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8 / 9 DECEMBER 2023 כ״ו כסלו תשפ״ד

SHABBAT WILL START AT 3:37pm AND TERMINATE AT 4:46pm

Mevarachim Hachodesh Shabbat 9 December *Rosh Chodesh Tevet Wednesday 13 December*

Mazel tov to Jude Frenkel on his Bar Mitzvah.
We extend a warm welcome to his family and guests.

FRIDAY NIGHT

3:20pm Friday Night Minyan LaShir in the Liora Graham Beit Midrash

3:20pm Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat and Maariv in the Large Deal Hall

3:55pm Shirat Neshama (Women's Kabbalat Shabbat) in the Silver Suite



3:20pm Sephardi Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat & Ma'ariv

SHABBAT MORNING SERVICES

7:45am HASHKAMA in the Liora Graham Beit Midrash followed by Kiddush

Rabbi Dr Raphael Zarum's Rambam Shiur will not be taking place this week back on the 16th December

9:00am SEPHARDI SERVICE in the Sephardi Synagogue
led by Rabbi Heller and Reuben Gorji
Rabbi Heller will speak

9:15am MAIN SERVICE in the Main Synagogue led by Chazan Eli Sufrin
Kriat Hatorah by Carl White
Rabbi Cobi Ebrahimoff will speak



9:15am THE MINYAN in the Nissan and Rifca Deal Halls
Kriat Hatorah by Jude Frenkel
Rabbi Dov Cowan will speak

9:45am YOUTH SERVICE in the Liora Graham Beit Midrash

10:15am Anim Zemirot Club in the Newman Room led by David Lesser

10.45am CHILDREN'S SERVICES
Ages 0 – 4 - in the Silver Suite - run by Daniel Frankl & Coral Harding
Reception to Yr 2 – in the Nemetnejad Room – run by Natalie Sommer
Yr 3 - Yr 4 - in the 1st floor classrooms - run by Sam Ellis & Ellie Marantz
Yr 5 - Yr 6 - in the Newman Room - run by Ella Frankfurt & Natan Ruback

11:25am Hallel Mishpachti in the Silver Suite with Rabbi Josh and Rebbetzen Tali Harris

This week's kiddush is sponsored by Laura, Vitek, Libby, Mika & Raya Frenkel in honour of Jude's Bar Mitzvah

followed by
12:20pm Early Mincha in the Main Synagogue

SHABBAT AFTERNOON

3:35pm Mincha followed by Shiur by Rebbetzen Tali Harris titled
" "The Birth Stories or the Mashiachs"

4:46pm MA'ARIV & TERMINATION OF SHABBAT
in the Liora Graham Beit Midrash

The Sale of Yosef: Coincidence of Divine Intervention? By Rebbetzen Tali Harris

The story of Yosef is a classic biblical narrative which people of all ages pour over and attempt to understand. Afterall, selling a sibling into slavery only for them to becoming the viceroy of a foreign land is not your everyday story.

But what if we were to suggest that the brothers never did sell Yosef? While they may have intended to, they never managed to do the sale themselves. The Rashbam, a commentator from France in the 1000-1100's, makes a fascinating yet incredibly obvious suggestion. The verse which quotes the sale of Yosef states as follows "Midianite men, merchants, passed by, and they pulled and raised Yosef from the pit, and they sold Yosef to the Yishmaelites for twenty pieces of silver, and they brought Yosef to Egypt." (37:28). While many read this with the understanding that it was the brothers who sold Yosef off, the Rashbam suggests that the brothers were at a close distance and busy with lunch and did not notice the Midianites taking Yosef out the pit and selling him off to the Yishmaelites.

While this may seem like a simple understanding, it uproots the basics of a story which we grew up hearing and force us to question the story with a fresh look. So, what is the significance of this perspective?

