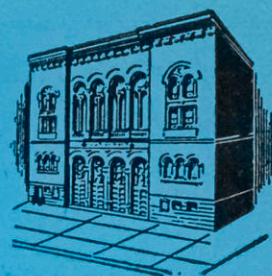


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"THE PROPHETS SPEAK ANEW" THEME OF ADULT INSTITUTE SERIES

Dr. Sidney B. Hoenig to Give Opening Lecture on Wed., Nov. 14th

The Adult Education Program Committee has announced that the Kehilath Jeshurun Adult Institute will feature this year a series of eight lectures on the theme "The Prophets Speak Anew."

The basic approach in these lectures will be the application of the prophets' message to current problems.

This series will be inaugurated on Wednesday evening, November 14th at 9 o'clock in the Social Hall. Our guest speaker at that time will be Dr. Sidney B. Hoenig, professor of Jewish History at Yeshiva University, who will discuss the topic "Ezekiel — Spiritual and National Resurrection." In this talk Dr. Hoenig will deal with the post-exilic prophet who sought to rebuild Israel's domain.

Our guest lecturer is no stranger to Kehilath Jeshurun. An outstanding au-



Dr. Sidney B. Hoenig

thority in the field of Jewish history, he has frequently participated in our programs. Dr. Hoenig is the director of the Yeshiva University Department of Adult Education and has been on the faculty of Yeshiva since 1934. He was ordained at the Yeshiva and for many years was the Rabbi of the Young Israel of Brooklyn. The recipient of a Doctorate Degree from Dropsie College, he also served as educational director of Young Israel. Dr. Hoenig is the author of many publications including "The Great Sanhedrin", "Saadia and his Life" and "Guides" to the Prophets, Jewish History and Jewish Observance.

Dr. Hoenig's scholarship and enthusiasm are sure to provide a most stimulating evening. After his talk there will be a question and answer period. The session will close with light refreshments.

The series will continue as follows:

November 28th — Rabbi Norman Frimer — "Isaiah"

December 5th — Rabbi Howard Levine — "Jeremiah"

December 12th — Rabbi Morris Besdin — "Jonah"

January 9th — Dr. Sidney B. Hoenig — "Zechariah"

January 16th — Rabbi Norman Frimer — "Amos"

January 23rd — Rabbi Howard Levine — "Hosea"

January 30th — Rabbi Morris Besdin — "Habbakuk"

We would like here to thank the hard working members of our Adult Education Committee; Martin Markson, Chairman, Dr. Theodore R. Fink, Joseph N. Friedman, Gerald Goldstein, Norman Halper, Judge George Postel and Dr. Ned Wachtel.

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SISTERHOOD AND MEN'S CLUB TO SPONSOR ANNUAL CHANUKAH PARTY ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1st

Continuing with a tradition long established in Kehilath Jeshurun, the Men's Club and Sisterhood will jointly sponsor a Chanukah Party which will be held this year on Saturday evening, December 1st, in the Social Hall.

A gala affair is being planned. The guests will be seated night club style, and there will be plenty of cocktails and good cheer. An excellent band will be playing for your dancing pleasure. We will have fine entertainment—songs—and good music. Later in the evening a delicious buffet supper will be served.

There you have it folks! Dancing —

Entertainment — Food — Drinks — Plenty of our well known good fellowship — All for the price of \$4.00 per person. So join us on December 1st and make your reservations early. A form is provided on page 2 for this purpose.

The chairmen of this affair are Mrs. Joseph Roth and Mr. William Lebowitz. The active members of the committee are Mrs. Harry Baumgarten, the Feinberg Twins, Mrs. Alexander Gross, Norman Halper, Dr. Harry Kaplan, Mrs. Abraham Kirshon, Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein, Mrs. William Lebowitz, Dr. Philip A. Lief, Martin Markson, Mrs. Oscar Perlberger, Mrs. Reuben N. Popkin, and Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Shulsky.

