Generations of the Shoah International Newsletter  
February, 2017

Dear Members and Friends,

Thank you Melissa Hacker for being our first guest in our 15th anniversary book / film discussion series on Facebook. Our February guest is Ellen Cassedy, author of We Are Here: Memories of the Lithuanian Holocaust. To preview the book: www.youtube.com/watch?v=QtVBSP-jfDo. You are welcome to ask questions directly to Ellen. Join us by clicking on the discussion tab above (right).

Generations of the Shoah International (GSI)

Membership in our interactive leadership listserv is open to leaders / representatives of landsmanschaften and other Holocaust-related groups. If your local survivor, second generation or third generation group has not yet delegated a representative to join the GSI interactive online discussion / listserv group, please join us now. We already have dozens of members throughout the USA and from other countries. This global interactive listserv is the fastest way to reach the survivor community: genshoah@gmail.com.

For event submissions: www.genshoah.org/contact_gsi.html. Please fill out the information requested in the text areas and submit it to us at genshoah@gmail.com. You must send us your information no later than the 23rd of the month if you wish for it to appear in the upcoming month’s issue.

To search the newsletter by geographic area: Search by country for programs outside the USA or use the city and / or state abbreviations for those areas in the USA.

All times listed below are local unless otherwise stated.

Visit our GSI website at www.genshoah.org for updated information on new books, films, helpful links to Holocaust-related organizations and institutions, etc. Survivors, their children and grandchildren are welcome to post contact information for their local groups on our website.

GSI has an “open” Facebook Group that anyone can join and invite others to join. Feel free to introduce yourself to your brothers and sisters in the survivor community and communicate directly with them without having to be cleared by a third party. Use the group to find old

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The International Tracing Service (ITS) has published its complete inventory on the internet. The inventory, available in German and English, offers an overview of the ITS’s archival holdings, comprising some 30 million documents on National Socialist persecution and forced labor as well as the fates of the survivors. The archive’s original documents have been inscribed in the UNESCO documentary heritage register “Memory of the World” since 2013.

The indexing of the extensive holdings, however, has not yet reached completion. For reasons of transparency, the ITS has deliberately decided to include parts of the holdings that have undergone only preliminary or superficial indexing to date in its general online inventory. One by one, the existing information on the sub-collections will be supplemented with detailed descriptions of the contents to permit more in-depth access to the documents. The general inventory on our website reflects the current status of the indexing process, as the data is retrieved directly from the digital ITS archive. To access the general inventory, go to: www.its-arolsen.org/en/archives/overview-of-the-archival-holdings/general-inventory/

Of Interest to American Holocaust Survivors
In accordance with the Older Americans Act, the US Administration for Community Living (ACL) has recently published “Guidance for Outreach and Providing Services for Holocaust Survivors” which discusses “promising practices to conduct outreach and service provision to the Holocaust population… as a vehicle by which the Aging Services Network can build stronger connections to organizations and stakeholders providing care to Holocaust survivors, to enhance service capacity and quality” and outlines “the unique needs and challenges of serving Holocaust survivors, [their] mental and physical health, nutrition, transportation, caregiver support, outreach, legal and ombudsman services.” To access ACL’s guidance for outreach and providing services for Holocaust survivors, go to: https://aoa.acl.gov/AoA_Programs/OAA/Reauthorization/2016/docs/ACL-Guidance-Holocaust-Survivor-Services.pdf

International Holocaust Remembrance Day events
If you did not have the chance to attend all the events at the United Nations, visit webtv.un.org:
26 January: DPI/NGO briefing on "Holocaust remembrance: Educating against Extremism to Build a Better Future"
27 January: United Nations Holocaust Memorial Ceremony, please see UN Secretary-General Guterres statement here.

From the US Holocaust Memorial Museum on the International Holocaust Remembrance Day Museum Statement on International Holocaust Remembrance Day
RESTITUTION

Property Restitution in Warsaw: A new resource from the World Jewish Restitution Organization (WJRO) to help Holocaust survivors and their families who owned property in Warsaw, Poland and who previously filed property claims with the City of Warsaw after the Holocaust under a law known as the Warsaw Decree. **New 6-month deadline set by Poland.** For more details, visit the WJRO website: [http://wjro.org.il/our-work/property-restitution-in-warsaw/](http://wjro.org.il/our-work/property-restitution-in-warsaw/).

