



Shabbat 25 January 2025 / 25 Tevet 5785 (Shabbat Mevarchim)

Parashat Vaera 5785 / פרשת וארא

Light From	Friday Mincha	שבת שבת	שבת Chabura	שבת Shacharit	SZ Kriat Shema	Minis /Maxis	שבת Mincha	שבת Ends	Horim V'Yeladim	Sunday Shacharit
3.41PM	4.20PM	4.20PM	9.00AM	9.15AM	9.57AM	10.45AM	4.28PM	5.28PM	6.10PM	8.20AM

Friday 24 January

Magen Avot is hosting with Alei Tzion, a women's only Kabbalat Shabbat this Friday night downstairs at **4.35pm**. After this week, the next joint Kabbalat Shabbat will be on Friday 21 Feb at Alei.

Shabbat 25 January

Chabura: Daniel Greenberg | **Leining:** Dan Artman

Magen Minis and Magen Maxis meet from **10.45am**.

NB: There will be a Magen Market at the end of HvY (see below). Y@MA takes place at the usual time after Kedusha of Mussaf.

Rosh Chodesh Benching: Rosh Chodesh Shevat yihyeh b'yom Chamishi haba aleinu v'al kol Yisrael l'tovah.

ראש חודש שבט: יהיה ביום חמישי הבא עלינו ועל כל ישראל לטובה

Molad: Wednesday 29 January at 6.17am and 17 chalakim.

Post Mussaf: Guest Speaker and Special Guests (see Page 2)

This week's Kiddush is sponsored by Trudy Coleman to celebrate becoming a member of this special Shul and to honour the release of hostages and to pray for the safe and speedy return of all those still held captive.

Post-Mincha Shiur: Rabbi Dr Michael Harris on the topic of: "Messing about on a Motzei Shabbat: What do Eidei Kiddushin actually need to see?"

Rabbi Dr Michael Harris is Senior Rabbi of Hampstead Synagogue which he is leaving after 30 years to make aliya with his family. He recently received semicha as a Dayan in matters of marriage, divorce and conversion from the Montefiore Kollel programme in conjunction with Eretz Hemdah. He has a BA in Philosophy from the University of Cambridge and a PhD in Philosophy from the University of London and is an author of several books/scholarly articles. He is working on a book on the problem of evil which he hopes to solve before publication.

Motzei Shabbat 25 January

Horim V'Yeladim is at **6.10pm** and is sponsored by **Betty and Jonny Gastwirth** in honour of the memory of their dear parents. There will be a Magen Market at the end of the session so come and bring your medals! **Location this week is the Year 6 classroom and the staffroom for food as the hall is required for a school event. Members must clear their items after Shabbat.**

Wednesday 29 January

The next Book Club will meet at the home of Cathy Fisher at **8.00pm** and will review: "The Heaven & Earth Grocery Store". Those wishing to attend can book with her on: 07465 436 869.

Motzei Shabbat 1 February

If you would like to book for our one man show and for further details please go to our booking form: <https://bit.ly/MASOL25>.

Shabbat 8 February

Mazal Tov to this year's Eshet Chayil Anouk Abrahams who will receive the honour on the US Women's Shabbat on 8 February.

Wednesday 26 February

The next Shiur to be given by Rebbetzen Dina Golker will be on: "Samuel, Saul & David (Part 2) – Kings, Prophets, & People".

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The brave story of Abraham Orbach Aviram
A one man show by The Israeli Hashaa Theater
ACTOR: BEN ZABLUDOWSKI

Saturday 1st of February 2025
At: 20:00 ,Magen Avot Shul NW4

When Abraham Orbach, a dedicated and strong-willed Palmach soldier, chooses to defy orders, he finds himself facing expulsion from his regiment. Now, he must reveal his deepest secret to the commanding officer. As he unveils his truth, we discover the fascinating story of a survivor who only wishes to live.

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28-29 March

The Y@MA Shabbaton (at the Brighton & Hove Jewish Community) will depart on Friday 28 March at **1.00pm** and return on Motzei Shabbat 29 March at **~11.00pm**. Travel, meals, accommodation, and an inspiring Shabbat are all included. Members can book for just £99 (£125 for non-members). Don't miss out as there are limited spaces! Book today at the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/MABrighton25>.

Yahrzeits

25/01/2025	25 Tevet 5785	Shirley Gamsu	Husband
30/01/2025	1 Shevat 5785	Simon Bentley	Father