



ADULT INSTITUTE OPENS

Registration Over One Hundred

As this Bulletin goes to press, our Adult Institute is opening its sessions for 1966-67. We cannot give specific figures on registration as yet, but the prospects look extremely promising.

As of opening day, we have an advance registration of over one hundred students in the various courses of our Adult Institute. Inasmuch as there are many students who are taking more than one course, the actual total of students in all the classes stands at about one hundred and seventy-five. Experience has shown that the actual registration figures usually surpass the advance registration by a substantial number.

If you did not attend the courses during the first week for one reason or another, you may still begin your class during the second week of sessions. A full listing of the courses and the time of their meeting appears in our K. J. calendar on page 4.

Do not put off this most important matter. Enroll this week and enjoy the benefits of a regular time for study.

CHANUKAH CANDLES, COURTESY OF THE BENEVOLENT FUND

Chanukah Candles have already been mailed to all the members of the congregation. As in former years, the candles are sent with the compliments of the Benevolent Fund.

The members of the congregational family are well aware of the service that the Benevolent Fund renders to needy individuals and worthwhile charitable institutions. The Fund is able to carry on its philanthropic work by virtue of the generosity shown to it by members and friends of the congregation.

We are hopeful that the response to the Benevolent Fund at Chanukah time will be as gratifying as it has been in the past.

FULL PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES PLANNED FOR THANKSGIVING WEEK-END

Service, Collegiate Oneg Shabbat and Youth Week-end to be held

A full schedule of activities is now in the planning stage for the forthcoming Thanksgiving Day week-end. The highlights of the week-end will be as follows:

Thanksgiving Day Service —

Our annual Thanksgiving Day service will be held in the main synagogue on Thursday morning, November 24, at 11:00 o'clock. We invite all members and friends of our congregational family and Ramaz School to participate in this service through which we demonstrate the religious significance inherent in this national American festival.

As is our practice, we will present a special guest speaker who will occupy the pulpit at the service. This year our guest will be Dr. David Daube, Regius Professor of Civil Law at the University of Oxford. His subject will be: "What It Means To Be A Jew In A Christian Civilization."

Dr. Daube has a world-renowned reputation as a student of the Law. He is also a scholar in Jewish Law. He will combine both of these fields of specialization in his subject for our Thanksgiving service. The choir for the service will be under the direction of Seymour Silbermintz.

Collegiate Oneg Shabbat —

Once again this year the Sisterhood and the Men's Club of the congregation will sponsor an Oneg Shabbat on Friday night of the Thanksgiving

week-end, November 25. The program will begin at 8:30.

Our special guests for this program will be the collegiates who will be on vacation during the week-end. A panel of collegiates will interview Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein and Rabbi Haskel Lookstein on a variety of subjects of Jewish and general interest.

A cordial invitation is extended to all, young and old, to participate in this evening which always produces much interest and many surprises.

Youth Week-end —

Finally, our teen-age group, Shachar, is sponsoring a youth week-end during the Thanksgiving Day period. The group, in addition to inviting all of its members to participate in this week-end, will also serve as hosts to members of the junior and senior classes of Ramaz High School. Teen-agers who are from outside of the immediate neighborhood of the congregation will be accommodated at houses in the vicinity.

The young people will participate in the Friday night and Sabbath services; they will be served meals in the synagogue during the Sabbath and they will, of course, have special programs during the course of the week-end.

Further details on this activity may be obtained by calling our Youth Director, Noam Shudofsky, at HA 7-1000.

**Rabbi Haskel Lookstein will preach this Saturday at 11:00 A.M.
"CALLING TO GOD FROM THE DEPTHS"
A PULPIT LECTURE ON PRAYER**



"Jacob Sanctifies Esau"

When Jacob appears before his father, Isaac, disguised as Esau, Jacob comments in perplexed tones: "The voice is the voice of Jacob, but the hands are the hands of Esau." In reality this, like many Biblical experiences in Genesis, is not only an incident; it is revealing for much of life's experience.

There is a dualism in every human being consisting of the voice of Jacob and the hands of Esau. The hands represent the external and physical experience. Esau was the man of the field, the hunter, the outdoor sportsman. The voice of Jacob represents the voice of conscience, the simple spiritual feelings of an "Ish Tam" — an ethically perfect man.

It is a principal task of Judaism not to negate the hands of Esau but to sanctify them. Thus, the Psalmist says: "Lift up your hands in holiness and bless God." And the blessing which we pronounce when washing our hands before the meal is: "Blessed art Thou O Lord who has sanctified us and commanded us to take our hands (and use them for religious purposes)."

