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OUR DAILY SERVICES DURING THE SUMMER

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While all major congregational activities and functions are suspended for the summer months, daily and Sabbath services are held according to a year-round uninterrupted schedule. The attendance at services during the past year has increased consistently - a fact of which we are genuinely gratified and proud.

With the coming of the summer months, however, when so many of our worshippers leave the city for seashore or mountain resorts, the attendance naturally decreases. Sabbath services, of course, still attract a goodly number of congregants. The daily services, on the other hand, present a bit of a problem.

The community which our congregation serves is, unfortunately, not heavily populated with Jewish residents. We cannot, therefore, expect a casual passer-by to drop in for services. We must rely upon our regular worshippers to provide our daily morning and evening minyan.

Daily services are held in the Chapel, where cool comfort accompanies a short but dignified service, at 7:30 in the morning and 6:30 in the evening. On the Sabbath, the services are conducted in the Main Synagogue, where we will continue to provide our worshippers with a decorous and spiritually-uplifting service in pleasant and comfortable surroundings.

We appeal to our readers to help us maintain the fundamental institution of daily services by attending as frequently as possible. If you are in the city and find it possible to join us of a morning or an evening, please make it a point to do so. You

SAMUEL LEVY AND MEMBERS OF **BUILDING COMMITTEE HONORED**

Tribute Paid to Messrs. Bernard, Cummings, Jacobs, Kommel, Singer, Weisman and Winer

In a most uncommon display of genuine devotion to a congregation and sincere appreciation to those who rendered notable service, the men of Kehilath Jeshurun joined Wednesday evening to pay tribute to the Chairman, Vice-chairman and members of the Building Alterations Committee at a Testimonial Dinner held in the Social Hall. Those honored were Samuel Levy, George Jacobs, Abbott Bernard, Alexander Kommel, Louis J. Singer, Ira F. Weisman and Abraham R. Winer.

Remembering, too, the chairman of the first Building Fund Campaign, back in 1944, those present added Israel Cummings to the roster of hon-

ored quests.

LAST BULLETIN OF SEASON

With this issue of the Bulletin, we discontinue publication until September. Throughout the year the Bulletin has served our members and friends as a source of religious and communal information. Within its pages were reflected the diversified activities and achievements of the congregation and its affiliates.

As the season draws to a close, we take this opportunity to thank our readers for their continued interest and cooperation. They responded readily and generously to the many worthy causes that we espoused,

the new year rolls around.

We wish all our readers a pleasant and healthful summer. May we all return refreshed and invigorated when

will thereby be performing one of the greatest mitzvahs.

(The Summer Schedule of Services will be found on page 4).

In a few well-chosen words, our president Mr. Max J. Etra, who presided, spoke of the efforts expended by the Committee, the results achieved, and the devotion and selflessness they manifested in he execution of their duties. He read a citation which expressed the sentiments of the entire membership their gratitude and profound appreciation, as well as their prayers for the continued good health and wellbeing of these loyal sons of Kehilath Jeshurun.

Each of our honored guests was called upon to step forward and receive the well-earned plaudits of the membership. Mr. Etra pointed particularly to the service rendered by Mr. Cummings who, directing the first drive, gave impetus to the succeeding campaigns, which, in turn, resulted in the beautiful House of Worship we know today.

Mr. Samuel Levy who responded in behalf of the Committee, expressed his personal feelings on the coopera-

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Rabbi Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 10:45 a.m. on "A JEWISH-SPONSORED UNIVERSITY AND A JEWISH UNIVERSITY —

WHAT WE EXPECT OF EACH"

SISTERHOOD NEWS

New Member -

We extend a hearty welcome to Mrs. Richard Kolb, who joined our group last week, and we wish her a long and happy stay with us.

Donor Luncheon Set for December —

Mrs. Harry W. Baumgarten, newly-elected president of the Sisterhood, announced earlier this week that arrangements have been completed for the Annual Donor Luncheon to take place on Tuesday, December 12th, at the Essex House. Important details of the affair were discussed at a committee meeting held on Monday, at which several appointments to the various luncheon committees were made.

