



# This Month at Or Ami

A monthly listing of events, services, and general fun times.

## Shabbat Schedule

**Sat., Apr. 1 – Shabbat Morning Service – 10:00 am**  
The entire congregation is invited as Zachary Rosen is called to Torah.

### Fri., Apr. 7 – Two Services

#### **Tot Shabbat – 5:00 pm**

Join Rabbi Kipnes and tots of all ages for stories, braiding challah, singing and celebrating Shabbat. [orami.org/RSVP](http://orami.org/RSVP).

#### **Passover Prep Singalong Shabbat – 7:30 pm**

Prepare yourself for the upcoming Passover seder. Cantor Cotler shares his top 6 Passover songs while Rabbi Kipnes explores the top 3 lessons of Passover that you can bring back to your seder.  
[Torah portion: Tzav Leviticus 6:1-8:36]

### Fri., Apr. 14 - Early Shabbat Service – 6:30 pm

Join Rabbi Weisz as we experience the miracle Shabbat through meditation and imagination come experience the miracle of the splitting of the sea in today's world.  
[Torah portion: Chol HaMo'ed Pesach Exodus 33:12-34:26]

### Fri., Apr. 21 - Remembrance Shabbat Service – 7:30 pm

Yom Hashoah, Holocaust Remembrance Day, calls upon us to "never forget." With Rabbi Weisz, Soloist Sheryl Braunstein, Guitarist Darryl Lieberstein and Pianist Aaron Meyer we will remember the victims of the Holocaust.  
[Torah portion: Sh'mini Leviticus 9:1-11:47]

### Fri., Apr. 28 - Celebration Shabbat Service – 7:30 pm

Join Rabbi Kipnes, Soloist Sheryl Braunstein, Guitarist Darryl Lieberstein and Pianist Aaron Meyer as we celebrate Shabbat through song and prayer.  
[Torah portion: Tazria/Metzora Leviticus 12:1-15:33]

### Fri., May 5 - Two Services

#### **Tot Shabbat – 5:00 pm**

Join Rabbi Weisz and tots of all ages for stories, braiding challah, singing and celebrating Shabbat at Grape Arbor Park (5100 Parkville Rd., Agoura Hills). [orami.org/RSVP](http://orami.org/RSVP).

#### **Holiness Shabbat – 7:30 pm**

Join Rabbi Weisz, Cantor Cotler, Soloist Sheryl Braunstein and Oboeist Fred Beerstein as we explore this week's Torah portion, *Kedoshim Tehiyu*: Be holy. How does one approach holiness in their everyday life? Pre-B'nai Mitzvah honoring Jacob Friedman.  
[Torah portion: Acharei Mot/Kedoshim Leviticus 16:1-20:27]

## Activity Schedule

**Sat, Apr. 1 Future Coaches with NDY**  
10:00 am -12:00 pm (offsite)

**Sat, Apr. 1 LoMPTY Under the Stars**  
5:00 pm – 9:00 pm at Malibu Creek State Park

**Fri, Apr. 7 Maj Jongg**  
10:30 am-2:30 pm

**Mon, Apr. 10-Fri. Apr. 21 Passover Spring Break**  
No Keshet 3.0, Mishpacha or Hebrew Language

**Tues, Apr. 11 Temple Office Closed**

**Thurs, Apr. 13 Business Roundtable**  
7:00-9:00 am

**Thurs, Apr. 13 JACS Olim: Jewish 12 Step Mtg**  
7:00-8:30 pm

**Tues, Apr. 18 Temple Office Closed**

**Sat, Apr. 22 TTKN project**  
9:00 am -1:00 pm

**Sat, Apr. 22 Future Coaches with NDY**  
10:00 am -12:00 pm (offsite)

**Sat, Apr. 22 Fight (Back) Like a Girl**  
2:30 pm – 5:00 pm

**Sun, Apr. 23 Prospective Congregant Salon**  
12:00 pm -1:45 pm

**Sun, Apr. 23 SoMPTY End of Year Party**  
1:00 pm -4:00 pm

**Wed, Apr. 26 Parenting Book Club**  
6:00-7:00 pm

**Tues - Wed, Apr. 25 & 26 Keshet 3.0 & Hebrew Language Resume**

**Thurs, Apr. 27 Conversation on Israel: Jonathan Tobin and JJ Goldberg**  
7:15 pm – 9:15 pm at Temple Aliyah

**Sun, Apr. 30 Underwood Family Farm Tour**  
9:45 am -12:00 pm

**Sun, Apr. 30 How God Survived Auschwitz, Faith After the Holocaust**  
4:00-5:45 pm

More info on back. Questions? Ask us: 818-880-4880 or [laurel@orami.org](mailto:laurel@orami.org).

