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NATHAN GOLDSMITH, JOSEPH MOSS AND ARTHUR C. SILVERMAN TO BE HONORED AS GROOMS OF THE LAW ON SIMCHAT TORAH



Nathan Goldsmith CHATAN TORAH

Our Chatan Torah, a Trustee of the Congregation, has been associated with us since 1919, almost 60 years. He, therefore, rightly deserves the title and prestige of a veteran senior member.

Unbeknown to many is the fact that he is a Sabra, born in Me'a She'arim. He, therefore, understandably retains an allegiance and a devotion to Israel that manifests itself in concern for its welfare and in generosity to the institutions of the Holy Land.

The yeshiva in Me'a She'arim which he attended as a boy is still a recipient of his benevolence. He has recently become associated with the Hebrew Arts Center of Israel and he is a Founder of the Great Synagogue, now in the process of being built in Jerusa'em.

His major benevolences are naturally concentrated in America. He is an honored Associate Trustee of our Congregation and a worshipper with punctual regularity, mornings, evenings, Sabbaths and festivals.

He is a Founder of the Albert Einstein College of Medicine and has recently donated a substantial sum to



Joseph Moss CHATAN B'REISHIT

Our Chatan B'reishit, Joseph Moss, is Chairman of the Board of Moss Advertising, Inc., and serves as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies in New York.

Mr. Moss' particular interest is in geriatric care. He is Vice-President of the Metropolitan Jewish Geriatric Center which has two facilities in Brooklyn. Mr. Moss has been extremeiy active in furthering the development of this important institution. He also serves as a member of the Commission on Synagogue Relations of Federation.

Joseph Moss worships regularly in his seat in the Main Synagogue. He is an active Trustee of the Congregation who has given Kehilath Jeshurun generously of his time, concern and substance.

His wife, Betty, is also active communally. She is Vice-President of the Town League which is an auxiliary fund-raising organization for the Metropolitan Jewish Geriatric Center.

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Moss on this significant honor and we hope that the blessings of the Torah will accompany them always.



Arthur C. Silverman CHATAN MAFTIR

Our Chatan Maftir, Arthur C. Silverman is a Trustee of Kehilath Jeshurun and of Ramaz School. He is a partner in the law firm of Golenbock and Barell. The holder of two Bachelor degrees from M.I.T. in Electrical Engineering and Industrial Management, Arthur is also a graduate of the Law School of Columbia University.

Originally from Lewiston, Maine where he met his Portland born wife, the former Donna Zolov, Arthur now makes his home in this neighborhood where he has become a very active and energetic part of the Kehilath Jeshurun and Ramaz community. He serves on the Executive Committee of the Congregation.

His two sons, Leonard and Daniel, are students in Ramaz. His wife has been an officer of the Sisterhood and the Couples Club and she is an active parent in the Ramaz Parents Council.

We pray that this exemplary family will grow from strength to strength in its love of Torah and service to the Jewish people.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Junior Congregation

Under the able leadership of Eugene Major, Junior Congregation (2nd-6th grades) meets every Shabbat and holiday at 10:15 A.M., and ends with its own kiddush. If you become a regular, you will be eligible for special trips and attendance prizes. There will be no Junior Congregation on Simchat Torah.

Pre-Junior Congregation

For children Nursery age through Grade 1, a special group meets every Shabbat and holiday at 11:00 A.M. in the 3rd floor lunchroom. Rona Woldenberg returns this year as the leader of the Pre-Junior Congregation. There is a special kiddush at the end of the session.

Babysitting Service

For the 2 and 3 year olds, a special babysitting service will be provided at 11 A.M. every Shabbat and holiday in another wing of the 3rd floor lunchroom.

Torah Marshals

Simchat Torah is, of course, a very special holiday, especially for 2nd through 6th graders at K.J. They are our guests of honor as "Torah Marshals." Each one will receive his or her own Sefer Torah, and lead the "Hakafot" in singing and dancing. There will be a list of Torah Marshals printed. If you would like your name to appear, make sure to return the card you have received in the mail or contact the Synagogue Office. If you have not received an invitation, please call us. We will be happy to invite you.

Torah Marshals will meet in the lunchroom on the third floor at 6:00 P.M., on Tuesday, October 4.

Nursery age children through first grade will meet in the first floor Chapel at the same time.

Chatan Torah (Cont'd)

establish an endowment scholarship for deserving students at the Yeshiva.

Louise, his dear wife, is one of the ardent leaders of the K. J. Sisterhood. Together they enjoy the esteem of the affection of the entire Kehilath Jeshurun family which prays that the blessings of the Torah will attend them always.

OCTOBER 8 — FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF BIKKUR CHOLIM SOCIETY

This coming Shabbat B'reishit, October 8th, the Bikkur Cholim Society of Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun will be one year old. It was exactly a year ago that the Society began holding Shabbat services at Memorial Hospital under the leadership of a number of volunteers from the community.

