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W.S.I.S. PRAYER SCHEDULE

Friday, May 24

*Kindle Sabbath Candles Before.....7:56
*Mincha6:40

Saturday, May 25

Morning Service9:00
Sedra: Bamidbar
Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class6:55
Mr. Isaac Allen's Talmud Class.....6:55
Mincha7:55

PEREK VI

Sabbath Terminates8:57
Sun. Morn., May 267:15, 8:15, 8:45
Mon. Morn., May 276:45, 7:45, 8:30
Mincha8:10

Tuesday, May 28 (Erev Yom Tov)

Morning Services6:45, 7:45, 8:15
Kindle Festival Candles8:00
Mincha8:10
Tikun ShevuosBeginning 10:15

Wednesday, May 29 — Shevuos I

Morning Service8:50
Junior Congregation10:40
Mincha7:45
Kindle Festival Candles in Evening

Thursday, May 30 — Shevuos II

Morning Service8:40
Yizkor
Junior Congregation10:40
Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class7:00
Mr. Allen's Talmud Class7:00
Mincha8:00
Festival Terminates9:00

Friday, May 31

Morning Services6:45, 7:45, 8:15
*Kindle Sabbath Candles Before 8:02
*Mincha6:40

Saturday, June 1

Morning Service8:50
Sedra: Nasoe
Rabbi Pekier's Talmud Class7:00
Mr. Allen's Talmud Class7:00
Mincha8:00
Reader of Service: Larry Hecht
Reader of Torah: David Kahn

PEREK I

Sabbath Terminates9:03

Week of June 2

Sunday Morning7:15, 8:15, 8:45
Mon. & Thurs.6:45, 7:45, 8:30
Tues., Wed. & Fri.6:45, 7:45, 8:15
Mincha8:10

Friday, June 7

*Kindle Candles Before8:06
*Mincha6:40

* Those who usher in the Sabbath with the Congregation at an early hour should recite after dark the "Shma" paragraphs (and the Omer).

RECEPTION FOR OUR NEW NEIGHBORS OF LINCOLN CENTER

Miss Sharie Wald has graciously made available her home for our Rabbi and Mrs. Reichel to greet in person our new neighbors of Lincoln Center (residents of 165, 185, 205 West End Avenue and 303 West 66th Street) on Thursday evening, June 6th, between 7:30 and 10:00 o'clock. Miss Wald resides at 165 West End Avenue, Apartment 11A. Our readers are requested to urge their friends who reside in Lincoln Center to stop by that evening.

JEWISH WAR VETERANS

The Buddy Friedman Post JWV invites all veterans in our community to attend our Shevuos services on Thursday, May 30th, which is Memorial Day.

Veterans are welcome to join our Post, thereby being eligible to participate in its Group Indemnity Plan which pays \$150 weekly when hospitalized. For further details, kindly call the Post Commander, Dr. Frank E. Fink at EN 2-4409.

SEFIRA CHECK LIST

Night of:	Omer:
Friday, May 24	46
Saturday, May 25	47
Sunday, May 26	48
Monday, May 27	49



This Tuesday evening we usher in the Festival of Shevuos, the Feast of Weeks. This Holiday is of great significance in the Jewish calendar. The Holiday identifies us as Jews, for on this day we received the Torah at Mt. Sinai. It is therefore known as "Zman Matan Torasenu," the season of receiving our Torah.

To commemorate this divine event we decorate our Synagogue with leaves and flowers reminiscent of the greenery atop Mt. Sinai.

Another hallowed tradition is the "Mishmar," the all night vigil in the Synagogue and reciting "Tikun Shevuos," selections from the Bible and Mishna and other sacred writings. Our readers are cordially invited to join us in the Synagogue beginning at 10:15 this Tuesday night. The morning service for those

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AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE

The success of our Certificate drive AND Souvenir Journal in honor of Mr. Alexander Rauchman depends in large measure on the response of our friends in the coming two weeks. Kindly use the handy coupon below — the sooner the better. Thank you.