UPCOMING CONFERENCES

The 47th Annual Scholars' Conference on the Holocaust and the Churches

Lessons for a Wounded World: Post-Holocaust Wisdom in the Face of Terror and Fear

March 11 – 13, 2017

Temple University, Philadelphia, PA

For more: [annualscholarsconference@gmail.com](mailto:annualscholarsconference@gmail.com) or [http://ascconf.org/](http://ascconf.org/)

As Mass Murder Began: Identifying and Remembering the Killing Sites of Summer-Fall 1941

March 22 – 23, 2017

Vilna Gaon State Jewish Museum, Vilnius, Lithuania

'The Holocaust and History:
The Work and Legacy of David Cesarani

April 2 – 4, 2017

Senate House and the Imperial War Museum, London, England

For more information [cesarani.conference@rhul.ac.uk](mailto:cesarani.conference@rhul.ac.uk) and to register: [http://onlinestore.rhul.ac.uk/browse extra_info.asp?compid=1&modid=1&deptid=102&catid=727&prodid=2405](http://onlinestore.rhul.ac.uk/browse/extra_info.asp?compid=1&modid=1&deptid=102&catid=727&prodid=2405).

World Federation of Jewish Child Survivors of the Holocaust and Descendants

and

Generations of the Shoah International (GSI)

Survivors and Families Meet in Jerusalem

November 5 – 8, 2017

Dan Hotel, Mount Scopus, Jerusalem, Israel

For more: [www.holocaustchild.org/](http://www.holocaustchild.org/)
UPCOMING WORKSHOPS & SEMINARS

STAJE Seminar for Teachers in Jewish Schools

The Voyage of the St. Louis
February 5, 2017  12:30 - 5:00 pm
Museum of Jewish Heritage – A Living Memorial to the Holocaust, New York, NY
For more information: www.mjhnyc.org/teachers_development.html. Pre-registration is required: Call 646.437.4310 or email pradensky@mjhnyc.org

Confronting Bias: Facilitating Difficult Conversations in the Classroom
February 9, 2017  9:00 am – 2:30 pm
Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Advance registration required: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/pages/for-educators/professional-development/upcoming-workshops/

Shot by Shot: The Shoah in the Baltics, Belarus & the Ukraine 1941 – 1943
February 15, 2017  9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Las Olas Jewish Center, 1302 Las Olas Blvd, Fort Lauderdale, FL
For more: Click here to register

Operation Reinhard: Phase II of the Holocaust
February 21, 2017  8:45 am – 3:45 pm
Florida Atlantic University, Delray Beach, FL
For more: http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07edcod118d457419e&llr=aiuaocoa

What Does Justice Look Like: Eichmann and Beyond
February 22, 2017  9:00 am – 2:30 pm
Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Advance registration required: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/pages/for-educators/professional-development/upcoming-workshops/

Holocaust Memory: The Meaning of Objects
March 3, 2017  9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Holocaust Resource Center, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ
For more information and to register: http://bildnercenter.rutgers.edu/holocaust-memory

Refugees: World War II and Now
March 8, 2017  9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Beck Rooms, Walsh Library, Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ
For more: www.nj.gov/education/holocaust/programs/workshops/030817Refugees.pdf
**Advanced Teacher Workshop: How Was the Holocaust Humanly Possible?**  
March 23, 2017  4:30 – 7:30 pm  
Holocaust Center for Humanity, Seattle, WA  
For more: [www.holocaustcenterseattle.org/events/300-advanced-teacher-seminar-fhao-3-23-16](http://www.holocaustcenterseattle.org/events/300-advanced-teacher-seminar-fhao-3-23-16)

**Holocaust and Human Behavior**  
March 24, 2017  8:00 am – 3:30 pm  
Holocaust Center for Humanity, Seattle, WA  
For more: [www.holocaustcenterseattle.org/events/299-teacher-seminar-facing-history-3-24-17](http://www.holocaustcenterseattle.org/events/299-teacher-seminar-facing-history-3-24-17)

