

GOOD NEWS



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CONGRATULATIONS

Cantor Zalmon Yavneh

We extend our hearty congratulations to our sweet-singing Cantor Zalmon Yavneh upon his election to the presidency of the Jewish Ministers Cantors Association. May he continue to serve his Congregation and his people for years to come in good health and happiness.

Our own beloved Rabbi Goldstein will be the guest speaker at the installation ceremonies, which will take place on Monday evening, January 19th at 8:30 o'clock at 236 Second Avenue, corner of 14th Street.

Please note the early start of this performance

We expect to see you Sunday evening

At Our Benefit Opera Performance of

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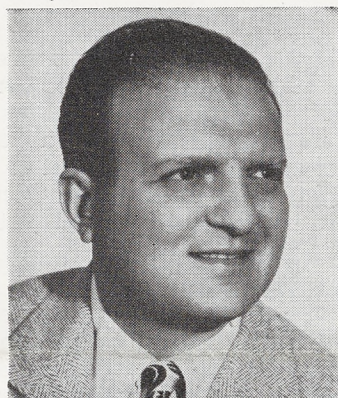
MEN'S CLUB ACTIVITIES



Fred Heiser

The Men's Club of the West Side Institutional Synagogue salutes two of its outstanding members, Mr. Fred Heiser and Mr. Phil Nager.

Fred Heiser was formerly President of the Men's Club and remains a strong pillar of support for the many social, spiritual and philanthropic activities of our club. Fred is chairman of the bazaar to be held in December, 1959, the success of which depends upon the cooperation of the entire membership for support. Various articles of clothing and other merchandise are needed in order to make the bazaar a financial success.



Phil Nager

Those who wish to contribute merchandise to our bazaar, please call the synagogue.

Mr. Phil Nager, formerly financial secretary of the Men's Club is one of the most dependable members of the club. He is always willing to work on important committees. Phil is chairman of the philanthropic endeavor to sell subscription tickets at twenty-five cents. The motto of our club is "Team Work". The support of the members of the Men's Club will bring this important activity to a successful conclusion.

We urge all our friends to purchase the subscription tickets at twenty-five cents each.

MAZEL TOV



Maxine Udell

Mazel Tov to our beloved President and Mrs. Lester Udell upon the engagement of their daughter Maxine to Fred H. Geller, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Robert Geller of Brooklyn.

The groom to be is a graduate of Brooklyn College and is now an accountant. Maxine is a graduate of Calhoun School and New York University.

President and Mrs. Udell are inviting the entire Congregation to a Kiddush Saturday morning after Services.



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BAR MITZVAH



Ira Forman

A hearty mazel tov to Mr. and Mrs. Max Forman upon the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Ira, which will be celebrated in our Synagogue tomorrow.

PLEASE NOTE!

A modern Ritualarium (Mikvah) is located in our community, at 158 W. 97th St., MO 3-0300.

THE PRAYER BOOK

COMMENTS BY RABBI HERBERT S. GOLDSTEIN

Thirteen Principles of The Faith

Principle XII

"I FIRMLY BELIEVE IN THE COMING OF MESSIAH; AND ALTHOUGH HE MAY TARRY, I DAILY HOPE FOR HIS COMING."

II

(Continued)

The war of Gog and Magog against the Holy Land referred to by Maimonides is described by the prophet Ezekiel in Chapters 38 and 39, as preceding the complete restoration of Israel. Saadiah has a different view of this war. The punishment of Israel in exile is to come to an end at a fixed time, or as soon as the Israelites by earnest and thorough repentance show themselves worthy of Divine grace. In that case no war of Gog and Magog will be waged against them. But if the Israelites should allow the approach of the time fixed for the redemption without having given signs of repentance and improvement, great troubles will be brought upon them, which will forcibly remind them of the necessity of returning to G-d; they will come together under a leader, Messiah ben Joseph, under whose leadership they will fight against their enemies, but will be beaten, and Messiah ben Joseph himself will be killed. Then Messiah ben David will appear, and with him the period of glory, of permanent peace and prosperity, and of the worship of the One G-d by all nations.