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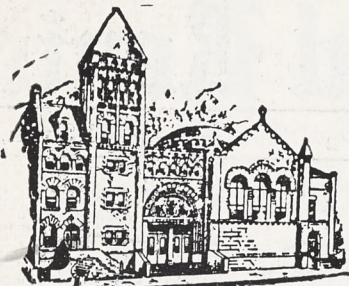
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Shevuos Notes

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who are awake the whole night is held at daybreak.

It is a tradition to eat dairy foods on this festival. One reason given is that the Torah has been likened to "milk and honey."

During the morning services of the first day we read the Ten Commandments and chant the Akdamos, a beautiful poem in Aramaic, in adoration of the Lord and the Torah, and describing a future of bliss and peace for the righteous.

On the Second Day, the idyllic story of Ruth is read. This is to commemorate the Yahrzeit of King David who was descended from Ruth.

MEN'S CLUB

A very important business meeting of our Men's Club will take place in the Gold Room on Monday evening, June 3rd, at 8:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend this meeting. Newcomers are most welcome. Refreshments will be served.

Tickets For June 16th Double-Header

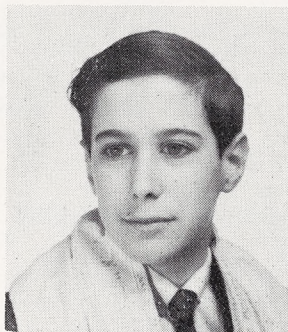
Tickets for the double-header between the Yankees and Detroit Tigers on June 16th may be purchased in the Synagogue office. Proceeds from this event help in the many charitable projects sponsored by our Men's Club. Enjoy a good game and do a good deed at the same time.

ENGAGEMENT

Hearty mazel tov to our members, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Gottlieb, upon the engagement of their son, Judah, to Ruth T. Livingston, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Seymour H. Livingston of Brooklyn, and granddaughter of Mrs. David Kaplan.

The bride-to-be will graduate this June with a B.A. from Skidmore College. The groom-to-be received a B.A. from Yeshiva University and an LL.B. from New York Law School. He is a partner of the law firm, Resnick & Gottlieb.

BAR MITZVAH



Matthew Alexander

Congratulations to Professor and Mrs. Josef Alexander upon the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Matthew, on June 1st. Matthew is a pupil in our Hebrew School. Mazel tov also to the grandmothers, Mrs. Ida Alexander and Mrs. Olga Bargolis.

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All our children are expected to attend the Junior Congregation on Shevuos, Wednesday and Thursday, May 29th and 30th, at 10:40 A.M. Rabbi Reichel will be glad to provide notes for the school principals requesting that children be excused from classes on May 29th.

There will be regular classes in our Hebrew School through Thursday, June 13th, except for Tuesday, May 28th (Erev Shevuos) as well as Shevuos. The closing exercises will be held on Monday, June 17th, from 7:00 to 8:00 P.M.

CONTRIBUTORS TO PASSOVER YIZKOR APPEAL FOR MANHATTAN DAY SCHOOL

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(To be continued)

A WORD TO THE WISE

On the Sabbath it is not proper to carry in the street any objects, including prayer books, umbrellas or pocket books. Our Rabbis will explain the whys and wherefores to those who were not aware of this aspect of the Sabbath Law.

Rebecca F. Goldstein Women's League

LAST CALL FOR TICKETS FOR MOVIE PARTY

Have you secured your tickets for yourself and your friends for our Movie Party at RADIO CITY MUSIC HALL, 50th Street and Avenue of the Americas, on MONDAY, MAY 27th for the MATINEE (your tickets are reserved in the first mezzanine and you may attend the show between the hours of 10:30 and 3 o'clock.) The picture is "Spencer's Mountain" starring Henry Fonda and Maureen O'Hara and the stage show is one of the finest ever shown. Tickets are \$4.00 each. Call the Synagogue TR 7-8281 and tickets will be mailed to you immediately.