It is no accident that both the Psalmist's verse and this particular blessing are recited before partaking of a full meal. The table which can be the symbol of indulgence and excess, of unbridled hedonism and uncontrolled animalism, is transformed by the Jew into an altar; and the home in which the table stands becomes a miniature sanctuary. When three Jews sit down to a table, the Talmud cautions us that words of Torah should be spoken between them. In other words, we are cautioned not to partake of a Roman feast — which emphasises the hands — but rather to make the meal an occasion for a truly human experience, enriching the mind with the understanding of God's revealed Law — the voice of Jacob.

We conclude our meal with a special blessing in order to recognize that it is not our hands which have grasped the means of our sustenance, but rather God who gave these means to us. The reader will recall that when Isaac asked Jacob where the food came from in the meal which Jacob prepared for him, Jacob answered: "The Lord your God made it available to me." It was these words which made Isaac wonder whether it was

SISTERHOOD TO HEAR DISCUSSION ON THE JEWISH WOMAN ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21

The Kehilath Jeshurun Sisterhood will hold its next open luncheon meeting in the social hall of the congregation on Monday, November 21, at 12:30 o'clock. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Israel Friedman, discussing the subject: "A Sociologist Looks At The Jewish Woman."

Mrs. Friedman, the daughter of Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein and the mother of four Ramaz students, is an instructor in sociology at Barnard College. She is at present engaged in writing her doctoral dissertation at the Bureau of Applied Social Research of Columbia University. Her dissertation is the outgrowth of a two-year sociological study financed in part by the federal government.

Mrs. Friedman will discuss the role of the Jewish woman in our contemporary society. What are the demands and pressures upon her? To what extent is a professional career desirable for her? What are her primary responsibilities in the home and how can these be combined with a fruitful and self-fulfilling life? These and other questions will be treated by Mrs. Friedman in her lecture.

A cordial invitation is extended to all women to attend the luncheon meeting on Monday, November 21.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birthdays —

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Benjamin Bartel, Victor Binstock, Mrs. Sidney A. Block, Mrs. Israel Cummings, Mrs. Louis Etra, Harry Green, Mrs. Joseph Gruss, Alfred Kahn, Frederick Margareten, Bernard Podell, Dr. Martin Schub, Mrs. Sam Taffet and Dr. Frederick Zuckerman.

Anniversaries —

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Max Backer, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Citron, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kahn, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Reinhold, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Salzman, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sigall and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stern.

Births —

We extend a hearty Mazel Tov to our esteemed Vice President, Joseph Roth and Mrs. Roth upon the birth of a son to their children Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roth.

A hearty Mazel Tov to our devoted members, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rosenzweig, upon the birth of a daughter.

Members in the News —

We are happy to announce that Dr. Leon A. Feldman, our esteemed member, has recently published a critical edition of a fourteenth century work by Rabbeinu Nissim, entitled, "Shittah l'Ketuboth." The edition includes an introduction and explanatory notes and comments.

Make your reservations for the

Sisterhood Concert and Champagne Party

which will be held on

Saturday Night, December 10th

The Concert —

under the direction of Andre Kostelanetz will take place
at Philharmonic Hall.

Chanukah Champagne Party —

Sponsored by Sisterhood and Men's Club

for concert guests will be held after the concert
in the Assembly Hall of the Synagogue House.

Concert Chairman: Mrs. Eugene Hollander — RE 7-8543

not Jacob who was standing before him — the symbol of the spiritual voice — rather than Esau — the symbol of appetite and indulgence.

The Bible tells us that in the struggle between Jacob and Esau, one will always triumph over the other. In the internal struggle within every human personality, this judgment is also true.

Either the hands of Esau will supersede and stifle the voice of Jacob, or the voice, the spirit and the soul will control, will motivate and will sanctify the hands. It is religion — particularly Judaism — which strives to insure this second outcome in the battle of human existence.

H. L.

OVERFLOW GATHERING OF YOUNG MARRIEDS HEARS DR. FELDMAN

A banner crowd of 70 members of our Young Marrieds Group filled the home of Rabbi and Mrs. Haskel Lookstein to overflowing last Saturday night at the first meeting of the program year for this affiliate of our congregation.

The members heard our esteemed member, Dr. Leon Feldman, Chairman of the Department of Hebraic Studies at Rutgers University, discuss the nature of Jewish life on the college campus. Professor Feldman gave a comprehensive portrait of the problems and potentials of different types of Jewish youth at Rutgers and at similar universities.

The meeting was an outstanding social success. The spirit was warm and enthusiastic. Several new members were introduced to the group and there are indications that others will still be joining our ranks.

Young married couples in their 20's, 30's or early 40's, who would like to be part of the group, are invited to call the synagogue office.

The next meeting of the group will be held at the home of the President, Albert H. Bernstein, and Mrs. Bernstein, on Saturday night, December 17th. The guest speaker will be Dr. Morton Schatzman. His topic will be: "LSD and Psychedelic Drugs — Are There Religious Implications?"

