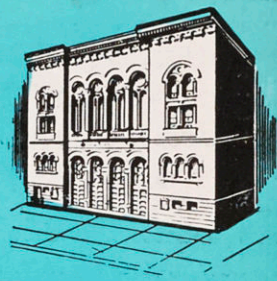


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SABBATH SEUDAH SEMINAR BEGINS THIS WEEK

You are cordially invited to attend

OPENING ADULT INSTITUTE LECTURE IN THE SERIES

"A HISTORICAL PORTRAIT OF THE JEW"

This Wednesday evening at 9:00 P.M.

in the Social Hall.

RABBI HASKEL LOOKSTEIN

will speak on

"200 B.C.E. — 586 B.C.E.

The Birth and Growth of a People"

A discussion of the nature and function of Jewish History from the birth of Abraham until the destruction of the First Temple.

Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 11 A.M.

"TRAINING OUR CHILDREN TO BECOME OUR HEIRS".

"Triple Treat" in Prospect

An old program of our congregation will begin this week in a new and enriched form. The Sabbath Seudah Seminar which, for the past five years, has warmed the hearts of as many as seventy five participants on a cold wintery Saturday afternoon, will be inaugurated this Sabbath at 4:30 P.M. with a number of new and youthful features.

Religion, Refreshments and Reflection

The program begins with Mincha in the chapel. The Torah will be read by young Myron Miller while the cantor for the service will be our new member Mr. Gerald Kaufman. The officiating of "non professionals" will be a regular feature of this program.

We will then adjourn to the Social Hall where a light and warm collation will be served. The Sabbath mood will be captured by appropriate Z'mirot, and new congregational melodies will be taught by Cantor Plitnick.

The highlight of the Seminar will be a discussion of some aspect of the weekly portion, led by a member of the group.

The Role of Parents

This week two of our younger members will jointly act as discussants. Dr. and Mrs. Fred Zuckerman will analyze the problem of the friction between parents, which may arise out of their roles as guardians of their children's development. For the background of this discussion, please consult Genesis, Chapter 21 (verses 9-15 especially). Following their analysis the floor will be opened to questions and comments on the topic itself in particular and upon the portion of the week in general. The program will conclude with Ma'ariv and a special Havdallah service in the chapel.

This combination of religion, refreshment and reflection is one which you surely will not want to miss. Men, women and children are invited. Why not make it a family affair? Start attending the Seminar Program this week on Saturday Afternoon at 4:30.

OPENING MEETING OF SISTERHOOD

On October 20, over 75 Sisterhood members and friends attended the opening meeting of the Sisterhood. After a dessert luncheon, the charming new President, Mrs. Meyer Texon, opened the program. She emphasized the mutual interests that we have in the Sisterhood and its activities, and expressed the hope that all Sisterhood meetings throughout the season will be as well attended as the first. Mrs. Texon then handed the meeting over to the Program Chairman, Mrs. William Lebowitz, who introduced Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein, the featured speaker for the meeting.

Speaking with his usual eloquence and insight, the Rabbi gave a masterful review of the controversial book, "The Enemy Camp" by Jerome Weidman. His analysis provoked a heated and enthusiastic discussion. The meeting was a wonderful beginning of what promises to be a very interesting Sisterhood season.

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New Members - -

We extend a hearty welcome to our new members Mrs. Benjamin Perlman and Mrs. Fred Zuckerman. We trust their association with us will be a long and rewarding one.

HAPPY DAY FUND

The Sisterhood acknowledges with thanks contributions to their Happy Day Fund from Mrs. Hyman Abrams, Mrs. Bernard D. Fischman, Mrs. Samuel Gross, Mrs. Abraham R. Kirshon, Mrs. Aaron H. Onish and Mrs. Robert Wallach. Members are urged to share their joyous occasions by making a gift to the Fund. Please send your contributions to Mrs. Robert H. Zessman, 12 East 87 Street, the Fund Chairman.

