



CRANBROOK NEWS

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**Shabbat, June 8th, 2024 / Sivan 2nd, 5784 / 46th Day Omer
Bamidbar / Pirkei-Avot Chapter 6**

Service Times

Mincha followed by Kabbalat Shabbat	7pm
Shacharit followed by Kiddush	9.30am
No Mincha or Ma'ariv service	
Shabbat Ends	10.20pm
Next Friday: Mincha / Kabbalat Shabbat at 7pm - Light Candles 7.40pm (9.05pm)	

This week's special Kiddush has been sponsored to celebrate Alan Lipczer's retirement from the United Synagogue Burial, where he has dedicated over 30 years to serving the Community with exceptional commitment and care.

We wish him the best of luck in all his future endeavours. May he be blessed with good health and enjoy every moment of his retirement.

With warmest regards,

His colleagues at the United Synagogue Burial, Waltham Abbey Ground Staff, Waltham Abbey Ladies Chevrah Team, and the local Rabbis.



Freda & David Fineberg on their Gold (50th) Wedding Anniversary.

Alison & Andrew Keizner on their Pearl (30th) Wedding Anniversary.

Suzanne Bloom, Rita Button, Jean Davidson, Danielle Devan, Harvey Golding, Janet Hack, Peter Kay, Ruth Mendelsohn, Stephanie Powell, Clive Schaller, Shirley Shine, Nannette Stewart and Millie Tomas on their respective birthdays.

Torah Reading

Leyning: Bamidbar	<i>Rabbi Steven Dansky</i>
Sefer Bamidbar: 1:1-4:20	
Artscroll p 726, Hertz p 568, Soncino/Cohen p 792	
Haftarah: Hosea 2:1-2:22	<i>Stuart Coslover</i>
Artscroll p 1180, Hertz p 582, Soncino/Cohen p 810	

This week's Cranbrook News is kindly sponsored by Lynda Benisty in treasured memory of her beloved Dad, Peter Finn / Pinchas ben Meir, z"l on his 25th Yahrzeit, 2nd Sivan.

Children's Service: 10.30am
Regular Weekday Services: Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday at **Ilford Federation Synagogue;** Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at **Cranbrook United Synagogue.**
Shacharit: Sunday & Public Holidays at **8.30am.**
Shacharit: Monday & Thursday at **7.20am.** Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday at **7.30am.**
Rosh Chodesh Shacharit: Sunday at **8.30am;** Monday to Friday at **7.10am.**
Mincha / Ma'ariv: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday at 7.30pm.

Dates for the Diary			Clarification regarding the Shabbat times during the summer months
June			<p>Ordinarily Shabbat begins 18 minutes before sunset. However, as we enter the long days of summer in our community, we will be bringing Shabbat in at the earlier time of 7.40 pm.</p> <p>This will allow our members to have their Friday night meal at a more convenient hour.</p> <p>For the benefit of our members who are unable to light candles with the rest of the community at 7.40 pm, we have put the latest time for candle lighting in brackets.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Kabbalat Shabbat will take place at 7pm throughout the summer.</p>
Wednesday 12 th		<i>1st Day Shavuot</i> <i>10 Commandments</i> <i>Speed Debating</i>	
Thursday 13 th		<i>2nd Day Shavuot</i> <i>Book of Ruth</i> <i>Yizkor</i>	
Tuesday 18 th	@ 12.30pm	<i>Lunch & Learn with Rabbi Dansky</i> <i>Music Extravaganza</i>	
Wednesday 19 th	@ 11am	<i>Rabbi Dansky Weekly Shiur</i>	
Wednesday 26 th	@ 11am	<i>Rabbi Dansky Weekly Shiur</i>	
Shabbat 29 th		<i>Mevarachim HaChodesh</i>	
July			
Tuesday 2 nd	@ 12.30pm	<i>Lunch & Learn with Rabbi Dansky</i>	
Wednesday 3 rd	@ 11am	<i>Rabbi Dansky Weekly Shiur</i>	
Shabbat 6 th		<i>Rosh Chodesh Tammuz</i>	
Sunday 7 th		<i>Rosh Chodesh Tammuz</i>	

We wish the following members, who have Yahrzeit in the coming week, a long life: -
 Sandra Angel, Karla Austin, Barbara Bass, Beatrice Baxter, Lynda Benisty, Rochelle Bennett, Cynthia Berman, Sidney Berman, Sonia Black, Rose Blitz, Sandra Carson, Angela Cohen, Lorraine Duskwick, Frank Eisen, Martin Field, Stephanie Field, David Franks, Patricia Gedalla, Raymond Glazer, Gloria Goldberg, Susan Goldman, Sylvia Goodman, Alan Graham, Adam Greenbaum, Barbara Grew, Myrtle Holman, Sydney Hyams, Frank Jackson, Rita Jacobs, Adele Judt, Carol Kent, Norman Kwintner, Ida Lawrence, Alan Lester, Norma Levinson, Elizabeth Levison, Denise Mallach, Joy Mallach, Helena Marco, Suzette Martin, Clare Mehlman, Anita Miller, Charles Mitchell, Judith Monty, David Morris, Maureen Nieberg, Pearl Palmer, Annette Phillips, Michael Pizer, Daveena Rogoff, Ruth Rose, Anthony Roth, Rosalind Rozansky, Howard Rudd, Stuart Rudd, Sarah Sackwild, Linda Segal, Jacqueline Seldis, Barry Shamplin, Philip Shaw, Helena Shaw, Edna Shutz, Melanie Shutz, Barry Silver, Angela Simmons, Warren Smith, Sheila Solomons, Ellard Swillman, Iris Taylor, Howard Temple, Rita Weiner, Ruth Wolfe and Leslie Zola.

