

26th Nisan 5770/10th April 2010

Minister: Rabbi Lionel Rosenfeld

Emeritus Chazan: Moshe Dubiner

Parashat Shemini Shabbat Mevarchin

	Hertz	Cohen	Stone	Gutnick		
						Shabbat 7.33pm
Sedra	443	651	588	674		Shabbat ends 8.38pm
Haftarah	454	667	1168	1428		

Princesses and Pesach

If things work out as I hope, we may soon have a Princess coming to our shul. Not a Jewish Princess, as you all know we have more than one of those every week. I mean a real live Princess. I have invited Princess Lalla Joumala Alaoue, who happens to be the Moroccan Ambassador, to visit an exhibition of paintings by Bettina Caro in the Bloomstein Hall.

Bettina is a very talented artist, but suffice it to say she was born in Morocco, as were some of our most distinguished members. Jews lived in Morocco for many centuries, 225,000 before the last war, but during the Vichy government and immediately after the end of the war there were disturbing times.

In 1963 over 100,000 left for Israel, but before his death in 1999 King Hassan protected the population and presently Morocco has one of the most tolerant environments for Jews in the Arab world. They visit Israel freely and hold positions in business and government. If she is able to be with us the Princess Lalla will be made most welcome.

However going back to Pesach, if there is one aspect of Pesach that I just cannot get my head around it is the fact that there are times when I am going through the prayers and there are those who, on the ladder of piety are several rungs above me, yet they are going about their normal every day business. And what is the difference between us? Just over two thousand miles and an El Al ticket. But I still prefer to stay at home for Seder.

Don't get me wrong, its not just Pesach that I don't go away.

I like London in August, and also during those magic days between the December Bank Holiday and the January one. My Children were probably the only ones who never went away for half-term, and for the simple reason, as I would patiently explain to them, because every body else did. Pesach at home however is my tradition, tiring, exhausting, argumentative, but then, that's family for you. Well done Diana.

Shabbat Shalom

To our friends abroad, come back safely,

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Announcements

Mazal Tov to David Serero on his Bar Mitzvah and to parents Anne & Michael Serero and all the family. Anne & Michael have much pleasure in inviting the congregation to Kiddush after the service in celebration.

We welcome Rabbi David Ben-Yoav who will address the Bar Mitzvah and give the D'var Torah at Seduah Shlishlit.

We welcome the '5J Choral Singers' who will accompany Rabbi Rosenfeld at Friday Evening and Shabbat Morning Services

Breakfast Sponsor

Breakfasts this week are kindly sponsored by the Honorary Officers and Board of Management

Birthdays—Mazal Tov to:

Simon Conway	Sofia Goldblatt
Jacob Wayne	Jonathan Wayne
Alexia Salem	Simon Djanogly
Pierre Ladow	Samantha West
Ramona Seroussi	Jacqueline Radberg
Vivienne Woolf	Nicola Pasha
Elizabeth Chase	Shirley Young
Henry Brecher	Tessa Levy
Joan Phillips	

Wedding Anniversary—Mazal Tov

Amy & Darren Isaacs
Simone & Gerald Davidson

Refuah Shlemah

Gala Colover	Chana bat Yehudit
Seymour Freed	Shmuel Zeev ben Sara Rivka
M.A.	Devorah bat Yocheved
Tilly Rosenblatt	Golda Esther bat Rivka Rachel

Condolences

We wish Chayim Arukim to the family of Sonia Caplan z"l on her passing

Next Shabbat - Tazria-Metzora

16th—17th April 2010

Commences 7.44pm Mincha & Kabbalat Shabbat **6.30pm**

Friday 9th April

- 7.30 am Shacharit followed by breakfast & Haftarah Shiur by Ervin Landau
6.30 pm Mincha, and Choral Kabbalat Shabbat

Shabbat 10th April

- 8.45 am Shiur with Stanley Simmonds
9.15 am **Choral Service**
7.30 pm Mincha, Seudah Shlishit & D'var Torah by Rabbi David Ben-Yoav
8.38 pm Maariv & Havdalah

Sunday 11th April

- 8.30 am Shacharit followed by breakfast & D'var Torah
10.30am Cheder **Aged 4—12 years.** Contact Rabbi Rosenfeld for further information on 07811202244 or email rabbilr@marblearch.org.uk

Monday 12th April

- 7.30 am Shacharit followed by breakfast & D'var Torah by Michael Milston
10.30 am Ladies' Shiur with Rabbi Lionel Rosenfeld

Tuesday 13th April

- 7.30 am Shacharit followed by breakfast & Shiur by Rabbi Yosef Vogel

Wednesday 14th April—Rosh Chodesh Iyar

- 7.15 am Shacharit followed by breakfast and Parsha Shiur by Ervin Landau

Thursday 15th April—Rosh Chodesh Iyar

- 7.15am Shacharit followed by festive breakfast & D'var Torah by Bernard Silver

Friday 16th April

- 7.30 am Shacharit followed by breakfast & Haftarah Shiur by Ervin Landau

Mincha & Ma'ariv through the week
Sun 11th—Thurs 15th Apr 6.15pm

Kiddush Rota

Diana Black. Frances Goldberg. Anya Newstead. Linda Sharpe

Western Marble Arch Synagogue has disabled facilities

Hearing Assistive Loop System

The Synagogue is pleased to have installed a loop system for the benefit of hearing aid users. Please set your hearing aid to the 'T' setting to access this service

You can contact Rabbi Lionel & Natalie Rosenfeld at rabbilr@marblearch.org.uk

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Our Website: For details of times of services and events, go to w.marblearch.org.uk

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Rabbi Rosenfeld's Monday Shiur for Ladies

Next Shiur Monday 12th April at 10.30am

Monday 12th April Yom Hashoah: "From Grief to Hope: Handing the Memory On" At Edgware Synagogue

Ceremony & Presentation for Holocaust Day with the Chief Rabbi, Survivors, Rabbi Rosenfeld & The Shabbaton Choir. Not to be missed. Doors open 6.45pm for 7.15pm

ADULT EDUCATION Wednesday 14 April at 7-45pm

The Opening of New Art Exhibition by the renowned artiste BETTINA CARO, in the Bloomstein Hall, together with a showing of an outstanding film (one hour only) about the integration of Jews into German Society after their liberation from the Ghetto, about survival and the extraordinary place of music in the Concentration Camps. Featuring the Music of BACH, MENDELSSOHN, MAHLER, BRUCH SCHUMANN, BLOCH...YES, AND WAGNER. With Ashkenazi, Bareboim, Kissin, Permla and Zuckerman. With the Cologne Opera Chorus. (Admission Free)

Thursday 15th April at 10.00am. Tiny Tot Thursdays for Yummy Mummies

Come along to our new playground for 0—3 years and meet new friends. Toys, music and refreshments will be provided.

Rosh Hashanah Brochure 2010

Please let the office have copies of articles of interest and your favourite recipes for inclusion in this year's brochure

Newsletter Articles

We have had some very interesting articles that have been written by members in the past and we would like to have more. If you have a story to tell then why not publish it? The article should be around 450 words and be emailed to the office.

Marketplace - What do you need?

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Audio Books	Oriental Carpets
Printing	Shoes
Solicitor	Travel
Over 50's showcase	Dentist
Commercial Property Investment	Charity Shop
Airport Transfers and Private Chauffeur service	

It's all on www.marblearch.org.uk/marketplace
Support Your Community

Please note:

Waitrose in Edgware Road now carry a range of fresh kosher meats in the refrigerated section of its Kosher Department. Please support local retailers who are