



URJ OLIN-SANG-RUBY UNION INSTITUTE

HAVA NASHIRA, 2019
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WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 2019

LOCATION

12:00-3:45	Registration	Lodge
3:45-4:15	General Reception	Chadar Ochel
3:45-4:15	First Timers Reception	Lodge
4:15	Welcome	Soref Rotunda
4:30 – 5:45	Opening Program #1	Soref Rotunda
6:00	Aruchat Erev (Dinner)	Chadar Ochel
6:45	Friends of Bill W.	Bayit 2 nd Floor
7:15 – 8:00	Program #2 Intro New Faculty	Soref Rotunda
8:15 – 9:15	Program #3 a and b – Choose One!	

Find my Voice, Fill my Well Shira Kline and Rosalie Boxt Soref Rotunda

From Biblical patriarchy to modern day inequalities, many have been left without a voice, felt on the sidelines. This musical conversation will provide tools and language to create a positive vision of each of our own strengths and gifts. A conversation about the balance of the power vested by others and authentic self-empowerment. Women's Sacred Voices – Empowerment, Strength, and Gift Giving

Present at the Creation: Debbie Friedman and the Birth of a New American-Jewish Song.

Jeff Klepper Lodge

In 1969, when Debbie Friedman taught her first songleading class at Kutz Camp, Reform Jews rarely sang in synagogue. Only at camp and youth group was singing thought to be important. Fifty years later, we look back to see what changed, and how.

9:30 – 10:30 Maariv Soref Rotunda

THURSDAY, May 30, 2019

7:15	Tefillah A) Natalie Young and Billy Tiep B) Michael Harlow and Jacob Glickman	Port Hall Lodge
8:00	Torah Service	Outdoors in Lorge Pavilion (Bitan)

8:30 Aruchat Boker (Breakfast)
(Shira led by Camp Songleaders)

Chadar Ochel

10:00-12:00 Intensives 1

Full Bodied Prayer	Noah Aronson	Soref Rotunda
Israeli Faculty Prayer and Repertoire	Feliza & Or Zohar	Bayit
Religious School Music Teacher 101	Shira Kline	Hebrew Center
Composition Masterclass – Beginner/Intermediate	Josh Nelson	Port Hall
Leveling the Praying Field	Merri Lovinger Arian	Lodge
What About G!D? Wrestling with the Divine in Communal Prayer	Eliana Light & Ellen Dreskin	Dining Room #2
Songleading Master Class	Ken Chasen	Nerenberg
Five Brown Challahs In A WHAT????	Ellen Allard	Tiferet Beit Am
Camp Songleading	Dan Nichols, Alan Goodis, Deb Winter	Sports Center Moadon

12:30 Aruchat Tzoharayim, Birkat Hamazon & Shira
(led by Camp Songleaders)

Chadar Ochel

2:00-3:15 Sharing Sessions participant repertoire shares
 HUC-JIR interest meeting w/R. Adam Allenberg and C. Richard Cohn Lodge
 Religious School Repertoire Bayit
 ECE Repertoire Tiferet Beit Am
 Camp Repertoire Soref
 Worship Rotunda

3:45 – 5:00 Electives 1

High Holiday Family Services: Music, Methods, & More!	Eliana Light	Bayit
How To Make a BILLION Dollars Songleading	Alan Goodis	Nerenberg
Sally Go Round The Sun, Sally Go Round The Moon: Using the Orff Schulwerk Approach to Cultivate Musical Play in the Early Childhood Classroom	Ellen Allard	Tiferet Beit Am
Hallel Repertoire	Noah Aronson	Sports Center Moadon
Calibrating the Change: How to Be a “Worship Architect” for Your Community	Ken Chasen	Port Hall
A Love Supreme: Jazz History for Jews	Josh Nelson	Lodge
Music of the March: Social Justice Music to Gather	Rosalie Boxt	Soref
Shira Britannia	Judith Silver	Dining Room #4
Songleaders: The Next Generation	Deb Winter	Bayit Library

