

Kehilath Jeshurun Bulletin

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RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN

will deliver the second sermon

on "THE RECONSTRUCTIONIST PRAYER BOOK"

THIS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27TH

subject:

"THE AFTERMATH OF THE PRAYER BOOK"

Services Begin at 9:00 A. M.

THE RABBI WILL SPEAK AT 10:45 A. M.

Doors Will Be Closed at That Hour

RABBI LOOKSTEIN CRITICIZES RECONSTRUCTIONIST PRAYER BOOK

In a learned and stern sermon on the subject, "Can a Prayer Book Be Custom Made?" Rabbi Lookstein gave a forthright critique on the recently published Reconstructionist Prayer Book.

Drawn by the timeliness of the subject and the attention that it has gained, a very fine congregation listened to the Rabbi's analyses. This Saturday the Rabbi will discuss the aftermath of the prayer book. He will give his reactions to the "Herem" pronounced against the book and the statements issued by the authors of the book as well as by others in connection with the entire matter.

Those who heard last Saturday's sermon will need no urging to attend this Saturday's services. Those who have not, are advised not to miss the sermon this Saturday which undoubtedly will be as forthright, as fair and as fearless as the preceding one.

OUR 1945 VICTORY YEAR BOOK

The first meeting of the co-chairmen of the 1945 Year Book Committee was held last Sunday to consider the plans for the new Year Book. It was decided to dedicate the book to the men of Kehilath Jeshurun who served in the armed forces of our country, some of whom have made the supreme sacrifice.

The chairmen—Messrs. Sol Lustbader, Samuel A. Marcus and Elliott W. Siegel—are confident that this Victory Year Book will receive the full cooperation of the congregation and its affiliates, and that our members and friends will contribute their efforts as they have done in the past to make this the most successful Year Book.

The goal set is \$18,000, which we hope to raise through advertisements, greetings and compliments of friends and well-wishers. Ad blanks will shortly be mailed for the use of our congregants.

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**SERVICES THIS
SATURDAY AT 8:30**

This Saturday, the weekly portion of the Torah will be read by the Bar Mitzvah, Frederick Zuckerman. Services will therefore begin at 8:30.

NEW STUDY GROUP FORMED

A new study group for young people has recently been organized in our Synagogue House under the auspices of the Religious School. The group meets twice a week, on Tuesday and Thursday, from 5:00 to 6:30 P.M., to study the "Prophets" and Modern Jewish History. The leader is Dr. Sidney Hoenig, Professor of Jewish History at Yeshiva College.

This study group affords young men and women an excellent opportunity for cultural enrichment. Each session is stimulating and enlightening. We urge our parents to bring this program to the attention of their sons and daughters who are invited to join the group.

Our 1945 Victory Year Book
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The main feature of the 1945 Year Book will be the comprehensive record of services rendered to the war effort by our men and women in the armed forces, as well as on the home front. This will be given full display in the form of photographs, accounts of bravery and outstanding achievement, and biographical sketches of our heroes.

A special service questionnaire is being prepared and we ask the cooperation of our friends in furnishing us with pertinent information about the participation of each member of the family.

SISTERHOOD NEWS

Our Donor Luncheon

At the recent meeting of the Executive Board on October 22nd, detailed plans for our annual Donor Luncheon were discussed and formulated. Mrs. Samuel Marcus, Chairman of the Luncheon Committee, expressed the hope that this gala event, which will be held on December 11th at the Savoy Plaza Hotel, will not only receive the fullest support of the membership but will break all previous records. We know that the women of the Sisterhood and the Congregation at large will participate in this affair and thus assure its financial and social success. Subscription to members is \$15.00, guest tickets may be had for \$10.00. Members may earn their subscriptions by securing \$30.00 in ads for our Year Book.

**Mrs. D. Harry Kleinfeld
Ad Chairman**

We are pleased to announce that Mrs. Marcus, our Luncheon Chairman, has appointed Mrs. D. Harry Kleinfeld, Ad Chairman. We are confident that under her able guidance our ad quota will go "over the top."

"Young Folks Program"

Our Executive Committee has given serious consideration to the establishment of young folks groups to further the cultural and social interests of young people. Now that the war is over and our young men and women are eager to return to peacetime pursuits there is a definite need for such groups. The Sisterhood will cooperate with the Religious School in organizing and developing programs for young people.

