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## Hanukkah Commences Thursday Evening, December 21st

Hanukkah commences on Thursday evening, December 21st, which is the 25th of Kislev. While Hanukkah is not mentioned in the Torah as it happened after the Torah was given, nor is it a festival like Passover, Shavuot or Sukkot. It is more a historical than a religious holiday. That's not to suggest that Hanukkah isn't important. On the contrary, the eight day holiday celebrates the Jewish military victory against the Syrians, in which a lone bottle of oil miraculously lasted for eight days when it should have lasted one day.

The Sages decreed that eight days beginning with the 25th of Kislev should be days of rejoicing; Hallel be recited, and that lights be lit at the entrance of the house, each of the eight nights, so as to publicize the miracle.

As it is written: "they made it a Yom Tov for praise and thanksgiving." Praise refers to the literal recitation of Hallel, and therefore the complete Hallel is recited during Shacharit on all eight days of Hanukkah. The term "thanksgiving" refers to the recitation of "Al Hanisim" (for the Miracles), a prayer of gratitude included in the

Shemoneh Esreh, during all days of Hanukkah, as well as in Birkat Hamazon (Grace after meals).

On the first night, only one candle is lighted. Looking at the menorah, it is the one on the far right. On the second night, two lights are lighted, and so on through the eighth night, when the entire menorah is lighted.

Although the lights are added toward the left, the candles in the Hanukkah menorah are kindled from left to right- the most recent candle is lit first. We recite three barachot (blessings) on the first night of Hanukkah, including the Sheheheyanu. On the remaining nights, only the first two barachot are said.

The candles should be lit in the home immediately after dark; on Shabbat the Hanukkah candles should be kindled before the Shabbat lights. The candles should burn for 30 minutes. The lighting of the menorah is done as a public mitzvah and should be done where others can see the menorah through a window or in a hallway. The lighting of the Hanukkah lights is a positive obligation for both men and women. Children above the age of nine should also light candles unless another does it for him or her.





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Due to on-going construction at the  
synagogue, services are held elsewhere  
as noted in this newsletter.

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## OZY/Junior Congregation Program

Two Or Zarua Youth (OZY) Services, one for children ages infant through 6 (children 3 years old and younger must be accompanied by an adult) and another one for children ages 7 through 13 are held every Shabbat morning. The OZY service for children ages infant through 6 begins promptly at 11 a.m. and ends at noon. The Junior Congregation service for children ages 7 through 13 begins promptly at 10:30 a.m. and ends at noon. On weeks when there is a Hebrew School Shabbat Class, children who wish to attend the 7-13 year old Junior Congregation are invited to join the Hebrew School Shabbat Class. Please see the calendar for the dates when Hebrew School Shabbat Class meets. At the conclusion of the OZY/Junior Congregation services, children are escorted from their classrooms to join our congregants in the concluding hymns and Kiddush.

Signs are posted indicating the location of the OZY/Junior Congregation services.

If you are interested in further information regarding the OZY/Junior Congregation Shabbat morning services, please contact Charlie Sherman, Educational Director at 917-834-0308.

## Or Zarua Hebrew School News

*By Charlie Sherman*

The New Year is off to a terrific start at the Or Zarua Hebrew School! We are working diligently to provide a challenging and exciting course of study for the 2000-2001 school year. We are proud to offer 10 classes for our students, who range in age from 5 to 16 years old. We have a wonderful group of teachers who are skilled at communicating to our students the beauty of the Jewish tradition and who are able to give our children the tools to become lifelong learners. They are: Mechina Class: Deena Fox; Alef Class: Liba Kornfeld; Bet #1 Class: Joshua Coren; Bet #2 Class: Lani Santo; Gimmel Class: Todd Surden; Dalet Class: Kliel Rose; Hey Class and High School Hebrew Classes: Michah Gottlieb; Vav Class: Tamar Zaken; High School Jewish Studies Class: Aaron Melman; Music Specialist: Jeremy Davidson; Hebrew Assistant Teacher: Moshe Kornfeld. We would also like to welcome a new member to our Hebrew School family, Ethel Stern, who now serves as the Administrative Assistant for the school.

