

# KJ Happenings

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## READINGS

### Pesah VII

First Torah: [Exodus 13:17 - 15:26](#)

Second Torah: [Numbers 28:19-25](#)

Haftarah: [Samuel II 22:1-51](#)

### Pesah VIII & Shabbat

First Torah: [Deuteronomy 14:22 - 16:17](#)

Second Torah: [Numbers 28:19-25](#)

Haftarah: [Isaiah 10:32 - 12:6](#)

## SCHEDULE

### EREV YOM TOV, PESAH VII

Thursday, April 21st

Candle Lighting 7:08 pm

### YOM TOV, PESAH VII

#### EREV SHABBAT & EREV PESAH VIII

Friday, April 22nd

Shaharit 9:00 am

Eruv Tavshilin--set aside matza & egg

Candle Lighting 7:11 pm

### PESAH VIII & SHABBAT

Saturday, April 23rd

Shaharit 9:00 am

KJ Kids Korner 9:30 am

Minha, Seuda, Arvit 7:00 pm

Havdallah 8:16 pm

### Weekdays

Sunday, April 24th

Shaharit 7:00 am



## Rabbi's Message



### Rabbi Natan Halevy

Shalom U'vracha,

The Torah emphasizes strongly the way things are finished and end.

'Everything is determined by the

ending'. The end is what completes things and shows their essence.

This is relevant to the holiday of Pesach. The last days have a very powerful energy which connects with our service during the holiday. We see the special quality of these last days described in the haftarah we read. The haftarah of the first day of Passover discusses our entry into Israel as a nation with Joshua. The haftarah of the last day of Pesach discusses the Mashiah, a descendant of King David who heralds the spiritual freeing of our world.

“And a shoot shall spring forth from the stem of Jesse, and a twig shall sprout from his roots. And the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him, a spirit of wisdom and understanding, a spirit of counsel and heroism, a spirit of knowledge and fear of the Lord. And he shall be animated by the fear of the Lord, and neither with the sight of his eyes shall he judge, nor with the hearing of his ears shall he chastise. And he shall judge the poor justly, and he shall chastise

Talmud Torah 9:45 am

*Mon - Thu April 25-30*

Shaharit 6:30 am

**Yom Hashoah**

*Thursday, April 28th*

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with equity the humble of the earth... They shall neither harm nor destroy on all My holy mount, for the land shall be full of knowledge of the Lord as water covers the sea bed.”

Furthermore, the Tanakh states in Mica, “As in the days of your exodus from the land of Egypt, I will show him wonders.” This verse hints that the miracles during the time of the Mashiah will be greater than the miracles which took place when we left Egypt.

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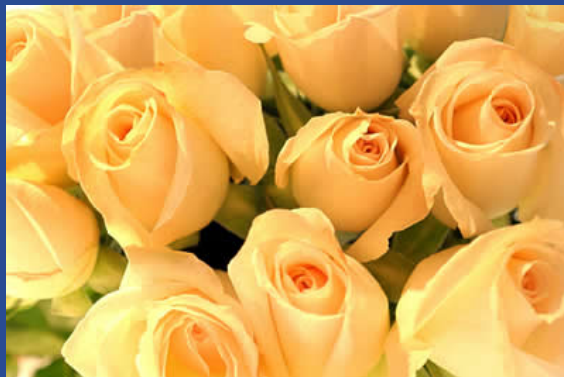
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AMAZON SMILE for KJ



**Mazal Tov**

**Eliana Jalali and  
Daniel Muller**

**on your engagement**

**Congratulations**

to your parents, grandparents  
and family, especially

**Saeed and Molly Jalali**

KJ's dear Hazzan &  
our beloved Talmud Torah Director

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## Shabbat & Pesah Melodies with Hazzan Saeed Jalali



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Click to listen to [An Iraqi Seder](#) recording for your enjoyment!