The chairman of the affair will be Mrs. Harry Abrams, who will have as her co-chairman Mrs. A. Milton Brown. Mrs. Samuel Marcus was named Gifts Chairman; Mrs. D. Harry Kleinfeld, chairman of the special raffle being conducted in conjunction with the Luncheon; and Mrs. Benjamin L. Leifert was appointed to head Publicity.

Lunc eon to be on Give or-get Basis —

Tickets to the Luncheon, which will shortly be distributed, are priced at \$12.50 each. A raffle for a Portrait Painting Study by the noted artist, David Immerman, is being conducted in connection with the Luncheon. The sale of a complete book of raffles, totaling \$15.00, will entitle the solicitor to a free admission ticket. Mrs. Kleinfeld, who will be in charge of this raffle, has announced that raffle books will be made available to Sisterhood members within the next few days, in order to give our members as much time as possible to dispose of them.

There appears to be little doubt that the Luncheon will be a complete sell-out well in advance of its scheduled date. We are certain that every Sisterhood member will cooperate by purchasing tickets or selling raffles, and assure the success of the affair. A word of advice: do it before you leave for summer resorts! You will be doing the most good by giving the new administration your helping hand now!

BUILDING COMMITTEE HONORED

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tion he received from his co-workers, and the outstanding role played by Mr. Jacobs in every facet of the alteration project. He added a few words of how thankful he was to have been privileged to see the project completed and to have done his share in it. Mr. Levy concluded his remarks by making mention of the final phase of the Building Fund Campaign: the amount still needed to write "finis" to the entire undertaking.

Mr. Etra then called upon Rabbi Lookstein for a few words. The Rabbi first took the occasion to commend the work of each member of the Committee. He echoed the sentiments expressed by Mr. Etra in praise of the Chairman, our elder statesman, Samuel Levy, whose keen judgment, experience and staunch support provided a source of unfailing encouragement, and set an example for all of his fellow members to follow. Continuing, the Rabbi elucidated upon what has been aptly termed "Operation Clean-up." The Rabbi reviewed the campaign, from its beginning in 1944 to the present time, and what has been accomplished with the proceeds of annual drives for funds. He reported on the decision of the Board to embark upon a final major campaign — one for \$50,000 — with which to complete the commitments made in the course of the alteration work.

The Rabbi's talk was greeted with a most heartwarming, spontaneous reaction. Handsome contributions were announced from the floor; many, who preferred to make their contributions privately, made known their gifts to Mr. Etra at the end of the evening. In all, the response was so generous that the quota set is well within our grasp.

Anniversarians Receive Citations —

A highlight of the evening was reached earlier when Mr. Etra called upon five members to come forward and receive an engraved citation, in recognition of certain membership-anniversaries each commemorated in recent years. Recipients of these citations included Philip Bachrach, Thomas Bornstein, Samuel Levy, Isadore Schlang and Aaron J. Simon

41 TO GRADUATE FROM RAMAZ ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

At graduation exercises which will take place Tuesday evening, June 13th, forty-one boys and girls will receive their diplomas from the elementary department of Ramaz School. This graduating class—the eighth since the school was founded —is the largest in Ramaz history.

The members of the graduating class are: Roselle Abramson, Jack Alstadter, Morris Amitay, Charles Barbanel, Philip Berger, Walter Berkowitz, Joseph Bezborodko, Joseph Blumenthal, Martin Brody, Faith Caplan, Ellen Charles, Phyllis Cohen, Ruth Dickenstein, Fred Ehrman, Joseph Elfenbein, Joel Flatow, Paul Freireich, Denise Frisch, Kurt Gitter, Edgar Hausman, Ruth Helfand, Ruth Kahan, Joseph Kalb, Jay Kobrin, Robert Kornblum, Luise Landes, Carol Linzer, Shulamith Molotin, Evelyn Mond, Joseph Neustadter, Rubin Rechtschaffen, Paula Rosen, Armin Rosencranz, Frada Rubinstein, Renee Sacks, Hadassah Savetsky, Morton Schatzman, Gabriel Schwartz, Martin Slove, Ira Sochet and Odette Soihetman.

