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CYNTHIA K. APRIL ANNUAL SYNAGOGUE SHABBATON April 2 - 3, 2004

Friday Evening Dinner:

**"TO ACQUIRE A WIFE:
MARRIAGE AS ACQUISITION
OR AS KIDDUSHIN"**

Saturday Morning:

"CHRISTIANITY AND ISLAM: IDOLATRY?"

SHABBAT SCHOLAR
RABBI DOV LINZER
Rosh HaYeshiva
At Yeshivat Chovevei Torah
Rabbinical School



FRIDAY DINNER AND SATURDAY LUNCH — SHABBAT BEFORE PASSOVER (THIS MEANS NO COOKING FOR YOU!)

Two Meals

Members:

Adult	\$60
Junior	\$50
Child	\$30

Non-Members:

Adult	\$70
Junior	\$60
Child	\$50

Deadline: Wednesday, March 31

Space Permitting

YOM HASHOAH SERVICE HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE DAY Sunday, April 18, 7:00 PM



**"THE CHANGING FACE OF ANTI-SEMITISM:
HOW FAR HAVE WE COME?"**

ABRAHAM FOXMAN

National Director of the Anti-Defamation League

The program will begin with a candle lighting ceremony by survivors and second, third, and fourth generation participants. Those who fit into these categories are urged to call Event Co-Chair Caroline Massel at 212-861-7178 to inform us of their history

and to indicate their participation. Ma'ariv, readings for a Holocaust Service, appropriate songs by the Ramaz Middle School Chorus and poems written about the Shoah by students of the Ramaz Middle School will complete the evening.

SUE ROBINS AND ELISA LUNZER TO RECEIVE SECOND ANNUAL JUDITH KAUFMAN HURWICH KETER TORAH AWARDS ON SHAVUOT

The Officers and Executive Committee of the congregation are pleased to announce that the Second Annual Judith Kaufman Hurwich Keter Torah Awards will be presented to Sue Robins and Elisa Lunzer on the second day of Shavuot. The practice of conferring such awards on two women was inaugurated last year when Yvonne Koppel and Deena Shiff were the first awardees. The purpose is to appropriately recognize women in our congregation on the holiday when we celebrate the lives of two great Jewish heroines, Naomi and Ruth. It offers us an opportunity, as part of a religious ceremony, to express our appreciation for the services rendered to our community by women.

The award has been named in memory of Judith Kaufman Hurwich, the daughter of Rita and Benjamin Kaufman, of blessed memory, the mother of our member - *yibadeil l'chaim* - Adam Hurwich, and the grandmother of three current Ramaz students.

Judy used to travel from the Bronx to the Ramaz Elementary School from which she graduated in 1947. She taught American history in our Upper School and, subsequently, made aliyah with her family to Israel, where her passion for Jewish education, and particularly Jewish education for women, was expressed through her active involvement in MaTaN and her association with Rabbanit Malke Bina. Her home in Jerusalem was a *beit va'ad la-chachamim* and other Jewish leaders. She died, tragically, in a car crash but her family continues her tradition of association with KJ and Ramaz in fostering opportunities for women to study Torah.



Sue Robins

Sue Robins has been one of the chesed queens of KJ for close to thirty years. Her affiliation with our congregation, together with her husband, Irwin Robins (Gabbai Emeritus), and her two daughters, Frannie Goldstein, now of Hashmonaim, and Hannah Kessler, now of Bet Shemesh, goes back almost half a century.

A graduate of Mills College of Education, she received an M.A. from Teachers College in 1958. She taught early childhood education and music in the public schools in Manhattan and in Newton Centre until she devoted herself full-time to motherhood and, subsequently, community chesed.

Sue was a founding member of the KJ Bikur Cholim Project at Memorial Sloan-Kettering in 1976 and coordinated the project for the next

twenty-four years. She did the same at Lenox Hill Hospital from 1977 through 1980. In 1983 Sue was a founding member of the KJ Women's Chevra Kadisha in which she continues to serve.

Sue's community activity is a reflection of her growth and development as a religious personality. She has steadily increased her level of shemirat mitzvot. She and Irwin are among the most hospitable members of the community who open their home to many newcomers as well as to old friends. In fact, many KJ families who today lead lives of piety and community involvement were nurtured and tutored at their Shabbat and Yom Tov table. Their little sukkah, on a small balcony, was one of the first private sukkot in our neighborhood.

Whenever there is a job to do, one can call upon Sue. She has been active as a Trustee of the congregation, as a member the Social Action Committee, and co-chair of KJ Ketubah, which was an effort to help young people meet for purposes of marriage.

Her and Win's greatest joy are their children in Israel and, thank God, their nine grandchildren. They are all a reflection of the extraordinary values and standards set by this most deserving Keter Torah Awardee.



Elisa Lunzer

Elisa Septee Lunzer is a worthy partner to her co-awardee Sue Robins. Born in Newark, New Jersey, she attended the Hebrew Youth Academy (now known as Kushner) and subsequently the Akiba School through high school. She spent many summers in Camp Massad where her Hebrew skills were honed. She received a B.A. from Barnard with a concentration in theatre.

Elisa served as Director of Development for the New Jersey State Opera Company. She has more recently turned her talents to being an impresario in the kosher travel business, specializing in Pesach vacations. She is a partner in Kosher Travels Unlimited, which runs one of the most outstanding Pesach programs in North America. She is also a co-founder of Camp Moed and an

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RICHARD JOEL
President of
Yeshiva University
TO KEYNOTE
HISTORIC
132nd ANNUAL MEETING



Richard Joel

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administrator of Camps Mogen Avrohom and Sternberg.

In our community, she has been extraordinarily active in both the congregation and Ramaz. She served a highly successful term as President of the Sisterhood and she is now the 5th grade bar-bat mitzvah liaison for the Ramaz Parents Council. She serves on the Board of Nishmat, and she and her husband, Jay, were honorees at a recent Nishmat dinner. They were among the earliest supporters of the work of Nishmat. Rumor has it that many of the good ideas that Jay, our Gabbai, puts forward have their origin in Elisa's perceptive and creative mind. Together they are also specialists in *hachnassat orchim* - home hospitality - for people of all ages in the congregation.

Elisa cares deeply about the well-being of KJ and Ramaz, but her greatest love and pride is reserved for Aaron, a student in the 5th grade in our Middle School. If he grows up to be a communal leader, it will be in part because of the example set for him by his mother and father.