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JEWRY DUTY

The practice of Jewry Duty, whereby a member pledges to attend the weekday services for one week, has just been renewed. We would like, as a regular feature, to set aside space in our bulletin to thank those members who by their voluntary service help to maintain the Daily Minyan in the synagogue.

The first "Jewrers," who served during the past two weeks are Alexander Kommel, Aaron Onish, Raymond Schwartz, and Reuben Westerman. Volunteers for the coming weeks should please contact Mr. Israel D. Rosenberg at the Synagogue Office.

KIDDUSH HOSTS

Already several of our members have reserved Sabbath Kiddush dates in honor of important personal events.

This Saturday morning the Kiddush after services will be sponsored by our esteemed members Mr. and Mrs. William Lebowitz in honor of the birth of their second grandson.

Others who have reserved dates, aside from Bar Mitzvah celebrants, include our devoted trustees, Mr. Jacob P. Shulman and Mrs. Shulman, and Mr. Samuel Rosen and Mrs. Rosen. If you wish to sponsor a Sabbath Kiddush, please call the Synagogue Office.

FATHER AND SON CANTORS

The Father and Son Minyan held its second service of the year last Sunday morning. As in our first service the outstanding feature was the officiating of our young cantors. During the past two weeks the following have served admirably in this capacity: Noah Gureck, Charles Kleinhaus, Daniel Lewittes, Simcha Reguer, Ian Schorr, Evan Torczyner, Jimmy Torczyner, and Jonathan Wouk. Next week's Cantors will be Jonathan Helfand, Steven Klein, and Jon Mills.

We should like to thank Mr. Ira F. Weisman for his generous sponsorship of next week's breakfast. Those wishing to sponsor a Minyan breakfast are asked to contact Mr. William Lebowitz or the synagogue office.

You are cordially invited to attend

THE FIRST SABBATH SEUDAH SEMINAR

This Saturday afternoon,

NOVEMBER 1, at 4:30 P.M.

Services in the Chapel

Discussion of the Bible Portion in the Social Hall

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS

The discussants this week are

DR. AND MRS. FREDERICK ZUCKERMAN

Topic: "WHEN PARENTS DISAGREE"

Ladies Invited

TWO YOUTH GROUPS TO BEGIN MEETING NEXT WEEK

There have been many requests recently for an increase in the formal youth activities of our congregation. In order to fill this need in our community the synagogue will sponsor groups on three levels: Junior (age 9-12) Intermediate (High School age) and Senior (College and post collegiate ages).

Next Saturday afternoon, November 8th at 3:00 P.M., the Junior group will hold its first meeting. All children from age 9 to 12 are invited to attend. The group will be led by Menorah Lebowitz, a young lady who is no stranger to our congregation. Menorah has had exceptional training in the field of youth work both in theory and in practice. We hope that our readers will encourage their children to attend this Saturday afternoon group with regularity.

The collegiates and post collegiates in our congregation are invited to attend the Mid-Manhattan Senior Chapter of Mizrahi Hatzair which will hold its meetings in the Synagogue House on every other Sunday evening. Mizrahi Hatzair is the youth arm of Mizrahi Men and Mizrahi Women of America. With a senior membership of over 3,000, it sponsors cultural and social activities of a nature which cannot fail to appeal to young American Jews and Jewesses. The Mid-Manhattan Chapter will be led by Rabbi Haskel Lookstein and will hold its first meeting on Sunday evening November 9th, at 7:30 P.M. in the Auditorium of the Synagogue House. Come and bring your friends.

Details concerning the intermediate group will be contained in a forthcoming issue of the Bulletin.

KOSHER BUTCHERS IN OUR COMMUNITY

For the information of residents of Yorkville, we again list below the neighborhood butcher shops that are under the supervision of the Park East Kashruth Board.

Max Backer — 202 East 87th Street—
ATwater 9-7234.