**Echoes and Reflections and Elie Wiesel’s Night**  
March 24, 2017  8:30 am – 2:30 pm  
Montclair State University, ADP Center for Learning Technologies, 1 Normal Av, Montclair, NJ  

**Echoes and Reflections and Elie Wiesel’s Night**  
April 5, 2017  3:30 pm – 7:30 pm  
Historical Society of Princeton, Princeton NJ  

**Medicine in the Holocaust and Beyond**  
May 7 – 11, 2017  
Western Galilee, Israel  
For more information: [www.medicineaftertheholocaust.org](http://www.medicineaftertheholocaust.org)

**2017 Annual Seminar on Ethics, Religion, and the Holocaust**  
June 19 – 23, 2017  
US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC

**Powell Holocaust Summer Institute:**  
**Teaching for Humanity**  
August 7 – 11, 2017  
Holocaust Center for Humanity, Seattle, WA  
[Learn More & Apply](#)

### UPComING EVENTS

Now – February 11, 2017— Center for Holocaust and Human Rights Education, Florida Atlantic University, **Boca Raton, FL**  
Now – February 15, 2017—California African American Museum, 600 State Dr, Los Angeles, CA

Exhibit: A Bitter Road: Britain and the Refugee Crisis of the 1930s and 1940s. For more information: lsidebotham@wienerlibrary.co.uk.

Now - February 26, 2017— Holocaust Museum Houston, 5401 Caroline St, Houston, TX
Exhibit: Sousa Mendes and his Visas to Freedom. On view will be passports with the original Sousa Mendes visas along with personal items of refugees rescued by Aristides de Sousa Mendes. For more information, call (713) 942-8000.

Now – March, 2017 — Visitors Lobby, General Assembly Building, United Nations Headquarters, New York, NY

Now – March 2017—various locations in Houston, TX
Handcrafted butterflies from around the world are on display across Houston to memorialize the 1.5 million children who died in the Holocaust. For more information: http://hmh.org/butterflies

Exhibit: My Name Is...The Lost Children of Kloster Indersdorf, a selection of images and individual stories of hundreds of displaced children housed in a former convent near Dachau in the immediate aftermath of World War II. For more: www.mjhnyc.org/exhibitions.html

Now – May 4, 2017—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Exhibit: From Memory to History: Faces and Voices of the Holocaust. Created by the Holocaust Council of MetroWest, this exhibit describes the experiences of original eyewitnesses to the Holocaust through photo collages with explanatory text, videotaped interviews, and historical artifacts. This year the exhibit will also feature Children During the Holocaust. For more information, please contact holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or call 973-929-3194.

Now– June 18, 2017—National World War II Museum, 945 Magazine St, New Orleans, LA

Now – December 31, 2017—Ghetto Fighters’ House Museum, HaGeta’ot, Galilee, Israel

February 1, 2017, 7:00 pm—Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
Book talk: A World Erased, with author Noah Lederman, grandson of survivors, in conversation with Professor Jessica Restaino, Montclair State University.
For more information: www.mjhnyc.org/calendar_feb17.html.
February 1 and 8, 2017, 7:00 pm—Las Olas Chabad Jewish Center, **Fort Lauderdale, FL**
NEXT GENERATIONS Yiddish Class Series: *A Journey into Yiddish Language*. For more information: Paulastevens89@gmail.com

February 7, 2017, 7:30 pm—JCC Manhattan, 334 Amsterdam Ave, **New York, NY**
Film Screening and Discussion: *Bogdan’s Journey*, about persuading the people of Kielce, Poland, to confront the truth about the darkest moment in their past - the 1946 Jewish pogrom. For tickets and more information: www.jccmanhattan.org.

