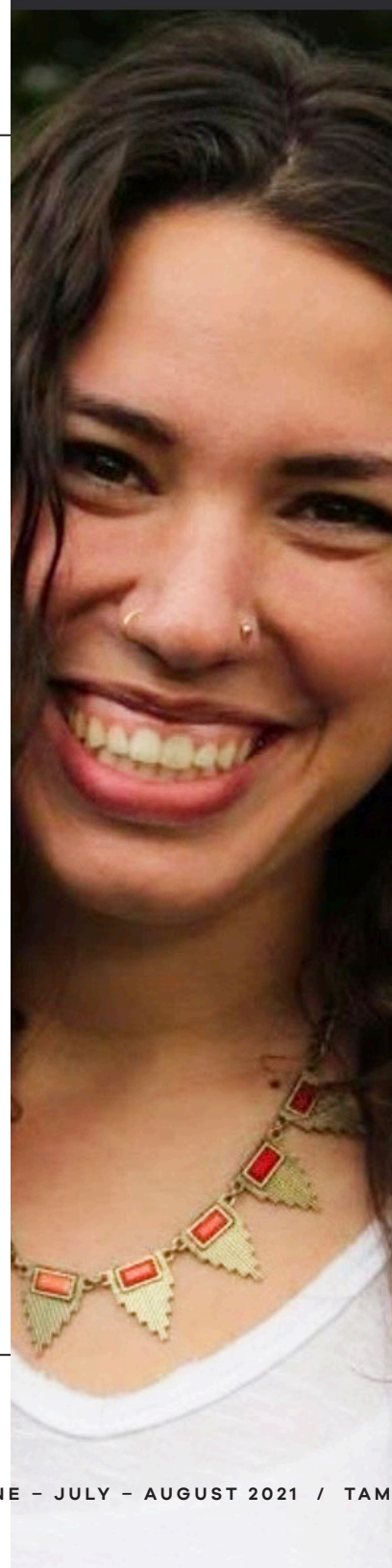
Guided by our dedicated faculty, find your tribe of fellow learners and continue your Jewish journey through diverse, deep, inclusive courses. Fall Melton classes will meet on Wednesday evenings and Thursday mornings. More information about registration will be available on our website this summer.



# PAS Teens

Make a difference, learn new skills, and have fun with your PAS community. Programs are open to all 8th–12th graders in member families and are on Zoom. Visit the website to learn about ongoing classes in the Rabbi Judah Nadich High School.

**QUESTIONS? CONTACT RACHEL SHER, DIRECTOR OF YOUTH AND TEEN PROGRAMMING AND ENGAGEMENT.**



Share with Sher

**MEET THE NEW TEEN DIRECTOR: RACHEL SHER!**

As Scheduled

A Minnesota transplant, Rachel Sher has so much to share! From crafty creations to nerding about the '90s, get to know our new director and explore ways for you to get involved in Teen programming over a snack on us!

**REGISTER**

# PAS Youth

Laugh, learn, and party with your PAS friends from the comfort of home – or even from camp! Programs are open to all 3rd–7th graders in member families and will occur via Zoom unless otherwise specified. Register below or on the website.

**QUESTIONS? EMAIL CHLOE JACOBS, YOUTH COORDINATOR.**



Summer Smiles

## **GAME NIGHT**

Fri / Jul 16 / 5:30 pm

**REGISTER**

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## **STAY IN TOUCH THIS SUMMER**

Calling all campers! We are collecting camp mail and email addresses so we can keep in touch this summer.

