

# **FESTIVAL OF SHAVUOT *ALL-NIGHT CHEESE-CAKE & STUDY MARATHON***

**Led by Rabbi Elli**

***In aid of THOUSAND 4£1000 – A local charity that houses Refugees***

**When: Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

**Where: BHPS, 6 Lansdowne Road, BN3 1FF**

**Start: 9 PM (last entry: 10 PM)**

**Finish: 5 AM on the beach opp. Lansdowne Place**

**(Erev – Evening – Service, 8 PM, Shacharit – Morning – Service, 5 AM)**

***ALL-NIGHT CHEESE-CAKE, COFFEE AND SANDWICHES!***

**PRECEDED BY RAINBOW PILGRIMS POP-UP EXHIBITION ON LGBTQI REFUGEES & MIGRANTS, 6-8 PM (PLEASE BOOK THROUGH EVENTBRITE)**

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## **PROGRAMME**

**6 PM** Rainbow Pilgrims Pop-Up Exhibition about LGBTQI refugees and migrants + Reception.

**8 PM** Erev (Evening) Shavuot service

**9 PM** All-night Study Marathon on the theme of Refugees in aid of **Thousand 4£1000** begins, with the opening sessions led by guest speakers:

**9-10 PM** Presentation by Shaan Knan, Coordinator of the Rainbow Pilgrims project, including a short film about the project

**10-11 PM** Presentation by Mahmut Gunaydin, Director of the Turkish-Muslim 'Dialogue Society'

**11 PM-Midnight** Panel of speakers from local Refugees charities, including Thousand 4 £1000, Sanctuary on Sea, Brighton Migrant Solidarity, Migrant English Project and LG Migrant Solidarity

**Midnight-1AM** Dr Gerhard Wolf, Senior Lecturer in History, Sussex University, on the German Jewish refugee experience

During the night, in addition to studying texts surveying the Jewish experience of migration and flight, engaging in creative activities related to the theme of refugees, and pausing for a period of Mindfulness Meditation, we will also be screening two films: 'Nina's Children' by Nina Grunfeld about what happened to a group of Viennese Jewish children who went to a Summer Camp in Oslo in 1938, and 'We Ask Not What Thou Art' by Kevin Reynolds about the Space For All Estate Agency Art Project

**5 AM** Shavuot Shacharit (Morning) service on the beach.

**Participants will be free to leave at any time during the night.**

**For security reasons, no one will be able to enter the shul after 10 PM.**

**If you would like to volunteer to help organise the event, please email Rabbi Elli:  
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