

TEMPLE ISRAEL 150TH ANNIVERSARY

KICK-OFF CELEBRATION WEEKEND

DECEMBER 10-12

WITH SCHOLAR-IN-RESIDENCE, DR. GARY ZOLA

CELEBRATING THE JEWISH AMERICAN EXPERIENCE

SHABBAT SERVICE

Friday, December 10
6 - 7:15pm

PROFILES IN AMERICAN JEWISH EXPERIENCE

Explore Jewish courage in the American experience, examining the careers of several fascinating figures, including

Rev. Dr. Maurice Harris,
who served

Congregation Yad B'Yad
(Temple Israel of Harlem),
1882-1930.



TORAH STUDY
with Lox & Bagels
Saturday, December 11

9:15 - 10:15am

WHAT TORAH CAN TEACH US ABOUT AMERICAN JEWISH HISTORY

A talented satirist, Gershon
Rosenzweig (1861-1914), composed
commentaries on the weekly Torah por-
tion, as well as parodies on Jewish holi-
days. His writing sheds light on the trials
and tribulations of Jewish immigrants.

Dr. Zola will introduce us to the lit-
tle-known material, so we can study
Torah and the American Jewish past.

SUNDAY PROGRAM

Harlem Jewish Walking Tour

Sunday, December 12 – 9:30 - 11:45am

FASCINATING STORIES FROM AMERICAN JEWISH HISTORY

Special Guest: historian of American Jewry,
Dr. Gary Zola (American Jewish Archives, ED).



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