

# KEHILATH JESHURUN BULLETIN

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## OVER \$50,000 CONTRIBUTED TO UNITED JEWISH APPEAL

A stirring appeal was made in our synagogue on the second day of Shevuoth by Rabbi Lookstein. The response was generous and heart-warming. Many of our members had already made their contributions through their trades and professions. Some increased their previous contributions, others gave anew. Our records show that thus far our members contributed to the United Jewish Appeal more than \$50,000.

While all this is very gratifying, it is nevertheless true that some of our members and many of our seat-holders have not yet made their 1944 pledge to the UJA. Our committee appointed for that purpose will contact all of these. We are confident that no one with a Jewish heart in him will abstain from contributing to this, the supreme cause of all causes—the saving and salvaging of lives.

## FATHER'S DAY SATURDAY, JUNE 17

Our esteemed member, Dr. Maurice Finkelstein, Professor of Law at St. John's University, will deliver the principal address on Father's Day, Saturday, June 17th. His subject, appropriately enough, will be "Father's Day." As usual there will be special

services befitting the occasion. We always like to remember that ours was the first Men's Club group that formally celebrated Father's Day in any house of worship anywhere in the world. Our Alvin Austin, Chairman of the National Committee for Father's Day, originated the idea. It has now become an institution with us. At the close of the services everyone is invited to Kiddush in the Social Hall, as a guest of the Men's Club.

## JEWISH WELFARE BOARD APPEAL

Since the last issue of the bulletin the following have responded to the Jewish Welfare Board Appeal. Mrs. L. Kramer, Paul H. Shapiro, Mrs. Henry A. Rafsky, Elihu Katz, Jacob D. Cohen Aaron J. Simon Mrs. George Jacobs, George Jacobs, Reuben Westerman, Nathan L. Barach, Kate Gabrilov, Samuel Lustbader, Louis J. Singer and Abraham Wiener.

The vast majority of our membership has as yet not responded. It is inconceivable that any good American and Jew will overlook the Jewish Welfare Board this year. It is the sole agency that provides for the religious needs of our boys in the service. Whatever your contribution, you must not withhold it nor delay it.



## THE LAST BULLETIN OF THE SEASON

✓ With this issue the bulletin discontinues publication until September. We are pleased to record here important dates and other data to remember.

✓ 1. Regular daily, Friday night and Sabbath services will continue throughout the summer.

✓ 2. Weekday services will be held at 7:30 A. M. and 6:30 P. M. Sunday morning services at 8:30 A. M.

✓ 3. Friday night services will begin at 6:30 P. M. and Saturday morning at 9 A. M.

✓ 4. Rosh Chodesh prayers will be recited on the following Sabbaths. Saturday, June 17th. Rosh Chodesh Tamuz will be on Wednesday and Thursday, June 21st and 22nd . . . Saturday, July 15th. Rosh Chodesh Av will be on Friday, July 21st . . . Saturday, August 12th. Rosh Chodesh Ellul will be on Saturday and Sunday, August 19th and 20th.

✓ 5. The following important days of a religious character occur during the summer. Sunday, July 9th will be the Fast of the Seventeenth Day of Tamuz. Sunday, July 30th will be the Fast of Tishah B'av.

✓ We take this means of wishing all our readers a pleasant and healthful summer. May we all return refreshed and recreated when the new season rolls around.

## SISTERHOOD NEWS

Mrs. Harry Etra, new president of the Sisterhood, met with her enthusiastic staff of officers last week and together they prepared a working program of intensive activities for the coming year. To implement this program the following were announced as chairmen of standing committees. Mrs. Seppy I. Silberman—Membership; Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein—Program; Mrs. Joseph E. Adler—Hospitality; Mrs. Jacob H. Alpert—Publicity.

The S. Lawrence Brody's and the Harry Etra's as well as the Samuel Rosen's leave for their summer homes this week. Our best wishes to them.

Wedding anniversaries will be observed next week by Rabbi and Mrs. Lookstein, Mr. and Mrs. Seppy Silberman and Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Singer. Heartiest wishes to them all for many years of wedded happiness.

The Sisterhood takes this means of saying au revoir to its entire membership for the summer. A very healthy and happy summer to all. May we return renewed in strength and enthusiasm to carry on our great work.

## GUEST CANTORS TO OFFICIATE

Over the next few Sabbaths our services will be read by guest cantors. They will be men outstanding in their profession, whose rendition of the Sabbath prayers will be most pleasing to our worshippers. We hope that many will come to listen and to enjoy these guest cantors.



## MEN'S CLUB NEWS

### MEMBERSHIP

The true value and worth of our Men's Club is best attested to by the consistent growth of our membership. It is truly a reflection of our good deeds. We are living proof of the fact that effective and constructive action produce commendable results. Men from far and near are affiliated with us. This week, Membership Chairman Jack Alpert announces and welcomes as new members the Messrs. Jonas Adler and Joseph L. Friedman. With the addition of these new names we closely approach the two hundred and fifty mark, exclusive of our men in the service.

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### BENEVOLENT FUND

The effectiveness of our Benevolent Fund has never been better exemplified than at the present moment. We are giving much needed aid to some of our very own, who are less fortunate than the rest of us. When we lend a helping hand to faltering brethren, we reach the highest plane of understanding and regard for our fellow humans. These private cases are very often apt to be overlooked. Along with our many other interests, we shall never fail to heed the plight of the needy. This week we thank Alvin Austin, Jack Rudd, Elliott Siegel and Louis J. Singer for their generous contributions.

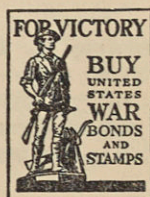
### GETTING PERSONAL

The venerable Tanchum Silberman, lies desperately ill in the Hospital for Joint Diseases. We fervently hope and pray for his recovery . . . The Oscar Gruen's are in Hot Springs, Ark. May the healing waters of the baths effect a cure for Mrs. Gruen . . . Congratulations to our Dr. Elihu Katz on his appointment as Clinical Professor at New York Polyclinic Hospital . . . Heartiest congratulations to Rabbi and Mrs. Lookstein on their wedding anniversary . . . Believe it or not, some folks have already made reservations for next year's Annual Dinner.

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### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

The last regular monthly meeting of the season of the Men's Club Executive Board will be held on June 13th, at 8:30 P. M. in the library of the Synagogue. The annual election of officers will take place along with the appointment of the chairmen of all standing committees.





### Synagogue Officials

Joseph H. Lookstein ..... Rabbi  
Joseph E. Adler ..... Ritual Director

### Officers of the Congregation

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### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

#### FRIDAY

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

#### SATURDAY

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

Weekly Portion: Naso 4:21-7:89

Haftarah: Judges 13:2-25

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

#### DAILY SERVICES

Morning ..... 7:30 A. M.

Sunday Morning ..... 8:30 A. M.

Evening ..... 6:30 P. M.

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