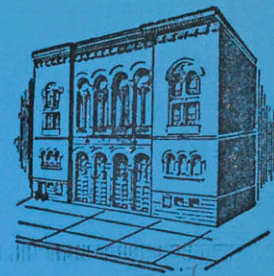


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The Sisterhood and Men's Club of  
**CONGREGATION KEHILATH JESHURUN**  
cordially invites its members and friends  
to join in

## *Parent's Day Sabbath*

**This Saturday, June 15th**

Graduation Exercises of the Afternoon Religious  
School will be conducted as part of the service.

Service begins at 9 o'clock

Children's Service at 10:30 in the Chapel

### **LAST BULLETIN OF THE 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 affiliated organizations.

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. Such drives as the Educational Scholarship Fund, Passover Relief Appeal, the Benevolent Fund, and the many others that Kehilath Jeshurun conducts, were warmly received and whole-heartedly supported by Bulletin readers.

We extend our sincerest wishes for a pleasant and restful summer to our members and friends. May we all return refreshed and invigorated when the new year rolls 'round.

**Rabbi Lookstein Will Preach This Sabbath At 11:00 A.M.**  
**"HOW WELL ARE WE EDUCATING OUR CHILDREN?"**  
**A Sermon for the Commencement Season**

### **OUR SERVICES DURING THE SUMMER**

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. Services Friday evening are scheduled at 6:30 and Sunday morning at 8:30. On the Sabbath, we will continue to provide our worshippers with a decorous and spiritually-uplifting service.

We appeal to our readers to help us maintain the daily services.

### **RABBI LOOKSTEIN APPOINTED ASSOCIATE CHAIRMAN OF FEDERATION**

We are happy to report the news that Rabbi Lookstein has been appointed one of the associate chairmen of the 1957-1958 campaign of the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies of New York. To our knowledge this is the first time a rabbi has been named to this post. This appointment is public recognition of yet another facet of our Rabbi's many-sided talents.

**Sisterhood Elects:**

**MRS. OSCAR PERLBERGER, Pres.;** **MRS. ALEXANDER GROSS, Vice-Pres.;**  
**MRS. ABRAHAM KIRSHON, Treas. and MRS. SAMUEL GROSS, Sec'y.**

At its closing membership meeting held on Monday afternoon, June 3rd, the Sisterhood held its annual elections. The slate of officers re-elected for another term in office consisted of Mrs. Oscar Perlberger, President; Mrs. Alexander Gross, Vice-President; Mrs. Abraham R. Kirshon, Treasurer and Mrs. Samuel Gross, Secretary.

The meeting got underway with the usual tasty luncheon. Mrs. Perlberger then opened the program with her annual report in which she covered the highlights of the Sisterhood year. Mrs. Perlberger extended warm thanks to her fellow officers, her committee chairmen and the membership at large for their splendid cooperation during her first year in office.

Mrs. Kirshon's financial report revealed a successful year in which aid was again given to the many Sisterhood philanthropic projects. The following reports were then rendered: Monte Carlo Affair — Mrs. Harry W. Baumgarten; Program — Mrs. William Lebowitz; Donor Luncheon — Mrs. Hyman I. Cohen; Theatre Party — Mrs. Eugene Hollander; Sabbath Kiddush — Mrs. Edward Lebowitz; Federation — Mrs. Elgin Shulsky; U. J. A. — Mrs. Richard Kolb; Gift Shop — Mrs. Edgar C. Trautman; Happy Day Fund — Mrs. Perlberger on behalf of Mrs. Reuben Popkin; Neediest Cases — Mrs. Elliott W. Siegel on behalf of Mrs. Seppy I. Silberman; Gertrude Lookstein Ramaz Scholarship Fund — Mrs. Samuel Gross.

**New Members —**

Mrs. Bernard D. Fischman, acting on behalf of Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein, membership chairman, presented the following new members for induction into the Sisterhood: Mesdames Isidore Epstein, George Fisch, Joseph S. Gershman, Jules Gourary, Philip Kornberg, Benjamin Levy, Joseph Pincus, Samuel Schreiber, Meyer Texon and Miss Shirley R. Levittan.

**Rabbi's Talk Concludes Program —**

In keeping with established custom Rabbi Lookstein offered the closing remarks. With his usual combination of warmth and humor he provided some sage advice for the summer.

**HAPPY DAY FUND**

We acknowledge with thanks contributions to our Happy Day Fund from Mrs. Aaron H. Onish and Mrs. Seppy I. Silberman.

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.

**MEMO TO MEMBERS**

Next week letters will be sent to all members of the congregation regarding reservations of seats in our synagogue for the coming High Holy Days.

We ask our members to please bear this thought in mind:

During the year our membership has grown considerably and many new families have moved into the neighborhood who are interested in associating themselves with us. As a result, there are ever increasing demands made upon us for High Holy Day Seats. We are therefore compelled each year to assign seats to our members only upon request. A reply post card will be included for this purpose.

We are happy to accommodate our members and their families with the seats of their choice. This can only be done however if the office is so informed.

