

WEEKLY SERVICES MORNING & EVENING			
DAY	DATE		
TUESDAY	APR 07	Intermediate Day / Candles 7:47 pm	
WEDNESDAY	APR 08	9:00 A.M.	Passover Day 7 / Candles 8:49 pm
THURSDAY	APR 09	9:00 A.M.	Passover Day 8 (Yizkor) / Havdalah 8:50 pm

IF YOU NEED A MORNING MINYAN AT THE SHAAR...



To request a morning minyan for the observance of yahrzeit, or for the mourners' Kaddish to be said in memory of a loved one, please contact the Shaar office at 519-256-3123 or email: shaar@mnsi.net

GOOD HEALTH WISHES : A SPEEDY RECOVERY



REFUAH SHLAIMAH: to David Lazarus and all those who are not well at this time.

Please notify the office of any congregant and/or family member who is ill or hospitalized. Your call will ensure that our clergy can follow up with visits, calls and special prayers from the bima.

UPCOMING UNVEILINGS

NAME	DATE	TIME
Katherine 'Katie' Enkin (AH)	Sunday, April 26 th , 2026	1:00 pm

COMMUNITY SECURITY INITIATIVE



Protecting the safety and security of our Jewish institutions and facilities is a shared community priority in Windsor. A new community security initiative is strengthening safety across all Jewish institutions and facilities, led and overseen locally by our community's institutions and spearheaded by their presidents and professional leadership. **This effort reflects shared responsibility, collaboration and care for our collective wellbeing.**

Funds raised **will support physical security infrastructure enhancements** and address **evolving security needs** across the community. Resources will be allocated as required, with **clear lay and professional oversight to ensure accountability and thoughtful decision-making.** We invite you to support this important initiative and help ensure a safe, connected future for our community. All donations receive a tax receipt. To donate, please visit: <https://jewishwindsor.org/giving/community-security/>

DETROIT TIGER'S JEWISH HERITAGE NIGHT



Join us for **Detroit Tiger's Jewish Heritage Night THIS Sunday, April 12th, 2026** to see the **Tigers** vs the **Marlins** at **Comerica Park**. Tickets are \$70 per person and include a one-of-a-kind Tigers jersey, bus to-and-from Windsor and the game ticket. Kosher specialty food items will be available for purchase throughout the game. Bus leaves at 12:30 pm from the WJCC. To book tickets, please visit www.jewishwindsor.org/event/jewishheritagegame/



**To all our Members and their Families: Chag Samayech – Chag Pesach Samayech
Happy Passover! ☺**

YOM HASHOAH: CELEBRATING COURAGEOUS YOUTH



This year's **Yom Hashoah Commemoration, 'Celebration Courageous Youth'**, will be held on **Monday, April 13th, 2026** at **7:00 pm** at **Congregation Shaar Hashomayim**, with Keynote Speaker: Elaine Webber, daughter of Holocaust Survivor, Ruth Webber and University of Detroit Mercy Professor. For more information, reach out to Joe Schnayer at joe@jewishwindsor.org or at 519-973-1772 ext. 225.

YOM HA'ATZMAUT



Mark **Yom Ha'atzmaut** with hands-on activities, Israeli flavours and a warm, welcoming community gathering. Join us to celebrate 78 years of independence on **Sunday, April 19th, 2026** from **3pm-5pm**. RSVP at <https://jewishwindsor.org/event/yom-haatzmaut-2026/>

YOM YERUSHALAYIM CHALLAH BAKE



Join us as we celebrate **Yom Yerushalayim** with a special **Community Challah Bake** on **Thursday, May 14th, 2026** at **6:30pm-8:30pm** at the **WJCC**. We're excited to welcome Alissa Kondogiannis, founder of Barnstar Kitchen, who will guide us step-by-step through the beautiful tradition of making challah from scratch. Together we'll mix, knead, braid and bake, while connecting with friends and celebrating Jerusalem. Whether you're an experienced baker or trying challah for the first time, this hands-on evening is all about community, tradition and a little bit of flour-covered fun. Tickets are \$18 per person and can be purchased at <https://jewishwindsor.org/event/yom-yerushalayim-challah-bake/>

KIDDUSH



The Congregation is invited to the Charles Zalev Social Hall for Kiddush following the service. The Kiddush on the 7th Day of Passover (Wednesday, April 8th, 2026) is sponsored by Congregation Shaar Hashomayim.

The Kiddush on the 8th Day of Passover – Yizkor (Thursday, April 9th, 2026) is sponsored by The Mechanic Family, in memory of beloved father, David Mechanic (AH).

SPECIAL MOTHER'S DAY KIDDUSH



The Shaar Social Committee invites you to join us for Shabbos Services on **Saturday, May 9th, 2026 in Honour of Mother's Day**. A special upgraded Kiddush will follow. If you would like to help sponsor, please contact the Shaar Office at 519-256-3123 or email shaar@mnsi.net



LIFE & LEGACY



This Passover, as we recall the story of our ancestors...Let's also write the next chapter. How will you assure Jewish tomorrows? Be remembered forever with a gift to Congregation Shaar Hashomayim in your will, trust, retirement account, or life insurance policy. It's easier than you think! Contact Shaar Hashomayim at 519-256-3123 or shaar@mnsi.net to learn how to create your legacy.