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SUKKOTH IN OUR SYNAGOGUE A Week To Remember

Now that the High Holy Days are past, we turn to the Harvest Festival of Sukkoth. The solemn and ponderous moods of the Days of Awe fade into the background as the joy and gaiety of Sukkoth fill our hearts.

The holiday of Sukkoth begins this Saturday, October 17th and will last for a full week. What kind of a week will it be at Kehilath Jeshurun?

KIDDUSH IN THE NEW SUKKAH

It will be a week which will find a completely new Sukkah on our premises. The entire congregation will be invited at the close of every service, to partake of Kiddush in a harvest green setting, embellished by appropriate floral decorations.

During the week, the Sukkah will be visited by the students of Ramaz. The children in our Park East Religious School will also have an opportunity to learn at first hand the significance of the central symbol of the holiday.

MEN'S CLUB AND SISTERHOOD LUNCH ON SUNDAY

As we announced previously, catered meals will be served in the Synagogue Sukkah on Friday evening, Saturday noon, and Sunday noon. The Sunday noon lunch has been designated as "Men's Club and Sisterhood Lunch". On that occasion we expect to have many members of these congregational affiliates enjoying the atmosphere of gaiety in the Sukkah. Naturally, the special guests in the Sukkah will be the children, who usually contribute as much joy to all the adults as they gain for themselves.

If you neglected to make a reservation for meals in the Sukkah, there may still be room by the time this bulletin reaches you. Call the Synagogue Office without delay, and we shall try our best to accommodate you.

LULAV AND ETHROG PROCESSION

Sukkoth will be a week not only devoted to the symbol of the Sukkah, but also concerned with the Lulav and Ethrog. Since the holiday begins on the Sabbath when the Lulav and Ethrog are not carried, the use of these symbols begins on Sunday. On that day the outstanding feature of the services will be the grand march around the main floor of the Synagogue with the Lulav and Ethrog. This procession has always been an inspiring one, and it becomes more so from year to year, as more worshipers acquire these holiday symbols. Again we stress that the time is late. But if, by chance, you overlooked ordering a Lulav and Ethrog, call the office immediately and our Ritual Director will try to accommodate you.

SPECIAL SUKKOTH CLASS ON SATURDAY

On Saturday afternoon, one hour before Mincha, a special class will be conducted by Rabbi Haskel Lookstein on the Laws and Significance of Sukkoth. This will be the final class of a series devoted to the fall holidays. Among other topics, this class will explain why Rosh Hashanah and Sukkoth never begin on a Sunday, a Wednesday, or a Friday.

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WEEKDAY SERVICES

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We would like to remind our worshippers that Sukkoth lasts a full week. During that time special services will be held every morning which will include the appropriate prayers. The services will begin at 7:15 and will last approximately one hour.

On Friday, Hoshanah Rabbah, services will begin at 6:45 A.M. In the hustle and bustle of weekday life, this day is often overlooked. In Jewish tradition, however, it occupies an important place on our religious calendar. Inasmuch as it constitutes the terminus of the Penitential Season. The Cantor dons a white "kittle" and the Congregation makes seven circuits around the main Synagogue with Lulav and Ethrog.

The Hoshanah Rabbah Service, followed by breakfast in the Sukkah will bring to a close a glorious holiday week; a week of joy, and a week of prayer; a week of gaiety, and a week of inspired religious activity.

OUR SPECIAL THANKS

Worshippers in our Synagogue during the High Holy Days could not fail to be impressed by the order and decorum which prevailed in the House of God. The planning of the service and its execution by the Synagogue officials, naturally contributes greatly to the dignity of our services.

There is, however, a group in the Synagogue which works quietly and unobtrusively to insure the proper mood during the services. We have reference to the Senior and Junior Ushers. We are anxious to express our thanks to them for a job well done. We take pleasure in listing their names as a public expression of gratitude to those who have served the cause of public worship faithfully.

Senior Ushers

Eugene Alpert, B. Warren Brown, Hyman I. Bucher, Gerald Goldstein, Nico de Graaff, Maurice N. Jaffe,

**ADULT EDUCATION
ADVANCE NOTICE**

A meeting of the Adult Education Committee was held last week under the chairmanship of Martin Markson. At that meeting, a complete prospectus was approved for adult education at Kehilath Jeshurun this year.

