



Each year, Jerusalemites take responsibility for "International Tolerance Day" (November 16) and turn it into a full week of events, activities and encounters in the public sphere that bring together Jerusalemites of all hues, backgrounds and cultures.

Only in Jerusalem - International Day becomes over a week of activist activity that promotes tolerance and multiculturalism!

في كل عام يأخذ مقدسيون على عاتقهم "يوم التسامح الدولي" (16تشرين الثاني 16/1) ويحولونه لأسبوع كامل من النشاطات, والفعاليات واللقاءات في الفضاء العام. ملتقى لمقدسيين ومقدسيات من جميع الخلفيات والثقافات المتنوعة. فقط في القدس يتحول يوم دولي لأسبوع كامل من النشاط الفعال لتقدم التسامح والتعددية الثقافية!

בכל שנה, ירושלמים לוקחים אחריות על "יום הסובלנות הבינלאומי" (16 נובמבר) והופכים אותו לשבוע שלם של אירועים, פעולות ומפגשים במרחב הציבורי להפגיש ירושלמים וירושלמיות מכל הגוונים, מכל הרקעים ומכל התרבויות.

רק בירושלים – יום בינלאומי הופך לשבוע שלם של עשייה אקטיביסטית שמקדמת סובלנות ורב-תרבותיות!

> דברו איתנו! تحدثوا معنا! בפייסבוק: "ירושלים סובלנית" في فيسبوك: "القدس المتسامحة" talalafi@jicc.org.il دמייל إيميل: ماتف: 0528138414



## **Tolerance Week 2020 List of Events**

## **Events throughout the week**

## Sorry about the Question – Tolerance in Jerusalem | The Tolerance Coalition

Who do you think is the most Jerusalemite? Where does your tolerance end? What project do you dream of doing? Come hear the members of the Tolerance Coalition!

## Home (from Home) | The Jerusalem Youth Chorus

The Jerusalem Youth Chorus, an Israeli-Palestinian music and dialogue project, brought together all-star musicians and singers from around the world to join them in a song of solidarity and welcome in an isolating time - each from their own home.

## Thirty for Peace | Thirty for Peace and Good Neighbors Abu Tor / a-Thuri

Many of us neighbors pass each other without having the ability to exchange a word, to say hello. Thirty to Peace is a way to break the ice: an initiative aimed at teaching thirty common expressions in the Arabic language.

The members of the initiative, in collaboration with the "Good Neighbor - Abu Tor / a-Thuri" project, will distribute kits with flash cards, in addition to the recording and video attached. Join us - we can do it !!

## Interfaith Meeting Day | Interfaith Encounter Association

The Interfaith Encounter Association invites you to mark the day of the interfaith meeting in a special event with the participation of group members, supporters and friends.

## Anniversary of the death of May Peleg, Chairman of the Open House | The Open House for Pride and Tolerance.

An event dedicated to discussion circles in memory of May Peleg in the Jerusalem community. A closed event for the open house community

## Love is a Lot of Work | The Voice of the Signal Gallery

Reading and writing workshop with the poet Shlomit Naim Naor The is part of Rashut HaRabim's "Jerusalem Shabbat" initiative

## "Embrace Tolerance" | Lily Halperin

The "what are the options" method for promoting discourse, tolerance and love. Lecturer: Lily Halperin, Chair of the Truth Tolerance Center Lily Halperin will present practical tools on how to promote effective discourse by cutting back on talking on the one hand and asking the right questions on the other.

## Chalk Painting Festival on the Train Track Park | The homeschooling families group

For the eighth year running, a group of homeschooling families meet to make chalk drawings along the Train Track Park. You are welcome to join us! Everyone draws at their own level. We are all artists for one day. Come whenever you want for as long as you want.



Tolerance: interfaith, inter-gender, inter-ethnic and everything in Jerusalem, the most religious city in the world | The old settlement courtyard museum A zoom session led by the poet Avichai Kimchi

# The Value of Tolerance and the Right to Protest - Adv. Gabi Laski | The Adam Institute for Democracy and Peace

The Adam Institute for Democracy and Peace is holding a series of meetings in which we examine the tension between the value of tolerance and the right to protest. We will meet with the lawyer, Adv. Gabi Lasky - a feminist human rights activist.

