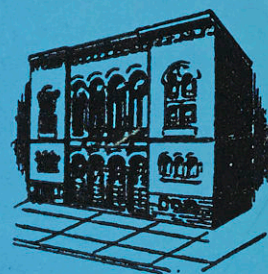


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*A Happy Passover
to our
Members and Friends*



PASSOVER GAILY CELEBRATED BY OUR RAMAZ AND RELIGIOUS SCHOOL CHILDREN

The festive holiday of Passover is being fully celebrated by the children of our Ramaz and afternoon Religious Schools in their many classroom activities and in a series of Model Sedorim that attract not only the children but many parents as well.

The spirit of Passover is felt in our Synagogue in many ways. The lobby of the Synagogue House is gaily decorated with Passover motifs as are the classrooms and the Auditorium. The singing of "Ma Nishtana", "Echad Mi Yodea", "Dayenu" and other Seder songs can be heard all week in the classrooms and in the halls. The climax of all this preparation is the beautiful Model Sedorim conducted by our Ramaz and afternoon Religious School children.

On Thursday and Friday mornings, March 31st and April 1st, the Ramaz students will conduct their Sedorim in the auditorium of the Synagogue House. The Religious School will hold its Seder on Sunday morning, April 3rd. Each Seder will feature the chanting of Kiddush and the singing of all the special Passover songs. Kings and Queens preside over each class and the Seder ceremony is conducted in the traditional Passover manner. Tasty meals will be served for the occasion and the total ceremony will be a rich experience that will soon be re-enacted in the children's homes.

The series of Model Sedorim is one of the high points of the activity year of both Ramaz School and the Religious School. They are important not only for the children but for the many parents who enjoy the rich experience of witnessing the religious and educational growth of their children in the beautiful setting of their school.

The Third and Concluding

SUNDAY SUPPER LECTURE

will be given by

RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN

on Sunday evening, April 17th on

"LUBAVITCH: MAN'S RELATION TO GOD"

Dinner will be served at 6:30 P.M.

Please make your Reservations Early!

SAVE THIS BULLETIN

We should like to call your attention to the fact that no Bulletins will be published during the Passover holiday. The next issue will be that of April 22nd.

Accordingly, we would urge our readers not to discard this Bulletin, since it contains schedules and other pertinent material covering this three-week period.

"JEWRY" DUTY

Summonses for "Jewry" duty will not be served until after the Passover holiday. Meanwhile we would like to extend our thanks and appreciation to those of our members who served on "Jewry" duty and attended services this past week. They are: Thomas Bornstein, William B. Fischberg and Herman Wouk.

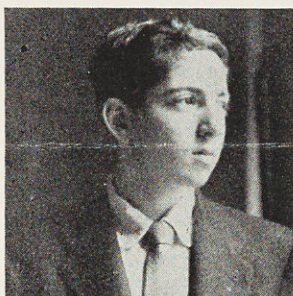
Rabbi Roth will preach this Sabbath at 11:00 a.m.

"THE ANATOMY OF THE JEWISH HEART"

HAPPY DAY FUND

We acknowledge with thanks a contribution to our Happy Day Fund from Mrs. Isaac E. Okun.

Members are invited to share their joyous occasions with others by making a gift to the Happy Day Fund. Contributions are to be sent to the Happy Day Fund Chairman, Mrs. Samuel Gross, 311 East 72nd Street.

DAVID GOODMAN BAR MITZVAH

We extend our heartiest Mazel Tov wishes to Mrs. Anne Goodman on the Bar Mitzvah this Saturday of her son, David, a pupil of our Afternoon Religious School. Congratulations also go to David's aunt, Mrs. Alice Rothkowitz, an instructor at our Religious School and Adult Education Institute.

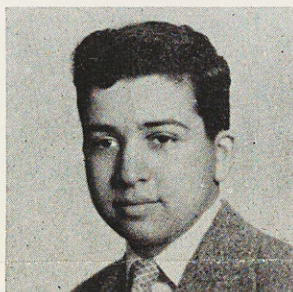
David is a member of the graduation class of our Religious School. He is in the 9th grade special progress class of Jr. High School 22 and looks forward to attending the Bronx High School of Science in the fall. His favorite subjects are Mathematics and Science and he has the ambition of becoming a surgeon. The hobbies on which he spends most of his spare time are photography and bike riding.

