

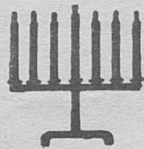
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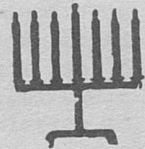
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The Sabbath Theme

Within the past months there have been discussions at a number of meetings about the prayer book - to keep it or discard it, to rewrite it or reinterpret it. Before we can begin to consider such an important matter, we need to consider a bit of its origin and history. This will be the first in a series of sermons dealing with our Jewish liturgy.

Rabbi's Message

I recently had occasion to be present at a City Commissioners' Meeting, and in the course of public discussion of a matter, I was recognized by the chair and had the opportunity to state my views on the subject, along with other citizens.

As I consider this process, it strikes me as a vital one in our form of government. Here is one of the places that a citizen can still make his voice heard, where he may express his views openly and without "just beating his gums". If our form of government is to function properly, we all need to assume the responsibility of presenting our views where they may be weighed in the open market of consensus as well as heard by those who make the policy.

Furthermore, as I well realize, I also spoke as a rabbi, as rabbi of this congregation - even if this identification was not openly stated at the time. And here too I feel a responsibility to let my voice be heard - because Temple Adath Israel is a religious institution in our community, an institution that stands for integrity, honesty, reverence for human dignity - and when these qualities are in jeopardy, then I feel a responsibility to be not silent, but to point out the short comings - not just from the pulpit (where all too few may hear) but in public - where the voice of prophet protest may be more widely heard.

Judaism has an important and vital role in our lives and in society. We cannot hide our heads for fear of criticism. We need to speak out, for we do not live in Utopia. There are countless shortcomings in our community, shortcomings which will not be altered unless you and I, and all others who are concerned make our opinions heard where it counts. Social criticism is an integral part of Judaism. Let us be proud of it and utilize it to the fullest.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS

There will be a meeting of the Teachers of the Senior Assembly this Sunday, January 9, immediately after Religious School.

There will be a meeting of the Membership Committee on Sunday, January 9, at 10:30 a.m. at the Temple.

Brotherhood

The next meeting of the Brotherhood will be on Wednesday evening, January 19, at 6:30 P.M. At that time we shall honor our past presidents:

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ACROSS THE BOARD

The following are the highlights of the Temple Board Meeting of December 7, 1965:

1. The Sisterhood has purchased a new electrically operated movie screen which is now installed over the stage in the Vestry.

2. The gift of a speaker system for the Vestry from Mrs. Barney Miller, in memory of her husband, was gratefully accepted.

3. It was approved that proper structural changes in the Vestry, including a projection room, be made, subject to construction details as approved by the Buildings and Grounds Committee.

4. The Board went on record as opposing Section 6A of the resolution on "World at Peace" passed at the UAHC Biennial Convention in November. (See enclosure in this issue of the Bulletin for the full text of this Resolution).



HEAR YE HEAR YE

Please don't forget Sisterhood's plea for trading stamps and eye glasses.

Temple Youth Group



The Temple Youth Group held its latest meeting on December 26th. This was a dinner meeting which was attended by many of those past members who now attend college. The program consisted of a panel discussion on college life, chaired by Jay Bolotin, co-chairman of the Program Committee. Among those being part of the panel were: Sammie Miller, Mike Baker, Ellen Weil, Mark Rosenberg, Steve Cool, Mary Kanner, Howard Mason and Elliott Hammer.

The Youth Group has begun preparation for the OVFTY Delegates Conclave which they will host the week-end of May 13-15.

The Chanuka Carnival was a high success and the co-chairmen, Frances Moskowitz and Mark Rubin extend their thanks.

The next TYG meeting will be held at the Temple on January 9, at 2:00 P. M. Our speaker will be Rev. Thomas Peoples, minister of the First Baptist Church in Bracktown. He will discuss with us: The Relationship of the Civil Rights Struggle to the Power Structure. Rev. Peoples is President of the Lexington Chapter of the NAACP and Vice-President of the Kentucky NAACP.

Thanks

To:

Mrs. Leonard Siegel for her donation of books to the Max Berman Library.

The books are:

The Adventures of Shlomele
by Saul Davis

The Parasite
by Mendele Mocher Seforim

Tevye's Daughters
by Sholom Aleichem

Journey to Israel (A Pictorial Guide)

Congratulations

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry Barrett who were married in Sarasota, Fla. on December 27th. Mr. Barrett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Barrett and Mrs. Barrett (the former Miss Peggy Lindenberg) is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lindenberg of Sarasota. They will be residing at 2017 St. Michael Drive

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:

Mr. Smith Morris, father of Max Morris, a member of the Temple Youth Group.



IN MEMORIAM

Louis Abraham
December 22, 1965
Louisville, Kentucky

Brother of Mrs. Bette Miller, Mrs. Gertrude Abraham, I. J. Abraham and Adolph Abraham.

Yahrzeit

Moses Lazarus	Edward B. Merkhoff
Sarah Lazarus	Nathan Effron
Jack Cohan	Sanford Rubin

Contributions

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From Dr. and Mrs. Saul Rubin in memory of Mrs. Lillian Greenberg.

Barney Miller Memorial Fund:

From Miss Belle and Herman Atlas in memory of Louis Abraham.

From Mrs. Bessie R. Stern and Mr. Louis Ruben in memory of Louis Abraham.

From Mrs. Barney Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller in memory of Louis Abraham.

Flower Fund:

From Mr. Emanuel Meyers in memory of Mrs. Leah Meyers.

From Mrs. Rose S. Bloom in memory of Mrs. Michael Switow.

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Mr. Michael Ades

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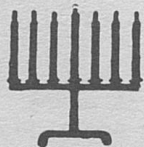
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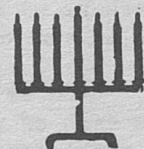
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The Sabbath Theme

Last week we considered the prayer book and how it came into being. This week we shall continue the discussion of this ancient book, attempting to see how it is put together and what we find in it.

One cannot live by another's wits.

In the mirror everyone sees his best friend.

Jewish Proverbs



ACROSS THE BOARD

January 4, 1966

1. A committee was appointed to study the present use of utilities in the Temple Plant to see whether savings can be made.

2. Discussion was held on ways of encouraging Jewish students and temporary residents of Lexington to affiliate with our congregation.

3. Work is proceeding on the new audio visual room adjacent to the Vestry.

4. The need for leaders for our Boy Scout Troop was discussed.

Rabbi's Message

Another year has begun and we have already lived through a few weeks of it. Perhaps we are still dating things with 1965 but shortly 1966 will be a reality to us and we will be living totally within it.

And as we contemplate a new year, we also ought to consider what it means to each of us. We are a little bit older, perhaps somewhat wiser, and hopefully a might farther along in seeking the goals which we have set for ourselves in life.

But beyond the mundane, we also ought to consider the course of our lives not as economic agents, nor as possible auto accident statistics, or as Social Security recipients - but as human beings. We ought to ask ourselves - what do I do as a human being, as someone created in the image of God? Are we forgiving of others? Do we pursue justice when we see others being ill-treated? Do we show mercy toward those who have been in the wrong? What is the condition of our love - not just toward those whom we know, but toward all mankind? Are we patient with other people?

The Torah tells us that "the Lord God is merciful and gracious, long-suffering and abundant in goodness and ever-true: keeping mercy for thousands, forgiving iniquity, transgression and sin."

Today would be a good day to see how we stack up against these standards.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

Temple Youth Group



What is TYG?

If you don't know yet, it's time you learned. And, if you do know that TYG stands for Temple Youth Group, you'll surely want to find out a lot more about what our Youth Group does and why.

Jack Miller, TYG Advisor, will stress the youth group program in this country and in Israel when he speaks on "What is TYG" at the forthcoming Sisterhood Luncheon.

Everyone who has, has had or will have a TYG member in her family should be anxious to hear what Jack has to say. So be sure and make your reservations early with Joann Miller, 266-8627, or Rosa Weil, 266-6044, for the luncheon meeting next Wednesday, January 19th, at 12:30, in the Temple Vestry. TYG is a VIP (very important part) of our Temple program.

The National Federation of Temple Youth has sent us the list of all its Summer, 1966, NFTY programs and events. They are divided into two groups.

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Altogether there will be 8 ways in which a Temple Youth, 15 to 19, can spend this summer NFTY-ly. Also there will be a National Adult Youth Advisers Institute. Similar sessions conducted on the regional level will be announced by the UAHC's Regional Camp at Zionsville.

Adult Education

The Adult Education Series on Basic Judaism begins January 19th at 7:30 P.M. in the Temple. If you have not signed up, there is still the opportunity to do so - just be there. Cost of the course has been changed to \$1.50 for one person, plus 50¢ for a spouse. It is not often one gets such a bargain, so take advantage of it now.

The exhibit which we are planning for late February looks very interesting. It will include spice boxes, Hanukkah menorahs, Seder plates, Kiddish cups and Megillahs.

These objects come from a variety of countries and periods, dating as early as 1600 and as recently as 1963. They are part of the richest and most varied collection of Jewish decorative arts in the world, and are coming to us from the Jewish Museum in New York.

In addition, on a Friday evening, as part of a special worship service, Rabbi Joseph Gutmann, Associate Professor of Jewish Art History at HUC will speak to us about Jewish art. Sounds exciting. Plan to participate.

New Books in the Temple Library

The Passover Anthology
by Phillip Goodman

Spinoza of Market Street
by Isaac Singer

Judaism and Christianity
Essays by Leo Baeck

The Following Editorial was in the Somerset, Ky. newspaper and we reprint it in our Temple Bulletin in honor of the late Abe Goldenberg.

EPITOMY OF AMERICANISM

Pulaski County lost one of its most prominent and respected businessmen last week with the sudden death of Abe Goldenberg.

The story of his life is the epitomy of Americanism. He came to Somerset some 61 years ago without money, without a family and without a business.

He was blessed with courage, determination and above all, a deep sense of love and respect for his country. He first sold used furniture and his business was so successful that he was able to open a small store on West Mt. Vernon Street. A small, hand-painted sign hung over the doorway. It bore his name, "Goldenberg's." And right over the top of it flew the American flag. In the morning he raised the flag. In the evening he took it down. Always with pride and respect for his country. Patriotism was a part of Abe Goldenberg.

Four years after he came to Somerset he went to Cincinnati where he found and married the woman who literally became his partner in life. Together they worked hard, saved every penny they could, yet both contributed freely and generously with their time and money to make Somerset and Pulaski County a better place in which to live.

Goldenberg Furniture Store grew until it is now considered the largest furniture and appliance store in South Central Kentucky. Abe Goldenberg was a prosperous businessman, but he considered his family his greatest wealth - his wife, his son and his son's family.

Pulaski County will miss Abe Goldenberg. America will miss him, for he was truly an American.

Sisterhood

The Sisterhood Interfaith Meeting is being planned for February 23rd. As part of the program we shall be discussing Jewish Ceremonial Objects for the home. If you have any old or unusual objects of this sort which you might be willing to loan to us for this occasion, please call Barbara Straus, 266-6349.

We wish to thank the following who donated cakes for the Chanuka Carnival: Mrs. Erle Levy, Mrs. Abe Rabiner, Mrs. Warren Rosenthal, Mrs. Ben Shraberg, Mrs. Lawrence Hymes, Mrs. Lawrence Goodman, Mrs. Alex Kovinow, Mrs. Norman Wides, Mrs. Dan Metzler, Mrs. George Pincus, Mrs. Don Pressman, Mrs. Charles Stern, Mrs. Charles Moskowitz, Mrs. Arthur Lieber, Mrs. Ralph Shabetai, Mrs. I.H. Stern, Jr., Miss Gloria Baker and Mrs. Eugene Straus.

An Omission in Year Book

Mrs. Aaron Mason should be listed as Luncheon Chairman for Sisterhood. This is an error we regret.

Brotherhood

The next meeting of the Brotherhood will be on Wednesday evening, January 19, at 6:30 P.M. At that time we shall honor our past presidents:

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RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS



December was a very busy month for our Religious School, as the two above pictures indicate. On the right are some of the students and adults who visited the exhibit of Israeli Art at Doctors Park. On the left is the cast of the play put on for our Senior Assembly by Mr. Norman Wides' Ninth Grade Class. Pictured are: Betty Straus, Doug Stern, Ranelle Rosenstein, Betsy Wides, Bob Stern, Mr. Wides, Betsy Midkler, Bob Scher, Patti Milner, Emily Fields, Terry Wurmsen, David Rubin, Janet Kaplan, Debby Gell and Fred Mayer.

SOME RESOLUTIONS FOR THE NEW YEAR

I will live a decent personal life that will always bring honor and credit to my faith and people.

I will take a greater part in the affairs of my congregation.

I will attend services with my family as often as I can.

I will make my house a Jewish home and I shall make the celebration of the Sabbath and other Jewish holidays a regular experience for my family.

I will give my children a substantial Jewish training.

I will keep up my own Jewish education wherever possible.

I will support my congregation and the great causes of the Jewish community with contributions that correspond with my ability to give.



Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:

Mr. Marvin Bing
Dr. Irving Gail (Hospital in
Boston)

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Surgical Dressing Unit of the American Cancer Society will be held Wednesday, January 18th at Temple Adath Israel at 10:30 a.m. For further information please call Mrs. Barney Miller, 266-4263.

THE TRUSTING HEART BY R. H. Grenville

Not here yet, but expected,
Not present, but enroute,
And clear - how clear! - to the eyes of
faith.

As the bud foreshadows fruit,
As the slowly-paling edge of dark
Foreshadows the coming day,
The trusting heart can always tell
When good is on the way.

There's a lightening of the spirit
Along the edge of doubt;
A heart-song of pure gratitude,
A tender putting out
Of blossoms of expectancy
Like flowers in a wood.
The trusting heart can always sense
The immanence of good.

Contributions

Flower Fund:

From Mrs. H. B. Jacobson in memory of Anna Schwartz.

From Mr. and Mrs. Al Wenneker in memory of Louis Wenneker and Lillian Greenberg.

From Dr. Maurice Kaufmann in memory of Benjamin B. Kaufmann.

Sabbath Social Hostesses

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Dr. Sherman Miller

Yahrzeit



Marie Salmon	Armand R. Hecht
Dr. J.M. Fine	Jack Kann
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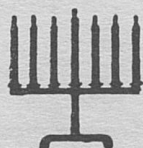
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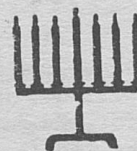
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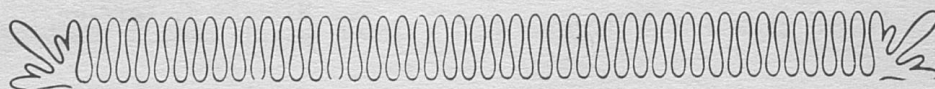
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The Sabbath Theme

The third section of our series on the Prayer Book will deal with interpretation of prayer - what the words mean or ought to mean to us. It will also consider changes in our worship service which might be contemplated.

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:
Mr. James Wencker

CHOIR REHEARSAL
Wednesday January 19
7:30 P. M.

There will be an important meeting of the worship committee on Tuesday, January 25, 1966 at 8:00 P.M. at the Temple. Every member is urged to be present.

Rabbi's Message

At a recent meeting of our Religious School teachers, at which we discussed classroom procedure, methods of presentation, and material to be covered, I was just delighted with the enthusiasm and interest which I found. I had intended for the meeting to last for only a short while, and yet there was no indication by the teachers that they wanted to conclude our session when I thought the time was up. So we stayed and continued to probe the problems before us.

This kind of attitude among our staff is most heartwarming. They want to be as well equipped and prepared to teach your children as possible. They want to understand so that they may convey this understanding to others.

However, as I consider this process, I find that frequently we are stymied because of parental attitude. The interests generated in our Religious School children need the support of their parents at home. The ceremonies, the attitudes, the insights of Judaism need to be practiced and encouraged at home.

Religious education cannot be accomplished only in Religious School. It has to be part of the Jewish home too. I hope that you will continue to support us in our efforts by providing positive Jewish homes in which your children will be able to see a connection between what we teach as Jewish and what you do as Jewish.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS

On January 9th Mrs. Aaron Mason visited us. She brought slides on Jewish Art through the ages which were shown to Mrs. Fannie Miller's 9th grade class. Mrs. Mason narrated the history and descriptions of these slides which are the property of Hadassah. They covered synagogue art and other areas of art interest.

We of the Religious School staff are just parents too. On Sunday mornings we get up early, dress presentably, get our own children fed and dressed and arrive here by 9:15 a.m. How about you?

Temple Youth Group

At our last meeting, held on January 9, 1966, our guest speaker was Rev. Peoples, the local head of the NAACP. He was introduced by Joy Sapoznick, study chairman of the TYG. Rev. Peoples addressed us on Civil Rights.

The Nashiri is expanding in order to be of more service to the Temple. We will begin this new undertaking on Sunday, January 23, 1966. We will, at that time, serve eggs (15¢ a serving), cold cereal (10¢) as well as do-nuts and milk (as usual).

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Planning for the Delegate Conclave is moving ahead rapidly. Keep the date May 13 - 15 on your calendar.

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HADASSAH DISCUSSION GROUP

The Hadassah Discussion Group has postponed their meeting until Thursday, January 27, 1966 at 8:00 P.M. at the home of Mrs. Theodore Sobkov 1536 Alexandria Drive - Apt. 7A.

Discussion will be based on the recent article in Harpers Magazine, entitled Jews in Exile written by David Ben Gurion and will be led by Mrs. Franklin Moosnick.

Reprints of this article are available to group members and interested persons who wish to join. For reprint call Mrs. Theodore Sobkov (Joni) 277-7878 or Mrs. Joseph Krislov (Evelyn) 266-2229.

INFORMAL

FOLK DANCE GROUP

STARTING

SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 1966

8 P.M. - 10 P.M.

In SYNAGOGUE AUDITORIUM

For beginners, experts, and "Used-to-do-its" --- Open to all adults in city
Singles or Couples

For further information call:

Mrs. Joseph Krislov (Evelyn)
266-2229

Mrs. Stanley Saxe (Judy)
277-9077

NEW BOOK

TEMPLE LIBRARY

The Growth of Reform Judaism
..... by W. Gunther Plaut

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Mr. Nathan Morris
Mr. David Paritz



IN MEMORIAM

Mr. Thomas Hamburg
January 5, 1966
Philadelphia, Pa.
(Father of Dr. Joseph Hamburg)

Yahrzeit



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Samuel Goldenberg	Rebecca Effron
Mrs. Robert Waterman	Fanny Goldberg
Morgan Frumberg Miller	

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Barney Miller Memorial Fund

From the Weisenbergs and the Zuc-
kermans in memory of the mother of the
Zackem Family of Louisville, Ky.

From Mr. and Mrs. N. Zuckerman in
memory of the father of Mr. and Mrs. L.
Abraham of Louisville, Ky.

From Mr. and Mrs. David Doctrow
in memory of the grandmother of Mr. and
Mrs. B. Goldfarb of Cincinnati, Ohio

From Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Stern, Sr.
in memory of Louis Abraham.

Rabbi's Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Howard House in
memory of Mrs. Jennie Cohen.

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rett in appreciation for the Union-
gram sent to them honoring their mar-
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Flower Fund

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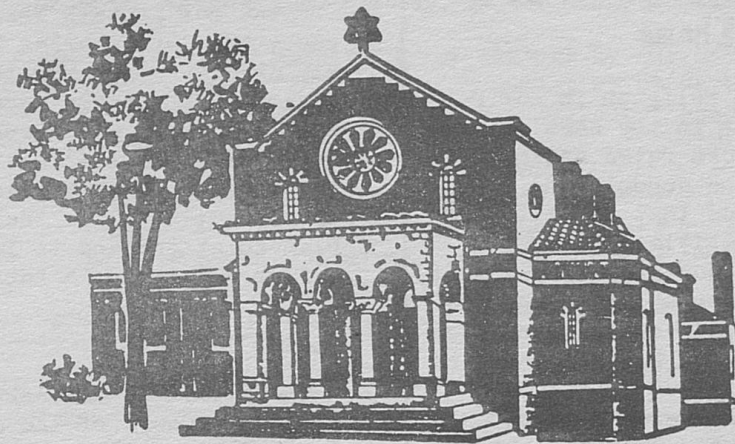
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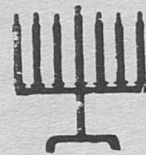
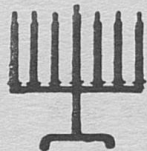
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 28, 8:00 P.M.

Rabbi William J. Leffler

will discuss

The Prostitution of Religion

Mrs. Michael Ades will kindle the Sabbath Candles

Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service

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The Sabbath Theme

The subject of religion in our Public Schools has been in the news recently. The Supreme Court ruled against voluntary prayers in the schools and Mr. Dirksen has announced that he will make an effort to have legislation negating the Supreme Court's decision. What sort of answer can be given by those who are concerned for the religious life of our children but who do not believe that the public school has a place in this picture; what sort of answer can be given that is indicative of a positive commitment?

NEXT SABBATH -

At our Sabbath Worship on February 4th, Dr. Charles Schwartz and Mr. Stanley Rose, who represented the congregation at the recent UAHC Biennial Assembly, will report on their impressions of this meeting and the insights which they gained. A discussion will follow their remarks. Plan to attend and to learn more about Reform Judaism on a national level.

There will be a teacher's meeting for the teachers of the Junior Assembly on Sunday, February 6th at 12:00.

Rabbi's Message

This past Friday I concluded a series of three sermons dealing with our prayer book, giving a bit of its history, the organization of the prayer book and finally a critique of its contexts.

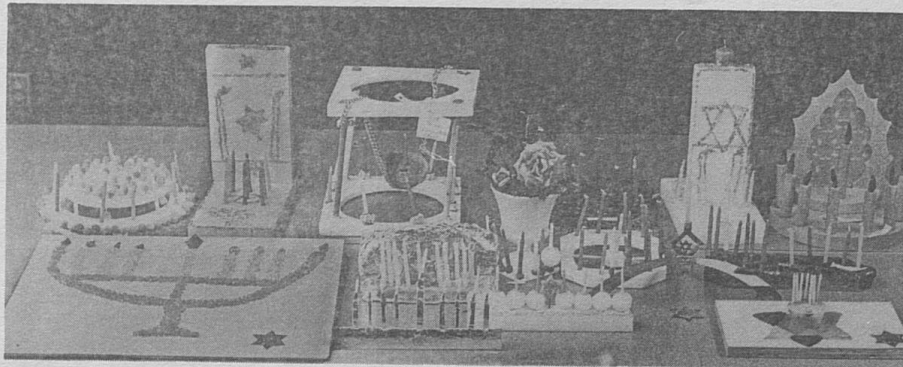
In the last sermon I considered some of the shortcomings when we confront prayers. I had this sermon mimeographed and sent to the members of the Worship Committee so that they might consider it at their meeting this week.

Admittedly I did this as a challenge to them. Some of them are seldom seen in our sanctuary on Friday evenings. Others are regular attenders. But these are the persons whom the congregation has charged with the responsibility of our worship routines. Therefore I consider it only proper that they be the ones to give the most serious consideration to my words of critique; that they be the ones who give the first thought to changes which might occur, that they be the ones who discuss the place of worship in our congregation.

Look in your year book and see who the members of the Worship Committee are. And ask them what they are doing as members of this committee.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS



In an earlier bulletin we announced the winners of our Hanukkah Menorah Contest. The above photo is of some of the menorahs which were entered in the contest. Notice the variety and skill which our Religious School children exhibited in their efforts.

Watch for the coming issues of "Keeping Posted." The 7th through 10th grades receive this excellent magazine. Mr. Norman Wides' 10th grade has accepted the challenge of answering a given question. Their reports plus a picture of the class will be in a coming issue. Parents ask your children to loan you their copies. You'll enjoy them!

Adult Education



The third session of our current adult education series dealing with Basic Judaism will meet in the Library this coming Thursday at 7:30 P.M. The assignment for the class is Chapter 6 of the text.

On Friday, February 25th, Rabbi Joseph Gutmann, Associate Professor of Jewish Art History at HUC will speak to us on the subject, "Is There a Jewish Art"? Rabbi Gutmann is the author of Jewish Ceremonial Art, published by Thomas Yoseloff in 1964. His talk will be in conjunction with our display of Jewish Home Ceremonial Arts, which we shall have on loan from the Jewish Museum in New York City. Rabbi Gutmann's book is in our Temple Library.

The NCCJ Annual Brotherhood Dinner is to be held on Thursday, February 10 at 6:30 P.M. at the Springs Motel. The guest speaker will be Dr. David Hyatt, executive Vice President of NCCJ. Dr. Irving Gail will be presented with the Annual Brotherhood Award. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Howard Curry, 839 Albany Road - Phone 277-6064 or 277-2213 at \$3.50 per person.

Correction for Year Book

The Myron Zuckerman's have moved to Lexington and are living at 3028 Stanford Drive. Telephone - 278-4678.

Neil Marks is not Co-Chairman of the Study Group within the Temple Youth Group as printed in the Year Book.

The Kenneth Gersons' were omitted from the Year Book. Their address is 300 Thistleton Circle. Telephone number is 278-4474.



We welcome to our congregational family Mr. Steven P. Craft of 115 Zandale Drive. Mr. Craft is associated with Bobbie Brooks and comes to Lexington from Brookline, Mass.

We also welcome Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Edelstein of 102 Greenbriar Road. Dr. Edelstein is a resident at the University Hospital.

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:
Mrs. Leonard Siegel



IN MEMORIAM

Mr. Abraham J. Feinberg

Jan. 15, 1966

Rochville Centre

Long Island, N.Y.

(Brother of Mrs. Leo Michaels)

Religion and Conduct

Religion is not so much knowledge of God as godly living. What distinguishes a religion from a system of science or philosophy is its concern with man's behavior. Theories of reality are vital to it only to the degree to which they help transform the lives of men and to affect their conduct....

Unless religion affects human life and conduct, it is of small worth.

Samuel S. Cohon,

Judaism: A Way of Life

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Mrs. Julius Effron.

To the Rabbi's Fund from Anonymous.

Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guests for Friday, January 28.
will be:

Mr. Robert Miller

Mr. Jack Miller

Sabbath Social Hostesses

Sabbath Social Hostesses for
Friday, January 28 will be Mrs.
Louis Ades, Mrs. Michael Ades, Mrs.
Franklin Moosnick and Mrs. George
Pincus.

Ushers

Ushers for Friday, January 28 will
be:

Mr. George Paritz

Mr. I. A. Paritz

Yahrzeit



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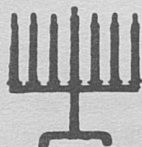
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Sabbath Eve Services



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Impressions of the UAHC Biennial Assembly

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The Sabbath Theme

The President and First Vice President of our congregation were our delegates to the Biennial Assembly of the UAHC in San Francisco this past November. It was a stimulating and thought provoking convention. They will report to us on their experiences and reactions, and the congregation will be afforded an opportunity to question them about what occurred at the meeting.

NEW BOOK TEMPLE LIBRARY

The Bible SpeaksHella Taubes

Sisterhood

The Sisterhood Interfaith Meeting is being planned for February 23rd. As part of the program we shall be discussing Jewish Ceremonial Objects for the home. If you have any old or unusual objects of this sort which you might be willing to loan to us for this occasion, please call Barbara Straus, 266-6349.

Thanks and Appreciation

to Mrs. Alfred Strauss who substituted for Mrs. Leonard Siegel in the lighting of the Sabbath Candles at Sabbath Service on January 21st.

Rabbi's Message

Kentucky now has a Civil Rights Bill, a bill which is a bit more specific than the federal act and which permits the citizens of Kentucky to apply the concepts of Civil Rights to our own problems of discrimination.