Our community is greatly enhanced by the love, service and talent of this exceptional Keter Torah Awardee.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28, 8:00 PM

The 132nd Annual Meeting of the Congregation will be an historic occasion to which all members are invited.

We are pleased to announce that Richard M. Joel, President of Yeshiva University, will be our special guest speaker at the start of the program. Richard Joel is the fourth president in the 117-year history of Yeshiva University, and the former President and International Director of Hillel. He is widely recognized as one of the most articulate and dynamic speakers among today's Jewish leaders. Richard Joel has also served as Associate Dean and Professor at the Benjamin Cardozo School of Law, and as Assistant District Attorney for the Bronx.

The Annual Meeting will witness the induction of a host of new members while also recognizing the anniversaries of members of longstanding affiliation. President Chaim Edelstein will deliver the annual report and officers and trustees will be elected. Finally, brief memorials will be presented about all members who have passed away since the 131st meeting.

The meeting will conclude with a collation and social hour featuring hot dogs and ice-cold beer, courtesy of Foremost Caterers. All members are urged to attend this important and enjoyable evening.

**RABBI JOSHUA CYPESS TO DELIVER
 THE SHABBAT HA-GADOL DRASHA**

On the Subject

"The Drama of the Seder"

Saturday, April 3, 5:40 PM

Seder night is not so much a mere recitation of text than a full drama of reenactment. The promise of redemption, the covenant and its fulfillment, the agony of slavery and the exhilaration of rescue, are all part of the evening's text and subtext. We will go through the Haggadah and its commentaries to see how we, the current actors, are to put these directions into practice.

This year's Drasha will take place on Saturday, April 3, following mincha at 5:15 PM. All men and women are invited to attend in the Main Synagogue.

SHAVUOT AND TIKUN LEYL

Tuesday Night, May 25

Shavuot Dinner at 9:00 PM

Opening Class at 11:00 PM

Followed by

All-night Learning and Sunrise Minyan at 4:20 AM

A PASSOVER TIMELINE

STEP #1: Removal of Chametz – Cleaning the House

STEP #2: Kashering Appliances

Gas ovens, both the stove-top and inside (racks as well), should be cleaned with an oven cleaner, and then not used for 24 hours. After 24 hours, invert the metal spiders and turn the burners on to the highest setting for one hour. (If using an electric oven, turn the burners on the highest setting for one hour as well). After this is done, cover the stovetop with aluminum foil for the duration of Pesach. The inside oven should be turned on to broil for one hour.

If the oven is self-cleaning, go through one cycle.

Microwave ovens should be cleaned, and not used for 24 hours, after which a bowl or cup containing a few ounces of water should be put in and ‘cooked’ until the water is vaporized into steam.

Stainless steel sinks should be cleaned with a cleaning solution, and not used for 24 hours, after which boiling water should be poured on every area of the sink and its parts. Porcelain sinks cannot be kashered. They must be cleaned and covered.

Dishwashers may be kashered for Pesach after standing unused for 24 hours. They should be put through three complete cycles, using soap in the first one.

Kashering Utensils

While it is preferable to have as many utensils as possible specially reserved for use only on Pesach, many utensils used throughout the year may be kashered for use on Pesach. Items that are ‘kasherable’ include: metal utensils used for hot and cold, providing they are not difficult to clean (i.e., a sieve, parts that are glued together), and glass utensils that were used strictly for cold food.

Items that may not be kashered are: glassware that is used for cooking, earthenware, pottery, porcelain, pyrex,

and chinaware.

The easiest way to kasher utensils is to bring them to the KJ Kasher-In where Rabbi Josh Cypess will supervise the immersion of metal utensils in a large sink of rapidly boiling water.

It is also possible to kasher in the privacy of your own home. The procedure for kashering is as follows: Metal utensils should be thoroughly cleaned with a cleaning solution and then not used for 24 hours. Small utensils such as silverware or other cutlery should be immersed briefly in a large pot containing rapidly boiling water. If the pot is very large, more than one piece may be immersed at a time. Each piece should then be rinsed with cold water.

Pots are kashered by bringing water in them to a boil and then immersing a hot stone or iron such that the water will overflow onto the sides of the pot. Then rinse the pot in cold water. Items which came into direct contact with chametz, without the medium of water (e.g. a broiler, frying pan) may be kashered by heating them until they are literally ‘redhot’ or by placing them in a self-cleaning oven during the self-clean cycle.

Glass utensils should be cleaned with a cleaning solution and then immersed in water (a bathtub works) for three days, changing the water every 24 hours.

STEP #3: The Search For Chametz

One of the most beautiful and meaningful ceremonies associated with Passover is *b’dikat chametz*—the search for chametz. The ceremony is composed of five parts.

1. Reciting a special blessing over the mitzvah of the removal of *chametz*.

2. The search of the house by the light of a candle to find vestiges of chametz.

3. The reciting of the formula of nullification of *chametz*.

4. The burning or disposal of any chametz found during the search.

5. The reciting of a final, more inclusive formula of nullification.

The first three parts of this ceremony will be observed this year on Sunday evening, April 4, after nightfall, 7:57 p.m. The disposal and final nullification should be on Monday morning, April 5. It is important to note that both formulas of nullification must be recited in a language that one understands. Children especially will be impressed by the ceremony. It should, therefore, be performed with enthusiasm and dedication.

The children should be asked to place pieces of *chametz* in the various

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YOUNG PEOPLE’S MINYAN AND KIDDUSH

April 24

May 8

June 5 & 26

At 9:15 AM

WOMEN’S TEFILAH GROUP

May 1

at 9:15 AM

in the Max J. Etra Chapel

HASHKAMA MINYAN

April 17 & 24

May 8 & 22

June 5, 12 & 26

At 7:15 AM

in the Max J. Etra Chapel

SO WHAT'S KOSHER FOR PASSOVER?

PASSOVER FOODS

Most foods that are used on Passover require rabbinic supervision. This is especially true of all processed foods. It is important to realize that a label indicating the product is "Kosher for Passover" does not assure us of the adequacy of the supervision. Wherever possible, congregants should use OU products which have a special Passover supervision. If not, it is important to check on the reliability of the particular Rabbi who is giving the endorsement. Please feel free to ask either Rabbi Lookstein or the Assistant Rabbis in the event of any doubt in this matter.

1. Grain Products

All grain products require strict rabbinic supervision for Passover use.

2. Milk and Dairy Products

These, too, require supervision. Milk however, may be purchased before Passover without supervision. If one has to purchase it during the festival, however, it requires supervision. Powdered milk, Alba and Carnation, may be used on Passover, with a rabbinic endorsement.

3. Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

All of these may be used (except for legumes—peas, beans, rice and corn which are all treated like *chametz*). If these fruits and vegetables are sold in a general grocery store, they should be washed very carefully before being used on Passover.

4. Dried Fruits

These should carry a Passover endorsement.

5. Frozen Fruits and Vegetables

Unsweetened frozen fruit with no additives are usable for Passover without a rabbinic endorsement. Frozen vegetables require special Passover certification. Pure orange and grapefruit juice may be purchased **before Passover** without a rabbinic endorsement.

Processed juices such as tomato, apple and prune require supervision.

6. Cosmetics

For information on cosmetic lotions, creams, ointments and toothpaste, please see our website.

7. Baby Foods

Most infant formulas contain corn or soy beans as starting ingredients. Since these are considered *kitniyot*, the baby's utensils and foods should be kept absolutely separate from everything else in the house. If an infant must eat *Chametz* products, in accordance with a doctor's directive, a rabbi should be consulted. Otherwise all *chametz* products should be avoided.

8. Coffee

Some questions have arisen in the past about the adulteration of coffee with grain products. In the absence of specification, therefore, it would be preferable to purchase coffee with proper supervision for Passover. Please check your OU Passover directory.

9. All Other Foods

Those processed foods not mentioned in this listing require special supervision for Passover use.

KJ MEN'S CLUB RENEWS YOM HASHOAH CANDLE PROJECT

Under the auspices of the KJ Men's Club, and through the generosity of Star Candles, the synagogue will again be distributing to each member of the congregation, by mail, a Candle of Remembrance. It is hoped that each person, upon returning home after the Yom Hashoah service, will light this candle as a means of remembering the Yahrzeit of those who perished during the Holocaust as the victims of Nazi

terror.

The purpose of this project is to take another step towards community-wide remembrance.

May these lights throughout the Kehilath Jeshurun community illuminate our hearts and the hearts of the entire world in order to assure that the memory of the Jewish men, women, and children who perished will never be forgotten.

KJ COLLEGE CONNECTION COMES THROUGH FOR YOU!

Kudos to "KJ College Connection" Chairs Abe Esses and Harry Kleinhaus for sending 80 Purim gift packages to KJ children studying at colleges and universities around the country. Theirs is a marvelous example of communal achievement effectuated through lay drive and commitment. If you are the

parent of a KJ student attending U.S. university, please send the child's (i) name, (ii) e-mail address, (iii) dormitory mailing address, and (iv) campus package delivery address, if different from (iii), above, to Abe Esses at LJRT@aol.com to insure their receiving future holiday gift mailings.

TOT SHABBAT

Come join the new monthly Tot Shabbat program for children under five and their parents.

Featuring songs, stories, projects and an Oneg Shabbat Cookie Kiddush!

With Rabbi Elie and Dr. Naama Weinstock and KJ Assistant Youth Director Aaron Kaplan.

April 16, May 14

6:45 pm in the Third Floor Dining Hall

HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS

WHY WE DO THE THINGS WE DO

Each workshop offers an overview of the laws and customs related to the historical events that we commemorate each holiday, an analysis of the texts used and honest-to-goodness real explanation of why we do the things we do.

PASSOVER

Tuesday, March 30
8:00 - 9:00 PM

SHAVUOT

Tuesday, May 18
8:00 - 9:00 PM

ISRAELI HOLIDAYS

Tuesday, April 20
8:00 - 9:00 PM

THREE WEEKS AND TISHA B'AV

Tuesday, June 29
8:00 - 9:00 PM

Led by
Rabbi Elie Weinstock

CALL PRESIDENT BUSH

We encourage readers of this Bulletin to please call President Bush daily (202-456-1111) to urge his continued support of Israel and to encourage America's fight against worldwide terrorism.

PASSOVER RELIEF WE NEED YOUR GIFT NOW

As we take care of the first responsibility listed in the Shulchan Arukh in the laws of Passover – *ma'ot chitim* – we pray that we will all be blessed with a happy and kosher Passover and a year of sustenance and support for ourselves and for the entire Jewish people.

Please, therefore, contribute generously now, taking into consideration that the "KJ Benevolent Fund" supports many deserving individuals and institutions.

WHAT TO DO WITH CHAMETZ

The best thing to do with *chametz* during Passover is not to have it.

There are very many people in our city who cannot afford to purchase adequate food for minimal sustenance.

We, therefore, urge you to bring sealed packages, cans, jars, bottles and other containers of *unopened* food to KJ at the time of the *Last Minute Kasher-In* on Sunday

morning, April 4, between 9:00 AM and 12:00 PM or at any other time between now and Passover. We will then arrange for this food to be distributed to the non-Jewish needy and hungry of our community.

Performing this act of *chesed* is an important means of expressing the commandment to *love thy neighbor as thyself*.

SHMURAH MATZAHs

Kehilath Jeshurun is again pleased to offer to its membership the opportunity to purchase Shmurah Matzah through the synagogue. The Matzahs are available at \$15.00 per pound.

The pick up will be on Sunday morning, April 4th in the synagogue lobby. That is the same day as the last minute Kasher-In: 9AM-12 PM.

All orders must be prepaid and ordered by Wednesday, March 31.

Make checks payable to the KJ Special Projects Fund.

Please reserve _____ pounds of Shmurah Matzah at \$15 per pound.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone: (Day) _____

(Evening) _____

FORM FOR SALE OF CHAMETZ

I, _____, do hereby authorize **RABBI JOSHUA CYPESS**, of 125 East 85th Street, City, State and County of New York, to sell, transfer and assign all *Chametz* of whatever kind and nature which I possess, or in which I may have an interest, wherever situated, in my residence at: _____ or in my place of business at: _____ or in any other place, without reservation and limitation.

If you plan to spend Passover in Israel or Europe, please check this box: ☐

If you plan to spend Passover in another US time zone, please circle below:
Central Rocky Mountain Pacific

Signature _____ Date: _____

Please return to the Synagogue office by Monday, April 5, at 8:30 AM.

PASSOVER TIMELINE

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rooms — a practice which ensures that the search will not be in vain. They can hold the candle and the feather and they should examine their own possessions, dressers and desks, for long forgotten relics of *chametz*.

Passover is a beautiful festival. It is a serious one, too. Both these aspects can be captured in advance of the festival by a careful observance of *b'dikat chametz*.