The reading of the Rashbam brings a new element into the story: divine fate. The Yosef story is one which is filled with lucky coincidences. Yosef ending up in the home of dignitary rather than in Egyptian slum, spending time in jail with a man who would soon return to Pharohs side, and even the wine barer recalling Yosef's dream reading abilities. It seems that too often, Yosef is at the right place at the right time. That is, except for his brother's selling him, or so we thought. But when the Rashbam suggests that the brothers were not really factors in the equation, we see that there is more than coincidence at play in the Yosef story, it becomes clear that God is intervening here, ensuring that Yosef will become high ranking in Egyptian society. The Rashbam takes the story out of the hands of the brothers and into the hands of God.

There is one other detail which we encounter immediately prior to Yosef meeting up with his brothers which points to the level of divine intervention present. Upon being sent out to find his brothers by Yaakov, we are told that Yosef meets a man who gives him directions as to his brother's ware abouts. The midrashim comment that this was no man, rather this was the angel Gavriel. This occurrence, at the very beginning of the story of Yosef, sets Yosef on a path which is clearly paved by God.

While Yosef's journey was not simple one nor was it an easy one, it was an essential one for the history of the Jewish people. With divine intervention lurking behind every corner, it is clear to the reader that this is far more than just a story of sibling rivalry; this is a story the fate of a man and a people.

VAYEISHEV STATISTICS
Mitzvot: none of the 613 Mitzvot
Verses: 112 (24th longest in the Torah)
Words:1558 (24th longest)
Letters: 5974 (24th longest)
Haftarah: 20 verses (joint 27th shortest of the 80 Haftarot)

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Children's Service Shabbat Lunch

SHABBAT
DEC. 16

12:15 PM

THE SILVER SUITE

FOR FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN IN THE 0-4 AND RECEPTION-YEAR 2 CHILDREN'S SERVICES.
ALL SIBLINGS ARE OF COURSE INVITED AS WELL!

GAMES AND TOYS WILL BE BE PROVIDED

REGISTRATION REQUIRED
KINLOSS.ORG.UK/CSLUNCH

ADULTS: £10
CHILD 8-18: £8
CHILD 4-8: £5
CHILD 0-3: FREE

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Parsha & Paint Night

CREATE BEAUTIFUL ARTWORK INSPIRED BY THOUGHTS ON THE PARSHA WITH REBBETZEN TALI HARRIS

PAINTING WILL BE GUIDED STEP BY STEP, NO PRIOR ART SKILLS NECESSARY!

MUMS & THEIR DAUGHTERS IN YEARS 8, 9 & 10

TUESDAY, JAN. 16
7:45 PM

KYC WOMEN DRINKS WILL BE SERVED!

TUESDAY, JAN. 30,
8:00 PM

Spots are limited!
£10 per person, members only
Register at
kinloss.org.uk/parshapaint

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HALLEL MISHPACHTI

A LIVELY HALLEL FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY
BEST SUITED FOR FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN AGES 0-11

11:25
IN THE SILVER SUITE

DOUGHNUT KIDDUSH

SHABBAT CHANUKAH, DEC. 9

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Highlights from last week's pre-Chanukah Horim V'Yeladim







YOUTH

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Vayeishev
9:25am - Breakfast Shmooze in Youth Flat
9:45am - Youth Service - Liora Graham Beit Midrash
Followed by a Dvar Torah and Chanukah Kiddush!

KINLOSS YOUTH LAST WEEK

At the Barmitzvah programme we went to the Warehouse and learnt about our mental health and had a boxing session!