5:00 – 6:00 Free time

6:00	Aruchat Erev	Chadar Ochel
7:00	Friends of Bill W	Bayit 2 nd fl

7:30-8:30 5 Separate Maariv Options

Warehouse Ma'ariv	Josh Nelson	Soref
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Breathe deep and transcend your limits with a ma'ariv service offered in the post-denominational worship style made internationally popular by THEWAREHOUSE, an alternative prayer experience originally designed for unaffiliated and/or disconnected Jews in their 20s and 30s. THEWAREHOUSE moved Jewish worship out of the synagogue and into bars, clubs, and non-traditional industrial spaces, reaching a demographic of disenfranchised and disconnected Jews who have turned away from the organized Jewish community, and inspiring a worldwide trend in Jewish outreach and engagement.

Movement Ma'ariv	Noah Aronson Bayit	Bayit
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What does Halleluyah look like in your body? Let's spend an hour praying with our bodies. We will move intentionally and use our bodies to express our praise. Let's roll around the floor as we roll into the dark.

(un)traditional- a voice-ful ma'ariv	Eliana Light	Port Hall
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Just as night mixes in with day, how can the structure and modes of this service mix in with our own spirit and hearts? How can traditional nusach mix with melody, allowing the words of our past to speak to us anew? Using only our voices, we will explore how to make the old new, for ourselves and our communities.

Rest and Renewal	Judith Silver Lodge	Lodge
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A quiet, and meditative space with opportunities to share thoughts, feelings and reflections of the day, We will use a few simple melodies as our companions. A still point, a moment to be vulnerable, to connect, rest, affirm and renew...

Play, Sing, Wiggle, Giggle, Groove, Pray	Ellen Allard	Tiferet Bet Am
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Bring your whole body to a high energy end-of-the-day way to pray.

8:45 – 9:45	Program #4	Soref Rotunda
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10:15	Open Mic	Soref Rotunda
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FRIDAY, MAY 31, 2019

6:45	walk or yoga	TBD
8:00	Aruchat Boker <i>(led by Camp Songleaders)</i>	Chadar Ochel
8:45-9:30	All Camp Shacharit - Feliza and Or Zohar Join Feliza and Or Zohar for Shacharit worship, featuring their innovative Galilean style of sacred music and worship.	Soref Rotunda

10:00 -12:00 Intensives 2

Companion Voices	Judith Silver	Hebrew Center
Bim Bom Boom! Tot Shabbat That Rocks The House	Ellen Allard	Tiferet Bet Am
Songleading Within Worship: Teaching, Engaging, Agitating for Worship that Works!	Rosalie Boxt	Soref Rotuda
Music Theory for Songleaders	Noah Aronson	Lodge
Contemplative Prayer and the Jewish Mantra	Shira Kline	Port Hall
The Volunteer Choir: An Opportunity for Creating Sacred Community	Merri Lovinger Arian	Nerenberg
Positive, Powerful Prayer for K-8	Eliana Light	Bayit
Composition Masterclass – Advanced	Josh Nelson	Dining Room #4
Camp Songleading	Dan Nichols, Alan Goodis and Deb Winter	Sports Center Moadon

12:30 **Aruchat Tzoharayim and Shira** Chadar Ochel
(led by Camp Songleaders)
****HUC-JIR Alumni, Students and Staff Picture after lunch on Porch**

2:00- 3:00 **Program #5 Shabbat Prep** Soref Rotunda

3:15 – 4:30 Electives 2

New Niggunim	Jeff Klepper	Lodge
Boi l’Gani - Welcome to the Garden	Shira Kline	Tiferet Beit Am
Guitar Stylings	Noah Aronson	Port Hall
S’u Sh’arim! Opening the Gates to a More Celebratory Torah Service	Ellen Dreskin	Dining Room #4
Breathing Life into the High Holidays	Merri Lovinger Arian	Soref Rotunda
10 Top Tips For A Successful Early Childhood Music Class	Ellen Allard	Hebrew Center
Sacred Music Circle	Feliza & Or Zohar	Bayit
Camp Songleading	Dan Nichols, Alan Goodis, Deb Winter	Sports Center Moadon

