

SUKKOTH HOLIDAY PLANS COMPLETED

Reservations Now Being Taken For Meals In Succah

With the nearing of the Sukkoth festival, our thoughts are directed toward preparing for the traditional observance of this joyful, but important holiday. The third of the Shalosh Regalim—the three major Jewish holidays, the others being Passover and Shevuoth—Sukkoth is another of those festivals the proper observance of which demands the use of or participation in certain symbolic appurtenances as prescribed by our Rabbis in their interpretation of the Law.

One of the beautiful features of the holiday we are about to observe is the Succah: its significance, construction, decoration and utilization. Designed as a 'temporary abode,' the Succah has been pointed to for lessons of conduct. The great 12th century scholar, Maimonides, for instance, said it teaches us that in days of prosperity we should remember periods of evil and poverty, so that we may remain humble and sincere at all times. Many are the lessons that have been drawn from the Succah, and many, too, are the symbols the Succah is said to represent.

Another of the features of the Feast of Tabernacles, as Sukkoth is also known, is the use of the Lulav and Esrog. Here again is a beautiful instrument used in the celebration of a beautiful festival. As in the case of the Succah, many interpretations are given for the meaning and significance of the Lulav, Esrog and the

myrtle and willow branches, all four of which are required in observing the commandment.

Sukkoth in Kehilath Jeshurun —

Our synagogue has always made efforts to render the observance of Jewish holidays more meaningful, more beautiful and more intelligible to its worshippers. For Sukkoth, therefore, we have made arrangements for having meals in the large and attractive Succah which will be set up on the third floor roof of the Synagogue House. Arrangements have been completed with Dornstein Caterers, the official caterers of our Synagogue, to serve supper on Friday, October 7th, and dinner on Saturday and Sunday, October 8th and 9th. A regular full course meal will be served, with the price per cover set at a nominal \$5.00.

Since time is growing short and many preparations must be made, the deadline for making reservations is Tuesday, October 4th. To assure yourself of an enjoyable Yom Tov, in keeping with the traditional practice of having meals in a Succah, we suggest you call the Synagogue office now and place your reservation. In view of the lack of time, no further notice can be given, so don't delay.

Reservations must be made for all three meals, and are to be accompanied by a check.

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Rabbi Lookstein will preach this Sabbath at 10:45 a.m. on

"RETURNING TO GOD"

SCHEDULE OF YOM KIPPUR SERVICES

Sunday, October 2nd, Yom Kippur Eve

Morning	8:00
Mincha	2:00
KOL NIDRE	5:20

Monday, October 3rd, Yom Kippur

Morning	7:30
Memorial Service (Yizkor)	10:45

Rabbi Lookstein will preach on Kol Nidre night
and on Yom Kippur during the Yizkor Service.

RESERVATIONS NOW BEING TAKEN FOR MEALS IN SUCCAH

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Provide Yourself With a Lulav and Esrog —

There are many reasons why we urge our readers to provide themselves with a Lulav and Esrog. First and foremost, of course, is that Sukkoth cannot be properly observed without making a daily benediction over these articles. Secondly, the participation of a greater number of worshippers in the procession in the Synagogue, each holding a Lulav and Esrog, will make for a more impressive ceremony and beautiful service. And may we add as a third reason that by purchasing these articles we are helping our brethren in Israel. Kosher Esrogim are imported from the groves of Israel where so many depend for their livelihood on the sale of these citrus fruits.

You can therefore accomplish many ends by your purchase of a Lulav and Esrog. Our Ritual Director, Mr. Joseph E. Adler, will be only too happy to be of assistance to you in this matter. A call to him at the Synagogue office will bring the desired results.

We cordially invite you to be with us this Sukkoth. The schedule of services will appear in next week's Bul-

SISTERHOOD NEWS

First Board Meeting Called for October 10th —

After a long recess over the summer months and the High Holiday season, the Sisterhood is preparing to embark on another year of activity. With the largest membership in its history, Sisterhood plans call for numerous projects of various types over the course of the next ten months.

The season will get under way with the first meeting of the Executive Board which has been called for Monday afternoon, October 10th, at 12:30 o'clock in the Library of the Synagogue.

