
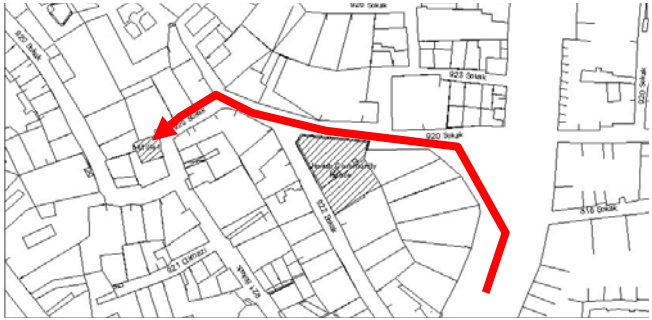



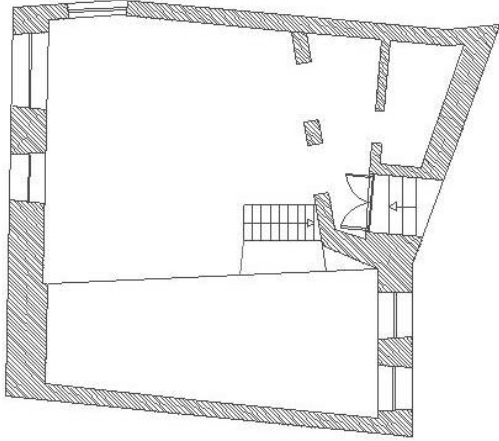





Index Card #7	BEIT HILLEL	
Location	The synagogue is located on 920 Street. The door number is 23/A.	
Type of the Site	This building is a synagogue. It is not in use today.	
Other Names	Avraham Palaggi's synagogue	
Accessibility	<p>This building can be seen easily from the street. The entrance to the building is nearly at the corner of 920 Street. The synagogue is part of a house.</p>	
 <p>The Entrance Façade of the Synagogue</p>		
Presence	The synagogue stands above the street, and its north façade can be seen easily from the outside.	

<p>General Description</p>	<p>The synagogue was founded by Palaggi Family in 1840. It was used by Rav Avraham Palaggi. The building had been used as a synagogue and a “Beit Midrash.” The synagogue has not been used since 1960’s.</p> <p>One step leads to the iron gate of the synagogue. Then there are four more stairs and then the space is divided into two parts. The main space is on the left side. In the bigger space there are eight stairs leading to the gallery probably to the women’s section.</p> <p>The building can not be perceived as a synagogue building from the outside. It looks like a typical Greek house.</p> <p>There are windows on the northern wall opening to the street.</p>	
<p>General Pictures</p>	 <p>“Ezrat Nashim”</p>	 <p>Door Leading to tThe Main Praying Space</p>
<p>Plan</p>	 <p>The Plan of the Synagogue</p>	

<p>Physical Conditions</p>	<p>The building is in bad condition. The roof is badly damaged, and some parts of the floor are missing. The timber ceiling is falling down.</p>				
	 <p>Picture Showing the Condition of the Roof.</p>		 <p>Picture Showing the Condition of the Roof.</p>		
	 <p>Ceramic Floor of the Interior Space</p>				
<p>Technology Materials</p>	<p>The building is of masonry. The roof is of wood. The windows, ceiling, women's section, and stairs are made of wood. The floor paving is not original.</p>				
<p>Unique Elements</p>	<p>1. The synagogue is part of a house</p>				
<p>Typology of the Plan</p>	<p>Bimah</p> <p>No remains</p>	<p>Pillars</p> <p>No remains</p>	<p>Ceiling</p> <p>No remains</p>	<p>Main Space Entrance</p> <p>From the eastern Wall</p>	<p>Courtyard</p> <p>No</p>
<p>Conclusions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The building has serious structural damages. • The roof, the walls and the floor of the building are in a very bad condition. <p>The synagogue was founded by the Palaggi family and is therefore very important. The roof, the walls and floor need immediate repair.</p>				