February 8, 2017, 3:00 pm—Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
Conversation: *Haters Emboldened in US and Europe – Online, on the Political Extremes, and in the Streets*, with Susan Corke, Director, Countering Antisemitism and Extremism, Human Rights First. For more information: www.mjhnyc.org/calendar_feb17.html

February 8, 2017, 19h30—Ster Kinekor Rosebank Nouveau, 50 Bath Ave, **Johannesburg, South Africa**
Screening of the film *Denial*, about Deborah E. Lipstadt’s legal battle against Holocaust denier David Irving. Booking essential; shirley@jhbholocaust.co.za

February 9, 2017, 7:00 pm—United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, **Washington, DC**
*Memory Transferred: Voices from the Descendants of Destruction and Displacement*. With authors Erika Dreifus, Rachel Hall, Suzanne Reisman, Meline Toumani, and Sarah Wildman. For more: http://ushmm.org/events/memory-transferred

February 9, 2017, 11:00 am—Clive Daniel Home, **Boca Raton, FL**
NEXT GENERATIONS Cooking Class Series: “A Taste of Life – The Past to the Present”. For more information: apszule@gmail.com.

February 11, 2017, 7:00 pm—Voorhees Hall #105, Rutgers University, **New Brunswick, NJ**
Screening of *With God Against Man*, a documentary about Aristides de Sousa Mendes, in which members of visa recipient families re traced their families’ footsteps from 73 years earlier. Fees. For more information: (848) 932-8482 or njmac12@gmail.com

February 12 – April 7, 2017—UNC Asheville Ramsey Library, **Asheville, NC**
US Holocaust Memorial Museum exhibit *The Nazi Persecution of Homosexuals.*

February 12 & 25; March 12 & 25, 2017, 11:00 am—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
*Museum Architecture Tour – Symbolic by Design*. See how renowned architect Stanley Tigerman infused each space in the Illinois Holocaust Museum with historical and emotional symbolism. For more information: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org

February 12 & 25; March 12 & 25, 2017, 12:30 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
*Survivor Talks – In Our Voices.* Hear Holocaust Survivors tell their stories in person and answer audience questions. For more information: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org
Crisis, Rescue and Renewal: The Warburg Institute and the Role of Academic Refugees during the Second World War. The famous library that later became the Warburg Institute was moved from Hamburg to London in 1933 following the rise of the Nazi party. The presentation shows how the Institute reacted to the international crisis of the World War II through the lens of micro-stories of academic refugees. RSVP www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=306

February 14, 2017, 4:00 pm—The Holocaust Memorial and Tolerance Center of Nassau County, Welwyn Preserve, 100 Crescent Beach Rd, Glen Cove, NY
Professional Development Workshop: Survivor – Aron’s Story. Author Alex Teplish will discuss his grandfather’s memoir, utilizing Shoah Foundation video testimony, artwork from the book and historical music and imagery. For more: (516) 571-8040 or mtracygarrisonfeinberg@hmtcli.org.

Talk: The Creation and Liquidation of the Kishinev Ghetto 1941-1942. Presentation by Paul Shapiro, Director of the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Office of International Affairs, will place the creation and liquidation of the Kishinev ghetto in 1941/42 in the context of the resonance in the Jewish world of the Kishinev Pogrom of 1903, when 42 Jews were killed, and then carries the story forward to how this once important Jewish centre is being remembered today. Please reserve your ticket at www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=308

February 15, 2017, 9:00 am-4:00 pm—Las Olas Chabad Jewish Center, Fort Lauderdale, FL
NEXT GENERATIONS One Day Educational Retreat, facilitated by Dr. Rose Gatens & FAU Center for Holocaust & Human Rights Education. For more: paulastevens89@gmail.com

February 15, 2017, 3:00 pm—Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
Gallery Talk: The Lost Children of Kloster Indersdorf with curator Melissa Yaverbaum. Hear the stories of displaced children from World War II and meet some of the survivors from Kloster Indersdorf. For more information: www.mjhnyc.org/calendar_feb17.html.

February 15, 2017, 7:30 pm—South County Civic Center, Jog Road, Delray Beach, FL
Staged Reading of Address Unknown. For more information: bashasofboca@aol.com.

Book launch: Women in the Holocaust: A Feminist History, with author Dr Zoë Waxman, Senior Research Fellow at the Oxford Centre for Hebrew and Jewish Studies, followed by a reception with light refreshments. For information: lsidbotham@wienerlibrary.co.uk and for tickets: www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=297.