Principle XIII

"I FIRMLY BELIEVE THAT THERE WILL TAKE PLACE A REVIVAL OF THE DEAD AT A TIME WHICH WILL PLEASE THE CREATOR, BLESSED BE HIS NAME AND EXALTED HIS MEMORIAL FOR EVER AND EVER."

I

As imperfect as is our conception of a creation from nothing, so imperfect is our notion of the resurrection of the dead. We only perceive the dissolution of the body into its elements, which enter into new combinations and form new bodies; and it is almost impossible for us to imagine a reconstruction of the original body out of its own elements. There is no doubt that the Almighty produces fresh life from death — we need only observe the action of Nature in the world around us to convince ourselves that G-d is **מְחַיֶּה הַמֵּתִים**

"that He gives life to things dead." But how this will be done in reference to our own selves, whether all will be restored to life, or whether the new life after death will be enjoyed by the soul alone, or by body and soul jointly: these and similar questions transcend the bounds of human knowledge. We know nothing but the bare fact that G-d can restore to life that which is dead, and that a resurrection will take place. But all further descriptions of this event rests on man's imaginative powers. The fact itself is stated by Daniel (xii2): "And many of them that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt;" it is indicated in the Pentateuch in the words, "I shall cause to die and I shall make alive; I have wounded and I shall heal." (Deuteronomy Chapter 32 verse 39).

Vahrzeits From Our Memorial Plaque

Jan. Shevat

17 8 Dianne Hirsch
Mose Goodman
Solomon Landowne
Nessie Rubin
19 10 Simon Davis
Herman Jacobs

20 11

22 13

23 14

Gussie Mayerowitz
Rose Berliner
Ida Helen Silver

Morris Kornfeld
Tanya Shaftan
Rose Kauvar Buchalter
Samuel Lukaczer

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Rachel Becker

Mollie Weinstein

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MAZEL TOV ON THEIR SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY



Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Carter

We extend our hearty felicitations to Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Carter upon the celebration of their Silver Wedding Anniversary on January 17th.

May it please G-d that we all be present at their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

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W.S.I.S. PRAYER SCHEDULE

Light Candles Friday Evening before 4:34

Weekly Portion — Boh

Exodus 10:1-13:16 Jeremiah 46:13-28

Friday Evening Service4:45

Chumosh and Rashi with

Rabbi M. Garfiel8:15

Saturday Morning Service9:00

Youth Congregation10:00

Junior Congregation10:45

Chazanin: David Heiser, Jack Koppel

Hostess: Miriam Reichel

Oneg Shabbos (Boys and Girls

7 to 11 years)3:00

Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class3:10

Mr. Isaac Allen's Talmud Class3:10

Mincha4:10

Reader of Torah: Lawrence Kobrin

Reader of Service: Seymour Ukeles

The Sabbath Terminates5:25

Daily Services

Sunday Morning7:15, 8:15, 8:45

Monday and Thursday6:45, 7:45, 8:30

Tuesday, Wednesday and

Friday6:45, 7:45, 8:15

Mincha4:45

Followed by the Explanation of the

Shulchan Aruch by Rabbi Goldstein

CONDOLENCES

We express our sympathy to our devoted member and active Men's Club member, David S. Elkins, upon the loss of his brother, **Harry Elkins**.