As I look at the subject, it strikes me that most Americans do not know what a "public accommodation" is. We still think in terms of a "semi-private" facility. However when one hangs out a sign advertising a service, whether it be food, lodging, amusement or anything else, he per force foregoes certain privileges of selecting his clientele, and may use only three criteria, criteria over which his customer has immediate control - adequate funds, suitable dress, and proper deportment. Any other criteria renders the place no longer "public."

The American people have never really accepted this approach to public accommodations. We have traditionally wanted to retain the freedom of selectivity which we have in choosing our friends and associates. But now we are beginning to learn that this attitude is no longer acceptable. Admittedly it is not an easy lesson to learn, for it strikes deeply at long-held attitudes, however it is a lesson which we shall have to learn if our nation is to overcome the discrimination of the past and begin to treat all of its citizens as equal in the sight of God.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

Adult Education



The one major non-Lexington speaker sponsored by our Adult Education Committee this year (next year we hope to have more) will be Dr. Joseph Gutmann of the Hebrew Union College, who will speak on the subject "Is There A Jewish Art?" Dr. Gutmann is also associated with the University of Cincinnati and has lectured at Antioch College. He has contributed articles to numerous journals dealing with Jewish art.

Dr. Gutmann will be with us on Friday, February 25th. Join us in worship and remain for a fascinating lecture on Jewish Art, accompanied by illustrative slides.

The fourth session of our current Adult Education series on Basic Judaism will be held at Temple on February 3rd, at 7:30 P.M. in the Max Berman Memorial Library. The assignment for that evening will be pages 116 to 125 in our text.

The NCCJ Annual Brotherhood Dinner is to be held on Thursday, February 10 at 6:30 P.M. at the Springs Motel. The guest speaker will be Dr. David Hyatt, executive Vice President of NCCJ. Dr. Irving Gail will be presented with the Annual Brotherhood Award. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Howard Curry, 839 Albany Road - Phone 277-6064 or 277-2213 at \$3.50 per person.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS

Teacher's meetings should bring a special medal, not only to the participating teachers, but to the families of the teachers whose Sunday dinner hour is upset.

At these meetings all troubling thoughts and ideas are discussed. Valuable background material is presented and the teachers in general, find this an important time.

During a recent discussion which was based on adult education, a teacher stated: "I have to be educated before I can educate my children. For this I can make the time."

Families of teachers, we thank you for your patience and understanding.

There will be a teachers' meeting for the teachers of the Junior Assembly on Sunday, February 6th at 12:00.



Mrs. Harold Baker announces that a number of soft cover books are now available through the Temple Judaica Shop. The following are the titles of books now in stock:

Art and Religion	Vogt
The Comparisons of Religions	Zaehner
Europe and the Jews	Hay
From Jesus to Paul	Klausner
Messianic Speculation in Israel	Silver
Jesus of Nazareth	Klausner
Liberties of an American	Pfeffer
Oldest Stories in the World	Gaster
Passover	Gaster
The Pharisees	Herford
A Preface to Morals	Lippmann
Prejudice and Your Child	Clark
Spinoza and the Rise of Liberalism	Feuer
Standing Room Only	Sax
Why I Am A Jew	Pool

Ushers

Ushers for Friday, February 4 will be:

Mr. David Passell

Dr. George Pincus

Congratulations

on the engagement of Miss Judy Lynn Cassell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cassell, to Robert Sweazy of Lexington. The wedding will take place on June 19, 1966.

to Mr. James Frankel who received the EARS award from the Executive Audial Rehabilitation Society at a dinner held January 31st in Washington, D. C.

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:
Joan Meyer

The history of the world is none other than the progress of the consciousness of freedom.

---Friedrich Hegel

What all men are really after is some form, or perhaps only some formula of peace.

---Joseph Conrad

Contributions

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From Mr. and Mrs. I. Allen Paritz in memory of Abraham J. Feinberg.

Rabbi's Fund:

From Mrs. Leo Michaels in memory of her brother, Abraham J. Feinberg.

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Flower Fund:

From Mr. Robert Waterman in memory of Mrs. Rachel Waterman.

Barney Miller Memorial Fund:

From Mr. and Mrs. David Doctrow in memory of Mr. Smith Morris and Mr. Thomas Hamburg.

Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guests for Friday, February 4 will be:

Mr. Michael Lerner

Mr. Herman Straus

Sabbath Social Hostesses

Sabbath Social Hostesses for Friday, February 4 will be Mrs. Charles Stern, Mrs. Al Balows, Mrs. Saul Rubin and Mrs. Donald Pressman.

Yahrzeit

Sarah Lee Epstein

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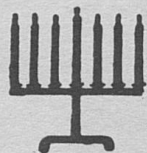
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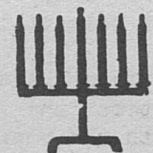
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February 11, 1966



1965 - 5726 Sabbath Eve Services



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 8:00 P.M.

Rabbi William J. Leffler

will discuss

Looking Toward Our Future

Mrs. Dan Metzler will kindle the Sabbath Candles
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The Sabbath Theme

One reads from time to time about the Vanishing American Jew. How accurate are the reports? And what is meant by vanishing? Is it just numbers, or is there more involved? It is worth considering.

Rabbi's Message

At the recent meeting of the Worship Committee, a good bit of time was devoted to a discussion of changes in our worship service, not really radical changes, but changes that might alter the routineness of our services and at the same time hopefully would add depth of meaning for the individual worshipper. They would not occur every Sabbath, but only from time to time.

This Friday evening I should like to attempt the first of these variations with the congregation. One might call it a Reform orthodox service. We shall approach the Union Prayer Book in a traditional manner - each worshipper praying on his own behalf, with the leader merely there to keep the congregation generally together.

There is no way of telling what will occur - whether the prayers will take on new meaning for us or whether we will have mass confusion. But it is worth an attempt. Worship with us this Friday evening. Together let us see what happens.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NEWS

We wish to thank the Marcus family in Frankfort for calling the other people in their town on our recent snow days.

Adult Education

The final session of the current Adult Education series is postponed until February 24th because of conflicting community dates.

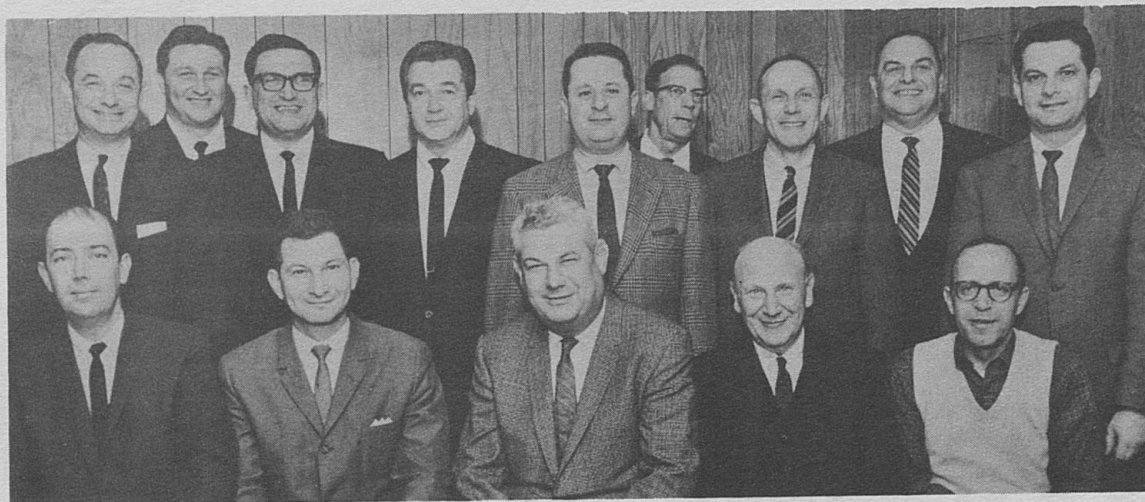


And on the 25th, Dr. Joseph Gutmann, of the Hebrew Union College will speak to us on the subject: Is There a Jewish Art?

In conjunction with Dr. Gutmann's talk, we shall have an exhibit of Jewish Ceremonial Objects of the Home, on loan from the Jewish Museum in New York. The exhibit includes such things as Seder plates, marriage rings, Dreidles, Mezzuzahs, Amulets - a total of 31 different items.

Save Friday evening, February 25th for this special Sabbath on Jewish Art.

Brotherhood



The above photograph shows most of the past Presidents of our Temple Brotherhood who were honored at the most recent meeting. Shown, left to right in the front row are Stanley Scher, Charles Stern (Present President), Ernst Rosenzweig, Leo Michaels, Norman Wides. In the second row - Dr. Sanford Lowenthal, James Wenneker, Dr. Charles Schwartz, Edward Kessler, Robert Mickler, Al Strauss, Jr., Max Kavinow, Stanley Rose, and Irvin Stern, Jr.

As part of the reminiscing about the early years of Brotherhood, Stanley Rose, the first President described some of early achievements, including the origins of our Hanukkah Carnival, as a Brotherhood function, under the impetus of the late Ben Cohen.

The next Brotherhood meeting will be a joint meeting with the Sisterhood, on Wednesday evening, February 16th at 6:30 P.M. in the Temple Vestry. It will be a dinner meeting followed by a program put on by members of our Temple Youth Group. Save the date and join with our Sisterhood for the evening!

Sisterhood

The Sisterhood Board Meeting will be held Monday, February 14th at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Eugene Straus, 212 Culpepper Road.

Sisterhood-Brotherhood Joint Meeting will be held February 16th at 6:30 P.M. in the Temple Vestry. Our Temple Youth Group will provide the program. Plan to attend. Please make reservations by February 14th with Jo Ann Miller, 266-8627.

Justice is truth in action.

....Benjamin Disraeli

NEW BOOKS

A Child's First Bible

Arranged by Sidney Brichto

Lillian Wald, The Nurse in Blue

by Sally Rogow

I Believe

Edited by Rabbi Berkowitz

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The Surgical Dressing Unit of the American Cancer Society will have their meeting February 16 at 10:30 a.m. at Temple Adath Israel. For further information please call Mrs. Irvin Stern, Sr., 266-4456.

Ushers

Ushers for Friday, February 11 will be:

Mr. Donald Pressman
Mr. Isadore Robinson

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:
Larry Scher



We welcome to the congregational family Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Barrett, 2017 St. Michael Drive. Charles, the son of our members, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Barrett, is an account executive at WLAP. Their home phone is 266-7031.

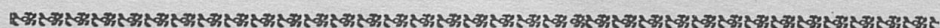


HADASSAH DISCUSSION GROUP

The Hadassah Discussion Group will meet on Thursday, February 24th at the home of Mrs. Sheldon Rovin, 341 Jesselin Drive at 8:00 P.M.

The book to be discussed is Life Is With People by Zborowski and Herzog. Mrs. R. Siegel will lead the discussion.

For further information, contact Mrs. T. Sobkov (277-7878) or Mrs. J. Krislov (266-2229)



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From Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence I. Goodman in memory of Abraham J. Feinberg, brother of Mrs. Leo Michaels.

Rabbi's Fund:

From Mr. and Mrs. Howard House in memory of Mrs. Alex Cohen, mother of Mrs. House.

Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guests for Friday, February 11 will be:

Mr. Ed Wides
Mr. David Weil

Sabbath Social Hostesses

Sabbath Social Hostesses Friday, February 11 will be Mrs. Sam Chatoff, Mrs. Ben Miller and Mrs. I.A. Miller.

Yahrzeit



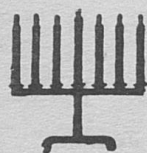
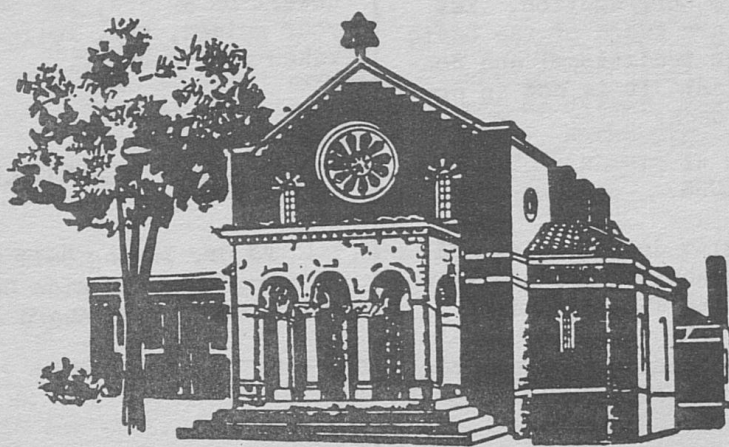
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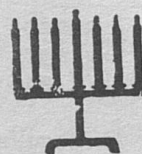
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will discuss

What Makes Reform Judaism Reform

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The Sabbath Theme

We are a Reform Congregation. Yet how many members are aware of the basic difference between traditional and non-traditional Judaism? It is not in practice, but in approach.

FAILURE

The men who try to do something and fail are infinitely better than those who try to do nothing and succeed.

....Lloyd Jones

IDEALS

Life's ideals are like stars, you'll not succeed in touching them with your hand, but like the seafaring men of the desert of waters, you choose them as your guides, and, following them, you reach your destiny.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS

To Dr. Irving Gail on his receiving the Lexington Chapter of NCCJ Brotherhood Award for this year.

Rabbi's Message

A moment of deep religious significance may occur at any time in life and in the most unexpected situations. This past week I experienced one of them, which I should like to share with you.

It occurred in the chapel of the Public Service Hospital, where the Jewish patients were assembled for a special evening service. This in itself was unusual for them, but the importance of the event was heightened because our Temple choir was present too and was providing the music for the worship.

Perhaps it was the moment of reverence, perhaps it was the beauty with which our choir sang, perhaps it was the contrast between the drabness of the setting and the beauty of our Jewish music, perhaps it was some other factor, but the experience of that evening is one which moved me beyond measure, for which I am deeply grateful to the members of our choir - Anita Baker, Phyllis Fried, Kay Hamm, Marilyn Lieber, Marie Mayer, Joanne Miller, Audrey Rubin, Pat Wenneker, Rudy Von Almen, and Theresa Leybach, a sophomore at Lafayette High School, who joined us for the evening.

Words cannot fully express the mood of that evening. But permit me to try in this small way, and to thank those who made it possible.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

ADULT EDUCATION



Above are a few of the objects which will be part of the display of Jewish Ceremonial Art which will be on exhibit in the Temple Vestry from February 21 to March 9. From left to right are: Spice container in fruit form, silver, Holland, 19th c., Mesuzah, on parchment, container silver, Vienna, 1789, Kiddush Cup, used in the family of Edward Strauss, silver, Nuremberg, ca. 1795, and Tefillin case, silver filagree, Russia, 1850. The exhibit is on loan to us from the Jewish Museum in New York City.

In conjunction with the display, Dr. Joseph Gutmann, of the Museum at the Hebrew Union College will lecture to the congregation after worship services on February 25th on the subject: "Is There A Jewish Art?"

The next session in our current Adult Education series will be on February 24th at 7:30 P.M. in the Library. The assignment for that evening will be pages 59-90 in our text.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The second grade is sponsoring a Tu B'shevat tree contest. A large tree with the name of the class buying the most trees per student will be placed on the bulletin board and its picture will be in the Temple bulletin. Each tree costs \$2.00 but any portion of a tree can be purchased for as little as ten cents. Bring your money next week to send to 2nd grade for your trees.

Informality of dress is not acceptable on Sunday mornings. The children go into the Sanctuary as part of their morning. Little boys should have some form of suit coat or jacket and tie if possible. The coat need not be worn during class time but it should certainly be put on before going to worship service. Slacks on little girls are not acceptable either.

The senior assembly people have made us very proud. They have dressed appropriately and conducted themselves with dignity. A tribute of sincere affection to these young Fellow Jews who are keeping our standards high and our reputation at the top.

Sybil Stern
Principal

NEW BOOK

TEMPLE LIBRARY

Contract With God.....

by Walter E. and Fay Sand Reed

No other book has so well answered the need presented by two of the most significant developments of our time: the rekindling of all faiths; and the move towards greater understanding between Christianity and Judaism. The authors have written out of their firm conviction that only by going to the original source - the Hebrew Bible - can Christian and Jew alike understand what is the essence of Judaism, devoid of the outer trappings so often mistaken for that exence.



IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Stella Kaufmann
Louisville, Ky.
February 1, 1966
(Sister of Mrs. Milton Baer)

SISTERHOOD

Weather Forecast:

March May Come In Like a Lion
But Will Go Out With a Lark

Get your coat and get your hat and drag out that umbrella...no to mention your party clothes and your favorite dancing shoes. Sisterhood's annual Springtime dinner dance theme this year is "April Showers Bring May Flowers."

Rain or shine, happy dancing feet will pitter patter to the shining rhythm of Dave Parry and his all-weather orchestra, from 7 o'clock on Saturday night, March 26th, at Holiday Inn East.

It's sure to be as gay and gala an affair as always, and, if you just can't wait to reserve your tickets (no rainchecks accepted), call Madelyne Strauss, 266-8163 or Bea Milner, 277-6570 right away.

The tickets are just \$15, \$10 for a pair of students, and \$25 pays for a donor set of stubs. A delicious dinner is included in the price.

"April Showers Bring May Flowers," but March is the time to waltz ---or watusi ---into Spring.

The Cosmopolitan Club which consists of the foreign students at the University of Kentucky will serve an International dinner, an exotic menu, to raise funds for scholarships. There will also be a bazaar.

A committee from Sisterhood will assist the International Woman's Club in preparing the dinner on February 19, 1966. Hours-5 to 7 P.M., at the Henry Clay Cafeteria. Adults \$1.00, children, 75¢. Phone Mrs. Farra Van Meter 266-1407 for tickets. Come for dinner prior to the Follies.

Temple Youth Group

The Youth Group held its last meeting on Sunday, February 6th. The program for the meeting was a discussion centered around God and prayer. The members separated into study groups led by Bob and Penny Miller.

The next Youth Group meeting is scheduled for February 20th at 5:30 P.M.

The program committee, headed by Janet Adelstein and Joy Bolotin has planned and are to present the program for the joint Brotherhood-Sisterhood meeting.

The following members of the Youth Group attended the OVFTY regional conclave in Indianapolis: David Rose, Joyce Rosenberg, Jim Levenson, Laura Wides, Frances Moskowitz, Randy Waldman, Alan Lubin, David Rosenberg, Mark Rubin and Sandee Levy. Jack Miller, advisor, accompanied the group.

The expanded Nashiri is open each Sunday morning prior to Sunday School. The items available and costs are as follows:

Eggs(2)	15¢
Donut(1)	10
Chocolate Milk	10¢
White-Milk	.07
Coffee	.07

The planning for the OVFTY Delegates Conclave is moving along at full steam according to the co-chairmen, David Rose, Randy Waldman and Joyce Rosenberg.

This summer send your child to the Union Camp Institute in Zionsville, Ind. The camp offers a unique summer camping experience in a Jewish setting for boys and girls 9 thru 14 years of age. The sessions run from June 22 to July 10, and July 11 to July 31. The camp is a service to the member congregations affiliated with the Ohio Valley Council, Union of American Congregations. For further information, contact Jack Miller, 266-4643.

"Do You Just Belong ...?"

Are you an active member,
The kind that would be missed?
Or are you just contented
That your name is on the list?

Do you attend the meetings
And mingle with the crowd,
Or do you stay at home
And crab both long and loud?

Do you take an active part
To help the 'Sisterhood' along
Or are you satisfied to be
The kind that "Just belong?"

Do you ever go to visit
A member that is sick;
Or leave the work for just a few
And talk about the "Clique?"

There's quite a program scheduled
That means success, if done,
And it can't well be accomplished
By any one member alone.

So attend the meetings regularly
And help with hand and heart,
Don't be just a member
But take an active part.

Think this over, Member,
Are we right or are we wrong,
Are you an active member
Or do you just belong?

(Exchange)

I have never felt that we should attempt to use the great impulse towards God and towards religion, which all people feel as an element in a cold war struggle.

Rather it is not an arm, it is the essence of the issue -- not the organization of economy so much, but as the supremacy of moral law, and therefore, the right of the individual, his right to be protected by the state and not be at the mercy of the state.

--John F. Kennedy



Mrs. Harold Baker announces that a number of soft cover books are now available through the Temple Judaica Shop. The following are the titles of books now in stock:

Art and Religion	Vogt
The Comparisons of Religions	Zaehner
Europe and the Jews	Hay
From Jesus to Paul	Klausner
Messianic Speculation in Israel	Silver
Jesus of Nazareth	Klausner
Liberties of an American	Pfeffer
Oldest Stories in the World	Gaster
Passover	Gaster
The Pharisees	Herford
A Preface to Morals	Lippmann
Prejudice and Your Child	Clark
Spinoza and the Rise of Liberalism	Feuer
Standing Room Only	Sax
Why I Am A Jew	Pool



Couples' Club

Efforts are now under way to organize a Couples' Club under the auspices of the Temple. The first get-together will be on Saturday evening, March 12 at 7:15 P.M.. It will be a box supper--anything eatable and packageable to swap with someone else - but no desert. Coffee and dessert will be served during intermission in the surprise entertainment.

Cost for the evening will be fifty cents. Men - no neck ties; women - only slacks.

If you would like to help in this effort - call Alberta Gerson whose number is 278-4474.

Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guests for Friday, February 18 will be:

Mr. Ken Mayer
Mr. Elliott Marcus

Sabbath Social Hostesses

Sabbath Social Hostesses for Friday, February 18, will be Mrs. Edwin Wolff, Mrs. Nathan Herman, Mrs. William Rosenthal, and Mrs. Joseph Goldberg.

Ushers

Ushers for Friday, February 18 will be:

Mr. Abe Rabiner
Mr. Stanley Rose

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:

Mrs. Irving Kanner

Yahrzeit



Jacob Klein
Sam Rozen
Bertha Mintz

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Rabbi's Fund

From Mrs. Bernard C. Rosenberg of Gastonia, N.C. in memory of Mrs. Lillian Greenberg.

From Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Levy in honor of Harold and Anita Baker's twentieth wedding anniversary

From Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Levy in memory of Abraham J. Feinberg, brother of Mrs. Leo Michaels.

TYG Scholarship Fund

From a friend

Braille Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marks in memory of Mrs. Lillian Greenberg.

From Mrs. J. D. Weil in memory of Mrs. Stella Kaufmann, sister of Mrs. Milton Baer.

Flower Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Mark Halleck in memory of Lisa L. Halleck.

Silver Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Fox of Hollywood, Florida in honor of the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker.

YES Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence I. Goodman in memory of Mrs. Lillian Greenberg.

From Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence I. Goodman in memory of Mr. Louis Rubin.

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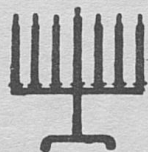
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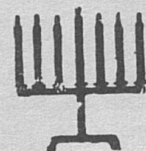
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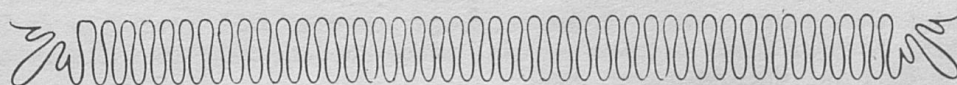
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1966 8 P.M.

Rabbi Joseph Gutmann

will speak on:

Is There A Jewish Art?

Mrs. Kenneth Gerson will kindle the Sabbath Candles
Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service



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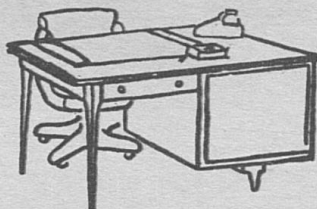
TREASURER: Dr. Saul Rubin

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The
Sabbath
Theme



Rabbi Joseph Gutmann, Director of the Museum at the Hebrew Union College will be our guest this Friday evening, and will lecture to us on the topic of Jewish Art. This special Sabbath on Jewish Art will also feature a magnificent collection of ritual objects for the Jewish home, on loan from the Jewish Museum in New York City.



Mah Jongg membership's extra cards and supplies may be ordered through The Judaica Shop. This is another convenience offered by Sisterhood. Please contact Mrs. Harold Baker whose number is 266-8675 for these articles.

FROM WHERE I SIT

By Rabbi William J. Leffler

A Synagogue in Baltimore, Maryland, which established an art gallery as part of its congregational facilities, explained this new aspect of their program in this way: "The Art Gallery can become one of the most significant projects in the program of the contemporary American Synagogue, (serving) the Synagogue as an educational medium." With this view, I am in complete agreement.

Therefore, I am just delighted that our Adult Education Committee has arranged for the exhibit of Jewish Home Ceremonial objects which we now have displayed in our Temple Vestry. They are all breathtakingly beautiful, illustrative of the importance which Jews have placed upon ceremonies of the home - that they should be as meaningful as possible and that a large part of their message is dependent upon the beauty of the objects which are used.

And as if this were not enough, the Adult Education Committee has also arranged for Rabbi Joseph Gutmann, of the Hebrew Union College to speak to us this Friday evening on the broad subject of Jewish Art. I know Rabbi Gutmann personally, and in addition to his being a charming person, he is also one of the leading authorities on Jewish Art in our country at present. I am certain that his lecture (which will include illustrative slides) will be a highlight of our congregational year.

I hope that every member of our congregation will take advantage of this opportunity to hear Rabbi Gutmann as well as to see the exhibit while we have it here - that is, through March 9th.

ADULT EDUCATION



Dr. Joseph Gutmann

Dr. Joseph Gutmann is Associate Professor of Jewish Art History at the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, Cincinnati, Ohio. Ordained rabbi by the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, Cincinnati, in 1957, he had previously taken a master's degree at the New York University-Institute of Fine Arts. His master's thesis, an outstanding authority on Medieval art, dealt with the relationship between early Jewish and Christian art.

Dr. Gutmann is the author of *Judische Zeremonialkunst*, Ner Tamid Verlag, 1963; *Jewish Ceremonial Art*, Thomas Yoseloff, 1964, and *Images of the Jewish Past*, An Introduction to Medieval Hebrew Miniatures, Society of Jewish Bibliophiles, 1965.

He is a member of the Central Conference of American Rabbis, Beta Gamma Sigma Honorary Society and the College Art Association of America.

During World War II, Dr. Gutmann served as interrogator and research analyst with the United States Strategic Bombing Survey in Europe. He is married and has two children.

The next session in our current Adult Education series will be on February 24th at 7:30 P.M. in the Library. The assignment for that evening will be pages 59-90 in our text.

COUPLES' CLUB

Plans are progressing for the Couples' Club's first big affair on March 12th in the Vestry - a box supper - anything eatable and packageable to swap with someone else. Coffee and dessert will be served.

Date -- March 12, 1966

Time -- changed from previous announcement - 8:00 P.M.

Attire -- Men: Sportswear - no neckties)

Women: Slacks or skirts
(also something on top.

Tariff - -Fifty cents per person
One dollar per couple

Entertainment - Surprise!!!
Fun!!!

For reservations or further information - call Alberta Gerson, 278-4474.

Temple Youth Group



This summer send your child to the Union Camp Institute in Zionsville, Ind. The camp offers a unique summer camping experience in a Jewish setting for boys and girls 9 thru 14 years of age. The sessions run from June 22 to July 10, and July 11 to July 31. The camp is a service to the member congregations affiliated with the Ohio Valley Council, Union of American Congregations. For further information, contact Jack Miller, 266-4643.



Only take heed to thyself
lest thou forget the things which
thine eyes have seen

And make them known to thy childrer
and to thy children's children.

.. Ginzberg

Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guests for Friday, February 25 will be:

Dr. Irving Gail
Dr. Arthur Lieber

Sabbath Social Hostesses

Sabbath Social Hostesses for Friday, February 25 will be:

Mrs. Barney Miller
Mrs. Harry Miller
Mrs. Lloyd Mayer
Mrs. William Michalove

Best Wishes

for a speedy recovery to

Mr. Irvin Levy

Sisterhood

Sisterhood has a new project and We'd like your aid. For your cleaned clothing and good household items, we will be paid.

