

GENERAL KJ ANNOUNCEMENTS

KJ WELCOMES CANTOR ARYEH LEIB HURWITZ

Cantor Aryeh Leib Hurwitz, a candidate to be KJ's permanent chazan, will lead Friday night and Shabbat morning services. Cantor Hurwitz's background was sent to our members by email, copies of which are available in the Shul vestibules. We invite you, our members, to share your thoughts about the prospect of Chazan Hurwitz as KJ's next cantor. To provide feedback, please speak to the members of the Search Committee or email chazansearch@CKJ.org with your thoughts.

CELEBRATE CHANUKAH BY HELPING OTHERS! SUPPORT THE KJ BENEVOLENT FUND

As we joyously celebrate the holiday with gifts and parties, we must remember that there are people in our community who are in very difficult straits. The Torah commands us that whenever we celebrate in happiness, we remember those who are in need. Please send a generous gift to the KJ Benevolent Fund so that we can carry out this mandate in our community. Donate at www.CKJ.org/pay.

INAUGURAL WOMEN'S TEHILLIM GROUP THIS MONDAY, DECEMBER 3 AT 8:00 AM

Women of the community are invited to gather in the Rohr Family Chapel in solidarity with all those in need of healing, whether health, fertility or financial related, by reciting Psalms and other prayers in the company of other women. No food or drink permitted inside, just bring your spirit of compassion for those in need. For more information, contact Margery Libin at mjoymsw@aol.com.

KJ AM HASEFER BOOK CLUB DISCUSSION SUPPER & LECTURE

Next Saturday night, December 8, at 7:30 pm in the Heyman Auditorium at 125 East 85 Street, with author Elizabeth Macaulay-Lewis speaking on her book regarding Ottoman Jewish History entitled *Bayt Farhi and the Sephardic Palaces of Ottoman Damascus in the Late 18th and 19th Centuries*. A cultural gem!

KJ CONVERSATIONS ON SATURDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 15 AT 8:00 PM

Let Our People Know: The Critical Need for Torah Study Throughout the Jewish Community

A conversation between Rabbi Elie Weinstock and Rabbi Ethan Tucker, President & Rosh Yeshiva of Hadar (www.hadar.org). At 125 East 85 Street.

REGISTER NOW FOR AIPAC POLICY CONFERENCE MARCH 24-26, 2019

Join the KJ delegation to the AIPAC Policy Conference. We have secured a limited number of registrations at the discounted rate of \$399 per person. To reserve, visit CKJ.org/form/aipac-2019. If you have any questions, please contact Rabbi Elie Weinstock at RavElie@CKJ.org.

BRING YOUR ACCOUNT CURRENT BEFORE 2019

As we approach the end of calendar year 2018, we remind those carrying outstanding synagogue account balances to lock-in potential 2018 tax deductions by bringing their accounts current. Contact Sy at 212-774-5620 if you have questions regarding your statement or would like to discuss a payment plan. Pay online through our secure site www.CKJ.org/pay



KEHILATH
JESHURUN

SERVICES AT-A-GLANCE

- **7:15 AM**
Hashkama Minyan
Rohr Chapel
 - **9:00 AM**
Main Service
Main Synagogue
 - **9:00 AM**
Sephardic Minyan
Rohr Chapel
 - **9:30 AM**
Keshet Minyan
Nakash Gymnasium
 - **9:30 AM**
Beginners Service
Major Ward Beit Midrash
 - **9:30 AM**
KJB Minyan
Riklis Social Hall
 - **9:30 AM**
Tefillah Together
Middle School Room 501
 - **10:00 AM**
Teen Minyan
Middle School Beit Midrash
- Daf Yomi Studies
Chullin 4

SHABBAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

December 1
Parshat Vayeshev

כ"ג כסלו תשע"ט
פרשת וישב

**WE WELCOME CANTOR ARYEH LEIB HURWITZ
A CANDIDATE FOR KJ'S CHAZAN POSITION,
WHO WILL LEAD SERVICES THIS SHABBAT**

8:30 AM CLASS BY RABBI CHAIM STEINMETZ

Women and Menorah Lighting

POST HASHKAMA SHIUR BY RABBI ELIE WEINSTOCK

Latkes, Donuts & Chanukah Presents

**AIPAC SHABBAT PRESENTATION BY
DR. RONEN BERGMAN DURING 9:00 AM SERVICES**

**The Untold Story Behind Israel's
Rise as a Global Security Leader**

**3:45 PM PRE-MINCHA SHIUR
WITH RABBI STEINMETZ**

**Breaking Bread, and the
Future of Jacob's Family**

**4:05 PM MINCHA FOLLOWED BY SEUDAH SHLISHIT
WITH AIPAC'S SARAH SAX AND JULIAN COAKLEY**

**Shaping the Next Generation's
Pro-Israel Activism**

5:09 PM SHABBAT CONCLUDES

RAMAZ ANNUAL DINNER - SUNDAY, JANUARY 13, 2019 AT 5:00 PM

Support our community day school, Yeshivat Ramaz, at the Marriott Marquis Hotel in Times Square, honoring cherished KJ members Sherry & Neil Cohen for their selfless devotion to chesed, menschlichkeit and community. Register at www.ramaz.org/uploaded/dinner/register.htm

CONGREGATION KEHILATH JESHURUN

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SPONSORS

CONGREGATIONAL KIDDUSH in the Heyman Auditorium is sponsored by Sheila & Dr. Jeremy Chess and Paula Pilevsky in appreciation of Hatzolah for their life-saving work; by Ruth Corson in honor of her husband Rabbi Moshe Corson's special birthday; by Paula Glasberg and Alisa & Dr. Scot Glasberg in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Paula's husband and Scot's father, Dr. Herbert Mark Glasberg; and by Gail Suchman and Dr. Jerald Zimmerman in celebration of the upcoming San Diego wedding of their daughter, Molly, to Danny Arenson, son of Iris and Dr. Richard Arenson of New Rochelle.

