

## SHABBAT SERVICE TIMES

Kabbalat Shabbat	17:30
Candle Lighting	17:45
Shacharit	09:30
Mincha	18:15
Followed by Rabbi's Shabbat Shuvah Seudah Shlishit	
Shabbat Ends	19:46



## Parshat Haazinu - Shuvah

26 Sept 2020 – 8 Tishrei 5781

Our Yom Kippur Appeal 2020 is now live. Please visit [www.HaleShule.com/yk](http://www.HaleShule.com/yk)

## Coming to Shule for Yom Kippur

Feedback from Rosh Hashanah services was amazing and we are looking forward to seeing even more of you during Yom Kippur. Again we need to remind you all that managing Covid Compliance, along with everyone's expectations is challenging, but together we can succeed in making Yom Kippur the meaningful experience that we all want.

We are thrilled to have been able to fit you all in and there are no names on a waiting list. Everyone who requested a seat will have received a confirmation. If you didn't, please email [info@haleshule.com](mailto:info@haleshule.com) before 3pm Friday 25<sup>th</sup> and we will do our best to help.

A few final pointers:

On arrival please enter through the main gate and follow instructions from our Covid and Security teams. You are required to wear a mask before entering the building.

At the end of each service, please wait at your seat until a Steward invites you to leave. Please follow the instructions. Do not leave any belongings at your seat.

### Service & Arrival Times

**Kol Nidrei Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September 6.30pm – 8.30pm** [Please arrive before 6.20pm](#)

**Yom Kippur Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September**

#### Service 1

Shacharit 9.30am – 11.00am [Please do not arrive before 9.00am](#)

#### Service 2

Sermon, Yizkor & Musaf 11.30am – 2.00pm [Please do not arrive before 11.20am](#)

#### Service 3

Sermon, Yizkor & Mincha 4.30pm – 5.45pm [Please do not arrive before 4.20pm](#)

#### Service 4

Neila 6.15pm – 7.41pm [Please do not arrive before 6.05pm](#)

Finally if you have booked, but since decided to not attend, please let us know before Yom Tov via email [info@haleshule.com](mailto:info@haleshule.com)

Mazal Tov!! Chattan Torah Howard Klass. Chattan Bereishit Anthonyv Alex

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The older children have been helping the new children to settle in.  
They all look very happy with their company.

## Weekday Services

### Shacharit      Mincha

Sunday      09:00      14:00

See Kol Nidrei Timetable

Monday      See YK Timetable

Tuesday      07:00      19:00

Wednesday      07:00      19:00

Thursday      07:00      19:00

Friday      07:00

### Next Week

Kabbalat Shabbat      17:45

Candle Lighting      18:27



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# Thought for the week

## Guest Thought for the Week – Charlotte Zellmel

### To be judged as “Beni Maron” in 2020



What a year it has been. From a worldwide pandemic to historic civil rights movements across the globe, we have much to reflect on over the *Yamim Noraim*. Whilst the *Selichot* that we will recite are focused mainly on what we have done in the privacy of our own homes, workplaces and social groups, the events of this past year have shown just how much responsibility we have over the wellbeing of those across society, outside those we know personally, and in our community at large.

The Mishna on Rosh Hashanah famously states that we will be judged as “*Bnei Maron*”, a phrase that is given three interpretations; as if we are filing through a narrow mountain pass in single file, like a flock of sheep through a fence, and like King David’s army, marching in line. What these three analogies have in common is the duality in the judgement method; we are both simultaneously part of a large cohort, and judged accordingly, yet also our individual behaviors are singled out and scrutinised, separate from the pack.

The similarities between the Talmud’s interpretation of this phrase and our actions in response to COVID-19 is striking. On the one hand, we must protect our own health, and are judged independently for ensuring we follow guidelines and take precautions. On the other hand, national and international rates on coronavirus transmissions are a judgement of our collective actions towards the virus. This year more than ever, we have realised what

It means to be one small part of a whole, a flock of sheep or an army, where our aggregated wellbeing is intimately related to the actions of those around us. The practice of social distancing is primarily for the protection of others, more so than just ourselves. We are required to protect the wellbeing of those we do not know from a threat we cannot be sure we possess. This is thus the key test of being *bnei maron*, adhering to the responsibilities of being part of a large system, whilst reflecting on our actions as individuals.

Similarly, as a result of the historic BLM protests that began in May following the murder of George Floyd in Minnesota, US, we are being urged to rethink our actions towards others and assess our treatment of those who seem different, whilst also recognise systemic, society-wide systems of discrimination and oppression. Today’s anti-racism movements thus also follow the duality represented in the phrase *Bnei Maron*, making the meaning of this phrase all the more pervasive this year above others.