GETTING PERSONAL

By Sanford Solarz

A hearty welcome as a new member of our congregational family to Mr. Jack Finkelstein . . . Our beloved Rabbi Herbert S. Goldstein was honored as toastmaster at the annual dinner of the Lubavitch Yeshiva . . . We bestow our Congregational citation of merit to our Hebrew School student Gerald Stark, son of Mrs. Ruth Stark and grandson of our member, Mr. Abraham Kantrowitz upon his election as mayor of P.S. 87 . . . Cheers and hurrahs for our Congregational basketball team which is currently on a red hot winning streak . . . Congratulations to Director and Mrs. George Livingston upon the appearance of their grandchildren, Judith Ellen and Kenneth Joseph Bernstein, the children of Sylvia Livingston Bernstein and Louis Bernstein, on their appearance on a TV educational program sponsored by the New York State Board of Regents. They played in a musical quartet on two days notice . . . Welcome home from their winter vacations in points South and West to Director David Cohen with his granddaughter Ronnie Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gross and their daughter, Susan Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rudnick, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shlansky, Treasurer and Mrs. Samuel Silver and Director and Mrs. Frank L. Taks . . . Our welcome mat is also spread out for Mr. Abraham Krumbein and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schenker from their trip to Israel . . . Also our hearty welcome home from their honeymoon trip to Europe to Mr. and Mrs. Myron Smith (nee Barbara Herlands) and we are glad to welcome them into our neighborhood . . . Our prayers for a speedy recovery to our matriarch, Regina Margareten, to her son, Fred and to Mr. Isidor Lauer . . . Congratulations to Director and Mrs. Jacob Kaplan upon the birth of Betty to their children, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kaplan . . . The host at the Saturday afternoon Seudah Shlishis tomorrow will be Mr. Irving Balmuth.

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Birthday Greetings

Jan.

16—Jay Finkelstein
Nat K. Gross17—Henry Robert Gross
Jacob Isseks
Mrs. Henry L. Kraushar
Mrs. Sandra G. Ortnier
Eddie Weinstein

- 18—Susan Citron
Ruth Sonya Freudman
19—Mrs. Sondra L. Mayper
20—Sol Brandes
Mrs. Minette Horowitz
21—Beth Esther Charney
Allen Jeffrey Cohen
Mrs. Maurice Goodgold
22—Mrs. Sigg Eisenberg
Douglas J. Reichlin
Roy Stuart Tumpowsky

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Anniversary Greetings

- 17—Mr. & Mrs. Irving Balmuth
Mr. & Mrs. Bennett Carter
18—Mr. & Mrs. Harold Wohl.

**SOCIAL DEPARTMENT
ACTIVITIES****Tweenagers**

The next social meeting of the junior teen-agers will be held on Tuesday, January 20th, at 7 P.M. (till 8:30).

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Club 76

High school seniors and their friends are welcome to participate in the opening social event of Club 76 on Saturday night, January 21st at 8 o'clock.

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**Father-Son-Daughter
Service and Breakfast
Sponsored By Men's Club**

All our young folks are welcome at the Sunday morning Service and Breakfast, February 1st at 9:15 o'clock. It's a swell way to celebrate the close of mid-terms, finals, regents and term-papers.

MEN'S CLUB TO MEET

A regular meeting of our Men's Club will take place this Monday evening, January 19, at 8:30 P.M. in our Clubroom. All the men of the congregation are cordially invited to attend the meeting which consists of a business meeting to discuss the various activities of the Club as well as the usual social hour. We hope that more and more of the men of the congregation will become active participants in the Club's activities.

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JACOBS AND SHLANSKY
TO BE HOSTESSES**

Mrs. William Horwitz, Mrs. Edward Jacobs and Mrs. Louis Shlansky cordially invite all members of the **Executive Board of the Women's League** to be their guests at a **Luncheon and Meeting** on Monday, January 19th at 12:30 P.M. in our **Synagogue Meeting Room**.

It is of great importance that all of you attend this meeting to formulate plans for our coming functions. Our activities for the future include the Children's Village Luncheon, the Thrift Sale, the Purim Party, and the Closing Luncheon. Please make every effort to be present as we need your ideas and opinions.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Because of numerous requests, the Women's League of the West Side Institutional Synagogue is happy to announce the formation of a **STUDY GROUP**. Preceding each Open Meeting, starting at **12 noon sharp**, our own Rabbi O. Asher Reichel will give a half hour session in **JEWISH HISTORY**. Ten minutes will be devoted to floor discussion with a question and answer period. Then, there will be a **coffee break** followed by our regular Women's League Meeting. You and your friends are cordially invited to attend and participate. The **FIRST SESSION** will be held in our Synagogue Meeting Room on **Monday, February 2nd at 12 noon**. SPREAD THE WORD.

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