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In Memory of The Six Million

Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun

will hold a special service on

YOM HASHOA

(Holocaust Day)

Thursday Evening, April 18 at 7:30

Mincha and Maariv

Address by Eugene Hollander

Memorial Prayers

To All Our Friends

In our lifetime the Jewish People has experienced the greatest tragedy in its history and the most profound blessing in 2500 years.

On April the 18th we will try to commemorate the tragedy. On April 24th we hope, please God, to rejoice over our historic blessing.

Please join us with your family in our collective sorrow and joy.

Joseph H. Lookstein
Haskel Lookstein

In Honor Of The 26th Anniversary Of ISRAEL'S INDEPENDENCE

Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun
will hold a special service and celebration

On Wednesday evening, April 24 at 7:30

MINCHA AND MAARIV

Appropriate Festival Prayers

A Musical program by choruses from the
Ramaz School

Singing and dancing to the music of a live band

Falafel Feast

You and Your Family are Invited

Sermons: April 20th — Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein

April 27th — Rabbi Haskel Lookstein

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birthdays—

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Mortimer J. Blumenthal, Gary F. Bulmash, James Clark, Joshua S. Deutsch, Mrs. William B. Fischberg, Nathan Goldsmith, Mrs. Martin G. Haber, Martin Klein, Ira W. Nadler, Mrs. Myron B. Poloner, Charles Ramat, Mrs. Louis Schneider, Mrs. Elliott W. Siegel, Mrs. David Silverberg, Dr. Ralph M. Sussman, Dr. Meyer Texon, Ira Usdan and Dr. Harry Weisman.

Anniversaries—

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Braff, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Etra, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roth, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Shaffir and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ward.

Engagement—

Mazel Tov to Joseph Scheffler on his engagement to Miss Elizabeth Amson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Amson of New York City. Congratulations also to Mrs. Mary Scheffler, the proud mother of the groom.

Condolences—

We mourn the passing of Mrs. Sarah Lewittes, the beloved sister of our esteemed member, Dr. Harry Goldin. May he and his family be comforted among all of us who mourn for Zion and Jerusalem.

We extend our fullest condolences to our devoted member, Mrs. Robert M. Richter, upon the passing of her beloved father, Norman Liberman, on the eve of the Passover festival. We pray that she and her family will know of no further sorrow for many years to come.

KIDDUSH HOST

Many thanks to our new member, Pincus Kohn, for having sponsored the Kiddush on Shabbat, March 30 in honor of the engagement of his son, Shalom Kohn.

TWO KEHILATH JESHURUN SONS ELECTED TO LEADERSHIP IN RAMAZ HIGH SCHOOL G.O.

Congratulations to Binyamin Shudofsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noam Shudofsky, upon his election as President of the Student Body of Ramaz High School.

Similar congratulations to Ronald Scheinberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Scheinberg, upon his election as Treasurer of that organization.

To High School Students

A Seudah Shlishit for high school students will be held at the home of David and Ricki Bernstein (425 East 86th Street, Apt. 2B, 289-4921) on Saturday, April 27th, from 6:30 to 8:30.

417 CONTRIBUTE TO PASSOVER RELIEF ALMOST \$8,000 RECEIVED

We are extremely grateful to the more than 400 members of the community who have shared with us the mitzvah of Passover Relief this year. The sum of close to \$8,000 which was received as of April 9, when this Bulletin went to press, has been of great help in meeting the needs of individuals and institutions at this season of the year.

We are proud to publish below an additional list of contributors whose gifts were received since our last list was published about a week before Passover. We will be pleased to receive additional contributions from those who have not as yet sent their gifts. The needs still exist and the opportunities for worthwhile charity are very much present.

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Melvin Zachter
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Am Hasefer III "FAITH AFTER THE HOLOCAUST"

by Eliezer Berkovits

Watch for Date & Location
in the next Bulletin.

Books may be obtained in
the synagogue office.

102nd Annual Meeting To Mark Closing Of Centennial Year

On May 5th in the Main Synagogue, we hope to complete the Centennial Celebration of Kehilath Jeshurun with appropriate ceremonies. In addition to the usual features of an Annual Meeting — induction of 55 new members, celebration of important anniversaries of affiliation with the congregation, election of Officers, a Persidential Report and the memorialization of those members who passed away during the past year — we will conduct special ceremonies to mark the completion of our 100th Anniversary.

We propose to dedicate that morning a number of stained glass windows in honor of the members of the congregation who made possible through their generosity the beautification of the House of God and the renovation of our Main Synagogue. We also hope to dedicate that morning the Hollander Social Hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hollander who gave most generously of their time and substance to the welfare of Kehilath Jeshurun. Mr. Hollander will also be honored that morning for his role as Chairman of the Centennial Building Committee.

There will be several other features which will make it a memorable conclusion to our Centennial celebration. The morning will be climaxed by a closing Centennial address by Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein, whose celebration of his fiftieth Anniversary in the rabbinate at Kehilath Jeshurun coincides with the conclusion of our Centennial Year.

After the completion of the meeting and the ceremonies, all who are present will be the guests of the congregation at a special buffet luncheon. We invite all of our members to come and join with us in marking this historic occasion in the life of Kehilath Jeshurun.

THREE RAMAZ SENIORS ARE FINALISTS IN NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION

Congratulations to Renee Matalon, Tamara Mitchel and Michael Weintraub for earning places as Finalists in the National Merit Scholarship Program. This is a competitive program in which the elite of seniors throughout the United States are examined for their intellectual competence and proficiency. We are very proud of the fact that three students out of the 59 members of the Ramaz Senior Class have earned such a high place in this national program.

We wish the winners and their parents further success in their academic careers.

Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun

invites its members to attend

the one hundred and second

Annual Membership Meeting

Marking the Conclusion of the

Congregation's Centennial

on Sunday the fifth of May

One thousand nine hundred and seventy-four

at eleven o'clock

in the Main Synagogue

125 East 85th Street, New York City

A Buffet Luncheon

will follow

THE KEHILATH JESHURUN SISTERHOOD

announces

Its Annual Spring Luncheon

in honor of

Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein

Wednesday, May 8th

at 12:00 Noon

in the KAMBER AUDITORIUM

CONG. KEHILATH JESHURUN

125 East 85th Street
New York, N.Y. 10028
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Synagogue Officials

Joseph H. LooksteinSenior Rabbi
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Synagogue Administrator

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY, April 19*

Evening6:00

SATURDAY

Morning9:00
Junior Congregation10:00
Pre-School Service11:00

Weekly Portion: Shemini

Haftarah: II Samuel 6

ROSH CHODESH PRAYERS

Rosh Chodesh Iyar will be on Monday, April 22 and Tuesday, April 23.
Evening7:30
Conclusion of Sabbath8:19

FRIDAY, April 26*

Evening6:00

SATURDAY

Morning9:00
Junior Congregation10:00
Pre-School Service11:00

Weekly Portion: Tazria Metzora

Haftarah: II Kings 7

Evening7:30
Conclusion of Sabbath8:27

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Morning7:30
Sunday Morning8:30
Evening6:00

* Sabbath candles are lit twenty minutes before sunset. Those, however, who conform to our schedule of ushering in the Sabbath early, should light candles at 6:00 P.M.

ANNOUNCING
The Next Sisterhood
OPEN MEETING
Monday, April 29th
at 12:00 Noon
in Gimbels Community Room

Y A H R Z E I T S

April

13—Leo B. Kagan
14—Isaac Zinkofsky
14—Jacob Rosenbluth
15—Aaron Jacobs
15—Dora Katz
16—Anna Feifer
16—Frances Rubin
16—Morris Kaplan
16—Julius Golub
17—Herman I. Schacter
17—Brandea Kohn
17—Sarah Mandel
17—Etta Lookstein
17—Amelia Basser
17—Samuel Reuben
Neugeboren
17—Anne H. Robbins
18—Chaim Perlberger
18—Anna Binder
18—Ellis Pelkow
18—Louis Robinson
18—Samuel H. Wittenberg
18—Stefanie Stein
19—Isaac Lipschutz
19—Sarah Siegel
19—Jacob Fabian

April

19—Rose Fabian
19—Aaron Grabino
20—Libbie Galler
20—Adele Sadinoff
20—Chana P. Etra
21—Arthur Rothstein
21—Leah Leder
21—Sarah Rosentover
21—Louis Yedlin
22—Chaya D. Kaplan
22—Barnet G. Leder
22—Dora Shapiro
22—Joseph N. Friedman
23—Israel H. Shapiro
23—Rachel Davis
23—Rose Lustbader
23—Berthold Breiner
23—May Atlas
23—Philip A. Brenner
23—Ira F. Weisman
24—Minna Citron
24—Sadie Siegel
24—Usher Leibovics
24—Irving Golub
25—Samuel Feifer
25—Louis Kerew

April

26—Gizela Landau
26—Samuel Wilner
26—Rachel F. Glueckstern
27—Eva B. Jacobs
27—Regine Birnbach
27—Samuel Schreiber
28—Mina Hirshhorn
28—Bertalon Lichtman
28—Sarah Riskin
28—Benjamin Skydell
28—Bessie Goldblatt
29—Jesse Deutsch
29—William N. Ginsburg
30—Anna Bogdonoff
30—Esther Riker
30—Mabel Hebald Stein
30—Sarah Merkin
30—Sholom Goldberg
30—Barney B. Schlinger
30—Joseph J. Mandel
30—Philip Flatow
30—Julius Trachman

May

1—Simon Nachtigall
3—Jacob Cummings

WILL YOU JOIN US FOR SOLIDARITY SUNDAY

APRIL 28?

The Kehilath Jeshurun and Ramaz contingents for Solidarity Sunday, April 28, will assemble in front of the Synagogue House and Ramaz School Building at 11 o'clock. From there we will march to our staging area in the upper 60's.

We cannot stress sufficiently how imperative it is that every Jew — man, woman and child — participate in this mass demonstration of support for Soviet Jews. In the aftermath of the Yom Kippur War, the issue of Soviet Jewry has become a dormant one on the agenda of American Jewish life. It **must** be revived if our brothers and sisters in the Soviet Union are to help as they have been in the past.

Soviet Jewish Emigration Down 40 Percent This Year

Since the beginning of 1974, the number of Jews leaving the Soviet Union has dropped by forty percent. This is a very precipitous decline and it indicates that the Russian Government is sensitive to the lack of concern on the part of the world for the plight of Soviet Jews. We must demonstrate to the Soviet leadership that this is our top priority and that we shall not be silent until the emi-

gration continues unimpeded and Soviet Jews are free to leave without harassment.

The Solidarity Sunday Rally will be addressed by Senator Henry Jackson, Elie Wiesel, Governor Wilson and Mayor Beame. Their addresses are important, but your presence is vital.

Don't be silent; be present with us!

Of Community Interest

On Wednesday evening, May 29 at 7:30 P.M. there will be an operatic concert with orchestra at the Robert F. Wagner School Auditorium, 220 East 76th Street. Famous artists of opera, concert and television will appear. The program will include works by Leoncavello, Verdi, Mozart and Meyerbeer.

This program is one of a series sponsored by a group headed by our own Rita Herzig which is trying to bring to the community of the Upper East Side a series of cultural activities which can be enjoyed here in our own neighborhood. Admission to the concert on May 29 will be by contribution of \$5.00. The proceeds above expenses will go to charity.