



July/August LUNCH & LEARN Wednesdays Noon ~ 1:00 PM

You bring your lunch; coffee, tea & dessert is on us!!

July 7 & 14 – *Does God Belong in the Bedroom?*

Sex in the text – a discussion led by **Rabbi Shpeen**

July 21 – **No Lunch & Learn**

July 28 & August 4 – *Rabbi Hillel, Rabbai Shammai and today's Public Policy Debate: What the Talmud has to say about the national conversation -- a non-partisan*

perspective Remember the story of Hillel, Shammai and the man who wanted to learn the entire Torah while standing on one foot? **Rabbi Ross** will examine how the rabbis of the Mishnah and the Talmud considered the issues before them and any lessons for our current public discussions.

August 11 – *"Good Government" in New York State: Really?* **Barbara Bartoletti**, Legislative Director of League of Women Voters of New York State, will discuss some of the small steps needed for a new and better state government. An interesting and timely discussion you won't want to miss!

August 18 – *Musical Journey through the History of the Reform Movement* – a discussion led by **Cantor Groper**

This program is free and open to the community.

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