Over the course of the summer we worked vigorously to update the curriculum, finding the best materials and textbooks in print today. We also revamped the Shabbat morning program, focusing on the theme of "Shabbat" throughout the year, so that the students come to and understand

the fullest sense of all that the day means for the Jewish people. In addition, for the first time ever, the school offered elective courses to the students of the Dalet, Hey and Vav classes. Students had the opportunity to choose from three different courses and do text studies in each of these courses. These electives will also give the students an opportunity to meet and learn with new teachers. Finally, the Hebrew program and Tefillah (prayer) curriculum are receiving more attention than ever before. The Hebrew books that the students are using have outstanding activities. When coupled with their teacher's excellent instruction, the students are learning it better than ever. Finally, we have broadened the repertoire of prayers we are teaching our students. Through this they are receiving a richer Hebrew School experience. Overall, we are continuing to provide a strong sense of belonging to the greater Jewish community.

We are all looking forward to watching the students grow as they progress in their Judaic and Hebrew studies during the weeks and months ahead.

For more information about the Or Zarua Hebrew School, please contact Charlie Sherman, Educational Director at 917-834-0308.



# Hesed Connection News

By Charlie Sherman

The Or Zarua Hesed Connection for children in the Hebrew School and in the Congregation at-large is in full swing. We are broadening the synagogue's Hesed programming to reach children at a wide spectrum of ages. We believe that all the children of the congregation need to learn the meaning of the word "hesed," (kindness) as it relates to Torah matriarchs and patriarchs and how to apply the principles of Hesed to their modern day lives.

For the DOROT Rosh Hashanah Package Delivery, children ages 5-13 prepared beautiful Rosh Hashanah cards to go into the holiday packages that were brought to homebound seniors in our area. It was quite evident that the children had put their whole hearts into the project. The look on the seniors' faces upon receiving these beautifully prepared care packages can only be imagined. Several of our Hebrew School families then participated in the second part of this mitzvah by helping to deliver packages to seniors in their homes. To light up the face of the people who received these Rosh Hashanah cards and really "make

their Rosh Hashanah" is a mitzvah everyone should strive to do. Several families, with children, then helped to deliver these packages.

On October 10th, the Hesed Connection continued its tradition of the past several years: decorating the Sukkah at New York Hospital. With the help of Rabbi Stephen Roberts and Kliel Rose, Hebrew School teacher and Hesed Connection Coordinator, the children had a very meaningful experience.

Please stay tuned for details on upcoming Hesed connection events throughout the year. All children and teenagers in the congregation are welcome to attend these rewarding programs. What better way to spend a couple of hours every month or two than to participate in an OZ Hesed program and help to make a difference in lives of others in our community.

To learn more about future Hesed Connection activities, please contact Charlie Sherman, Educational Director, at 917-834-0308.

## Current Events

For accurate information about the current state of affairs in Israel, you may wish to consult the following sites:

- **www.camera.org**  
sponsored by CAMERA (Committee for Accuracy in Middle East Reporting in America)
- **www.memri.org**  
sponsored by MEMRI (Middle East Research Institute)
- **www.aipac.org**  
sponsored by AIPAC
- **www.mfa.gov.il**  
sponsored by the Israel Ministry of Foreign Affairs

The sites offer a variety of perspectives. For example, while CAMERA studies the media to make sure Israeli news is accurately reported, MEMRI translates Arabic media to see what is being said and reported by that media.

## Save The Date

### RECEPTION FOR NEW MEMBERS TO TAKE PLACE NOVEMBER 9

You'll want to circle Thursday, November 9th on your calendar. That's the date for our New Members Reception, always a highlight on the Or Zarua social calendar. It's an opportunity not only to welcome our new members (defined as anyone who has joined the congregation since November 4, 1999, the date of last year's reception!), but also to purely and simply socialize with one another in a warm home setting.

