



9 – 11 October 2020 | 21 – 23 Tishrei 5781

Succot / סוכות

Hoshana Raba (Friday)			
Friday Shacharit	Earliest Lighting	Friday Mincha	שבת and Yom Tov begins
7.30AM	5.12PM	6.05PM	6.06PM

Shemini Atzeret (Shabbat)				
שבת Shacharit	SZK Shema	Yizkor	Kohelet Mincha/Shiur	Light, Maariv Hakofot
9.30AM	10.01AM	>10.30AM	5.45PM	7.05PM

Simchat Torah (Sunday)				
Chabura	Sunday Shacharit	Sof Zman Kriat Shema	Mincha Shiur	Yom Tov Ends
9.15AM	9.30AM	10.02AM	6.03PM	7.03PM

Shemini Atzeret and Simchat Torah Guidelines

- The earliest time for candle lighting on Friday is **5.12pm** and no later than **6.06pm**. The bracha concludes *lehadlik ner shel Shabbat v'shel Yom Tov. Shehecheyanu* is also recited. (Remember also to light a **2-day candle**.)
- The meals of Shmini Atzeret should take place in the succah, however the bracha of *Leishev BaSukkah* is not recited. If it is raining, there is no requirement to wait or go into the succah and one may eat indoors.
- Shacharit will begin at **9.30am** from "R' Yishmael omer" and Pesukei deZimra will be said in shul as usual. Full Hallel is recited after Shacharit.
- Megillat Kohelet is usually read on Shabbat Chol Hamoed Succot, and this year is pushed off to Shmini Atzeret (as there is no Shabbat Chol Hamoed). In order to maintain social distancing and avoid prolonging the service, Kohelet will be read before Mincha this year (see times above).
- Yizkor** is recited on Shmini Atzeret. As on Yom Kippur, the entire congregation will remain in shul in order to maintain social distancing.
- Tefillat Geshem is recited as part of Mussaf and from this point on משיב הרוח ומוריד הגשם is said during the Amidah.
- No work or preparation may be done for the second day before nightfall at **7.05pm**. Candles should also be lit from this time (but not before) from a **pre-existing flame**.
- Kiddush for the second night includes the brachot of **Meorei Ha'Eish, Havdalah** (from Shabbat to Yom Tov) and **Shehecheyanu** (there is no requirement to have a new fruit).
- Unfortunately, due to safety considerations and social distancing requirements, we are unable to perform hakafot in the usual manner this year. Both at night and daytime, hakafot will take place in a reduced manner (only those holding the sifrei Torah will perform the circuits and only one person is able to handle each sefer Torah for the duration of the hakafot). Unlike in other years when all men receive an *Aliyah*, only a limited number of call-ups will be made to the Torah. The traditional *Aliyah* of *Kol Hanearim* will take place, however children will remain in their seats together with their parents, rather than crowding together at the Bimah.
- Additionally, a number of opportunities for *limmud Torah* have been added to our service throughout the day, including a siyum and short divrei Torah following Maariv, a chabura at 9.15am on Simchat Torah and divrei Torah from members of the community following Mincha on Simchat Torah afternoon. Please show your support!
- The traditional presentation to the Chattanim will be made following Mussaf on Simchat Torah morning. No lunch will be served this year.
- Yom Tov goes out on Sunday night at **7.03pm**. Only the brachot of *Borei Pri HaGafen* and *HaMavdil* are said at Havdalah.
- משיב הרוח ומוריד הגשם is now said in the Amidah and we continue saying ברכת ותן.

Wishing you all Chag Sameach! Rabbi Kenigsberg.

Mazal Tov!

Mazal Tov to **Julian Maurer** and **David Berke** on being given the honour of being our Chatan Torah and Chatan Bereishit this year. We wish them and their families a hearty Mazal Tov!

Mazal Tov to Shoina and David Kass on the birth of a granddaughter, a daughter to Shoina's son Rabbi Uriel and Jessica Debson.

Mazal Tov to Joy and Mel Kay on the Bat Mitzvah of their Israeli granddaughter Neriah who will be celebrating it in quarantine in Hendon.