**REGISTER TO STAY  
CONNECTED WITH PAS**



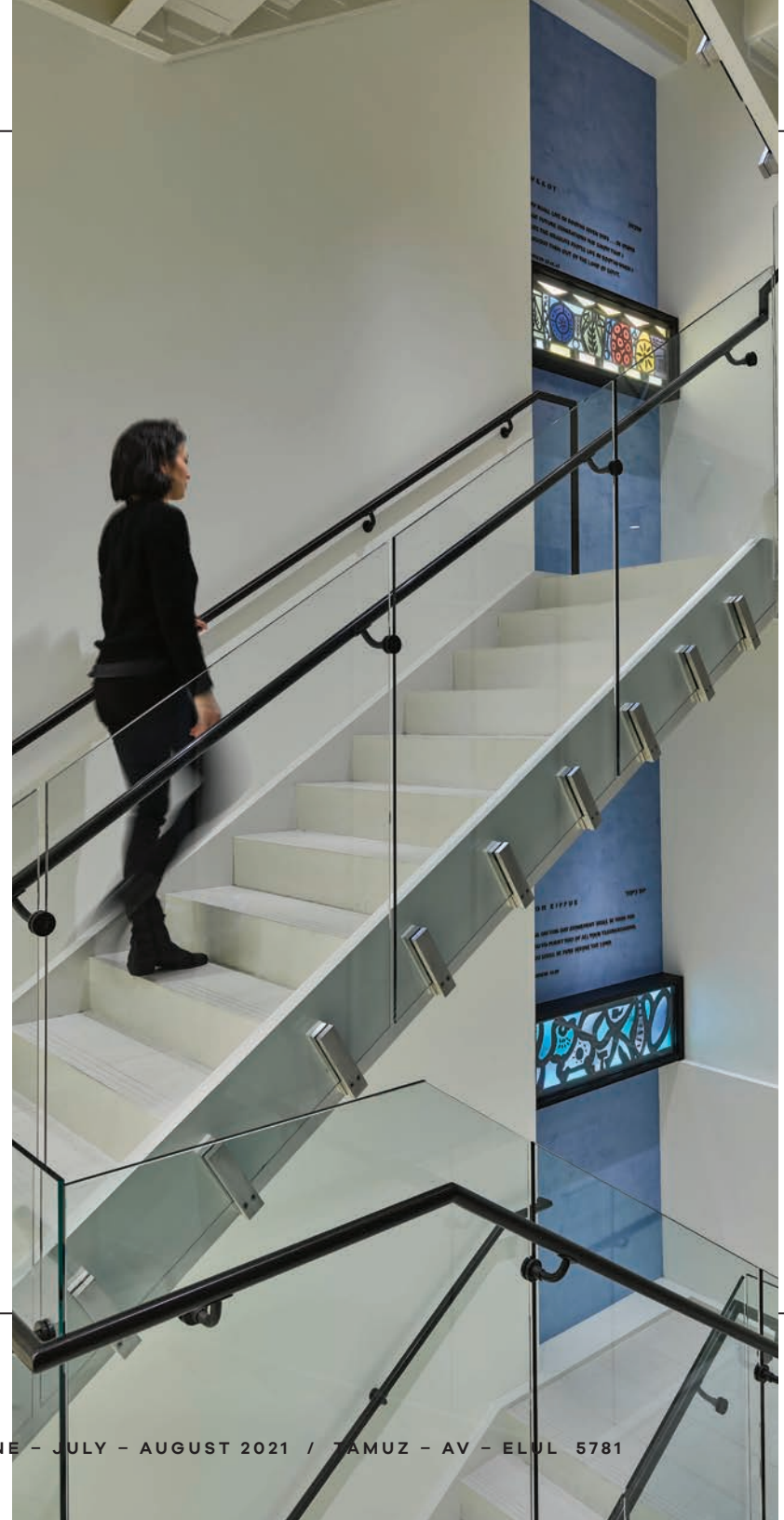
# Congregational School

The PAS Congregational School is dedicated to positive and engaging Jewish education to inspire lifelong participation in the Jewish community for all learners and their families.

For those already enrolled for next school year, we look forward to seeing you in the fall!

## REGISTER FOR NEXT YEAR

If you would like to learn more about the PASC program, contact the office at extension 139 or Jennifer Stern Granowitz, Director, via email.



# Penn Family Early Childhood Center

If your child was born on or before June 30, 2020, they are eligible to apply for the 2022–2023 school year. The application will be launched on our website in August. It is open to both members and nonmembers of the synagogue. Please reach out to [ECCOffice@pasyn.org](mailto:ECCOffice@pasyn.org) with any questions.

# Young Family Education

Meet, pray, and party on Zoom with other families who have young kids! For the latest information, sign up to receive YFE emails.

**QUESTIONS? CONTACT JAMIE DIAMOND, DIRECTOR.**

Fun in the Sun

**REGISTRATION OPEN:  
CAMP KESHET**

Monday-Friday / Jun 21-July 30

Camp Keshet is back for the summer of 2021. Our new space is better than ever and ready for some summer fun. Grab your spot today, as group size is limited.

Fall Fun with Your Little One

**REGISTRATION OPEN:  
BOKER TOV CLASSES**

Monday-Thursday / September-December

Boker Tov classes are back in person this fall. Our youngest learners love exploring Jewish themes and holidays through song, stories, and movement in this formative experience. Kids and their adults alike are sure to make new friends and form connections with other families. Please check the website for date, time, and registration information.



FOR UPDATES AND FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE.



PARK AVENUE SYNAGOGUE

WITH YOU ON YOUR JEWISH JOURNEY