Invitations will be sent to all members. Letting the office know whether or not you'll be able to attend will be helpful in planning for food and drink, so please RSVP when you receive your invitation.



## OR ZARUA VISITS TO THE ELDERLY MARK DOROT'S FIRST CONGREGATIONAL HESED PROJECT ON THE EAST SIDE

*By Aaron Shelden*

On Sunday, September 24th, Or Zarua congregants gathered at Castle Senior Living Residence on East 80th Street, the staging area for the first DOROT East Side food delivery and visitation with the elderly. From this writer's perspective, and as the coordinator of this event, Sunday was a resounding success. Thirty people, from young children to senior citizens, participated, including my wife, Diane, my son, Victor, and me. We made three visits, including one to a couple in their 90's who originally informed us on the phone that they were not feeling well so we should just drop the package off at their door. When we arrived at 2PM, both were in their bathrobes, looking somewhat frail. When they saw us at their door, they changed their minds and let us in, and we enjoyed the most wonderful conversation as they shared their experiences and life stories. Our visit certainly made their day, and to show it, the wife gave Victor a big hug. My family and the couple we visited were enriched by the visit. Phyllis and Gerry Solomon were among other

congregants who participated in the visits. Phyllis said, "The woman I saw was really touched, especially with the greeting cards made by the Hebrew School children." Phyllis added that the woman looked inside the bag and said, "Oh, good, I haven't had gefilte fish in a very long time." Everyone else had similar positive experiences as we shared food for the holidays and good wishes for the New Year.

The event was organized to honor my mother's memory on her first *yahrzeit*. She, too, lived alone, cherished her independence, embraced the joy of the Jewish holidays, and shared her wisdom and encouragement with those around her. Thanks to all the participants for making this event a success. The next OZ/DOROT visitation project will take place at Hanukkah. Consider participation. You, too, will be enriched by the experience.

If you are interested in getting involved in upcoming Hesed events, please contact Lesley Palmer.

## Hesed Outreach During Holidays to Elderly and to Ronald McDonald House

On Thursday, September 21st, at the E.73rd St. Ronald McDonald House, Richard Stadin arranged for concert pianist Elena Klionsky to perform works by Beethoven for the children and families residing at the House. Ms. Klionsky was accompanied by her 11 year old nephew, Julian Olidort, a violinist and Ramaz student. The Hesed Committee arranged for Or Zarua congregants to provide a selection of homemade desserts for the families. Families from all around the world stay at Ronald McDonald House for medical treatment at nearby hospitals. The beautiful music and delicious desserts created a very special evening, if only for a few hours.

Thanks to all the participants for making this event a success. If you are interested in getting involved in upcoming Hesed events, please join the next Hesed Committee meeting on October 26 at the synagogue's office at 7:30 pm. Please call Lesley Palmer with any questions.

## Searching For That Special Hanukkah Gift?

If books are the answer, one of four available from the Or Zarua office might just be your answer. All four are in hard-cover and each is available for an \$18.00 contribution.

**1)** A limited number of autographed copies of "Strange and Unexpected Love: A Teenage Girl's Holocaust Memories", written and donated by our member Fanya Gottesfeld Heller.

**2)** "Echoes from the Holocaust" by Mira Ryczke Kimmelman, mother of our member Benno Kimmelman.

**3)** A limited number of autographed copies of "The Lost Childhood: A Memoir", written and donated by our member Yehuda Nir, an account of his childhood in Nazi Europe during World War II.

**4)** Rabbi Wechsler's book, "What's So Bad About Guilt" (also available in paperback), which Rabbi Wechsler will be pleased to autograph or inscribe.

If any of these books appeal to you, call Enid Menzies in the Or Zarua office (212-410-6041).