## Annual Conference of the Tolerance Coalition

## TALKS Just start talking | TALKS

Come have short conversations with strangers about things you never thought of. We promise it'll be surprisingly, instructive, and of course, fun!

#### Language Exchange | Meeting to speak Arabic and Hebrew in Jerusalem

We will meet via Zoom to exchange Hebrew and Arabic languages. The meeting is free, and will last about an hour and a half. If you wanted to improve your speech, come! We'd love to see you there!

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#### Preparation for a Conversation | Mosaica

Workshop for Activists from the Greater Baka'a Community Council

#### Meir Ariel In Liberty Bell Park | Ofer Golani

The bell of freedom brings together the different residents of Jerusalem, in the spirit of a meeting of members of the kibbutz with the principles of freedom of choice, of our kibbutz secretary - Rabbi Meir The author of the text is Meir Ariel

Ofer Golani - Jerusalem celebrity in retirement, Guitars, vocals and performance art, and Shachar Sorek - musical refugee and wonder boy on the flute, clarinet, and in harmonies

## Between plurality of opinions and plurality of truths: In what contexts is Judaism pluralistic, if at all? | B'Libah Homah

The terms "tolerance" and "pluralism" have a variety of meanings and interpretations that can be discussed and debated, but in the days of the sages these concepts were not known at all. Which of these concepts existed in the culture of the ancient Jewish discourse? And what does that say about us?



In an evening of online study, we will read sources and have a discussion about tolerance, pluralism, Judaism, modernity and us.

#### AFRI-KAN: MUSIC, POETRY, THEATRE BY ASYLUM SEEKERS IN ISRAEL | JACC

The Jerusalem African Community Center (JACC) invites you to get to know the asylum seekers community in Israel through three performances of artists for Eritrea and Sudan.

# The Value of Tolerance and the Right to Protest – Dr. Thabet Abu Ras | The Adam Institute for Democracy and Peace

The Adam Institute for Democracy and Peace is holding a series of meetings in which we examine the tension between the value of tolerance and the right to protest. We will meet with Dr. Thabet Abu Ras - Co-CEO, Abraham Fund Initiatives. The interview will be uploaded to YouTube and will be available to watch throughout the week.

#### Tools to Prevent and Deal with Conflict | Mosaica

A workshop for Gilo Community Center activists. Closed event for the general public.

## The Old City during Corona - Coffee and Conversation with Eran Tzidkiyahu and Riyadh Al-Halak (Abu Musa) | A Window to Mount Zion

Meet at the Abu Musa Cafe at the foot of the Al-Aqsa Mosque - Temple Mount to hear about the state of the Old City during COVID-19? Up until 6 months ago, the city streets were crowded with tourists and some even created human traffic jams. What's it like there now? How do the residents make a living? What still exists? And how do you see the future? Conversation with Eran Tzidkiyahu. Admission 50 NIS in cash. Includes excellent coffee.

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## Jish: Ehud Banai, George Samaan, Salem Darwish, Gil Samtana, Eran Porat and Nitzan Chen Razel, host Luna Abu Nassar - Opening Performance of the 2020 International Oud Festival | Confederation House

These soulmates have been meeting for 30 years, and this time they will host Luna Abu Nassar for a show that connects cultures, peoples, languages and people.

The bilingual show, in Arabic and Hebrew, stems from the strong bond of love and respect between men, and between land and people. This is an evening where the two banks of the river connect, which these days seem to stand against each other, and create one stream the stream of music.

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## Trans Memorial Day | The Open House for Pride and Tolerance

A ceremony and exhibition marking the Trans-Memorial Day, November 20.

## Soul Masks | In Real Time

The 'Real-Time' multidisciplinary community of artists and guests, at an event of research experience, and performance on the essence of masks in our lives.

## Poets' Campfire | Tarbus, Pangolin, The Torah Lab and Line 400

In the program: Reading poetry, Discussion about ultra-Orthodox and secular poetry and public sing – along by firelight

## Meeting Point | Shira Banky's Way

## "Make me delicacies and eat" | The Voice of the Signal Gallery

A food workshop following the flavors and spices of the Bible, with Chef Moshe Besson The event is part of Rashut HaRabim's "Jerusalem Shabbat" initiative

## A Social Hackathon between East and West Jerusalemites | مع بعض - Together & Beyond

The Social Hackathon between east and west Jerusalemites integrates social, entrepreneurial, and business models will encourage East and West young adult residents of Jerusalem to work together, empowering them to become leaders within their home communities personally, professionally, and socially.