Rabbi Lookstein Will Preach This Sabbath At 11:00 A.M.
SENSE AND NONSENSE ABOUT THE "JEWISH VOTE"
A Non-Political Pre-Election Sermon

SISTERHOOD NEWS**Board Meeting This Monday —**

Mrs. Oscar Perlberger, president, announced that the Sisterhood Executive Board will hold its next meeting this coming Monday afternoon, November 5th at 12:30 o'clock in the Social Hall.

There are many vital matters that will be discussed at this meeting and all board members are urged to attend.

Gift Shop Features Many Attractive Items —

The Sisterhood is continuing to sponsor its Gift Shop Project. Two display cabinets containing many beautiful religious objects are on display in the Synagogue House Lobby.

Members and friends are invited to view these objects that can serve to beautify the Jewish ritual. Prices are very reasonable and items can be purchased through the Synagogue Office.

The chairman of this project is Mrs. Edgar C. Trautman.

LECTURES INTRODUCED AT FATHER-SON MINYAN

The religious experiences of our young people at the Father-Son Minyan has been enriched this year by the addition of a weekly lecture on a topic pertaining to the prayers. These lectures are given by Haskel Lookstein, who is in charge of the service, and the themes treated so far have included "The Value of Prayer — Belief in God", and "Learning from Prayer — Philosophy and Hebrew."

The young people themselves officiate at this service and those who have performed as cantors so far are Albert Baumgarten, Raymond Brenner, David Chidekel, Lionel Etra, Albert Kleinhaus, Charles Kleinhaus, Howard Kramer, Daniel Lewittes, Isaac Rubin, Evan Torczyner, Charles Trauving and Sandy Ward. This Sunday, November 4th the cantors will be William Etra, Charles Kleinhaus, Isaac Rubin and Ian Schorr. Jules Markofsky will read the Torah on this Rosh Chodesh morning.

Minyan services begin at 9:30 and we urge our young people as well as the "oldsters" to come down and join in this most worthy activity.

Reserve the date

Monday Evening, November 19th
FIRST EVENING SISTERHOOD MEETING

Featuring
"A JEWISH VIEW OF MARRIAGE AND THE FAMILY"

JEWRY DUTY

Kehilath Jeshurun has pioneered in many phases of Jewish life, however, one of its most unique efforts has been the system of Jewry Duty.

For a long time it has been apparent that the institution of daily services, so basic to religious Judaism, was slowly losing ground in the American Jewish Community. Synagogues have tried various ways to maintain the daily service.

We believe that the best way is for every member of Kehilath Jeshurun to consider it his moral duty to serve the cause of religious Jewry by preserving the institution of the daily "Minyan". This means that each member volunteers to appear a certain number of days during the year at the daily morning service. In this way he will derive satisfaction for himself, help maintain the Minyan for others and by so doing contribute to its perpetuation for all Israel.

Our volunteers for the coming week are Abbott S. Bernard and Philip A. Brenner.

TEEN AGERS TO HOLD MEMBERSHIP DANCE NOVEMBER 5th

Our Teen Age Club will get the ball rolling on its activity program with a membership dance which will be held this coming Monday evening, November 5th at 8 o'clock in the Social Hall. Since Tuesday is election day there will be no school.

This teen age group is open to girls between the ages of 14 and 17 and boys from 15 to 18. Admission is a nominal 25c per person.

We would like to urge our members and friends to encourage their children of this club age to attend this dance and the regular meetings which are held each Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Auditorium.

At these club meetings, once the business is out of the way, there is a discussion of a topic of interest to the group. This, in turn, is followed by a social hour and refreshments are served. The discussion is led by Rabbi Sherman Siff, who is in charge of the Club.

Kehilath Jeshurun Sisterhood & Men's Club Chanukah Committee

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Talmud Classes —

Our Saturday Talmud Class will begin this coming Saturday afternoon, November 3rd, at 3:40, one hour before the Mincha Service, in the Synagogue Library. This class will study the last chapter of the tractate "Sanhedrin." This chapter deals with Judaism's view of the hereafter, as well as other basic philosophic theories. Special attention will be paid to the interpretation of "Maimonides" who formulates in his introduction to this chapter the thirteen basic principles of our faith.