Nice clothing and articles in good repair,
We're hoping with us you'll gladly share.
If you haven't worn it or used it within a year,
Give us a call and let us hear.
The Almost New Shop is our new sales outlet --
So bring articles to the Temple and we'll be set.

Any donation is tax deductible too!!

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Silver Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Herman Straus in honor of Mr. Ben Roos's birthday.

Flower Fund

From Dr. and Mrs. Irving Zapolsky in memory of Bertha Mintz.

From Norine Milen in memory of Sol Miller.

From Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Frankel, Jr in memory of J.N. Frankel, Sr.

Braille Fund

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YES Fund

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Ushers

Ushers for Friday, February 25 will be:

Mr. William Rosenthal
Mr. Warren Rosenthal

Yahrzeit



Sam Rozen
Harry B. Miller
Morris Wasserman
Goldie Marx Strauss
Mrs. Joseph E. Marks
Rabbi Samuel Thurman

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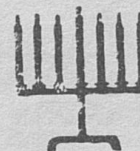
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LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY  
On March 4, 1966



1965 - 5726  
Sabbath Eve Services



FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1966 8 P.M.

Rabbi William J. Leffler

will discuss

An Ancient Beauty Contest

Mrs. Irving Rosenstein will kindle the Sabbath Candles  
Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service



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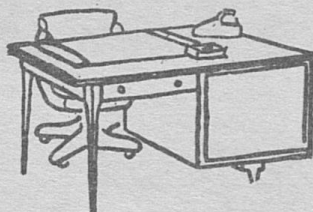
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## The Sabbath Theme



In these days when every girl has an opportunity to become anything from Miss Donut Dunker to Miss Universe, beauty contests are big business. For the most part, a lovely face and appropriate body measurements are the major prerequisites for winning. What were Esther's qualifications?



Purim occurs this Sunday, March 6th and we shall be reading the story of Esther in the Sanctuary that morning. The Religious School will be present, and those with tender ear drums are urged not to attend.

Unfortunately too often the story of Purim is not comprehended by adults; they fail to see its relevance to life even today. Let me point out but a couple of lessons from this ancient book which we are never too old to relearn.

First there is the projection of a reaction toward one person to the group to which he belongs. Haman hated Mordecai and projected his feelings to all of the Jews. Is this not a human failing to which we all fall prey? Think of our stereotypes, our prejudices, our unthinking reactions to other people. How very often our opinions are formed on the basis of limited experience.

And second, consider how self important we can think we are when it is not warranted. Haman thought that Ahasuerus was going to honor him and so dreamed up a fitting means of homage. His idea that he was the only one worthy of being so honored was not justified. Doesn't this happen to us also - that we think we should be singled out for an award, our names mentioned at a ceremony, our accomplishments publicly acclaimed?

While Haman is the villain of our story, his failings are by no means unique. We still are able to learn about life from such unsavory characters.

## TYG News

The Ohio Valley Federation of Temple Youth is trying to, through Top Value and S & H green stamps, buy a service vehicle for the camp in Zionsville, Indiana. To buy this they have asked each youth group to collect 10-15 books of stamps. Any contributions from the congregation would be appreciated. We already have two or three books. Please help. Leave your contributions at the Temple or mail them to David Rubin, 124 Eastin Road.

## FROM WHERE I SIT

By Rabbi William J. Leffler





Shlomo Carlebach To Sing

Shlomo Carlebach, the "singing rabbi who sends tens of thousands into ecstasy", will present a concert here in Lexington on Monday evening, March 14, 1966 at 8:15 P.M. at Ohavey Zion Synagogue. The concert will be jointly sponsored by Temple Adath Israel and the Synagogue.

Shlomo is one of the most picturesque of folksingers. He is an ordained rabbi who left the pulpit five years ago to pursue a career of service through song. He has composed over 200 melodies and has two LP records to his credit. His inspiration is Torah and his appeal is universal.

Admission will be \$1.00. All lovers of folk music are invited. Save the date for an evening of inspiration and sheer delight!!!

## A BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Who: A Couples' Club

When: Sunday, March 12th, 8:00 P.M.

Where: Temple Vestry

What: Just plain fun!

How Much: 50¢ per person

Attire: Men - sportswear  
Women - comfortable clothes

Food: Box suppers to exchange  
(dessert and coffee to be served)

Want to know more-- call Alberta Gerson  
278-4744

**SISTERHOOD  
BOOK LECTURE  
MARCH 16**

12:30 P. M.  
Mrs. Jessie Mason  
Reviews  
"Friday The Rabbi Slept Late"

Plan to save this date!

## Brotherhood To Hear Rev. Leak

The Rev. Donald Leak, Coordinator of Religious Affairs at the University of Kentucky, will be the feature speaker at the next Brotherhood meeting on March 16th. Mr. Leak will talk on the subject: "Some Ground Rules for Inter-faith Dialogue".

Guests of the Brotherhood that evening will be the members of the Inter-Church Bowling League, representing the following churches: Second Presbyterian, Park Methodist, Southern Hills Methodist, Crestwood Christian, Epworth Methodist, Church of The Good Shepherd, Ohavey Zion Synagogue, Central Baptist and Central Christian.

The time is 6:30 P.M. in the Temple Vestry. Dinner will be served. For reservations call:

Mr. Ed Wides - 254-3022

## Thank You

Thanks to Mrs. Max Kovinow, Mrs. Robert Mickler, Mrs. Jack Cohen, and Mrs. Morton Norris for serving as the social hostesses for Friday, February 25th.

## Ushers

Ushers for Friday, March 4, will be:

Mr. Stanley Scher  
Dr. Saul Rubin

## Sabbath Social Hostesses

Sabbath Social Hostesses for Friday, March 4, will be Mrs. Barney Miller, Mrs. Harry Miller, Mrs. Lloyd Mayer and Mrs. William Michalove.

## OUR CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Williams Jr. of Columbia, Tenn. on the birth of Robert III. Mr. Williams is the nephew of Beulah M. Stillwell, our former Temple organist.

## Best Wishes

for a speedy recovery to:

Mrs. James Frankel  
Mrs. Goldie Chasen, mother of  
Mrs. Irving Kanarek.  
Mrs. I. A. Paritz

## Judaica News

Judaica Shop has a purpose - it introduces religious items into the Jewish home and encourages the customs of our tradition by using the articles we have for sale.

We have lovely gifts, new books, and are ready to handle all your orders. Please call Mrs. Harold Baker - 266-8675.

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### YES Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gall in appreciation of the Uniongrams sent to them on the occasion of their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary.

### Rabbi's Fund

From Miss Yettie Epstein in memory of her father and sister.

### Flower Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Paritz in memory of Zelda Alperin.

From Mr. and Mrs. John W. Crawford in memory of Fannie Cohen.

From Mr. and Mrs. George Paritz in memory of Jacob Klein.

## Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guests for Friday, March 4, will be:

Mr. Michael Lerner  
Mr. Herman Straus

## Yahrzeit

Corinne Strauss Stern  
I. Davis  
Sarah Fox Ades  
Leonard Weil  
Jessie Hershenhorn  
Mrs. Ora S. Frankel

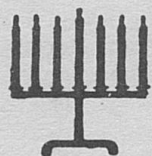
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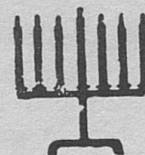
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## 1965 - 5726 Sabbath Eve Services



FRIDAY, March 18, 1966 8 P.M.

Rabbi William J. Leffler

will discuss

Our Sense of Reverence

Mrs. Leonard Lerner will kindle the Sabbath Candles  
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## The Sabbath Theme

In our mass produced society we tend to lose our awareness of holiness and sacredness. Can something be done to re-attune modern man to the concept of reverence?

## Rabbi's Message

The last Saturday of March, our Sisterhood is sponsoring its one major fund raising affair of the year, a dinner dance. This evening deserves the fullest support and participation of every member of the congregation.

Too often we are not sufficiently aware or appreciative of the many things which our Sisterhood does to assist in the functioning of the congregation. I know that I could not possibly enumerate them all, but let us give you just a few.

They have purchased a freezer for the Temple kitchen.

They provide funds for the upkeep of the Temple grounds.

They provide about 20% of the operating budget for our Religious School.

They have a scholarship fund which helps one of our Youth Group members to attend a NFTY Institute.

They provide funds for Braille books.

These and many other projects require the time and the effort of our Sisterhood members. But they also require a sufficient treasury so that they may be properly completed.

Therefore, I urge you to attend the Sisterhood Dance on the 26th, be a donor if you can - but in either case - - Enjoy! Enjoy!

William J. Leffler  
Rabbi

## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

One of the many projects of our Religious School this year is a newspaper, which you will find enclosed in this issue of the Temple Bulletin. The purpose of the paper is to let the parents and other adults of our congregation know what the children of our Religious School are doing. Some of their work is so good that we just cannot help wanting to let others know of it also.

Last month Mrs. Frankel's second grade class held a contest in the Religious School to determine which class could contribute the largest amount percentage-wise to the Bar Kochba Forest Project of the UAHC. Below you see the happy winners - Mrs. Schatz' seventh grade class. They are: Patty Hymson, Lynne Kavinow, David Fine, Faith Miller, Miriam Marcus, Philip Norris, Elaine Levy, Andy Hart, David Levy, Mrs. Schatz, John Mickler (not pictured), Ellen Liebman, and Ricky Lyons.





## SISTERHOOD

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It's getting that time of year when closets are cleaned. If you haven't worn it or used it this year let us have it, (clean) and in good repair. The "Almost New Shop" is our outlet. Articles may be taken to the Temple. If pick up is necessary, please call and we will arrange it for you. We'll give you a receipt for tax purposes too!

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In case you haven't yet gotten around to making your "April Showers Bring May Flowers" Ball reservations....did you know the bill of fare will feature juicy roast of beef, tender fried chicken and elegant Shrimp Newberg? Did you remember that Dave Parry's mellifluous music will fill the halls for the evening? And are you aware that, lovely ladies, devastating decorations and all, the price for the whole gala evening is only \$15 a couple, just \$10 for a couple of students? \$25 makes you a donor.

You can look forward to your big evening of the year, and help out our Sunday School at the same time. Just phone 266-8163 to make your reservations with Madalyne Strauss; 277-6570 to make them with Bea Milner. If you'd rather, you can make them with any of the ticket committee members: Anita Baker, Jayne Bolotin, Rose Brazin, Harriet Cooper, Leah Goodman, Esther Kanner, Mindy Kavinow, Janice Lipton, Judy Levine, Bea Milner, Joanne Miller, Penny Miller, Adaline Moskowitz, Ethel Paritz, Helen Paritz, Freda Roos, Phyliss Scher, Leona Stern, Barbara Straus, Ida Waldman, Bessie Weil, Cookie Wenneker or Marie Winters, who are, incidentally, doing a great job.

Don't make them with either member of the publicity committee, Jane Hart, or Al Strauss whose clever cartoons are almost as much fun as the event they advertise.

"April Showers Bring May Flowers." Here's hoping the "April Showers Bring May Flowers" Springtime affair will bring you out to Holiday Inn East, at 7 P.M. Saturday night, March 26th.

## Adult Education

A second series of Adult Education classes will be held in the library. The topic for consideration will be Reform Judaism, utilizing the text by Rabbi Sylvan Schwartzman, Reform Judaism in the Making.

The course will be held on the last three Thursdays in April, the 14th, the 21st, and the 28th, from 7:30 to 9:00 P. M. Cost will be \$2.50 per person, \$3.00 per couple.

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Please sign me ( and my wife -) up for the course on Reform Judaism, beginning Thursday, April 14th. Enclosed is a check for \_\_\_\_\_.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

## OUR CONGRATULATIONS

to Richard N. Rose, son of Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Rose, who has attained the honor of being placed on the latest Dean's List of the McMicken College of Arts and Sciences, University of Cincinnati.



We welcome to our congregation Dr. and Mrs. Boris Kaim. Dr. Kaim is a resident at the UK Medical Center in the Psychiatry Department. They live at Cooperstown A-106 and have two sons, Samuel, 3½ years and David, 11 months. Their phone is 255-1167.



### NEW BOOKS

The Bible and the Schools  
by William O. Douglas

This very short book is an excellent resume of the Supreme Court's decision on religious rites in the Public Schools and the reasons for their deciding as they did. With our Fayette County Schools still permitting daily Bible readings, despite the Supreme Court's decision, this book ought to be read by every member of the congregation for a better understanding of this practice.



### HEBREW SCHOOL

There will be no Hebrew School for Miss Witzer's class this Thursday, March 17th.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

### Max Berman Library Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Rosenstein in memory of Max Saretsky.

### Flower Fund

From Mr. Stuart J. Yoffe in memory of Mrs. Bernice Yoffe.

### Rabbi's Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wolff in memory of Mother.

From Mrs. Walter S. Frankel in appreciation for Rabbi Leffler's services upon Mr. Frankel's death.

## **Pulpit Guests**

Pulpit Guests for Friday, March 18, 1966 will be:

Mr. William Michalove  
Mr. Robert Mickler

## **Ushers**

Ushers for Friday, March 18, 1966 will be:

Mr. Stuart Silbar  
Mr. Hyman Shraberg

## **Sabbath Social Hostesses**

Sabbath Social Hostesses for Friday, March 18, 1966 will be Mrs. Harry Rosenberg, Mrs. Charles Travis, Mrs. Louis Rosenberg and Mrs. Arthur Meyers.

## **Yahrzeit**

|                   |                |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Jack Neufeld      | Robert Strauss |
| Morris Baker      | I. H. Pollock  |
| Joseph Bing       | Moses Moses    |
| Sophie Bloomfield |                |

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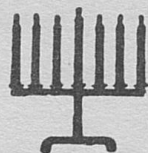
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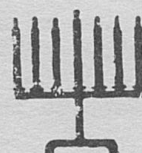
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## 1965 - 5726 Sabbath Eve Services



FRIDAY, March 25, 1966 8 P.M.

Three Sermonettes

on the Topic

A Remnant Shall Return

given by

Amos Benjamin, Sandy Lubin, and David Rosenberg

Mrs. Ralph Shabetai will kindle the Sabbath Candles

Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service



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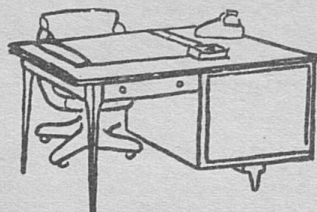
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The  
Sabbath  
Theme



Every year the National Federation of Temple Youth has a sermonette contest. This year our Temple Youth Group has three entrants. From them we shall select one person to represent us in the regional contest. If he should win, he will proceed to the national finals.



TEMPLE PASSOVER SEDER

The annual Passover Seder Supper will be held this year on Tuesday evening, April 5 at 6:00 P.M. Cost of the dinner will be \$3.50 for adults and \$1.75 for children under 12 years of age. You will be receiving more information by mail very soon. Anyone wishing to work on the committee, please call Janis Doctrow, 277-9656.



FROM WHERE I SIT

By Rabbi William J. Leffler

One of our congregants was telling me of her visit to one of the nation's larger cities and that during her visit she was quite surprised to learn that one of the really "in" things these days is to be Jewish. She cited a number of examples to illustrate what she meant.

Her remarks set me thinking - what kind of Jewish makes one "in"? Is it merely owning up to it? Is it wearing a yarmulke and beard in public? Is it representing a way of life by one's actions and activities?

Fads are fickle. They can change overnight, and so quite truthfully, I don't really know whether I'm pleased to learn that being Jewish is "in" this month. For the most part this is an accident of birth over which few of us have any control.

I would far prefer to see living Jewishly be "in" for Jews (non-Jews have sufficient other concerns) - that Jews would be aware of what it is to be Jewish - that it requires a commitment to a sense of sanctity in life - that it requires us to be concerned not only for our own personal welfare, but the well-being of all men - that it urges us to acknowledge and worship God as the creator of all - that Judaism is not a laissez-faire, amorphous thing which expects nothing of those who say they are Jewish.

If being Jewish is "in", let it represent more than the other fads which sweep our country, let it be reflected in our lives as people who are the adherents of a religion that speaks to man.



## **RELIGIOUS SCHOOL**

The next Teachers' meeting for the teachers of the Senior Assembly will be Sunday, March 27th at 12:00 noon. The Junior Assembly teachers will meet on Sunday, April 3rd at the same time.

Our Religious School model Seders will be on April 3, under the direction of Gloria Katz, the Sisterhood Religious School Chairman.

There will be no Religious School on Sunday, April 10. Passover vacation.



Hillel

Hillel's annual luncheon at Keene-land will be held on Sunday, April 17, 1966 at 12:30 P.M. Final plans are still being made, however the date is set. The entire congregation is invited. Save the date.

Human history becomes more and more a race between education and catastrophe.

.....H.G. Wells

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Signed \_\_\_\_\_

## **St. Patrick's Day Queen Picked**

Bonnie May Cohen is this year's Jewish Queen of St. Patrick's Day sporting a shillelagh made of bagel dough, she will reign as Colleen Queen Esther at the affair Saturday night sponsored by the Loyal League of Yiddish Sons of Erin.

Bonnie, 16, is the granddaughter of an Irish-born Jew. The club's 34 or so members are all Jews born in Ireland.

The celebration combines St. Patrick's Day and Purim, a Jewish holiday in remembrance of the pardoning of Jews in ancient time.

The menu for the party will include green matzo balls, stuffed kishka ala Killarney and browned potatoes ala blarney stone.

(An AP release)

## **LOST AND FOUND**

Boy's all weather coat - size 10  
Boy's sport coat - size 10  
Red cigarette lighter

These articles are all good and should be claimed. Come to the Temple office to pick them up.

## Ushers

Ushers for Friday, March 25 will be:

Mr. Harold Pressman

Mr. Charles Stern

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## SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES

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Sabbath Social Hostesses for Friday, March 25 will be Mrs. Herman Straus, Mrs. Warren Rosenthal, Mrs. Harold Frankel and Mrs. Joseph Hamburg.

## Best Wishes

for a speedy recovery to:

Mr. Myron Zuckerman



We welcome to our congregational family Mr. and Mrs. Gary Blum of 1875 Dunkirk Drive. Gary is manager of Kent Men's Wear Store. They are former residents of Baton Rouge, La. and have two children, Dorothy, age 4, and Gary, Jr., age 2. Their phone number is 254-0044.

Get and read these new books. They are available in the Temple Library.

The Passover Anthology  
by Goodman, Phillip

The Last Revolt  
by Opatoshu

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

### Rabbi's Fund

From Mrs. Irving Kanarek and Lester Chasen in memory of their mother, Mrs. Goldie Chasen.

### Flower Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Roy Liebman in memory of Jennie Liebman.

From Mr. and Mrs. Jerome W. Wurms in memory of Joseph L. Levens.

From Mrs. I. H. Pollock in memory of I. H. Pollock.

From Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Bloomfield in memory of Sophie Bloomfield.

### Endowment Fund

From Mrs. Max Holtzman of Los Angeles, Cal. in memory of Belle Weil.

From Mrs. Lawrence Broh-Kahn of Shaker Heights, Ohio, in memory of Belle Weil.

## Pulpit Guests

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Mr. James Frankel

Mr. Joe Marks

## Yahrzeit

Israel Singer  
Lillian Frumberg  
William Moses  
Hannah Gordon Meyers  
Bernard (Barney) Miller

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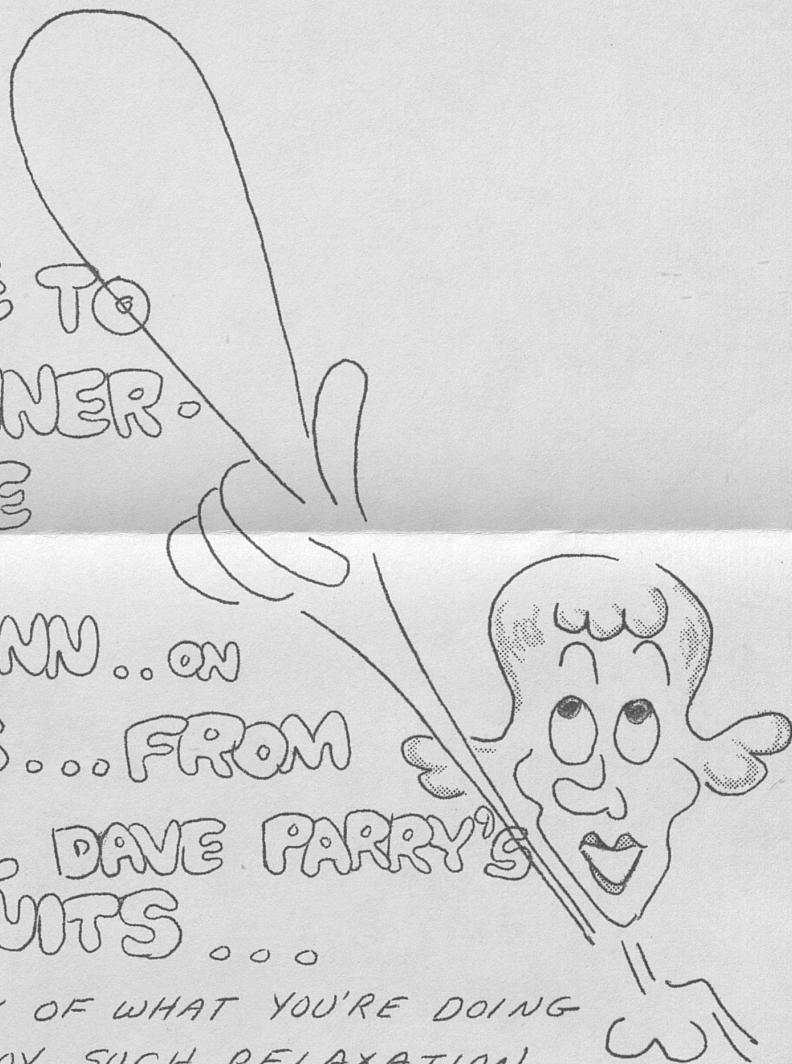
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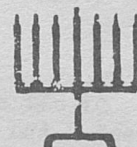
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CONGREGATIONAL SEDER - APRIL 5, 1966 at 6:00 P.M.



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The
Sabbath
Theme



The Sabbath prior to Pesach is called Shabbat Hagadol - The Great Sabbath. Why should this specific Sabbath be so designated?

PASSOVER SEDER SUPPER

The annual Passover Seder Supper will be held this year on Tuesday evening, April 5 at 6:00 P.M. Cost of the dinner will be \$3.50 for adults and \$1.75 for children under 12 years of age. Make your reservations with Janis Doctrow, 277-9656 or with Alberta Gerson, 278-4474.

PARENTS AND TEACHERS

The Seventh District of the Kentucky Congress of Parents and Teachers announces that there will be a training course in Parliamentary Procedure given by Mrs. Anna Clyde Vinzant on April 6, 1966, at the Phoenix Hotel Ballroom. The program begins at 9:30 a.m. and will recess at 3:30 P.M.. A special instruction session will be held at 7:00 P.M. There will be a registration fee of \$1.00 for non-members of the P.T.A.

OUR APPRECIATION

We are grateful to Mr. Lawrence Sherman who has contributed an album of songs to the Celia Abraham Music Library. These songs were composed and are sung by Rabbi Shlomo Carlebach who had a recent concert in Lexington.

Rabbi's Message

Of all our Jewish holidays, Passover seems to have the most emotional appeal. And quite understandably so. Families gather together for Seder. There is an air of joyous festivity. Special foods are served. There is a feeling of happiness at its celebration.

But just the emotionalism and the fun is not enough to make a holiday significant. It needs also to have imparted a message which we can carry away from the festivities. Thus as we gather in our homes on Monday evening and at the Congregational Seder on Tuesday evening, let us be thankful that we are able to sit down without fearing an ominous knock on the door, thankful that we have haggadahs from which to read, thankful that there is sufficient food on the table, thankful that Matzoh is available to us.

As an additional reminder of the message of freedom, you will find enclosed in this issue of the Bulletin a special prayer to be inserted when the Matzoh is lifted up, a prayer to make us further mindful of the blessings of freedom, a prayer for our fellow co-religionists who are behind the Iron Curtain, for the Jews of Soviet Russia. Do include it in your Seder ritual.

Have a meaningful Pesach.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

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ISRAEL THE PEOPLE OF REVELATION

Had there been no Israelites there would be no Torah. Israel's pre-eminence is not derived from Moses; it is Moses whose pre-eminence is due to Israel. The Divine love went out towards the multitude of the children of the Patriarchs, the Congregation of Jacob. Moses was merely the divinely chosen instrument through whom God's Blessing was to be assured unto them. We are called not the people of Moses, but the people of God.

Yehudah Halevi,
1085-1145

Hillel

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Red cigarette lighter

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The Jew's home has rarely been his "castle." Throughout the ages it has been something far higher - his sanctuary.

Joseph H. Hertz, 1872 -

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Signed _____

CONGRATULATIONS!

We wish to congratulate Mr. Samuel Milner on being elected 1st Vice President of the Fayette County Bar Association.

CONDOLENCES:

To Mr. Stuart Yoffe on the death of his father, Abe Yoffe, who died March 11, 1966 in Louisville, Ky.

To Mr. Harold Jacobson on the death of his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Jacobson Wetter, who died March 22, 1966 in Lancaster, Ky.



TEMPLE LIBRARY

NEW BOOKS

Conversion to Judaism
Edited by David Max Eichhorn

Home Is Where You Start From
by Gene Horowitz



CORRECTIONS (For The Year Book)

The telephone number of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gerson should be 278-4474.

The address of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Gorodetzky is 1513 Port Royal.

The address of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lookofsky is 2099 Georgian Way Apt. B.

The Myron Zuckermans' are now living in Lexington at 3028 Stanford Drive.

The telephone number of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wurmser should be 277-0217.

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### FLOWER FUND

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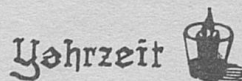
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Mr. Dan Metzler, Jr.



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## 1965 - 5726 Sabbath Eve Services



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So Who Wants To Be Afflicted?

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The  
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Every year at this time we say -  
So this is the Bread of Affliction -  
to remind us of our former low estate.  
But why should we really care?

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**SISTERHOOD NEWS**

Meals dull? Family not excited about eating? Tired of preparing the same tired menus? Write not to Abby or Heloise, try Estelle. Please send copies of some of your most tried and true recipes to Estelle Shabetai, (Mrs. Ralph) at 2111 Lansill Drive #H86. We can help one another and brighten our tables after the Sisterhood Recipe Box is compiled and ready for use. We will need the cooperation of each member. Remember to send some of your favorites in to be shared.

CONGREGATIONAL DINNER

It's not too early to record the date of the Congregational Dinner on your calendar. More than a social event the Adath Israel annual congregational dinner is a privilege and a pleasure as well as an obligation for every Temple member. Remember.....Sunday night, May 15th at 6 o'clock in the Temple Vestry.

*Rabbi's Message*

One of my favorite Seder songs begins with the line: "Behold it is the spring-tide of the year". Pesach is the harbinger of spring, and if for no other reason, this fact alone would endear it to me.

Just look how lovely our countryside is now. The fields are all a fresh green. The roadsides are lined with lovely daffodils. The forsythia are all in bloom. Soon the trees will be just bursting into foliage. What is more enjoyable than just standing outside on a beautiful spring day, breathing in the fresh spring air, feasting one's eyes on the reawakening life about us and letting spring fever take over!

But my favorite Seder song continues. It reminds us that just as all of nature is bestirring itself from the bondage of winter, that man needs to do this also. Our lethargy, our lack of participation, our indolence are bonds which fetter us, and that we are only truly free when we follow God's Torah - when His instruction takes hold of us and moves us out of the dormancy of life and into the freedom of accepting responsibility and obligation as part of our existence.

May the coming of spring affect you in many ways.

