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CONGREGATION BETH-EL AND BNAI JACOB OF JERSEY CITY JOIN TOGETHER WITH
HUNDREDS OF SYNAGOGUES ACROSS THE COUNTRY FOR

SOLIDARITY SHABBAT

HONORING THE 1 YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF

THE SHOOTING AT THE TREE OF LIFE SYNAGOGUE IN PITTSBURGH

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25TH AT 7:30PM

CONGREGATION BNAI JACOB (176 WEST SIDE AVENUE), JERSEY CITY

A lively, soulful Kabbalat Shabbat will feature the clergy of both shuls followed by a delicious oneg with guest author and activist Dr. Thomas Main who will be speaking on the current wave of anti-Semitism as part of the rise of anti-Democratic ideologies in American political culture. Dr. Main will then take part in a community discussion about how we, 1 year later in mourning for those we lost that day, can build a safer, stronger future.



Prof. Main holds a Ph.D. in Politics from Princeton University and a two-year MPA from the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University. He is author of *The Rise of the Alt-Right*, {Brookings Institution Press 2018) and *Homelessness in New York City: Policymaking from Koch to de Blasio* (NYU Press 2016). His academic articles have been published in, *Perspectives on Political Science*, *Review of Policy Research*, *Administration & Society*, *Public Affairs Quarterly* and *The Journal of Urban Affairs*. He has also written for *Commentary*, *The City Journal*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *The Los Angeles Times*, and many other magazines and newspapers. His research interests include: social welfare policy, urban politics, bureaucracy, political ideologies, and the American Constitution and founding.

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