Mrs. Alexander Kommel, the president of the Sisterhood who has recently returned from Europe, looks forward to having all of the Board members present at this important meeting. Since plans for the entire year are on the agenda for discussion, we are confident that every member will make an earnest effort to attend.

letin, but we extend this advance invitation to join us at the Synagogue next Saturday and Sunday for this Z'man Simchatenu, this Season of our Rejoicing.

MEN'S CLUB NEWS**New Members —**

We spread our welcome mat to Messrs. Herman Charkey, Jerry Coan, Arthur Freeman and Alexander Gross, whose membership applications reached us last week.

**First Forum Meeting
Hears Interesting Symposium —**

The Men's Club season of Forum Meetings got off to an auspicious start last Tuesday evening, when a symposium on "Jewry's Destiny" took place in the Auditorium. With a sizable audience of members and friends—men and ladies—of the Men's Club, three outstanding personalities presented most illuminating and interesting talks on the future of Jewry, from the viewpoints of the European, American and Israeli Jewish communities.

Dr. Samuel Gringauz, speaking as a foremost leader of European Jewry, painted a most vivid, but pessimistic, picture of the outlook for Europe's Jews.

Dr. Leo Srole, outstanding American sociologist, who also acted as moderator that evening, presented some interesting facts and figures on the status of Jewish life in our country and the prospects for the growth and progress of the Jewish community in our land.

Lastly, Marie Syrkin, author of "Blessed is the Match," who recently returned from an extensive stay in Israel, depicted conditions there which, while far from perfect, gave promise of the brightest future for the Israeli citizenry.

A lively question-and-answer period followed, after which Rabbi Lookstein brought the meeting to a close, as is our custom, with a brief word about the speakers and their remarks. A collation was served in the Social Hall after the Rabbi concluded.

A Word to the Wise—

Get your reservation in now for the Tenth Annual Men's Club Dinner to be held November 15th. The Dinner Committee is arranging a bang-up affair you won't want to miss.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY**New Members —**

We extend our hearty welcome to the following members whose applications were received this week: Dr. and Mrs. Harry Kaplan; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wick; and Mr. Alan Yohann, son of our esteemed trustee, Mr. Louis W. Yohann and Mrs. Yohann. It is nice to note the son following in his father's footsteps.

We are also pleased to welcome Mrs. Ida Astor into Special Membership—that category created by our Board of Trustees for wives of deceased members.

Birthdays —

Happy Birthday wishes to Mrs. Benjamin Leifert, Isaac E. Okun, I. Jerome Riker, Mrs. Isidore Silver and Mrs. Abraham Topkis.

Bar Mitzvahs —

We offer our belated congratulations to Martin Brody and Fred Ehrman, students at Ramaz, whose Bar Mitzvah took place two weeks ago.

Welcome —

We are glad to welcome back Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Kommel from their recent trip to Europe.

Welfare Fund —

The Welfare Fund gratefully acknowledges receipt of a generous contribution from Leigh Robbins, and expresses its thanks to him.

The Welfare Fund—if you will permit us to refresh your memories—is that arm of the Men's Club which annually extends grants of varying amounts to worthy causes, individual and public, local and national. Through the Welfare Fund, as an example, some 20 deserving children spent the past summer at camp—an opportunity they would not have had were it not for the thoughtfulness of the Men's Club. Benefitted thereby are many, many educational, religious and philanthropic groups. Indeed, the total of Men's Club benevolences during the course of any one year runs into the thousands.

Won't you think about the Welfare Fund ever so often?

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Friday

Lighting of Candles.....5:20
Evening5:30

Saturday, Shabbat Shuvah

Morning9:00
Weekly Portion: Haazinu, Deuteronomy 32:1-52
Haftorah: Hosea 14:2-10; Micah 7:18-20
Evening5:20
Conclusion of Sabbath6:20

Daily

Morning7:30
Evening5:20

Our New Number:

Sacramento
2-0800

CONDOLENCE

As we go to press, we learn of the untimely passing of our dear member, Mr. Harry Bonat.

We extend to Mrs. Bonat and the other members of the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathies and our sincere wish that the Almighty spare them from further sorrow for many years to come.

Yahrzeits

October

2—IGNATZ MARGARETEN
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