This is an afternoon that nobody should miss. Time is short . . . Let us hear from you. Remember, this function takes the place of our usual Spring Luncheon and we hope to see all of you at Radio City Music Hall.

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"The Bible and Modern Medicine," the newly published book of our recent guest speaker, Dr. Jacob Glenn, available to our readers at the pre-publication price of \$4.00. You may order the book through the Women's League.

MEMORIALIZE YOUR BELOVED

Do you wish to memorialize your dear departed? Plaques which are placed on the Memorial Tablet in our Daily Synagogue are available at a price within the means of all. Payments may be made at your convenience. Visit or call the Synagogue for further information.

YIZKOR SERVICES

On the second day of Shevuos, Thursday, May 30th, Yizkor Memorial Services will be recited in our Synagogue. The following form may be filled out and delivered to the Synagogue office by May 27th for those special memorial prayers.

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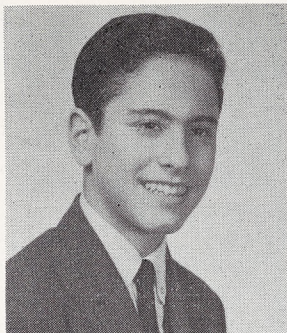
whose Hebrew name is

and I hereby donate \$.....

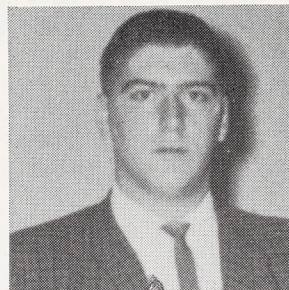
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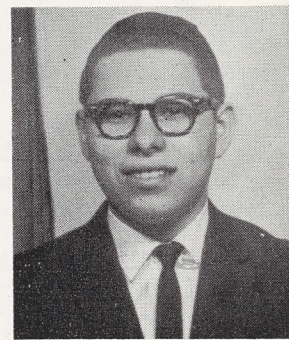
Congregational Youth Sabbath Tonight And Tomorrow In Honor Of Our June Graduates



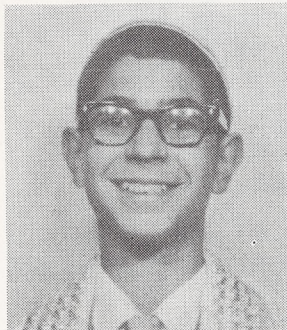
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Cantor for Shachris



Seymour Ukeles
Speaker at Mincha

This Sabbath will be dedicated to the young people of our Congregation and in honor of our graduates. They will conduct the services tonight and tomorrow.

Torah readers will be: Alan Cohen, Mervyn Frankel, Seymour Ukeles, David Kahn, Stanley Klein, Johanan Levine, Vinny Lloyd, Edward Milstein, Aaron Reichel, Marc Siditsky, Robert Spira, Steven Spira. James Herlands will chant the Haftorah. Serving as gabbaim will be James Herlands and Stanley Kaplan. Robert Levine will conclude the morning service.

The ushers will be Alan Cohen, Martin Foont, Joseph Gottlieb, Melvyn Moed, Mervyn Lindenbaum and Jay Zimmern. The usherettes (who have also been at their posts these past months) are Serena Ellner, Helen Pekier, Lucienne Reinhard and Miriam Reichel, in charge.

At the Mincha service Johanan Levine will be Cantor and Mervyn Frankel will read the Torah.

Our junior congregants are urged to attend the services this Saturday in the main Synagogue with their parents.

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Our readers are requested to mail at once to Rabbi Reichel the names of all the graduates in our congregational family as well as the schools, degrees and future academic plans. The closing issue of the "Review" will appear on June 7th.