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SHABBAT LUNCH IN THE FLAT

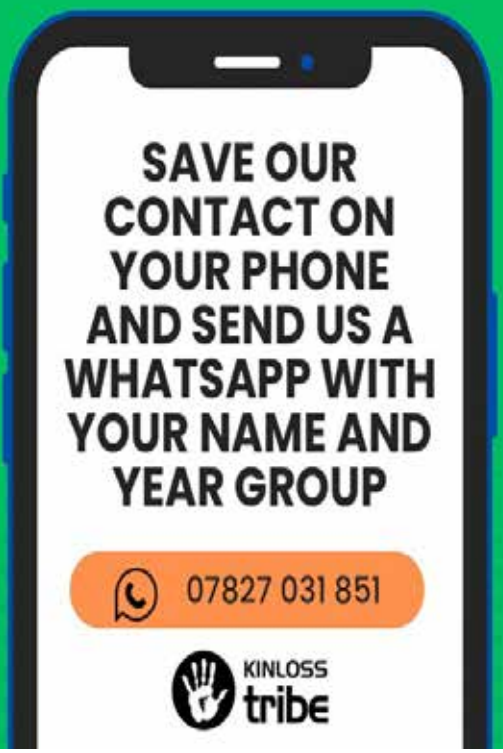


Join your year for Shabbat lunch with Leora and Harry

Year 9 - Shabbat 6th January

Sign up for free:
www.kinloss.org.uk/youthlunch

WANT TO THE RECEIVE THE WEEKLY KINLOSS YOUTH UPDATE?





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Kinloss Friday Nights

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SHABBAT CHANUKAH - PARSHAT VAYEISHEV - FRIDAY 8TH DECEMBER

PLEASE REMEMBER TO LIGHT CHANUKAH CANDLES BEFORE SHABBAT CANDLES. THE EARLIEST TIME FOR LIGHTING CHANUKAH CANDLES IS 3:02PM

3:20pm: Combined Mincha followed by Chanukah candle lighting in the Large Deal Hall. Followed by:

Main Service	Minyan LaShir	Shirat Neshama	Sephardi
Kabbalat Shabbat	Sing-a-long Kabbalat Shabbat	3:55pm: Women's Kabbalat Shabbat	3:20pm: Mincha followed by Kabbalat Shabbat
Large Deal Hall	Beit Midrash	Silver Suite	Sephardi Shul



Followed by a CHICKEN SOUP & LATKE Kiddush and a 3-minute Parsha thought in the Small Deal Hall!
This week's Kiddush has kindly been sponsored by Michael and Ineke Woolf and Families' Wikler and Green who wish the whole community a peaceful and joyous Chanukah



WE ARE LOOKING FOR 2 VOLUNTEERS TO SET UP AND CLEAR AWAY THE FRIDAY NIGHT KIDDUSH WEEKLY. PLEASE SIGN UP FOR A WEEK VIA WWW.KINLOSS.ORG.UK/FRIDAY

The Big Israel Questions

A Shabbat afternoon series exploring what the Torah teaches us about...

16th Dec

Hostage Exchanges

Mincha at 3:35, followed by Shiur at 4:00

23rd Dec

Civilians During Wartime

Mincha at 3:40, followed by Shiur at 4:00





Shiurim given by Rabbi Josh Harris

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JUDE FRENKEL

Mazel Tov to Jude on his Bar Mitzvah

Jude has three siblings Libby, Mika and Raya and he attends JFS School

His hobbies are Futsal, Football, Drums and Cooking

Jude has twinned his Bar Mitzvah through Jewish Child's Day, and will also be fund-raising for Israel

* Mazel Tov to Laura, Vitek, Libby, Mika and Raya Frenkel on the occasion of Jude's Bar Mitzvah. Mazeltov to Grandparents Gina & Martin, and John & Ruth. Fondly remembering Vitek's amazing mum Naomi.

* Mazel Tov to Miriam & Samuel Margolin on the Bar Mitzvah of their great grandson Fraser Margolin, son of Adam & Elisa Margolin.

Youth Madricha (Maternity Cover)
Finchley United Synagogue

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Part-Time: £15 per hour (to include every Shabbat & Chaggim plus one or two weekday evenings)

Finchley United Synagogue (Kinloss), with 1,700 members and 750 children, is one of the largest congregations in the UK and a flagship of the United Synagogue. We cater to a very varied membership and your job will be to get more of our youth involved.

We are seeking to recruit a Youth Madricha (Female) to cover our existing Youth Director who is going on maternity leave.

Responsibilities will include organising youth activities on Shabbat and festivals and programmes during the week, planning innovative programs and, most importantly, building relationships with the Youth of our Synagogue.

