

SHABBAT EMOR 11th/12th May 2012

Shabbat Shalom and welcome to Alei Tzion!

Please see below for details for our exciting programme of events or look at our website at www.aleitzion.co.uk Rav: Rabbi Daniel Roselaar, rav@aleitzion.co.uk / 07914 883 269

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As the current Board come to the end of their year, we would like to wish the new Board, and those who are continuing, the best of luck for the coming year.

MAZAL TOV

Mazal tov to Abi and Dan Keene on the birth of a baby boy! The shalom zachor will take place from 10.15pm at 21 Courtney House, Mulberry Close.

ALEI TZION AGM

Alei Tzion's AGM will be taking place this Sunday (13th May) at 9.00am. The AGM will include discussions on the direction of the shul and practicalities involved, so we hope that many of you will attend to join in. Breakfast will be provided. Also attached is a list of nominations for the Board of Management 2012-13.

RABBI MICHAEL BROYDE

Rabbi Michael Broyde, Dayan on the Beth Din of America and one of Modern-Orthodoxy's most skilled halachists, will be giving a shiur in the shul on Sunday 13th May at 11.30am, following the AGM. His topic is: *Tripping the blind and sharing our vision of Judaism: Lifnei Iver in the Kiruv (and other) Contexts of Modern Times.* Donation: Members - £3 / Non-Members - £5.

ISRAEL'S RELATIONSHIP WITH THE JEWISH WORLD

You are invited to join the **Reut Institute**, a non-profit policy group designed to provide strategic support to decision makers in the Government of Israel, to discuss the major challenges facing Israel and the Jewish world. The discussion will be led by Scottish born Martin Ben Moreh, Reut's Director for Judaism, Renewed Zionism and Israeli society and will focus on current affairs in the Middle East including the complexity of the "Arab Spring". For more details on the Reut Institute, please visit: www.reut-institute.org. Please join the conversation on **Monday 21**st **May from 7:30 PM to 9:00 PM** at the home of Adina and Rafi Mendelsohn (3 Acacia Court, Brent Green, NW42HA). Light refreshments will be provided. Please RSVP by phone to 07736303211 or by email to rdmendelsohn@yahoo.co.uk.

TEFILLA CHAGIGIT AND YOM YERUSHALAYIM BREAKFAST

To celebrate Yom Yerushalayim on Sunday 20 May there will be Shacharit at 8:15 am followed by breakfast. There will also be activities for children. Donation £3 per person (max. £10 per family) Please pre-register by emailing info@aleitzion.co.uk by Thursday 17 May.

ALEI TZION TIKKUN LEIL

Please join the Alei Tzion Bet Midrash for an evening of learning b'chevruta on the topic of "Kavod Habriyot - a halachic and hashkafic examination of human dignity". There will be mekorot sheets with b'kiyut and b'iyun options, followed by an in-depth shiur by the Rav. There will also be shiurim by favourite speakers MD Spitzer and Rav Ilan Goldman, and many other sessions hosted by LSJS.

ALIYAH PILOT TRIP WITH ALEI TZION

Are you planning on making aliyah in the next few years. Join a heavily subsidised long weekend in Israel (Nov 7-11) to get to grips with some of the big questions of employment, communities and education. There will also be a range of expert led preparatory sessions here in the UK. At only £300 per person this is a chance not to be missed. For more details or to sign up please contact Zak at zakjeffay@gmail.com

THE CHIEF IS COMING

We are delighted that the Chief Rabbi will be speaking at Alei Tzion on Friday night 25th May.

THIS WEEK'S KIDDUSH

This week's Kiddush is sponsored by Joanna Ish-Horowicz and David Renton to celebrate their engagement. If you wish to sponsor a future Kiddush, please contact guvlebens@gmail.com or sign up here. To sponsor a Shabbat Mevarchim Single Malt please contact steeldanny@hotmail.com.

SHABBAT AND DAVENING TIMES

Shabbat begins / Shabbat ends	8:25pm / 9:38pm
Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat and Maariv	7:15pm
Hashkama Minyan	7:45am
Shacharit	9:15am
Sof Zman Kriyat Shema	9:03am
Mincha (followed by seuda shlishit)	8:15pm
Maariv – Motzei Shabbat	9:38pm
Sunday - Shacharit	8:15am
Sunday-Thursday – Mincha and Maariv	7:30pm
Monday and Thursday - Shacharit	6:50am
Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday – Shacharit	7:00am

LEARNING AND SHIURIM

- Shabbat morning: 8:30 am private learning. 8:45am Rabbi's halacha chabura
- MD Spitzer's gemara shiur will take place on Monday at 8:45pm
- The Rabbi's Tuesday morning breakfast shiur, 7.35-8am, will take place on Massechet Sofrim
- The Rabbi's Tuesday evening parsha shiur will take place at 9pm on the subject of 'Behar & Bechukotai The Curses through the eyes of the Targum Onkelos'.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

- Children's supervision with Jonathan in Room 1 from 9.15-10.45am. Under 3's require supervision.
- Under 5s service will start before Mussaf, at approx 10.50am in Room 1 and will include fun, games, tefillah and songs. All under 2's must be supervised by an adult.
- The Over 5s Service starts after kedusha, at approx 11am in the Refectory.

SHABBAT HOSPITALITY

If you would like to be hosted this Shabbat, please contact <u>miriamlevenson@gmail.com</u>. If you would like to sign up as a host for meals, or would like to know more, please send Miriam an email.

MEMBERSHIP AND TCM

We are of course always seeking new members of the Shul together with those that qualify to join via TCM. If you would like to know more or to discuss the various options please contact Neil Maurice on membership@aleitzion.co.uk or visit our membership page on http://www.aleitzion.co.uk/membership.php