Disposal of Chametz

No *chametz* may be eaten on Monday morning, April 5 after 10:50 A.M. All *chametz* must be completely disposed of by 11:55 A.M.

STEP #4: The Sale of Chometz

The ritual sale of *chametz* must be completed by early Monday morning, April 5. There are those who prefer to perform the ritual in person. For those who cannot attend to the matter in person, there is a form provided in this Bulletin which authorizes Rabbi Cypess to sell our *chametz*. THIS MUST BE RETURNED TO THE SYNAGOGUE BY MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 5, NOT LATER THAN 8:30 A.M.

Individuals who will be in Israel for Passover should consult the rabbis in advance to make special arrangements.

STEP #5: The Burning of Chametz

On Monday morning, April 5, *chametz* must be disposed of by 11:55 AM. The synagogue provides a large, contained fire for this purpose. No bracha should be said, since the one said before the search applies to the burning as well. Another statement of annulment is made, slightly more inclusive than the previous one.

STEP #6: After Pesach

According to Jewish Law,

SCHEDULE OF PASSOVER SERVICES

Sunday, April 4, Search for Chametz After 7:57 p.m.

Monday, April 5, Passover Eve

Morning Services - Siyum (Firstborn) 7:00 a.m.

Chametz may not be eaten after 10:50 a.m.

Burn chametz no later than 11:55 a.m.

An Eruv Tavshilin should be prepared

Candlelighting 7:07 p.m.

Evening Services 7:20 p.m.

Start Seder After 7:58 p.m.

Tuesday, April 6, Passover I

Morning 9:00 a.m.

Evening 7:20 p.m.

Candlelighting and Start Seder After 8:02 p.m.

Wednesday, April 7, Passover II

Morning 9:00 a.m.

Evening 7:25 p.m.

Conclusion of Yom Tov 8:03 p.m.

SERVICES DURING THE WEEK OF CHOL HAMOED

Thursday, April 8, Passover III

Morning 7:00 a.m.

Evening 6:45 p.m.

Friday, April 9, Passover IV

Morning 7:00 a.m.

Candlelighting 7:12 p.m.

Evening 6:45 p.m.

Saturday, April 10, Passover V

Morning 9:00 a.m.

Evening 7:00 p.m.

Conclusion of Shabbat 8:07 p.m.

CONCLUDING DAYS OF PASSOVER

Sunday, April 11, Erev Yom Tov

Morning 8:30 a.m.

Evening 6:45 p.m.

Candlelighting 7:14 p.m.

Monday, April 12, Passover VII

Morning 9:00 a.m.

Evening 7:25 p.m.

Candlelighting After 8:09 p.m.

Tuesday, April 13, Passover VIII (Yizkor is recited)

Morning 9:00 a.m.

Evening 7:30 p.m.

Conclusion of Yom Tov 8:10 p.m.

chametz that was owned by a Jew during Pesach may never be eaten by a Jew. Therefore, it is preferable, that after Pesach one buys food from establishments owned by non-Jews,

establishments owned by Jews who properly sold their *chametz* before Pesach, or after a month (time that a store's stock has been used up) from any establishment.

TEACHING AND LEARNING ABOUT AMERICA'S RESPONSE TO THE HOLOCAUST

Sunday, May 16 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM

On Sunday, May 16, Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun will host an important conference sponsored by The David S. Wyman Institute for Holocaust Studies.

Sixty years after the Holocaust, questions about America's response to the Nazi genocide continue to command widespread public interest. This conference will address these still-troubling issues with a unique exchange of insights and views.

The Institute is named after the distinguished historian David S. Wyman, whose 1984 bestseller, *The Abandonment of the Jews*, is a preeminent volume detailing the Roosevelt administration's tepid response to the Holocaust.

Highlights of the conference will include a panel discussion featuring the children of noted individuals, such as diplomat Hiram Bingham IV, theatre legend Stella Adler, activist

Peter Bergson and others, who advocated for the rescue of Jews. The conference will also feature a dialogue with Prof. Laurel Leff, author of a forthcoming book on the New York Times and its coverage of the Holocaust.

Other events at the conference will include a screening of "They Looked Away," the new film about the Allies' refusal to bomb Auschwitz, and the special exhibitions *Cartoonists Against the Holocaust: Art in the Service of Humanity* and *We Will Never Die: The Dramatic Pageant that Alerted America to the Nazi Genocide*.

To register for the conference, call 215-635-5622 or log on to the Institute's website at www.WymanInstitute.org. Friends and members of the Congregation are encouraged to attend this historic occasion.

KJ ISRAEL ACTION COMMITTEE'S "HOW TO HELP ISRAEL WHILE YOU'RE AT HOME" HANDBOOK

We all know what Israel has been going through every day since the third intifada began over three years ago. Most of us want to help in a meaningful way, but don't know how. Many of us have visited Israel (perhaps the best thing to do), bought Israel Bonds, and donated to various charitable causes, but still feel that there is much to be done.

To address this need, the KJ Israel Action Committee has undertaken to publish and distribute a handbook

entitled "How to Help Israel While You're At Home" in order to help us all help Israel. The handbook will contain roughly 100 ideas in the political, economic, charitable, military, and religious/spiritual arenas that normal, everyday people can do to help Israel. None of the ideas will involve direct gifts of charity. Please email your ideas to Israel@CKJ.ORG. Keep them brief and, whenever possible, furnish specific and accurate contact information.

KESHER SOARS TO NEW HEIGHTS!

Kesher began 5764 with a Kickoff Kiddush Lunch on Shemini Atzeret, which afforded everyone an opportunity to "meet-and-eat" in the KJ Sukkah. In November, Kesher sponsored a dynamic Uncle Moishy Concert where kids sang and danced to Uncle Moishy's lively music. In January, Kesher adults enjoyed a fantastic Friday Night Dinner while children attended professionally supervised youth groups with energetic leaders and lots of fun games. Of course, no programming year would be complete without a Kesher Melave Malka featuring Rabbi Avrumi Sacks and his Magical Keyboard, which took place in February.

Kesher is especially proud of its newly launched lecture series for the benefit of the entire community on various topics including CPR/First Aid, Cooking on Shabbat, Wine Tasting, Parenting, and "The 'Shabbos Goy' in the 21st Century." Each lecture has attracted very enthusiastic and participatory crowds.

The Kesher Young People's Minyan ("YPM") continues to draw 100+ crowds of young adults to its semi-monthly Shabbat morning service, as well as to periodic Friday Night Onegs.