This year, to be judged as one mere part of a whole has more meaning than ever. Perhaps whilst we listen to *Unetanneh Tokef* we can not only reflect on our judgement as individuals, and think deeply about our place in our own individual circles, but also our place in the vast communities of people that surround us, and the implicit responsibility we have towards them.

## ONLINE EVENTS

**Talmud Shiur**, with Rabbi Binstock every **Monday evening at 8.30pm**.

No previous experience of Talmud is necessary

**Insights into the weekly Parsha** with Shlomie Friday 9.15am

**PIT** – Partners in Torah are back up and running,

**Online Shiur**. - Study the book of Yona with Rivi Brussels at 8pm on Tuesday nights. Zoom 5824770147 password 707396. For more details contact Rebecca Lewis 07967 809069

For those unable to attend Services in person,  
all Weekday Services will continue to be  
streamed live via Zoom using the usual login  
link <https://bit.ly/2W4UlgN>  
Room No 980 884 6666 Password hello

### Shule Service Booking

All shule services must now be booked  
online at [www.haleshule.com](http://www.haleshule.com)

We need Volunteers for Covid –19 Stewarding  
for Daily Shabbat & Yom Tov Services. Please  
contact the Shule office or Linda Price 07967  
731321 if you would like to volunteer.

### Yom Tov Seat Reservations

**Yom Kippur** bookings are now closed

**Sukkot** booking available

**Important:** If you have booked a seat and  
since decided that you won't be coming,  
please let us know. Some services now  
have a waiting list so it will help if we can  
accommodate members who really want  
to attend.

Queries only via [info@haleshule.com](mailto:info@haleshule.com)

### ZOOM – New Password

You will need to enter a password to get in to  
our Zoom Room for all meetings/minyanim  
from 10<sup>th</sup> September. Room Number 980 884  
6666 New Password hello

# Yom Kippur & Sukkot

## EREV YOM KIPPUR

Sunday 27th September

Shacharit	9:00am
Mincha	2:00pm
Online Zoom Yizkor	
& Rabbi's Yom Kippur message	3:00pm
Kol Nidrei	6:30pm
Fast commences	6:39pm

## YOM KIPPUR

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September

### SERVICE 1

Shacharit	9:30am
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### SERVICE 2

Sermon & Yizkor 1	11:30am
Musaph	12:00pm

### SERVICE 3

Sermon & Yizkor 2	4:30pm
Mincha	4:45pm

### SERVICE 4

Sermon & Neila	6:15pm
Maariv & end of fast	7:41pm

## EREV SUKKOT

Friday 2nd October

Shacharit	7:00am
Mincha & Kabbalat Shabbat	5:45pm
Candle Lighting	6:27pm

## SUKKOT 1<sup>st</sup> DAY

Shabbat 3rd October

Shacharit	9:30am
Mincha & Maariv	6:20pm
Candle Lighting after	7:29pm

## SUKKOT 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY

Sunday 4th October

Shacharit	9:30am
Mincha & Maariv	6:30pm
Yom Tov ends	7:26pm

## CHOL HAMOED

Monday 5th to Thursday 6th October

Shacharit	8:00am
Mincha & Maariv	6:30pm

## HOSHANAH RABBAH

Friday 9th October

Shacharit	8:00am
Mincha & Kabbalat Shabbat	5:45pm
Candle Lighting	6:10pm

## SHEMINI ATZERET

Shabbat 10th October

Shacharit	9:30am
Yizkor	10:45am
Mincha, Maariv & Hakafof	5:45pm
Candle Lighting	7:12pm

## SIMCHAT TORAH

Sunday 11th October

Shacharit	9:30am
Hakafof	10:00am
Mincha & Maariv	6:00pm
Yom Tov ends	7:10pm





WE ARE  
DELIGHTED  
TO WELCOME

# CHAZZAN ELI TAMIR

WHO WILL BE LEADING OUR  
ROSH HASHANAH AND YOM  
KIPPUR SERVICES



Eli Tamir is a London-based professional wedding singer and seasoned Chazzan, who has performed internationally for over 13 years. Eli, 33, whose father was one of the most famous Jewish wedding singers in Europe before him, regularly travels with his band to destinations around the globe to perform for his wide range of clients.

Eli comes from a family deeply rooted in sefardi heritage with both his parents hailing from Iraqi traditions, but having studied in prominent Ashkenazi institutions. Eli has also had a lot of exposure to European Jewish cultures and has over the years familiarised himself with all the Ashkenazi tunes to the point where contemporary Jewish music is now a large part of his performance repertoire. This versatility and sensitivity to different types of communities has helped Eli to become as in-demand as he is now, and has led him to serve as Chazzan for the high holidays in synagogues of all denominations around the world, including most recently in San Diego, California for the last few years.

