

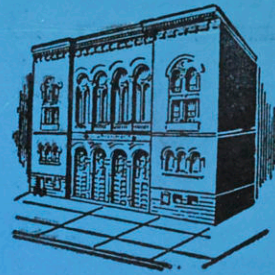
*Kehilath  
Jeshurun*

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*We extend to all our  
members and friends our  
very best wishes for a  
Happy Shevuoth*

## SHEVUOTH IN THE SYNAGOGUE

Shevuoth, the Feast of Weeks, commemorates the giving of the Ten Commandments on Mt. Sinai. It is also known as Chag Habikkurim, the Festival of First Fruits — a joyous occasion in ancient Palestine, an even more joyous occasion in the new State of Israel.

*Sunday May 25*  
On Wednesday morning, June 5, the first day of Shevuoth, the scriptural reading will include the Ten Commandments. This will be preceded by the chanting of Akdomos by the Rabbi and the congregation.

*Monday May 26*  
On Thursday, June 6, the second day of the festival, the Book of Ruth will be read, and Yizkor services recited. The Book of Remembrance, which the Congregation publishes annually, and in which are recorded the names of those in whose memory a Yizkor offering was made, will be made available to our worshippers at these Memorial services.

Shevuoth is the last major festival of the year — the third of the Shalosh Regalim. As the Festival of the Torah, it bids us to re-dedicate ourselves to the teachings and traditions of our faith. By our presence in the synagogue on the holiday, we affirm our loyalty to the Torah.

## SISTERHOOD AND MEN'S CLUB SPONSOR PARENTS DAY SABBATH JUNE 15th Religious School Graduation Part of Service

### ARE YOU GRADUATING IN JUNE?

In keeping with our yearly custom, we are planning to publish in the final issue of the Bulletin the names of those members of the congregational family who will celebrate educational milestones this June. We feel we should take public notice of those memorable occasions in the lives of our younger folk.

We ask of our readers, therefore, that if your son or daughter is graduating this June, or has been chosen for some outstanding honor by his school, please drop us a line and permit us to include the name among our "educational celebrants."

Please do not be bashful. Let's give our young people the pat on the back they deserve, and the encouragement they could use in their plans for the future. We assure you we shall be more than happy to publish all of the scholastic items we receive.

### TO ALL WORSHIPPERS

In keeping with our policy, we have omitted from the Schedule of Shevuoth Services the time when the Memorial Service (Yizkor) will be recited. We consider Yizkor a part of the entire morning's service, and those who wish to offer memorial prayers with us, are requested to be in the Synagogue when the morning service begins — at 9:00 o'clock — and to remain until the services are concluded, no later than 12:00 noon.

Continuing a policy established two years ago our Sisterhood and Men's Club are again joining hands to sponsor a Parents Day Sabbath. This special Sabbath will take place on Saturday, June 15th.

An unusual feature of that day will be the graduation exercises of the Afternoon Religious School. All the children of the Religious School will participate in the services and will join the graduating students as guests of honor.

Following a pattern well known to our worshippers, the congregation at the close of services, will remove to the auditorium of the Synagogue House where the graduating exercises will take place. An interesting program has been arranged that will include the awarding of diplomas to those students who have completed the entire course of study in our Religious School. The students who will receive diplomas are Jonathan D. Bien, Michael E. Pearson, Alan N. Shapiro, Katherine Silverblatt, Sidney F. Wolitzky and Rachel Zelkind.

At the conclusion of the service a tasty buffet kiddush will be served in the Social Hall by the Sisterhood and Men's Club in honor of the graduating class and the students of the school.

The Sabbath service is scheduled to begin at 9 o'clock. For the younger students we have made special arrangements. They will meet in the chapel at 10:30 where a special service will be conducted on their level. At approximately 11:30 they will be taken to the main synagogue to join in the musaf service.

We extend a cordial invitation to all members and friends of the Sisterhood and Men's Club and especially to the parents of the Religious School children to join us in this celebration of Parents Day Sabbath.

