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A Brief History of Havurat Yisrael

Created in 1981 by a group of young people eager to return to the authentic voice of Judaism, led by Rabbi Algaze, the congregation grew into one of the prominent centers of Jewish life in New York. The synagogue came to its original building in 1982 and there it attracted hundreds of families that would have been otherwise lost to the Jewish people. Thousands of individuals and families owe their start of Jewish allegiance to Havurat and, although some of them have moved away from the community, they have retained their love and gratitude to Havurat and Rabbi Algaze. Among its "graduates" are rabbis, teachers, administrators of Jewish schools and authors as far away as Latin America and Israel. In 1998, due to a building collapse, the synagogue endured its most difficult challenge: exile. Yet, with G-d's help and the loyalty of its members, Havurat has miraculously returned to its original site after 17 years of wandering. Our new and comfortable building is once again open to Jews of all levels with inspiration and joy. This is the message of Havurat: that the resilience of the Jewish people has maintained our people in challenging times and that the message of Torah will not perish. We invite you to join the campaign to bring more Jews to our tradition and to strengthen Am Israel.

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