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TISHA B'AV EVE SATURDAY, JULY 22

Special Service Planned

The Fast of the Ninth of Av will be observed this year on Sunday, July 23rd. The actual date on the Hebrew calendar corresponds to Saturday, July 22nd. Jewish law provides, however, that when a Fast like Tisha B'Av falls on the Sabbath, it must be postponed to the next day in order not to dampen the Sabbath joy.

The special service which introduces the Fast Day, will be held in the Synagogue Chapel on Saturday evening, July 22nd. The services will begin at 8:10 with Mincha. Following Mincha, Rabbi Haskel Lookstein will discuss the laws and significance of Tisha B'Av. At about 8:50 the Fast Day will begin officially with the Ma'ariv service.

As part of the service, the Book of Lamentations will be chanted with the participation of the congregants. Several traditional dirges will be recited and their contents will be explained. Additional selections from the Talmud, the Midrash and from contemporary writings will be read by the Rabbi. The entire service will be concluded before 10:00 o'clock.

Building a Tradition

This special service will continue a tradition which was begun in our Synagogue three years ago when Tisha B'Av also fell on Saturday night. We are anxious to continue to build on

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SISTERHOOD AND MEN'S CLUB PLAN FOR NEXT YEAR

Plans are currently being formulated by the Sisterhood and the Men's Club of the Congregation for a full year of activities during 1961-62. The most outstanding announcement thus far, has come from the Sisterhood which has chosen a film for its January Theatre Party.

"Judgment at Nuremberg"

The Sisterhood has already obtained a large block of tickets for the film "Judgment at Nuremberg," a picture which deals with the famed Nuremberg Trials which followed World War II. The cast of the picture is one of the most exciting ever assembled and includes, among others; Spencer Tracy, Burt Lancaster, Richard Widmark, Marlene Dietrich, Judy Garland and Montgomery Clift. The film was produced by Stanley Kramer.

Reserve Wednesday, January 24th

The date of the Sisterhood Theatre Party will be Wednesday, January 24th. Tickets will not be offered to the membership of the Sisterhood until September. Those who wish to reserve tickets, may do so by writing to the Synagogue office.

The opening meeting of the year for the Sisterhood will be held on Monday, October 23rd. Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein will be the guest speaker. The Sisterhood Donor Luncheon, will take place on April 4, 1962 at the Hotel Delmonico.

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Rabbi Haskel Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 11:00 A.M.

MEN'S CLUB PLANS

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At a meeting of the officers of the Men's Club last week, the following plans were announced by Martin Markson, President of the Club. The first Executive Board Meeting will be held in the Sukkah of the Congregation on Thursday evening, September 28th. This will be a supper meeting.

The first regular meeting of the year for the Men's Club will be in a new format. The affair will begin with supper and will be open, free of charge, to members of the Men's Club and their men friends. A most unusual entertainer is under consideration for that meeting. Further details will be announced as soon as the arrangements are definite.

On Saturday evening, December 9th, the last night of Chanukah, the Men's Club and the Sisterhood will sponsor a joint Chanukah Party for the congregational family. The charge will be kept nominal, although the value will be maximal.

The Annual Dinner of the Men's Club will be held on January 9, 1962. The Theatre Party has been scheduled for late March. The title of the play will be announced shortly.

A listing of chairmen and committees for the Sisterhood and the Men's Club will appear in the next issue of the Bulletin.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The Jewish Education Committee, in cooperation with the New York Board of Rabbis and the National Broadcasting Company, is presenting a new series, "Great People From our Past" on the Jewish Fourth "R" Program on Channel 4 on Sunday mornings at 9:45 A.M., from July 2 through August 20th. The series should be a worthwhile educational experience for television viewers of all ages.

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that tradition in order to restore this day of mourning to its proper place of major importance on the Jewish calendar. Toward this end, we try from year to year to introduce additional features in order to render the traditional liturgy more meaningful, the spirit of the day more impressive and the mood of reverence and piety more substantial.

A special invitation is extended to all of our readers to attend this service and to participate in the observances of Tisha B'Av.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY**Birth —**

We extend hearty Mazel Tov wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Shapiro upon the birth of a daughter. We congratulate the proud grandmother, Mrs. Samuel Schreiber, and wish the family much joy and happiness from the new arrival.

Birthdays —

Many happy returns to Mrs. Henry Astor, Mrs. Alexander A. Bernstein, Nathan D. Brown, Mrs. Isidore Epstein, Al Feiner, Mrs. Norman Jaspan, Dr. Harry Kaplan, Robert L. Karlin, Benjamin L. Leifert, Mrs. David L. Lippoff, Abram Miller, Tobias Shapiro and Mrs. Edgar Trautman.

Anniversaries —

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Aizer and Dr. and Mrs. Robert Wallach.

SPECIAL WELCOME HOME

We extend a hearty welcome to Dr. (alias Captain) and Mrs. Baruch J. Hurwich and their three children who have just returned from a tour of Military Service in North Africa and in Europe. We hope that they will experience good fortune in their new home in our community.

