



# CHADASHOT

## Shabbat Mevarchim

Rosh Chodesh Iyar will be on  
Yom Rishon V'yom Sheini  
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> April & Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April

### Thank you for Sponsorship

To the family of the late Howard Hyman (Howie), חיים בן רפאל ע"ה, former Gabbai, in commemoration of the 10th Yahrzeit since his passing. So loved and missed by all.

To **Diane Granet** for sponsoring the Kiddush in loving memory of her late husband Albert, אברהם בן אהרן ע"ה.

To **Issy Hyman** for sponsoring the Seudat Shlishit in loving memory of his late mother Sarah, שרה בת ישראל ע"ה.

### Torah and Haftorah Reading

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Torah Reading	588	651
Maftir	606	667
Haftorah	<b>1207</b>	<b>1189</b>
<b>Haftorah will be read by Eddie Mandel</b>		

### Week in week out

- Shabbat** - Crèche
- Monday** - The Hebrew Reading Class will recommence after the summer.
- Monday** - No Girls Guide
- Tuesday** - Friendship Club 1.45 pm to 3.45 pm
- Tuesday** - Table Tennis from 7.30 pm
- Wednesday** - Mothers & Toddlers from 10 am to 11.30 am.
- Wednesday** - Chess Club from 7.30 pm



A message from  
**Michelle Sanderson-Wilson,**  
Shul Events Coordinator.

- I want a Shul which caters for all people.
- I want to develop new ideas.
- I want to hear your ideas.
- I want people to help me think out-of-the-box.
- I need help from you.

My moto is

"No idea is too ridiculous or impossible,  
if there is a will there is a way."

Come and help me  
Make things happen and  
lets have fun doing it.

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## Friday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Mincha & Kabalat Shabbat at 6.40 pm  
Candles should be lit between 6.53 pm and 7.05 pm

	Shacharit	Mincha	Mariv
Shabbat 14 <sup>th</sup> April	9.30 am	8.05 pm	9.18 pm
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>8.30 am</b>	6.50 pm	
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>7.10 am</b>	6.50 am	
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	7.30 am	6.50 pm	
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> April	7.30 am	6.50 pm	
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> April	7.20 am & 9.15 am	6.50 pm	
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> April	7.30 am	6.50 pm (candle lighting between 7.04 pm & 7.15 pm)	

The Congregation wishes "Long Life" to all those who are commemorating a Yahrzeit the forthcoming week

<b>Shabbat 29 Nissan - 14 April</b>	Mrs. R. Manson
Mr. W. Freedman	<b>Wednesday 3 Iyar - 18 April</b>
Mrs. D. Granet	Dr. J.M. Glasser
Ms. S. Morris	<b>Thursday 4 Iyar - 19 April</b>
Mrs. J. Silverstone	Mrs. B. Caplan
<b>Monday 1 Iyar - 16 April</b>	Mrs. S. Clerck
Mrs. G. Cooper	Mrs. B. Groden
Mrs. A. Cooper	Dr. B. Levy
Mr. A. Cowan	Mr. E. Levy
<b>Tuesday 2 Iyar - 17 April</b>	<b>Friday 5 Iyar - 20 April</b>
Mrs. O. Arkush	Mrs. J. Lee
Mr. I.R. Hyman	Mr. G. Wober
Mr. S. Kliner	

## SUMMER AT GIFFNOCK SHUL

**Kiddush 'n' Learn** - weekly discussion and Shiur after Kiddush

**Breakfast 'n' Learn** - Bank Holiday Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> May, there will be breakfast and discussions at the Rabbi's house after Shacharit.

**Explore and Discover the Talmud** - A weekly Talmud lesson 40 minutes before Mincha Shabbat afternoon.

**Seudat Shlishit extravaganza** - Shabbat 5<sup>th</sup> May, 16<sup>th</sup> June and 24<sup>th</sup> July.

**Shabbat 19<sup>th</sup> May** - A Special Celebratory Kiddush to celebrate the Royal Wedding

**Shavuot Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May & Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May** -

Shavuot Lunch, Ladies Bat Chayil Graduation, Baby Blessing and Young Family Service and Tikkun Learning Programme and Seuda with Rabbi Shmuel Simenowitz.