**Rabbi Lookstein Will Preach This Sabbath At 11:00 A.M.**

**"LIFE IS A MANY SPLENDORED THING"**

### KEHILATH JESHURUN SISTERHOOD

cordially invites its members and friends  
to attend its

#### CLOSING MEMBERSHIP MEETING

This Monday afternoon, June 3rd. *May 19*

in the Social Hall

Luncheon will be served at 12:30 o'clock

our special guest will be

**RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN**

#### TEN NEW MEMBERS TO BE INDUCTED AT OUR SISTERHOOD CLOSING MEETING

Among the items on the Agenda of the Sisterhood Annual meeting this Monday afternoon, June 3rd, is that of the induction of new members. In a lovely ceremony all those who have affiliated themselves with our Sisterhood during the past year will be formally inducted. These are: Mrs. Isidore Epstein, Mrs. George Fisch, Mrs. Joseph S. Gershman, Mrs. Jules Gourary, Mrs. Philip Kornberg, Miss Shirley R. Levittan, Mrs. Benjamin Levy, Mrs. Joseph Pincus, Mrs. Samuel Schreiber and Mrs. Meyer Texon.

The induction ceremony will be conducted by Mrs. Bernard D. Fischman, who will be subbing for her sister, Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein, membership chairman.

#### HAPPY DAY FUND

We acknowledge with thanks a contribution to our Happy Day Fund from Mrs. Ralph Hyman.

Members are urged 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. Reuben N. Popkin, 12 West 72nd Street.

#### PLEASE NOTE

The next issue of the Bulletin will appear June 14th. We urge our readers to retain this Bulletin, inasmuch as it contains schedules pertinent to the next two weeks.

#### REGISTRATION FOR RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NOW IN PROGRESS

Registration of children for the new school year is now in progress and will continue until the end of June, it was announced by Theodore Comet, principal of the afternoon Religious School. The new school year will begin on Monday, September 9th, at which time classes will meet on regular schedule for full instruction.

Parents of children now attending are urged to re-enroll their sons and daughters before they leave for their summer vacations. We should like to point out that re-registration of these children is not automatic; a registration form must be completed and returned to the school office before any child can be considered re-enrolled for the new year.

Those of our readers who know of children who are eligible for admission to our Religious School are urged to refer them to us. We are very pleased with the continued growth of our school, but this has only caused us to set our sights even higher. There are still many boys and girls in the neighborhood who get no Jewish education.

#### HOSTS AT KIDDUSH

This Saturday morning our esteemed members Dr. and Mrs. Victor Wouk will sponsor the kiddush in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Jonathan.

#### WITHIN OUR FAMILY

##### Birthdays

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Nathan Andrews, Mrs. Jacob Baruch, Dr. Erich Buechler, Mildred Feinberg, Ralph Hyman, Mrs. Robert L. Karlin, Alexander Kommel, Abraham Mandel, Charles T. Rosen, Adolph Schenker, Mrs. William Unger, Mrs. Ned Wachtel, Mrs. Reuben Westerman, and Mrs. Abraham Wiener.

##### Anniversaries

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Irving Angel, Mr. and Mrs. Justin J. Bayer, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Casner, Mr. and Mrs. Samson Eichler, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard D. Fischman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Friedman, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham L. Marcus, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Marcus, Mr. and Mrs. I. Jerome Riker, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schlang, Mr. and Mrs. Seppy I. Silberman and Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Singer.

##### Hunter Alumnae Director

We are happy to report that Miss Babette Kass, daughter of Mrs. Sadie Kass and the late David Kass, has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Hunter College Alumnae Association.

##### Cocoa Award

We have been informed that our esteemed trustee, Ernest Adler, was presented with an inscribed silver tray by the Cocoa Merchants Association of America for his untiring efforts in serving that organization as president and director.

##### Welcome Back

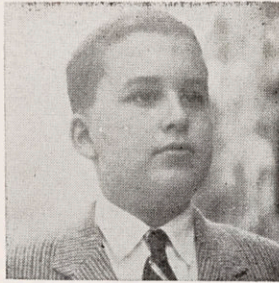
We are pleased to welcome back our esteemed trustee, Samuel Rosen and Mrs. Rosen, who are returning to us this coming week from a six week trip to Europe.

#### CONDOLENCE

We record with sorrow the passing of Mollie Becker, beloved sister of our devoted trustee, Aaron J. Simon, and of our esteemed members, Abbott, Daniel and Emanuel Simon.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the members of the bereaved family and we pray that the Almighty spare them for many years to come.