**RABBI SHERMAN SIFF TO JOIN CHAPLAINCY CORPS**

Rabbi Sherman Siff, our Rabbinic Assistant, will shortly don mufti as a First Lieutenant in the United States Army Chaplaincy Corps for a two year tour of duty.

During his stay with us Rabbi Siff made many warm friends in Kehilath Jeshurun. His fine qualities of scholarship and piety have been fully appreciated by our congregation. At services this past Saturday morning, Rabbi Lookstein extolled his young Rabbinic Assistant and bade him farewell with the best wishes of the Kehilath Jeshurun family for success in his new career.

**New Rabbinic Assistant —**

Max J. Etra, president of the congregation, announced that Rabbi Albert Hollander has been appointed Rabbinic Assistant for the summer months beginning June 15. Rabbi Hollander will be in charge of all rabbinic functions during the summer period.

A graduate of Yeshiva College and its Theological School, Rabbi Hollander comes to us directly from his two year stint as Chaplain in the United States Army where he served with the Ryukyus Command in Okinawa. Born in New York City, Rabbi Hollander held the position of Director of the Hillel Foundation at Queens University in Canada and also occupied several pulpits before entering the Armed Forces.

Rabbi Hollander is a member of the Executive Committee of the Rabbinic Alumni of Yeshiva and is presently pursuing studies towards his Ph.D. in Jewish History. It is a pleasure for us to welcome Rabbi Hollander and we wish him well in his new post.



**SISTERHOOD OFFICERS (l. to r.): Mrs. Abraham R. Kirshon, Mrs. Alexander Gross, Mrs. Oscar Perlberger and Mrs. Samuel Gross.**

**"RELIGION IN CHILD DEVELOPMENT"  
THEME OF YOUNG MARRIEDS  
MEETING JUNE 16**

"The Place of Religion in the Child's Development" will be the topic under discussion at the concluding meeting of the season of our Young Marrieds Group this coming Sunday evening, June 16. This meeting will be held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Philip A. Lief.

Our guest speaker for this occasion will be Dr. Phoebe Rosen, Fellow in Child Psychiatry at Mt. Sinai Hospital. Dr. Rosen is an authority on early childhood and what she will have to say on the importance of religion in filling the emotional needs of children will be of special interest to us.

**RELIGIOUS SCHOOL TO HOLD  
CLOSING EXERCISES FRIDAY**

Our afternoon Religious School will conclude its academic year this Friday, June 14. A special program will be given that will include a presentation by members of several classes.

**Registration in Progress —**

We would again like to announce that registration of children for the new school year is now in progress. Parents of prospective students, as well as of those now attending, are urged to take care of the enrollment of their sons and daughters before they leave for their summer vacations.

We are interested in making our facilities available to as many children as possible. If any of our readers know of eligible children, please contact the Synagogue Office.

**BON VOYAGE**

Best wishes for a pleasant trip and a safe return are extended to all of our members who will be taking trips during the summer and to Rabbi and Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein who are leaving for Europe the end of June.

**HOSTS AT KIDDUSH**

The concluding Sabbath Kiddush on Saturday, June 22nd, will be sponsored by our esteemed Trustee, Hyman Abrams, and Mrs. Abrams, in celebration of the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sara Ann, to George G. Berman.

**JR. CONGREGATION TO HOLD  
CONCLUDING SERVICE SATURDAY**

The final Jr. Congregation service of the season will take place this Saturday morning, June 15th, at 10:30 a.m. in the Chapel. The younger members of the Religious School will be the special guests at this time.

In view of the Parents' Day Sabbath program, the youngsters will be brought upstairs to the Main Synagogue at about 11:30 for the concluding portion of the adult service.

While making this announcement, we would like to comment briefly on what we consider an activity of vital and long lasting importance to the boys and girls who took advantage of it during the past 35 weeks. Since the High Holidays, the Jr. Congregation has met every Saturday and holiday morning, week in and week out, rain or shine, with a large turnout of youngsters who conducted the service by themselves and for themselves. The proper supervision was provided in the person of Franklin Holzer who introduced several new features this year.

In the fall we hope that even more youngsters from the neighborhood will take advantage of this important religious function.

**Attendance Prizes —**

Children who joined in the services throughout the year received credits for every Service they attended. These credits entitle them to prizes—the greater the number of credits, the more valuable the prize. We ask all children who would like to apply for their reward to stop by at the Synagogue Office to fill out the form that has been prepared for this purpose.

**ACADEMIC NOTES**

We take great pleasure in listing the names of our younger folk who are celebrating educational milestones this June. In so doing, we extend to them our heartiest congratulations and our best wishes for success in their future careers:

Lawrence Fishman, Ramaz '51, won a Research Fellowship at the end of his freshman year at Harvard Medical School to conduct research at the Massachusetts General Hospital.

Lawrence Kobrin, another Ramaz grad and the leader of our Saturday afternoon Youth Group, is graduating Columbia Law School where he was on the Administrative Board of the Columbia Law Review. Larry's next step is the army which he enters next month.

David Rosen, son of our devoted trustee, Samuel Rosen, and Mrs. Rosen, has just been graduated from Yale University.