A MESSAGE TO MEMBERS

Letters pertaining to High Holy Day Seat reservations are already in the mail. Enclosed with the letter is a reservation card which should be filled out and returned to the Synagogue office as soon as possible.

The membership roll of the congregation has grown considerably during the past year and we are anxious to provide every member and his family with suitable accommodations for the High Holy Days. In order to do so, however, it is necessary for us to learn of your needs for seats as soon as possible. Your promptness in returning the reservation card will enable us to serve you more efficiently in this matter.

Thank you in advance for your co-operation.

RABBI AND MRS. JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN LEAVE FOR EUROPE AND ISRAEL

A special bon voyage to Rabbi and Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein who are leaving this week for Europe and Israel. While in Israel, the Rabbi will attend to the affairs of Bar-Ilan University, of whose Board of Governors he is the President.

We wish the Rabbi and Mrs. Lookstein a pleasant journey, a restful stay and a safe return to our midst.

KIDDUSH HOSTS

The Kiddush this Saturday will be sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald S. Kaufman in celebration of the birth of their daughter and the birth of a daughter to Dr. and Mrs. Baruch J. Hurwich.

Y. U. AMBASSADORS WITHIN OUR FAMILY



Shown above are members of the Congregation who are Ambassadors of Yeshiva University for this year. (An Ambassador is one who contributes at least one thousand dollars to the University during a calendar year.)

Seated left to right: Joseph Hostyk, Dr. Maurice A. Sage, Henry M. Rem, Stanley R. Broff, Max J. Etra, Mrs. Joseph Hostyk, Samuel Rosen, Israel Cummings, A. Phillip Goldsmith and Harry Etra.

Standing left to right: Joseph S. Gershman, Samuel A. Marcus, Leon Sigall, Leib Merkin, Joseph E. Adler, Eugene Hollander, Mrs. Eugene Hollander, Benjamin Kaufman, Mrs. Abraham L. Marcus, Louis Etra, Joseph A. Perlman, Harry W. Baumgarten, Isidore Grossman, Harry Heyman, Mrs. Rose Etra, and Mrs. Harry Heyman.

Not Shown: Elias M. Black, Mrs. Stanley R. Broff, Morris S. Galler, Benjamin Gottesman, Alexander Gross, Nathan Warshaw, Jack D. Weiler and Dr. Victor Wouk.

CONGREGATION KEHILATH JESHURUN

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Synagogue Officials

Joseph H. Lookstein Rabbi
Haskel Lookstein Ass't Rabbi
A. Joseph Cohen Cantor
Israel D. Rosenberg Ritual Director
Joseph Glatt Exec. Director

Officers of the Congregation

Max J. Etra President
Joseph Roth Vice-President
Joseph S. Gershman Secretary
Elgin Shulsky Treasurer
Mrs. Reuben N. Popkin Pres., Sist.
Martin Markson Pres., Men's Club

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY, JULY 7th

*Evening 6:15

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00

Weekly Portion: Pinhas
Numbers 25:10-30:1

Haftorah: Jeremiah 1:1-2:3

ROSH CHODESH PRAYERS

Rosh Chodesh Av will be on Friday,
July 14.

Evening 8:20

Conclusion of Sabbath 9:00

FRIDAY, JULY 14th

*Evening 6:15

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00

Weekly Portion: Mattot-Mase
Numbers 30:2-36:13

Haftorah: Jeremiah 2:4-28; 3:4

Evening 8:20

Conclusion of Sabbath 9:00

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30

Sunday Morning 8:30

Evening 6:15

*Sabbath Candles are kindled twenty minutes before sunset. Those, however, who conform to our schedule of ushering in the Sabbath at 6:15 P.M. should also light candles at that hour.

YAHRZEITS

July

8—CAESER HECKSCHER
8—SARAH FINE
8—LOUIS KRAM
8—MORRIS TRACHMAN
9—JACOB SIEGEL
9—JACOB I. BAUMGARTEN
10—ABRAHAM KAGAN
10—NORMAN SALIT
11—ANNA RAFSKY
11—OSKAR TRAUTMAN
12—MAX M. GOODMAN
13—MAX FREEDMAN
14—ZENEIDA BRANDSTEIN
14—HENRY A. RAFSKY
14—MAX KAUFMAN
15—HYMAN KARLIN
15—NORMA PRINCE BINDER
16—RAE UNTERMAN
17—MORRIS BEHRMAN
17—ISRAEL JACOB WACHTER
17—SOLOMON FASS
18—LIBBY R. MARCUS
18—TOBY LEBOWITZ
19—AARON ETRA
19—SABINA ESTHER FASS
20—LEOPOLD GROSSMAN
20—JACOB ROTH
20—SARA BELLA ROSSANT
21—ABRAHAM I. WOUK
21—MORRIS HELLMAN
21—ABRAHAM ELI LOOKSTEIN

CONDOLENCE

We extend sincere condolences to our esteemed member, Dr. Max L. Som, upon the loss of his beloved wife.

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved family. We pray that the Almighty may spare them further grief for many years to come.

A MODERN RITUALARIUM

is located in our community
at 158 West 97th Street
MONument 3-0300