

THE UNT JEWISH AND ISRAEL STUDIES PROGRAM PRESENTS

“JERUSALEM, THE GATE OF HEAVEN”

A FREE LUNCH AND LEARN WITH

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“THE GATE OF HEAVEN,” SAYS THE BIBLICAL COMMENTARY, “IS IN JERUSALEM.” WITH THE HOLY CITY AS ITS SYMBOLIC CENTER, JEWISH THOUGHT INCORPORATES THE CATEGORY OF HOLINESS INTO ITS THINKING. ONLY WITH JERUSALEM AS ITS “PHILOSOPHICAL CAPITAL” CAN THERE BE A FLESH-AND-BLOOD FUTURE FOR JEWISH THOUGHT. THE JEWS MAKE NO CLAIM TO JERUSALEM; RATHER, JERUSALEM LAYS CLAIM TO THE JEWS. THIS TALK WILL CONSIDER WHAT THIS MEANS AND WHY IT MIGHT BE THE CASE.

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