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MARCH 8 & 9, 2019
SHABBAT SHALOM

SHABBAT NEWSLETTER

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GUT SHABBOS

CANDLE LIGHTING 5:43 p.m.

KABBALAT SHABBAT SERVICE 6:00 P.M. - SANCTUARY

OFFICIATING Rabbi Steven Saks
FRIDAY NIGHT Cantor Yehoshua Redfern

SHABBAT SERVICE 9:00 A.M. - CHAPEL

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SATURDAY MORNING Cantor Yehoshua Redfern

Howard Stromwasser - Shacharit
 Cantor Redfern - Kriat Hatorah
 Scott Slomowitz - Haftorah

REMARKS - Russ Silberglied “On Wilmington’s Relationship with Our Sister City, Arad, Israel”

SERMON - Rabbi Steven Saks “Upon Second Thought, Congresswoman Ilhan Omar’s New Anti-Semitic Remarks Were Not Surprising.”

Cantor Redfern - Mussaf
 Neil Lattin and Howard Stromwasser - Gabbaim

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS Alan Bleier

SIDRAH OF THE WEEK

Pekudei
 Exodus 38:21 - 40:38
 Stone - p. 530

HAFTORAH

I Kings 7:51 - 8:21
 Stone - p. 1164

Torah Study - Rabbinic Views on the Mishkan (Tabernacle)

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES		THIS WEEK’S SCHEDULE OF SERVICES	
Mincha	5:40 p.m.	Sunday Morning	8:00 a.m.
Havdalah	6:45 p.m.	Monday, Tuesday & Thursday Mornings	7:00 a.m.
		Wednesday & Friday Mornings (Community Minyan)	7:30 a.m.
		Monday - Thursday Afternoons	5:30 p.m.

Perform a Mitzvah - Come to a Daily Service - Help to Make a Minyan

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS SUNDAY MORNING AT 2 A.M. REMEMBER TO SET YOUR CLOCKS ONE HOUR FORWARD BEFORE GOING TO BED SATURDAY NIGHT.

CONDOLENCES: The congregation, Rabbi and Cantor express *nichum aveilim* to the family of **June Kleban** upon her passing. “May the mourners be consoled among all who mourn for Zion and Jerusalem.”

YAHRTZEIT OBSERVANCES

This week we observe the Yahrtzeit of the following individuals:

March 8 - Harry Gross, Sylvia Granite

March 9 - Jacob Bronfin

March 12 - Sam Cutler

March 13 - Max Berlin

March 14 - Dora Ptashkin

May their memory be for a blessing.

AKSE ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

WELCOME - NEWCOMERS AND VISITORS: We are glad you are with us and look forward to greeting you with a warm AKSE welcome at our Kiddush following services.

KIDDUSH: All Congregants are invited to share in the friendship and ruach of Shabbat at our Kiddush sponsored by the Kiddush fund. Thank you to **Judy Berlin, Kathleen Taylor** and committee for preparing the Kiddush. All are welcome.

LEARN TO READ HEBREW: Learn to read Hebrew, to read from the Siddur, and to understand what you are saying. Classes meet on Shabbat morning in the **Conference Room from 9:15 - 10:15 a.m. (beginners) and 10:15 - 11:15 a.m. (advanced)**. For more information, please call **Eleanor Weinglass** at **302-478-3378**.

PARSHA AND PIZZA - WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13TH AT 6 P.M. IN THE SOCIAL HALL

SAKS ON SACKS CLASS - THURSDAY, MARCH 14TH AT 6 P.M. IN THE SOCIAL HALL

ORDER YOUR SHALACH MANOT GREETINGS BY MARCH 13TH: Send Purim greetings to anyone on our membership list and our staff. Your name will be included on the card sending greetings to your recipients, accompanied by a generous assortment of traditional Purim treats. Individual greetings are only **\$5** each, with quantity discounts for 25 or 50 greetings. And greetings may be sent to every congregant and staff member for only **\$185**. Order and pay conveniently online using the link found in emails sent to you or at **www.AKSE.org**. If you prefer, you can fill out the form found in this newsletter and in the Shofar and mail or bring it to the AKSE office with your check made out to AKSE Sisterhood. **Order deadline extended to March 13th.**

CONGRESSWOMAN LISA BLUNT ROCHESTER TO ADDRESS “JOINT SESSION” OF AKSE AND CBS - SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH: Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to hear Delaware's energetic representative and to ask her questions of concern to the Jewish community. **She will speak at approx. 11:30 a.m. in the sanctuary.** After concluding services, AKSE and CBS will co-host their congregants and Representative Blunt Rochester for Kiddush luncheon, where she will lead a Q-and-A session.

SHOPRITE GIFT CARDS AVAILABLE AGAIN FROM MARTY ZUKOFF: We are pleased to inform you that the **Zukoff** branch office for the sale of ShopRite gift cards has re-opened. To remind you, **Marty's** home is in Chalfonte at **2523 Bona Road**, the street next to Hanby School. His phone number is **302-478-4734**. Please call before you come to make sure he's home.

AKSE Sisterhood Invites You to Send Purim Greetings and Shalach Manot



You can participate in the sending of Mishloach Manot gift bags to anyone on our membership list and our staff for just \$5 per recipient. Your name will be included on the card sending Purim greetings to your recipients. The card will be accompanied by a generous assortment of traditional Purim treats. Please note that, regardless of the number of greeters, each recipient family or individual will receive one assortment of Purim treats. **Please get your orders in by March 13, 2019.**

Recipients may pick up their bag and greetings on Wednesday, March 20 after the Megillah reading and for the next 7 days at the AKSE office.

Prices for greetings sent to AKSE members and staff:

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| \$5 for individual greetings | 10 greetings for \$50 (\$5 each) |
| 25 greetings for \$100 (\$4 each) | 50 greetings for \$150 (\$3 each) |

Greetings to every congregant and staff member for \$185

Online orders: An email will be sent to all members with email addresses providing simple steps for filling out an online form and paying via PayPal or check.

Paper orders: You can pay via check and fill out the form below and mail (to AKSE, 4412 Washington Blvd., Wilmington, DE 19802) or bring them to the AKSE office (at 1801 Baynard Blvd.). **If you have questions, please call the office at 302-762-2705.**

PLEASE PRINT

Name of Sender (as you would like it to appear on the card)

Phone number _____ Email address _____

Name of each recipient (not needed if sending greetings to every member)

(please attach separate paper for additional recipient names)

Cost of order (as priced above) _____

(please make check payable to AKSE Sisterhood)

PURIM SCHEDULE

Wednesday, March 20

Fast of Esther

begins 5:43 a.m., ends 7:44 p.m.

Shacharit 7 a.m.

Mincha Ma'ariv 6:45 p.m.

Megillah reading approx. 8 p.m.

Costume parade (adults and kids),
then collect your Shalach Manot
good wishes and treats

Thursday, March 21

Shacharit 7 a.m., with

Megillah reading approx. 7:30 a.m.

Purim Seudah at 12 noon
(please note change in time)

Pizza and Snacks

Mincha service 1:15 p.m.

Seudah is free, but reservations are requested
so we can have enough food.

Please contact the office at 302-762-2705 or office@AKSE.org