Lastly, Kesher proudly sponsors KJ's "Welcome Home New Mother" chesed program that sends a delicious Shabbat meal to every new mom on her first Shabbat home from the hospital after delivering a baby. Since Rosh Hashanah, Kesher has sponsored three dozen such meals for KJ members!

If these accomplishments sound good to you, please be on the lookout for an invitation to the Kesher Spring Luncheon, to be held on May 8th. If you are interested in becoming involved with Kesher, please contact Robyn Price Stonehill at robyn.pricestonehill@assurant.com, who, along with fellow Kesher Co-Chairs Sara Shemia and Deena Shiff, is a driving force behind this successful and popular group.

THE INTERMEDIATE SERVICE

Torah Reading!

Plenty of learning and explanations! Great Kiddush!

Upcoming dates:

April 10 (Shabbat Chol HaMoed Pesach), May 15, June 19
9:15 am in the Riklis Social Hall

*Great Speakers***UPCOMING SPRING LECTURES***April 17, 2004*

Presentation by **Rabbi Meir Soloveichik**
at the Men's Club Shabbaton

April 21, 2004

Sisterhood Spring Lecture
by **Dr. Avivah Gottlieb Zornberg**

May 8, 2004

Shabbat T'lamdeini Presentation
by **Devorah Zlochower**

May 15, 2004

Special Guest **Rabbi Nathaniel Helfgot**
in the Young Scholars' Shabbat Lecture Series

THE KJ SISTERHOOD PRESENTS**SPECIAL GUEST****DR. AVIVAH GOTTLIEB ZORNBERG***"The Pit and the Rope: Judah and Joseph"***Sisterhood Spring Lecture****April 21, 2004 at 8:00 pm**

The Sisterhood is proud to host a springtime lecture by acclaimed author and favorite of our community, Dr. Avivah Gottlieb Zornberg. Dr. Zornberg is known for her extraordinary lectures on the Bible that intertwine Rabbinic teachings, psychological insights, and literary acumen. She holds a Ph.D. in English Literature from Cambridge University, and has studied at Gateshead Seminary and the Jerusalem Michlala. She taught English Literature at the Hebrew University from 1969 to

1976. Since 1980, she has taught Torah to classes in Jerusalem, at MaTan, Midreshet Lindenbaum, Pardes, and the Jerusalem College for Adults. Currently, she holds a Visiting Lectureship at The London School of Jewish Studies, an associate institution of the University of London. Dr. Zornberg will be at KJ on April 21, 2004 at 8:00 pm. Her books, "Genesis: the Beginning of Desire" and "The Particulars of Rapture: Reflections on Exodus" will be available for sale at that time.

**The KJ
Beginners Program
Presents...
FRIDAY NIGHT
LIVE!**

April 30
**"Does Israel Still
Have Friends
in Europe?"**

Featuring
IDO AHARONI
*Israeli Consul for
Media and Public Affairs*

STEFAN SCHLUTER
*Deputy General Consul
of the Federal Republic
of Germany*

6:45 PM
Carlebach Services followed
by a catered dinner
\$30 per person
Call 212-774-5678

Next **Friday Night Live!:**
May 21st
"Standing Before Sinai"

*Dr. Avivah Gottlieb Zornberg*

For Information
about the weekly status
of the Manhattan Eruv
Call the **ERUV HOTLINE**
212-362-2602
(Recorded Message)

SISTERHOOD UPDATE

Rather than slowing down as the programming year draws to a close, the KJ Sisterhood is forging ahead with a series of fundraising events, both educational and enjoyable, to benefit both the Congregation and Israel.

March 28 is a date to remember for two reasons: first, the Passover Boutique will take place in the Riklis Social Hall. Shop between 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. for tablecloths, hats, children's clothing (all sizes and styles), accessories, jewelry, silver tabletop and much more. Second, we have our Family Portrait Day beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Heyman Auditorium. Appointments are available every 20 minutes. To schedule a morning appointment, call Sherry Cohen at 212-288-4571 and to schedule an afternoon slot, call Deena Thurm at 212-570-6798. The cost of the sitting and the complete photo package including the proofs, one 8x10, two 5x7, and five wallet size photos is \$125.

On Wednesday evening, April 21, all are welcome to hear renowned Torah scholar Dr. Avivah Gottlieb Zornberg speak at the Synagogue.

For those with a cultural inclination, don't forget our Museum Event featuring lunch at a private home and a tour of the Impressionist exhibit at the Metropolitan Museum with art historian Cynthia Nachmani on Tuesday, April 27. The cost for the museum event is \$75, \$100 to be a sponsor. To make a reservation or for more information, please call Sheera Moffson at 212-410-6026.

Lastly, on Thursday evening, June 3rd, KJ member Doris Weiss will be performing in a choral group at

Carnegie Hall with Neil Sedaka. The Sisterhood will have a limited number of tickets available. This promises to be a real treat. To reserve, please call Vivian Mark at 212-734-7217.

What better way to celebrate Lag b'Omer and Mother's Day on May 9 than by participating in the Sisterhood's Family Walk for Israel in Carl Schurz Park. Funds raised will be used by Magen David Adom to purchase desperately needed defibrillators to save Israeli lives. Our goal is to outfit all the ambulances in Jerusalem that don't already have them. Needless to say, the more money we are able to raise, the more potential there is to save lives. Look for your pledge form coming soon and join us as we "Walk for Israel." Volunteer information is available by calling Stacy Scheinberg at 212-410-9195 and Riva Alper at 212-249-6187.

The Annual Boutique and Luncheon has been rescheduled. The new date is Monday, June 7. To volunteer or for more information, please call program chairs Robin Mehl at 212-570-0839 or Karen Gurewitsch at 212-879-9270.

All the funds raised by Sisterhood events directly benefit KJ, our community, and Israel. The most important mitzvah embraced by the Sisterhood is the preparation of a shiva home and readying the first meal for mourners. The Sisterhood has helped families of KJ members in this role practically since its inception. While it is impossible for us to service homes outside Manhattan, we are happy to provide guidance to families who require it.

YOM HAATZMAUT ISRAEL INDEPENDENCE DAY

*The 56th Anniversary
of the State of Israel*

Monday, April 26
7:00 PM

A Zimriah celebration
by the Children of the
Ramaz Middle School
in the Main Synagogue

Tuesday, April 27
Services and Breakfast
7:00 AM

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YOM YERUSHALAYIM
May 19

Services and Breakfast
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RABBI HASKEL LOOKSTEIN TO REVIEW
“THE CASE FOR ISRAEL”
BY ALAN DERSHOWITZ

Rabbi Haskel Lookstein will review Alan Dershowitz's latest book "The Case for Israel" at a special meeting of KJ's Am HaSefer Book Discussion Club, to be held on Sunday evening, May 9, at 8:00 PM at Mrs. Audrey and Rabbi Haskel Lookstein's home, 993 Park Avenue at 84th Street.