William J. Leffler  
Rabbi

## **BROTHERHOOD**

Jack Weller to Speak to Brotherhood



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### **RELIGIOUS SCHOOL**

One of the nicest traditions of our Religious School is the making of hand puppets for a Purim play that Mrs. Edith Weil, our third grade teacher, has had her classes make each year. And this year was no exception. Below you will see the class proudly displaying their puppets after their most enjoyable presentation. In the front row, left to right are Carrie Leffler, Gail Thurz, Andy Shabetai, Mindy Doctrow, Larry Scher, Howard Gerson, Greg Frankel, Lisa Rovin, Laura Levy, Shana Cassell. Standing are Mrs. Weil, Hugh Tucker and Andy Levenson.



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Mr. Herman Straus

## CONGRATULATIONS!

To Dr. Aaron Mason who has been listed in the Who's Who In America.

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Newborn

James Dillet Freeman

Eternity is now  
And I am one day old,  
Newborn this newborn morning,  
Lusty, joyous, bold!

Yet older than forever -  
Before there was a sun  
Or earth, I was myself,  
Before time had begun.

I am the buds of spring  
And early morning dew  
And dawn with cocks crowing,  
Forever old and new.

For youth and age together  
Are intermixed in me,  
Who live but in the moment  
Yet have eternity.

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The Cooperative Informal Folk Dance Group meets every other Sunday at the Synagogue from 8:00 - 10:00 P.M. The next session will be Sunday, April 17, 1966. This group is open to all adults in the community.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

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From Miss Barbara Gay Hymson in memory of Hyman Hymson and Morris Baker.

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## Pulpit Guests

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**Yahrzeit** 

Esther Cohen  
Herman J. Chasen  
Henry Hart

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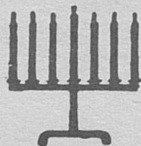
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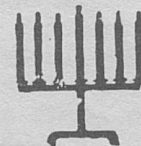
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Service of Jewish Music

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The Sabbath Theme



The choir will sing music including three new anthems especially selected and prepared for this Sabbath.

Hadassah Discussion Group

The Hadassah Discussion Group will meet Thursday, April 28, 1966 at 8 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Joseph Krislov, 1008 Gainesway Drive. The topic for discussion will be "Reconstructionism."

Rabbi's Message

Every second Sabbath evening our Temple Choir sings and they do beautifully with our liturgical music. It is their turn again this coming Friday. But this Sabbath will be different.

This Sabbath evening is dedicated to the devoted members of our Temple Choir - to those wonderful ladies and gentlemen who give of their time and vocal chords to enhance our congregational worship. They have prepared special music for this service, music incorporating some of our traditional prayers, as well as anthems based on three different themes from our tradition.

The choir has worked hard and prepared long and well. They merit your attendance at Sabbath services this Friday evening so that they may have the opportunity to inspire you with their lovely music. Won't you please give both yourself and them this privilege?

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

COUNCIL NEWS

April is Ship-A-Box Month for Council. The Lexington Council of Jewish Women is presenting a spring style show at its April luncheon meeting. All ladies are invited to view our charming models, the 4 & 5 year old members of the Lexington Jewish community. The children will carry toys and school supplies which we hope the Council members and guests will buy for underprivileged Jewish children in Israel and other countries. The meeting will be held on April 27th at 12:30 P.M. at the Temple. For reservations call Mrs. Monroe Moosnick at 266-3326.

CONGREGATIONAL DINNER

There's only one easy way to find out what has been going on in your Temple during the past year, and what plans are in store for this congregation in the coming year.....attend the annual congregational dinner on Sunday night, May 15th, in the Temple Vestry. The climax of an evening of excellent food, good fellowship and an interesting program will be the installation of new officers. Be a part of your Temple, attuned to its progress and problems. Be on hand for the May 15th annual congregational dinner.

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Temple Youth Group

The Youth Group is still in need of accommodations for their out of town guests for the week end of May 13 - 14. This Conclave is the most important one in the Ohio Valley Region. Do not let them and ourselves down. If you have not said you will take a guest, please do so and let Randy Waldman, 266-4366 or Joyce Rosenberg, 266-2085 know immediately.

RED CROSS BLOOD BANK

Thursday, April 14, from 10 a.m. until 4 P. M. at Cassidy School there will be an emergency blood bank. Both donors and volunteers are needed for this project. The blood is needed by the U.S. Department of Defense for the military personnel in Vietnam.

SISTERHOOD

Mrs. Harold Frankel To Speak To Sisterhood



Kay Frankel will present a very interesting and unusual program for our April Sisterhood Coffee meeting. The meeting will be April, 20, 1966 at 10 a.m. in the Temple Vestry.

Kay has worked many weeks making unusual floral arrangements, showing many unique containers. Her theme will be "Modern Floral Arrangements for the Major Jewish Holidays." With this theme in mind she will:

1. Give a basic lesson on the art and principles of floral arrangements.
2. Describe the various flower containers.
3. Tell about some basic tools. (Some Judaica Shop items will be included)

Don't miss this exciting program and our Annual Sisterhood Coffee.

Remember to bring your recipes for our cook book.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The Surgical Dressing Unit of the American Cancer Society will be held Wednesday, April 20, 1966 directly following the Sisterhood Coffee. We hope as many ladies as possible will attend the meeting as the work we are doing is so urgently needed.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The members of our 10th grade Confirmation Class were recently honored by being selected to appear in the Inquiring Reporter page of Keeping Posted, the newspaper received by the upper grades of our Religious School. Below you see the entire page reprinted, so that the whole congregation may share in our excitement.



CENSORSHIP?

Lexington students turn thumbs down on the idea—proposed by groups of parents and of clergymen in a number of U.S. cities—of censoring “hard core pornography.” Shown here (l. to r.) are Ben, Laura, Ken, Fran, Randy, and Margie, with Jim and Barbara absent. The U.S. Supreme Court on March 21 handed down rulings in three obscenity cases. A 5-4 split in one of the cases held that “titillating” ads could be an important factor in judging if the material was obscene under the legal definition of that term. The First Amendment does not protect material legally ruled “obscene.” The new decision may mean an end to lurid book jackets and movie ads. Several Justices raised a warning about censorship.

OUR INQUIRING REPORTER “ ”

THE QUESTION: “Many people are complaining about the great amount of ‘hard core pornography’—picture magazines and paperback books—available to young children at drugstores, newsstands, etc. They urge that pornographic materials be kept away from open display, and add that if the bookdealers don’t remove the smut, then we need to have censorship. Do you agree with their solution?”

OUR PANELISTS: Confirmation Class Students, Religious School Temple Adath Israel, Lexington, Kentucky.

Freedom of the Press

We are fortunate to have as one of our basic freedoms the freedom of the press, and this is guaranteed even to the printing of trash. We don’t need and should not have censorship of anything in this country, except for that information which would affect our national security or health. I am not disputing the fact that an over-abundance of “girlie” magazines and eye-catching, suggestive phrases on front covers show that this is a merchandising gimmick in our modern society. But we can cure this with an adequate program of education which will leave the pornographic materials unsold on the shelves. If enough of this non-saleable material were to remain, the dealer would discontinue stocking it. —RANDY WALDMAN, 15½

I don’t feel that books or magazines should be censored. Even if a law censoring obscene literature were passed, the people who want this sort of thing would still arrange to obtain it. As for pornography getting into the hands of little children, I believe that if their parents have taught them the basics of right and wrong, this type of literature won’t affect them. —MARGIE LEACH, 15

Nine out of ten people who purchase the material in question are old enough not to be affected in any way. Censorship of some books and magazines would create a black market problem, and a censorship law would make it appear that the country is reverting to Victorian times. —KEN MASON, 15

I am fully against the sale of pornographic material to children. It is all right to print and sell this material to adults because they have the ability to understand and evaluate what they are reading. However, if such material were put “underground,” somehow the young would manage to get copies from careless adults. Laws against anything are only as good as the enforcement measures built into the law. A concentrated educational program on what is good and acceptable in literature would accomplish more than a censorship law. —BEN NORRIS, 15

NO! We don’t need censorship of books and magazines in a country which guarantees freedom of expression. Even the vulgar material that appears on newsstands and in drugstores should not be censored. The kind of person who wants and would be influenced by this kind of material will go to great lengths to get it, even if it were illegal. If people are educated to expect good literature from the publishers, and if there were no market for trash, then the publishers would not continue to print trash. —BARBARA BING, 15

Censorship of books and magazines is not the answer. If pornography is what sells, then the smart businessman has it on his shelf. Educating the general public by rabbis and ministers, and the kids by their parents will do much more than censorship by national law. —FRAN MOSKOWITZ, 15

Leave it to the Dealer? The State?

Censorship of magazines and books is not necessary in most cases. However, there are exceptions. Those publications which deal with the private lives of public figures (actors, singers, etc.) should be censored by the publishers. These books deal with gossip and rumors rather than facts. Paperback books have made it a habit to show half-nude girls on the covers, with excerpts, supposedly from the text, that are suggestive or lewd. In most instances, the practice is a fraud, because the excerpts and the art don’t apply to the contents; they are put there only to sell the book. I think that each state could set up its own standards of censorship. —LAURA WIDES, 15

I don’t think this trash should be censored, not because I enjoy reading it, but rather because censorship would rob us of the freedom to read what we please. There has been a lot of talk about the bad effect on the minor who has access to these trashy things, but, in my opinion, outlawing them will not keep them from being printed or from getting into the hands of kids. I say that the newsstand owner must judge what is right according to the law [presumably a local law], and the owner who breaks the law should be fined and lose the right to operate. —JIM LEVENSON, 16



This city was the adopted home of a medieval Jewish philosopher who was also a famous physician. This man’s skill as a doctor brought him to the attention of the Sultan’s vizir, who made him the royal court physician. Name the place of the court. (See next KP.)

NAME THE PLACE — KP, XI, 12

Peniel, where Jacob wrestled with the angel of God. For more on the match, see *Genesis* 32:23.



This year's annual Hillel luncheon at Keeneland will be held on Sunday, April 17, 1966 at 12:30 P. M. The entire congregation is invited to attend. The speaker for the luncheon will be Rabbi Harry Kaplan, who is the Director of the Midwest Region Office of Hillel, as well as Hillel Counsellor at Ohio State. He will speak on the overall purposes of the Foundation, not just at the UK campus, but throughout the country. Save the date and plan to attend. For reservations call Dr. Saul Rubin at 277-4576.

Folk Dance Group

The Cooperative Informal Folk Dance Group meets every other Sunday at the Synagogue from 8:00 - 10:00 P.M. The next session will be Sunday, April 17, 1966. This group is open to all adults in the community.

The Sacred Tongue

The Synagogue service is essentially the expression of the soul of collective Israel. In the Synagogue we meet as Jews, there in prayer, in aspiration, in confession of faith, to carry on the stream of spiritual effort which has flowed unbroken through the ages ever since Israel became conscious of himself. Therefore, the prayers will not merely voice private needs and modern ideas, but will chiefly speak of Israel. And so they will largely be in Hebrew, Israel's historic language. You may get rid of Hebrew, but with it you will get rid of the Synagogue too, of the Synagogue as a living organism, as the well-spring of Jewish feeling and the inspiration of Jewish life. Nor is this all. The claim of Hebrew, though bound up with the interests of public worship, yet transcends them. It will meet you whenever you open your Jewish history, whenever you open your Bible. As long as we remain Jews and call the Bible our own, the Tongue in which it is written must be inestimably sacred to us.

Morris Joseph
1848-1930

Adult Education

What do you know about your own Reform Judaism? How did it start? What were obstacles it has overcome? What are its beliefs? How is it organized? Don't just be a member of a Reform Congregation - be an informed member.

A second series of Adult Education classes will be held in the library. The topic for consideration will be Reform Judaism, utilizing the text by Rabbi Sylvan Schwartzman, Reform Judaism in the Making.

The course will be held on the last three Thursdays in April, the 14th, the 21st, and the 28th, from 7:30 to 9:00 P. M. Cost will be \$2.50 per person, \$3.00 per couple.

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Please sign me (and my wife -) up for the course on Reform Judaism, beginning Thursday, April 14th. Enclosed is a check for _____.

Signed _____

Ushers

Ushers for Friday, April 15
will be:

Mr. Robert Waterman
Mr. David Weil

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:

Mrs. Joseph Pressman

SEDER

A GREAT SUCCESS

The Seder dinner on April 5 was a huge success. Those present enjoyed the festive occasion. We are most grateful to the following ladies for their untiring efforts in helping to make this a most memorable Seder celebration: Mrs. David Doctrow, Mrs. Kenneth Gerson, Mrs. Martin Kaplan, Mrs. Stuart Silbar, Mrs. Jerome Wurmser, Mrs. David Passell, Mrs. Lester Waldman, Mrs. Myron Katz, Mrs. Avram Levine, Mrs. Irving Kanner, Mrs. Dan Metzler and Mrs. William J. Leffler.

SISTERHOOD

With closets being cleaned

Some clothing should be weaned

If its in good repair

Please let Sisterhood have its share
Bring it to the meeting and call me

And for this Sisterhood gets needed
money.

For information call Mrs. Leonard
Lerner at 266-1671.

Contributions

BARNEY MILLER MEMORIAL FUND

From Mrs. Barney Miller in memory
of her father, Jacob Abraham.

FLOWER FUND

From Emanuel Meyers in memory of
Mrs. Gertrude Meyers.

From Mrs. Edward Rosenberg and
son, Mark, in memory of Edward Rosen-
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SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES

Sabbath Social Hostesses for
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Mrs. Barnett Winters, Mrs. Eugene
Straus and Mrs. Melvin J. Meketon

Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guests for Friday, April
15, will be:

Mr. Irvin Stern, Jr.
Mr. Simon Jacobs

Yahrzeit



Mrs. Ruth Salutsky
Paul Louis Koslove
Rebecca Rosenstein

William Allen
Rae G. Levy
Sam Goldberg
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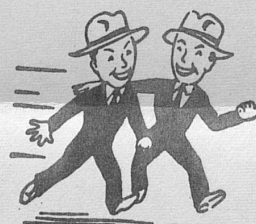
PROGRAM OF THE MONTH

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24	25	26	27	28	29	30			

18TH



LET'S GO!



Rev. Jack E. Weller

Rev. Jack E. Weller, Minister-at-large, of Ebenezer Presbytery in Hazard, Kentucky, will be the featured speaker at the Brotherhood dinner meeting on Monday, April 18, 1966 at 6:30 in the Temple Vestry. He will speak on the present and future of Appalachia.

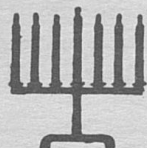
MONDAY NIGHT 6:30 P.M. at the Temple--Dinner Meeting

MONDAY 18

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LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY
April 22, 1966



1965 - 5726 Sabbath Eve Services



FRIDAY, April 22, 1966 8 P.M.

Rabbi William J. Leffler

will discuss

The Visibility of American Jews

Mrs. Seymour Moskowitz will kindle the Sabbath Candles

Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service



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Rabbi's Message

As I sit here and look at the Temple Calendar for the next six weeks, I feel almost out of breath. The number and variety of programs that are planned are large - from a hay ride under the auspices of our newly formed Couples' Club to the closing session of Religious School. Permit me to take this means to discuss two of them with you.

The week end of May 14-15 will be a hectic one. There are two major congregational events planned for it.

The first one - at least in time sequence - is the Youth Group Conclave. This Conclave, which our TYG is hosting, is the major week end of the year for the entire Ohio Valley Federation of Temple Youth - it is the meeting at which they elect their officers for the coming year. The leadership and future leaders of every youth group in our region will be in attendance. Therefore the members of the youth group are understandably proud that we have been accorded this honor.

The program for the week end looks exciting for us. The worship committee is preparing two original services - one for Friday evening and one for Saturday morning. The dinner-dance will be held at the Campbell House on Saturday evening. And on Saturday afternoon the elections will be held. On Saturday morning they will all go out to NARCO, where they will have worship with the patients, a slide tour of the hospital and a symposium on addiction, chaired by top staff people of the hospital.

The TYGers have really been working hard on every aspect of this program. We hope it will be a real success, but for it to be so, will require the full support of our entire congregation.

Housing has been a major obstacle - 130 out-of-towners is a lot of people to bed down - but we have it almost arranged. Just a few more beds are needed. So if you are still considering, say yes.

Transportation could be a difficulty, but we are certain that we shall have the cooperation of everyone on this.

Beyond that, we do not anticipate any insurmountable problems. It should be an outstanding Conclave. And for proof - listen to the enthusiasm of our Youth Group members!

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

P.S. The other event for that week end is the annual congregational meeting on the 15th. I shall discuss this next week and hope to see you all at it.

The Sabbath Theme



April 17-24 is American Jewish History Week. The theme of this year's observance revolves about the Jew in the Visual Art of America. But what about other forms of visibility?

CONGREGATIONAL DINNER

The Congregational Dinner is coming up on Sunday, May 15 at 6 P.M. in the Temple Vestry...and you are expected. It's your annual opportunity to greet old friends, meet new ones, enjoy a delicious meal and, most important of all, hear from the past and future officers of your Temple. Make reservations with Mrs. Max Kovinow at 277-3700 or with Mrs. Arthur Lieber at 266-1240.

YOUTH GROUP

The Youth Group had a dinner meeting on Sunday, April 17, 1966. Chairing it was Jack Miller who had an orientation period for the parents of the Youth Group and the persons housing the participants of the OVFTY Delegates Conclave which is May 13-15, 1966.

If you can possibly house anyone it will be appreciated. If so please call David Rose, 266-5085 or Joyce Rosenberg, 266-2085.

The Nashiri is still open every Sunday for your convenience.

SISTERHOOD

To All Sisterhood Members - -

PLEASE - Reach for pen and paper right now. Copy down a favorite recipe and mail it to Mrs. Ralph Shabetai (Estelle) 2111 Lansill Drive, #H86. You'll be glad you did!

STEVE GOODMAN TO BE BAR MITZVAH



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EVENTS . . .

Brotherhood Night at the Lexington Trots will be on May 17th. The meeting for the 18th has been cancelled.

On May 21st the Couples' Club will sponsor a hay ride.

The unveiling of the stone of Mrs. Rose Rozen, mother of Mrs. Lester Waldman, Mrs. Bess Lubin, and Mr. Morris Rozen, will be held May 1, 1966 at 2 P.M. at the Lexington Cemetery.

Sympathy

The Temple notes with deep sorrow the passing of its member

Isadore Levy

and extends its heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved family.

COUNCIL NEWS

Don't forget to attend the spring style show at the April luncheon meeting at Temple on April 27th at 12:30 P.M. For reservations call Mrs. Monroe Moosnick at 266-3326.

Also be sure to tune in as Marilyn Moosnick interviews Margaret Silbar on "Blue Grass Personalities" Friday, April 21st at 9:00 a.m. During this program you will learn all the details of Council's Holland bulb sale going on right now. If you are interested in selling or buying bulbs, please call Mrs. Avram Levine at 266-4268 or Mrs. George Pincus at 277-6608.

Watch for the dates of Council's special Fine Arts program presented by Lexington's own Mrs. Irving Gail. It will be a treat you won't want to miss!

CONGRATULATIONS to

Dr. Ernst Jokl who was elected distinguished professor of the year at the University of Kentucky College of Arts and Sciences.

The final session of Hebrew School this year will be on Thursday, May 5th.

Hadassah Discussion Group

The Hadassah Discussion Group will meet Thursday, April 28, 1966 at 8 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Joseph Krislov, 1008 Gainesway Drive. The topic for discussion will be "Reconstructionism."

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

FLOWER FUND

From Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lerner in memory of Mrs. Lillian G. Cohen.

Y E S Fund

From Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gall in appreciation of the Uniongrams sent on the occasion of their wedding anniversary.

SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES

Sabbath Social Hostesses for Friday, April 22 will be Mrs. Harry Rosenberg, Mrs. Charles Travis, Mrs. Louis Rosenberg and Mrs. Arthur Meyers.

Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guests for Friday, April 22 will be:

Mr. Norman Goodwin
Mr. William Wenneker

Ushers

Ushers for Friday, April 22 will be:

Mr. Herschel Weil
Mr. James Weil

Yahrzeits This Week

Sol J. Levy Sarah Levy
Hyman Warshawsky Raymond F. Silbar
Mrs. Lillian G. Cohen

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:

Mrs. George Paritz

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LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY
April 29, 1966



1965 - 5726 Sabbath Eve Services



FRIDAY, April 29, 1966 8 P.M.

Rabbi William J. Leffler

will discuss

Whose God Is Dead?

Mrs. James Frankel will kindle the Sabbath Candles
Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service

Sabbath Morning Service

Saturday, April 30, 10:30 A.M.

BAR MITZVAH OF STEVEN ALLEN GOODMAN

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The Sabbath Theme

With even Time and Look getting into the discussion as to whether God is dead or alive, it might be fitting to ask - whose God is everyone talking about?

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Rabbi's Message

In the previous bulletin I mentioned that two important events will be occurring in the Temple on the weekend of May 13th. The first in time sequence will be the TYG Conclave, which I discussed last week. The second will be our annual Congregational meeting, on Sunday, the 15th at 6:00 P.M.

A congregational meeting is important for a number of reasons. Perhaps, first and foremost, it is the one time during the year when a person is able to view the entire spectrum of congregational activities and receive an over-all picture of what is occurring. And even I need this.

Secondly, it permits the congregation to learn of the future plans for the congregation, what changes hopefully will occur during the coming year, new programs, expansion of facilities, etc. Some of these I have not heard about as yet either.

And thirdly, it is important that you attend this meeting in order to participate in congregational decisions which require the vote of the membership - especially the proposed revision to the constitution pertaining to the procedure of election of the Temple Board and Officers.

Next week I want to discuss this change in election procedure, but while the whole subject of the annual meeting is fresh in your minds, do call Mindy Kavinow or Marilyn Lieber and make reservations. I would like to see a full house signifying full support of our congregation and its leaders.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

At a recent Sunday morning fire drill, we had the entire school cleared of children in 35 seconds. Don't you wish that you could get them to move that fast in the morning!

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ACROSS THE BOARD

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE TEMPLE BOARD MEETING OF APRIL 12, 1966

1. The Worship Committee recommended to the Board that the Yom Kippur Memorial list be printed and distributed at the time of the Memorial Service, rather than read, as done heretofore. This suggestion was passed 8 to 5.
2. The Board accepted the report of the Rules Committee in reference to the proposed change in the Temple By-Laws relating to elections. These changes are to be distributed to the congregation for vote at the annual meeting.
3. An invitation was extended to Rabbi Charles Mintz, director of the Ohio Valley Council, UAHC to meet with a committee of the congregation to discuss raising funds for the donation of a cabin to be located at the Union Camp in Zionsville, Ind.
4. The resignation from the Board of Mr. Arnold Fields of Frankfort was regretfully accepted.



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Members....

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To All Sisterhood Chairmen:

This is a reminder that all annual reports are due by May 1st. Please see that they are turned in to Mrs. Eugene Straus.



CONGREGATIONAL DINNER

Temple Adath Israel officers for the coming year will be installed at the annual Congregational Dinner on Sunday, May 15th. Don't let the time slip up on you and forget to make your reservations. Call Mrs. Arthur Lieber at 266-1240 or Mrs. Max Kavinow at 277-3700 today and let them know you are interested enough in your Temple to find out what's going on, that you will attend the Congregational Dinner at 6 o'clock, Sunday night, May 15th in the Temple Vestry.

EVENTS . . .

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On May 21st the Couples' Club will sponsor a hay ride.



There will be an organizational Meeting of the Couples' League at the Southland Bowling Lanes on Tuesday, May 3rd at 8:00 P.M. All interested bowlers please show.

CONGRATULATIONS

Joseph H. Miller, son of Dr. and Mrs. Sherman E. Miller, 311 Holliday Road, a senior at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee, has been named to the Dean's List. He was elected to membership to Scabbard and Blade, Honorary Military Science Fraternity and also named a Distinguished Military Student.

Mr. Michael Lerner who had the best table on Clinical Dentistry at the recent meeting of the Kentucky Dental Association.

Mr. Leonard Lerner who was elected to the Red Cross Board.

Ushers

Ushers for Friday, April 29 will be:

Mr. James Wencker
Mr. Norman Wides

Best Wishes

for a speedy recovery to:

Mrs. James Wencker
Mrs. Leonard Weil
Mrs. Irving Zapolsky

Do You Know That.....

The Union of American Hebrew Congregations' now includes more than 660 Temples?

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

FLOWER FUND

From Mr. and Mrs. Morris Brazin in memory of Esther Cohen.

From Dr. and Mrs. Irving Zapolsky in memory of Mrs. Lena Zapolsky.

From Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Shabetai in memory of William Allen.

From Mrs. Fernand Weil in memory of Fernand J. Weil.

SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES

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Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guest for Friday, April 29 will be:

Mr. Lester Waldman


Vahrzeit



Dr. Clarence Bernstein
Sarah Austin Miller
Olga R. Davis
Adolph Schwartz

Flora Bloom
Henry J. Robin
Jacob Alperin
Henry Diamond



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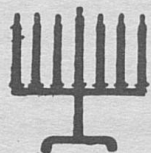
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LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY

May 6, 1966



1965 - 5726



Sabbath Eve Services



FRIDAY, MAY 6, 1966 8 P.M.

SPECIAL MOTHERS DAY SERVICE

CONDUCTED BY

ADATH ISRAEL SISTERHOOD

PARTICIPANTS: Mrs. Hugo Bloomfield  
Mrs. Barney Miller  
Mrs. Ben Roos  
Mrs. Eugene Straus  
Mrs. Jay D. Weil

Mrs. Edith Weil will kindle the Sabbath Candles

Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service



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## The Sabbath Theme

This coming Sabbath is our annual Sisterhood Service - the Sabbath when we pay honor to the women of our congregation and the part they play in the functioning of our congregation.

## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The last session of Religious School will be on Sunday, May 22nd. Classes will be dismissed at 11:00 a.m.



## Rabbi's Message

One of the major matters for discussion at the forthcoming Congregational meeting will be the change in the By-Laws pertinent to the election of Temple Board Members. I am certain that you have received the copy of this amendment which was sent out a few weeks ago and I hope that you have read it and understood it.

I feel strongly that a change of this nature is very much in order for a number of reasons.

One of these reasons is that while the initial intent of our present lengthy ballot is very good - it is democratic and permits each member to express his own personal choice - it just is not working. Too few of the ballots are returned to give us a representative election. The congregation has grown far beyond the size where every member knows every other member. All too often persons are elected to the Board who have received no more than about 15 votes, rather a miniscule number when one considers that there are close to 400 voting members in the congregation.

The new system, which utilizes nominating committees is far superior for our needs. It enables a Board appointed committee to select candidates for election, persons who are known to the leadership in the congregation and who have shown active interest in its welfare and operation. In addition, this new procedure will also permit nominations to be made from the congregation, but not through the cumbersome process which we now utilize.

Our Temple is no longer a small town, intimate congregation. It has grown beyond this point. And because of this growth, changes in the operation of the congregation have become necessary. This proposed change in voting procedure is one of these changes which your Temple Board feels is required.

Please consider this matter seriously. No proposal is ever perfect. There will always be minor changes which can be suggested. But the basic approach is sound. Do give it serious consideration and I hope that you will support it with your vote at our annual meeting on May 15th.