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GETTING PERSONAL

By Sanford Solarz

Our congregational thanks to our Women's League for arranging the beautiful floral decorations in our Synagogue for the Shevuos services . . . Mr. Gabriel F. Goldstein, as for so long in the past, will again chant the Book of Ruth at our Shevuos Services . . . We have again been vicariously honored by the invitation extended to our Rabbi Reichel to read from the Holy Scriptures at the annual I Am An American (Citizenship) Day Celebration sponsored by our City on the Mall in Central Park this coming Sunday afternoon, May 26th, and also upon his designation as Vice-Chairman of this event . . . Our Trustee Abraham M. Druckman will be Guest of Honor at the annual dinner of Mizrahi (Religious Zionists of America) on June 10th at the Waldorf Astoria, and as Heritage Ambassador of Yeshiva University at its Commencement Dinner on June 12th at the Essex House. Incidentally, ye columnist was privileged to see him in action at the conference of the American-Israel Public Relations Committee in Washington, D.C. a few weeks ago . . . Ye columnist's son, Steven, had a personal interview last week with Gov. Scranton of Pennsylvania in that state's capital in connection with a feature article on the lobbying situation in that state which he is writing for the Greater Philadelphia magazine . . . Mazel tov to Chana Weiss and to Michael P. Roston upon their marriage which was solemnized in our Synagogue; to Trustee Henry Blankfort upon the birth of twin boys to his grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Shimon Kaniel in Israel, children of the famed Mr. Michael Blankfort and Mrs. Blankfort; to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson and to our Women's League Board member, Mrs. Jack Levine, upon the Bas Mitzvah of their granddaughter, Judith Dee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Levine . . . Our prayers for a speedy recovery for Mr. Emanuel Goodman and Mr. Louis Markowitz . . . Welcome from Israel to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gertner and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gottlieb; from points south to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fischer . . . As we go to press we are delighted to report that our Men's Club — Women's League — Mr. & Mrs. League Friendship Night featuring our Trustee, Ben Glazer and Humorist Is Bookbinder, and chaired by Mr. Samuel Gursky was crowded to capacity. Let us have many more such evenings!

Birthday Greetings

May

- 16—Mrs. Gloria Onish
- 17—Ronald Jarmuth
- 24—Joshua Levine
Mrs. Arthur Moll
Dr. Niel Wald
Susan Wanderer
- 25—Richard Bruce Goldstein
Barbara Miller
Aaron Neustadter
- 26—Eugene Mark Bergman
David Goldberg
Mrs. Harold Miller
Murray B. Yavneh
- 27—Mrs. Mark Linker
Buddy Udell
- 28—Scott Steven Bergman
Mrs. Monroe Gaines
Mrs. Irving Kobrin
Mrs. Max Zahler
- 29—Melissa Dachs
Louis Landowne
- 30—Sandra Kay Grossman
Mrs. Edgar L. Rybakoff
- 31—Rachel Ann Goldsmith

June

- 1—David M. Jacobowitz
- 2—John D. Garrett
- 3—Leisha Langer
Marilyn Langsam
Mrs. Allen Moskowitz
- 4—Mrs. Bernard Bercu
Jacob Gross
Mrs. Harry Weisenfeld
- 5—Mrs. Mac Goldstein
Michael Samuel Kantrowitz

Anniversary Greetings

May

- 24—Hon. & Mrs. Albert Wald
- 25—Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Udell
- 29—Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Rotto
President & Mrs. Lester Udell
- 30—Dr. & Mrs. M. S. Gershweir
Mr. & Mrs. Julius Schreiber
- 31—Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Tessler

June

- 3—Mr. & Mrs. Leo Jacobowitz
- 4—Trustee & Mrs. Jess E. Gross
- 5—Mr. & Mrs. Jerome Kamerman
Rabbi & Mrs. O. Asher Reichel
- 6—Dr. & Mrs. Gerald Blankfort
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