Additional Information

- Please note that due to increased numbers of people booked for services over Succot we will be conducting services in a single extended marquee in the playground.
- Leil Hoshana Raba Event: On Thursday 8 October at 8.30pm there will be a special event on: "The Centrality of Celebration" – mini-shiurim by Rav Greg Bank, Rabbi Kenigsberg and Rabbanit Laura Silbermann – exploring happiness in Judaism. This will be followed by a virtual tour at 9.15pm by Nachliel Selavan on: "Sukkot in Jerusalem through Art and Archaeology". Details on our poster below.



8:30pm

The Centrality of Celebration

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9:15pm

SUKKOT IN JERUSALEM THROUGH ART & ARCHAEOLOGY

by Nachliel Selavan



The virtual tour visits locations in Jerusalem, explores art and archaeology in museums, and brings to life the celebration of Sukkot in Jerusalem during the Second Temple period.

Nachliel Selavan, MA, originally from Jerusalem's Old City, is back in Israel after seven years in the United States, developing his unique and engaging method of learning Torah through travel and archaeology. Nachliel created and delivered an integrated learning and museum tour program for both school and adult educational settings at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and has hosted similar pilot visits to a dozen museums in North America, Europe and Jerusalem. He engages audiences through virtual tours and social media, and has recently joined the Parsha Study Plus podcast.



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Magen Avot

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- On Hoshana Raba Avidan Weisz is providing Covid secure Hoshana Bundles (price TBC). Please bring cash and coins. The service on Hoshana Raba will take around 90 minutes.
- On Motzei Shabbat there will be reduced Hakafot, and sealed packages for the children to take home (no personal food to be brought in). There will also be an auction conducted by our Chairman. At the end of the evening there will be a short siyum/presentation to celebrate the communal learning of Mesechet Rosh Hashanah and the end of the 3-T Project.
- On Simchat Torah morning there will be a **Chabura** given by **Daniel Greenberg** before davening at **9.15am**. After Mussaf the Rabbi will make brief certificate presentations to the Chattanim who will both give short Divrei Torah.
- There will be a **children's service** on Simchat Torah at **11.00am** in the Nancy Reuben school hall for children who are already booked for shul (up to and including age 7). NB: Social distance will be kept between family bubbles.
- Kisharon would like to involve our community in a new initiative helping to engage people they support. After Succot, they would like us to donate our Eetrogim for group workshops. The Eetrogim will be costed in cloves to create Besamim (spices) – part of Kisharon's Havdalah pack. The packs will be available for purchase for a Simcha, and in the Kisharon Gift & Homeware Store, Equal. Your donated Eetrogim should be deposited in a box at the front door of Family Adler, 33 Rowsley Avenue, Hendon.

Speakers over Yom Tov

- Drasha before Mussaf: Shemini Atzeret: Rabbi Kenigsberg
- Shiur Mincha/Maariv: Shemini Atzeret: Ian Gamse
- Shiur Mincha/Maariv: ST: Ashley Katz, Moshe Langerman

Yahrzeit

Tuesday 13 October	25 Tishrei	David Kass	Son
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THE 3-T PROJECT



Magen Avot launched its 3T Project on Rosh Chodesh Av 5780.

The project continued up until Yom Kippur, encompassing activities related to the '3 Ts' of Teshuva, Tefilla and Tzedaka.

It has provided the community with a spring board to unite in giving a proactive and positive response to the uncertain and difficult times we are going through. Below is a summary of our achievements:

1 TESHUVA

7 shiurim from world-class international speakers

Community-wide siyum of Masechet Rosh Hashanah

Facilitated individual learning sessions

2 TEFILLA

Yamim Noraim Tefilla Companion authored by a range of members of the community

Cookbook of 25 budget recipes for GIFT families

3 TZEDAKA

Packing of food boxes at the GIFT warehouse for needy families

In collaboration with GIFT, close to £6000 raised to provide freshly made hot meals to 750 people over Rosh Hashanah.

We would like to thank the organisers for their hard work, as well as the entire community for participating.