



Friday Mincha	שבת Shacharit	שבת Mincha	שבת Ends	Horim V'Yeladim	Sunday Shacharit
3:40PM	9:15AM	3:48PM	4:48PM	5:40PM	8:20AM

Happy Chanukah

The Executive and Board of Management wish all our members and attendees a very Happy Chanukah.

Safety on Chanukah

Some Chanukah safety tips for Shul and in the home.

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Take special care of the suitability and safety of Chanukiot made specifically for arts, crafts and decorative purposes.

Be especially careful if using glass oil holders as these become very hot and may crack and tip over. If candles or containers fall over, smother the flame immediately with a damp cloth. Don't play with Fire! Have a Happy (& Safe) Chanukah. Regards, Andrew Brayam (Health & Safety Manager, United Synagogue)

US Chesed Toy Collection

Light up a child's face this winter! A toy from you may well be their first experience of a gift. This Chanukah, when any children may end up with more toys than they have space for, US Chesed is collecting gently-used toys to give to vulnerable children. Please kindly donate teddies, dolls and toys that you own but no longer require. Collections will take place between 26th November – 14th December 2018 at the US Chesed Department. For more information please contact ypeleg@theus.org.uk. Thank you for your kindness!

Levaya/Shiva Notice

We regret to inform you that Robert Schneiderman's mother has passed away. The Levaya took place on Sunday at Bushey Cemetery. Shiva is at 18 Downage, Hendon. Davening times are as follows: Mincha at 1:00pm and Maariv at 8:00pm. The family have requested no visitors from 1:30pm to 2:30pm, 5:30 to 7:00pm and also after 10:00pm. We wish Robert and the whole family Chayim Aruchim.

Additional Information

Lighting Earliest time for lighting: **3:04pm**

Shabbat Begins at: **3:41pm**

Chabura Glenn Bezalel from **9:00am**

Leiner Sam Krasner

Children Magen Minis and Maxis at **10:45am**
Munchies is kindly sponsored by Betty and Jonathan Gastwirth to celebrate the recent births in Israel of their grandsons.

Last week the two superstars were Akiva Goldring for following amazingly and Devorah Taylor for being loud and clear.

Molad Rosh Chodesh Tevet Yiheye Beyom Shabbat Kodesh Ulemacharato Beyom Harishon haba aleinu letovah.

The Molad will take place next Friday night 7 December at 10:29pm and 13 Chalakim.

Speaker Glenn Bezalel (Shabbat Morning)

Kiddush This week's Kiddush is kindly sponsored by Joy and Mel Kay to mark the recent Yahrzeit for Joy's father.

The Whiskies of the Week will be a Balvenie Doublewood 12-year-old single malt and an Old Pulteney 12-year-old single malt.

Speaker Julian Gilbey (after Mincha)

Horim V'Yeladim

The **fifth** session of Horim V'Yeladim (a learning session for parents and their children) continues this Motzei Shabbat. We begin around fifty minutes after Shabbat ends with registrations and raffle tickets allocation. This week we start at **5:40pm**. Learning will be for forty minutes followed by a raffle, prizes and pizza! This week's session is sponsored by **Family Shulman**. Please contact info@magenavot.com to sponsor.

Membership

Go to: <http://www.magenavot.com/membership> where you will find full details and a printable membership form which can be returned to us and processed. We look forward to welcoming you as full members of Magen Avot in due course. If you have any further questions please speak to Cecil Taitz or Yoni Weisz.





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Thank you for your kindness!

Chessed is the Hebrew word for kindness. Our aim is to help both our own members and the wider community in which we live. The Chessed Department is an integral part of the United Synagogue whose aim is to engage members with Jewish living, learning and caring.

For further information visit www.theus.org.uk/chedsed or telephone 020 8343 5888

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Chanukah 5779 / December 2018

To All Communities:

Dear All,

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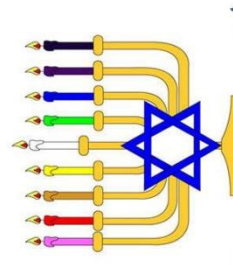
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A Safe Community is No Accident

Further reading:

<https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/safety/the-home/candles/>

<https://www.theic.com/news/uk-news/warning-over-fires-caused-by-CHANUKAH-candles-1.450521>

<https://www.misaskim.org/images/db/8489-10x7KdsChanukahFireSafetyFunPagered.pdf>