# November 2000

*Temple Sharaay Tefila*  
250 East 79th Street (entrance on 2nd Ave)

92nd Street Y  
1395 Lexington Avenue

SUN MON TUE WED THUR FRI SAT

			1 8-9:30pm Talmud class (1384 Lex)	2	3 4:31pm Candle Lighting & Minnah- Maariv (Sharaay Tefila)	4 9am Shaharit, Noah (92nd Street Y)
5	6	7	8 8-9:30pm Talmud class (1384 Lex)	9 6-8pm New Members Reception	10 4:24pm Candle Lighting & Minnah- Maariv (Sharaay Tefila)	11 9am Shaharit, Lekh-Lekha Bar Mitzvah/Nahaniel Levy (92nd Street Y)
12 7:30pm Book Club/"Only Yesterday" by S. Agnon	13	14	15 8-9:30pm Talmud class (1384 Lex)	16	17 4:18pm Candle Lighting & Minnah- Maariv (Sharaay Tefila)	18 9am Shaharit, Vayera Bar Mitzvah/Jacob Doctoroff Hebrew School Shabbat class (92nd Street Y)
19	20 8:00-9:30pm Siddur/Mahzor Workshop (1384 Lex)	21	22 8-9:30pm Talmud class (1384 Lex)	23 Thanksgiving	24 4:14pm Candle Lighting & Minnah- Maariv (Sharaay Tefila)	25 9am Shaharit, Haye Sarah (92nd Street Y)
26	27	28	29 8-9:30pm Talmud class (1384 Lex)	30		

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250 East 79th Street (entrance on 2nd Ave)

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
					<b>1</b> 4:11pm Candle Lighting & Minnah-Maariv (Shaaray Tefila)	<b>2</b> 9am Shaharit, Toledot Hebrew School Shabbat class (92nd Street Y)
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 8:00-9:30pm Siddur/Manzor Class (1384 Lex)	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> 8-9:30pm Talmud class (1384 Lex)	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> 4:11pm Candle Lighting & Minnah-Maariv (Shaaray Tefila)	<b>9</b> 9am Shaharit, Vayetzte (92nd Street Y)
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> 8-9:30pm Talmud class (1384 Lex)	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> 4:12pm Candle Lighting & Minnah-Maariv (Shaaray Tefila)	<b>16</b> 9am Shaharit, Vayeshlah (92nd Street Y)
<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> 8:00-9:30pm Siddur/Manzor Class (1384 Lex)	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> 8-9:30pm Talmud class (1384 Lex)	<b>21</b> Light 1st Hanukkah candle	<b>22</b> 4:15pm Candle Lighting & Minnah-Maariv (Shaaray Tefila) Hanukkah	<b>23</b> 9am Shaharit, Vayeshev/Shabbat Hanukkah (92nd Street Y)
<b>24</b> Hanukkah	<b>25</b> Hanukkah	<b>26</b> Hanukkah	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> 4:20pm Candle Lighting & Minnah-Maariv (Shaaray Tefila) Hanukkah	9am Shaharit, Mikeitz (92nd Street Y)
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# March of the Living

On April 19th, 2001, Jewish students will once again make history as they march on Yom HaShoah, Holocaust Remembrance Day, from the concentration camp of Auschwitz to the death camp of Birkenau. Since 1988 Jewish high school students have been retracing the steps of their ancestors throughout Poland. The March of the Living has brought together students from around the world to show the solidarity of the Jewish people.

The March of the Living is not only about remembering the death and destruction of the Holocaust, it is also about learning to appreciate the grandeur of 1,000 years of Jewish Life in Eastern Europe. Immediately after exploring our heritage in Poland the group will fly to

Israel. As we commemorate Yom HaZikaron, Israeli Memorial Day, and celebrate on Yom HaAtzmaut, Israel's Independence Day, we grasp the significance of the State of Israel and the constant struggle to maintain it.

The dates of the March of the Living 2001 are April 16th - 30th. Applications are due by November 20th, 2000. This truly is a once in a lifetime experience; we invite you to represent your school, Or Zarua and your community as we "March" together. For more information and an application, please call March of the Living at the Board of Jewish Education of Greater New York (212) 245-8200 ext 259.