William J. Leffler  
Rabbi



CONFIRMATION

Confirmation will be held June 12, 1966 at 2 P.M. TH  
the Confirmands and Their Parents:

|                         |                                                                       |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Benjamin Roos Baker     | Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker<br>424 Adair Road                           |
| Barbara Lynn Bing       | Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Bing<br>205 Seminole Trail<br>Frankfort, Kentucky |
| Marc Mitchell Kovinow   | Mr. and Mrs. Max Kovinow<br>10 Lansdowne Estates                      |
| Marjorie Jayne Leach    | Mr. and Mrs. Mark Leach<br>R. #3 Russell Cave Road                    |
| James Jerome Levenson   | Mr. and Mrs. James Levenson<br>3485 Castleton Way, N.                 |
| Kenneth Glen Mason      | Dr. and Mrs. Aaron Mason<br>Veterans Hospital                         |
| Frances Leigh Moskowitz | Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Moskowitz<br>1182 Indian Mound                   |
| Benjamin Zachary Norris | Mr. and Mrs. Morton Norris<br>1178 Indian Mound                       |
| Nancy Jane Scher        | Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Scher<br>8 Hampshire Place                       |
| Randy Waldman           | Mr. and Mrs. Lester Waldman<br>183 Idle Hour Drive                    |
| Laura Anne Wides        | Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wides<br>802 Glendover Drive                      |



CORRECTION FOR THE YEAR BOOK

The telephone number for Mr.  
William Rosenthal is 266-1382.



Anyone having green vases in which  
the Friday night flowers are delivered  
kindly return them to the Temple.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The Surgical Dressing Unit of the  
American Cancer Society will be held  
Wednesday, May 18 at 10:30 a.m. at  
Temple Adath Israel. For further in-  
formation please call Mrs. Barney Miller  
at 266-4263.

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TEMPLE LIBRARY
NEW BOOKS

Tales of the Hasidin
.... by Buber

Myer Myers
.... by Wise

SISTERHOOD

NATIONAL PREXY AT FINAL

MEETING OF SISTERHOOD

Yes, today's the day! The day Mrs. Merryle S. Rukeyser, national Sisterhood president will join us at our final Sisterhood luncheon of the year...at the Campbell House on May 11, at 12:30 P.M.



JUDAICA SHOP

YOU STILL HAVE TIME

Now is the time to take care of your Confirmation and graduation needs. Shop Sisterhood's Judaica Shop for informals, personalized stationery, books and gifts. For more information call Mrs. Harold Baker at 266-7675.

NEW DIRECTORS -

The five new directors recently elected to the Temple Board are:

Mr. Irvin H. Stern, Jr.
Dr. Albert Balows
Dr. Martin Kaplan
Mr. Maurice Hymson
Mr. I. Allen Paritz

The five runner-up candidates were:

Dr. Aaron Mason
Dr. Michael Adelstein
Mr. David Bolotin
Mr. Elliott Marcus
Mr. Charles Stern

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL



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SISTERHOOD

THE FIRST WITH THE MOST,
SHE'S LAST BUT NOT LEAST

Make your reservations early for the last and biggest Sisterhood luncheon of the year...when you'll have a chance to hear and meet Mrs. Sisterhood herself --Mrs. Merryle S. Rukeyser of New Rochelle, New York.

Now president of the national federation of Temple Sisterhoods, Mrs. Rukeyser has formerly been vice president and chairman of numerous national Sisterhood departments and committees. She is presently on the boards of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, the World Union for Progressive Judaism and the editorial board of American Judaism.

Our outstanding guest speaker will top off a delightful luncheon next Wednesday, May 11th at 12:30 at the Campbell House - price just \$2.25.....so don't wait to make your reservations. Do it now! Phone Mrs. Harry Miller (JoAnn) at 266-8627 or Mrs. Fernand Weil (Rosa) at 266-6044 so you can join us for the last and the most memorable meeting of a truly outstanding Sisterhood season.

CONGRATULATIONS TO . . .

Mrs. Eugene Straus for recently being elected to the Board of District #9 as OFTY Chairman.

Mrs. Michael Adelstein for being elected secretary of the Mental Health Association of Central Kentucky.

Dr. and Mrs. Abe Wikler on the marriage of their daughter, Norma, to Dr. Jonathan Feinberg, son of Rabbi and Mrs. Abraham L. Feinberg of Toronto, Canada on Sunday, May 1, 1966 in California.

Temple Youth Group



We are still in need of persons to house our delegates for the OVFTY Conclave which is being hosted this year by our own Temple Adath Israel Youth Group on May 13 through the 15th.

If you can possibly house anyone it will be appreciated. If so please call David Rose, 266-5085 or Joyce Rosenberg, 266-2085.

The Nashiri is still open every Sunday for your convenience.



CONGREGATIONAL DINNER

Have you made your reservations yet for the Congregational Dinner? It's on Sunday night, May 15th at 6 o'clock in the Temple Vestry. And if you want to hear what's been happening in your Temple over the past year... if you want to see who will be installed as the new Temple leaders.... if you want to enjoy a real get-together with old friends and a delicious meal, you'd better phone Mrs. Arthur Lieber (Marilyn) at 266-1240 or Mrs. Max Kavinow (Mindy) at 277-3700 for reservations for the annual Congregational Dinner on May 15th.

Sabbath Candles

We wish to thank Mrs. Lawrence Goodman for reciting the blessing and kindling the Sabbath Candles at the Friday evening service, April 29.

EVENTS . . .

Brotherhood Night at the Lexington Trots will be on May 19th. The meeting for the 18th has been cancelled.

On May 21st the Couples' Club will sponsor a hay ride.

The final session of Hebrew School
this year will be on Thursday, May 5th.

Best Wishes

For a Speedy Recovery of our sick
members:

Mrs. George Paritz
Mr. Louis Fuches

OPEN HOUSE

The USPHS Hospital will hold an
open house this Sunday, May 8, 1966,
with a slide tour and walking tour
from 1-3 P.M., followed by a musical
program at 4 P.M.. The public is
cordially invited to attend.

He prayeth best who loveth best
All things, both great and small;
For the dear God who loveth us
He made and loveth all.

.... Jacob S. Raisin

TEMPLE LIBRARY NEW BOOK

"Contemporary Synagogue Art"

by Avram Kampf

There is no man so good who, were
he to submit all his thoughts and
actions to the law, would not deserve
hanging ten times in his life.

...Montaigne

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of Sara Austin Miller, mother of Barney
Miller.

** SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES **

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** Ushers **

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Mr. Ed Wides
Dr. Jesse Weil

** Pulpit Guests **

Pulpit Guests for Friday, May 6th
will be:

Dr. Aaron Mason
Mr. Abe Rabiner

Yahrzeit

Mrs. Yetta Kravetz
Ferd Jacobs

SYMPATHY

Our Sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Wolf
Rosenberg on the passing of their son,
Stanley J. Rosenberg on April 20, 1966.

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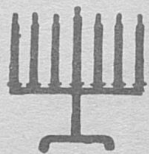
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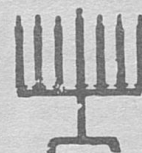
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FRIDAY, MAY 13, 1966 8 P.M.

YOUTH GROUP CONCLAVE SERVICE

Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service

"THE FAMILY THAT PRAYS TOGETHER — STAYS TOGETHER"
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The Sabbath Theme

The members of our Temple Youth Group will be conducting an original worship service which they have written for the occasion of their Conclave, the theme of which is Prayer through Understanding.

Brotherhood



Get your reservations in today for
Get your reservations in today for
Brotherhood's night
at the TROTS. Mail
your request for
reservations to:

Mr. Bob Miller
1548 Alexandria Drive
Lexington, Ky.
277-0214

EDITORIAL

I expect that next Monday I will be worn out. Just to contemplate all of the doings of this coming week end is enough to make one's head spin.

One hundred and thirty teenagers will arrive here on Friday afternoon for a full week end of worship, socializing, learning, voting and excitement. David Rose and his committees have really been working hard and appear to have most of the details ironed out for a successful Conclave.

However, with such a large number of out-of-towners here, to chauffeur and chaperone, I should again like to ask those adults involved with housing or driving the youngsters for their utmost cooperation. For the Conclave to be a success, schedules have to be adhered to, curfews must be met, and programs have to run as smoothly as possible. This will be no easy task, but I am certain we shall be able to handle it.

And no sooner will the teenagers have left, then Mindy Kavinow, Marilyn Lieber and their committee for the annual meeting will take over the Temple facilities. They too are hoping for the cooperation of all and for a large turn out for the meeting.

But a congregational dinner is not just a meal. It is also a business meeting, a time when we review the functioning of the congregation during the past year and consider what is ahead for us. It is a serious occasion and one which requires a good bit of planning.

And after this week end is over, I suspect that there will be many who will feel the weary warmth of a few days well spent. Such a sensation is a good one.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi



ACROSS THE BOARD

NEW DIRECTORS -

The five new directors recently elected to the Temple Board are:

Mr. Irvin H. Stern, Jr.
Dr. Albert Balows
Dr. Martin Kaplan
Mr. Maurice Hymson
Mr. I. Allen Paritz

The five runner-up candidates were:

Dr. Aaron Mason
Dr. Michael Adelstein
Mr. David Bolotin
Mr. Elliott Marcus
Mr. Charles Stern

SISTERHOOD

NATIONAL PREXY AT FINAL MEETING OF SISTERHOOD

Yes, today's the day! The day Mrs. Merryle S. Rukeyser, national Sisterhood president will join us at our final Sisterhood luncheon of the year...at the Campbell House on May 11, at 12:30 P.M.



JUDAICA SHOP

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CONFIRMATION

Confirmation will be held June 12, 1966 at 2 P.M. The following are the Confirmands and Their Parents:

Benjamin Roos Baker	Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker 424 Adair Road
Barbara Lynn Bing	Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Bing 205 Seminole Trail Frankfort, Kentucky
Marc Mitchell Kovinow	Mr. and Mrs. Max Kovinow 10 Lansdowne Estates
Marjorie Jayne Leach	Mr. and Mrs. Mark Leach R. #3 Russell Cave Road
James Jerome Levenson	Mr. and Mrs. James Levenson 3485 Castleton Way, N.
Kenneth Glen Mason	Dr. and Mrs. Aaron Mason Veterans Hospital
Frances Leigh Moskowitz	Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Moskowitz 1182 Indian Mound
Benjamin Zachary Norris	Mr. and Mrs. Morton Norris 1178 Indian Mound
Nancy Jane Scher	Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Scher 8 Hampshire Place
Randy Waldman	Mr. and Mrs. Lester Waldman 183 Idle Hour Drive
Laura Anne Wides	Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wides 802 Glendover Drive



CORRECTION FOR THE YEAR BOOK

The telephone number for Mr. William Rosenthal is 266-1382.



Anyone having green vases in which the Friday night flowers are delivered kindly return them to the Temple.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The Surgical Dressing Unit of the American Cancer Society will be held Wednesday, May 18 at 10:30 a.m. at Temple Adath Israel. For further information please call Mrs. Barney Miller at 266-4263.

TEMPLE LIBRARY NEW BOOKS

Tales of the Hasidin
.... by Buber

Myer Myers
.... by Wise

ON LEARNING -
FROM A RABBI'S DESK

The 20th century venerates education. So do I. We look on school as a means of solving some of the basic problems of our world: unemployment, prejudice, civic irresponsibility.

It is a simple truth that only learning and love permit the human beast to become a human being. Unfortunately, learning is an unspecific term. It can refer to factual knowledge such as we feed into our computers. It can refer to knowledge plus understanding such as we feed, hopefully into our children.

This reflection began when I read recently the final volume of Yitzhak Baer's monumental study, "A History of the Jews In Christian Spain." His tale is a sad one of communities suffering economic and political ostracism and of communities ultimately destroyed by religious fanaticism. It is a sadder story still because of the actions of some of the most verbal intellectuals among the Spanish Jews. To assure themselves a place in the Christian sun these men mocked their more steadfast brothers and maligned their heritage. Many played not only a coward's role but failed to save their own necks. The inquisition quickly moved against them and they ended their days at the stake.

Book learning is not enough. The Hebrew term for learning is Torah. It is a wonderful word for it includes the overtones of understanding and character as well as the foundation stone of specific knowledge. Learning - Torah seeks to discipline the heart as well as the intellect. Educated by tutors who scoffed at the ordinary virtues many a privileged young Spanish Jew grew skillful without becoming wise.

Increasingly, schooling is computerized and machined. I wonder if machines teach character? Our youngsters require an extraordinary degree

of specialization but they also require sympathy, awareness, moral example and a concern for fundamental human values. Torah requires two experiences. The first is a meaningful relationship between the child and a mature and responsible teacher - parent-rabbi. The second is a meaningful relationship between the child and an enlightened ethical and religious tradition which is visible to him in his home and a tangible reality before him in his community. "A" grades do not guarantee high marks in decency and quality. The rich Spanish Jews delegated instruction to tutors with visibly unfortunate results. Have we delegated instruction to teaching machines and can we expect better results?

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CONGREGATIONAL DINNER

This Sunday night at 6 o'clock is the time. The Temple Vestry is the place...for the annual Temple Adath Israel Congregational Dinner. If you belong to the Temple, it's your right and your duty as well as your pleasure to participate in this single most important Temple event of the year. You'll find out what the old officers have accomplished in office, and you will see who the new officers are. If you hurry, there may still be time to make reservations today with Mrs. Arthur Lieber at 266-1240 or Mrs. Max Kavinow at 277-3700.

See you at the Congregational Dinner, Sunday night at 6 o'clock in the Vestry room.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ades on the birth of a daughter, Sarah Ellen, on May 7th. The happy grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ades.

## Ushers

Ushers for Friday, May 13, will be:

Mr. William Wenneker  
Mr. Avram Levine

### \*\* SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES \*\*

Sabbath Social Hostesses for Friday, May 13 will be Mrs. I. A. Paritz, Mrs. Lawrence Hymes, Mrs. Bernard Hymes, Mrs. Paul Mandelstam, Mrs. Seymour Moskowitz, Mrs. Meyer Godhelff, Mrs. Elliott Rosenberg, and Mrs. Dan Metzler.

### CONGRATULATIONS

To David Rosenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Rosenberg, on his election as president of the Henry Clay High School student body.

To Rabbi and Mrs. Bernard Schwab on the birth of a son, Michael Alan Schwab, on April 30, 1966.

## Best Wishes

We extend our best wishes for a speedy recovery to:

Miss Patti Milner  
Mr. Ben Roos  
Mrs. George Paritz  
(Now convalescing at home)

### Sympathy

Our sympathy to Dr. and Mrs. Abe Wikler on the death of Dr. Wikler's mother, Mrs. Clara Wikler on May 4, 1966 in Meriden, Conn.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

### BELLE WEIL MEMORIAL FUND

From Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Shraberg in memory of Mrs. Clara Wikler, mother of Dr. Abraham Wikler; in memory of Stanley Jerome Rosenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wolf Rosenberg; in memory of Isadore Levy, father of Raymond Levy of Louisville, Ky.

### MAX BERMAN LIBRARY FUND

From Mr. and Mrs. Alvin L. Goldman.

### FLOWER FUND

From Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Paritz in memory of Jacob Alperin.

From Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jacobson in memory of Adolph Schwartz.

From Mr. Alex Cohen in memory of Henry Robin.

### BARNEY MILLER MEMORIAL FUND

From Mr. and Mrs. David Doctrow in memory of the father of the Goodman family in University Heights, Ohio.

### RABBI'S FUND

From Raymond Levy of Louisville, Ky., in memory of his father, Isadore Levy

From Dr. and Mrs. Martin Gebrow in appreciation to the rabbi.

### *Yahrzeits This Week*

|                      |                |
|----------------------|----------------|
| Emma Roos Hammel     | Dora Rubin     |
| Hannah Jacobson      | Marie P. Davis |
| Mrs. Rose Rozen      | Morris L. Levy |
| David Goldfarb       | Clara Jacobs   |
| Celia Molly Kaufmann |                |

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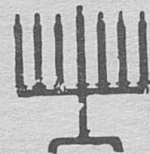
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FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1966 8 P.M.

Rabbi William J. Leffler

will discuss

A Home Is Not A House

Mrs. Harry Miller will kindle the Sabbath Candles
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The Sabbath Theme

Housing is a basic necessity for man. But there are many kinds of neighborhoods, some we would choose and others we would reject. Should this right of choice be open to all citizens?

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The final session of Religious School is May 22. Classes will meet from 9:30-11:00. Teachers will meet from 11:00-12:00 noon.

Rabbi's Message

One of the current hot issues in our county concerns the enforcement of The Blue Laws - those laws which regulate commerce on Sunday. As they are now written, a business establishment is required to be closed one day a week, though not necessarily Sunday.

Originally these laws stemmed from our Protestant Religious groups, however the Supreme Court, in its ruling of a few years ago, disavowed any religious purpose for them today and termed them social legislation. Nevertheless, we still find Christian Churches entering the fray from a religious standpoint - rather a tacit admittance that they need government support for their urgings to attend church.

But perhaps over and above the religious remnants are two basic flaws in these laws. After living in Israel for a while, I realize that we do not know what Blue Laws are. They close down every thing there, while we Americans are highly selective to the advantage of our personal convenience and the commercial recreation industry. What is considered a necessity has become a most subjective matter.

Secondly, our current situation is a product of our over selling. Madison Avenue has convinced the American people that it is fun to shop and to spend money. Every businessman seems to support this view. And yet we find some businessmen contending that we ought not to indulge in this delightful pastime on Sundays. How inconsistent!

As I look at this present controversy, it strikes me that it is basically a product of American culture. We all want to enjoy ourselves - and there are many people who enjoy spending their money even on Sundays. And so the conflict arises between those willing to buy and sell and those who are not willing to sell or buy on Sunday. The outcome should prove interesting.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

SHAVUOT

The Jewish holiday of Shavuot (The Festival of Weeks) which commemorates the gift of the Ten Commandments to the Jewish people on Mount Sinai, will begin at sunset on Tuesday, May 24. The holiday is observed for two days by Orthodox and Conservative Jews, and for one day by the Reform branch of Judaism.

The origins of this holiday are agricultural as well as religious, for in ancient times it marked the gathering of the first crops of the year, usually spring wheat and barley. The Jews of antiquity would bring flowers and fruits of the season to the synagogue as thanks-offerings to God. The religious aspects of the holiday were equated with the blossoming of the ethical awareness of the Jewish people with the gift of the Ten Commandments.

In addition to special music, liturgy and sermons, the holiday is also marked in Reform and Conservative synagogues by Confirmation ceremonies in which young men and women who have completed their elementary religious education are blessed by their rabbi and considered to have graduated into adult membership in Jewish life. Usually the confirmands conduct the service.

Other traditional aspects of the holiday are the eating of dairy foods and honey, symbolizing Israel's joy in the Torah, which is compared with "Milk and Honey" that is both nourishing and sweet. It is customary, too, to read the Book of Ruth during the services for this story incorporates the two concepts of the barley harvest (where Ruth and Naomi gleaned the sheaves) and the embracing of Judaism by a woman who was formerly a pagan. It is this dual meaning, the gathering of the first harvest, and the accep-

tance of the law and revelation of God, which gives the poignant story of Ruth a special relevance to this holiday.

There is a parallel between Shavuot and the Pentecost of the New Testament for the holiday occurs seven weeks after the Jewish Passover.

DON'T FORGET!!

SISTERHOOD needs all your tired but useful clothing and household goods for their NEARLY NEW PROJECT. Please call Mrs. Leonard Lerner at 266-1671 for pick up.



JUDAICA SHOP

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CORRECTION FOR THE YEAR BOOK