You should have proven experience in positions working with youth and demonstrate the ability to plan events from conception through to execution.

You must have plenty of initiative, good organisational and communication skills as well as be able to demonstrate a passion for Judaism and the desire to help nurture that enthusiasm in others.

Closing date for receipt of applications – 13th December 2023

We reserve the right to close this vacancy early if we receive sufficient applications for the role. Therefore, if you are interested, please submit your application as early as possible.

United Synagogue is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Background checks and an enhanced DBS will be required.

To apply click on www.kinloss.org.uk/vacancy

DECEMBER 2023 EVENTS

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CHANUKAH

WINTER WONDERLAND

10 DEC

www.kinloss.org.uk/light

£10 per child
Adults go free!
Prebooking essential by Dec 3, 2023

Kinloss Synagogue
2:00-5:00pm

Join us for an afternoon of crafts, fun and yummy food as we celebrate the Festival of Lights.

SACKS MORASHA



With grateful thanks
to this year's chattanim,
Anthony & Ruth Warrens
and
Michael & Yvette Kamlish
for donating our new Menorah.

There will be an unveiling
with doughnuts on
Motzei Shabbat 9th December
at 4:46pm (Maariv)



Kinloss Cares

Chanukah Tea

Wednesday
DECEMBER 13TH

The Deal Hall, Kinloss

3 PM-4.30pm

RSVP 0208 349 5263 to Rochelle,
by Friday 8 December 2023

Kinlosscares@kinloss.org.uk

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Proceeds will be donated to the Kinloss Emergency Appeal for Israel

The Impact and Torah of Rabbi Sacks Z"L marking his Yahrzeit on 4 November



There are 3 recordings available to purchase if you missed:

1. Rabbi Dr Raphael Zarum
'Floating Palaces and G-d's Hope for Israel'

2. Rabbi Daniel and Ilana Epstein
'The Home We Build Together and the Cultures it Holds'

3. Gila Sacks & Dan Sacker
'Religion, violence and sibling rivalry: lessons from Bereishit for today'

www.kinloss.org.uk/sacks

DECEMBER 2023 EVENTS

SHUL FOR THE MIND

Is a unique prayer service for people living with dementia and their family carers.
(Professional carers are welcome).
10th December at 11am
in the Large Deal Hall
All are invited to come and connect spiritually through prayer,
song and of course a great kiddush.
Contact Rochelle in the office on 0208 349 5263

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CHATS FOR CHAPS AND MONDAY MATTERS

(women's discussion group)

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With Guest Speaker, Paul Mann, Investment Partner of the Credo Group
MONDAY 18TH DECEMBER
STARTING AT 11:00AM FOLLOWED BY LUNCH

FOR CATERING PURPOSES, IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND
Please call Rochelle on
020 8349 5263 or email *kinlosscares@kinloss.org.uk*
BY THURSDAY 14TH DECEMBER 2023

MONDAY FILM AFTERNOONS

11 DEC — **Ida (2013)**
Poland in 1962, follows a young woman on the verge of taking vows as a Catholic nun who learns through her only surviving relative, that her parents were Jewish.



18 DEC — **Goodbye, Children - Au revoir les enfants (1987)**
Based on the actions of Père Jacques, a French Priest and Headmaster who attempted to shelter Jewish children during the Holocaust.