February 16, 2017, 7:00 pm—Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY

February 16, 2017, 7:00 pm—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest’s Real to Reel Holocaust Film Series: For A Woman, a fascinating look at the aftermath of the Holocaust. For more information: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or 973-929-3194.
February 19 – June 18, 2017— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Exhibit: *Operation Finale: The Capture & Trial of Adolf Eichmann*, the story behind bringing one of the most notorious escaped Nazi war criminals to justice, told using recently declassified artifacts from the Mossad, Israel’s Secret Intelligence Service. [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org)

February 19, 2017, 2:00 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Exhibition opening: *Operation Finale*. Learn the amazing history of the exhibition from its creators: Former Mossad agent Avner Avraham; Orit Shaham Gover, Chief Curator of Beit Hatfutsot—The Museum of the Jewish People, Tel Aviv; and Ariel Efron, media designer and producer for the exhibition. Reservations required: [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

February 19, 2017, 5:00 pm—Holocaust Museum & Education Center of Southwest Florida, 4760 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 7 Sandalwood Square, Naples FL
Steen Metz will relate his personal story of being transported to Theresienstadt concentration camp and Marina Berkovich, local filmmaker and author, will discuss interviewing a well-known Holocaust denier and present film clips from *Interview with a Denier*. For more and to RSVP: genshoahswfl@icloud.com or 239-963-9347.

February 21, 2017, 9:00 am—South County Civic Center, Jog Road, Delray Beach, FL
NEXT GENERATIONS One Day Educational Retreat, facilitated by Dr. Rose Gatens & FAU Center for Holocaust & Human Rights Education. For more: girlfriendrandi@yahoo.com

February 22, 2017, 12 noon—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest Lunch & Learn with Carolyn Enger, daughter of a Holocaust survivor. Please bring a dairy lunch; beverage and cookies provided. For more information and to RSVP: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or 973-929-3194.

February 23, 2017, 7:30 pm—Beth Torah, Benny Rok Campus, North Miami Beach, FL
Staged Reading of *Address Unknown*. For more information: paulastevens89@gmail.com

February 26, 2017, 2:00 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
*Music and Art from Theresienstadt*: Soprano Rachel Joselson and pianist Rene Lecuona, faculty members, University of Iowa School of Music, will perform selections by Viktor Ullmann and other composers who were prisoners in Terezin during the Holocaust. Reservations required: [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

February 28, 2017, 6:30 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th Street, New York, NY
*We’ll Always Have Casablanca* with author Noah Isenberg and film critic James Hoberman. For more: [www.lbi.org/events/casablanca/](http://www.lbi.org/events/casablanca/)

February 28, 2017, 7:30 pm—Trayes Hall, Douglas Student Center, 100 George St, New Brunswick, NJ
*Post-Holocaust Ultra Orthodox Theology: A New Perspective* with Yakir Englander, Bildner Visiting Scholar. For more: [http://bildnercenter.rutgers.edu/](http://bildnercenter.rutgers.edu/)
March 1 – April 24, 2017—The Wiener Library, 29 Russell Square, **London, England**

**One Family, Three Cities, Six Years of War: A Family of Artists During the War and the Holocaust.** This exhibition traces the story of one family’s experiences of separation, persecution and survival during the Second World War and the Holocaust: the family of Franciszka Themerson and her niece Jasia Reichardt. For more information: lsidebotham@wienerlibrary.co.uk

March 2, 2017, 6:30 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**

**Defiance Behind the Scenes – Growing Up Bielski.** Michael “Mickey” Bielski, son of Tuvia, shares his family’s experiences during the Holocaust and provides insight into the partisan group portrayed in the film Defiance. Reservations required: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

March 8, 2017, 5:30 pm— Hyatt Regency Chicago, **Chicago, IL**

**Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center Humanitarian Award Dinner**

This annual event welcomes over 1,800 business, civic and community leaders and pays tribute to local Holocaust survivors. Honoring Dr. Richard A. Chaifetz, Compsych Corporation, and E. Scott Santi, ITW. Tickets. Reservations required: www.humanitarianawardsdinner.org

March 9, 2017, 6:30 pm— The Wiener Library, 29 Russell Square, **London, England**