## Education - A Mirror of the Jewish Soul

In this new workshop, members of OZ will now have the opportunity to explore, in depth, the 'davening', the Shabbat service and its prayer book, the Siddur, to really understand with "n-sha'mah-Jewish soul" - what we're doing in the synagogue, and how to do it. We'll discuss the origin of the prayers, why are they in this sequence and not that, why pray in Hebrew, what does it mean when we stand, or bow, etc.

You don't need to be fluent in Siddur Hebrew or to have had very much background. The course will continue through mid-Spring and will start with Shabbat morning. It will cover subjects like the different hymns and how essential they are, the role of the Psalms, how the prayers change for a new moon, the reading of the Torah and its various traditions.

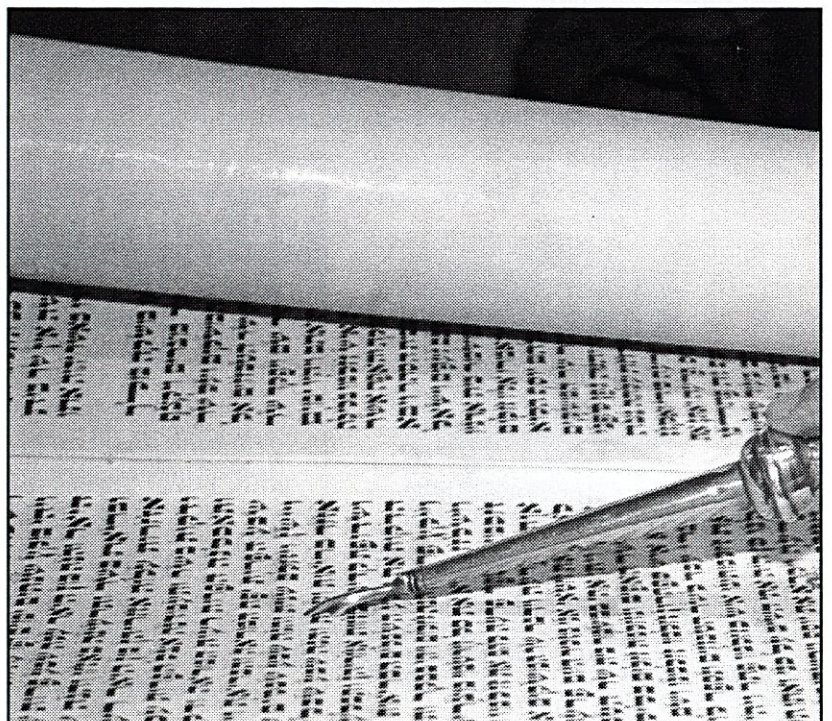
Harry Trattner, president of a strategic planning and development firm, who is also an ordained Hazzan from the Jewish Theological Seminary, is the instructor.

The class will be held on Monday evening November 20th, December 4th and December 18th in the Or Zarua Bet Midrash, 1384 Lexington Avenue from 8 to 9:30 p.m. Classes will resume again on January 22 and continue on Monday nights through April. See the next edition of the newsletter for the full calendar.

## Education - Talmud Class

Rabbi Wechsler's Talmud class continues on Wednesdays from 8 to 9:30p.m. in the Or Zarua Bet Midrash, 1384 Lexington Avenue. The class is studying the sixth chapter of Masekhet Berakhot.

The Talmud class is free to members and nonmembers alike, and may be joined at any time. No knowledge of Hebrew or Aramaic is required; nor is attendance at last year's class required.





# Solomon Schechter High School of New York

To learn more about the Solomon Schechter High School of New York, located at 1 West 91st Street (corner of Central park West), please contact the school at (212) 877-7747 \*225 to make a tour reservation.

