

# **Kehilath Jeshurun Bulletin**

117 East 85th Street - New York City

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## **SHEVUOTH BULLETIN**

**RABBI LOOKSTEIN**

will speak on Saturday and on both days of the  
Shevuoth Holiday at 10:45 A. M.

### **"Of Jewish Leadership"**

**This Sabbath**

1. "The Inevitability of Torah to the Jew and the World".
2. "What Our Forefathers Died for".

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**JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN, Rabbi**

**ROBERT R. FINGEROTH, Cantor**

**JOS. E. ADLER, Sexton**

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# A HAPPY HOLIDAY TO ALL

## Schedule of Services

FRIDAY

Mincha Services ..... 6:30 P.M.

SATURDAY

Morning Services ..... 9:00 A.M.

Weekly Portion: Numbers, 1:1-4:20

Haftorah, Hosea, 2:1-22

Mincha Services ..... 7:30 P.M.

Mincha will be followed by Shalashud-  
das, after which there will be a dis-  
course in Yiddish by Rabbi Lookstein

TUESDAY — SHEVUOTH I.

Morning Services ..... 9:00 A.M.

Mincha Services ..... 8:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY — SHEVUOTH II.

Morning Services ..... 9:00 A.M.

Yizkor Services ..... 10:30 A.M.

Mincha Services ..... 6:30 P.M.

## Daily Services

Morning Services ..... { 6:30 A.M.

7:15 A.M.

Evening Services ..... 8:00 P.M.

## Yahrzeits for the Week

BERNHARD BERNARD

ADOLPH HIRSCH

JENNIE RESNICK

ANNA ROGGEN

## Coming Events

Sat., May 20th—Children's Services

10:30 A.M.

Sat., May 20th—Bar Mitzvah, Norman

Lipstein ..... 10:30 A.M.

Sat., May 20th—Installation of Officers

Mon., May 22nd—Sisterhood Meeting

1:30 P.M.

Mon., May 22nd—Talmud Class

8:30 P.M.

Wed., May 24th—Shevuoth I.

Thurs., May 25th—Shevuoth II.

Wed., May 31st—Cultural Class

8:30 P.M.

Mon., June 5th—Sisterhood Tea

2:00 P.M.

## Sisterhood to Hold Closing Meeting

Notices have been sent to Sisterhood members urging attendance at the closing meeting to be held Monday, May 22nd, at the home of Mrs. William Goodman, 38 East 85th Street. Election of officers will take place and a report of the years' activities will be given by Mrs. Jacob Alpert, President. Mrs. Rudd, Chairman of the final affair of the season will report on the progress of the "Tea" to be given Monday, June 5th, at the Café Montparnasse. Mrs. Goodman asks that members come promptly at 1:30 for dessert and coffee. We are looking for a large attendance that day.

## Sisterhood to Give "Tea" as Closing Affair

A letter from the Chairman  
Dear Members:

It was with some hesitation that I, a very new member of Kehilath Jeshurun Sisterhood, accepted the chairmanship of the final affair of the season. Knowing the success of previous sisterhood functions, you can well realize why I was reluctant about the honor being given me. Having been assured that I would receive complete cooperation from the membership body, I made plans for what I sincerely hope will be an enjoyable afternoon. I secured the Terrace of the Montparnasse Café, at 50 East 79th Street, for Bridge, Mah Jong, and Tea, for Monday, June 5th. Tickets nominally priced have been sent to you, and I urge you to accept them and to ask for additional ones if you can dispose of them. You can be assured of a very pleasant afternoon in a delightful setting.

I am counting on, and hoping for, your cooperation to make this, my first undertaking, a success. Will you help?

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs. Jacob) Rose Rudd.



## **Installation of Officers This Sabbath**

The newly elected officers of Kehilath Jeshurun will be formally installed this Sabbath morning. We urge all our members, seatholders and friends to attend services as a mark of tribute to the new officers. A Kiddush, at which Mr. Max Etra, Treasurer, and Mr. Jacob Alpert, Comptroller, will be hosts, will be served to all, after the services. Show your interest in your synagogue by attending this week.

## **Final Cultural Class To Be Held May 31st**

The last meeting for the season of the cultural class will be held Wednesday, May 31st at the home of Rabbi and Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein, 106 East 85th Street, at 8:30 o'clock. Those who have attended these lectures will truly regret the end of the season and will look forward with great anticipation to resuming them in the fall. Anyone wishing to attend this final meeting will be most welcome.

## **Shevuoth and the Synagogue**

It is customary for every synagogue to be fittingly decorated for the very beautiful festival of Shevuoth. Kehilath Jeshurun had always taken great pride in the beauty of its synagogue, particularly at this spring festival. Should anyone like to share in the "mitzvah" of decorating the shul, we will appreciate a contribution of not more than \$1.00. However, whether you contribute or not, please be assured that everyone will be welcomed at the Shevuoth services. Come with your families and enjoy this glorious holiday.

## **Rabbi Lookstein To Be At Home**

Rabbi and Mrs. Lookstein will be at home to members and friends of the congregation, Thursday, May 25th, the second day Shevuoth, from three until six o'clock. A very cordial invitation is extended to all.

