Margate's Temple Emeth Shalom Hosts "Salute to Stockton" Distinguished Scholars Guest Speakers Program

Lecture Series in its 11th Year

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Galloway Twp., NJ – Temple Emeth Shalom in Margate will host the “Salute to Stockton” Annual Distinguished Scholars Guest Speakers Program for the 11th consecutive year. This popular program features faculty members from The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey.

Rabbi Gordon Geller said that the "Salute to Stockton" talks are one of the highlights of the year at his congregation.

“What started out as an idea to bring Stockton’s wealth of talented speakers into our community has evolved into a much-anticipated annual tradition,” Rabbi Geller said. “Stockton is home to many world-class scholars, a fine Religious Studies program and the region's only Holocaust Resource Center. This lecture series is just one more example of the College's partnership with and outreach to our community.

The series of talks will take place at the Temple in the sanctuary during Sabbath eve services starting at 8 p.m. The Temple is located at 8501 Ventnor Avenue in Margate (near the corner of Ventnor and Jerome Avenues.) These events are free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served after the service.

Following is the schedule of speakers and their topics:

Friday, July 11: Tim Kelly: “He’s Jewish…He’s Got Game.”
Friday, July 18: Professor Carol Rittner: “Rape, Religion and Genocide”
Friday, August 1: Professor Jennifer Barr: "The Portrayal of Women in Advertising and the Media"  
Friday, August 8: President Herman J. Saatkamp, Jr. “Stockton Community Initiatives

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