## Heroes on / of the Palmach - a special tour with Itamar Farhi | Shabati

Today, at a time when the murder of women is becoming a matter of routine, when proposed laws against economic violence against women fall through and Knesset members focus on the clip of the singer Adi Beatty and view it as the source of rape culture, you are invited to a slightly different tour (sometimes sad, sometimes funny) in honor of Tolerance Week, which begins on Palmach St. and ends on Palmach St.. Only about women, and only about heroism and their connection to the most feminist street in Jerusalem. You don't need to go to the movies to find superheroes, you can find them next door, on Palmach Street. Larger than life women who gave their lives to fulfill impossible dreams. We'll meet at the beginning of Palmach St. (exact location will be sent to registrants in advance according to Ministry of Health guidelines) and go up the lanes and gardens together with those inspiring women who give us hope for a better world.

## Between Kodesh and Chol - Jerusalem Havdalah | With Kehillat Kol Haneshama and Nigunim ensemble

Musical Havdalah event - an experiential encounter with singing and learning together The event takes place as part of the "Jerusalem Saturday Shabbat" initiative of the Public Authority.

## Secular Judaism Celebrates Shabbat – Havdalah | Tmura organization

Havdalah ceremony in the spirit of secular Judaism, including blessings, singing, a sermon for a new week. The event is part of Rashut HaRabim's "Jerusalem Shabbat" initiative.



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# The Value of Tolerance and the Right to Protest – Closing Event | The Adam Institute for Democracy and Peace

In conclusion, we invite you to an online discussion of all the series episodes with the Adam Institute facilitators

# Will the coronavirus divide Jerusalem? A View from the different groups in Jerusalem | 0202 – Points of View from Jerusalem

Where in the city have more fines been given for not wearing masks? Which neighborhood decided to quarantine itself? And with whom did the Jerusalem District Police go to reconcile? The coronavirus crisis arrived in Jerusalem and shook everything that in its path for Jerusalemites... a summer of demonstrations, Ramadan without guests and Yeshivot empty of learners. In Jerusalem, as in Jerusalem, fuses are short and the old tensions between parts of the city rise quickly to the surface. At the same time, dialogue sprouts in the corners of social media, as does an understanding that we can get through this period only through joint work. Join us for a panel of the administrators of the different 0202 Facebook pages: from East, West and Haredi Jerusalem, where we will hear how the different groups see each other in the mirror of the crisis.

## Community Meetings | Sigd Holiday | Naama Ringel

Lecture by Rabbi Reuven Tal Yassu on the eve of the Sigd holiday The Sigd holiday - Unity and Culture of the Ethiopian Community | Greater Baka Community Administration, Department of Development and Empowerment - Community Division, Shantel Community Center and Aliya Association Program:

A short lecture on the Sigd holiday by Kess Samai Elias Rabbi Ashto Haim – Community Rabbi in the neighborhood Food, dance and music from the best of tradition Directed by: Mehrta Ben Baruch

## A Tour of the House with a Story and a Poem | Efrat Ben-Yehuda Levin

The poet Efrat Ben-Yehuda Levin opens her courtyard and her Arab-style home in Ein Kerem. Inspired by Efrat's move to her home, the book of poems *Remove the Sand from Your Eyes* was written, which deals with repressed Orientalism, femininity, Nakba and a Jewish-Buddhist lifestyle that affects the whole being. During the tour, Efrat read from her poems, told the story of the house, the story of her family who fled Morocco and the story of the Palestinian family who fled the house and unexpectedly returned to visit.



## Working Souls - Raising Awareness of Mental Health Together | Souls

A meeting of activists in preparation for the Making Souls - Mental Health Week 2020 festival to be held this year on November 29- December 5, 2012 in Jerusalem and online. A closed event.

## Weekly Torah Portion Meeting | Kehilat Zion

Kehilat Zion dedicated the Friday evening services to Tolerance Week in Jerusalem. In thanks and appreciation to the medical staffs, the community will host medical personnel from the west and east of the city who are at the forefront of the fight against COVID. With Yahala Lachamish and Rabbi Tamar Elad Applebaum.