KESHER MINYAN KIDDUSH in the Nakash Gymnasium is sponsored by AIPAC in honor of its new Emerging Leaders Initiative (ELI) community, catering to young couples and individuals in their 30's and 40's. We welcome Miryam Knafo Schapira, director of the ELI initiative, who will be offering remarks about this new community at AIPAC and why, post-midterm elections, this demographic matters more than ever.

BEGINNERS KIDDUSH in the Riklis Social Hall is sponsored by Sonya and Dr. Howard Levy in celebration of the birth of their daughter Hannah Pearl, and in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Howard's father, Harry Levy.

SEUDAH SHLISHIT in the Heyman Auditorium is sponsored by the Baumgarten family in commemoration of the yahrzeits of Estelle and Harry W. Baumgarten; and by Doina and Dr. Larry Bryskin in commemoration of the yahrzeit of Larry's father, Samuel Bryskin.

JOIN US IN BIDDING FAREWELL TO CHAZAN MAYER DAVIS

- Mayer Davis, our Chazan of nearly 30 years, retires after his final Shabbat on the Bima, December 7-8. Calendar to join us for that special occasion in the Main Synagogue.
- Walk-ins are welcome at the KJ DINNER, 8:00 pm tonight at the Ramaz Upper School, 60 East 78 Street, celebrating Chazan Davis's musical legacy. Pay at the door.

KJ WARMLY WELCOMES ALL NEWCOMERS, VISITORS, AND GUESTS JOINING US FOR SHABBAT. IF THE RABBIS DON'T GET A CHANCE TO GREET YOU, PLEASE INTRODUCE YOURSELF.

SCHEDULE OF WEEKDAY SERVICES AT KJ

Sunday, Followed by Rabbi Wieder Shiur	8:30 am	8:30* am
Monday- Friday (Chanukah service)	7:10 am	7:00 *am
Evenings	4:25 pm	

**Sephardic Minyan*

**BEGINNING TUESDAY NIGHT AT MAARIV, WE START SAYING
"VTEN TAL UMATAR L'VRACHA" DURING THE AMIDAH**

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30
Candle lighting 4:12 pm
Main Service 4:25 pm

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7
Candle lighting 4:11 pm
Main Service 4:25 pm

STUDY WITH KJ SEE CKJ.ORG/WEEKLYCLASSES FOR MORE INFORMATION

GOD, THE WORLD, AND ME: AN EXPLORATION OF MAIMONIDES' BOOK OF KNOWLEDGE WITH RABBI MEYER LANIADO, TUESDAYS AT 7:00 PM

What is the Jewish concept of God, life's purpose, holiness, spirituality, angels, prophecy, free will, the afterlife, and reward and punishment?

MONTHLY WOMEN'S TORAH CLASS WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12TH AT 8PM

With Rachel Kraus. At the home of Rebecca Feit & Rami Sasson, 141 East 88th Street, Apt. 5C (at Lexington Ave). Bring your friends!

MEANINGFUL JEWISH LIVING THURSDAYS AT 7:00 PM

3,300 years of Jewish tradition in 25 weeks! A comprehensive year-long course covering major themes in Jewish law, practice, and thought.

Handouts will accompany each topic. Refreshments will be served!

"Shabbat: The Jewish Day of Rest, Rules and Cholent" taught by Rabbi Daniel Kraus

NEW TORAH STUDY OPPORTUNITY: YOU CHOOSE THE TOPIC!

KJ Rabbinic Intern, Leead Staller, is available to study any Jewish topic with you and/or a group of friends. Contact Office@CKJ.org to register.

CHANUKAH AT KJ

CHANUKAH IS COMING! CELEBRATE WITH KJ! THIS SUNDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 2 - MONDAY, DECEMBER 10

- **12th Annual Chanukah in the Park** Sunday, December 2 at 5:45 pm. Join KJ Beginners and Chabad of the Upper East Side as we spread the light and warmth of the festival with live music, treats, holiday spirit and exciting youth programming.
- **One Hundred Homes of Light Initiative** - Share your Chanukah moments with us on Facebook using the tag #ChanukahSelfie.
- **Festival of Lights** - Wednesday, December 5 at 7:30 pm. Join Rabbi Meyer Laniado for a Chanukah lighting, engaging class, and delicious dinner. RSVP www.CKJ.org/form/hannukahdinner

For more information on Chanukah Programming see CKJ.org/chanukah.

KJ/ RAMAZ CHANUKAH TOY COLLECTION FOR CHAI LIFELINE

Please drop off new, unwrapped toys in the Lower School lobby through Friday December 7. The toys will be distributed as Chanukah gifts by Chai Lifeline. Please email joannakleinhaus@gmail.com with any questions.

FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE: CHANUKAH EDITION DECEMBER 7TH AT 5:15 PM

Don't miss this fantastic Shabbat dinner at which KJ's Stephanie Katz, Richard Sands, and Lisa Schwartz Steinmetz will share their personal Jewish journeys. RSVP CKJ.org/fnl. Come, gratis, at 8:00 pm - after dinner - for presentations.