

KEHILATH JESHURUN BULLETIN

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The Sermon This Saturday

In accordance with a long standing custom, Rabbi Lookstein will discuss in his sermon this Saturday the moral and religious aspects of the current political campaign. The title of the sermon is significant: "Clear it with — Your Conscience." Our worshipers may expect a very interesting treatment of that subject. Try to come.

Sabbath Circle

A very lovely attendance of men and women helped to inaugurate the Sabbath Circle which was established last Saturday. Tea was served in the social hall, then Mincha, a discourse by the rabbi and Mahriv.

This Saturday the Sabbath Circle will meet again. The Rabbi will continue on the general theme, "Foundations of Jewish Law." The schedule is as follows:

Tea will be served at 4:45 P. M. followed by Mincha services and the Rabbi's discourse.

We extend a special invitation to the women of the congregation and to the young folks to attend the Sabbath Circle. West Siders who made inquiries will also be welcome. Arrangements for their transportation home after services will be provided.

Talmud Class

The Talmud class will meet on Monday night in the library of the Synagogue at 8:30 P.M.

Kol Nidre Pledges

Please don't forget your Kol Nidre pledge. Moneys for our project will be needed very shortly and we are anxious to have all the pledges made good as soon as possible.

This Is Your Synagogue

A synagogue is dedicated to the worship of God and to the service of man. The varieties of service, however, are subject to changing needs and circumstances.

We are anxious to know your needs and how best to serve them. We are embarking now upon new ventures with purchase of our new building. We are anxious, therefore, to utilize to the full the new opportunities that will be offered.

Won't you let us know how best to serve you and your families? Are there adult classes that you would like to have organized? Are there groups for young people that you would like to see formed? Have you in mind certain recreational activities that we ought to sponsor? What ideas have you about the afternoon religious school that will shortly be under our auspices? What improvements would you suggest in our synagogue structure which we plan to remodel completely?

By giving us your opinion on these matters, you can be helpful to us, helpful to yourself and helpful to others. The Rabbi, the chairmen of the various committees, the officers of the congregation are the ones to whom you may convey your ideas and suggestions. If you write to us and your letter is of general interest, we will be pleased to publish your letter in the Bulletin. Do let us hear from you.

And Still More

Signed applications for membership in our congregation have been received from Mr. Sidney P.C. Epstein and Mr. and Mrs. Jules Fabry. We heartily welcome the newcomers and we hope that many will follow their example.

SISTERHOOD NEWS

Mrs. Aschner to Speak

All members of the Sisterhood and their friends are cordially invited to attend the next meeting scheduled Monday, November 6th, at two o'clock in the Social Hall of the synagogue. After the business session, at which proposals for the function of the year will be presented and discussed, we shall be privileged to hear Mrs. Juliette T. Aschner, famed for her book reviews and lectures. Two widely read books of current interest will be the subject of Mrs. Aschner's analysis at this meeting. The first, a novel by Gwethalyn Graham, "Earth and High Heaven", is a book in which every Jewish woman should be interested, since it deals with the problem of a mixed marriage. The second, "The Yankee from Olympus" by Catherine D. Bowen, deals with the life of a famous justice, and is probably more engrossing than any novel could be. Mrs. Aschner, by virtue of her experience, is expertly qualified to present this topic to us.

Set aside Monday afternoon for this special treat. You are assured a warm, sisterly welcome. Tea will be served at the close of the meeting.

Aid To Wounded

True, a fine group came and worked last Monday afternoon on surgical bandages. But there were many ladies missing who should have been amongst us. Victory has not yet been won. The war is being waged in many parts of the world, and the **need** for hospital necessities exceeds the **supply**. Come and do your bit for our wounded boys. You will go home with a fine feeling of accomplishment for a most worthy cause.

New Member

Membership Chairman Cel Silberman is happy to announce that Mrs. Robert Zessman has joined our Sisterhood. Our roster is ever growing. New membership proposals will be heartily welcomed by our chairman.

