

*Lunch 'n Learn / Senior-sponsored Program*  
*All congregants, friends and family welcome!*



**Wednesday, February 21st**

**12:00 PM – optional lox and  
bagel lunch \$8.00**

**12:30-2:00 PM – Program**

**Longtime congregant Elizabeth Gossage will speak about**  
*The Vanishing American Jew, Fact or Myth?*

Elizabeth will briefly review recent demographic trends in Jewish life in America and discuss what we might predict for its future. She will focus on how younger generations shape the landscape of the American Jewish experience and include a look at organizations such as Birthright, Moishe House, etc. and how they are shaping the millennials and future generations of our Jewish community.

Currently pursuing a Master's in Jewish Professional Studies at the Spertus Institute of Jewish Learning and Leadership, Elizabeth is a longtime congregant who is committed to Jewish education and engagement in the Jewish community. She taught in the public schools for more than 18 years.

Please RSVP to Mark Turner at [cec.seniors@congetzchaim.org](mailto:cec.seniors@congetzchaim.org) or call the office at 630.627.3912 by February 19<sup>th</sup>, and indicate whether or not you will be ordering a lox and bagel lunch (**\$8.00**). If you need to cancel, kindly inform Mark.