Since Shabbat B'reishit 5737, services have been held every Shabbat, rain or shine, winter and summer. We continue to get many letters from patients in the hospital who have been inspired by this program.

Each week, one of the men from the Congregation leads the service, assisted by a group of about ten men and women who make the rounds in the hospital and bring down to the service those patients who would like to come. The service lasts a half hour and includes readings in Hebrew and English, together with a little sermonette on the weekly portion. Following the service, there is Kiddush in the special room provided by the hospital and, in addition, Kiddush is brought around by the volunteers to many of those patients who cannot come to the service.

The program is under the leadership of Dr. Albert Hornblass who is in charge of the service and Mrs. Rosalie Kleinhaus who coordinates the volunteer assistants. It is part of the gen-

Children Are Our Special Guests on Simchat Torah

On Tuesday evening, October 4, the children will be our special guests for the Simchat Torah Celebration in the Main Synagogue. We ask parents to bring their children from age 4 through 11 at 6:00 P.M.

Upon arrival, they will be directed

And Again This Year HAKAFOT UNLIMITED

Following the Tuesday night Simchat Torah service and Hakafot in the main synagogue, there will be a light collation in the Kamber Auditorium for all who would like to participate in the K. J. version of HAKAFOT UNLIMITED.

Dance and song, spirit and religious enthusiasm will prevail as we rejoice with the Torah Scrolls on into the night. Children and adults are invited to join for as long as they wish and their energy holds out.

May HAKAFOT UNLIMITED symbolize a year of joy and happiness unlimited with the Torah as our inspiration! eral Bikkur Cholim Society which is under the Co-Chairmanship of Mrs. Tova Bulow and Mrs. Sue Robins.

The other major activity of our Society is performed in conjunction with Lenox Hill Hospital where we have a patient visiting service which brings comfort and assistance to the patients in the hospital.

The Society also arranges Shabbat accommodations for relatives of patients in our community. Hundreds of people have been served by this program during the past year.

Members of our Bikkur Cholim Society number more than 50. Among them are singles, married couples, young adults, senior citizens and people from every segment of our Congregation. They are performing a great mitzvah every time they render a service; but they all attest to the fact that they receive far more than they give.

The Bikkur Cholim Society of the Congregation is an auxiliary of the Commission on Synagogue Relations of Federation and performs its services through the cooperation of the Chaplaincy Service of the New York Board of Rabbis. Readers of thi Bulletin who would like to join the Society are asked to call Tova Bulow at 534-0151 or Sue Robins at RH 4-0995. We need all the help we can get — and give.

to their assembly places by our youth leadership staff and they will be escorted into the Main Synagogue with flags and Torahs in accordance with our well established custom. The children will be able to dance during the Hakafot and we hope that their joy and enthusiasm will inspire the adults to greater spiritual heights this year.

Wednesday Morning, October 5th

Please do not forget the special role of children and adults on Simchat Torah day. On that occasion we conduct another full round of Hakafot with singing and dancing for all. Plan to arrive before 10 o'clock in order to enjoy all of the festivities. Remember that the congregation will be guests at a special buffet kiddush in honor of our Chasanim.

Simchat Torah, day and night, are religious occasions of great joy in which every family should participate fully. Please come and celebrate with us!

CONGREGATION TO DEDICATE TORAH IN HONOR OF SOVIET JEWS

Dedication to be Highlight of the Simchat Torah Soviet Jewry Rally on Sunday, October 2, 11 A.M.

The Greater New York Conference on Soviet Jewry will hold a Simchat Torah rally of solidarity with Soviet Jews on Sunday, Chol ha-Moed Sukkot, October 2, at 11 A.M., in Carl Schurz Park at 84th Street and East End Avenue. The Simchat Torah Rally is an annual event of the Conference and is designed to draw attention to the heroism of Soviet Jews who gather outside of the synagogues in Moscow and Leningrad to identify as Jews on this festival.

The Conference has asked our Congregation to dedicate a Sefer Torah in honor of all those Soviet Jews who cannot come to the Torah on Simchat Torah or, for that matter, on any other day of the year. We are making arrangements to dedicate one of our Torahs. We will march with it from in front of the Synagogue and Ramaz School on Sunday morning, October 2nd at 11 o'clock.

We ask all members and friends of the Congregation and parents and students in Ramaz to help make this rally significant — and newsworthy v assembling promptly at 11 A.M., on October 2nd on 85th Street between Lexington and Park Avenues. We will march from there, together with the Torah, to the park at East End Avenue and 84th Street where we will join the assemblage which will gather from all over Greater New York.

Soviet Jews require a heroic nature to identify themselves as Jews publicly on Simchat Torah. You and I need only two hours of time and a little interest in order to identify ourselves with those heroic Jews. Please join us on October 2nd.

