

Parshat Nitzavim/Vayeilech

Friday 15th September 2017

Candle Lighting	5.29pm
Maariv	6.15pm

Shabbat 16th September 2017

Shacharit	9.00am
Mincha	5.05pm
Maariv	6.24pm

A word from the Rabbi

“Many will hear the warnings of the Torah (*of living an immoral life*), yet will congratulate themselves, thinking, ‘I am safe, even though I ignore the Torah and follow the desires of my heart...’” (Devarim 29:19)

So often we are convinced that we are the exception to the rule, that it won't happen to us. We feel immortal, immune from the consequences of a poorly led life, ignoring both our physical and spiritual health. We ignore our hypocrisies and justify our inconsistencies.

Ease of access to information has created the illusion of wisdom. We have all become a wise person in our own eyes, giving little value to hard-earned intelligence. Our Facebook feeds validate our philosophies, revealing only positions we concur with and blocking out all offensive material.

Information does not create wisdom; the application of information produces wisdom. Immortality cannot be achieved through knowledge, but the articulate application of that knowledge can give you the wherewithal to cope with your mortality by facing your flaws and acknowledging your shortcomings.

Rosh Hashana is the spiritual year end and, like its financial counterpart, requires accounting and reflection on the past year. The results are not always pleasing - the truth seldom is - but it is only by admitting the mistakes of the past that we can ever hope to improve in the future.

Shabbat shalom

We wish a hearty Mazal Tov on your Bar/Bat Mitzvah Anniversary to:

Vadim Gurevich
Craig Shotland

Jesse Klass

David Newhouse

We wish a hearty Mazal Tov on your Wedding Anniversary to:

Mervyn and Lynne Katz
David and Jenna Sandler
Brad and Helene Shofer

Brad and Kim Mart
Howard and Rayna Sandler

We wish long life to the following Members who commemorate Yartzeit this week:

Frederick Alexander
Suzanne Saks
Trevan Blumberg
Rennie Chertkow
Brian Chertkow
Linda Ziman
Lewis Folb
Simcha Levitt
Jeremy Levitt
Steven Gild
Maish Grauman
Rennie Chertkow
Seymour Maze
Albert Michels
Luba Atlas
Zalman Ratzemore
Kevin Subel
Amanda Gordon

for his father
for her father
for his father
for her son
for his brother
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Louis Alexander
Syke Been
Stanley Blumberg
Clive Chertkow
Clive Chertkow
Sylvia Datnow
Bessie Folb
Sonia Gafin
Sonia Gafin
Rueben Gild
Louis Grauman
Chava Joffe
Rachel Maze
Cecil Michels
Zelik Peisachowich
Beril Ratzemore
Molly Subel
Pearl Wilson

ISRAEL UPDATE



with **UIA CEO**

Yair Miller OAM

September 1 & 15

October 6

@5:45pm



We wish a heart Mazal Tov to
Taylor Levy
on her Bat Mitzvah this Shabbat
and to her parents
Mark and Jo Levy
and grandparents,
Michael and Karyn Levy and Barry and Cherry Jacobs



Taylor is a kind, gentle and caring soul, she is very thoughtful when it comes to the rights and feelings of others.

She has a great affinity towards animals and regularly volunteers at shelters in her holidays. Taylor loves her sports and is very proficient in her chosen martial art Ju jitsu which she has been practicing since she was 5.

She is also a keen net baller, jazz dancer and on a weekend you'll find her out on the harbour in her surf ski as she is a keen ocean paddler.

We are extremely proud of the young lady Taylor is growing up to be.

Rabbi Krebs presents
**The Stories of
the people**
of Rosh Hashana
& Yom Kippur
and how they impact our lives

Mondays in September
@8pm

Sept 4. Yishmael- A story of Forgiveness
Sept 11. Avraham- A story of Hope
Sept. 18 Hannah- A story of Despair
Sept 25. Yonah- A story of Fear

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At Kehillat Masada