**Book Launch: Concentration Camps: A Short History** by Dan Stone, Professor of Modern History at Royal Holloway University of London. Please reserve your ticket at www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=310

March 12, 2017, 10:00 am – 8:30pm, Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**

**JCC Chicago Jewish Film Festival.** Join us as we screen recent feature and documentary films No Asylum, Keep Quiet, Persona Non Grata, and Denial. Each showing is accompanied by an audience talk back. Fees. Reservations recommended: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

March 19, 2017, 2:00 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**

**Intelligence Challenges in the 21st Century:** Expert on the Middle East and counterterrorism, former CIA officer Melissa Boyle Mahle, discusses what the US and global intelligence community are doing (and not doing) to address current national security challenges. Free with museum admission. Reservations required: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events

March 20, 2017, 6:30 pm—Wiener Library, 29 Russell Square, **London, England**

**Orchestras of Auschwitz,** an opera-ballet production memorializing the Jewish musicians imprisoned in Auschwitz-Birkenau who were forced to play each day as slave labour commandos set off to and returned from their work. Elements of the score include an original composition in memory of Sir Martin Gilbert, renowned Holocaust historian. Constella OperaBallet will give an introduction and overview of the project. RSVP: www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=307

March 23, 2016, 6:00 pm—Wiener Library, 29 Russell Square, **London, England**

**Who Owns Jan Karski? The Controversy Around the Man Who Tried to Stop the Holocaust**

Dr. Helena Duffy will discuss the heated debate surrounding Yannick Haenel’s controversial novel on Karski’s story and to evaluate the French writer’s contribution to preserving the legacy
of the Polish resister and, more broadly, the memory of Holocaust victims. Please reserve your ticket at www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=311

March 27, 2017, 12 noon—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest Bagels & Books: The Plot Against America by Philip Roth.
Bagels and coffee provided; bring your appetite for a discussion.
For more information: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or 973-929-3194.

March 28, 2016, 6:00 pm—Wiener Library, 29 Russell Square, London, England
Rebuilding Shattered Lives: Some Vignettes of Jewish Children’s Lives in Early Postwar Poland. Part of the Wiener Library’s One Family, Three Cities, Six Years of War series, Dr Joanna B. Michlic examines the situation of Jewish child survivors in Poland in the early postwar period. She argues that each of the young survivors had his own or her own special life story that consisted of a unique universe of experiences, interactions, reactions, and beliefs. Please reserve your ticket at www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=312

March 30, 2017, 7:30 pm—Temple Sinai, 18801 NE 22nd Ave, North Miami Beach, FL
Staged Reading of Address Unknown. For more information: www.nextgenerations.org

April 25, 2017, 7:30 pm—Columbia University, 116th St & Broadway, New York, NY
Yom Hashoah program: Sami Steigmann will share his story as a child survivor of medical experiments. Limited space. RSVP SSIColumbiaU@gmail.com

FYI…FOR YOUR INFORMATION

FYI… Online newsletters

FYI… To mark International Holocaust Remembrance Day on 27 January, Yad Vashem once again launched its IRemember Wall on Facebook wherein a user's Facebook profile is randomly linked to the name of a Holocaust victim from Yad Vashem's Central Database of Shoah Victims’ Names and then posted to the wall together with the photo and name of the Holocaust victim. The IRemember Wall is one of a number of ways in which Yad Vashem reached out to its global audience. Educational resources, online exhibits and materials, and a range of social media are all readily available to help people around the world commemorate the day in a meaningful way.

Yad Vashem’s online exhibition, "Last Letters From the Holocaust: 1941," features missives, some viewable by the public for the first time, written by children and adults in the midst of the Shoah and sent to their loved ones. They were composed by Jews in the ghettos, camps, while fleeing, in hiding and while wandering from place to place. They reveal the inner world and terrible fate of individual Jews in the Holocaust; for many recipients, they were also the last greetings and messages from their loved ones. Additionally, the mini-site has dedicated a complete section containing informative resources about the liberation of Auschwitz-Birkenau, which took place 27 January 1945, the date now designated International Holocaust Remembrance Day.
FYI... Adopt-A-Safta is a non-profit initiative that pairs young Internationals and Israelis with Survivors of the Shoah who feel lonely. Working off of the Big Brother/Big Sister model, our young volunteer teams will "adopt" a grandmother or grandfather in Israel that is in need of love and attention to visit weekly. Our goal is to train as many volunteers as possible and to connect these two communities; young adults seeking to make meaningful contributions, and the survivors in need of warmth and connection, while we still are blessed with the presence of this holy generation. For more: www.AdoptASafta.com. Email: Info@AdoptASafta.com