At services which will be held in our Synagogue this Saturday, David will read part of the Portion of the Week, as well as chant the Haftorah.

BOARD SETS MAY 5th FOR ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The Board of Trustees has set Thursday evening, May 5th, as the date for the 83rd Annual Membership Meeting of the Congregation.

Plans for the meeting are now being made, and we will, of course, notify our members in forthcoming issues of the Bulletin of what awaits them. Invitations, too, will soon be mailed directly to members, together with a response card which we hope they will return immediately upon receipt. We give this advance notice so that our members may make arrangements to be present at this meeting.

ALBERT I. BAUMGARTEN BAR MITZVAH

We extend a hearty Mazel Tov to Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Baumgarten on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Albert, on Saturday, April 16th. We would also like to congratulate our esteemed members, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Baumgarten, who are an aunt and uncle of the Bar Mitzvah boy.

Albert is in the eighth grade of our Ramaz School where he has merited being on the Principal's list. He is an accomplished radio ham and has passed the F.C.C. novice test and has already received his call letters.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY**Birthdays —**

Many happy returns of the day to Hyman Abrams, Harry Bachrach, Alexander Feifer, Mrs. William B. Fischberg, Mrs. Israel Jacobs, Dr. Emory Klein, Dr. Jack Lieberman, Morris Morgenstern, Aaron H. Onish, Jules Podell, Reuben N. Popkin, Mrs. Elliott W. Siegel, Mrs. David Warshavsky and Mrs. Louis W. Yohann.

Bar Mitzvah —

Hearty Mazel Tov wishes go to Mr. and Mrs. Yehuda Kleinhaus on the occasion of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Albert, this Saturday, and to Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Klein on their son Emanuel's Bar Mitzvah, on April 16th. Both boys are students at our Ramaz School.

Marriage —

We extend our heartiest Mazel Tov wishes to our devoted member, Dr. Philip A. Lief on his marriage in our Synagogue this past Sunday to the former Lila Ehrlich.

Anniversaries —

A happy Wedding Anniversary to Dr. and Mrs. Myron M. Bogdonoff, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Etra, Dr. and Mrs. Theodore R. Fink, Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Grossman, Mr. and Mrs. David Kallman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rudd and Mr. and Mrs. David Warshavsky.

60th Wedding Anniversary —

We extend special congratulations and best wishes for many more years of happy wedded life together to Mr. and Mrs. Elias Winer, parents of our esteemed Trustee, Abraham R. Winer, on the celebration of their 60th Wedding Anniversary this past Wednesday.

Speedy Recovery —

We extend best wishes for a complete and speedy recovery to Patricia Frank, daughter of our esteemed members, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Frank and to our devoted member, Mrs. Elgin Shulsky.

CONDOLENCE

We record with sorrow the passing of our devoted member, Mary Morganstern, beloved mother of our esteemed member, Alexander Morganstern and we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family. May the Almighty spare them further sorrow for many years to come.

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Thanks to the generous response of our members and friends, the 1955 Passover Relief Appeal realized close to \$3,100 — an amount substantial enough to enable us to render assistance to those cases which we were called upon to help this year.

We know our readers will be interested in a summary of the money received and disbursed, and so we are happy to render this brief report:

Receipts	\$3,068.00
Disbursements:	
Yorkville Passover Relief Committee, for the aid of the needy in our community	\$1,000.00
Sent to Israel, particularly for refugee relief work and institutions of Jewish learning	\$1,510.00
Special grants to organizations doing relief, educational and philanthropic work	500.00
To deserving individuals, mostly rabbis, who would not come to the attention of public charity	100.00
Total Disbursements	\$3,110.00
Deficit (money advanced from the Benevolent Fund)	42.00

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTORS TO PASSOVER RELIEF FUND

We are happy to list below the names of those who responded to the Passover Relief Appeal from March 22, to March 29, 1955.

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PREPARING FOR PASSOVER

There are several important matters that should be borne in mind during the Passover season.

"Kosher for Passover" —

A label bearing the inscription, "Kosher for Passover" is not necessarily a guarantee that the article so labeled is permissible for Passover use. Unfortunately, there are the unscrupulous who take advantage, and the credulous who fall prey. Whatever food article, therefore, that is purchased for Passover and which requires endorsement should indicate that it has the approval of a recognized rabbi or rabbinic organization.