A complete brochure will reach you shortly. The entire program will also be fully explained in a future bulletin. For the time being, Mr. Markson announced that this year the Adult Institute was sparing no effort to improve on its magnificent record of last year.

Several new features have been added to the program. For the first time in over two decades there will be a special class for women, meeting three times a month on Monday morning. There will be a new Sabbath class inaugurated in the beginning of November. A special speed up course meeting twice a week for four weeks will be available for those of our readers who would like to learn to read Hebrew in the briefest period possible. The Lecture Series, of course, will be held again this year, on a new topic which will be of interest to every thinking Jew.

For the present, this is all the information we can supply. Watch the bulletin and the mails for further details.

Gerald Kaufman, Abraham Kirshon, Martin Klein, Lawrence Kobrin, Edward Lebowitz, William Lebowitz, Benjamin Leifert, Dr. Jack Lieberman, Martin Markson, Jack Perlberger, Ralph Perlberger, Stuart Perlman, Arthur Rosen, Charles Rosen, David Rosen, Elgin Shulsky, Lewis Siegel, Dr. Ned Wachtel.

Junior Ushers

Herbert Abrams, Alice Gross, Alfred Kaplan, Deborah Kaplan, Elliott Lebowitz, Menorah Lebowitz, Naomi Lebowitz, Harvey Leifert, Alan Shapiro, Marvin Shulsky.

SCHEDULE OF SUKKOTH SERVICES

Friday, October 16th, Sukkoth Eve

Lighting of Candles	5:55
Evening	5:45

Saturday, October 17th, Sukkoth I

Morning	9:00
Sermon by Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein at 11:00	
Evening	6:00
Conclusion of Sabbath	6:45

Sunday, October 18th, Sukkoth II

Morning	9:00
Sermon by Rabbi Haskel Lookstein at 11:00	
Evening	6:00

Friday, October 23rd, Hoshanah Rabbah

Morning	6:45
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DAILY SERVICES

Morning	7:15
Evening	5:45

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

There's been a change in name,
But the date's the same,

December the 3rd

Have you heard?

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style,

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to-ear smile,

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WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birthdays—

Many happy returns of the day to
Mrs. Harry Abramson, Alfred S. Cas-
ner, Mrs. Alfred S. Casner, Sidney
Horwitz, Mrs. Edward Lebowitz, Jo-
seph Nash, Samuel Rosen, Mrs. Meyer
Texon, Mrs. Herman Wouk, Mrs.
Frederick Zuckerman.

Anniversaries—

Warmest greetings to Mr. & Mrs.
Jack Nash, and Dr. and Mrs. Edgar
Trautman.

RABBI JOSEPH H. LOOKSTEIN TO ADDRESS OPENING SISTERHOOD MEETING

On Monday, October 26th, at 12:30
P.M., a new year of Sisterhood Activ-
ity will be inaugurated. The occasion
will be the first Open Meeting of the
1959-60 season.

As has been customary for many
years, Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein will
be the guest speaker at the opening
meeting. Although his topic has not
yet been announced, those who have
heard him address the Sisterhood in
past years know that the Rabbi's
message always combines depth of
insight and sparkling wit.

A delicious dessert Luncheon will
precede the meeting and will be
served at twelve thirty. Please, there-
fore, be prompt.

The Personal Date Book listing all
Sisterhood events for the year will
reach you very shortly. You will find
therein a wonderful program designed
to meet the tastes of discriminating
women. Mark down the dates in your
calendar and make a mental note to
attend all the Sisterhood functions
during the coming season.

Start out on the right foot by coming
on October 26th to the opening meet-
ing of the year.

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YAHREZITS**October**

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K. J. CALENDAR

Saturday:

CLASS IN SUKKOTH

LAWS 5:00 P.M.

Tuesday:

MEN'S CLUB EXECUTIVE

BOARD MEETING — SYNA-

GOGUE SUKKAH 6:30 P.M.

Tuesday: October 26:

SISTERHOOD OPEN MEETING

SYNAGOGUE SOCIAL HALL —

Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein —

Guest Speaker

SISTERHOOD HAPPY DAY FUND

We acknowledge with many thanks a contribution to our Happy Day Fund from Mrs. Robert Wallach and Mrs. Bertha Lebowitz.

Members are urged to share their joyous occasions with others, by making a gift to the Happy Day Fund.

Contributions should be sent to Mrs. Robert H. Zessman, 12 East 87th Street, the Happy Day Fund Chairman.

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