L. Berger — 1224 Lexington Avenue —
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Eugene Czeisler — 1520 York Avenue —
RHineland 4-6488

NEW MEMBERS - -

We are happy to welcome to our congregation those new members whose applications were favorably acted upon at our Board of Trustees meeting last week:

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Regular Members — Victor Barnet, Alex Cohen, Albert Colin, Mortimer D. Goldman, Dr. Baruch Hurwich, Gerald S. Kaufman, Jack Nash, Raymond Schwartz, Harry Zaifert and Louis Zucker.

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Special Members — Mrs. Sarah F. Ginsberg, Mrs. Stella Levi, Mrs. Ida Golub Kitay, and Mrs. Jane Stern.

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Junior Members — Michael A. Bayer, George A. Baumgarten, Alan Doctor, Ann Claire Einhorn, Marshall Etra, Lynda Ann Goldsmith, Harvey Klein, Ronald Klein, Steven Klein, Robert Leifert, Cecile Lichtman, Alan Lichtman, Myron Miller, Stuart Schlang, Michael William Sigall, Marvin Shulsky, and Steven Jonathan Texon.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birthdays - -

Many happy returns of the day to A. Milton Brown, Mrs. Jules Gourary, Mrs. Gedeon Heller, Dr. Baruch Hurwich and Mrs. Joseph Schoenfeld.

FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION

We would like you to consider a matter that is often called "touchy". For various reasons many people shy away from it. And yet it is one of the necessities of life that are best taken care of before tragedy strikes. We are referring, of course, to the arranging for one's cemetery needs.

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Why a Family Plot?

— It is in keeping with the Jewish tradition, a tradition that originated with our first Patriarch, Abraham, to provide a common burial ground for one's family. The first purchase of property of which there is a Biblical record is associated with a family plot.

— There is gratification in meeting with one's kin in life; there is consolation to be found at the ancestral resting place where one may visit and perform his devotions in reverence to all who passed on before him.

— The acquisition of a family plot is economically more practical than the purchase of individual graves.

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Why on Kehilath Jeshurun Grounds?

— The final resting place is a religious sanctuary. When located on the grounds of an old and established congregation such as Kehilath Jeshurun it will be maintained with dignity and cared for with tenderness.

— Sordid commercialism, unesthetic environment, indelicate practices should never be associated with a Bet Olam, the place of eternal rest. Kehilath Jeshurun with a record of eight decades of spiritual ministrations can be relied upon for good taste, propriety and integrity.

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For further information contact the Synagogue office (SAcramento 2-0800).

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**Friday**

Lighting of Candles 4:30
Evening 4:40

Saturday

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:30
Weekly Portion: Vayera
(Genesis 18:1-22:24)
Haftorah: II Kings 4:1-37
Evening 4:30
Conclusion of Sabbath 5:30

Sunday

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

Daily Services

Morning 7:30
Evening 4:40

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- 2 — MAX WEIMAN
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K - J CALENDAR

Saturday, 4:30 P.M. —
Sabbath Seudah Seminar
Sunday, 9:30 A.M. —
Father and Son Minyan.
Monday, November 3 — 12:30 P.M. —
Sisterhood Executive Board Meet-
ing at the home of Mrs. Meyer Tex-
on.
Wednesday, November 5 — 8:00 P.M.
Talmud Class in Library
Elementary Hebrew in Room 401
Intermediate Hebrew Room 402
9:00 P.M. — First Adult Institute
Lecture in the Social Hall. Lecturer:
Rabbi Haskel Lookstein.
Saturday, November 8 — 3:00 P.M. —
Junior Youth Group Meeting in Au-
ditorium.
Sunday, November 9 — 7:30 P.M. —
Mid-Manhattan Senior Chapter of
Mizrachi Hatzair meeting in the
Auditorium.
Saturday, November 15 — 8:30 P.M. —
Meeting of the Young Marrieds
Group.
Wednesday, November 26 —
Men's Club Theatre Party. "The Girls
in 509", Belasco Theatre.

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