



2022 Joseph Cardinal Bernardin Jerusalem Lecture

THE CURIOUS CASE OF QUEEN HELENA OF ADIABENE IN JEWISH AND CHRISTIAN HISTORY

Join us for the 26th Annual Joseph Cardinal Bernardin Jerusalem Lecture with opening remarks by Cardinal Blase J. Cupich, archbishop of Chicago.

Prof. Sarit Kattan Gribetz will describe the centuries-long fascination with Queen Helena of Adiabene, a convert to Judaism and star of an anti-Christian polemic, who fed people during a Jerusalem famine and built her own tomb there. Prof. Gribetz will explore the Queen's significance to Jewish and Christian communities both in antiquity and today.

Tuesday, March 22, 2022 at 1 p.m CST

Online via Zoom



Sarit Kattan Gribetz is Associate Professor of Classical Judaism in the Theology Department at Fordham University. Her first book, *Time and Difference in Rabbinic Judaism*, received a National Jewish Book Award in Scholarship. She is now working on a book titled *Jerusalem: A Feminist History*.

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Moderator, Q&A: Sr. Barbara Reid, O.P., President, Catholic Theological Union

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