Search for Chometz —

On the evening before the eve of Passover (this year, Tuesday evening, April 5th), every Jewish home should be inspected to make sure that all "chometz" has been removed. Like every religious practice, there is a ceremony connected with this inspection. It is well to observe that ceremony, not alone because it is a religious requirement, but because it affords an opportunity to impress the children of every household.

Sale of Chometz —

The important ritual of "m'chiras chometz" the sale of chometz, must be attended to by Tuesday, April 5th. Rabbi Lookstein will be available for this purpose during the pre-Passover period. For those who cannot come in person, we provide a form herewith which must be properly filled out, signed, and returned to the Rabbi no later than Tuesday. *Sunday*

Disposal of Chometz —

No chometz may be eaten after 9:30 A.M. on Wednesday, April 6th. All chometz should be completely disposed of by 10:30 that morning.

Service for the First-Born —

It is obligatory upon every first-born who cannot observe the fast on Wednesday, April 6th, to attend the special service on that day and to participate, at its conclusion, in the light collation that is served. The services for the first-born (Siyum Bechorim) will be held in the Chapel on Wednesday, April 6th, as part of the regular morning service which will begin at 7:30.

Eruv Tavshilin —

An Eruv Tavshilin should be prepared on Wednesday, April 6th, before sun-down in order to permit the preparation of food on the holiday for use on the Sabbath which follows the first two days of the festival.

I, _____, hereby authorize Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein to dispose of all Chometz that may be in my possession wherever it may be: at home, place of business or elsewhere in accordance with the requirements and provisions of the Jewish law.

Name

Address

SCHEDULE OF PASSOVER SERVICES

WEDNESDAY, April 6th, Passover Eve

Morning Services 7:30
 A special service for the first-born (Siyum) will be conducted following the regular services
 Evening 6:00*

THURSDAY, Passover I

Morning 9:00
 Rabbi Lookstein will preach at 10:45
 Evening 6:00

FRIDAY, Passover II

Morning 9:00
 Lighting of Candles 6:10
 Evening 6:00

SATURDAY, Shabbat Chol Hamoed

Morning 9:00
 Rabbi Roth will preach at 11:00
 Evening 6:15
 Conclusion of Sabbath 7:10

SUNDAY, MONDAY AND TUESDAY (CHOL HAMOED)

Sunday morning 8:30
 Monday and Tuesday mornings 7:15
 Evenings 6:00

WEDNESDAY, April 13th, Passover VII

Morning 9:00
 Rabbi Lookstein will preach at 10:45
 Evening 6:00

THURSDAY, Passover VIII

Morning 9:00
 Yizkor will be recited as part of the morning service
 Evening 6:15

NOTE: Doors will be closed before the Sermon begins and before the Yizkor Service starts. Please arrange to be in your seat in time.

*An Eruv Tavshillin should be prepared.

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TWO WEEK RECESS FOR FATHER-AND-SON MINYAN

Our Father-and-Son Minyan will recess for two weeks and will not meet on the Sundays of April 3rd and 10th. The Minyan will, however, resume meeting on Sunday morning, April 17th and continue until the end of the season. The concluding Minyan service will be held on May 22nd.

One of the important features of the Minyan service is the participation of our young men in the role of Chazanim. On March 20th, Carl Gershman, Charles Kleinhaus, Franklin Holzer and Steven Katz officiated. In the absence of Haskel Lookstein, who was home ill, Larry Kobrin acted as director.

This past Sunday the service officials were Henry Bloomstein, Carl Gershman, Charles Kleinhaus and Michael Mukasey.

The next Minyan get-together on April 17th, will feature Daniel Lewittes, Al Kaplan, Bennett Gershman and Benjamin Brown.

We are particularly proud of our Father-and-Son Minyan and we know that it is a rewarding experience not only for the boys, but for the older folks who attend. We know that there have been many who have not as yet taken advantage of the Minyan experience and it is still not too late. We hope that during the remaining sessions, a fine turnout of parents and friends will be on hand to conclude the Minyan feature in an appropriate way.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS

We are very proud to announce that a mural painted by the children of our afternoon Religious School has been accepted by the Jewish Museum for its present exhibit entitled "A Peep Into the Future". This exhibit represents the ideas of various schools throughout the country on what the American Jewish community will be like 300 years from now.

Our school mural portrays the establishment of world peace as part of a Messianic era.