4:30 – 6:15 Free time and Shabbat prep

5:00 Transcontinental Music sales end Soref Loung Area

5:00 Friends of Bill W. Bayit 2nd fl Sunporch

6:15 **Kabbalat Shabbat Tefilah** Soref Rotunda

8:00 **Aruchat Erev** Chadar Ochel
Shirah Chadar Ochel

11:00 **Beit Café --** Soref Rotunda

SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 2019

8:30 **Aruchat Boker and Torah Study** Chadar Ochel

10:00 **Tefillah and Kiddush** Soref Rotunda

12:45 **Aruchat Tzoharayim and Shira** Chadar Ochel

2:00 – 3:15 **Chugim**

Sing & Strum Along Dylan **Jeff Klepper** **Soref Rotunda**

What better way to spend a Shabbat afternoon than to play and sing ten spectacular Bob Dylan songs, curated especially for Hava Nashira by our resident “Jewish Dylanologist“. Chord charts will be provided (downloadable for iPad). This is repertoire and guitar playing chug.

Beginning Songwriting **Judith Silver** **Dining Room #2**

Do you yearn to compose songs? Do you wonder if you need to find the words or the melody first? Does it all feel like a magical process you don't know where to start with? This is for you, friend! You're welcome to bring anything you already have – words, a melody, a thought or an idea - or just come with an open head and heart and see what happens... This is about process before product: a song may emerge right away, or a seed may be planted that will bloom later... This chug will be technique based.

Guitar Master Classes **Larry Milder & Chava Mirel**

Each guitar master class will focus on how to play a set of songs, with an emphasis on technique. The aim is to introduce participants to skills that will make their playing stronger and their presentation of songs, whether in songleading or worship, more exciting and musically interesting. By grouping participants in skill levels, each class will be able to give participants new material that will challenge them without being too simple or too difficult.

Guitar Master Class: Intermediate Level **Chava Mirel** **Bayit**
Participants should be familiar with and able to transition smoothly between most common chords.

Guitar Master Class: Advanced Level **Larry Milder** **Lodge**
Participants should be comfortable transitioning between barre chords, playing with a flat pick and adept at playing bass runs between chords.

Embodied Prayer **Feliza Zohar** **Tiferet Beit Am**

“Embodied Prayer” is a workshop that will provide participants with simple tools to connect more fully & holistically, mind-body-and-spirit, to the experience of prayer & will offer them ways to facilitate this experience for others through prayer leading. The session includes mind-body awareness exercises, such as gentle movement and vocal exercises from the worlds of dance improvisation, mindfulness, and voice movement therapy. Prayer is a process that is both intimate and transcendental. It often involves both the physical and the mental, the rational and the spiritual, as well as the verbal and the non-verbal aspects of our being. In this session, we will take time to explore and experience the intricate relations between these dualities. We will begin to investigate how our ancient Jewish liturgical tradition contains the vestiges of an embodied prayer practice that is waiting to be rediscovered. Please come wearing comfortable clothing, ready to experiment, and know that you are welcome as you are, regardless of physical condition or prior experience. (Yoga mats, optional).

3:15 – 4:45	Shabbat Menucha Friends of Bill W.	Bayit 2 nd fl Sunporch
4:00- 4:45	Israeli Dance (TBD) Cohort Unpacking Religious School and ECE Teachers Worship Leaders Camp Leaders	Port Hall Bayit Lodge Sports Moadon
4:45 – 5:45	Program #6 Afternoon singing/Celebration of Angela Gold	Soref Rotunda
6:00	Aruchat Erev (all in 1 dining room)	Chadar Ochel
7:30	Program #7 and Thank yous!	Soref Rotunda
9:00	Havadalah	Soref Rotunda
9:30	Ice Cream Sundaes	Chadar Ochel
10:00	Open mic and Hava Nashira Shuk	Soref Rotunda

SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 2019

9:30-10:30	Brunch	Chadar Ochel
10:30	Shacharit led by Sarah Grabiner (newly ordained cantor)	Soref Rotunda
11:15	L'hitraot	