

## Northeast District Convention – Special Events

*These events require advance registration;  
see the checkout section on the registration form.*

### **Sermon in a Song**

**Friday, March 24, 1:30 p.m.** It happens to all of us who are tasked with preparing a d'var Torah or sermon. We have lots of ideas but can't seem to decide on how to proceed. One way out is to write a single statement that describes the message we hope to impart. From there, we can move on to the stories or texts that flesh out the idea. In this workshop, Rabbi Zecher will present a number of those one-line sermon ideas but instead of illuminating them with texts or stories, she will first offer a song. And it will be up to the participants to choose the sermon statement that is best illustrated by this song. Highly interactive and often surprising! (pre-registration required, free)

### **Chocolate Tasting**

**Friday, March 24, 5:15 p.m.** Join Carmen Romeo, President and Son In-Law at Fascia's Chocolates for a fun and informative session learning the history and origins of chocolate. Learn how it gets from Bean to Bar and Bar to Box. Fascia's is a 3rd generation, family-run business that started in Connecticut in 1964. The session will include extensive tasting of some of Fascia's finest confections. Each participant will receive 7-9 samples to learn about and try. Afterwards play chocolate bingo - prizes will be chocolate-themed. (opt-in only event - \$14)

### **Mixology Class**

**Saturday, March 25, 10:30 p.m.** Learn to create three drinks: two cocktails one mocktail. (opt-in only event - \$30)

### **MOM: Making Our Mosaics**

Join WRJ NE District Area Director Jenifer Rosenberg to make your very own glass mosaic coaster. (pre-registration required, free)