## KJ Community Notices



**Pesah VII-VIII  
& Shabbat  
Prayer Services at KJ  
Fri & Sat 9:00 AM**

Join  
Rabbi Natan Halevy  
& Hazzan Saeed Jalali  
at Kahal Joseph

**April  
22 & 23  
2022**

10505 Santa Monica Blvd  
LA, CA 90025

KAHAL JOSEPH INVITES OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS TO

**A Members'  
Shabbat Luncheon**

honoring our devoted congregants

*May 14th 2022*

MEMBERS  
ADULT \$18, CHILD \$10

NONMEMBERS \$26



Kahal Joseph  
**LAG BA'OMER**  
**Community Picnic**  
**Thursday, May 19th @ 4:00 PM**  
**at Holmby Park**  
*Fun for the Whole Family!*  
*Picnic snacks & beverages! Hot dogs!*  
**\$10 donation requested**  
**Please Bring a Blanket!**

# BAT MITZVAH COURSE

**WHO?** Girls ages 11-13

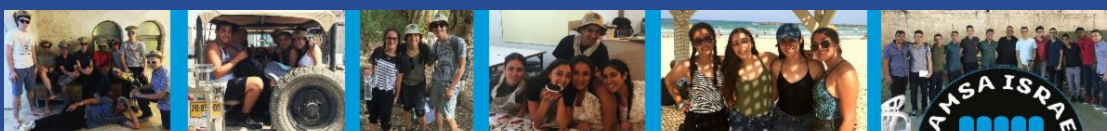
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10505 Santa Monica Blvd

**WHAT?** Explore what it means to become  
a bat mitzvah through lively  
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**WHEN?** 4 sundays: 10 - 11:30  
May 1, 15, 22 & June 12

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**Deadline to sign up** Friday, April 29th, 2022

**Space is limited... Apply now!**



### Condolences to the Family of Habib Aghalar, z"l

With great sorrow we send our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Habib Aghalar, *Habib ben Nissim*, who passed away on Thursday, April 14th 2022, the 13th of Nissan 5782. Funeral services took place at Eden Memorial on Erev Pesah and Erev Shabbat, Friday April 15th 2022.

Habib is the brother of our dear, devoted, beloved member Tooraj Aghalar. Habib is survived by: his siblings Tooraj, Iraj, Parvaneh, Parbin, Barry, and his extended family and friends. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Habib's loved ones. May they be comforted together with all the mourners of Tsion. *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:

Modi ben Yvonne  
Zvi Moalim  
Ariella Rivka bat Tziporah  
Rylla Elias / Rahel bat Mazal  
Ben Elias / Benyamin ben Yohevet  
Latif ben Chanina  
Alexander ben Yehezkiel and Chana Hai Reiza  
Shimon ben Yosef v'Leah / Simon Saul  
Shmuel ben Yaacov v'Tova / William McAbian  
Tal ben Alona Basha  
Meir Iny / Meir ben Sabiha  
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Mehry bat Miriam Hakimipour  
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Aliza bat Victoria  
Chaya Chana bat Batya  
Miriam bat Yetta  
Miryam bat Malka  
Chaya Rachel bat Simcha Ruhama  
Dina bat Rahel  
Karen bat Chana Meir  
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Ezra ben Rahel  
Albert Nissan ben Victoria  
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David ben Tova  
Rachel Bakhash / Rahel bat Dina  
Fouad Salem / Hayeem ben Naima  
Noach Yaakov ben Tzipporah  
Ori ben Nuphar Chaia

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## In Memoriam

*We remember these yahrzeit anniversaries from April 23 to 30, 2022 (22 Nisan to 29 Nisan). We light memorial candles, donate tsedaka, & attend Shabbat services to honor the memory of our loved ones.*

### **22 Nisan / Shabbat, April 23rd**

Edward Ezrapour Eliyahu ben Ezra Avraham Hayim  
Joshua Kay Yehoshua ben Salima v'Yaacov

### **25 Nisan / Tuesday, April 26th**

Frederick Tizabi Yeheziel ben Avraham  
Maurice Ovadia Moshe ben Noosha v'Ezra

### **27 Nisan / Thursday, April 28th**

Aharon Levy Aharon Yitzhak Halevi  
Nassim Hay Mussry Nassim Hai ben Yaacov

### **29 Nisan / Shabbat, April 29th**

Eliyahu Drori

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