The new address for Dr. and Mrs. George Pincus is 3469 Flint Ridge Drive.

~~~~~ Brotherhood

Remember Brotherhood's night at the Trots on May 19, at 6 P.M. Phone or mail your reservations to Mr. Robert Miller at 1548 Alexandria Drive #277-0214.

COUPLES' CLUB

Make a date with the Couples' Club for Saturday, May 21 for their Hay Ride leaving Temple at 7:30 P.M. For reservations call Mrs. David Doctrow at 277-9656.





CONGRATULATIONS

We extend our heartiest congratulations and best wishes to the following young people of our Congregational Family who will graduate from various Schools, Colleges and Universities:

High School

David Andrew Rose
Mark Edward Wides
Neil Bruce Marks
Rae Marie Strauss
Jeanne Carolyn Wikler
Santee Levy
Sheryl Joyce Lowenthal
Mark Steven Hammer
Patricia Abel
Melinda Levenson
Sherry Leach

Colleges

Susan Gail Kaufmann	Brandeis
David Weil	Univ. of Penn.
Joseph Miller	Vanderbilt
Debby Milner	Northwestern
Alan Paritz	Univ. of Ky.
Judy Gewirtzman	Univ. of Ky.
Carol Ades	Univ. of Ky.
Judy Schwartz	Univ. of Wis.

Mrs. Barney Miller and her group of women of Adath Israel Sisterhood have been making bandages for the Cancer Clinic for twenty years. Recently Dr. John Floyd, President Elect of the American Cancer Society presented an award to Mrs. Miller in recognition of her work and to the women of Adath Israel Sisterhood in appreciation of their work. CONGRATULATIONS, Mrs. Miller and members of Sisterhood for your untiring efforts.

Temple Funds

MAX BERMAN LIBRARY FUND

From Dr. and Mrs. Abraham Wikler in memory of Isadore Levy, recently deceased brother of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Herman.

From Mrs. Saul Patner of Chicago, Illinois, in memory of Isadore Levy, beloved brother of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Herman.

SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES

Sabbath Social Hostesses for Friday, May 20 will be Mrs. Michael Lerner, Mrs. Leonard Lerner, Mrs. Sherman Miller and Mrs. Erle Levy.

PULPIT GUESTS

Pulpit Guests for Friday, May 20 will be:

Dr. Irving Zapolsky
Dr. Albert Balows

USHERS

Ushers for Friday, May 20 will be:

Dr. Abraham Wikler
Mr. Julius Effron

YAHREZEIT

Wolfe G. Rosenstein
Joseph Schear
Ida Jesse Taft
David Okrent

BEST WISHES

For a speedy recovery to:

Mr. Louis Fuchs
Mr. Nathan Frankel

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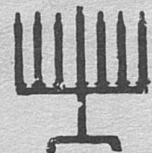
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will discuss

Let Us Sanctify God's Name - A Memorial Day Sermon

Mr. E. G. Rosenberg will kindle the Sabbath Candles
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The Sabbath Theme

Monday is Memorial Day - a national day for remembering our deceased loved ones. Let us say Kaddish - but let us understand this prayer.

Rabbi's Message

A few weeks ago there was a full page advertisement in our Sunday paper for the John Birch Society, with a coupon to be sent in by those wishing more information about this group. Being naturally curious, I sent in the coupon and received a packet of information, as well as an invitation to attend an introductory meeting of the Society.

In order to prepare myself, I read most of the material they had sent me, as well as the ADL Report on the Society. And so this past week when I went to the meeting I felt reasonably informed on the Society and expected to spend an interesting and lively evening.

What a disappointment! Two hours of dull movies! One film of a speech by Ezra Taft Berson praising the Society and a second one on the work of the Society - equally as dull. Not only was the program uninteresting, so too were the members. They had nothing to talk about, either formally or informally.

It would appear that Lexington is not much of Birch town. They received only 15 replies to their full page ad, and on a map of Birch cells throughout the country, Kentucky is almost a blank. By Birch standards, I was told that the Communists had really done a fine job of brain washing in our state. By other standards, I would suggest that the citizens of our state are a fairly sensible group.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

SISTERHOOD NEWS

At the closing meeting of Adath Israel Sisterhood the following officers and chairmen were installed:

President	Mrs. Alfred Strauss
1st Vice President	Mrs. Harry Miller
2nd Vice President	Mrs. Charles Stern
3rd Vice President	Mrs. Arthur Lieber
4th Vice President	Mrs. Harold Miller
Treasurer	Mrs. Louis Rosenberg
Interfaith Chairman	Mrs. Irving Kanner
World Union Chairman	Mrs. George Pincus
Membership Chairman	Mrs. Avram Levine
Youth Activities Chairman	
	Mrs. Jerome Wurmser

The installation service was written by Mrs. Ben Roos and Mrs. Harold Baker. The installing officers were Mrs. Harold Baker and Mrs. Irving Kanner.

STOPPING OVER IN LONDON?

Male students passing through London this summer may stop at the Hillel House where they may spend a few nights. The address is 1 Endsleigh Street, London, W.C. 1.

The charges are 12s 6d per night (approximately 75¢) which includes bed and breakfast. There are showers adjoining the dormitories.

Preference will be given to those who wish to spend Shabbat in London Hillel when a special Oneg Shabbat programme is arranged every Friday evening. Those wishing to book during the forthcoming summer months are advised to make early application and to include \$1.00 as a reservation.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

At the recent Lag B' Omer festivities in Mrs. Frankel's second grade, the following students won prizes:

Akiba Award for archery	Arlene Gerson
Egg Contest 1st prize	Bridget Wenneker
2nd prize	Claudia Silbar
Best Biblical Painted Egg	Leslie Levy

Classes are over - but the memories of an exciting year linger on. One of them was the outstanding moral drama presented by Mrs. Schatz's seventh grade in our Sanctuary. The play dealt with a moral dilemma of a Jewish doctor in a Nazi concentration camp who has been called upon to operate on Hitler. The play was written by Andy Hart. An excellent discussion was held after the play.

Seen below are the participants in the play. From left to right - Patti Hymson, Elaine Levy, David Levy, Andy Hart (the author), John Mickler, Ricki Lyons, Faith Miller, and Miriam Marcus. Mrs. Schatz is sitting on the pulpit on the left.



We also have the memory of Mrs. Paritz's first grade putting on a fine poem reading for us. Seen below is her class. First row, left to right: Eddie Levine, Wendy Gordon, Barbara Baker, Karen Tucker, Mark Gershman, Shirley Stern, and Bonnie Hamburg. Second row, left to right: Andrea Jo Fried, Joshua Hamm, Glenn Lipton, Cynthia Pincus, Andy Rabiner, Jennifer Hymes, and Jeffrey Doctrow.



CONGRATULATIONS

We extend warmest congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. William Wenneker on the birth of their son, Jeffrey Alan, on May 14, 1966. The happy grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Al Wenneker.

David Rosenberg on his election as OVFTY representative to the NFTY Board.

Harry Cohen on his winning first prize in the Kentucky State Regional Contest in woodworking and second prize in Electronics.

William L. Shraberg on his graduating from the University of Rochester.

(If there are other omissions or additions, please notify the secretary in the Temple office).

CORRECTION

The name, Patricia Abel was in error as graduating from high school in last week's bulletin. Miss Abel will graduate next year.

Best Wishes

We extend our best wishes for a speedy recovery to:

Mrs. Kenneth Gerson Sol Bloomfield
Nathan Frankel (Father of Harold Frankel
Henry Meyer
Nathan Zuckerman (Father of Myron Zuckerman)

ATTENTION

The Fine Arts Committee of the Council For Jewish Women has the pleasure of presenting Ada Gail in a review of O. E. Hotchner's book, "Papa Hemingway" on Thursday morning, May 26th at 10:30 at the home of Mrs. Phyllis Scher, 8 Hampshire Place. Don't miss this treat.

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Temple Sisterhood **UNIONGRAMS**

From Dr. and Mrs. Herman Abel in appreciation of the Uniongrams sent them upon the occasion of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

PULPIT GUESTS

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Mr. Robert Lerner
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Mr. Milton Sims

Yahrzeits This Week

David P. Davis	Myron J. Katz
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UNION OF AMERICAN HEBREW CONGREGATIONS

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NEW CIVIL RIGHTS LEGISLATION: PROGRESS TOWARD FULFILLMENT

Despite the passage of civil rights legislation in 1964 and 1965, our nation is far from achieving its objective of equal justice under law. Unpunished assaults against civil rights workers; all white, all male juries; slum ghettos; the high rate of Negro unemployment - all are measuring rods which indicate how far we are from fulfilling our ideals.

Now the President has sent to Congress the Administration's proposals for the Civil Rights Act of 1966, intended to remedy the defects of existing legislation and to advance the civil rights cause in the North as well as in the South.

Major Provisions of the Bill

The Administration's bill, introduced by Congressman Celler in the House of Representatives as H.R. 14765, contains four major provisions:

- (1) It establishes detailed procedures for jury selection in federal courts to banish discrimination on account of race, color, religion, sex, national origin or economic status - and provides procedures for challenging and correcting discrimination in state juries. This provision is designed to correct the miscarriage of justice resulting from the systematic exclusion of Negroes from federal and state juries in the South.
- (2) It reforms federal criminal statutes in order to provide Negroes and all civil rights workers the protection of more effective criminal laws against interference with the exercise of their rights in voting, education, housing, employment, jury duty, travel, public facilities, public accommodation and federally supported programs and facilities.
- (3) It broadens the Attorney General's authority so that he can take initiative in bringing suit to force desegregation of schools and public facilities. The Attorney General already has this authority in discrimination involving voting, employment and public accommodations, but his lack of authority in school desegregation has in part contributed to the persistence of discrimination and only token compliance in desegregating public education.
- (4) It establishes a national policy against all discrimination because of race, color, religion or national origin in the purchase, rental, lease, use, occupancy or financing of housing. It also prohibits coercion and intimidation intended to interfere with a person's right to obtain housing without discrimination or to aid or encourage another to do so. Enforcement would be by civil action brought by the aggrieved party in federal or state court.

Criticism

Publicity about this bill and criticism directed against it has largely centered on the provision to end discrimination in housing. Senate Republican leader Dirksen, who had once called the public accommodations section of the 1964 act illegal, is now calling the non-discriminatory housing section unconstitutional.

Attorney General Katzenbach's testimony before Congress on this bill includes an answer to such criticism: "There is a close parallel here with the impact of the Public Accommodations Title of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Restaurant or motel owners, willing to desegregate, failed to do so because of economic fears. Once the Act was passed - and all of their competitors had to serve Negroes - many quickly complied...Title IV (of the new bill, H.R. 14765) is based primarily on the Commerce Clause of the Constitution and on the Fourteenth Amendment. I have no doubts whatsoever as to its constitutionality."

In addition to criticism from "conservatives," the proposed Civil Rights Act of 1966 has been criticized by "liberals" as being inadequate. The National Committee Against Discrimination in Housing, for example, called the proposed anti-discrimination housing provision "totally inadequate in itself to meet today's critical national problem of the explosive racial ghetto." Such criticisms may be valid. The President's proposals will probably not be adequate, but since when have liberals adopted a policy of "all or nothing?" A review of previous civil rights and social welfare legislation will demonstrate that legislation provides a basis for further action.

The housing provision will, at the very least, establish a national policy which will declare once and for all that discrimination in housing is both morally and legally wrong. It is widely recognized that so long as the twin evils of inner-city "ghettos" and the proportionately high cost of slum housing continue, the Negro today who lives in poverty will be unable to break the cycle of poverty for his family. The debate over housing will activate the national conscience more effectively than would a presidential order or a court decision. Once a national policy has been established, then it will be possible in ensuing years to develop more workable procedures for enforcement.

Recommended Amendments

The Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, the coalition of all the major religious, civil rights, civic and labor groups, is wholeheartedly supporting the Administration bill, H.R. 14765. However, it seeks to strengthen the bill by the following amendments:

- (1) Provide a more automatic way to institute procedures designed to end discrimination in the selection of state and federal juries. This would be analogous to the "automatic trigger" of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, which authorizes the use of its system of federal registrars where the number of non-white voters in a state or political subdivision falls below a set standard.
- (2) Provide civil indemnification for the victims of civil rights violence, for persons injured because of their race or color while trying to exercise their rights, and for civil rights workers injured while trying to help others assert their rights.
- (3) Vest enforcement of the fair housing provisions of the law in a federal administrative agency, instead of imposing upon each aggrieved individual the expense and effort of undertaking court action.
- (4) Extend coverage of Title VII, the Equal Employment section of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, to state and local government employees, and so make it possible to integrate the staffs of courts and police stations and the other institutions of justice.

Political Difficulties Regarding Passage

Several factors mitigate against easy or quick passage of the new civil rights "package." There has been no one dramatic event to highlight its purpose, as had occurred in previous years. No "Bull" Connors and no police dogs and no marches of white clergy symbolize 1966. If anything, the rising tide of militancy and use of violence in places like Watts may provoke reaction.

Furthermore, this is an election year and Congress will be anxious to adjourn early in order to go home to campaign. The time factor will be a powerful weapon in the hands of the opponents. The threat of a Senate filibuster will give added weight to the drive to compromise. Senator Ervin, subcommittee chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee and a leading southern opponent to any civil rights legislation, is scheduling hearings which he will try to extend throughout the summer. Both the Democratic and Republican leaders, Senators Mansfield and Dirksen, are opposed to putting any time limit on the Senate Judiciary Committee's consideration of the bill. Senator Dirksen served notice that he would not help to break a southern filibuster against the bill this year, as he had done previously. All these factors add up to a hostile climate.

Action to Be Taken

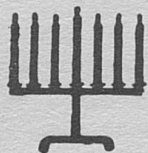
The House Committee on the Judiciary, whose chairman is Congressman Emanuel Celler, is presently holding hearings on H.R. 14765. When the hearings are concluded, Congressman Celler intends to push for speedy action. For the third consecutive time, the three major religious faiths offered joint testimony in support of civil rights legislation. They were represented by the Synagogue Council of America, the National Council of Churches of Christ in America and the National Catholic Welfare Conference.

It is essential for rabbis and lay leaders to exert their influence with strength and immediacy. Communicate now with both senators and congressmen to urge support of the Administration's civil rights bill with strengthening amendments. What we have begun we must finish. "Freedom from discrimination is not enough," the President said in his recent message to Congress. "There must be freedom from the disadvantage that 200 years of discrimination helped create."

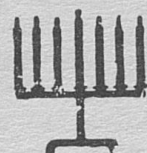
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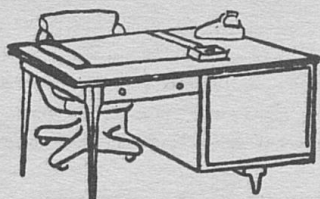
TEMPLE ADMINISTRATOR: Herman Straus

The Sabbath Theme

Moses' leadership was challenged by Eldad and Medad. His reaction was one of delight. His is a worthy example to emulate.

RABBI ROTHMAN TO RECEIVE DEGREE

The degree of Doctor of Hebrew Letters will be conferred upon Robert Aaron Rothman, Rabbi, Community Synagogue, Rye, New York at the Ordination Service, June 4, 1966 at 10 a.m. at the Isaac M. Wise Temple, K. K. B'nai Jeshurun, Eighth and Plum Streets, Cincinnati, Ohio.



FROM WHERE I SIT

By Rabbi William J. Leffler

In my message of the March 25th issue of our Temple Bulletin I wrote about being Jewish being "in" in some of our larger cities and questioning what was meant by "Jewish" in this usage.

In reading the New York Times recently, I came across an advertisement which has helped me to answer the question in regard to the thinking of our so-called sophisticates. It pictured two cans of "Instant Jewish", whose contents included such things as a Cadillac Registration, a note of introduction to Ambassador Goldberg, a Jewish horoscope, instructions on holding a plush Bar Mitzvah in a Chinese restaurant and a few other choice items. Beneath the list of contents was the statement - "So if you are Jewish, and you have a friend who is not lucky, (underlining theirs) Give! If you are having a party soon, serve this first. Where can you get more fun for only-----"

Traditional Jewish honor has within it the ability to laugh-at oneself. Perhaps these cans of "Instant Jewish" are of this nature.

Or perhaps they are not. Perhaps they are an example of crude and boorish disrespect for a faith. I find it hard to imagine an "Instant Christian" being packaged in the same way - with such contents as a miniature rosary, a vial of holy water, a dehydrated host and a letter of introduction to the Pope.

I have a feeling that we are rapidly and sadly losing our sense of what religion is all about. If this sort of thing makes one Jewish, God save us from ourselves!

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL



At the final teachers' meeting of the Religious School year, Mrs. Charles Schwartz, who is retiring after 16 years as librarian for the Congregation and Religious School, was presented with a lovely silver tray in appreciation of her years of service by Mrs. I. H. Stern, Jr., Principal of our School, on behalf of the congregation. Ethel's presence and bright smile will be missed on Sunday mornings by all those who have been working with her throughout the years.

WHY WORSHIP?

We are trying to be united with God - to be one with the Spirit which undergirds and binds the universe. When we succeed we are linked with our fellow-worshippers and for that matter - the larger family of mankind. Through the act of worship we affirm our divine oneness - that we are created in the image of God. In Jewish prayer we become as the Children of Israel on an eternal pilgrimage.

Our worship is to acknowledge reliance on God. That we breathe, walk or are conscious is God's gift. Thanksgiving is paramount in our prayer.

Furthermore Divine Service is to inspire our hope: The world can be perfected - our lives can be fulfilled. Confronting the finitude of our existence - the terror can be mitigated. From Him come our souls while to Him they return. If we can establish such faith - there dwells within us a triumphant spirit.

Does our worship accomplish these things? To do so we must build a mood-bringing out the latent soul in each of us - touching the responsive chords.

Temple prayers should create a sense of awe and feelings of camaraderie with other worshippers. In them we should be experiencing a voyage in faith through the timelessness of Jewish existence.

Congregational services must feature elements of our tradition - but what is new and modern as well. How else can we confront the ultimate as it is here and now. All art, music, drama and conventional religious forms can be used to invest worship so it will inform and move us. We must be careful, however, not to enshrine in worship what has been sullied or profaned elsewhere. These forms must be ruled out. That we worship in public together by no means excludes or denigrates private devotion - but being social and gregarious beings the interaction we experience in groups is most influential.

To understand how and why we worship is central to our existence as a congregation.

Rabbi Amiel Wohl

CONGRATULATIONS

We extend warmest good wishes to:

Mike Rosenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley M. Rosenberg, who received superior rating in the Piano Festival at Morehead College. He also received superior rating for playing Alto Saxophone Solo at Eastern State College, won top honors as international winner in the National Piano Audition, held on May 17 and 18, receiving a superior plus rating, and on May 19 he won the school history award.

Mr. and Mrs. David Weil on the marriage of their son, David Jr., to Miss Sally Loewenstein of Philadelphia. He is also the grandson of Mrs. Edith Weil and Mrs. Max Munich.

Elaine Marcus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hymmen Marcus, who will graduate in June from Indiana University.

(If there are other omissions or additions, please notify the secretary in the Temple office.)

Hospitality Hostesses

We wish to thank the following ladies for participating as hostesses at the social hour, May 27: Mrs. Charles Stern and Mrs. Martin Kaplan.

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:

Mr. Emanuel Meyers

GIFT SHOP NEWS

CONFIRMATION GIFT SUGGESTIONS BOOKS

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### YAHRTZEIT

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In My Father's Court

....by Isaac Bashevis Singer

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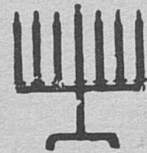
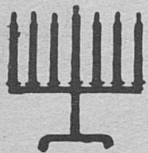
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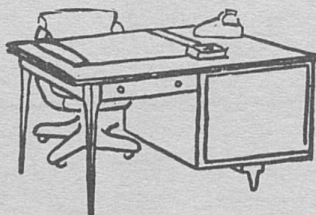
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## The Sabbath Theme

This Sunday is Confirmation for eleven of our children - A special day for them. But what ought its ongoing meaning be for them, and for all of us?



### "Worth Quoting"

Each Jew has within himself an element of the Messiah which he is required to purify and mature. Messiah will come when Israel has brought him to the perfection of growth and purity within themselves.

—Hasidic Rabbi Judah  
Zevi Stretiner



### FROM WHERE I SIT

By Rabbi William J. Leffler

Sunday will be a day of big excitement for eleven teenagers in our congregation. Confirmation, and the culmination of many years of study in our Religious School, of trying to learn what Judaism is all about and how they can apply its precepts to their lives.

But Confirmation ought to have additional significance. It ought also to be a time when the parents of the Confirmation Class ask themselves what sort of Jews they are, what sort of example they are setting for their child. For the moment to have any real significance for our Confirmands, there needs to be active parental participation in the Judaism into which they are being confirmed. Without this, the ceremony becomes a shame.

And not only is there parental responsibility, there is also congregational responsibility. These Confirmands will be entering the ranks of adult Jews. They need the examples of what Judaism means from the entire community also, for Judaism is the religion of a People, and without the Jewish People there is no Judaism. Thus, what Judaism is, depends upon what Jews are.

I hope to see you at Confirmation. I know it will be an inspiring service. But it also needs to have a lasting effect upon the lives of the Confirmands.

## COUPLES CLUB

The hayride given by the Couples Club on May 21, 1966 was a huge success. Just ask anyone who was there!

We'd like to give a special vote of thanks to Barney Millers for the loan of a phonograph and microphone, to Dave Bolotin for the delivery and use of his hay, and to Norm Wides for the truck and for driving it himself. Without these nice people we could not have had our hayride.

The next Couples' Club affair will be in August. We hope to see some more new faces. Anyone interested in the August party please contact Mrs. Dan Metzler, Jr. at 266-4949 or Mrs. Leonard Siegel at 277-6043.

RABBI EISENDRATH  
GREETES CONFIRMANDS

Rabbi Maurice N. Eisendrath, president of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, has sent the following message to the confirmands of 660 Reform congregations throughout the nation:

"At this time, as we attest to our spiritual dedication to Judaism and confirm our faith, we must exert our personal efforts to attain that most precious gift of all mankind - peace. We cannot place our faith in the conquest of space or the dreaded competition of nuclear bomb tests.

May our adult world through a strengthened United Nations, confirm with sincere efforts and unyielding tenacity, its quest for peace, so that your day of Confirmation may well be remembered as the beginning of the fulfillment of the prophecy that 'nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more'."

There is no man so good who, were he to submit all his thoughts and actions to the law, would not deserve hanging ten times in his life.

...Montaigne

## REFORM ALWAYS PRESENT IN JUDAISM

People implying that Reform in Judaism is something new, daring and different are completely mistaken. Anyone knowing the facts of Jewish history is aware that it has always been "Reform" and that Judaism has been changing throughout the ages.

1. Abraham was the first Reformer. He Reformed man's faith from idolatrous sacrifices to the "many" to righteousness for the "One God."

2. Moses Reformed the tradition that the relationship between God and man was based not on fear but on love.

3. All our Prophets were progressive Jews. They Reformed the faith so that people should know that our God was a power of justice and love, who desired faithfulness and righteousness and not sacrifices of animals.

4. Ezra, the Scribe, was the Reformer who stressed the significance of discipline and law and its divine inspiration.

5. The Maccabees of Chanukah fame Reformed Jewish heritage to expunge from it the Greek influences of Materialism and the cult of the physical.

6. Nineteenth Century Reform Judaism made harmony between the Old Faith and the New Science, and restored dignity to worship.

7. Twentieth Century Reform Judaism is the newest of Un-ending Reform. To all which has gone before, and for the sake of all that lies ahead, it has stressed the universal peoplehood of Jews everywhere as an article of faith. The aim is the Brotherhood of men under God's Fatherhood.

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The Bible and The Schools

...by William O. Douglas



## CONGRATULATIONS

We extend warmest good wishes to:

Neil Marks for winning the Mathematics Award sponsored by the Blue Grass Chapter of the Kentucky Society of Professional Engineers; also the Chemistry and Physics Award and also for having the highest male academic standing in his class at the Henry Clay High School.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Zapolsky on the birth of their daughter, Sarah Elizabeth, on May 21, 1966. The happy grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Irving Zapolsky.

Michael Mayer for being elected President of the Tates Creek School Student Council.

Frederick Mayer for becoming an Eagle Scout on May 19, 1966.

Sheryl Lowenthal, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Sanford Lowenthal, for receiving the Lexington Junior League's Music Certificate of Merit for instrumental achievement on the basis of musical ability, scholarship and character as a member of the Sayre School during the school year 1965-66.

Jack Hamm for graduating this month from Morehead State University.

## WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

We welcome to our congregation Dr. and Mrs. David Cerul of 2160 Nicholasville Road. Dr. Cerul is a dentist at the USPHS Hospital. They were recently married in our Sanctuary.

## WE ACKNOWLEDGE WITH APPRECIATION

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From Dr. and Mrs. Charles Schwartz in memory of Mrs. Clara Wikler, mother of Dr. Abraham Wikler.

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### RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

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ROSH HASHANAH 5727

As the sun sets Wednesday evening, September 14th, Jews all over the world gather to observe the Jewish New Year, Rosh Hashanah, one of the most ancient and sacred days in their history. According to the Hebrew calendar, the year 1966 is the Hebrew year 5727.

The Jewish New Year is markedly different in character from the joyous, exuberant celebration of other peoples. It is a profoundly serious day, during which Jews come together to pray, to examine their acts and their relationship to God and to each other, to remember the past and dedicate themselves to the future. It is the first of the great "Days of Awe," a ten-day period culminating in the Day of Atonement, Yom Kippur. According to Hebrew tradition, during this ten-day period man's fate is written down on Rosh Hashana and sealed at last on the final, tenth day of Yom Kippur, which begins this year at sundown, Friday, September 23rd. Orthodox and Conservative Jews observe Rosh Hashana for two days, most Reform Jews for one.

The traditional Rosh Hashanah service centers around prayer and self-examination, but reaches an extraordinarily dramatic climax when the shofar (a hollow ram's horn, one of the oldest instruments known to man) is blown. The book of Leviticus refers to the sound of the shofar as a "blast of horns, a holy convocation." The sound is piercing and powerfully over the centuries it has symbolized many things to Jews ancient and modern; a call to battle, the tearing away of the old year and the past through repentance and forgiveness, a plea to God that he remember man, and an alarm to rouse man from his moral indolence to an awareness of his responsibilities toward God and his fellow man.

Though the holiday is a solemn, introspective one, it is colored by an underlying joyousness in its traditional songs and the poetry which has been incorporated into the service. The wish for a "sweet" year of happiness and fulfillment is symbolically expressed at the traditional evening meal; families dip a piece of bread or an apple into a bowl of honey in the hope that "sweetness" will flavor the coming year.

A prayer from the Union Prayerbook, used in Reform Jewish services, reads:

"...Open our eyes to the beauty of Thy truth and help us so to exemplify it in our lives that we may win all men for Thy law of righteousness. Gather all Thy children around Thy banner of truth that Thy name may be hallowed through us in all the world and the entire human family may be blessed with truth and peace. Amen."



CIRCLE THIS DATE

September 11, 1966 is the date!

Don't forget! We are expecting you to attend the Brotherhood picnic to be held on the above date immediately following Sunday School on the Temple property on the Mt. Tabor Road.

For reservations call Robert Miller at 277-0214; Jack Miller at 266-4643 or Ben Lookofsky at 277-7912

The price will be \$1.75 for adults and \$1.50 for children under ten years of age.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS

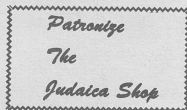
....To Jack Miller who was recently named an assistant Fayette County attorney.

BEST WISHES

for a speedy recovery to:
Mr. Sol Bloomfield

NEW ADDRESS

The address of Mr. and Mrs. I. Jay Miller and Jack Miller is 1980 Blairmore Road and the number is 266-4643.



BOOK REVIEW OF A NEW BOOK IN THE MAX BERMAN LIBRARY

The Spanish Inquisition
by Henry Kamen

We read a good deal in our history books about the Inquisition, but seldom is it placed in the perspective of the total Iberian culture to the times. This historical study attempts to do just this, and affords the reader a good understanding of the reasons for such a cruel office, in the name of religion, as well as how it functioned.

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From Mrs. Dorothy G. Frankel in memory of Mrs. Lillie Greenbaum.

Hospitality Hostesses

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The Sabbath Theme

This is the period of Solihot in Judaism, of penitential prayer. What is involved in seeking pardon and forgiveness?

MEMORIAL SERVICES AT CEMETERY

SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 16
1:15 P.M. Chavrei Zion Memorial Service
2:00 P.M. Unveiling of gravestone of the late David Adea
2:15 P.M. Adath Israel Memorial Service

Rabbi's Message

The summer is over and fall is upon us once again. School is in session. The public pools are closed. I have even seen a few falling leaves.

And with the advent of fall, our congregational activities pick up once again. The High Holidays begin on the evening of the 14th, followed by Sukkot and then things are in full swing.

As I look at the congregational calendar for the coming year and see how it has already begun to fill up, my thoughts turn to those people who will respond to our congregational activities. Surely, I know that not every member will be attracted by every event. This I cannot hope for. But hopefully every member will find some aspect of our planning to his liking and will give of himself to it, for a successful year requires participation.

The needs of the human soul are many and varied. Each of us, though created in the image of God, is different in countless ways. This is what makes human life so marvelous. The purpose of a religious organization is to attempt to meet the spiritual needs of its members. This we shall be attempting to do once again in the months ahead. I do hope that we shall be successful and that you will find our programming soul satisfying, as well as challenging. And if not, please let us know what we may do to make it better.

After the relative quiet of the summer, I look forward to the challenges of the coming months. I hope you will join me in meeting them

William J. Leffler
Rabbi



RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Religious School Registration is this coming Sunday, September 11th from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Please bring your child for registration and to pick up his necessary text books. A most exciting academic year is being planned for children, with a number of new projects, programs and courses.

Immediately after registration, at 11:00 a.m. there will be a teachers' meeting for all teachers in our school. We hope it will last only an hour.

SUPERCALAFRAGALISTIC ANNUAL SISTERHOOD GARDEN PARTY

It was a grand night - for singing the praises of Sisterhood for such a lovely and successful garden party.

Thirty-one newcomers and guests were warmly welcomed to the Lexington Jewish Community by 104 members of our congregation.

Balmy weather and a harvest moon topped a delightful dinner, and the "commercials" given by Sisterhood President, Madeline Strauss, Temple President, Charles Schwartz, and Rabbi Leffler went down easily too!

Three rousing cheers for chief organizer, Janice Weil, her tireless co-chairman, Ada Oshy, and to their skillful and hard working committee for the superb send off of our new Temple year.

Hermoine Beer
Antie Baker
Eana Bolotnik
Janice Dostrow
Edie Frankel
Alana Leffler
Judy Levine
Bea Miller
Libby Passell
Helen Paritz
Frieda Roos
Lill Rosenberg
Bea Rosenthal
Betty Rosenthal
Estelle Shabetai
Fayliss Scher
Nancy Scher
Frieda Shaberg
Madeline Strauss
Vivian Weil

A special thank-you to our official "light stringer upper", Al Strauss, our Jack-of-all-trades - Miller, and Jr. Stern, our roving photographer, for their much appreciated assistance.

HIGH HOLIDAYS

Once again our Sisterhood will tender a break the fast for the members of our congregation immediately following the conclusion of worship on Yom Kippur. A light snack will be served in the Vestry.

SISTERHOOD



The opening Sisterhood Board Meeting will be held Tuesday, September 13th at 10:00 a.m. at the home of the President, Madeline Strauss, 1052 Lakewood Drive. All Board Members are urged to be present.

Some women are savers -
Some women are spenders -
Are you a saver? -- then be sure to save Wednesday, September 21st for Sisterhood's opening session at the Temple.

If you are a spender, plan to spend from 12:30-2:30 eating and meeting. Although the program is shrouded in mystery, we do know it's an original skit by Frieda Roos, entitled "Death of a Salesman".

For reservations please call:
Bea Rosenthal 266-1382
Estelle Shabetai 277-0374

HIGH HOLIDAY SERVICE TIME SCHEDULE

ROSH HASHANA
7:00 P. M. WEDNESDAY
9:00 P. M. SEPTEMBER 14
10:00 a. m. Morning-SEPTEMBER 15
11:30 P. M. CHILDREN'S SERVICE
YOM KIPPUR
7:00 P. M. FRIDAY
9:00 P. M. SEPTEMBER 23
10:00 a. m. Morning
12:00 noon Sacred Readings
1:30 P. M. Children's Service
2:30 P. M. Afternoon Service
4:30 P. M. Memorial Service

Members are invited to attend either evening service during the High Holidays. Please note, if you attend the early service, please make every effort to leave the Sanctuary and parking lot as quickly as possible, and if you attend the second service, please do not arrive too early. We are starting our worship a half hour earlier this year to help alleviate the parking congestion.

Once again the Youth Group will provide a baby sitting service for the congregation during the High Holidays.

The Kindergarten room will be used for the service for both Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur - starting at 6:30 P.M. in the evenings and 9:30 a.m. in the mornings.



BROTHERHOOD

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YOUTH GROUP

An important meeting of all mothers of the Youth Group members will be held at the home of Mrs. Jerome Wurmer, 3409 West Ridge Circle, on Thursday, September 8th at 10:00 a.m. to discuss the year's program and the role of parents in supporting our youth program. All mothers are urged to be present.

RABBI AND MRS. LEFFLER'S RECEPTION FOR THE CONGREGATION

This year Rabbi and Mrs. Leffler will tender their annual reception for the congregation after Sabbath Shvuh services on Friday evening, September 16th. The entire congregation is invited to worship together once again and to remain to be greeted by the rabbi and his wife after the service.

HEBREW SCHOOL

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CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Marcus on the recent marriage of their daughter, Elaine Marcus to Charles Levine of Hartford, Connecticut. The marriage took place in Louisville and the couple will reside in Bloomington, Indiana.

Hospitality Hostesses

Hospitality Hostesses for the Break-The-Fast will be Mrs. I. H. Stern, Sr., Mrs. James Frankel, Mrs. William Michaelove, Mrs. James Levenson, Mrs. Arthur Lieber, Mrs. Edward Kessler, Mrs. Leo Michaels, Mrs. Ben Goldfarb, Mrs. Leonard Siegel, Mrs. David Gordon, Mrs. Charles Schwartz and Miss Henrietta Blumberg

Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:

Robert Stern
Dr. Irving Zepolsky
Sol Bloomfield

"WASTED OPPORTUNITY".....

Ruskin once said that when we fail to praise a man who deserves praise, two sad things happen; we run a chance of driving him from the right road for want of encouragement, and we deprive ourselves of one of the happiest of our privileges, the privilege of rewarding labor that deserves a reward.

.....Exchange

PHRASES WITH OTHER MEANINGS

"He is not a spiritual preacher" which means "His message is too relevant".

Letter from a Rabbi

August, 1966

I know a man who doesn't like baseball. At one time he used to go to a lot of games. When he was a child, his father had sent him almost every week. He thought it would do the boy good to learn about baseball. But Father never went along with his son. He didn't know much about baseball, but he figured that he could get along all right without it. If he ever wanted to find out anything, he could ask his son.

And now the boy is a man. He has forgotten whatever little he once knew about baseball, but that doesn't bother him too much. For some strange reason though, he buys a season ticket every year. Most years he even goes along with his son to opening day, but not every year. He does see to it that his son attends a game almost every week, just as he had done when he was a boy.

Unlike his father, however, he feels badly that he doesn't know more about the game, and he apologizes every so often for not going to more games. The chances are he will never change. It would take time to go to all those games and effort to learn all the things he would like to know. He probably won't put in the time and effort. He hopes that his son will do better some day, but he will likely just stay home, remain ignorant, and feel badly about it.

Somehow, I can't feel very sympathetic toward him.

Rabbi David M. Zislenka

TEMPLE LIBRARY

NEW BOOKS

Blood Accusation
by Maurice Samuel

The Spanish Inquisition
by Henry Kamen

Justice in Jerusalem
by Gideon Hausner

The Uncommon Soldier
by Robert D. Abrahams

Haharzetta

Ira Bernfeld
Emma Bing
Israel Cohen
Hyman Goldstein
Hyman Levenson
Sylvia Mickler
Lillian Moseson Levens
Hattie Ruttenberg
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SCHEDULE OF YOM KIPPUR SERVICES

YOM KIPPUR EVENING I 7:00 P.M. SEPTEMBER 23 (FRIDAY)
II 9:00 P.M. SEPTEMBER 23 (FRIDAY)

SERMON: CONTEMPT FOR PERSONS

MORNING 10:00 a.m. SEPTEMBER 24 (SATURDAY)

SERMON: A MATTER OF LIFE or DEATH

12:00 NOON SACRED READINGS

1:30 P.M. CHILDREN'S SERVICE

2:30 P.M. AFTERNOON SERVICE

SERMON: AM I A JONAH?

4:30 P.M. MEMORIAL SERVICE

AND CONCLUDING SERVICE

Candle Blessor for First Service

Mrs. Stanley Scher

Candle Blessor for Second Service

Mrs. Stanley Rose

Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service
RVICE

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RABBI'S MESSAGE

The New Year has passed. The Day of Atonement will fast be upon us - a time of introspection and thorough soul searching, when the entire days should be devoted to the spiritual aspects of our life.

As I consider the total mood of Yom Kippur, I frequently wonder about its effect upon us. Do we take seriously the words of prayer which our eyes see, our ears hear and our mouths utter? Do we place them upon our hearts where they can begin to alter our former ways.

I noticed the behavior of our two girls after Rosh Hashanah Children's service (the baby is too young to attend) and I seriously question whether they were aware of what had occurred. The same old arguments went on. The same old urging before school the next day. The same old complaints to be heard.

The ten days between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur provide each of us with many hours to consider ourselves - our actions, our attitudes, our weaknesses, our habits, our total beings. As we face The Day of Atonement, I wonder how many persons will have taken advantage of this opportunity to do the soul searching our High Holidays urge upon us. If you haven't done so yet, it is still not too late.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

As our new religious school year gets under way, we want to thank a number of persons for their assistance they have already rendered:

Frankel Drug for craft paper.
Mrs. Martin Kaplan for magazines.
Southern Dollar Stores for plastic fruit.
Woolworths for plastic flowers.
Sherwin Williams for wall paper sample books.
Bailer-Willmott Mfg. Co. for window shades.
Ira Gervitzman for shirt pieces.

**DON'T
FORGET!**

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SISTERHOOD

OPENING MEETING - SEPTEMBER 21, 1966
DUES - \$6.00

NO! NO! RABBI - MUSN'T TOUCH

Recently several families mistakenly contributed to the Rabbi's Fund in acknowledgement of Uniongrams. All donations should go to the Sisterhood YES Fund.

MR. VON ALMEN RESIGNS AS ORGANIST

We are saddened to announce that our Temple organist, Mr. Rudy Von Almen has been forced to resign due to his accepting employment in the Louisville area. Mr. Von Almen has been with our congregation for over three years and has served us most faithfully, directing our volunteer choir, as well as our duet. His severing of service takes effect as soon as we are able to find a replacement for him.

We wish Mr. Von Almen well in his new position and hope that he will return to visit from time to time.

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B'NAI B'rith

B'nei B'rith Lexington Lodge #289 will have a dinner meeting on Wednesday, September 21, 1966 at 6:15 P. M. at Temple Adath Israel. Please try to attend.

PULPIT FLOWERS

The pulpit flowers for Rosh Hashanah were from Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Weil, Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Winters and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Roos in memory of Mr. and Mrs. August Hammel, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Weil and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Winters.

NOTICE

The Beautification Committee has contributed a beautiful white urn to the Temple placed at the Parking Lot door. Please use it for cigar rings, cigarette stubs, chewing gum and the like.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

The Surgical Dressing Unit of the American Cancer Society will be held Wednesday, September 21 at 10:30 a.m. at Temple Adath Israel. For further information please call Mrs. Barney Miller at 266-4263.



We welcome to our congregational family Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Sapira of 1248 Cherboung Court. Dr. Sapira is Staff Physician at USPHS Hospital

Also, a very warm welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Elias of 2111 Lansall Road Apt. F72. Mr. Elias is General Manager of the American Technical Machinery Corp.

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CONTRIBUTIONS

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To the Max Berman Memorial Library from Dr. and Mrs. Charles Schwartz in memory of Hannah Gold.

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SAVE TRADING STAMPS
FOR
SISTERHOOD

Phrases with Other Meanings

"He must consider his position" which means "I want an emasculated citizen in the pulpit."

"He neglects the substantial members" which means that "The Temple is beginning to move."

—YOU—

ACTUALLY HAVE TO BE IN TEMPLE
IN ORDER TO
SEE OUR ATTENDANCE GROW.

TEMPLE LIBRARY

Get and read these new books in our Temple Library.

The Fixer
by Bernard Malamud

Blood Accusation
by Maurice Samuel

Everything But Money
by Sam Levenson

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THE OBLIGATIONS OF HEREDITY

Jewish history admonishes the Jews: "Noblesse oblige". The privilege of belonging to a people to whom the honorable title of the "Veteran of History" has been conceded puts serious responsibilities on your shoulders. You must demonstrate that you are worthy of your heroic past.

Simon M. Dubnow

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To the Flower Fund from Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Rosenzweig in memory of Risa and Max Rosenzweig.

To the Flower Fund from Mrs. Hugo Rosenbaum in memory of Joseph and Paula Braun.

To the Max Berman Library Fund from Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Alperin in memory of William J. Leffler.

To the Rabbi's Fund from Mrs. Stuart Oken in appreciation to the rabbi.

HOSPITALITY HOSTESSES

Hospitality hostesses for Friday, September 30, 1966 will be Mrs. Hugo Bloomfield, Mrs. Herman Abel, Mrs. Hyman Shraberg and Mrs. Ernst Rosenzweig.

CORRECTION

The correct phone number for the Robert Kuehnes' is now 277-2363.

YAHIRZEIT

Malcolm Metzler
Herbert Robinson

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Sabbath Eve Services

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1966 8:00 P.M.

Rabbi William J. Leffler

will discuss

The Textures of Sukkot

Mrs. Kenneth L. Gerson will kindle the Sabbath Candles Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Service

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SABBATH THEME

Every year we build a lovely Sukkah in our Sanctuary - a booth using the varieties of fall fruits and foliage. Many of them have significance beyond their outer appearance.

* BOARD MEETING *
* TUESDAY OCTOBER 4, 1966 *
* 8:00 P. M. *
* TEMPLE LIBRARY *

RABBI'S MESSAGE

Fall is a sadly happy season. The more leisurely pace of summer is now finished. The energy and activity of our more hurried routine returns with the crispness of the weather. The changing hues of the fall foliage remind us of the changes which occur all too rapidly within our own lives. The fullness and color of the harvest moon evoke a wistfulness within us. The thought of fresh cider sparks our taste. So many emotions are comingled at this time of the year.

And in this framework we celebrate our holiday of Sukkot - the time when our ancestors in Palestine would build temporary shelters in which to dwell during the holiday. These booths - Sukkot - were flimsy, unsubstantial, open to the vicissitudes of the weather and the storms, and yet beautified by the foliage and fruit lovingly used to decorate them - a sadly happy symbol for a sadly happy season.

The capturing of this spirit within our holiday ought not be lost upon us. Just as the Sukkah only takes on beauty and meaningfulness when it is draped with the bounties of the harvest, but looks sad and forlorn without them, so too does life only take on beauty and meaningfulness when we adorn our days with actions and deeds which can drape our very physical existence with an aura of purpose and sanctification.

Have a lovely Sukkot.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

OUR APPRECIATION

Rabbi and Mrs. Leffler wish to thank all their many friends in the congregation who extended their well wishes during the past Holiday season. Your thoughts and sentiments are most warmly reciprocated. May it be a most blessed year for all.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

THE TYG CONGREGATIONAL DINNER

A wonderful chicken dinner will be prepared and served exclusively by TYG members on Sunday, October 9, 1966 at 6:00 P. M. at the Temple. Dinner will end at 7:15 and you will be cordially invited to watch our movie feature, "The Family's Jewels", starring Jerry Lewis, from 7:30 until 9:00 P. M. Free popcorn and lemonade will be served at the intermission.

Prices for the gala affair will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.25 for children under twelve. Come on out for an evening of food, fun, and pleasure.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

By our most recent count, we have 156 students in our Religious School. This is approximately the same number as last year.

Consecration Service for new pupils in our Religious School will be held on Friday Evening, October 7, 1966. Members of our Consecration Class this year and also their parents are:

Prekindergarten

Sylvia Lee Ellinger
Alan Jacobson
Lee Scott Mayer
Russell Pet
Jennifer Tucker

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ellinger
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jacobson
Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mayer
Dr. and Mrs. Donald Pet
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Tucker

Kindergarten

Michael Jacobson
Deborah Kuehne
Dawn Magid

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jacobson
Dr. and Mrs. Robert Kuehne
Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Magid

First Grade

Brooke Magid
Pacey Pet

Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Magid
Dr. and Mrs. Donald Pet

Third Grade

Asher Pet

Dr. and Mrs. Donald Pet

Hallah dipped in honey will be served to each of the consecration children, symbolic of the sweetness of Jewish learning.

Mrs. Myron Katz, Sisterhood Religious School Chairman, is in charge of the arrangements.



NEW MEMBERS

We welcome to our congregation Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Cazden of 1245 Eldemere Road. Mr. Cazden is a professor in the School of Library Science at the University of Kentucky. They have three boys - David, 8 years of age; Roger, 3 years of age, and Eugene, 2 months. The family formerly resided in Corvallis, Oregon. Their phone number is 266-2361.

CONGRATULATIONS

We are pleased to congratulate Mr. Milton A. Baer who recently received the National Quality Award issued by the National Association of Life Underwriters. Mr. Baer is the only Life Insurance Agent in Lexington and Central Kentucky to receive this award for as many as twenty-one consecutive years.

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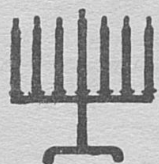
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October 7, 1966



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Sabbath Eve Services



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1966 8:00 P.M.

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will discuss

Be Thou Consecrated

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RABBI'S MESSAGE

From where I sat the full house at the recent Brotherhood meeting was a joy to behold. I say this for a couple of reasons.

First, our Brotherhood needs the active support of our congregation. For the past few years it has been limping along, receiving only half-hearted support from the men, frequently offering stimulating and interesting programs at meetings which were poorly attended. The Brotherhood is an important arm of our congregation. It deserves the sort of support we had last Wednesday. Let us hope that the first meeting will be the beginning of a greatly rejuvenated organization.

Secondly, there was great interest shown by the audience in our proposed Constitutional revision. Two of the members of the Revision Committee were even present. Our form of government cannot function unless we have an electorate that is informed on the issues, that understands the matters under discussion. Thus the great interest shown in the coming referendum is indicative of the fact that our political system is still able to function. (By the way, we shall devote another evening to the Constitutional Revision).

So, while I was a bit concerned that for a moment that we would run out of room last Wednesday, problems like this we should have more often.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

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Once again we consecrate new students as they begin their Jewish education. What is the significance of this ceremony for those involved - both parents and children?

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SISTERHOOD

WOMEN IN MEN'S DORMITORIES AT HUC

Scandal!!! No - just part of Sisterhood's exciting tour of Hebrew Union College scheduled for Wednesday, October 19.

If you haven't seen the impressive rare book room and language lab, or been awed and thrilled by the archaeological artifacts in the art museum, or seen the Archives or been overwhelmed by the Moorish grandeur of the Plum Street Temple, October 19 is a must. Please call Leona Stern, 277-0350 or Bea Rosenthal, 266-1382 for Bus Reservations Now.



October (29)

CIRCLE THIS DATE

ACHTUNG - COUPLES CLUB WEIR GAIT UND ESSEN

Our German may be feeble but our cooking is flawless! Reach for your calendar and circle Saturday, October 29. Grab your phone, a seductive voice will answer at 277-8711 to accept reservations for a Progressive Dinner.

First 25 couples to call will eat! Reservations after 25 - come and watch us eat. Eaters approximately \$3.50 per couple.
Watchers - ? Machen Schnell

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

One of the new programs of Religious School this year will be Family Worship Services on a number of Sunday mornings, from 11:00 to 12:00 noon. In the Senior Assembly these services will be conducted by the students of the different classes. Mr. Gewirtzman's Sixth Grade will be the first to lead us in worship, at our first Family Service on Sunday, October 23rd.

Below are a few scenes from registration day at Religious School
Top left - Mrs. Jerome Wurmser registers her daughter with Rabbi Leffler; top right - Mrs. Edith Weil, our Third Grade teacher of long standing; lower left - Mrs. Morris Rozen explains a point, and lower right - Mrs. Julius Abraham welcomes Philip Levy, while his mother Mrs. Erle Levy and Lisa Levy look on.



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Congratulations

Our congratulations to Mrs. Moses Fried who has been named president of the Fleming County United Charities Fund drive which opens in January.

We are pleased to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. David Levine, new members of our congregation, on the birth of a daughter on September 26, 1966.

\$500.00

Litter Cost Nothing If You Don't Make It!

That is what it costs the State of Kentucky annually to clean up the litter that we carelessly toss into streets and roadsides daily - so you, the taxpayer, are penalized for this shameful waste and destruction of beauty. Temple's Beautification Committee has placed an urn at the Parking Lot Entrance and begs you to use it for your Cigarette and Cigar Stubs and Chewing Gum - Please carry the litter campaign to all the community. Thank you -

Cleo

TEMPLE LIBRARY NEW BOOKS

God's Angry Men
by Beryl D. Cohon

The Prophets
by Beryl D. Cohon

Sandy Koufax
by Jerry Mitchell

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Hospitality hostesses for Friday, October 7, 1966 will be Mrs. I. A. Paritz, Mrs. Irving Levy, Mrs. Leonard Lipton, Mrs. Kenneth Gerson, Mrs. Lawrence Hymes, and Mrs. Simon Jacobs.



IN MEMORIAM

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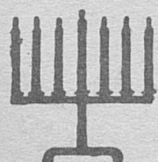
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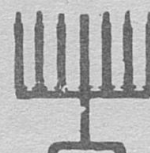
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Sabbath Eve Services



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1966 8:00 P.M.

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will discuss

If We Were The Generation of Noah

Mrs. George Pincus will kindle the Sabbath Candles
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RABBI'S MESSAGE

As I consider my message for our Temple Bulletin each week, I frequently wonder how much attention the members of the congregation pay to the various articles and announcements which we put in it. I do know that there are some who read it thoroughly and report the periodic errors to me. And I know that there are some who seldom read it because of their reaction of surprise when I mention coming events that have been publicized for a number of weeks in the bulletin.

For those of my congregation who do read the bulletin closely, I should like to point out a couple of changes which we have made this year and the reasons for them. First, we have decreased the overall dimensions by about an inch each way. This was done to permit the second change, which was to do away with the loose insert page when we had a large amount of news for any one issue. In its stead, we shall have a fold-in page, which can either be a full or a half size sheet. This is not only a more economical way of doing the Bulletin but we think it will be easier to read for you.

Hopefully we shall continue making changes to improve the quality of the Temple Bulletin. If you have any suggestions that you think we could incorporate, please let me know. In the meantime, I hope you continue to read, enjoy, and participate.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

SABBATH THEME

Our Torah portion for this Sabbath deals with Noah and the Flood. While this epoch is most likely legendary, nonetheless, the situation of total destruction of mankind is one that might confront us in our day. How might we react?

BIENNIAL CONVENTION

Four delegates from our congregation will be participating in the forthcoming Biennial Assembly of the Ohio Valley Council of the UAHC, October 21-23 in Indianapolis. They are Stanley Rose, Ben Goldfarb, Harry Miller and Jack Miller. In addition, Rabbi Leffler will be attending.

The Biennial Assembly permits leaders of congregations such as ours to meet with the leaders of other congregations, to consider problems of mutual concern within our Ohio Valley Council and to exchange ideas relevant to the functioning of a congregation,

As part of the Biennial, the new facilities of regional camp at Zionsville will be dedicated. One of the cabins is being underwritten by members of our congregation. If you wish to participate in this worthwhile project, contact Jack Miller, 266-4643 for details.

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NOTICE

Confirmants and all post Confirmants are asked to meet with Jack Miller at the Temple on Sunday, October 16, 1966 at 10:00 a.m.



COUPLES' CLUB

GOURMETS OF THE WORLD UNITE

The reservations for our progressive dinner Saturday, October 29 are going like crepe suzettes so call 277-8711 for your reservation for an evening of culinary delight and delightful company. Remember we are restricted to 25 couples, approximately \$3.50 per couple. 277-8711.

SISTERHOOD

ALL ALONE BY THE TELEPHONE

Leona Stern and Bea Rosenthal are impatiently waiting for the phone to ring for your bus reservation for the October 19 trip to Hebrew Union College. Where else for \$2.75 can you get wine, women, and song - or at least coke, sandwiches and an enlightening look at the past, present and future of Judaism, Plum Street Temple's exotic beauty, magnificent old silver seder plates, ultramodern library facilities - this trip holds something of interest for everyone so call now - 277-0350 or 266-1382.

NEARLY NEW SHOP

Summer clothes are put away,
Fall and winter garments are in to stay,
Some you've outgrown and others don't fit,
But for the Nearly New it helps quite a bit.

Mrs. Leonard Lerner
266-1671

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RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The first of our Family Worship services will be held on Sunday, October 23, 1966. This is a new project of our school, and is interned to help our students to become more cognizant of prayer as an active part of their Jewish life, and not something they merely sit through.

Mrs. Gewirtzman's class is preparing this worship service, and to a large degree, it will be of their own creation. These services are scheduled to begin at 11:20 a.m., so that parents may come to the service and leave directly afterward for home and lunch. We hope that the congregation will take these opportunities to worship with their children.

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HADASSAH STUDY GROUP

Because of an unexpected delay in obtaining Call It Sleep from the publishers, the October meeting of the Hadassah Study Group will be postponed from Thursday, October 13 to Thursday October 20. The meeting will still be held at the home of Mrs. Louis Dubilier, 665 Bayswater in Stonewall at 8:00 P. M. sharp.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

All women of the American Cancer Society who are not going on the bus trip to Hebrew Union College are requested to meet at Temple on Wednesday, October 19. For information call Mrs. Barney Miller at 266-4263.

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THE NEUROTICS IN OUR MIDST

Congregations are not exclusive clubs for healthy, normal and happy people. It is their function to welcome the disturbed and troubled, and all of us, at some time in our lives, may be in this category. Mental illness and emotional problems are as common as colds and measles. A good portion of every congregation is suffering from mental ailments.

Those who are well have the obligation of providing an environment in which the disturbed can be helped to peace and confidence. It is not easy. We are tempted to condemn religion because we witness cruelty and even hatred among people within the congregation. We are tempted to abandon the affairs of the congregation to them. The disturbed person will beat the congregation, trample upon its purposes, twist its motives, impugn its workers and heap calumny upon everyone who is not suffering as he is. We must not accept his judgment nor abandon our own obligation. The congregation is the only social institution whose duty it is to help him break the bonds of alienation he has forged upon himself. It is a dangerous task, too. But we cannot escape it.

Rabbi Melvin Weinman

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Best Wishes

For a speedy recovery to:

Mrs. Philipp Wurmser,
mother of Mr. Jerome
Wurmser.

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HOSPITALITY HOSTESSES

Hospitality hostesses for Friday, October 14 will be Mrs. Hillard Aberson, Mrs. Sheldon Hymson, Mrs. Kate Hymson and Mrs. Maurice Hymson.

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YAHARZEIT

Maurice Kovinow
Bessie Milner
Lena Moses
Max Munich
Govriel L. Rosenthal
Gloria Baker Siegel
Hannah Silver
Lewis Wollstein

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TEMPLE LIBRARY NEW BOOKS

Two Tales by S. Y. Agnon
Betrothed and Edo and Enam

Christian Beliefs and Anti-Semitism
by Charles Y. Glock and
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PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Oct. 16 Brotherhood Board Mtg. 10:30 a.m.
 Oct. 16 TYG Forum 5:00 P.M.
 Oct. 17 Sisterhood Board Mtg. 10:00 a.m.
 Oct. 19 Sisterhood Meeting 12:30 P.M.
 Oct. 19 Worship Committee Mtg. 8:00 P.M.
 Oct. 21 Worship Services 8 P.M.
 Oct. 26 Brotherhood Meeting 6:30 P.M.
 Oct. 27 Temple Board Leadership Dinner 6:15 P.M.
 Oct. 28 Worship Services 8 P.M.
 Oct. 29 Couples Club
 Oct. 30 TYG Meeting 2:00 P.M.
 Nov. 1 Temple Board Meeting 8:00 P.M.
 Nov. 5 Worship Services 8 P.M.
 Nov. 6 Hillel



SISTERHOOD

Because of the limited response, the proposed trip to Hebrew Union College has been shelved temporarily.

The October 19th Sisterhood meeting will take place at the Temple as usual.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

All women of the American Cancer Society are requested to meet at Temple on Wednesday, October, 19, 1966 at 10:30 a.m. For information call Mrs. Barney Miller at 266-4263.



FATHER AND SON BROTHERHOOD MEETING

A number of University of Kentucky basket ball players will be present at the next Brotherhood meeting to discuss their trip this past summer to Israel, Iran, and Greece. They will also discuss the prospects for the team's continued successes this coming season.

The date is Wednesday, Oct. 26 and the time is 6:30 P.M. for dinner. Watch for further information.

10th BIENNIAL CONVENTION OHIO VALLEY COUNCIL

The week end of October 21-23 will be an exciting one for the delegates from Adath Israel who will be attending the Biennial. The theme of the meeting will be "A Light Unto The Nations" and will feature some of the outstanding leaders of Reform Judaism. The subject will focus "attention upon the impact of Judaism and the synagogue upon the total life of our communities" and will seek to find meaningful programs which may serve as guidelines for our congregations and our members."

Those who will be representing Temple Adath Israel will be Stanley Rose, Ben Goldfarb, Harry Miller and Jack Miller. Rabbi Leffler will be attending also.



NEEDLEWORK GUILD

The Lexington Needlework Guild will enroll new members the week of October 16th. This organization furnishes new clothing to the Lexington and Fayette County schools and nine other charities not receiving local or federal aid. One may join by contributing money or two identical articles of new clothing. New members of the congregation are urged to become a part of this worthwhile and necessary organization. Call Mr. Arthur Meyers, Mrs. Barney Miller, Mrs. Seymour Moskowitz, Mrs. Ben Roos, Mrs. E. H. Straus or Mrs. Maury Weil, Directors.

A LITTLE CAN HELP TO DO SO MUCH!



It is wisdom to believe the heart. —George Santayana

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SISTERHOOD

Dear Sarah,

Sisterhood meetings here are great. This month on October 19th Dr. Irving Kanner, President of the Fayette County Medical Society, is speaking to us on Living In A Cesspool. He knows a lot about water pollution and has been instrumental in motivating the Public Health Survey that is studying this vital issue. It's important to me to attend. I certainly don't want the twins exposed to sewage or left without decent recreational water facilities.

Did I tell you Dr. Kanner is past President of the Temple? It's wonderful when such a busy man can find time to speak to our sisterhood. I wouldn't miss a meeting for the world and besides it gives me a chance to see what the Rebbitzen is wearing.

Love,
Rachel

NEARLY NEW

The Nearly New is going great. But we need more to celebrate. Give us your worn but nearly new and Sisterhood says thanks to you:

Mrs. Leonard Lerner
266-1671

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

October has been proclaimed special clean-up month for Lexington and Fayette County. It is being sponsored by the Lexington Beautification Committee.

"Come" on folks! Lend a hand!

"Litter looks better in a can."

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Rabbi William J. Leffler

will discuss

Who Speaks for Jews and Who Speaks to Jews?

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The Sabbath Theme