We have fond memories from the wonderful Shabbat UK concert he performed for us a in Hale a few years ago. We are delighted that he will be joining us (Covid permitting) for the High Holidays, to enhance our davening and help us start the new year in an uplifting and inspirational way.

**What better way to spend the evening after Yom Kippur  
than to move on to the next Mitzvah!  
After you have eaten of course !**

*Join Rabbi Binstock  
at Shule in the Pearl Suite  
to choose your*

# *Arba Minim*

**Sets of Lulav & Etrog**

**from 9.00pm-10.30pm**

**All categories available this year  
including inexpensive "pre-packs" and Children's Sets.**

**Warmest wishes for a Gemar Tov**

*Rabbi Yisroel & Leanne*

**Due to Covid regulations, we will only be able to have one family choosing Arba Minim at a time**



**A project of Hale Trust**

# CHAYIM ARUKIM

to the Solomon family on the loss of Joyce and to all  
those who have Yahrzeit this week

<b>Shabbat</b>	Trevor Duschenes	Father
26 September	Michael Gould	Mother
8 Tishri	Brenda Kay	Mother
	Barbara Hamburger	Father
<b>Monday</b>	Colin Gee	Mother
28 September	Gwen Greene	Brother
10 Tishri	Roy Gabbie	Father
<b>Tuesday</b>	Sharon Bentwood	Father
29 September	Craig Feldman	Father
11 Tishri		
<b>Wednesday</b>	Adrienne Somerfield	Sister
30 September	Michael Paul	Mother
12 Tishri	Stephen Cohen	Mother
	Stacey Rosenberg	Brother
<b>Thursday</b>	Ian Knopf	Mother
1 October		
13 Tishri		
<b>Friday</b>	Gilbert Cohen	Father
2 October		
14 Tishri		
<b>Shabbat</b>	Elaine Adlestone	Mother
3 October	Stephen Forster	Mother
15 Tishri		



## Hale Shule Bereavement Service

We are a small group offering confidential and discreet support in your hour of need. Bereavement is a testing time for partners and families and whilst we are not trained counsellors, we would like to offer an ear of friendship.

We understand that everyone's needs differ so do not intend to intrude but be at the end of the phone to offer support, whether it be practical or emotional.

Contact  
Ginette Esterkin [07754 460201](tel:07754460201)

## HALE WALKERS

We are out and about – 6 people at any one time. Covid-19 guidelines will be followed.

For more details contact  
Louise Leinhardt 07714 417990.



# WELCOME TO THE LEVINES

We are delighted to announce that we have made arrangements for a new Rabbinic couple to come and join us as Directors of Education at HAHET, and continue with the wonderful work that our previous Directors, Rav Aharon and Elisheva Bloch had been doing. Their names are Rabbi Evan and Tova Levine, and they plan to move over here as soon as we can sort out Visas. Here is the message they sent us:



## Message from the Levines

Shalom! We're the Levine Family - Evan, Tova, Meir, Shira and Shaya. We live in Alon Shvut, Gush Etzion in the holy land of Israel. We are very excited to be joining the Hale community as Torah Educators this upcoming year, and wanted to write a little about ourselves so you can get to know us - we can't wait to get to know you!

Evan has Smicha (Rabbinic Ordination) from the Rabbinical Council of World Mizrahi, as well as from Rav Zalman Nechamia Goldberg ,z"l. He works as the head of the Night Seder Program at Yeshivat Har Etzion in Gush Etzion and learns Torah with the Kollel Halacha. Evan earned his Bachelors of Science in Economics from the University of LaVerne and hails from Los Angeles, California, and his hobbies include hiking, sailing and American Football.

Tova works as a Social Worker in the mental health field. She studied at the Maimonides School, founded by Rav Joseph B. Soloveitchik, and Nishmat for a year after university. Tova earned her Bachelors of Science in Human Development and Bachelors of Arts in Judaic Studies from Binghamton University, as well as a Master's of Social Work from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and hails from Providence, Rhode Island.

Meir is almost three years old and loves buses, fire trucks, and his little baby deer stuffed animal. His favorite morning activity is reminding us to daven with him on the couch every morning (especially while in lockdown). Shira, just turned one, is smiley and can almost stand on her own. She is very verbal and loves to chat. Shaya, also just turned one, is always laughing and likes to make kissing noises while smacking his lips. He might be the littlest Levine, yet he has more energy than all of us combined.

Wishing everyone a Shana Tova U'Metuka - May we all be written and sealed in the book of life. :)