The Valedictory Addresses to be heard at the graduation exercises, will be delivered by Ruth Dickenstein, who will speak in Hebrew; and Joseph Kalb, who will speak in English. The Opening Prayer, in Hebrew, will be offered by Morris Amitay. Morton Schatzman will offer the Closing Prayer in English.

Twenty-four of the graduates will continue their secondary education at Ramaz High School. Several others will enter public and private high schools. Two have been admitted to Talmudical Academy, the high school department of Yeshiva University.

To each, too, went our blessings for many more years of association with Kehilath Jeshurun.

To have been present and observed the evening's proceedings, would have gladdened the heart of any member. Indeed it was a privilege to witness the reward of those who deserve recognition, and the spirit of warmth and sincere feeling to fellow-members and to a parent institution of which we are all justifiably proud.

ACADEMIC NEWS

We take pleasure in making mention of the educational milestones which children of our members reach this month, and in so doing, we extend our heartiest congratulations to them and their families. May they continue to greater and greater heights in their quest for knowledge.

Sara Ann Abrams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Abrams, is completing the Lower School work of Calhoun School and is entering its Upper School.

Charles Henry Greenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Greenberg, is graduating, cum laude, from Syracuse University with a degree in administrative engineering.

Victor Barnett, son of Mrs. Ralph Hyman, has been admitted to the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, having graduated from Horace Mann.

Ruth Joseph, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Joseph, was awarded high honors at her graduation from the Riverdale Country School for Girls, and will continue at Radcliffe College.

Marcella Kohn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kohn, won first prize in a city-wide contest for the best piece of fiction writing. Art Editor of her school publication, Marcella is graduating from Julia Richman High School and plans to continue at the Bezalel School in Jerusalem.

Elliott Messing, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Messing, is completing his work at Columbia Grammar School, and has also been accepted at the Wharton School.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rosen are celebrating a double simchah. Their daughter, Helen, who served as her class president, was graduated from Wells College; and their son, Arthur, from Franklin and Marshall.

Donald Singer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Singer, will leave for Massachusetts in the fall to attend Amherst College.

Fred Zuckerman, son of Dr. and Mrs. Morris Zuckerman, has been admitted to Yale University. You are cordially invited to attend services on

Father's Day Sabbath

sponsored by the Men's Club

SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 17th

At the conclusion of the service, a Kiddush will be served in the Social Halí

Services begin at 9:00 o'clock

MEN'S CLUB NEWS

Louis W. Yohann to be Honored as Father of Year —

On Father's Day Sabbath, June 17th, the annual Men's Club award to its "Father of the Year" will be presented to Louis W. Yohann in ceremonies which will form a par of the regular Sabbath services.

The selection of Mr. Yohann this year has met with general and genuine approval. An active member of the Men's Club, Mr. Yohann has worked on numerous committees, and the success of past Chanukah and Purim parties was due, in large measure, to his efforts.

A leading member of the Congregation, Mr. Yohann has served as a member of the Board of Trustees for several years and has been a devoted and generous supporter of every congregational activity. He is one of the most ardent workers for the Year Book, and has been among the top ad-getters in several campaigns.

In Mr. Yohann and his son, Alan, both the Congregation and the Men's Club have one of the few father-and-son combinations on the membership

We salute our Father of the Year, and invite our readers to be with us on Father's Day Sabbath, June 17th. A kiddush in the Social Hall will follow the services.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birthdays -

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Jacob Baruch, Dr. Erich Buechler and Mrs. Edward Griffel.