H.L.

Enjoying the Sukkah

We invite the community to use our Sukkah during the evenings of Chol Hamoed from 6:00 to 8:00. Food will have to be provided by each family on its own.

Everyone who attends morning services during the week of Chol Hamoed is invited to have breakfast in the Sukkah as the guest of the Congregation. A special "President's Breakfast" at 9:00 A.M. will be sponsored by Nathan Salzman on Monday morning, October 3, following Hoshanah Rabbah services which will begin at 7:00 A.M.

SCHEDULE OF SUKKOT SERVICES Monday, September 26th — Sukkoth Eve—

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Monday, October 3rd — Hoshanah Rabbah

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Tuesday, October 4th — Sh'mini Atzeret

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K.J. Calendar

Thursday evening, September 29 at 6:30

A Dinner Meeting of the Men's Club in the Sukkah.

Please call for free reservations.

Wednesday eve., November 16

Sisterhood-Men's Club Theater Party, "Some of My Best Friends" starring Ted Knight. For advance ticket reservations, please call Benjamin Brown, evenings, 831-0303, or Ellen Scheinfeld, 427-1255.

Kiddush Sponsors

We are grateful to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Mandelker for having sponsored the Shabbat Kiddush on September 17th in honor of the return of their son, Phillip, from Israel.

Similar gratitude to Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Messeloff who will sponsor the Kiddush on September 24th in honor of the successful recovery of their daughter, Sara. We rejoice with the Messeloff family in this blessing.

We are grateful also to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Zukerbrot who will sponsor the Kiddush on October 8th in honor of the marriage of their children, Yehiel and Rina, in Israel.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Friday, September 23

Lighting of Candles6:32 P.M. Evening6:00 P.M.

Saturday, September 24

Morning9:00	A.M.
Weekly Portion: Ha'azinu	
Haftarah: Samuel II 22	
Evening6:40	P.M.
Conclusion of Sabbath7:26	P.M.

Friday, October 7

Lighting	of	Candles	6:09	P.M.
Evening			6:00	P.M.

Saturday, October 8

Rosh Chodesh Prayers

Weekday Services

Morning	P.M.
Rosh Chodesh Morning7:15	A.M.
Sunday Morning8:30	A.M.
Evening6:00	P.M.

On Being Remembered

Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun is grateful to the late Arthur Brown and the late Harry Heyman, both of whom remembered the Congregation generously in their estates. Both of these precious members were devoted to the Congregation in life and provided bequests for Kehilath Jeshurun in their wills.

May their memory be a blessing for us all.

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WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Engagement

Mazel tov to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Oppenheimer on the engagement of their son, Peter Oppenheimer, a student at the Mount Sinai Medical School, to Sandie Roseman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roseman of Oceanside.

Wedding

Mazel tov to Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer J. Propp, on the marriage of their son Morris, to Miss Joanne Miriam Solace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Les Solace, of Long Beach, California.

Academic Advancement

We note with pride that Nicky Gura son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gura has just begun N.Y.U. Dental School.

Communal Service

Warmest congratulations to David Rosen, a member of our Executive Committee, upon his election as Secretary of the Synagogue Council of America. At the same meeting in June when this election was held, Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein was elected Honorary President of that organization.

We are proud to congratulate our Secretary, Irwin Robins, and our member Nechie Shudofsky who were elected in June to the Executive Committee of the Greater New York Conference on Soviet Jewry. At the same time, Rabbi Haskel Lookstein was reelected Vice-Chairman of the Conference. The Rabbi was also re-elected in June to the Executive Committee of the National Conference on Soviet Jewry.

Social Hall Redecorated Over the Summer

Worshippers who came to the social hour which preceded our S'lichot service were surprised and gratified to see a newly redecorated Social Hall which sparkles with life and vigor in keeping with the kind of activities that are held within it. We are grateful to our House Committee, led by Morton Kassover and Steven Kule, for supervising this work. We are particularly indebted to Sidney Flatow who, as a member of the committee, gave many good suggestions for this project.

A new carpet has also been installed on the *Bimah* in the Chapel which makes the Chapel more attractive and renders the services in it more inspiring. The cushions on the Chapel seats have also been renewed. The main doors to our Synagogue lobby have also been refurbished so that the entrance to our Main Synagogue has a new look for the new year.

SISTERHOOD EXERCISE CLASS

October 12 through November 30, Myrna Snyder will repeat last year's successful exercise course. \$40.00 — contribution to Kehilath Jeshurun Sisterhood.

Ramaz on TV

Sunday, September 25, at 9:30 on WNBC TV seven Ramaz students will appear with their former art teacher, Caro! Sterling to discuss the puppet which represented Rabbi Goren in last spring's Israel parade. The students were the ones who had created this puppet which was the hit of the parade.

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