

**AUGUST CYCLE 2018**  
**MILLER INTRODUCTION TO JUDAISM PROGRAM**  
**Wednesday, 6:30pm-9:30pm, Room 225, American Jewish University**

1. AUGUST 29            Beginnings: From Creation to the Edge of the Wilderness
2. SEPTEMBER 5        Holy Days: The Wheel of the Jewish Year
- SEPTEMBER 12, 19      NO CLASS**
3. SEPTEMBER 26       World of the Bible
4. OCTOBER 3           Heart of Many Rooms: Exploring Jewish Identity
5. OCTOBER 10         Shabbat: Palace in Time
6. OCTOBER 17         When Do I Bow? And Other Questions About Jewish Prayer
7. OCTOBER 24         Passover: The Jewish Master Story
8. OCTOBER 31         God: Encountering the Holy
9. NOVEMBER 7         Talmud: Argument for the Sake of Heaven
10. NOVEMBER 14      Starting Over: The High Holy Days
- NOVEMBER 21           NO CLASS**
11. NOVEMBER 28      Kashrut: The Original Soul Food
12. DECEMBER 5        Philosophers, Poets, and Mystics: The Jewish Middle Ages
13. DECEMBER 12      **6:30PM - MIKVEH ORIENTATION, AJU, Room 150**  
**7:00PM – Class, Room 225, Marriage, Love & Kosher Sex**
14. DECEMBER 19      From Birth to B’nai Mitzvah: Raising a Mensch
- DECEMBER 26           NO CLASS**
15. JANUARY 2         A Time to Mourn: Traditions for Death, Grief, & Healing
16. JANUARY 9         Out of the Darkness: Stories from the Holocaust
17. JANUARY 16        Israel: Dreaming of Deliverance
18. JANUARY 23        The Jewish Mission to Heal the World

**If you are planning on becoming a Jew by Choice:**

When you have completed all course requirements, please schedule a final meeting with your instructor and/or sponsoring rabbi. They will confirm that you have attended all eighteen classes, a support group, and a Shabbaton. Additionally, they may ask you to do some additional learning in preparation for conversion. Completion of course requirements is not a guarantee of eligibility to convert.