## Scheduled Tours (November and December)

<b>Monday</b>	<b>November 13th</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>November 14th</b>	<b>9:00a.m.</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>December 5th</b>	<b>2:00p.m.</b>

Other tours are scheduled for 2001. Please contact the school for the complete schedule.

## Book Club

The next meeting of the Or Zarua Book Club will be on Sunday, November 12, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Miriam Frankel. (Please contact the office for address) We will be discussing "Only Yesterday" by S.Y. Agnon, winner of a Nobel Prize in literature. The book was originally published in 1945 and has just been translated into English. It is set partly in Jaffa and partly in Jerusalem in the years 1908-1912 and raises questions in regard to ultra Orthodoxy and secular Zionism. All

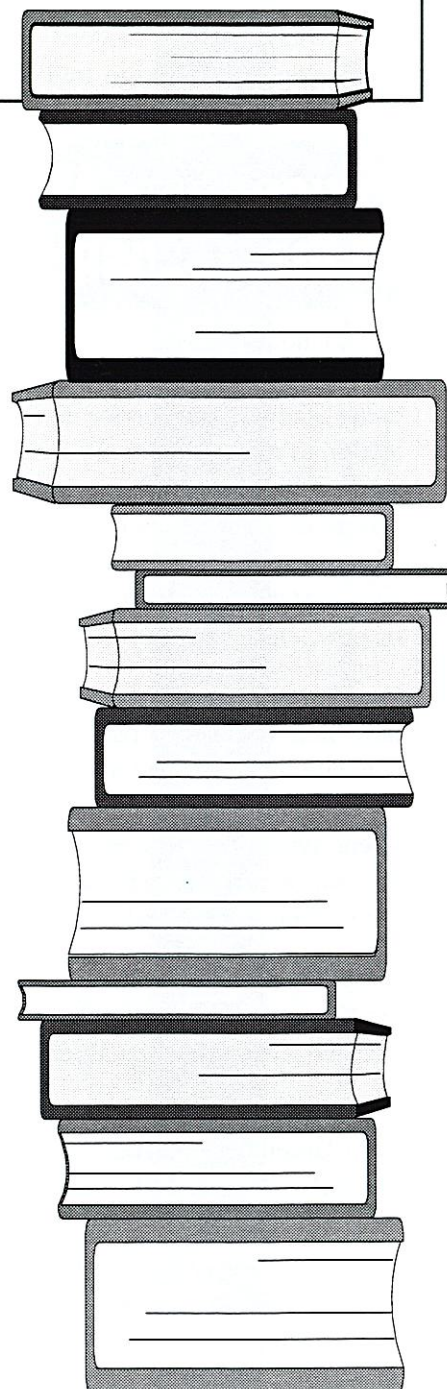
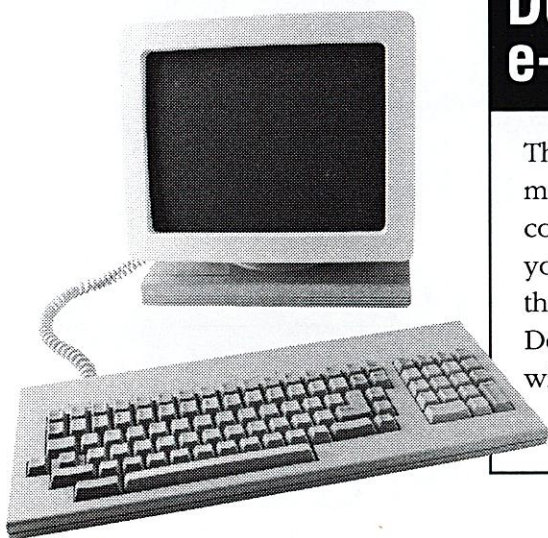
are welcome to attend what promises to be a very interesting discussion.

The next meeting will discuss "Jew Vs. Jew: The Struggle for the Soul of American Jewry" by Samuel G. Freedman. The date for this meeting will be set at the November meeting.

Both books are available from the public library and Barnes and Noble, Amazon.com. We look forward to seeing you.