## **A Special Request From The Rabbi**

Dear Congregants:

In view of the threat to the Jewish Homeland in Palestine through the nullification of the Balfour Declaration, Jewry of America has been asked to assemble in their synagogue this Sabbath to renew the oath of loyalty to Palestine which our Forefathers took centuries ago.

I appeal to all our friends to attend services this Sabbath and with hope and courage reaffirm our devotion to the land of our fathers.

Sincerely yours,

Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein.

## **Ramaz Academy Parent-Teacher Association Meeting**

A large representation of parents gathered in the social hall of the synagogue on Tuesday night for the last meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association. After the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, Rabbi Lookstein was called upon by the President, Mrs. George Jacobs. Everyone listened attentively to the Rabbi's message during which he emphasized the need of books in every home, pleading particularly for Jewish books. The Rabbi advocated that the purchase of Jewish books be included in the monthly budget. After the meeting a social hour followed at which delicious refreshments were served.



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## UNION OF ORTHODOX CONGREGATIONS CONVENTION

The Union of Orthodox Congregations of America will convene during May 27th to 30th in New York City. This is the forty-first anniversary regional council of New York, New England and Eastern States. The program for that period is a very elaborate and interesting one. Saturday, May 27th, will be known as Sabbath Convention in all the synagogues in New York City. Sunday, May 28th, a luncheon will be held at the Paramount Mansion, followed by the afternoon session, at which time Rabbi Lookstein will lead the discussion on "Our Youth, the Jews of Tomorrow." Other prominent rabbis and leaders will participate in other subjects on Jewish education. On Monday, May 29th, The Temple of Religion at the World's Fair will be the meeting place of the convention, with many well-known rabbis and laymen participating in a symposium on "Democracy and Religion in the World of Tomorrow," in which our own Rabbi will be one of the principal speakers. This symposium will be closed with a benediction by Rabbi Lookstein. Tuesday afternoon, May 30th, at the Spanish and Portugese Synagogue, special memorial services will be held, with exercises at the Chatham Square Jewish Cemetery.

Members and friends of the synagogue are welcome at any and all of the sessions. Reservations for the luncheon at the Paramount Mansion may be made through the Kehilath Jeshurun office. The price per plate is \$1.50.

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## TROOP No. 237

Although we happily await summer's approach, nevertheless it is with regret that we gaze upon the close of our Girl Scout Troop for the season.

We've had grand times together producing a play, learning modern dance steps, jumping rope and making new friends. We hope to end our season with a party and entertainment which will add a final touch to our good times until we return again to continue them in the fall.

THELVINA FINKER,  
Girl Scout Leader.

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## Bulletin Bids You Farewell

With this issue, the Kehilath Jeshurun Bulletin discontinues publication for the summer and will be resumed prior to the High Holidays. The Bulletin takes this means of wishing all its readers a very happy and healthful summer.

## Summer Schedule of Services

Morning services throughout the summer will be held at 6:30 and 7:15 o'clock. Mincha will be held ten minutes before sunset and will be followed by Maariv. Mincha services on Friday nights will be held at 6:30 and on Saturdays, twenty minutes before sunset.

## Shalashudas To Be Given Every Saturday

Starting this week there will be a Shalashudas every Saturday following Mincha at which time Rabbi Lookstein will deliver his discourse in Yiddish. The singing of zmiros and traditional melodies will be part of the program each week.

## Congratulations

Kehilath Jeshurun extends sincere congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lipstein upon the Bar Mitzvah of their son Norman, this Sabbath. We earnestly trust they will celebrate many happy occasions and that Norman will always be a source of great happiness to them.

Sincere congratulations are extended to Mrs. J. C. Herman, upon her role as great-grandmother, a child having been born to her grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Frank of 251 West 81st Street. We trust Mrs. Herman will live to enjoy many more years of happiness surrounded by all her dear ones.

## Ramaz Academy Completes Second School Year

On Friday, June 16th, with the close of sessions, the Ramaz Academy will have completed its second school year. The opinion that the Ramaz Academy is the outstanding school of its kind has been reiterated time and again by educators who are prominent in the field of progressive education.

Registration for the new school year to begin in September, is now in progress. A kindergarten class and first, second, third, fourth and fifth year classes will be available. Before you plan for the summer, make the necessary arrangements for enrollment in the Academy. Rabbi Lookstein can be seen in the office any morning or by special appointment to discuss particulars with interested parents.

## Rosenberg Unveiling May 28th

On Sunday, May 28th, at 11 A.M., at the Union Fields Cemetery, Cypress Hills, Brooklyn, the stone of Dora Rosenberg, wife of our member Mr. Max Rosenberg, and Mother of our members Mr. Murray M., Mr. Samuel H., Mr. Miles Rosenberg will be unveiled. Dora Rosenberg will long be remembered for her fine qualities of heart and mind and the nobility of her character.

## "The Dybbuk" To Be Presented

"The Dybbuk," well known and stirring four-act Chassidic Drama by S. Ansky, will be presented in English, by "Vilon," Central Jewish Institute Dramatic Troupe Sunday, May 21st, at 8:30 P.M. in the C.J.I., 125 East 85th Street. All are invited to attend this worthwhile performance. Tickets are available at 25c, 35c, 50c.



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