Our Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Sisterhood will be held on Monday, November 5th, at 1 o'clock at the home of our devoted member, Mrs. Louis Yohann. After the business part of the meeting there will be a social hour. Mark the date on your calendar and be sure to attend this meeting.

KEHILATH JESHURUN BULLETIN

You and Your Men Friends are Cordially Invited to Attend
THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF THE MEN'S CLUB
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 1945, at 8:30 P. M.

in the
AUDITORIUM OF THE SYNAGOGUE HOUSE
to hear

DR. OSCAR I. JANOWSKY

Speak on

"JEWISH POSITIONS IN A CHANGING WORLD"

Dr. Janowsky is Professor of History at the College of the City of New York. He has traveled and observed conditions in Western and Central Europe, in the Balkans and in Palestine. He is also a member of the Commission to Study the Organization of the Peace. By education and profession he is eminently qualified to discuss world affairs and the problems of the Jews and other minorities.

BAR MITZVAH

Our congratulations to our esteemed members Dr. and Mrs. Morris Zuckerman upon the Bar Mitzvah of their son Frederick which will be celebrated in our synagogue this Saturday, October 27th. Frederick, who is a pupil of the Ramaz School, will read the weekly portion of the Torah at the morning service in addition to performing the usual Bar Mitzvah rituals.

RAMAZ NOTES

We extend our good wishes to Matthew Zuckerman, graduate of the Class of February 1943, who is our first alumnus to enter college. Matthew completed his high school course in two-and-a-half years and is now attending Yeshiva College.

Our children enjoyed the delightful talk of Rabbi Lookstein on South America at the Senior Assembly held Thursday, October 25th.

Heartiest congratulations to our pupils Martin Berkowitz, Jacob Bloom, Samuel Klagsbrun, Daniel Merims, and Frederick Zuckerman on the occasion of their Bar Mitzvah.

MEN'S CLUB NEWS

We are happy to welcome into the fellowship of our group Messrs. George Bloom, Leon Gronowitz, Dr. Irving E. Lazar, Stanley J. Logan and Carl S. Serling. In extending our congratulations, we hope that they will prove to be faithful and active members.

CLUB NOTES

Mr. Samuel Goodside, Director of Club Activities, announces that two new clubs were recently organized at the Synagogue House. One is the "Hanoar Haivri" — Hebrew Youth Club, which is an affiliate of the city-wide youth organization by the same name, and is dedicated to the ideals of Hebrew culture. The other is the Mizrahi Youth Club which is devoted to the rebuilding of Palestine as a Jewish Commonwealth in the spirit of traditional Judaism.

All of our clubs are open to the children of members as well as to the children of the community at large. For the dates of meeting of these organizations please refer to the Calendar of Events in this bulletin.

Synagogue Officials

Joseph H. Lookstein *Rabbi*
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, October 29th, 8:30 P. M.—
 Talmud Class.
 Tuesday, October 30th, 3:30 P. M.—
 Cub Pack 656 Meeting.
 Tuesday, October 30th, 3:45 P. M.—
 Hanoar Haivri.
 Tuesday, October 30th, 7:15 P. M.—
 Girl Scout Troop 3-126 Meeting.
 Wednesday, October 31st, 3:30 P. M.
 Brownie Troop 3-273 Meeting.
 Wednesday, October 31st, 7:30 P. M.
 Boy Scout Troop 656 Meeting.
 Thursday, November 1st, 3:30 P. M.—
 Mizrachi Youth Meeting.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY

Lighting of Candles 4:45
 Mincha 4:50

SATURDAY

Morning 8:30
 Children's Services 10:00
 Weekly Portion: Vayera Genesis
 18:1-22:24.
 Haftorah: 11 Kings 4:1-37.
 Mincha 4:45
 Conclusion of the Sabbath 5:35

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
 Sunday Morning 8:30
 Evening 4:50

YAHREZITS

OCTOBER

27 LAZAR WOHL
 27 MORDECHAI SCHNITZER
 28 LILLIAN ROTHSTEIN
 28 SIMON GROSS
 30 JOSEPH BUCHER
 30 JACOB KOHN

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