

MetroWest



DAY OF LEARNING — Ned Gladstein, left, of North Caldwell delivered the keynote address at Prophets and Profits: Religion, Business and Ethics for our Time, the second annual Day of Learning of the Jewish Theological Seminary's Rabbinical School Student Organization. The Feb. 2 event, which was attended by 80 participants, examined the intersection of business ethics and Judaic teachings. Gladstein, the owner of ShopRite supermarkets in West Caldwell and Parsippany, is also a past president of Congregation Agudath Israel of West Essex in Caldwell and chair of the JTS' rabbinical school board of overseers. He shared the ethical guidelines he employs in running his businesses, focusing on the responsibility of the worker to the customer and the management's responsibility to the workers. With Gladstein are rabbinical student, conference adviser, and Agudath Israel rabbinic intern Jason A. Miller, center, and rabbinical school dean Rabbi William Lebeau.