

KJ Happenings

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PARASHAT HAAZINU

[Devarim 32:1-52](#)

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EREV SHABBAT

Friday, September 17th

Candle Lighting 6:38 pm

Shabbat Arvit – at Home

SHABBAT

Saturday, September 18th

Shaharit 9:00 am at Kahal Joseph

Masks strictly required.

Minha, Seuda, Arvit at home

Havdallah 7:40 pm

Weekdays

Sunday, September 19th

Shaharit TBA

EREV SUKKOT

Monday, September 20th

Shaharit TBA

Candle Lighting 6:34 pm

Masks required indoors at KJ

SUKKOT, First Day

Tuesday, September 21st

Shaharit 9:00 am

Minha / Arvit TBA

Candle lighting 7:36 pm

SUKKOT, Second Day



Rabbi's Message



By Rabbi Natan Halevy

Shalom Uvracha,

Parashat Haazinu is one of the strongest parts of the Torah. It is connected with numerous special blessings

and contains many hidden messages. I would like to share an article written by Chana Weisberg based on the teachings of the Lubavitcher Rebbe which truly expresses some of these ideas.

Moses ben Nachman, commonly known as Nachmanides, and also referred to by the acronym Ramban, was a leading medieval Jewish scholar in the 13th century, in Girona, Catalonia.

The Ramban had a disciple, Avner, who strayed from the path of observant Judaism, left his community, and became an important official in the government.

One Yom Kippur, Avner sent guards to the synagogue, ordering the Ramban to appear before him. In his palace, before the eyes of his former teacher and master, Avner slaughtered a pig, roasted it, and ate it on this holiest of fast days.

The Ramban couldn't contain his anguish and cried, "What caused you to fall so low?! What compelled you to abandon the holy teachings of your ancestors?"

Wednesday, September 22nd
Shaharit 9:00 am
Minha / Arvit TBA
Havdallah to Hol Hamoed 7:34 pm

Hol Hamoed Sukkot

Thursday-Friday, September 23-24

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Shabbat Shalom

“It was you, my master!” Avner roared derisively. “Your teachings completely disillusioned me and caused me to reject Judaism.

“You were once teaching the Torah portion of Haazinu,” he explained. “You taught us that in this brief Torah portion of fifty-two verses, the Torah encodes all the details of the long history of the Jewish people until the coming of Moshiach. You claimed, too, that encoded in its verses are the names of every Jew to have ever lived.

“This is obviously preposterous!” thundered Avner. “How could 4000 years of history and millions of names be compressed in 614 words?”

“What I said is absolutely true,” declared the Ramban.

“If so, then I must be found there too. Where is my name and where is my fate?”

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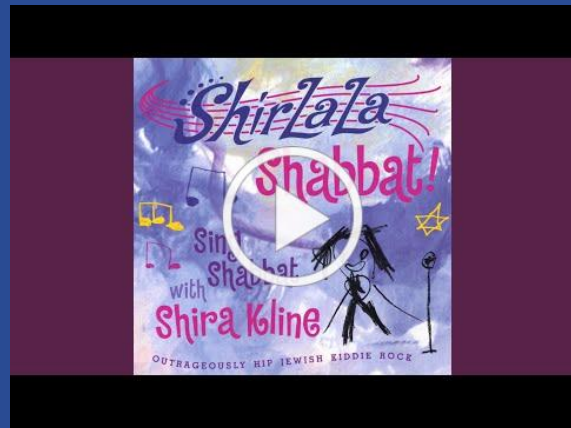
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KJ Family Resources



[Rabbi Sacks Family Parasha](#)



[Chabad Kids Parasha](#)

[Aish Coloring Book](#)

Masks Required at KJ Prayer Services

September 2021

Dear Members and Friends,

We are happy to announce that there will be prayer services this September 2021. However, we have to protect each other.

Please wear your mask at all times while at Kahal. Due to the current spike in Covid 19 cases, the mask mandate will be strictly enforced within the building. And, if you see something, please say something. To preserve the health of our community, help others adhere to the mask mandate.

The priority of Kahal Joseph has always been and is the wellbeing of our congregants.

Our prayers for everyone to stay healthy and safe.

Kahal Joseph Board of Directors

Condolences to the Family of Grace Joy Nathan, z"l

With great sorrow we send our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Grace Joy Nathan, z"l, *Bracha Simcha bat Louisa*, beloved daughter, sister, and aunt. Grace was born in Los Angeles on April 17th 1959, and passed away slightly after noon on Sunday, September 12th 2021, the 6th of Tishrei 5782.

A third generation, longtime member of our community, Grace was the youngest daughter of Ralph z"l and Louise Nathan. Grace's parents and grandparents were dedicated, founding members of Kahal Joseph. Similarly, Grace was devoted to her family, friends, and community. She will be sorely missed.

She is survived by her mother Louise Nathan, her sisters Loretta Nathan and, in Montana, Marlene Hutchins, her nephew Nathaniel Hutchins, extended family and friends. Grace was predeceased by her dear father, Ralph Nathan, z"l.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday, September 15th at Hillside Memorial Park. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Grace's loved ones. May they be comforted together with all the mourners of Tzion. *Min hashamayim tenuhamu.*

Refuah Shelema

We wish complete healing of body, mind, and soul to all those who are suffering with illness in our community, including:

Tal ben Alona Basha
Meir Iny / Meir ben Sabiha
Gabriel Naghdi / Gavriel ben Rahel
Ezra ben Farha
Sassoon Ezra
Sylvia Cohen
Mehry bat Miriam Hakimipour
Tilda Levy
Yvonne Moalim
Florice Newberry
Aliza bat Rahel
Aliza bat Victoria
Chaya Chana bat Batya
Katie bat Farha
Miriam bat Yetta
Miryam bat Malka
Moshe Ezra ben Mazal Tov
Chaya Rachel bat Simcha Ruhama
Dina bat Rahel
Karen bat Chana Meir
Eti Esther bat Fortuna
Ezra ben Rahel
Albert Nissan ben Victoria
Mark Jonah
Reuven Halevi ben Batsheva
David ben Tova
Odette bat Louise
Rachel Bakhsh / Rahel bat Dina

In Memoriam

We remember these yahrzeit anniversaries from September 18 to 25, 2021. We light memorial candles, donate tzedaka, & attend Shabbat services to honor the memory of our loved ones.

12 Tishrei / Shabbat, September 18th

*Ian Carlos ben Mishelle
Edna Jonah Simha bat Ruth
Ezekiel Ezra Judah Yehezkel Ezra ben Meir Yehuda
Sassoon Lelah Sasson ben Aharon
Moshe ben Yaacov Shalom*

14 Tishrei / Monday, September 20th

*Sarah Georgina Moses Sarah bat Simcha
Naji Shaaya Naji ben Shaaya
Regina Shaby Regina bat Haviva*

15 Tishrei / Tuesday, September 21st

*David Sulman Aslan
Raina Murad Aslan*

17 Tishrei / Thursday, September 23rd

*Salim Youssefmir Salim ben Amin
Ezekiel Moses Yehezkel ben Sasson*

18 Tishrei / Friday, September 24th

Jacob Ephraim Yaacov ben Ephraim

Fouad Salem / Hayeem ben Naima
Noach Yaakov ben Tzipporah
Ori ben Nuphar Chaia

Rosy Hyam Rosy bat Mazli
Paul Hyman Ya'akov Pesah ben Yitzhak

19 Tishrei / Shabbat, September 25th
Girjee Ezra Gurjiyee bat Sarah
Regina Mizrahie Regina bat Habiba

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