Besides being one of the nation's most prominent defense attorneys, Harvard professor of law Alan Dershowitz is an ardent defender of Israel. In this impassioned and closely argued book, Professor Dershowitz presents his consistent, principled, and reasoned defense of Israel, and so of the Jewish People.

Written in the form of a legal brief and drawing on scrupulous, unbiased research, "The Case for Israel" rebuts the general and blatantly discriminatory criticisms of Israel as a state and culture. In response to the sometimes challenged "right" of Israel to exist, Dershowitz asserts both the

practical and moral justification for the continued existence of Israel as a Jewish state.

In a detailed and penetrating analysis of the slanderous "cycle of violence" misrepresentation, where Palestinian homicide bombings are morally equated with Israeli efforts to arrest or kill bombers before they act, Dershowitz presents a fair and honest assessment of the Israeli situation. In a world where Israel often seems to be the accused, Alan Dershowitz's defense offers an oasis of sanity and straight talk.

A powerful and brilliantly argued book, "The Case for Israel" sets the record straight and explains why Israel is in fact the sole outpost of liberty and democracy in the Middle East, remaining a country that has earned the right to exist within secure boundaries and to defend itself.

All members of the congregation are invited to attend.

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April 19; May 3,10,17,24;
June 7

BRIEFING ON THE SITUATION IN FRANCE

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THURSDAY EVENING MAY 13TH 7:30 PM AT KJ

FEATURING A DISTINGUISHED PANEL OF EXPERTS ON THIS ISSUE

REGIS BLAIN

*Head of the Press and Political Section
Consulate General of France*

MARIA SLIWA

*The David Project
Author of a recent article on
"France and the Jews"*

KENNETH JACOBSON

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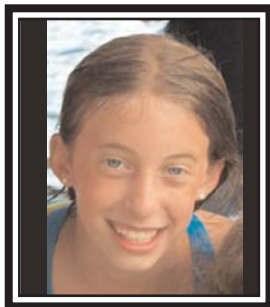
ERIC LESER

*New York Correspondent of **Le Monde**
(France's "newspaper of record")*

Moderator: Dr. Mark Meirowitz, President, KJ Men's Club

The entire congregational family is invited to attend this important event.

BNAI MITZVAH



MELISSA SCHEINBERG

Mazel Tov to Stacy and Ronald Scheinberg on the forthcoming Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Melissa, which will take place Shabbat morning on May 1 at Kehilath Jeshurun. Mazel Tov as well to Melissa's grandparents, KJ members Eleanor and Sidney Scheinberg. Melissa will learn *Parashat Acharei-Mot* at the Women's Tefilah service in the Max J. Etra Chapel, and will deliver a Dvar Torah on the topic of *Derech Eretz*.

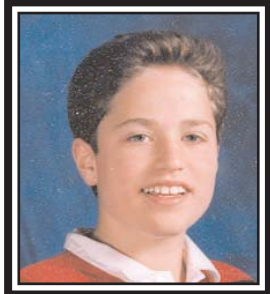
Melissa is a student in the sixth grade at the Ramaz Middle School.



JOSHUA LEVINE

Mazel Tov to Sheila and Jeffrey Levine on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvah of their son, Joshua, which will take place on May 8 in the Main Synagogue. He will read *Parashat Emor* and will deliver a Dvar Torah related to *Emor*. On Sunday Joshua will deliver a siyum on *Mishnayot Seder Moed*.

Joshua is a student in the seventh grade at the Ramaz Middle School.



JOSHUA BLUM

Mazel Tov to Laura and David Blum on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvah of their son, Joshua, which will take place on May 15 in the Main Synagogue. He will read *Parashat Behar-Bechukatai* and will deliver a Dvar Torah related to *Behar-Bechukatai*.

Joshua is a student in the seventh grade at the Churchill School.



ELIAS LEBOVITS

Mazel Tov to Judith and Dr. Pinkas Lebovits on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvah of their son, Elias, which will take place on May 22 at the Lido Beach Synagogue. He will read *Parashat Bamidbar* and will deliver a Dvar Torah related to *Bamidbar*. He will also put on *tefillin* at the Kotel in Israel.

Elias is a student in the seventh grade at the Ramaz Middle School.



ISIDOR STEIN

Mazel Tov to Arlene and Daniel Stein on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvah of their son, Isidor, which will take place on May 29 at the Fifth Avenue Synagogue. He will read *Parashat Naso*.

Isidor is a student in the seventh grade at the Ramaz Middle School.



ZACHARY COOPER

Mazel Tov to Debbie and Mark Cooper on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvah of their son, Zachary, which will take place on June 5 in the Main Synagogue. He will read *Parashat Beha'alotcha*.

Zachary is a student in the seventh grade at the Ramaz Middle School.



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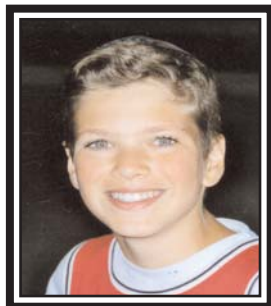
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**LIANA ABADI**

Mazel Tov to Esty and Mauricio Abadi on the forthcoming Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Liana, which will take place on June 6. She will deliver a Dvar Torah on "*Miriam: Prophetess of Hope.*"

Liana is a student in the sixth grade at the Ramaz Middle School.

**JACOB WILNER**

Mazel Tov to Judy and Dr. Philip Wilner on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvah of their son, Jacob, which will take place on June 12 in the Main Synagogue. He will read *Parashat Shelach* and will deliver a Dvar Torah related to *Shelach*.

Jacob is a student in the seventh grade at the Ramaz Middle School.

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KJ YOUTH PROGRAMS GROW

On Sunday, April 18, 2004, the KJ Youth Department will begin its softball season. The Kehilath Jeshurun Softball League (KJSL) will hold all of its games on Field 4 in Central Park. The games will take place on Sundays in April through June. Girls and boys in grades 3-6 play softball with their friends in a fun environment, while developing softball skills and learning the importance of fair play and teamwork.

