



# RENEWING OUR *Spirit*

Saturday, November 21, 2015 7:00 - 8:30pm  
 Sunday, November 22, 9:30am - 3:30pm



Shaarei Shomayim Congregation  
 470 Glencairn Avenue, Toronto

**SATURDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 21**  
 7:00 - 8:30pm

**Rabbis at Risk:  
 Why We Should Care**

Dr. Michelle Friedman;  
 Rabbi Daniel Korobkin;  
 Rabbi Reuven Tradburks;  
 Rabbi Tzvi Hersh Weinreb  
 Moderated by Dr. Elliott Malamet

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22**  
 9:30am

**9:30am**  
**Does G-d Talk to Us? Maimonides  
 and Heschel on Divine Human  
 Communication**

Dr. Elliott Malamet

**10:30am**  
**The Ladder and the Well:  
 Re-reading the Adventures of  
 Yaakov on his Journey to Haran**

Dr. Yonatan Feintuch

or  
**Therapist or Rabbi:  
 Understanding the Difference  
 Between Rabbinic Counseling  
 and Mental Health Treatment**

Dr. Michelle Friedman

**11:30am**  
**Mental Illness: Can we Break  
 the Stigma in our Community?**

Dr. Michelle Friedman and  
 Rabbi Tzvi Hersh Weinreb

Moderated by Dr. Elliott Malamet  
 or

**Uncovering Different  
 Approaches to Davening  
 Between the Bavli and the  
 Yerushalmi**

Dr. Yonatan Feintuch

**12:45**  
**Lunch and Keynote Panel**

**A Dialogue about the Current  
 State of Conversion**

Ms. Bethany Mandel,  
 Rabbi Reuven Tradburks

Moderator: Dr. Elliott Malamet

**2:30**  
**Lecha Dodi: A Great Song  
 about Zionism**

Rabbi Reuven Tradburks

or

**Gender Change in Jewish Law**

Rabbi Tzvi Hersh Weinreb

## SPEAKERS

**DR. YONATAN FEINTUCH**

Teaches Talmud, Midrash and  
 Tanach and Jewish Education at  
 Yeshivat Har Etzion Beit Midrash for  
 Women in Migdal Oz, and at Bar-  
 Ilan University.

**DR. MICHELLE FRIEDMAN**

Director of Pastoral Counseling,  
 Yeshivat Chovevei Torah.  
 Psychiatrist in private practice.

**RABBI DANIEL KOROBKIN**

Rabbi, Beth Avraham Yoseph  
 Congregation of Toronto.

**DR. ELLIOTT MALAMET**

Cofounder of Torah in Motion.  
 Lectures in literature at the  
 Hebrew University in Jerusalem.

**MS. BETHANY MANDEL**

Author of *A Bill of Rights for  
 Converts*, coordinator Washington  
 Facebook group for converts,  
 member RCA Conversion Review  
 Panel, social media associate,  
*Commentary Magazine*.

**RABBI REUVEN TRADBURKS**

Director of the Israel office of the  
 Rabbinical Council of America.

**RABBI DR. TZVI HERSH  
 WEINREB**

Executive Vice President Emeritus  
 of the Orthodox Union.

Conference fee \$50, Special advance price: \$35 if registered by November 10, 2015  
 Individual Session: \$15 • Lunch included for those who pre-register by November 16, 2015  
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