## Do You Have an e-mail Address?

The office is compiling home e-mail addresses in order to enhance communications with members. If you have one, please e-mail the office at: [admin@orzarua.org](mailto:admin@orzarua.org). Don't forget to include your name with your home e-mail address.





## The Or Zarua Community

### NEW MEMBERS

Dan & Emily Adler  
Marilyn Balassi  
Burt Biderman  
Alexandra Bloch  
Justine Davis  
Judith Friedlander  
Robert Genis & Sherri Sonin  
Philip & Carol Goldsmith  
Paul & Sara Gottlieb  
Adam Eidelerg & Andrea Gurwitt  
Bruce & Karolyn Gould  
Jared Greisman  
Carolyn Hellman  
Michael & Abat Hoffman  
Tal & Tamar Kaissar  
Elie Kaunfer  
Daniel & Yael Kessler  
Stefan & Karen Kieserman  
Yona Krauss  
Scott Lerner  
Stephen & Leslie Levick  
Ron Meyers  
David & Laurie Pauker  
Silvia Paulson  
David & Shari Prince  
Warren & Jane Rosen  
Gloria Shafer  
Irwin & Daryl Simon  
Yoav & Jodi Sisley  
Jeffrey Small  
I. Maxwell & Norma Small

### CONGRATULATIONS TO

David & Michele Cooperberg and Theodore & Shulamith Koton on the August 13th marriage of their son and grandson to Jordana Leah Riklis  
Neal & Maud Kozodoy on the September 21st birth of their daughter, Mirah  
Barry & Judith Schneider on the August 21st birth of his granddaughter, Jenna Brooke.

### CONDOLENCES TO

Uri Evan on the death of his father, Avram Millstein  
Mark Kinn on the death of his father, Philip Kinn  
Judy Lewis on the death of her husband, Stanley Lewis  
Freda Plesser on the death of her father, Morton Plesser  
Stephen Solender on the death of his sister, Susan Bailis

## Contributions

**All contributions listed were received on or before October 3, 2000.**

Capital Campaign and Bimah Fund contributions are not listed.

### ADULT EDUCATION FUND,

in honor of Jonathan & Deborah Bakin

Brett & Gwendolyn Cohen  
Barry & Bobbi Coller  
Glenn & Zella Goldfinger  
Michael & Meredith Katz  
Laura Resnikoff  
Robert & Vera Silver  
Mark & Lynn Somerstein  
Charles Spielholz, Sharon Seiler & Talia Spielholz  
Lynda & Toby Wertheim

### HESED FOOD FUND

Solomon & Thelma Borodkin  
Samuel & Francine Klagsbrun  
Jacob & Esther Oberman, in memory of his mother, Dora Oberman, on her yahrzeit  
Jacob & Esther Oberman, in memory of Edward Brodsky, husband of Cynthia Brodsky  
Jacob & Esther Oberman, in memory of Bernice Elkind, sister-in-law of Ruth Muss  
Samuel & Ruth Perelson  
Andre & Barbara Sassoon, in memory of Benjamin Botwinick, father of Elaine Wolfensohn  
Barry & Judith Schneider  
Barry & Judith Schneider, in memory of Florence Stenn, mother of Enid Menzies  
Jill Shapiro, in honor of her parents, Lorraine and Herbert Shapiro, as we begin the New Year.  
Richard, Audrey & Jonathan Stadin  
William & Muriel Tannenbaum, in honor of Richard Stadin  
William & Muriel Tannenbaum, in memory of Florence Stenn, mother of Enid Menzies  
Lynda Wertheim