Unless otherwise noted, all services and programs are held at 26115 Mureau Road, Ste. B, Calabasas, CA

Shared Interest Groups

**FAMILY FUN**

**Underwood Family Farm Tour:** Experience "Farm to Fork" at Underwood Family Farm in Moorpark for a day of fun! Enjoy a tractor wagon tour then fruit picking. Pack a lunch, water, hat and sunscreen. \$10/person. RSVP. Meet in the "Donkey Den" at 9:45 am as the tour will begin promptly at 10:00.  
**Sunday, April 30, 9:45 am -12:00 pm**

**Shared Interest Groups:** Book Club, Hiking, Knitting and Crocheting, Maj Jongg & Parenting Book Group. Information and dates [@orami.org/RSVP](mailto:@orami.org/RSVP).

Adults

**Business Roundtable:** 90 minutes of nosh, networking and interactive program. Adam Treiger, Partner, Stowell, Zeilenga, Ruth, Vaughn & Treiger LLP, facilitates "*Recent Trends In The Law Of Freedom Of Religion.*" Deepen relationships while discussing business and spirituality, with a fun Jewish focus. Questions or RSVP Dianne Gubin ([diannegubin@gmail.com](mailto:diannegubin@gmail.com) or 818-222-0300). **Thursday, April 13, 7:30-9:00 am.**

**Conversation on Israel Left vs. Right: The Battle for Israel's Soul:** Is Israel locked in a tragic dispute between two peoples claiming the same land, or a global conflict between Western democracy and Islamist terrorism? Engage in civil dialogue on a divisive issue, co-sponsored by Or Ami, Shomrei Torah Aliyah. \$7 members/\$12 non-members. RSVP at [TempleAliyah.org/IsraelDebate](http://TempleAliyah.org/IsraelDebate). At Aliyah (6025 Valley Circle Blvd., Woodland Hills). **Thursday, April 27, 7:15- 9:15 pm**

**How God Survived Auschwitz, Faith after the Holocaust with Guest Speaker Rabbi Shlomo Seidenfeld:** Belief in God can be difficult when such evil as the Holocaust occurs. Rabbi Seidenfeld, a great spiritual thinker, explores faith in the shadow of Auschwitz to commemorate Yom Hashoah, the Day of Holocaust Memory. \$10/congregant & non-members. Free for partners, sustainers & builders. RSVP. **Sunday, April 30, 4:00 pm**

Youth

**LoMPTY Under the Stars:** Join LoMPTY for Shabbat and Havdallah under the stars. Enjoy hiking, learning about nature, eating and jamming while star gazing. Meet at the trail head on Mulholland Hwy.  
**Saturday, April 1, 5:00-9:00 pm.**

**Fight (Back) Like a Girl:** (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade girls): A workshop for high school girls led by Krav Maga to learn situational awareness and assertiveness. RSVP. **Saturday, April 22, 2:30-5:00 pm**

**SoMPTY End of the Year Party** (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders): Meet at Topanga State Beach down the stairs left of the restrooms. Enjoy beach games and a sand castle competition. Bring any tools for your sand castle. Prizes and lunch included. Cost \$15. RSVP. **Sunday, April 23, 1:00-4:00 pm**

Plan Ahead

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| Sunday, May 7     | Walk to End Genocide (Conejo Walk)  |
| Wednesday, May 3  | Congregational Meeting  |
| Friday, May 12    | Final Triple T Banquet, Confirmation & Installation Service                                     |
| Thursday, May 18  | Blood Drive, Cheek Swab for Bone Marrow matching and Learn About Organ, Eye and Tissue Donation |
| Saturday, June 10 | Best Friends in Concert with Doug Cotler & Julie Silver   |