

CHICAGO SINAI CONGREGATION

Shabbat Information

Friday, December 5, 2025

Whether you are joining us tonight in-person, on our website, or on Zoom, we are so happy to celebrate Shabbat together. *Tonight's service and music is led by Rabbi Greene, Cantor Will, Stephen Buzard, and Sinai's Professional Choir.* *Tonight's oneg is generously sponsored by **Sharen and Marc Berman**, in honor of June Berman's Mitzvah.*

Saturday, December 6

Torah Study | 9:30 AM | In-Person and Zoom
Will be led by Cantor Will.

Celebrate the Festival of Lights and Shine Bright with Sinai Wednesday, December 17

Hanukkah Happening | 5 PM

Bring your little ones for joyful Hanukkah music, light the *Hanukkah* together, and a fun holiday craft. Perfect for families with children 0-5.

Register Here:



Friday, December 19

Shabbat Hanukkah

Families with Young Children Shabbat | 5 PM | Sanctuary
Matzah Ball Soup Shabbat | 5 PM | Social Hall
Hanukkah Shabbat Service | 6:15 PM | Sanctuary

Join us for a special Shabbat to celebrate Hanukkah! Warm up before Shabbat services with delicious matzah ball soup and, in honor of the season, a side of latkes with your choice of applesauce or sour cream.

Bring your *Hanukkah* and share in the warmth of the Hanukkah candles as we light our menorahs together, and enjoy festive, silly, and sing-along music from all our choirs.

Register Here for Matzah Ball Soup:

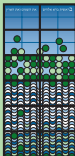


Saturday, December 20

20's and 30's Hanukkah Extravaganza | 7 PM | Barcocina Lakeview

Join us for an unforgettable Hanukkah celebration with festive food, drink, and lights at an enticing offsite venue! Come with a friend to build community, laugh, eat, and light some candles. This event is for those ages 21-39 and is in partnership with Makom and Mishkan.

Register Here:



Rabbi Amanda Greene, *Senior Rabbi*
Cantor Rosalie Will, *Cantor*
Rabbi Rebecca Benoff, *Associate Rabbi*
Rabbi Howard A. Berman, *z"l, Rabbi Emeritus*
Dan Laytin, *President*
Jan Kaufman, *Executive Director*

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Please consider an annual gift to Sinai's year-end campaign. Your generosity ensures that we can uphold our mission as a *House of Prayer for All People* through programs and building needs that will continue to strengthen our community. Help us reach our goal by making a contribution.

Donate Here:



iEngage: Liberal Zionism for the 21st Century Sundays | Beginning December 14 | 10 AM | In-Person

Join Rabbi Greene and Cantor Will to explore liberal Zionism – its values, its critics, and its challenges after October 7. Whether you embrace the term, question it, or resist it, this class follows a curriculum from Shalom Hartman Institute designed to create spaces for honest, nuanced conversation through podcasts, text study, and discussion. Each session stands alone; come to one or all.

Register Here:



Sinai Service Trip

Friday, February 13-Monday, February 16

Join us for a powerful service trip to Texas. Together we'll stand with immigrant communities in San Antonio, repair and rebuild homes in Kerrville after devastating floods, celebrate Shabbat, and share meaningful time together with fun evenings, local food, and community.

This trip is open to both Sinai families and individuals, though participants must be 13 or older.

Register Here:



Our Commitment to Inclusion

Chicago Sinai Congregation is committed to being a House of Prayer for All People. Our congregation reflects the rich tapestry of humanity: people of all ages, people of all races, people of diverse religious backgrounds, individuals possessing a wide range of physical ability and gender identities. We constantly strive to be a welcoming community to all.