### HESED FUND

Barry & Mimi Alperin  
Julia Blumenthal, from her Tzedakah Box, with thanks for having her grandmother spend Yom Kippur at Or Zarua  
Mina Greenstein, in memory of her mother, Jeanne Baylis, on her yahrzeit  
Mina Greenstein, in appreciation of Marc Ashley's stimulating class on Jewish Oral Law  
Simon & Janet Katz, in honor of the September 16th bat mitzvah of their

granddaughter, Esther Chasya Sophia Roth-Katz  
Herbert & Lorraine Shapiro, in honor of Larry Norton's selection as President-Elect of the American Society of Clinical Oncology  
Martin & Rochelle Spergel, in memory of Larua Geller  
William & Muriel Tannenbaum, in memory of their parents, Jacob and Bella Silver and Joel and Molly Tannenbaum

### HEVRA KADISHA FUND

Mark & Hannah Kinn, with thanks to the Hevra Kadisha  
Frederick & Martha Mendelsohn, in memory of Enid Menzies' mother, Florence Stenn  
Jerome & Linda Spitzer, in memory of Enid Menzies' mother, Florence Stenn

### KIDDUSH FUND

Daniel & Lynn Beller, in honor of the bar mitzvah of their son, Ben  
Richard Gottlieb, in memory of his father, Jack Gottlieb, on his yahrzeit  
Richard Hyfler & Amelia Rosner in honor of the bar mitzvah of their son, Eugene Hyfler  
Mark & Hannah Kinn, in memory of his mother, Sonia Kinn  
Neal & Maud Kozodoy, in honor of the birth of their daughter, Mirah  
Herbert & Judith Lukashok, in memory of her mother, Martha Berg, on her yahrzeit  
Samuel & Ruth Perelson, wishing the Congregation a healthy and peaceful 5761  
David Pine, in honor of his wife Stephanie on their first wedding anniversary  
Gerry & Phyllis Solomon, in memory of her mother, Adele Plovnick, on her yahrzeit  
Charles Spielholz & Sharon Seiler in honor of their 8th wedding anniversary  
Eric Weinstein & Sarah Klagsbrun, in honor of their 5th wedding anniversary

### KOL NIDRE APPEAL

Arthur & Willi Aeder  
Barry & Mimi Alperin  
Abraham & Anna Ascher  
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Barry & Bobbi Coller  
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Robert & Sylvia Elman  
Yitzchak & Jacqueline Frank  
Miriam Frankel  
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Ira & Linda Greenblatt  
Leon & Susan Heller  
Mel & Adele Ilberman



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 Marilyn Krulwich  
 Jack & Rose Less  
 Leonard & Harriet Mayer  
 Dara Murray  
 Jacob & Esther Oberman  
 Paula Offricht  
 Shirley Okrent  
 Arthur Rosenbloom & Evelyn Kenvin  
 Gloria Schamis  
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 Sidney & Irene Silverman  
 Steven & Joyce Wolitzer

## MA'OT HITTIM FUND

Thelma Rodbell

## RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

Fred & Vivian Kenvin  
 Jack & Rose Less

## GENERAL FUND

Linda Alster, in memory of Philip Kinn,  
 father of Mark Kinn  
 Daniel & Lynn Beller, with gratitude to  
 Miriam Wallerstein for all that she does for  
 Congregation Or Zarua  
 Daniel & Lynn Beller, in honor of Rabbi  
 Wechsler, with thanks for his help in  
 connection with their son Benjamin's  
 bar mitzvah

Daniel & Lynn Beller in honor of the bar  
 mitzvah of their son, Benjamin  
 Solomon & Thelma Borodkin, Yizkor  
 Marshall & Marilyn Butler, in memory of  
 Edward Brodsky, husband of  
 Cynthia Brodsky  
 Connie Delehanty, in honor of  
 Bonnie Maslin  
 Dan & Alisa Doctoroff, in memory of Philip  
 Kinn, father of Mark Kinn  
 Dan & Alisa Doctoroff, in honor of the bar  
 mitzvah of Josh Glasser, son of David &  
 Carla Glasser  
 Dan & Alisa Doctoroff, in memory of  
 Florence Stenn, mother of Enid Menzies  
 Helen Ferszt, in memory of her mother-in-  
 law, Eva Krigstein  
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