A Speedy Recovery

We extend our heartiest wishes for a speedy recovery to Mrs. Hyman Weiss, wife of our dear member. We pray that she may soon be restored to health and be back with her family.

Calendar of Events

Sat. afternoon — Sabbath Circle — at 4:50 P.M.

Mon. Nov. 6 — Sisterhood meeting — at 2:00 P.M.

Mon. Nov. 6 — Talmud Class — at 8:30 P.M.

Tues. Nov. 21 — Men's Club meeting — at 8:30 P.M.

Thurs. Nov. 23 — Thanksgiving services — at 11 A.M.

Memorial Plaques Reserved

Plaques have been reserved on our memorial tablet for Enoch and Rose Wolberg, by their daughter Mrs. Emanuel Simon, and for Mr. Max Kessler by his father, Mr. Abraham Kessler.

These names will be added to our Yiskor scroll and will be mentioned at every Yiskor service.

Bequest To Synagogue

Our late member, Mr. William Bachrach, made a bequest in his will to our congregation. A suitable plaque on our memorial tablet will be inscribed in his memory, in accordance with his wishes.

MEN'S CLUB NEWS

The November 21st Meeting

France is today in the throes of a new birth. She is seething with the aftermath of German occupation. The Allied Nations have just recognized General Charles de Gaulle as the head of the Provisional Government. How timely it is, therefore, that we are to have as our next guest speaker on Tuesday, November 21st, the renowned Frenchman, Dr. Paul Phelps Morand! As an intimate of General de Gaulle and his colleagues, he possesses first hand knowledge of the problems and plans of his mother country. He will speak on

"France and the Future of Europe."

National War Fund

These are the facts! Last year our group led all others in the Upper East Side section of Manhattan. This year, we are sorry to report, the outlook is quite the contrary.

If our congregational effort is to succeed, we must have more volunteers, otherwise we cannot make a complete coverage of the area assigned to us. The need is great and it is the duty of each one of us to aid in this most important communal drive. Because of our splendid past record, we enjoy a universal reputation for fine community spirit. The truth is that only a few of us have brought this about. The time has now come for more of us to participate. Won't you help? Kehilath Jeshurun Men's Club is calling on you to give some small portion of your time to a most patriotic cause. Don't fail us. In helping us, you are helping your own dear ones in the service. Write of 'phone the Synagogue office, AT. 9-5760 or AT. 9-0820.

Chanukah Gift Fund

We herewith acknowledge with thanks the generous donations of Dr. Alexander Elfin and Mr. William Fischberg to the Men's Club Chanukah Gift Fund. As you all know, these boxes are distributed by the chaplains of the Jewish Welfare Board to Jewish boys in service in all parts of the world.

If each of us gives, then no boy will be forgotten. This is one way that we at home can help to make this ancient festival a little brighter for those far removed from their fire-sides. We can make a little less lonesome the boys' absence from their families. The cost of one of these boxes filled with appropriate contents, is one dollar (\$1.00). This is an instance when a small sum performs a great deed. Grateful letters from the recipients overwhelmingly testify to this.



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CHOICE

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FOR SALE**

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Phone Synagogue Office
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**Rabbi Lookstein will preach
this Saturday at 10:30 A.M. on
"CLEAR IT WITH—YOUR CON-
SCIENCE."**

Schedule of Services

FRIDAY

Lighting of Candles 5:30 P.M.
Mincha Services 5:40 P.M.

SATURDAY

Morning Services 9:00 A.M.
Weekly Portion: Vayer Genesis
18:1—22:24

Haftorah: II Kings 4:1—37

Sabbath Circle 4:50 P.M.
Mincha Service will follow.

Daily Services

Morning 7:30 A.M.
Sunday morning 8:30 A.M.
Evening 5:40 P.M.

Yahrzeits for the Week

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