



Shabbat 17 December 2022 / 23 Kislev 5783 (Shabbat Mevarchim)

Parashat Vayeshev / פרשת וישב

Candle Lighting From	Friday Night Mincha	שבת Begins	שבת Chabura	שבת Shacharit	Sof Zman Kriat Shema	Magen Minis Maxis	שבת Mincha	שבת Ends	Horim V'Yeladim	Sunday
3.03PM	3.35PM	3.37PM	9.15AM	9.30AM	9.58AM	10.45AM	3.46PM	4.46PM	5.30PM	8.20AM

Friday 16 December

Join us this winter for

Friday Night Alive!!

at Magen Avot!

Inspirational sing-along "Kumsitz" style
Tefillah with a chicken soup Kiddush!



Friday Night
25th November
Avi Kraus



Friday Night
16th December
Malcolm Cohen



Friday Night
20th January
Rabbi Benjy Morgan



Friday Night
10th February
Rabbi Rafi Stemmer

Join us to hear **Malcolm Cohen** this Friday night for another "Friday Night Alive" session. Please note there will be vegetable soup and chicken soup available afterwards.

Shabbat 17 December

Chabura: Elkan Adler | **Leining:** Dan Artman

Magen Minis and Maxis meet at **10.45am**

Y@MA meets at the usual time after personal Mussaf Kedusha

Rosh Chodesh: Rosh Chodesh Tevet Yiheyey Beyom Shabbat Kodesh Ulemacharato Beyom Harishon haba aleinu letovah.

ראש חודש טבת יהיה קיום שבת קודש ולמחרתו ביום ראשון הבא עלינו ועל כל ישראל לטובה:

Molad: The Molad will take place next Friday 23 December at 11.12am and 9 Chalakim.

Shabbat Morning Drasha: Rabbi Golker

This week's Kiddush is kindly sponsored by Lawrence and Brent David to mark the Yahrzeit of their father, Irvine David.

Shabbat Afternoon Shiur: Rabbi Golker

Motzei Shabbat 17 December

Zecharya and Azriel Grubin-Brookes are sponsoring this week's Horim V'Yeladim to celebrate their mother submitting her PhD thesis. Mazal Tov! It will include "Chanuka" themed learning and a quiz with Rabbi Golker.


Additionally, as Chanuka and the winter break are at the same time we will have a mid-season break on 24th and 31st December (next two weeks).

Sunday 18 December EVENT – Booking Closed!

Y@MA ice-staking takes place this Sunday at Alexandra Palace, Alexandra Palace Way, N22 7AY. Dropoff by **12.45pm** with pick-up just after **2.30pm**. Doughnuts will be provided.

Mazal Tov to our OYH partners Yanky & Brenda David on the Bar Mitzvah this Shabbat of their son Abie. Mazal Tov also to grandparents Dayan Abraham & Ruth David and Philip and Diana Saada. We are blessed to have their support of Magen Avot and we wish them and the whole family Mazal Tov!

Wednesday 21 December



CONQUERING CHALLENGES AT CHANUKAH

We will be joined by **Jamie Peters**,
Campaigns Director
at *Friends of the Earth*

A panel discussion with
Q&A on issues arising
from COP27
including Climate Justice

CLIMATE JUSTICE

KEEPING 1.5 ALIVE

BIO DIVERSITY

FAITH

Candle 1

Candle 2

Candle 3

Candle 4

Wednesday 21st December
8:00pm - 9:00pm via Zoom

Click here to join Zoom Meeting:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84052697100pwd=VGZTODIzQVNEZDRnQ3A3WUNKRzk0Zz09>

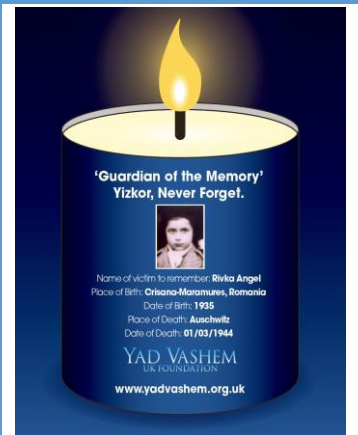
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Shabbat 21 January 2023

Mental Health Awareness Shabbat will be 20/21 January 2023.

Guardian of the Memory Project

Through our Guardian of the Memory project, we seek to ensure that the victims' life stories are never forgotten, becoming part of our own treasured family histories by lighting a memorial candle in their honour on every HMD and Yom hashoah. Please become a GUARDIAN OF THE MEMORY of ONE victim and ensure they will NEVER be FORGOTTEN, nor their EXISTENCE DENIED.



Yahrzeits

17 December	23 Kislev	Brent David	Father
18 December	24 Kislev	Patti Adler	Father
18 December	24 Kislev	Jacklyn Ferber	Mother
21 December	27 Kislev	David Kass	Mother
23 December	29 Kislev	Penina Ehreich	Father
23 December	29 Kislev	Sarah Josephs	Father-in-law
23 December	29 Kislev	Jack Samad	Father



If you have food or non-food items that you don't need and you want to give away, you can list them on Olio. Local Kosher bakeries often list surplus Challot and cakes on Thursday evenings that you can collect for free.

December 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 7th of Kislev, 5783	2 8th of Kislev, 5783	3 9th of Kislev, 5783
4 10th of Kislev, 5783	5 11th of Kislev, 5783	6 12th of Kislev, 5783	7 13th of Kislev, 5783	8 14th of Kislev, 5783	9 15th of Kislev, 5783	10 16th of Kislev, 5783
11 17th of Kislev, 5783	12 18th of Kislev, 5783	13 19th of Kislev, 5783	14 20th of Kislev, 5783	15 21st of Kislev, 5783	16 22nd of Kislev, 5783	17 23rd of Kislev, 5783
18 24th of Kislev, 5783 Chanukah: 1 Candle 	19 25th of Kislev, 5783 Chanukah: 2 Candles	20 26th of Kislev, 5783 Chanukah: 3 Candles	21 27th of Kislev, 5783 Chanukah: 4 Candles 	22 28th of Kislev, 5783 Chanukah: 5 Candles	23 29th of Kislev, 5783 Chanukah: 6 Candles	24 30th of Kislev, 5783 Chanukah: 7 Candles Rosh Chodesh Tevet
25 1st of Tevet, 5783 Chanukah: 8 Candles Rosh Chodesh Tevet	26 2nd of Tevet, 5783 Chanukah: 8th Day	27 3rd of Tevet, 5783	28 4th of Tevet, 5783	29 5th of Tevet, 5783	30 6th of Tevet, 5783	31 7th of Tevet, 5783



Some Chanukah safety tips for SHUL and IN THE HOME

- Always take care when lighting your Chanukia
- Always place your Chanukia away from curtains, paper, books or other flammable items
- Always make sure your Chanukia is standing on a firm level base
- Always ensure candles, wicks or oil containers are firmly seated in place
- Chanukah is the perfect time to test your smoke detectors are working
- Never leave a Chanukia unattended
- Never leave young children or pets unsupervised in the same room as a lit Chanukia
- Never walk around with lighted matches, candles or tapers
- Take special care of the suitability and safety of Chanukiot made specifically for arts, crafts and decorative purposes – they may not be safe to use.
- 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!

If you have any questions or need any support on this or other safety matters, please feel free to contact **Andrew Brayam** on **020 8343 6229** or safety@theus.org.uk.

Wishing you a Happy (& Safe) Chanukah,
Andrew Brayam
H&S Manager, Property Department
United Synagogue

Please see <https://www.theus.org.uk/healthandsafetypolicy> to access the latest H&S Policy and Procedure