KJSL follows a very successful basketball season in which KJBL (Kehilath Jeshurun Basketball League) had a record number of children participating. The girls and boys (from grades 1-8) participating in the league built basketball skills, learned the importance of cooperating and playing fair, and had fun playing basketball in good company.

Our outstanding Year Opening Shabbaton and superb Year Closing Shabbaton serve as bookends for our

KJ Youth programming year. Our Year Opening Shabbaton this past November 15 was heavily attended and very successful. Our Year Closing Shabbaton will take place on May 22, and will include a show, special performances, delicious lunch tailored to kids, raffle, and afternoon groups. It is a memorable experience that the kids will speak glowingly of for many years to come.

Each KJ Youth Department program and activity is successful due to the wonderful partnership between the parents and the Youth Department Staff. We thank the teenagers in the KJ/Ramaz community who comprise the Youth Department Staff, along with Youth Director Rabbi Ari Segal and Assistant Youth Director Aaron Kaplan, and to the many parents who have volunteered their time to help make the KJ Youth Department run at the high level that we have come to expect.

2004 - 2005

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

Now In Preparation

Once again during this season of the year, Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun will publish a BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE in which the names of departed dear ones are recorded by their living relatives who recite Yizkor for them four times a year. At the Yizkor service there is a prayer which says that an offering has been made in memory of those for whom Yizkor was recited.

Members of the congregation and the community-at-large may authorize us to publish the names of their departed relatives by making a token contribution of \$18 or more for each name to be memorialized. Please use the form below if you wish us to record names for you.

The Book will go to press on Monday, April 26, so that it will be ready in time for Shavuot

Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun Book of Remembrance

Enclosed please find my Yizkor offering* for the entire year in memory of those listed below, who are to be recorded in the KJ BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE published by the congregation.

☐ Please duplicate last year's listing(s) Offering \$_____ for _____ people. Please add the following:

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☐ Please check here if you did not have a listing last year.

**This offering is a token of reverence and is designed to be within reach of all.*

We suggest a contribution of \$18 or more for each name.

This form should be returned to our office by Monday, April 19.

NEW!! PEREK IN THE PARK

Central Park at Field #4 is the place to be on Shabbat afternoon, weather permitting. Starting at 5pm, the kids can play while the Rabbis teach Pirkei Avot for adults — a little something for everyone!

April 17, 24 May 1, 8, 15, 22



KJ Barak

KJ BARAK HOSTS (AND DEFEATS) ISRAEL JUNIOR NATIONAL TEAM

Twenty members of Israel's Junior National Ice Hockey Team on a tour of New York City were hosted by the families of our own KJ Barak (Lightning) in mid-February. When the two teams met on the ice in Hackensack, New Jersey, before several hundred fans, however, hospitality was temporarily suspended. After the two teams lined up at the blue line for Hatikva and the Star Spangled Banner, a spirited KJ squad defeated the Israelis, 6-3.

Coach Ben Epstein's veteran KJ team is led by a quartet of Ramaz Seniors: Captain David Kaufman and Assistant Captains Andrew Kluger, Ross Banon and Roni Jesselson. Other KJ players included Michael Verstandig, Marc Muschel, Rafi Magid, Gabi Magid, Benjy Gottlieb, Jarred Federbush, Jake Agoos, Evan Lieberman, Josh Geller and Adam Haya. The Israelis are headed for Division III of the World Championships to be held in Sofia, Bulgaria in March.

To all of our friends in the KJ family,

Thank you so much for including us in your mishloach manot list through the KJ Mishloach Manot Project. We ourselves participate with a very long list, but there is no way that we could reciprocate to all of our friends who remember us in this way at Purim time.

We want to thank you for your thoughtfulness and for your help to the congregation in the process.

All good wishes to you for a *chag kasher v'same'ach*.

Audrey and Haskel Lookstein

PURIM 2004

Purim Mishloach Manot could not have been delivered without the help of many of our congregants — especially our teenagers — who helped us assemble and deliver over one thousand packages. Virtually every member of the Congregation received a package this year. Thank you so much to all! This year's package was especially meaningful as many of the products were made in Israel, and because the vendors participated in giving a percentage of their profits to the IDF's Religious Education and Programming Division, the Jewish National Fund (which planted 100 trees in KJ's honor), and the heavily used soup kitchen "Meir Panim." Thank you for all your help. We look forward to next Purim.

Andrew Charles & Yvonne Koppel

Monday, April 5 BEGINNERS PASSOVER SEDER

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BIRTHS

Mazel Tov to:

Fran and Arnold Lederman on the birth of a grandson, Samuel Marcus Cohen, born to their children Nancy and Michael Cohen of West Orange, New Jersey.

Dr. Jennifer and Michael Kaplan on the birth of a son, Joshua Abraham.

Gerry and Jeffrey Mittler on the birth of a son, Jordan Harry. Mazel Tov as well to the proud grandparents, KJ members Janet and Mark Mittler, and Wendy Zizmor and Dr. Jonathan Zizmor.

Rachel and Jonathan Rosenfeld upon the birth of a daughter, Emily Grace. Mazel Tov as well to the proud grandparents, KJ members Nancy and Dr. Stanley Rosenfeld.

Esther and Kenny Rubinstein on the birth of a son, Julius Emanuel.

Erica and Robert Schwartz on the birth of a daughter, Caroline Emma. Mazel Tov as well to the proud grandparents, KJ members Sheira and Steven Schacter.

Ariel and Albert Sebag on the birth of a daughter, Jordan Ghitty. Mazel Tov as well to the proud grandparents, KJ members Jean and Armand Lindenbaum, and Sheila Edison and Yvan Sebag.

Sara and Simon Shemia on the birth of a daughter, Esther. Mazel Tov as well to the proud grandparents, KJ members Marilyn and Dr. Sheldon Muhlbauser.

Drs. Jill and Michael Stifelman on the birth of a son, Noah Samuel.

May these children grow up in the finest tradition of Torah, chupah, and maasim tovim.

BNAI MITZVAH

Mazel Tov to:

Frances K. Davidson on the Bar Mitzvah of her grandson, Nathan David Amodeo, son of Marian Davidson-Amodeo and William Amodeo. Nathan's Bar Mitzvah took place on March 27 at the

Stephen Wise Free Synagogue and he delivered a Dvar Torah on "*The Meaning of Sacrifice*."

Ronne Mandelker and Andrew Braiterman on the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Beth Eliana. Mazel Tov as well to Beth's proud grandmother, KJ member Mrs. Evelyn Mandelker.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mazel Tov to:

Daniel Edelstein, son of Shlomit and Chaim Edelstein, on his engagement to Shira Diamond, daughter of Caroline and Dr. Ezriel Diamond, of Lawrence, New York.