Engagement -

Heartiest Mazel Tov wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schenker in the engagement of their daughter, Jelene Susan, to Mr. Gerald Goldstein of Brooklyn.

Anniversaries —

Best wishes to the following members who are celebrating wedding anniversaries this week: Mr. and Mrs. David B. Baum, Mr. and Mrs. A. Milton Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Casner, Mr. and Mrs. David Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kohn, Dr. and Mrs. Paul Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Marcus, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rosen.

Special greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Singer who celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary last week.

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Please Note -

At the last Forum Meeting, which Mr. Walter White addressed, many guests indicated their interest in receiving additional information on the subject of Mr. White's talk. Interesting material is now available — at no cost, of course — and may be had by contacting the Synagogue

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Pres., Sisterbood

6:30

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Evening

FRIDAY

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SATURDAY	
Morning Weekly Portion: Shelach, Numbers 13:1-15:41	9:00
Haftorah: Joshua 2:1-24 Rosh Chodesh Prayers: Rosh	
Chodesh Tammuz will be on Thursday and Friday, June 15 and 16	
Julie 10 and 10	

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Sunday	Morning	8:30

Evening 8:15

Conclusion of Sabbath 9:00

SUMMER SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY

Evening	6:30
SATURDAY	
Morning	9:00

Evening....15 minutes before sunset **DAILY**

Morning	7:30
Sunday Morning	8:30
Evening	6:30

Summer Calendar —

Sunday, July 2 — Fast of Tammuz Saturday, July 8 — Rosh Chodesh Prayers: Rosh Chodesh Ab will be on Saturday, July 15

Sunday, July 22 — Tisha b'Ab

Saturday, August 12 — Rosh Chodesh Prayers: Rosh Chodesh Elul will be on Sunday and Monday, August 13 and 14

PARENTS ENJOY SPECIAL RELIGIOUS SCHOOL PROGRAM

The special Religious School program, arranged in honor of our parents, was enjoyed by over a hundred guests who attended this past Tuesday evening. The performances of our children in "King Solomon and the Bee" and musical renditions were indeed something to talk about, and all of those who had a hand in the evening's program are to be commended for an extraordinarily fine piece of work.

Using the occasion to promote a Pupil Registration Campaign, Mr. Myer B. Appleman, principal of the school, introduced Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein, who, in a brief talk, urged upon the parents to cooperate to the fullest in our efforts to increase pupil enrollment in the school. His words were echoed by Mr. Appleman and given further stress by Mrs. Benjamin L. Leifert, president of the Parents' Club.

Closing Exercises — to be held June 21st —

Closing Exercises in the Religious School will be held on Wednesday, June 21st, at 4:00 o'clock in the Auditorium. At this assembly, prizes and honor certificates will be awarded to hose students who excelled in one or another of the subjects during the course of the past year. Final report cards will be distributed and fond farewells will be exchanged.

Fall Term Begins on September 10th —

The fall term will begin on Sunday, September 10th. During the

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

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Welcome Back -

We are happy to welcome Max Scheidt and Simon Vogel, who returned earlier this week from abroad.

Bon Voyage -

We extend our best wishes for a pleasant voyage to Ralph Hyman and Walter J. Vogel, who are now on their way to Europe for a brief stay.

CONDOLENCE

We record with deep sorrow the passing of the beloved father of Mrs. Abram Miller, a member of our Sisterhood, and extend to the family our heartfelt sympathies. May the Almighty spare them from further grief for many years to come.

YAHRZEITS

June

- 10-MAX RAFSKY
- 10—LOUIS SIEGEL
- 11—AARON JACOBS
- 13—SAMUEL LEWIS
- 13—HERMAN SCHIMEL
- 14—SOLOMON HECKLER
- 14—SAMUEL M. KAPLAN
- 15—JOSEPH LEMLER 16—ABRAHAM KASS

week prior to that date, registration of old and new students will take place in the school office. Parents are urged to make note of the date, and arrange to have their children start with the very first day.

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