Lunch & Learn

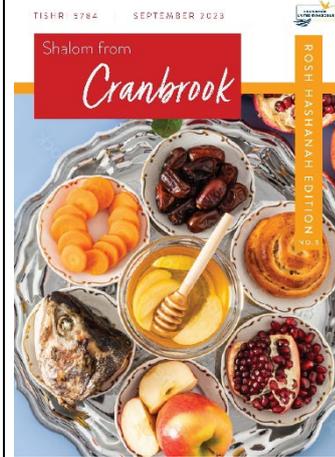


Please call or e-mail the Office to book for **Tuesday, 18th June** by **2pm** on **Friday, 14th June**.

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Rosh Hashanah 5785 - Shalom Magazine

I am sorry that we were unable to issue a Shul Magazine for Pesach 5784.



However, I am working on the Rosh Hashanah 5785 Edition No 10 of the Shul Magazine.

If you have any interesting or amusing articles with a

Jewish content that you would like us to include, please email them as soon as possible to Philippa Stanton at stanton.philippa@gmail.com.

All articles, pictures and stories must be received by **24 July 2024**. I have already started collecting new articles, so please email me as soon as you can!

I look forward to hearing from you.

Condolences to: The families of Hetty Conway and Donald Steinberg.

Forthcoming stone-settings

16 th June 2024	Marlene Mendel	Waltham Abbey	11.30am
Mother of Sasha Woolf			
7 th July 2024	Barbara Gordon	Waltham Abbey	Noon
Mother of Elaine Smart			
14 th July 2024	Joy Peterson	Waltham Abbey	11.30am
Mother of Adrian Samuels			
14 th July 2024	Kitty Dessau	Waltham Abbey	1pm
Mother of Steven Dessau			
21 st July 2024	Warren Maslin	Waltham Abbey	10.30am
Husband of Jacqueline Maslin			
25 th July 2024	Freda Goldstein	Bushey	10.30am
Mother of Joanne Cowan			

News and Views

On Rosh Chodesh of the second month after the Exodus from Egypt, G-d instructed Moshe and Aharon to take a census of men above the age of 20. The leader of each tribe was to be present when his tribe is counted. The name of each leader is stated. The census was carried out as commanded.

The Torah lists the results of the census. The tribe of Reuven numbers 46,500; Shimon 59,300; Gad 45,650; Yehuda 74,600; Yissachar 54,400; Zevulun 57,400; Ephraim 40,500; Menashe 32,200; Binyamin 35,400; Dan 62,700; Asher 41,500; Naftali 53,400. This comes to a total of 603,550 men. The tribe of Levi was not counted with the rest of the tribes. They were assigned to dismantle and transport the Mishkan (Tabernacle) when the nation travelled in the desert, as well as to guard the Mishkan when it is stationary.

G-d told Moshe and Aharon how to position the 12 tribes (other than Levi) around the Mishkan. They were to be organised into four groups of three tribes, each group led by one particular tribe. To the east of the Mishkan are the tribes of Yehuda, Yissachar and Zevulun, led by Yehuda. To the south are the tribes of Reuven, Shimon and Gad, led by Reuven. To the west are the tribes of Ephraim, Menashe and Binyamin, led by Ephraim. To the north are the tribes of Dan, Asher and Naftali, led by Dan.

Aharon's sons are listed. G-d told Moshe to bring the tribe of Levi to Aharon in order to assist him in his work as the Kohen Gadol. The tribe of Levi was to take over the role that had been designated for the firstborn, who were sanctified on the night of the Exodus from Egypt, when the Egyptian firstborn were killed and they survived.

G-d told Moshe to count the men of the tribe of Levi, aged from one month upwards. The count is divided up into three main groups, according to the descendants of Levi's three sons, Gershon, Kehat and Merari. Each main group, whose constituent families are also listed, is given a different location in relation to the Mishkan. The overall number of Levi'im counted in the census is 22,000.



Moshe was told to count the male firstborn and to 'replace' them with the Levi'im. The firstborn number 22,273. The extra 273 firstborn (over and above the 22,000 Levi'im) were to give five shekels each in order to redeem their status.

The specific role of each of the three main families is now detailed, one in this week's sidra, two in next week's sidra. The family of Kehat were

to take down, transport and reassemble the holy Ark (Aron), the Table (Shulchan), the Menorah, the Golden Altar (Mizbeach Ha'zahav) and the vessels used together with these features of the Mishkan.

I wish you all a peaceful Shabbos

Rabbi Steven, Siobhan, Maya and Talia Dansky.

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