



בית הכנסת מרכז קהילתי ע"ש גולדשטיין

# McDonald International Shul

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## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

*A warm welcome to members and visitors*

### Shabbat 15 Aug. 2026

Candle Lighting  
Kabbalat Shabbat  
Shacharit  
Mincha  
Shabbat Ends

### פרשת שופטים

הדלקת נרות  
קבלת שבת  
שחרית  
מנחה  
צאת שבת

### ב' אלול תשפ"ו

19:05  
18:55  
08:30  
19:00  
20:06

| Shabbat  | Hertz | Artscroll | Steinsaltz | Ba'al Koreh<br>Haftarah | Zvi Lemberger<br>Meir Lev | בעל קורא<br>הפטרה |
|----------|-------|-----------|------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Sidra    | 820   | 1024      | 1043       |                         |                           |                   |
| Maftir   | 835   | 1042      | 1063       |                         |                           |                   |
| Haftarah | 835   | 1199      | 1261       |                         |                           |                   |

**The Children's service** takes place in the Social Hall from 09:45-10:30. All children, 4-8 years welcome.

**The Kiddush** this week is co-sponsored by Melissa & Al Dubinsky celebrating 10 years since their Aliyah, and Renanah & Joseph Gemeiner honouring Renanah's brother, Daniel Allan Goldhar, on his yahrzeit.

**Shabbat Morning Shiurim** 30 minutes after Kiddush - Rabbi Raphael Katz, Dan Hurwitz

**Ladies Rosh Chodesh Shiur** 30 minutes after Kiddush - Ora Katz (in the shul)

**Shabbat Afternoon Shiur** 40 minutes before Mincha - Rabbi Jeff Manas

**Seuda Shlishit** this week is sponsored by the Beit Kneset.

### Weekday Times

|                                              |                                                                                      |                                          |
|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Shacharit                                    | 06:30 & 07:30                                                                        | שחרית                                    |
| Mincha & Ma'ariv                             | 19:05 & 19:40                                                                        | מנחה ומעריב                              |
| Sun. – Thurs. 08:30 – 09:15<br>Mon. – Thurs. | Shiur: 'Gemara Express'<br>Shiur: 'Emanah'<br><b>In the Beit Midrash and on Zoom</b> | Rabbi Raphael Katz<br>Rabbi Raphael Katz |
| Sun. 18:30                                   | Shiur: 'Sefer Charedim'<br><b>In the Beit Midrash and on Zoom</b>                    | Rabbi Raphael Katz                       |
| Mon. 19:00                                   | Shiur: 'Parshat Hashavua' <b>None this week</b>                                      | Rabbi Baruch Taub                        |
| Tues. 10:00                                  | Shiur: 'Ramban on the Parasha'<br><b>In the Beit Midrash and on Zoom</b>             | Rabbi Raphael Katz                       |
| Wed. 08:30 - 12:00<br>19:00                  | Matan Shiurim in Ivrit <b>None this week</b><br>Shiur: Halacha <b>None this week</b> | Various Lecturers<br>Rabbi Baruch Taub   |

### Shabbat 22 Aug. 2026

Candle Lighting  
Kabbalat Shabbat

### פרשת כי תצא

הדלקת נרות  
קבלת שבת

### ט' אלול תשפ"ו

18:57  
18:55

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Mazal Tov** to: Paula & Alan Poyurs on the marriage of their daughter Dinah Leah to Joseph Baum;  
Judy & Dr. Joseph Berger on the birth of their great-grandson, parents Odelia & Samuel Taeb  
of Raanana;  
Richard & Michelle Fonn on the marriage of their son Oren to Jessica in South Africa;  
Melissa & Al Dubinsky celebrating 10 years since their Aliyah;  
Bebe Feldman on the marriage of her grandson Dr. David Hirschkowitz to Sara Peskin in London;  
Michael Bliss on the birth of his great-granddaughter, daughter for Emunah & Gadi Diei,  
granddaughter for Suzanne & Eliezer Gelbard.

**Refuah Shlaima** to all who are ill.

**The Yizkor Book Project 5787**: We wish to thank all who have generously donated to this project.

Do please respond generously and as soon as possible, as it will shortly be going to printers.  
Copies of the insert showing last year's entries are now available on the table upstairs & in the office.  
A Yizkor book is there for show only. For the form click here: <https://macshul.org/yizkor-form/>

**Membership** for 5787 is now due. Full membership (including a seat for the Yamim Noraim) costs  
NIS 1,400 per person. Associate membership (for those living outside Netanya or attending another  
Beit Knesset regularly) costs NIS 800. Please call Mignon **053 364 0988** to pay and to arrange seating.  
Non-Members seats cost NIS 500 each. Seats for member's family NIS 300 each.  
You want to join our Beit Knesset? Please come to the office to register.

**The Ladies Rosh Chodesh Shiur**: The Irgun Nashim invite all ladies to come to the Shul after Kiddush to hear  
a very interesting Shiur which will be given by Ora Katz.

**The Rosh Hashana 5787 Magazine** is now in production. We invite our members to share their insights on  
this year's theme: *Teruah*—the wake-up call of the nine short blasts of the shofar. Finding the  
sacredness in brokenness and disruption, and learning and moving forward in new directions.  
Please send your article to [therese.berkowitz@yahoo.com](mailto:therese.berkowitz@yahoo.com) by **August 17**.

### **Weekly Shiurim:**

**Rabbi Raphael Katz's Shiurim** resume this week. To access Zoom, click on the link:  
<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/4806088269?pwd=swNfYfbjZoY> or enter  
Meeting I.D. 480 608 8269 Password 8RXU

**Rabbi Baruch Taub's Shiurim** will resume after the Chagim. To access Zoom, click on the link:  
<https://uojca.zoom.us/j/88269430380?pwd=UAlZeVQSrbziZNbbV4aQWYbEgdjcsx.1>  
Meeting ID: 882 6943 0380 Passcode: ouisrael.

**Yahrzeits**: We wish a long life to the following who have yahrzeit this week:

Meir Lev                      Roland Karsenty                      Zilla Woznica

**The Henry Koor Library**  
**Phone 09 884 0458 – email [koorlib@gmail.com](mailto:koorlib@gmail.com)**  
**Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday from 09:30 – 12:00**

**BOOKINGS AND MESSAGES GIVEN ON SHABBAT MUST BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL OR TELEPHONE**

**Please be aware that payments can be made in the office by cash or by:**

- 1. Bank Transfer to Bank HaPoalim: bank code 12 - branch 459 - account 38968.**  
Please ensure that you indicate purpose of payment.
- 2. Credit Card in person or on the phone during office hours (08:30 – 11:30)**  
Mondays to Thursdays.
- 3. Cheques payable to "Beit Hakneset – Merkaz Kehilati Al Shem Goldstein".**
- 4. American Donors can now pay through P.E.F.**  
<https://pefisrael.org/charity/new-synagogue-of-netanya/>
- 5. British Donors can pay through British Friends of the New Synagogue.**