Suzanne and Sandy Eisenstat, on their daughter Lilly Eisenstat's engagement to David Weisz, son of Ava and Morris Weisz, of Edison, New Jersey.

Ziva and Rabbi Avraham Kramer, on their son Shilo Kramer's engagement to Tzivya Fuchs, daughter of Joanie and Allen Fuchs, of Manhattan. Mazel Tov as well to Tzivya's grandparents, Rabbi and Mrs. Ralbag of Congregation B'nai Israel.

Janet and Mark Mittler, on their daughter Elyse Mittler's engagement to David Efron, son of Mr. Herbert Efron, of Silver Spring, Maryland.

Stanley Schwartz on his engagement to Marion Jacobson of West Orange, New Jersey.

May their weddings take place in happiness and blessing.

WEDDINGS

David J. Pine on his marriage to Stephanie T. Failla, of Manhattan.

Ray Ward on his marriage to Deborah Farkash, of Riverdale.

May they enjoy their marriages with happiness and blessing.

COMMUNAL HONORS

Congratulations and hearty Mazel Tov to our member Shoshana T. Bookson on her

election as President Elect of the New York State Trial Lawyers Association.

Congratulations to our esteemed member Alan N. Rechtschaffen on his appointment as a commissioner to serve the City of New York as a member of the New York City Campaign Finance Board. Similar congratulations to his parents, our devoted members Mrs. Pamela and Rabbi Manfred Rechtschaffen.

The letters of Rabbi Yisrael Salanter to his students were recently published under the name "Ohr Yisrael." This was made possible by a grant from the Ellen and David Scheinfeld Charitable Fund. A foreword to the "sefer" was written by Rabbi David Scheinfeld.

CONDOLENCES

Our condolences to:

Eleanor Brennglass, on the passing of her father, Jack Gaus.

Rivka Platt, on the passing of her mother, Leah Freeman.

Mitchell Krevat, on the passing of his mother, Bernice Krevat.

Randy Krevat, on the passing of her mother, Sylvia Shusterman.

Dr. Brenda Lavi, on the passing of her mother, Florence Haber.

Leslie Maurer, on the passing of her mother, Rose Lipschutz.

Hannah Lorch, on the passing of her sister, Ruth Listokin.

Dr. Shelly Senders, on the passing of his mother, Pauline Senders.

May they be comforted among all those who mourn for Zion and Jerusalem..

In Memoriam

Mordie Mann

We were saddened to learn of the passing of Mordie Mann, one of our very senior members whose affiliation with the congregation lasted close to fifty years. He and his wife, Clara, were early members — indeed, founders — of our Am HaSefer program and were always involved in courses and lectures in our Adult Education offerings.

Mordie was a regular worshiper at

our Shabbat services and very frequently at the daily minyan both morning and evening. Personally observant, he was a founding member of the Chevra Kadisha of the congregation and for many years he was regularly involved in this sacred mitzvah.

We shall miss him, but we shall also remember him. May his soul be bound up in the bonds of eternal life.

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SHABBAT SCHEDULE

		<i>Lighting of Candles</i>	<i>Friday Evening Services</i>	<i>Saturday Afternoon Services</i>	<i>Sabbath Ends</i>
April					
2-3	Tzav (Shabbat HaGadol)	6:04 PM	6:15 PM	5:15 PM	6:58 PM
9-10	3 rd Day Pesach <i>Chol Chamoad</i>	7:12 PM	6:45 PM	7:00 PM	8:07 PM
16-17	Shemini	7:19 PM	6:45 PM	7:10 PM	8:15 PM
23-24	Tazria/Metzora	7:26 PM	6:45 PM	7:15 PM	8:24 PM
May					
Apr 30-May 1	Aharei Mot/Kedoshim	7:34 PM	6:45 PM	7:25 PM	8:31 PM
7-8	Emor	7:41 PM	6:45 PM	7:30 PM	8:38 PM
14-15	Behar/Behukotai	7:47 PM	6:45 PM	7:40 PM	8:46 PM
21-22	Bemidbar	7:53 PM	6:45 PM	7:45 PM	8:54 PM
28-29	Naso	8:00 PM	6:45 PM	7:50 PM	9:00 PM
June					
4-5	Behaalotekha	8:05 PM	6:45 PM	7:55 PM	9:06 PM
11-12	Shelah	8:09 PM	6:45 PM	8:00 PM	9:10 PM
18-19	Korah <i>Rosh Chodesh Tammuz</i>	8:12 PM	6:45 PM	8:00 PM	9:14 PM
25-26	Hukkat	8:13 PM	6:45 PM	8:00 PM	9:15 PM

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Weekday mornings.....7:30 AM
Sunday mornings.....8:30 AM
Mondays and Thursdays.....7:15 AM
Rosh Chodesh Weekdays.....7:00 AM
Sabbath mornings.....9:00 AM

EVENING SERVICES

March 28-April 1 . 6:15 PM April 18-May 24 . 6:45 PM
April 4, 14-15 . . . 6:45 PM May 30-June 10 . . 6:45 PM
June 13-30 6:50 PM

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, April 5-Tuesday, April 13

Passover
(See schedule on page 7)

Monday, April 19

Yom Hashoah
Morning Service at 7:15 AM

Wednesday and Thursday, April 21-22

Rosh Chodesh Iyar
Morning Services at 7:00 AM

Tuesday, April 27

Yom Ha'Atzmaut
Morning Service at 7:00 AM

Sunday, May 9

Lag B'Omer/Mother's Day

Wednesday, May 19

Yom Yerushalayim
Morning Service at 7:00 AM

Friday, May 21

Rosh Chodesh Sivan
Morning Service at 7:00 AM

Tuesday, May 25

Erev Shavuot
Morning Service at 7:30 AM
Candlelighting at 7:57 PM
Afternoon Service at 8:10 PM

Wednesday and Thursday, May 26-27

Shavuot
Morning Services at 4:20 AM and 9:00 AM
Afternoon Service at 8:10 PM
Second Day of Shavuot (Yizkor recited)
Morning Service at 9:00 AM
Afternoon Service at 8:10 PM
Yom Tov concludes at 8:59 PM

Monday, May 31

Memorial Day
Morning Service at 8:30 AM
Sunday, June 20
Rosh Chodesh Tammuz / Father's Day
Morning Service at 8:30 AM

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