Herman Schlusell, son of our esteemed members, Mr. and Mrs. Murray J. Schlusell, just received his accountant's diploma from Miami University. Herman also received the Hillel National Honor Key for four years of service to that organization and he was the first recipient of the Donald D. Michelson Award tendered the outstanding graduate. The proud parents are now in Florida celebrating the occasion.

Sylvia Schneider, daughter of our devoted members, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schneider, is a Summa Cum Laude graduate of Barnard.

James Winer, son of our esteemed trustee, Abraham R. Winer, and Mrs. Winer, is a June graduate of the High School of Music and Art who has earned membership in the Art Honor League and the Service Honor League. Jimmy suffered an embarrassment of riches when he was accepted by the Architectural Schools of both Pennsylvania University and the University of Virginia. Jimmy chose the school closer to home and K. J. and will enter Pennsylvania U. in the fall.

It's now Dr. Fred Zuckerman since the son of our devoted members, Dr. and Mrs. Morris Zuckerman, received his M.D. degree from the Columbia College of Physicians and Surgeons.

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**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES****FRIDAY**

Evening ..... 6:30

**SATURDAY**

Morning ..... 9:00  
Junior Congregation ..... 10:30  
Weekly Portion: Shelah Leka,  
Numbers 13:1-15:41  
Haftorah: Joshua 2:1-24  
Evening ..... 8:20  
Conclusion of Sabbath ..... 9:10

**DAILY SERVICES**

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

**YAHZEITS****June**

15—CELIA BREITBART  
16—MENUCHAH GREEN  
16—ARTHUR DAVID BOXER  
17—DORA ROSENBERG  
17—SAM LEFKOWITZ  
18—HARRY KATZ  
18—ANNA LEBOWITZ  
18—JAMES LEVY  
18—ROSE SARAH LIEBERMAN  
19—PHILIP SCHUCHMAN  
19—MICHAEL KURZROK  
20—DAVID S. SILVER  
20—BENJAMIN JACOBY  
21—AARON KURTZ

**WITHIN OUR FAMILY****Births —**

We extend a hearty Mazel Tov to our esteemed members, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Silver, on the birth of their second child, Frank Martin. Our best wishes also go to the proud grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Silver.

Another of our Mazel Tavs is for our devoted members, Mr. and Mrs. Martin E. DeGraaff, the proud grandparents of a girl born to their children, Mr. and Mrs. Moshe Azulai

**Birthdays —**

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Alexander Gross, Benjamin Levy, Mrs. Benjamin Levy, Dr. Israel Malbin, Reuben Popkin, Mrs. Joseph Roth, George Schneider and Mrs. George Schneider.

**Marriage (Past) —**

Our warmest Mazel Tov goes to our esteemed trustee, Isaac E. Okun, and to Mrs. Okun, on the marriage this past Sunday of their daughter, Rhoda, to Bert W. Marmon.

**Marriages (Future) —**

During the next few weeks two Simchas will be observed. We congratulate

... Our devoted Trustee, Hyman Abrams, and Mrs. Abrams, on the June 23rd marriage of their daughter, Sara Ann, to George G. Berman.

... Our esteemed member, Mrs. Alexander Garfein, on the June 16th wedding in our synagogue of her daughter, Joan Marcia, to Martin Shretter. Our Mazel Tov also goes to the proud grandmother, one of our oldest members, Mrs. Osias Garfein.

**Anniversaries —**

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. A. Milton Brown, Mr. and Mrs. B. Warren Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kohn, Dr. and Mrs. Leo Edelman, Mr. and Mrs. Jules Gourary, Mr. and Mrs. David Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene R. Sarezky and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Vogel.

**Special Anniversaries**

Our best wishes for many more years of happily wedded life go to our devoted members, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham R. Kirshon, who are celebrating their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

It's twenty years of wedded life for our devoted members, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard D. Fischman and our wishes are for many, many more.

**SUMMER CALENDAR**

Saturday, June 22—Rosh Chodesh Prayers; Rosh Chodesh Tammuz will be on Saturday and Sunday, June 29 and 30.

Tuesday, July 16—Fast of Tammuz.

Saturday, July 27—Rosh Chodesh Prayers; Rosh Chodesh Ab will be on Monday, July 29.

Tuesday, August 6—Tisha B'Ab.

Saturday, August 24—Rosh Chodesh Prayers; Rosh Chodesh Elul will be on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 27 and 28.

Saturday night, September 21—Slichoth Service.

Thursday, September 26—First day of Rosh Hashana

**NOTE TO SUMMER CELEBRANTS**

As we write this concluding issue of the BULLETIN it comes to mind that all those who celebrate birthdays and anniversaries during the summer months do not have a chance to be listed and congratulated in the BULLETIN. To provide a total list in this final issue would be impractical, however, we would like to tell these celebrants that they are not forgotten and we herewith officially extend them our very best wishes.

**CONDOLENCE**

We record with sorrow the passing of Morris Okun, beloved brother of our devoted trustee, Isaac E. Okun.

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

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