FYI... For those interested in organized tours of Holocaust related sites: From The World Organization of Bukovina Jews and Descendants: A Journey on the Path of the Holocaust. This 8 day trip will take place in late June and will include: Chernovitz, Ukraine and the journey (death marches) taken from Bukovina to Transnistria during the Holocaust. For more information please contact: carol8helen@gmail.com

Tour Central Europe is organizing a special tour, guided by two sons of survivors, that will include relevant sites, meetings with the Jewish communities, and presentations by Jewish scholars, survivors and/or second generation. Experience the natural, cultural and historical aspects of the country. For more: www.TourCentralEurope.com.

FYI... For the latest on the Baltics: http://defendinghistory.com/welcome-to-defending-history

FYI... Learning more about the Holocaust Online: From the US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Why Did the Holocaust Happen? Peter Hayes https://livestream.com/digitalushmm/events/6874567/videos/147058191

FYI...Blog Moral & Religious Dilemmas in the Holocaust – Free Download

FYI... From the JTA archive
75 years ago: 15 more Jews executed in Warsaw for leaving ghetto without permission
Nazis execute all Jewish war prisoners taken on the Soviet front
80 years ago: Nazi paper slams portrayal of Christ with Jewish features
FYI… Videos, audios and / or slideshows of interest:

**Across Borders - International**

#WeRemember: Over 200,000 people post photos of themselves to remember Holocaust
Holocaust survivors living in poverty

**Austria**

Austria’s Chancellor Invokes Country’s Role in Holocaust
Austrian Sent to Prison for Selling Pro-Hitler Songs

**France**

When Nancy Wake saw a Jewish man

**Poland**

Her Voice from the Shoah

**UK**

Sir Ben Kingsley on Elie Wiesel, Series 41, Great Lives - BBC Radio 4
Holocaust: Frank Bright remembers being separated from his mother - BBC News
Rabbi Sacks on the Holocaust & importance of remembrance ...
Fiona Bruce stunned by horrifying Holocaust relic on Antiques Roadshow
Derry relatives of Auschwitz victim to appear on Antiques Roadshow
Jane Haining's ring to feature on Antiques Roadshow - BBC News
Holocaust 'holds up a mirror to our times' - Archbishop - BBC News
Holocaust Memorial Day: What can we learn? - CBBC Newsround
The Last Laugh (2016): Official Trailer
Beware hate speech, says Auschwitz Holocaust survivor - BBC News
Holocaust Memorial Day marked in Scotland - BBC News
Holocaust Memorial Day, The Daily Interview - BBC Radio 5 live
Helen Lewis: Belfast plaque for Holocaust survivor - BBC News
Holocaust survivor: 'The dehumanisation started immediately' - BBC News
Remembering the Holocaust's forgotten victims - BBC News
USA

Why Did the Holocaust Happen?

International Holocaust Remembrance Day Commemoration

White House calls outrage over omitting Jews in Trump’s statement on Holocaust ‘pathetic’

Reporter Who Broke The Story Of Start Of WWII Dies At 105

Auschwitz survivor preaches forgiveness

Dollhouses as history, and therapy - CBS News

WATCH: Meet Nonagenarian ‘Big Sonia,’ Among Last Holocaust Survivors of Kansas City

FYI… Articles in the news…Note: links were active when the newsletter was written but some links may now have been deactivated by the publisher. If any link doesn't work, you can look for the story using a search engine, e.g., Google, Yahoo or others.

Across Borders: International

12 notable Jews who we lost in 2016

UN News - Honouring Holocaust victims, UN chief Guterres pledges to battle anti-Semitism, all forms of hatred

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