**Beit Midrash Programme** - TBC

*You're invited to Israel's 70th Birthday*



**Shouk and Israeli Snacks**

**FILM**  
8:30pm - 9:45pm

**To Be A Child Again - Israel**  
A Film by Gabriel & Moy Volcovich - 2017

**Exclusive Show by Israeli performers**



Niv Petel   Aaron Vodovoz   Liraz Chamam   Noa Bodner

**Rikkudim Sessions**  
6:45pm - 8:15pm

Tickets: Adults £7.00 : Children (school aged) - £5  
Family Ticket (2 adults, 3 children) - £25

To reserve a place call 0141 530 5343  
Email: yomhaatzmautinglasgow@gmail.com  
Payment at the door

**Thursday 19th April 2018**  
**Calderwood Lodge Primary School : Doors Open 6:45pm**

**General Overview:** This week's reading, *Shemini*, is a continuation of the previous week's reading, *Tzav*, where we learned about the Tabernacle's seven-day inaugural ceremony. This week's reading opens on the eighth day, when G-d's presence descends upon the Tabernacle. On that day, Aaron's sons Nadab and Avihu die when offering an uncalled-for incense sacrifice. The portion concludes with a discussion about the laws of Kosher and ritual purity.

**First Aliyah:** Moses gathers all the Jews to the Tabernacle to witness the Divine presence descending upon the Sanctuary on that day. Aaron offers various sacrifices in preparation for this revelation.

**Second Aliyah:** After concluding the offering of all the sacrifices, Aaron blesses the people with the priestly blessing. Moses and Aaron bless the Jewish people that G-d's presence dwell in their handiwork, and, indeed, the Divine presence visibly descends upon the Tabernacle.

**Third Aliyah:** At this point a heavenly fire descends and

consumes the offerings on the altar. Aaron's eldest two sons, Nadab and Avihu, bring an unauthorised incense offering and a heavenly fire consumes them. Moses orders the removal of their bodies from the Tabernacle, and instructs Aaron and his remaining two sons not to observe the traditional laws of mourning, considering that they had to continue serving in the Sanctuary on behalf of the Jewish nation. The priests are instructed not to imbibe wine before performing Temple service.

**Fourth Aliyah:** Moses addresses Aaron and his sons, instructing them regarding the consumption of that day's offerings – despite the deaths of their next of kin.

**Fifth Aliyah:** Moses becomes aware that one of the sin offerings had been burnt, rather than eaten. When he expresses his displeasure, Aaron explains his reasoning for ordering the burning of that particular offering, and Moses humbly accepts Aaron's explanation.

**Sixth Aliyah:** G-d gives the commandments of Kosher, explaining how to distinguish between kosher and non-kosher animals, fish, and birds. Kosher animals must chew their cud and have cloven feet. The Torah lists four animals that have only one of these attributes, but not both, and are therefore non-kosher. Kosher fish must have fins and scales. The Torah then gives a list of species of non-kosher birds, and species of kosher locust. The Torah then discusses the ritual impurity caused by coming in contact with the carcass of a non-kosher animal, as well as certain species of rodents and amphibian creatures.

**Seventh Aliyah:** We learn of the possibility of foods and utensils contracting ritual impurity if they come in contact with any of the aforementioned impurities. The Torah then mentions the impurity contracted through coming in contact with the carcass of a kosher animal which was not ritually slaughtered. We are commanded not to consume any insects or reptiles. The reading closes with an exhortation that we remain holy by abstaining from eating all forbidden foods.

### **Machar Chodesh Haftarah in a Nutshell for Shabbat Preceding Rosh Chodesh**

I Samuel 20:18-42

Today's haftarah is read on a Shabbat that is immediately followed by Rosh Chodesh. Indeed, the reading opens with the words, "Jonathan said, 'Tomorrow is the [first of the] new month.'"

The story is one of loyalty and devotion. David and Jonathan are dear friends. Jonathan's father, King Saul, despises David, fearing that he will depose him from the throne. Sensing danger, Jonathan told David to hide in the field rather than attend Saul's Rosh Chodesh feast. Jonathan then attended the feast and gauged the king's mood. Realising that Saul was determined to kill David, Jonathan went out to the field, shot three arrows and called to his assistant, "The arrow is beyond you," a predetermined signal to his friend that it was not safe to return to the king's palace.

Before parting, the two friends kissed and wept, and swore to maintain their mutual affection for generations to come.