

# Sunday Morning Brunch Series @ Beth Meyer



**Jan 10 - Midrash & Fact: Jews and Blacks in the Civil Rights Era and Today**

*Billy Planer, Executive Director, Etgar36*

**Feb 14 - Cain v. Abel: A Jewish Courtroom Drama**

*Rabbi Dan Ornstein, former BMS Rabbi and author*

**Apr 11 - Marching Towards Madness: How to Save the Games You Always Loved**

*Allen Paul and John LeBar, authors*

<https://www.marchingtowardmadness.net>

**Time: 10:00 am**  
**Cost: \$5 per brunch**

Until we can gather person - we will be meeting on ZOOM .  
Registration is required and the zoom link will be sent via email.  
To register online, click [here](#).

Or you send the registration form found in the Adult Education Catalog to the Beth Meyer office .

More information about our January Brunch is on the next page.

**Make yourself a cup of your favorite drink, prepare your favorite brunch food and join us for an interesting morning!**



Sunday, Jan 10  
10:00 am on ZOOM

Join us as we welcome Billy Planer to Beth Meyer

## Midrash and Fact: Jews and Blacks in the Civil Rights Era and Today

Billy will help us explore the reality of the relationship between the Jewish and Black communities during the Civil Rights era.

- Why were there Jews on both sides, and on the sidelines, of the Civil Rights movement?
- What was the role of Judaism in the activism of young people in the 1960s?
- What are the implications for the streets of America today?



Billy Planer, younger brother of Beth Meyer member, Ira Planer, is the Founder and Director of Etgar 36.

Founded in 2003, Etgar 36 is a summer journey that takes Jewish teens on a bus tour across America. They engage in difficult and uncomfortable conversations, exploring multiple sides of social and political issues to develop their opinion and find their voice. The teens learn about the unique culture of each city and become empowered to get involved to create change.

Since 2004, Etgar has also run three-day Civil Rights journeys to the American South for adults, teens, schools and organizations.

To date, over 28,000 people have been on an Etgar 36 journey.