Shabbat Shalom!

Shabbat Parsha Nitzavim-Vayeilech - 27th/28th September

Mazal toy to Nathaniel Vaughan on his bar mitzyah this Shabbat. Mazal toy also to parents Samantha & David Vaughan, sister Jemima and grandparents Mary & Michael Vaughan, Joy Lyons and Jeffrey Rose.

This week's kiddush has been sponsored by Samantha & David Vaughan.

Rabbi Kurzer will give his penultimate Shabbat afternoon shiur series on looking at elements of Rambam's Hilchot Teshuva.

Next Shabbat afternoon, 5th October, Rabbi Kurzer will be giving a Shabbat Shuva drasha. See below flyer for details.

Please find attached this week's yahrzeit list as well as the services times for the chaggim and the Autumn timetable.

Please also see below all the GGS events happening over the next few weeks.

Shabbat shalom and shana tova.

• YOUTH (Y7+), Jonathan Davies room (upstairs)

• PRE-YOUTH (Y5 & Y6), Glass Cube (upstairs) • CHILDREN (Reception-Y4), Board room (upstairs) • TODDLERS (Pre-school), Rimon Hall

Youth services start @10.45am; all others at 11am

- 6:25pm

Shabbat Times

Earliest Candle lighting:5:32pm

Latest Candle lighting: 6:33pm

Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 6:30pm Shacharit: 9:15am

Mincha followed by a shiur: 6:25pm

Ma'ariv/Shabbat ends: 7:32pm

Please note next week's weekday

service times. Shacharit: Sunday -7:45am, Monday - 6:45am, Tuesday -

6:55am and Wednesday - 6:40am

Mincha/Ma'ariv: Sunday to Tuesday

DAVEN WITH A MINYAN!

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON YOUTH ACTIVITIES, PLEASE CONTACT OUR YOUTH DIRECTORS,

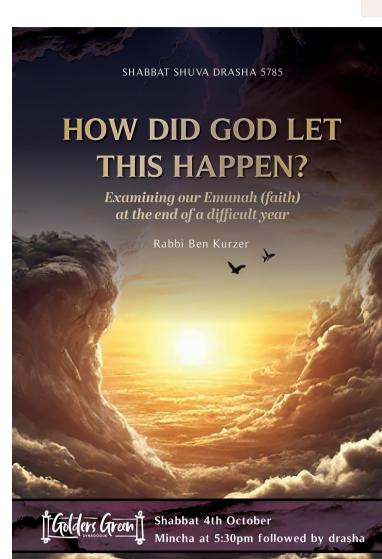
MIA & ARIEL: YOUTH@GGSHUL.ORG.UK

For all Rosh Hashanah services times, please see the attached yamim noraim timetable which was sent in the mailing, copies of which are in the foyer. Please return any memorial prayer forms by next Monday, 7th October, so that names of family members can be recited during Yizkor on Yom Kippur.

The Great Rosh Hashanah Kids' Kiddush

Join us for a delicious kiddush for children on 1st day Rosh Hashanah from 12:15pm to 12:45pm.





Joining together for an evening of Tefillah and Reflection - 7th October

The GGS community invites you to gather for an evening of heartfelt prayer, reflection, and unity in the shul on Monday 7th October. Doors open at 8:15pm; the service begins at 8:30pm

There will be an introduction from Rabbi Kurzer, an address by Rabbi Sam Millunchik followed by Musical Selichot with Rabbi Dov Cowan

Please register your attendance in advance by clicking here.

Memorial Event - 6th October

GGS will be hosting a stall at the memorial event on October 6th which will take place in a central London location at 2:30pm. Please come along to our stall where we will be making bookmarks, key rings and creating a lasting book of reflections for the residents of Alumim from our community. If you are able to help please contact Ruth Leveson, Varda Stone or Sue Silver.



Happy Birthday

Ella Scott Micah Corin

Joshua Reuben

Bnei Akiva

BA for Y1 to Y7 resumes this Shabbat from 4pm to 6pm. We will also be trialling Y8 and Y9 'chill out zone'. We look forward to seeing you tomorrow!

Chattanim & N'shei Chayil

We are delighted to announce our Chatanim and N'shei Chayil: Rabbi Kurzer (Chatan Torah) Moshe Engel (Chatan Bereshit) Rebbetzen Abi Kurzer & Ruth Glatman (N'shei Chayil) Noam Vaisbrot (Junior Chatan) Ella Scott (Junior Eshet Chayil)

Children's Yom Kippur Lunch -Shabbat 12th October

We will be providing lunch for children on Yom Kippur. The cost is £4 for members, £6 for non members. Please click here to book.



Sukkah Decorating Workshop -Sunday 13th October

There will be a Sukkah Decorating workshop on Sunday 13th October. The cost is £3 per child (free for under 2s). Arts and crafts material, as well as refreshments, will be provided. Please book here



Hadas for Havdallah

We are taking part in the US eco-friendly *Hadas for Havdallah* initiative by collecting hadas (myrtle leaves) after Sukkot. The hadas will then be repurposed by youth groups to create Besamim (spice) bundles for Havdallah, transforming one mitzvah into another. There will be a collection bin in the foyer - please donate your arba minim once you have finished with them. As well as repurposing the Hadas, the lulav and arava will be taken to be composted and the etrog will also be repurposed.



Simchat Torah Project

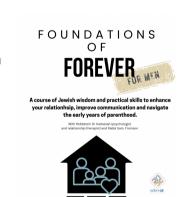
Thank you to all those who have kindly donated to the special Simchat Torah project recently launched by Mizrachi UK which GGS is honoured to be part of.

The special Sefer Torah cover will adorn one of our Torah scrolls and is dedicated in memory of a specific individual whose name will be embroidered on the cover. This cover will be used for Yizkor on Shemini Atzeret (the yahrzeit of most victims) and danced with on Simchat Torah. If you would like to make a donation, please contact the shul office.

If you have any questions, please contact Philip Goodman who has kindly volunteered to coordinate this project - philip@goodmanandco.com or 07973 362366.

Foundations of Forever

The Fromsons are running this course for men, offering Jewish wisdom and practical skills to enhance relationships and parenthood, at their home on the 8th and 29th October and the 5th and 19th November. Please email Hadassah to sign up hadassah@ggshul.org.uk



Foundations of Parenting

Hadassah will be running a monthly workshop on 14th October, 26th November and 10th December for mothers of toddlers and primary school age children, giving advice to help with your parenting journey. Please email Hadassah hadassah@ggshul.org.uk to sign up.



Gemara Shiur

The next gemara shiur in shul will take place on the 8th October, followed by the 22nd and then the 29th October.

All welcome!

As always, you can find previous recordings here.



GGS Rotas - Security & Kiddushim Please sign up for security on Shabbat mornings and chaggim – we

need you to help keep us all safe, particularly over the yamim noraim. Click here to sign up.

Please also sign up for kiddush on Shabbat mornings. If you can help, please do sign up by clicking here



Anim Zemirot & Parasha Tidbits Would your son like to lead Yigdal on Friday night or Anim Zmirot on Shabbat morning?

Do you have a teenage boy or girl who would like to deliver a 2-minute Parasha Tidbit? Email **Gabriel** for more information.

Joke Corner

 To the person who stole my copy of Microsoft Office. I will find you...you have my Word. A man is washing the car with his son. The son asks "Dad, can't you use a sponge?" • I invited my girlfriend to the gym with me and then didn't show up. I hope she gets the

message that we're not working out.

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