

SHABBAT VAYETZE 23rd / 24th NOVEMBER 2012

Shabbat Shalom and welcome to Alei Tzion!

Please see below for details of our exciting programme of events,
or visit our website at www.aleitzion.co.uk or our Facebook group 'Alei Tzion'.

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DAVENING TIMES

Shabbat begins / Shabbat ends	3:47pm / 4:53pm
Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat & Ma'ariv	3:47pm
Hashkama Minyan	7:45am
Sof Zman Kriyat Shema	9:40am
Shacharit, Leining & Mussaf followed by a Kiddush, including a Single Malt sponsored by David Renton in memory of his father on his Yahrzeit	9:15am
Early Mincha in the Bet Midrash	12:20pm
Mincha followed by a Shiur by Rabbi Roselaar	3:45pm
Ma'ariv & Motzei Shabbat	4:53pm

Sunday – Shacharit	8:15am
Monday & Thursday – Shacharit	6:50am
Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday – Shacharit	7:00am
Sunday – Mincha & Ma'ariv	3:50pm
Monday to Thursday – Mincha	12:30pm
Monday to Thursday – Ma'ariv	7:30pm

RABBI PROFESSOR NAFTALI ROTHENBERG

Alei Tzion is delighted to host Rabbi Professor Naftali Rotheberg, who will be speaking at 8:30pm on Tuesday 27th November about *Jewish Perspectives on Minority Rights in the Jewish Nation State*. Rabbi Rothenberg is a senior research fellow at the Van Leer Jerusalem Institute, where he is chair of *Jewish Culture and Identity* and editor of *Identities, Journal for Jewish Culture & Identity*. He serves as Rabbi and spiritual leader of Har Adar and he is the 2011 laureate of the Liebhaber Prize for the encouragement of religious tolerance in Israel. Please see the attached poster for more details.

LEARNING & SHIURIM

- MD Spitzer's Gemara Shiur will take place on Monday evening at 8:45pm.
- Rabbi Roselaar's Parasha Shiur will not take place this Tuesday due to the visit of Rabbi Professor Naftali Rothenberg who is speaking at 8:30pm in the Shul (see above for details).

WOMEN'S SHWARMA SHINDIG

Calling all ladies! A night off? No chores? No Shabbat leftovers? A chance to catch up with friends? Sound too good to be true? Well believe it! The Alei Tzion Women's Shwarma Shindig is the night out you have been waiting for! This Motzei Shabbat, 24th November, for only £6, you can sample the best Shwarma that NW4 has to offer and crown one lucky eatery as winner of the ultimate NW4 Shwarma experience! Email saranne@mauricemail.com to confirm your place. Location to be confirmed shortly. Vegetarian option provided!

MINCHA ON THE COAST

Spaces are running out for *Mincha on the Coast*, which will be leaving London for the Jurassic Coast (South East England) on Motzei Shabbat 1st December, hiking along the coast on Sunday and having dinner on Sunday evening on the way back to London. Book now! For more details please contact Robin Epstein at srobin.epstein@gmail.com.

CHILDREN'S CHANUKAH PARTY

Come to Alei Tzion at 4:30pm on Sunday 9th December for the best kids' Chanukah Party in London! You can decorate (and, after supper, eat) your own doughnut, design your own dreidel and make your own crown in the shape of a candle. We will be lighting candles in the Shul courtyard at 4:45pm and there will be supper for the kids and hot chocolate for the parents. For more details please contact Miri Jeffay at mirijeffay@gmail.com.

CHANUKAH SUPPER QUIZ

The entire Kehilla is invited to our Greeks and Maccabees themed supper quiz at 7:00pm on Sunday 9th December. Please see the attached poster for more details and please email anna.rb.may@gmail.com to confirm your attendance.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

- Our brand new children service with Davening, games and Kiddush continues for everyone in Year Reception and above every Shabbat at 10:40am.
- The age 0-4 service starts before Mussaf, at around 10:50 in the Seminar Room, with fun, games, songs and Tefilla. All children under 2 must be supervised by an adult.

WOMEN'S SHIUR ON MEGILLAT ESTHER

There will be a Shiur given by Lindsay Simmonds entitled *Women and the Megilla* on Tuesday 8th January at 8:00pm in the Shul. For more details see the attached poster or contact Miri Jeffay at mirijeffay@gmail.com. If you are interested in learning to read a Perek of Megillat Esther on Purim, please contact Joelle Yavin at joelle.yavin@gmail.com.

SHABBAT HOSPITALITY

If you would like to be hosted for a meal over Shabbat, or if you are hosting and would like more guests at your Shabbat table, please contact miriamlevenson@gmail.com.