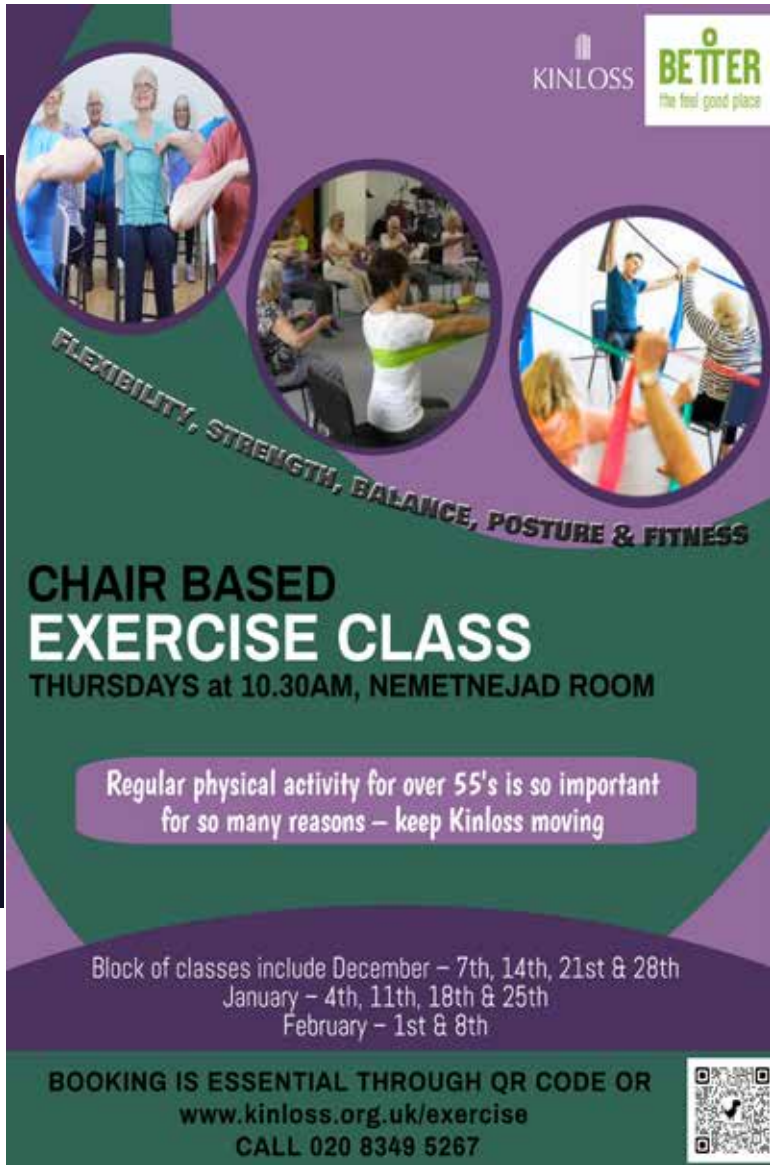


8 JAN — **The Frisco Kid (1979)**
Harrison Ford and Gene Wilder star as a taciturn gunslinger and a clueless immigrant Rabbi traveling across the Wild West in the comic adventures of a mismatched pair.



Doors open 1.45pm, Film starts 2pm
All Welcome - £3 Kinloss Members, £4 non Members

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Jnetics

YOUNG PROFESSIONALS SUPPER QUIZ

SATURDAY 13TH JANUARY 2024

NORTH WEST LONDON VENUE

7:30PM

Tickets cost £30pp
or £270 for a table of 10

Purchase yours at
kinloss.org.uk/quiz
(includes a kosher meal and drink)



Raffle tickets will be available to buy on the night

For more information please contact us on **events@jnetics.org**

Kinloss Cares

What can we offer?

- Welfare Phone Support
- Bereavement Support
- Financial assistance through the Phyllis Nathan Trust (www.kinloss.org.uk/pnt)
- Advice on communal services
- Shopping

Contact Rochelle
020 8349 5263
kinlosscares@kinloss.org.uk

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for 2 volunteers to set up and clear away the Friday Night Kiddush weekly.
Please sign up via
www.kinloss.org.uk/friday

Mazel Tov to the Children in our Community celebrating their birthdays

Alexa Mark (8)
Sam Dunitz (6)
Samuel Prager (12)
Jacob Fenton (9)
Emmy Angel (6)
Ilan Jesner (12)
Yasmin Dunitz (1)
Rafael Kogan (12)
Freya Beenstock (9)

Reminder:

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Kinloss is a nut free zone
Please do not bring any food with peanuts or traces of nuts to be consumed on these premises

Please note we do not accept Shaimos/Geniza

If you would like to dispose, please take it to one of the following locations:

Beis Hamedrash Nishmas Yisroel,
4 Brent Green, Hendon, NW4 2HA

or Sinai Golders Green,
54 Woodstock Avenue, NW11 9RJ





DAILY MINYAN:

SERVICES (שבת see front page)	Light 4th Chanukah candle Sun 10th 27 Kislev	Light 5th Chanukah candle Mon 11th 28 Kislev	Light 6th Chanukah candle Tues 12th 29 Kislev	Rosh Chodesh Light 7th Chanukah candle Wed 13th 1 Tevet	Light 8th Chanukah candle Thurs 14th 2 Tevet	Chanukah 8th Day Fri 15th 3 Tevet
Shacharit	8:00am	6:50am	6:50am	6:50am	6:50am	6:50am
Shacharit 2		8:00am followed by breakfast	8:00am Shiur with Rabbi Fine followed by breakfast	8:00am Shiur with Rabbi Heller followed by breakfast	8:00am Shiur with Rabbi Heller followed by breakfast	8:00am
Sephardi	7:50am	6:30am	6:30am	6:30am	6:30am	6:30am
Mincha / Ma'ariv	3:45pm	3:45pm	3:45pm	3:45pm	3:45pm	3:40pm

Please support the morning Minyanim Services in the Liora Graham Beit Midrash
8:00am minyan will continue on a Daily basis.
Breakfasts this week are sponsored by the 8am Minyan attendees





Would you like to sponsor a Kiddush in the Minyan on Shabbat?
Please sign up via:
www.kinloss.org.uk/minyankiddush

THE KEHILLA WISHES חיים ארוכים "LONG LIFE" TO THE FOLLOWING WHO HAVE YAHRZEIT

Shabbat 9 DECEMBER

Michelle Azizollahoff	Father
Felice Crown	Mother
David Ebrahimoff	Father
Eitan Epstein	Brother
Janet Gold	Daughter
Lilian Green	Mother
Michael Kamlish	Father
Gillian Linke	Father
Julie Russell	Father

Sunday 10 DECEMBER

Simon Fearnley	Mother
Hanna Flack	Mother
Danielle Fluer	Mother
Janet Gold	Mother
Geoffrey Graham	Mother
David Kass	Mother
Samuel Melnick	Father
Rosalind Shear	Mother
Paul Tuhrim	Mother

Monday 11 DECEMBER

Stephen Harrison	Father
Bernice Kliger	Husband
Philip Platt	Wife

Tuesday 12 DECEMBER

Michelle Aminoff	Father
Samuel Cohen	Mother
Shirley Davidson	Husband
Danielle Fluer	Father
Jacob Lax	Mother
Sharon Lee	Father
Gad Levy	Mother
Linda Lew	Father
Geoffrey Ralton	Father
Shimon Speigel	Father
Andrea Tankel	Father

Wednesday 13 DECEMBER

David Clarke	Father
Brian Gedalla	Mother
Trevor Gee	Brother
Gillian Joseph	Husband
Simon Joseph	Father
Beatrice Karp	Mother
Shirley Kenley	Father
Linda Myer	Father
Rose Ralton	Husband
Sonia Ralton	Father
Brian Silver	Father
Anthony Stanton	Mother
Josephine Symons	Father

Thursday 14 DECEMBER

Sheila Forman	Father
Cynthia Rothman	Brother

Friday 15 DECEMBER

Alfred Murray	Wife
Shula Reyhanian	Father
Geoffrey Soll	Mother
Zena Wagner	Brother

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https://jamiuk.org/tipsonmanaginganxiety/

ANIM ZEMIROT CLUB

Come and learn to sing Anim Zemirot
Our club will meet every Shabbat
at 10:15am
in the Newman Room.
Boys of 6 and over welcome.
Led by David Lesser

CONDOLENCES:

* Edna Moser, Jonathan Moser, Simon Moser on the passing of their husband and father Jerrold Moser Z"L

CONSECRATIONS:

11/02/2024 11:00 in Bushey Old in memory of Sarah Aaronson OBE Z"L

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