

Annual Community-Wide
All Night Shavuot Program
Prayer, Study and Celebration - A Kansas City Tradition



Tuesday, June 7, 2011

Kehilath Israel Synagogue, 10501 Conser

Rabbi Lawrence A. Hoffman

Professor of Liturgy, Worship and Ritual

Hebrew Union College - Jewish Institute of Religion, New York and

**Author, Scholar and internationally acclaimed speaker
Presents....**

The Many Paths to Jewish Spirituality:

Yes, there is such a thing as Jewish spirituality, and it takes many forms. This Shavuot, commit yourself to a deeper understanding of Judaism, God, and the cosmos. How have Jews practiced the spiritual? How was this lost to us for so long? And how are we recapturing it as our Jewish project of the twenty-first century?

Expert in the field of Jewish ritual, spirituality and synagogue leadership.... Known internationally for his inspirational lectures....Co-founder of "Synagogue 2000" (now Synagogue 3000), a trans-denominational project to envision and implement the ideal synagogue "as moral and spiritual center" for the 21st century...Author of over 30 books, including *My People's Prayer Book*, *My People's Passover Haggadah*, *Rethinking Synagogues: A New Vocabulary for Congregational Life*, and *Art of Public Prayer*

- 8:30 **Mincha Service:** Traditional and Learner's
- 9:30 Lavish catered **dairy buffet dinner** including blintzes and cheesecake
- 10:30 **Rabbi Hoffman's Keynote** followed by study opportunities throughout the night
 - **Panel discussion:** "Response to Keynote" with Rabbis Mark Levin, Daniel Rockoff and Robert Tobin and moderated by Rabbi Hoffman
 - **Informal study** with Rabbi Hoffman, Rabbi Ben-Zion Friedman, Rabbi Herbert Mandl, Rav/Hazzan Jeffrey Shron, Rabbi Elchanan Schulgasser - Kansas City Kollel will be offered all night
 - **Youth programs** for Middle-High School students
- 5:00 am **Sunrise Service** followed by breakfast

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For information or if attending study programs only: email afprogram@aol.com or call 913.327.4622
No charge to attend study programs

Please send **PREPAID DINNER RESERVATIONS** to: Rabbinical Association, 5801 W. 115th, Box 113, Overland Park, KS, 66211 by **Wednesday, June 1**. Additional cost for reservations received after June 1.

Name(s) _____

Phone # _____ Email: _____

Adults attending catered dinner # _____ @ \$14.00 per person = \$ _____ (\$18.00 after June 1)

Students (age 21 and under) # _____ @ \$10.00 per person = \$ _____

Total amount of check enclosed: \$ _____ (Make checks payable to Rabbinical Association)