AN INTERESTING EVENING

We feel that our readers would like to know of a special concert which will be held on Sunday night, November 20th, at 8:30 o'clock, in the Gould Auditorium of N.Y.U. in Washington Square. The concert will feature the Zamir Chorale performing a program of modern Israeli songs and classical melodies set to Hebrew words.

The intriguing nature of the concert stems not only from its program, but from the composition of the Zamir Chorale. Some twenty Ramaz graduates are among the ninety-five singers from college and graduate schools. The Chorale is conducted by Mr. Stanley Sperber, a student at the Juilliard School who is also a popular instructor in our own Park East Religious School.

Those interested in obtaining tickets for this concert may call Yudith Winkler (Ramaz High School, Class of 62) at SY 2-8908, evenings only.

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cordially invite you to attend a

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Saturday Night, November 12th, 9:00 o'clock — 12:00 midnight

Sunday, November 13th, 11:00 a.m. — 7:00 p.m.

Monday, November 14th, 11:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.

at

125 East 85th Street

A gala champagne toast will be served on Saturday night
All are invited

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Jewish Post Available to Subscribers

A special introductory subscription offer is available to members of the congregation for the weekly newspaper, Jewish Post and Opinion.

The introductory subscription is available for \$1.00 for fourteen issues. Those who would like to take advantage of this offer are asked to forward payment together with their mailing address to the synagogue office.

SISTERHOOD NEEDIEST CASES

We acknowledge with thanks contributions to our Sisterhood Neediest Cases Fund from Mrs. Benjamin Perlman.

Contributions should be sent to Mrs. Joseph Roth, 891 Park Avenue, Chairman of the Neediest Cases Fund.

— ADVANCE NOTICE —

THE MEN'S CLUB THEATRE PARTY

"Illya, Darling"

will be held on

Wednesday, March 29, 1967

at the Mark Hellinger Theatre

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Noam Shudofsky Youth Director

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**FRIDAY**

Lighting of Candles 4:20
Evening 4:30

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:15
Pre-School Service
Dining Hall 11:00

Weekly Portion: Toledot**Genesis 25:19-28:9****Haftorah: I Samuel 20:18-42****ROSH CHODESH PRAYERS**

Rosh Chodesh Kislev will be on
Sunday, November 13th and Monday,
November 14th.

Evening 4:30
Conclusion of Sabbath 5:10

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Sunday Morning 8:30
Father and Son Minyan 9:30
Evening 4:30

FATHER AND SON MINYAN**Fifth Service****Cantors**

Wayne Kadis
Samuel Friedman
Mannes Friedman
Aaron Holzer

Breakfast Sponsor

Irwin Shapiro

Yahrzeits**November**

12—ABRAHAM I. FINE
12—JOSEPH LAX
12—CELIA SHANMAN
13—THEODORE SIMON
13—SAMUEL WEISS
14—MORRIS KITE
14—SIMCHA KURTZ
14—FRIEDA KAHN
14—JULIUS KLEIN
14—MORRIS ZUCKERMAN
14—MONES ZUCKERMAN
15—SARA SPILKY
15—HARRY HERSKOWITZ
16—MORRIS BRANDMAN
16—MILDRED J. LITWINS
16—SARAH SAX
16—BERTHA BARANY
17—KATHERINE MORRIS
17—MORRIS ZUCKERMAN
17—MORRIS GARFINKEL
17—DAVID M. ALPERT
18—NATHAN HUTKOFF
18—LOUIS LIPPOFF
18—ABRAHAM M. MANN

JUNIOR CONGREGATION**Saturday, November 12th****CANTORS**

Craig Barany
Peter Oppenheimer
David Orwasher

SERMONETTE

Alan Friedman

TEENAGE TORAH READER

Steven Schacter

SISTERHOOD**KIDDUSH HOSTESSES****SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12th**

Mrs. Joseph Greenberg
Mrs. Eugene Hollander
Mrs. Edward Lebowitz
Mrs. William Lebowitz
Mrs. Benjamin L. Leifert
Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein
Mrs. Oscar Perlberger

K. J. CALENDAR

SATURDAY
3:00 P.M.

Boys' Pre-Teen Group-Social Hall
Intermediate Girls' Group
Synagogue Library

9:00 P.M.

Ramaz Art Exhibit

SUNDAY**11:00 A.M.**

Ramaz Art Exhibit

MONDAY**Morning Classes for Women****10:00 A.M.**

Hebrew for Beginners
Hebrew II
Hebrew III

11:00 A.M.

Studies In Judaism
Ramaz Art Exhibit

12:30 P.M.

Sisterhood Board Meeting

8:00 P.M.

Talmud Class

TUESDAY**10:00 A.M.**

Advanced Hebrew

WEDNESDAY**8:00 P.M.**

El-Am Talmud
Elementary Yiddish
Cantillation

8:15 P.M.

Modern Hebrew Literature

THURSDAY**7:30 P.M.**

Boy Scout Meeting



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down!**



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