

# RABBI DR. SHAUL MAGID

ON

## *Meir Kahane: An American Jewish Radical*

Sunday, March 15, at 9:30AM (following 8:30AM morning minyan)

**Ohev Sholom — The National Synagogue**

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