The Monday night class will begin meeting this Monday evening, November 5th, at 8:30 o'clock. The subject under discussion at that time will be tractate "Kiddushin" which deals with the legal aspects of the marriage ceremony as well as with many other general Talmudic concepts.

Hebrew Class —

Our popular class in Hebrew will again be conducted by Mrs. Alice Rothkowitz, who has been in charge of this course for the past six years. This class will meet from 8 to 9 o'clock in Room 401 and will hold its first session on the evening of Wednesday, November 14th.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY**Birth —**

We extend a hearty mazel tov to our devoted members, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Wiener, on the birth of a daughter to their children, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Berman of Chicago.

Birthdays —

Many happy returns of the day to A. Milton Brown and Mrs. Gedeon Heller.

Elected to Cocoa Board —

We are happy to report that our esteemed trustee, Ernest Adler, has been reelected for the third year to the Board of Managers of the Cocoa Exchange. Mr. Adler will soon leave for the International Cocoa Conference in Brussels where he will act in his official capacity as Adviser of the State Department.

"ECONOMIC OUTLOOK FOR 1957" TO BE DISCUSSED AT MEN'S CLUB FORUM MEETING NOVEMBER 13th**JR CONGREGATION ATTRACTS LARGE TURNOUT**

This season has been a very successful one for our Junior Congregation. Our young worshipers have participated actively and enthusiastically in the congregation's weekly Sabbath program.

Each week, 30 to 40 youngsters gather in the synagogue chapel. Their ages range from 4 to 13. Together they conduct their own service, a miniature replica of the one conducted in the main synagogue. Their service includes praying from the regular Siddur, singing lively Sabbath melodies, reading from the Torah; having the various Torah honors distributed among the congregants, and preaching of sermonettes by members of the group. Each service is followed by a kiddush of cake, soda and candy.

The congregation has just elected the following slate of officers for the coming season: Alan Shapiro, President; Lanny Binstock, Vice-President; and Gerald Gotel, Gabbai. Those who have delivered sermonettes recently have been: Harriet Garfinkle, Gerald Gotel and Malda Podell.

The Junior Congregation extends a cordial invitation to all children of members and friends of the congregation. Services begin every Saturday at 10:15 A.M.

Our Men's Club will devote its next forum meeting to the theme "The Economic Outlook for 1957". This meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, November 13th, at 8:30 o'clock in the Social Hall.

Our guest speaker at that time will be Mr. Arthur Kaplan, Railroad Editor of Standard & Poor's Publications. Mr. Kaplan, who also teaches Investment Economics, is one of our outstanding analysts. In his position he is constantly dealing with analytical and economic research on Securities and Stocks. We are sure that what Mr. Kaplan will have to say will be of great interest to our readers.

Standard & Poor's is the noted economic research, analytical and advisory firm, the publisher of numerous surveys widely used by the general public and the financial community. Mr. Kaplan is an editor of the regular weekly investment service "Outlook" and the editor of "Railroad Outlook", an analysis of stocks, bonds and securities. He brings to his position years of experience as an economic analyst, teacher and attorney.

The Men's Club extends a cordial invitation to its members and friends to attend this meeting. As is our usual practice, these meetings are not stag affairs. Women are cordially invited to participate in these programs.

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Lighting of Candles 4:30
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SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:15
Weekly Portion: Toledot,
Genesis 25:19 - 28:9
Haftorah: I Samuel 20:18-42
Rosh Chodesh Prayers: Rosh
Chodesh Kislev will be on Sun-
day, Nov. 4 and Monday, Nov. 5
Evening 4:40
Conclusion of Sabbath 5:30

SUNDAY

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

DAILY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Evening 4:30

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Sunday afternoons at 2 o'clock — Teen Age Club in the Library.

Monday afternoon at 12:30 — Sisterhood Board Meeting — Social Hll.

Monday evening at 7 o'clock — Boy Scouts Meeting — Auditorium & Ramaz Library.

8 o'clock — Teen Age Club Dance — Social Hall.

8:30 — Talmud Class — synagogue Library.

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