To show our students that Hebrew is a living and vital language, we are taking them to view several films and featurettes with Hebrew sound tracks, on Sunday morning, April 24th. The films will be shown at the Thalia Theatre, 95th Street and Broadway, from 10:30 A.M. to 12 noon. All the children in the school will attend as part of their school program. Of added interest to the youngsters, there will be a magician and song specialist.

The cost is 50c per person and parents and friends who wish to attend should contact the school principal, Theodore Comet.

Services begin at 9:30 in the Chapel, with Brunch served at 10:30 and at 11 o'clock a basketball period in the gym. At the next meeting on April 17th, Hyman I. Bucher will deliver his talk on "Careers in Law", which was originally scheduled for this past Sunday.

JR. CONGREGATION TO HOLD CHOMETZ PARTY

This week the Jr. Congregation is going to hold its Annual Pre-Passover Chometz Party. There will be delicious refreshments and a wonderful pre-holiday atmosphere.

Our Jr. Congregation is completely run by the children who attend. The service is beautiful, inspiring and educational. Officers are elected and the children officiate as Cantors.

The officers for this month are Charles Scheidt and Steven Klein for the boys and Barbara Dratler and Jane Neustadter representing the girls.

Guest Speakers —

The feature of inviting guest speakers has met with success. It has proved to be one of the highpoints of a very enjoyable service. In previous weeks, Ronnie Etra and Linda Belkin have delivered talks and next week, we are looking forward to hearing from Menorah Lebowitz and after that Ronnie Klein.

The children who attend the Jr. Congregation learn to participate actively in the Synagogue service, one of the most important activities of Jewish life. Through this activity, communal prayer assumes an important position in their lives.

Prizes To Be Awarded —

Next week, Mr. Manfred Rechtschaffen will announce the prizes for the outstanding members. Everyone who attends the Jr. Congregation is eligible to receive one of these awards.

We extend a cordial invitation to all the children in the neighborhood to join us on this and succeeding Saturday mornings.

Special Passover Arrangements —

Our Jr. Congregation will hold services the first day of Passover, Thursday morning, April 7th, on Saturday morning, April 9th and on Wednesday morning, April 13th. On Friday, April 8th and Thursday, April 14th, the children are urged to join their parents in prayer. At the Passover services prayers from the Passover liturgy will be incorporated and appropriate refreshments will be served.

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**FRIDAY, April 1st**

Lighting of Candles 6:00
Evening 6:00

SATURDAY, Shabbat Hagadol

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:30
Weekly Portion: Tzav, Leviticus
6:1-8:36
Haftorah: Malachi 3:4-24
Evening 6:10
Conclusion of Sabbath 7:00

SUNDAY, April 3rd

Morning 8:30

FRIDAY, April 15th

Lighting of Candles 6:15
Evening 6:00

SATURDAY, April 16th

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:30
Weekly Portion: Shemini, Leviticus
9:1-11:47
Haftorah: II Samuel 6:1-7:3
Rosh Chodesh Prayers: Rosh Chodesh
Iyar will be on Friday and
Saturday, April 22nd and 23rd.
Evening 6:20
Conclusion of Sabbath 7:15

SUNDAY, April 17th

Morning 8:30
Father-and-Son Minyan 9:30

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Evening 6:00

YAHREZITS**April**

2—LOUIS FRIED
3—MINNIE HERMAN
4—PHILIP STEINBERG
4—ISIDORE M. GROSSMAN
5—FANNIE BERZIN
5—SOLOMON BELKIN
5—MAX ABRAHAMS
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7—LOUIS ROTH
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12—CHAYE VERMUS
12—HERMAN K. JARAY
15—ISAAC WARSHAW
15—AARON JACOBS
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19—JACOB FABIAN
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21—ARTHUR ROTHSTEIN
21—SAMUEL KLEINFELD
22—CHAYE D. KAPLAN
22—BARNET G. LEDER
22—HERMAN BUCHALTER
22—DORA SHAPIRO

A LETTER OF APPRECIATION

(The following letter was received from the Principal of the Jewish Community Center of Paramus, New Jersey, who attended our Purim service together with a select group of children. Ed.)

Gentlemen:

The Jewish Community Center of Paramus would like to say thank you for the hospitality you extended to the children and faculty of its Religious School.

May we say that all the children and teachers together with the parents who attended the Purim Services thought them to be most beautiful and inspiring, and many expressed the hope that such Purim Services would some day be conducted in Paramus.

Thanks once again.

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