**JONATHAN WOUK BAR MITZVAH**



We extend a hearty mazel tov to our esteemed members, Dr. and Mrs. Victor Wouk, on the bar mitzvah of their son, Jonathan.

Now in the eighth grade at the Horace Mann School, Jonathan is president of the Science Fiction Club and, as this indicates, his major interest is in science. Jonathan once attended Ramaz. Since leaving his Jewish education has been provided by his father who stems from a long line of rabbis and teachers. Every Sunday morning father and son can be seen actively participating in the Father-and-Son Minyan.

Jonathan's favorite hobbies include astronomy and stamp collecting while his favorite sports are bicycling and swimming.

At services which will be held in our Synagogue this Saturday Jonathan will read the entire Torah portion as well as chant the Haftarah.

SATURDAY SCHEDULE OF SHEVUOTH SERVICES	
TUESDAY, JUNE 4, SHEVUOTH EVE	8:00
Evening	8:15
SUNDAY MAY 25	
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, SHEVUOTH I	
Morning	9:00
Rabbi Lookstein will preach at 11:00 A.M.	
Evening	6:30
MONDAY MAY 26	
THURSDAY, JUNE 6, SHEVUOTH II	
Morning	9:00
Yizkor Prayers are recited as part of this service	
Evening	8:15

**YOUNG MARRIEDS FINAL MEETING  
JUNE 16th**

On Sunday evening, June 16th, our Young Marrieds Group will hold its final get-together of the year at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Philip A. Lief.

Our Young Marrieds Group, which is ending its second season, has met periodically in members homes for a combined social and cultural evening. Some of the topics discussed this year were: "Archaeology and the Bible", "Traditional and Reform Judaism" and "Israel and the Middle East."

These evenings give our younger members a chance not only to discuss matters of Jewish interest but also to know one another better so that they can form the kind of bonds that should exist among members of a congregational family.

**AWARDS GIVEN AT SCOUTS  
ANNUAL MEETING**

A large turnout that included 35 members of the Cub Pack and 15 Scouts attended the Annual Meeting of our Kehilath Jeshurun Troop No. 640 which took place this past Monday evening in the Auditorium of the Synagogue House. A fine program was presented by our youngsters and awards were given for excellence in various areas of accomplishment. The new officers were honored and a summer camp scholarship for outstanding Scoutmanship was earned by Scouts Adams and Morris.

Rabbi Sherman Siff, supervisor of the group, spoke briefly but movingly. In recognition of his outstanding service the Scouts presented Rabbi Siff with a loving cup.

Dr. Ned Wachtel, chairman of the Scout Committee, extended greetings on behalf of the Men's Club which sponsors the group. Dr. Wachtel's talk was in the nature of a farewell address for after many years of dedicated service he was relinquishing his post due to the pressure of outside commitments. Dr. Wachtel is being succeeded by Gerald Goldstein, a member of the Men's Club executive board.

We would like here to express our thanks to the scout leaders David Weisberg and Larry Sternberg, whose hard work made possible this most successful year in our troop's history. Although they will be unable to return next year we are sure that the foundations they have laid will assure the Troops future under the leadership of their successors.

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**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES****FRIDAY, MAY 31\***

Evening ..... 6:30

**SATURDAY**

Morning ..... 9:00

Junior Congregation ..... 10:15

Weekly Portion:

Naso, Numbers 4:21 - 7:89

Haftorah: Judges 13:2 - 25

Evening ..... 8:10

Conclusion of Sabbath ..... 9:00

**FRIDAY, JUNE 7\***

Evening ..... 6:30

**SATURDAY**

Morning ..... 9:00

Junior Congregation ..... 10:15

Weekly Portion:

Behaaloteka, Numbers 8:1-12:16

Haftorah: Zechariah 2:14 - 4:7

Evening ..... 8:15

Conclusion of Sabbath ..... 9:10

**DAILY SERVICES**

Morning ..... 7:30

Sunday morning ..... 8:30

Evening ..... 6:30

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13-SAMUEL B. COOPERMAN

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Saturday afternoon at 7:10—Talmud  
Class—Library.

Monday evenings at 8:30—Talmud  
Class—Library.

Saturday morning, June 15th, at 9:00  
A.M.—Parent's Day Sabbath.

Tuesday evening, June 18th—Men's  
Club Baseball Party—Yankee Stad-  
ium.

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