







Shabbat Starts	Shacharit	Mincha	Shabbat Ends
 7:15PM	 9:15AM	 6:00PM	 9:58PM

Week 7 and Tisha B'Av Parashat Devarim / פרשת דברים

We are honoured that Chief Rabbi Ephraim Mirvis will be davening with us this week. The Chief Rabbi will also be speaking before Mussaf on Shabbat morning.

This Motzei Shabbat we will be starting Maariv at 10.10pm to allow people time to change their shoes after Shabbat and make their way to Shul for Maariv/Tisha B'Av services. Services detailed opposite include our pre-Mincha speaker, Michael Kesztenbaum, who will be speaking on "Tisha B'Av and the Holocaust - a personal perspective outlining the relevance for post survivor generations".

Magen Parasha Chabura

We offer a pre-shacharit parasha chabura every Shabbat at 9:00am which this week will be led by Daniel Greenberg. We look forward to welcoming you to the chabura where we will explore interesting ideas and concepts about the parasha.

Children's Programming (10:30-11:15am)

Minis



10:30AM

Magen Minis (recommended for age 5 and under) consists of davening presented in the form of songs and activities. Children must be accompanied by one parent.

Maxis



10:30AM

Magen Maxis (recommended for age 5 to 10 year olds) is a special davening service which focuses on bringing to life the Shabbat tefillot with an emphasis on interactivity and singing. Children are rewarded with raffle tickets and prizes. Parents are welcome to drop off their children at the door.

Munchies



11:00AM

We run two separate Magen Munchies, one for the Minis and one for the Maxis, consisting of a kiddush accompanied by stories and activities. Children attending Magen Maxis will be brought back into Shul by the organisers at 11:15am. This week's Magen Munchies is sponsored by Lia Sacks in appreciation of the hard work of all the organizers of Magen Avot.

Yom Tov Services

We look forward to opening bookings for the Yamim Noraim in a few weeks' time. A full complement of services will be located in a marquee in the near vicinity of the Hendon Hall Hotel. Magen Avot will strive to ensure that this is as comfortable and as user-friendly as possible. Seats will be allocated on a first come first serve basis.

Yahrzeits

The gabbaim are looking to gather information on yahrzeits for Shabbat services. Please send full details to to info@magenavot.com including relationship, Hebrew name of the deceased and the Hebrew date of the yahrzeit.

Shabbat Information: 24-25 July 2015

Earliest Candle Lighting	7:23pm
Location (Friday Night)	Pembroke Suite
Location (Shabbat Day)	Garrick Room
Shabbat Leining	Yossi Blass
Shabbat Speaker	Chief Rabbi Mirvis
Shabbat Kiddush	Anonymous

Tisha B'Av Information: 25-26 July 2015

Fast Begins	8:59pm
Motzei Shabbat Location	Garrick Room
Motzei Shabbat Maariv / Eicha & Kinnot	10:10pm
Sunday Location	Pembroke Suite
Sunday Morning Shacharit & Kinnot	9:00am
Overview/Introduction to selected Kinnot	Ian Gamse
Sunday Evening Speaker (see opposite)	8:00pm
Sunday Evening Tallit/Tefillin	8:25pm
Sunday Mincha/Maariv	8:30pm
Fast Ends / Havdalah	9:50pm

Sponsorship Opportunities

If you wish to mark a birthday, simcha or yahrzeit contact us to organise sponsorship of our weekly kiddush or Magen Munchies by emailing sponsorship@magenavot.com. You can also check availability at www.magenavot.com/sponsorships.

Security

Security coordinators Michael Shenker and Neal Kesztenbaum are drawing up a rota to ensure safety for those davening in shul and for children in and around the hotel. Please see our Doodle poll link below to have your name added to the rota.

Doodle Poll

Opportunities to help our new community are available by participating in a number of rotas. Our Doodle poll: <http://www.magenavot.com/rotas> can be used to indicate where you would like to be involved. Your support is most appreciated.

Seuda Shlishit

Magen Avot invite you to a buffet-style Seudah Shlishit on Shabbat 1st August at 8:00pm at Hendon Hall Hotel. Our guest speaker, Dr Tamra Wright, is Director of Academic Studies at LSJS and a specialist in 20th century Jewish philosophy. The cost is £20 per person. To book, email events@magenavot.com.

Kiddush and Children's Programming in August

After next week the weekly Kiddush and children's programming will be taking a summer break but will return on 5 September.