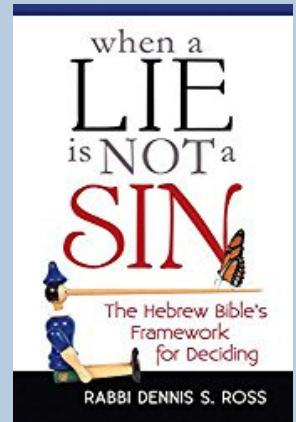


**Please Join Us for Breakfast**

**on Sunday, December 3rd at 10:30 am.**

**with guest speaker,**

**Rabbi Dennis S. Ross,**  
**author of**  
**“When a Lie Is Not a Sin:  
Truthfulness in the Daily Routine”**



Politics and charges of lying often go together, but what about truthfulness in personal life? For instance, do I have to be honest about a friend's new tie or dress? Why is lying OK when life is at stake? Do kids need to be told the whole truth?



Rabbi Ross will draw from his recent book, [\*When a Lie Is Not a Sin: The Hebrew Bible's Framework for Deciding\*](#) (Jewish Lights), to take ancient Jewish teaching as a prism to daily living to address fine distinctions surrounding common but complicated personal situations and show how a smaller lie can sometimes serve a higher moral purpose.

Rabbi Ross is a congregational rabbi and a Licensed Clinical Social Worker with a specialty in supporting congregations in transition as an Intentional Interim Rabbi. He has served synagogues in New York, Washington, D. C., and Massachusetts. Rabbi Ross also directs Concerned Clergy for Choice for Planned Parenthood Empire State Acts! His web site is [www.DennisRoss.net](http://www.DennisRoss.net) and he travels from the Northeast to speak with Jewish groups and many other faith communities. Rabbi

Ross has written for *The New York Times* and blogs for *Rewire* and other publications.

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