

## *THE ETERNAL LIGHT IS KINDLED*

RABBI

May our ancient prayer of joyfulness, and of thanksgiving be acceptable unto Thee as we say together

Boruch Ato Adonoi elohanu melech ho'olom shehecheyonu  
V'kiyemonu v'higionu laz'man hazeh.

Blessed art Thou, O Lord our God, King of the Universe, who has kept us alive, sustained us, and brought us to this happy occasion.

CONGREGATION IS SEATED

*WELCOME* ..... MR. LAWRENCE SIFF  
Chairman, Arrangements Committee

*MASTER OF CEREMONIES* ..... JUDGE ROBERT S. KRAFT

*OPENING PRAYER* ..... DR. JOSEPH KATZ

*MIZMOR SHIR CHANUKAS HABAYIS* Psalm XXX .. CANTOR CHAIM FEIFEL

## *THE PRAYERS OF DEDICATION*

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Our God and God of our Fathers, we recall in this solemn hour, Thy words commanded to Moses in the wilderness, "And let them make me a Sanctuary that I may dwell in their midst." We also recall the words of King Solomon when he dedicated the Temple in Jerusalem: "But will God in very truth dwell on the earth? Behold, heaven and the heaven of heavens cannot contain Thee; how much less this house that I have builded! Yet have Thou respect unto the prayer of Thy servant, and to his supplication, O Lord my God, to hearken unto the cry and to the prayer which Thy servant prayeth before Thee this day; that Thine eyes may be opened toward this house night and day even toward the place whereof Thou hast said: My name shall be there; to hearken unto the prayer which Thy servant shall pray toward this place. (I Kings 27-29)

O Heavenly Father, we have reached the awesome moment when we are to dedicate this Sanctuary to Thy glory.

We have selected Hebrew verses from Psalm 119 which spell out the Hebrew name of our Adath Israel Congregation.