Within the past month there has been a great deal of discussion about the American Jew and his attitudes toward our foreign policies. Ambassador Goldberg even acted as the supposed spokesman for President Johnson. Thus we ought to ask ourselves - who speaks for us as Jews and who can speak to us as Jews?



Last Week's bulletin announced the first of our Family Worship Services as part of our Religious School. I should like to say a few words about this new aspect of our school program.

All too often we think of worship in a passive sense. The Congregation sits in the pew and joins in when called upon to do so. This is what adults experience too frequently. This is what our children experience too frequently. And this is wrong.

Worship is not a passive activity. It is active. It requires emotional, intellectual, spiritual involvement. People pray for many reasons, and one of these reasons is to learn how to pray. The person who does not know how to pray, does not pray.

We want our children to pray, not just as passive members of the congregation, but as active worshippers. One of the ways in which this can be accomplished is for them to lead others in worship.

Therefore, I hope that every adult member of our congregation will avail himself of this opportunity to help our children learn to pray. Won't you join me and the Religious School for these Family Services. The first one is on Sunday, October 23 at 11:20 a.m. I look forward to praying with you.

TEMPLE BOARD MEETING Nov. 1, 1966
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8:00 P.M.



STUDENTS

The week end of October 28-30, the University of Kentucky is holding a Human Rights Conference for students from all over the state. Housing for these students is urgently needed. If you would be willing to take any students for two nights, please contact Rabbi Leffler immediately.



FROM WHERE I SIT

by Rabbi William J. Leffler



COUPLES CLUB

ATTENTION: CHEFS and CONSUMERS

Chefs: Please keep an accounting of your food cost for our progressive dinner and bring it with you Saturday, October 29.

Consumers: Appetizers and "beverages" will be served by Mesdames Doctrow, Kaplan, and Silber - chez Kaplan, 733 Malibu, 7:30 P.M.

Will there be an entree? Be sure to read next week's Bulletin --- same space, same scribe.



TEMPLE YOUTH GROUP

The TYG chicken dinner held on October 9 was a big success. About a hundred people were present for the gala event that was one of the TYG's major money-making projects. Members prepared and served the food. After the dinner the movie was shown.

The next TYG meeting will be Sunday, October 16 at 5:00 P.M. All members are urged to attend.

COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT

The Council of Jewish Women will meet Monday, October 24 at 7:30 P.M. at the home of Mrs. Harold Frankel, 3411 Briarcliff Circle. The program will be a demonstration of flower arrangements by Mrs. Russell Henry.

NOTICE

The picture below shows how much the parking lot is used even for daytime functions. We are making every effort to pay off our notes at the bank as quickly as possible in order to save interest. Therefore we would appreciate everyone paying his pledge promptly when he receives a notice that it is due.



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From Dr. and Mrs. Irving Zapolsky in memory of Solomon Mintz and Rubin Zapolsky.

From Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Paritz in memory of Moses Alperin.

From Dr. and Mrs. Abraham Wikler in memory of Mrs. Flora Fischer.

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From Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fine in appreciation to the Rabbi.

MAX BERMAN LIBRARY FUND

From Rabbi and Mrs. William J. Leffler II in memory of William J. Leffler.



VOLUNTEER CHOIR

Our volunteer choir will be starting its rehearsals very shortly, and we are in need of additional persons to sing in it. If you would like to participate in this aspect of our congregation, please call Dr. Lloyd Mayer at 266-7356. Do it today!



HOSPITALITY HOSTESSES

Hostesses for Friday, October 21, 1966 will be Mrs. I. J. Abraham, Miss Gertrude Abraham, Mrs. J. B. Abraham and Mrs. Barney Miller.



YAHREZEIT

Marjorie Dryden
Emma Feinberg
George S. Fleishman
Mrs. E. H. Goldsmith
Fannie Kahn
Sadie Kanarek
I. Jay Miller, Sr.
Rugo Rosenbaum
Abramino Raphael Shabetai
Michnel Switow

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Oct. 30 TYG Meeting 2:00 P.M.
 Nov. 1 Temple Board Meeting 8:00 P.M.
 Nov. 4 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
 Nov. 6 Senior Assembly Teachers' Meeting 12:00
 Nov. 6 Hillel 5:30 P.M.
 Nov. 9 Social Action-B'nai B'rith Meeting 6:30 P.M.
 Nov. 11 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
 Nov. 13 TYG Meeting 5:00 P.M.
 Nov. 16 Sisterhood Meeting 12:30 P.M.
 Nov. 16 Adult Education 8:00 P.M.
 Nov. 18 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
 Nov. 20 Hillel
 Nov. 21 Couples Club 8:00 P.M.

NOTICE—

The new address for Mr. and Mrs. Avram Levine is 3432 Malibu Circle 40502.

The address for Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hart is 2513 Webber Street, Sarasota, Fla. 33579.

Best Wishes

... for a speedy recovery to:

Mrs. Kate Hymson
 Mr. Irving Levy
 Mrs. Jennie Moskovits,
 mother of Charles Moskovits and
 Seymour Moskovitz.

Mrs. Irving Zapolsky
 CONGRATULATIONS

...to Dr. Joseph Hamburg who
 was recently appointed the first
 Dean of the University of Ken-
 tucky's new School for Allied
 Health Personnel.



NEW BOOK
 IN THE
 TEMPLE LIBRARY

The Passover Plot
 by Dr. Hugh J. Schonfield

COUPLES CLUB

REMINDER!!

1. Progressive Dinner - Oct. 29, 1966
 7:30-8:30 P.M. - Appetizers and drinks- residence of Dr. and Mrs. Martin Kaplan, 733 Malibu.
2. 8:45-10:00 P.M. - Entree - Residence of Rabbi and Mrs. William J. Leffler, 3441 Belvoir Drive.
3. 10:15 P.M. - Dessert - Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Milner, 706 Brook Hill Drive.

The crowning blows to our diet will be given by Mrs. Morris Brazin, Mrs. Leonard Lipton, Mrs. Aaron Mason, Mrs. George Pincus and Mrs. I. H. Stern, Jr.

4. Chefs and Guests - Please bring your written accounting of food costs. Give it to Mr. Jerome Wurmsler along with your \$3.50. Adjustments and refunds will come with dessert.

Our thanks go also to the following women without whose help we would go hungry: Mrs. Milton Gellin, Mrs. Lawrence Hymes, Mrs. Avram Levine, Mrs. Dan Metzler, Mrs. Morris Rosen, Mrs. Leonard Siegel and Mrs. Charles Stern. Happy eating!!

PRAYER.....

To pray for the impossible is disgraceful. It is as if one brought into a shed a hundred measures of corn, and prayed: "May it be Thy will that they become two hundred."

How should one pray? "May Thy blessing enter into the corn and not Thy curse."

Tosefta

"He who eats and drinks and does not bless the Lord is a thief."

... Hebrew Proverb



JUST A REMINDER!

Hamukah is just a month or so away. Mrs. Harold Baker is chairlady of our Sisterhood Judaica Shop. Call on her at 266-8675 for service with a smile!

WORTH QUOTING

One can be a brother only in something. Where there is no such tie that binds men, men are not united. They are merely lined up. Men are brothers only in God.

...Selected by Sidney Greenberg



"WHY DO YOU FEEL HE WAS SPEAKING DIRECTLY TO MY SINS?"

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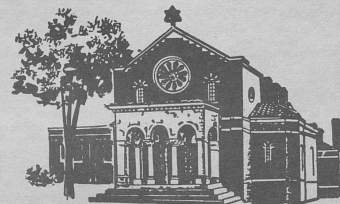
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Sermon Topic - A New Look at Inter-marriage

Synopsis: There is currently much discussion on this subject. It is on many levels. Among them ought to be our own attitudes toward Judaism and those who wish to convert when marriage is involved.

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Rabbi's Message

Our Adult Education Committee has been hard at work trying to plan an interesting and provocative program for us utilizing articles in current Jewish periodicals. The first session will be held on Wednesday, November 16th at 8:00 P.M. at the Temple and will consider the extent to which Interfaith Dialogue can occur.

We had planned some great publicity for this first session and had hoped to send out the article to every member. Unfortunately the article we had selected was so much in demand by other groups and persons that we could not obtain more than 45 copies of it. And so our publicity has had to be curtailed.

The article, entitled, Judaism in the Post-Christian Era, is by Rabbi Eliezer Berkovits and appeared in the Winter, 1966 issue of Judaism, a quarterly published by the American Jewish Congress. The basic thesis of Rabbi Berkovits is that there can be no real discussion of a theological nature between the two faiths. His views are provocative and ought to lead to some fascinating discussion.

Other sessions are being planned by the Committee for December 7, January 18, February 15, and March 15, and will consider articles on such varied subjects as Jewish "Gnosticism", the "God is Dead" controversy and The Small Jewish Community, all using articles from current periodicals.

Cost for this series is \$2.00, a small amount for the excitement you will have. Call the Temple office and register. I look forward to sharing a most stimulating program with you.



Social Action

There are still prayers and Bible reading in many County Schools. Blue Laws were a hot issue last spring. The Nativity Scene is back in front of the County Courthouse.

The second Social Action Committee program for this year will be jointly sponsored with our local B'nai B'rith Chapter on November 9th. At that time we shall have a discussion of Church-State relations as they currently are found here in Lexington. Participating in the discussion will be Mr. Alvin Goldman of the UK Law School and Pastor J. Donald Elam of Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Dinner is at 6:30 P.M. The program will be at 7:15 P.M. Wives and non-B'nai B'rith members are invited to attend the program.



HADASSAH DISCUSSION GROUP

The second meeting of the Hadassah Discussion Group will be at the home of Mrs. Franklin Moosnick on November 10, 1966 at 8 P.M. sharp. A discussion of The Old Bunch by Meyer Levin will be led by Mrs. Stanley Saxe and Mrs. Alan Miller. Members are reminded to bring checks to pay for the books to be used the rest of the year.



TEMPLE BOARD MEETING Nov. 1, 1966
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SISTERHOOD

MRS. RICHARD HANAU TO SPEAK WED., OCT. 16, 1966

"Get in There and Study!"

What parent has not delivered this ultimatum? Mrs. Richard Hanau, our own Laia, well known in Lexington as an educator, par excellence, will speak to us on recognizing study problems.

This is just a teaser. Watch for more in next week's bulletin.

TURN OFF THE NOODLES

"Please, says Estelle Shabetai, bring us recipes for our boxes at the next Sisterhood meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 16th but no more noodle pudding".

Those unfortunate women who have not already purchased a Sisterhood Recipe Box may do so by calling Estelle at 277-8374.

BRAILLE FUND FLOUNDERING

The Braille Fund is in immediate need of replenishing. Recently some unexpected repair bills have drained its resources. In order not to endanger the continuation of transcribing books and recordings, this worthy cause needs your support now. Please help. Donations are accepted in honor of happy occasions as well as in memory of one whom you wish to remember. Please make checks payable to Sisterhood, Temple Adath Israel and indicate Braille Fund. Thank you.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Pictured below are some of the members of our Consecration Class with Rabbi Leffler after the special service this past month. From left to right are Bobo Kuehne, Alan Jacobson, Jennifer Tucker, Rabbi Leffler, Michael Jacobson and Sylvia Ellinger.



The first meeting for the Senior Assembly Teachers will be Sunday, November 6, from 12:00 to 2:00 P.M. in the Library.

The first family worship service conducted by the Sixth Grade was most inspiring. The next one, on November 27th will be for the Junior Assembly Classes.

CHOIR

Mrs. Adams, our new organist, is calling a choir rehearsal for Wednesday, November 2, at 7:30 P.M. in the Vestry. All members are requested to attend. New members are invited to join.

We're grateful to....

the following for their contributions:

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From Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marks in honor of their 20th Wedding Anniversary.

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From Mrs. Hugo Rosenbaum in memory of Hugo Rosenbaum.

From Mr. and Mrs. Leo Michaels in memory of Emma Feinberg.

SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES

Hostesses for Friday, November 4 will be Mrs. Ed Wides, Mrs. Norman Wides, Mrs. Dan Metzler and Mrs. Harold Miller.

Pulpit Guests

Pulpit Guests for Friday, November 4 will be:

Mr. I. H. Stern, Jr.
Mr. Harold Miller

Yahazits This Week

Ida Sarah Cramer Cohen
Ida Dobbin Paritz
Esther Hyman Simon
Dr. Samuel Younger

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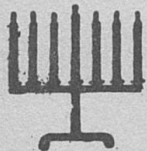
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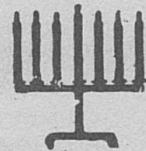
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Sermon Topic - Let Us Bless

Synopsis - As we live day by day, we influence many people. We need to say, "Let me bless each person as I meet him." But how is this to be done?



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Rabbi's Message

This week we have enclosed a little book mark in your Temple Bulletin - on the surface an insignificant and uninspiring little item, but one which conveys far more than the few words upon it.

As you will see, Nov. 4 to Dec. 4 is Jewish Book Month and I hope that every member of this congregation will mark it personally in some way. Jewish books are no longer hard to find on the book shelves of any good book store or book section of a department store. Today the list is long and varied - with books about Jewish subjects by both Jewish and non-Jewish authors.

Just this past month, S. Y. Agnon, an Israeli author, won the Nobel Prize for literature. His first book in English, Two Tales, has just been published. Bernard Malamud's latest novel, The Fixer, a best seller, is a fictionalized account of the Beiliss case in Russia during the early years of this century. And if you want to read it in non-fiction, Maurice Samuel's latest book, Blood Accusation is available.

For mystery fans, Harry Kennelman's latest murder occurs in Saturday The Rabbi Went Hungry, a sequel to his first book which is on all the paper back displays.

Novels, history, Theology, humor are all available to us today. If you wish to purchase them and add them to your library, fine. If not, most of the new Jewish literature is available at the Temple library, anxiously awaiting our members to borrow them. And if some one else already has checked out the book you want, we'll even be happy to nudge him to return it so that you may read it.

So - during Jewish Book Month, let me urge you to read some Jewish books. They are even on the best seller lists.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

YOUTH GROUP

Twelve members of the Temple Youth Group will attend the QUAI-State Sub Regional Conclave to be held in Evansville, Ind. on November 11-13. They are Harry Cohen, Terri Wurmser, Debbi Gall, Frances Moskowitz, Patti Milner, Mark Kovinow, Randy Waldman, David Rubin, Betsy Wides, Joyce Rosenberg, Lynne Hazen and David Rosenberg.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS

We are pleased to congratulate Steven Mason, son of Dr. and Mrs. Aaron Mason, and David Rosenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Rosenberg, for being initiated into the National Honor Society. Both are students at Henry Clay High School.



It is wisdom to believe the heart. —George Santayana

SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE
JOINS WITH
B'NAI B'RITH

Wednesday, November 9th, the Social Action Committee of our congregation will join with B'nai B'rith in sponsoring a public meeting and discussion on the subject of Church-State relations. The forum will begin at 7:15 P.M., after the B'nai B'rith dinner meeting and Mr. Alvin Goldman of the UK Law School and Rev. Donald Elam of the Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church will be participating.

All members are urged to attend to learn what is currently being done here in Lexington in this very emotionally charged area of public life.

ADULT EDUCATION

Should there be Jewish-Christian dialogue? Most people say yes. Dr. Eliezer Berkovits says no. Sign up for the adult education series this year, read his article and come discuss your reactions at our first meeting on November 16th at 8:00 P.M. at the Temple. Cost for this exciting series is \$2.00 - a low price for such high excitement. Additional evenings will be on December 7, January 18, February 15, and March 15 - and \$2.00 includes your back issues of all current Jewish periodicals to be used. Sign up today. Call the Temple office.

B'nai B'RITH LUNCHEON

The regular monthly men's luncheon sponsored by B'nai B'rith will be held on Thursday, Nov. 10 at 12:15 P.M. upstairs at Leva's restaurant.

He who honors the Torah will himself be honored by men; he who dishonors the Torah will himself be dishonored by men.

—R. Yose

SISTERHOOD

IS YOUR CHILD STUDYING
MORE AND ENJOYING IT LESS?

Does he need discipline, or direction? Should he study harder, or differently? Paper and pencil will be provided for you to take notes at the Sisterhood meeting, Wednesday, Nov. 16th, when Mrs. Richard Hanau will help answer some of these vital questions for us. And while you have that pencil, jot down a recipe.

GIFT SHOP NEWS

To help you celebrate Jewish Book Month, all books including paperbacks and activity books are being offered for sale at the Judaica Shop with a 10% discount. Buy now for your own enjoyment and for Chanukah giving!

INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCE GROUP

The International Folk Dance Group will meet Sunday Nov. 13th at 8:00 to 10:00 P.M. at Ohavay Zion Synagogue. This group is open to all adults in the Lexington area.

For more information call:
Mrs. Joseph Krislov 266-2229
Mrs. Stanley Saxe 277-9077
Mrs. Ronald Eversole 252-8456

BAR MITZVAH

The Bar Mitzvah of David Fine, son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Fine, will be held Nov. 19, 1966 at 10:00 a.m. at the Ohavay Zion Synagogue. The Temple Family is cordially invited to attend the service and kiddush luncheon.

WORDS OF OUR FAITH

Be diligent in the study of Torah, and know how to answer an unbeliever.

Know in Whose presence thou art toiling; and faithful is thy taskmaster to pay thee the reward of thy labor.

—R. Eleazar

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From Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Herman in memory of Mrs. Ethel Hyman.



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Mr. I. H. Stern, Jr.



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Albert Bing
Louis Hechtman
Jesse I. Miller
Lucy Greenwood Pearlmutter
Sarah Warshawsky
Joseph Wasserman
Mrs. Simeon Weil
Martin Weinberger
William Wenneker



BEST WISHES

FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY TO

Mr. Gerald Ellinger
Mr. Alex Cohen

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

- Nov. 6 Senior Assembly
Teachers' Meeting 12:00
Nov. 6 Hillel 5:30 P.M.
Nov. 9 Social Action-B'nai B'rith
Meeting 6:30 P.M.
Nov. 11 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
Nov. 13 TYG Meeting 5:00 P.M.
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Nov. 30 Brotherhood Meeting 6:30 P.M.



RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The Youth Group wishes to inform parents that their children may now purchase breakfast at the Nashiri on Sunday mornings.

Prices are as follows:

Milk (Chocolate or White)	.10
Coffee	.10
Donut	.06
Eggs - one	.08
two	.15

This Sunday, November 6, is a Teachers' meeting for the teachers of the Senior Assembly. We shall meet from 12:00 to 2:00 P.M.



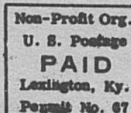
AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

All women of the American Cancer Society are requested to meet at Temple on Wednesday, November 16th at 10:30 a.m. For information call Mrs. Barney Miller at 266-4263.

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Sabbath Eve Services



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Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Services

Sermon Topic - To The Heights and Depths

Synopsis - Life calls man to ascend to
the heights of greatness and
also beguiles him to descend
to the depths of baseness.
How do we tell which way we
are going?

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RABBI'S MESSAGE

One of the major gaps in our Jewish programming for both the Congregation and the community has been the absence of any sort of a regular adult forum that would bring persons of note to Lexington for an evening of enlightenment or entertainment. We are fortunate that this year we shall begin to plug this gap.

Within a few weeks you will be receiving complete information on the series of Sunday evening programs being planned for our community, jointly sponsored and underwritten by our congregation, Ohavey Zion, B'nai B'rith and The Council of Jewish Women.

Contracts have already been signed to bring to Lexington four distinguished men - Jose Borcia, a folk humorist, Harold Orbach, a cantor, Eliezer Berkovits, a theologian, and Ellis Rivkin, an historian. Each person is outstanding in his own right, and together we believe that this is a great program of Jewish interest, one intended for every member of our community.

The dates when these men will be here are all Sundays, January 15, January 29, February 19 and March 12, starting at 8:00 P.M. Mark them on your calendar now, so that you will not make another commitment for that evening. And the cost for the whole series - only \$2.50 per person, because we want everyone to avail himself of this opportunity.

Watch for forthcoming publicity and purchase your tickets early. This series could easily be a sell out (unless of course we rent the Coliseum).

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

CHOIR

The first rehearsal of our Temple Choir will be on Wednesday, November 16 at 7:30 P.M. The previously scheduled rehearsal was cancelled because of the snow storm. Mrs. Adams looks forward to meeting all members - both new and old.

BOOKS

"Books are a finer world within the world." —Alexander Smith

"If one cannot enjoy reading a book over and over again, there is no use in reading it at all."
—Oscar Wilde

ADULT EDUCATION

Christian Jewish Dialogues are impossible! This is the thesis of the articles by Rabbi Eliezer Berkovits which we shall discuss at our first session, November 16 at 8:00 P.M. at the Temple.

On December 11, we shall have Rabbi Sherwin Wine, the agnostic rabbi, for our second Adult Education session. Other provocative meetings will follow.

Sign up now by phoning the Temple office - 266-3251. Only \$2.00 for the five session series.

OBITUARY

Many members of our congregation knew the late Louis Gordon either when he was growing up in Lexington, or as a renown chemist and Centennial Professor at UK. The following is quoted from his obituary in the Cleveland Plain Dealer:

Dr. Louis Gordon, 52, professor of chemistry and dean of graduate studies at Case Institute of Technology, was an international authority on the wet method of analyzing chemical composition. He wrote the official articles carried by several encyclopedias on wet analytical or precipitation methods.

Precipitation is the separation of a solid in a condition to be insoluble in the solution from which it is removed.

Dr. Gordon was dean of graduate studies since 1961, during a period when Case greatly enhanced its reputation as a center of graduate study in engineering and the sciences.

Under his tenure, the number of Case professors engaged in research tripled, and resident graduate enrollment advanced from 363 in 1961 to 757 in 1966.

Dr. Gordon founded and edited the Graduate Review, which is distributed annually to all graduate students and all holders of Case advanced degrees.

He served as secretary of the analytical chemistry section of the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry. In addition, he was the author of at least 100 scientific papers and wrote a book entitled Precipitation from Homogenous Solutions.

Dr. Gordon, reared in Kentucky, came to Case in 1957 after serving as an associate professor at Syracuse University.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The second Family Worship service for our Religious School will be held for the Junior Assembly on Sunday, November 20 at 11:20 a.m. Mrs. Rozen's fifth grade will conduct the services. All parents of children in the Pre-Kindergarten to third grade, as well as the fifth are urged to be present and share in the worship with their children.

This coming Sunday, November 13 at 10:30 a.m., Mrs. Waldman's fourth grade will be presenting a skit, based on the life cycle of the Jew, for our Senior Assembly. All parents are invited to attend and see the fine work of our youngsters.

And when you are in the Religious School building, take the time to see the beautiful bulletin board displays done by the first and eighth grade, under the supervision of our art teacher, Mrs. Katz.



SISTERHOOD SPEAKER

- WHO - Mrs. Richard Hanau
- WHAT - Will speak on Study Problems for Sisterhood
- WHEN - Wednesday, November 16th
12:30 P.M.
- WHERE - Temple Adath Israel
- WHY - Because she's a witty speaker and an educator of great merit.
- HOW - About coming?

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PULPIT GUESTS

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November 18, 1966 will be:

Mr. Milton Baer
Mr. Jerome Wurmser

SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES

Hostesses for Friday,
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Marvin Meyers, Mrs. Abe Rabiner
and Mrs. Jerome Cole.

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

We welcome to the congregation
Dr. and Mrs. Louis Dubilier, 665
Bayswater Way. Dr. Dubilier is
an assistant Professor at the
Medical School. They have three
children, Karen Lee, age 6, who
is in Religious School, Gerald
Allen, age 3, and Ellen Lee, a
year old. Their phone number is
277-0549.

BEST WISHES

For a speedy recovery to

Mr. Ben Miller
Mrs. Betty Rosenthal, mother
of Mrs. Avram Levine
Mr. Sol Holwerk

YAHREZEIT

Lester Bloom
Yetta Shubinski Hagedorn
Harry Leach
Leo Marks
Sam Meyers
Lucille Weil Rosenthal
Louis Rubin
Clara Susan Zileaux

* IN MEMORIAM *
* *
* Mrs. Jenny Moskovitz *
* October 30, 1966 *
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PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Nov. 13 TYG Meeting 5:00 P.M.
Nov. 16 Sisterhood Mtg. 12:30 P.M.
Nov. 16 Adult Education 8:00 P.M.
Nov. 16 Choir Rehearsal 7:30 P.M.
Nov. 17 Board Leadership
Dinner 6:30 P.M.
Nov. 18 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
Nov. 19 Bar Mitzvah of David Fine
at Ohavey Zion 10:00 a.m.
Nov. 20 Hillel
Nov. 25 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
Nov. 27 TYG Meeting 2:00 P.M.
Nov. 28 Religious School PTA
8:00 P.M.
Nov. 30 Brotherhood Mtg. 6:30 P.M.
Dec. 2 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 4 Hillel

JEWISH BOOK MONTH

November 4 through December 4



NEW BOOKS IN TEMPLE LIBRARY

Old Country Tales

Translated by Curt Leviant
By Sholom Aleichem

Zlateh The Goat

By Isaac Bashevis Singer

The Jews in Their Land

Edited by David Ben-Gurion

Ess, Ess, Mein Kindt

By Harry Golden

A Golden Treasury of Jewish Tales

By Asher Barash

Masada

By Yigael Yadin

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Nov. 27 TYG Meeting 2:00 P.M.
 Nov. 28 Religious School PTA 8:00 P.M.
 Nov. 30 Brotherhood Meeting 6:30 P.M.
 Dec. 1 Couples Club 8:00 P.M.
 Dec. 2 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
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 Dec. 11 TYG Meeting 5:00 P.M.
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 Dec. 15 Hanukkah
 Dec. 16 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
 Dec. 18 TYG Film
 Dec. 23 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.

JOINT DECEMBER MEETING

A joint meeting of all Jewish organizations of Lexington will be held Tuesday, December 6, 1966 at 8:00 P.M. in the Vestry of Ohavey Zion Synagogue. Dr. and Mrs. Jack Wilke of Cincinnati will speak on "Sex Education of Children and Its Application to Dating and Marriage."

The Wilkes have just retired as Chair Couple of the executive board of the Family Life Bureau of Cincinnati, and are on the board of the Cincinnati Social Health Society. They have appeared frequently on T.V. and on many lecture platforms, and are parents of six children.

The subject for Dec. 6th will be presented in dialogue form with ample opportunity for questions and answers.

A guide book for parents entitled "The Wonder of Sex" was authored by Dr. and Mrs. Wilke and was published in 1964.

The meeting is open to the public. Sponsoring organizations are Brotherhood and Sisterhood of both Ohavey Zion Synagogue and of Temple Adath Israel, council of Jewish Women, Hadassah and B'nai B'rith.

We're grateful to... the following for their contributions:

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From Mrs. Beatrice B. Siegel and Dr. and Mrs. Leonard Siegel in memory of Sydney Siegel.

RABBI'S FUND

From Dr. and Mrs. Boris Kaim in honor of their Wedding Anniversary.

YES FUND

From Mrs. Irving Zapolsky in appreciation to Sisterhood for the Uniongram sent her during her recent illness.

FLOWER FUND

From Mr. and Mrs. Sieg Bing in memory of Albert Bing.

From Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Paritz in memory of Samuel and Ida Dobbin Paritz.

From Mr. and Mrs. Milton Baer in memory of Hanna H. Baer and Sara Weil Cole.

PULPIT GUESTS

Pulpit Guests for Friday, November 25, 1966 will be:

Mr. Lester Waldman
 Mr. Norman Wides

SABBATH SOCIAL HOSTESSES

Hostesses for Friday, November 25, 1966 will be Mrs. Sidney Gall, Mrs. Phillip Gall, and Mrs. Ben Levy.

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CORRECTIONS

In the new Year Book the telephone for the Irving Gails' is incorrect and should be 266-6509.

For the Dan Metzlers the number should be 266-4949.

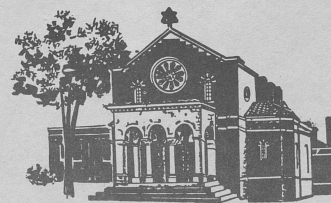
YAHREZET

Isadore J. Abraham
 Alan Spencer Fried
 Max Kanarek
 Deborah Ladmer
 Sol Meyers
 Ben Rosen
 Sydney Siegel
 Miriam Schachter Spector

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Mrs. William J. Leffler will kindle the Sabbath Candles

Sabbath Social in the Vestry following the Worship Services

Sermon Topic - In lieu of a sermon, we shall have one of the worship services created by the and Synopsis Worship Committee of the Birmingham Temple, Birmingham, Michigan. This service will tie in with our Adult Education session on December 11, 1966.

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RABBI'S MESSAGE

Elsewhere in this issue of our Temple Bulletin you will find an editorial by Rabbi Daniel Jeremy Silver of Cleveland dealing with current discussions on possible further revision of our Union Prayer Book.

I have included this editorial because I think it is relevant to our forthcoming worship service using the service of the Birmingham Temple in Michigan, a Jewish worship service which is without any reference to God. We are using this service in order to provide the congregation with a first hand knowledge of the changes that Rabbi Wine, (the "agnostic" rabbi), has made in the liturgy. Rabbi Wine is the speaker for our next Adult Education session.

We are also using one of his services to provide our own congregation with a break from our usual Union Prayer Book worship, the sameness of which evoked comment from many persons. But we are using this service in lieu of a sermon because I know that there are also many of our members who are still devoted to our usual rituals. In this way, perhaps we can try to please both groups.

I have written Rabbi Wine about the use of his service, and not only has he been kind enough to send us copies, but he also sent us the music which is used, because many of the choir responses are unique to his congregation.

I do hope that you will be present for this worship service on the 25th and also to hear Rabbi Wine on the 11th.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

CONGRATULATIONS

The Election Committee announces the election to the Board of Trustees of Nathan Cohen as Eastern District Representative and Roy Liebman as Western District Representative. Congratulations!

Congratulations also to Loren Michael Hanau, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Richard Hanau and a student at Swarthmore College, for being nominated for the Woodrow Wilson Fellowship.

NEWS FLASH

Hanukkah Shopping Begins at the

JUDAICA SHOP



NEW BOOK IN TEMPLE LIBRARY

Understanding Genesis
by Nahum M. Sarna

NEARLY NEW

The Nearly New is going great, But we need more to celebrate, Give us your worn but nearly new and Sisterhood says thanks to you!

Mrs. Leonard Lerner
266-1671

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

This Sunday, November 20th, Mrs. Rosen's Fifth Grade will be leading our Junior Assembly in worship. The service begins at 11:20 a.m. and will be over in time for dismissal of Religious School. Seen below are two of the members of the fifth grade during a recent rehearsal. At left is Gloria Gellin and on the right is Ray Silbar.



All members of the congregation are invited to attend the service.

On Sunday, November 27th, Mrs. Weil's Second Grade class will present a program for the Junior Assembly at 11:00 a.m. This program will be based on the Book of Ruth. Parents are invited.

Prior to the Junior Assembly on the 27th, the Senior Assembly will see the motion picture, The Wilderness of Zin, starring Dr. Nelson Glueck, and dealing with archeology in Israel. Parents are also invited to the film.



HEBREW SCHOOL

There will be no Hebrew School on Thursday, Nov. 24th. Thanksgiving Vacation!

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN

The National Council of Jewish Women is pleased to present Mrs. Aaron Farr as speaker for its luncheon meeting on Nov. 22nd at 12:30 P.M. at Temple Adath Israel.

Mrs. Farr is a member of the Board of Directors of the National Council of Jewish Women.

For reservations call Mrs. Charles Stern, 277-0350 or Mrs. Mark Luckens, 277-8465.



ADULT EDUCATION

The second session of our current Adult Education Series will be on Sunday evening, December 11, 1966 at 8:00 P.M. at the Temple. Rabbi Sherwin Wine, of Birmingham, Michigan, will speak to us that evening about "Humanistic Judaism".

Cost for the remaining sessions is still \$2.00, which will help cover the cost of the magazines which we have ordered as background reading for those participating. For this session we have a back issue of Midstream, which contains an article describing the establishment of Rabbi Wine's congregation.

THINK GIFT SHOP

Chanukkah is just around the corner!

ON PRAYER AND OUR SERVICE

I spent two days last week discussing our Prayer Book. Every twenty years or so pressure builds up in favor of a revision and such rewriting is altogether proper. The liturgy of our people has been added to and re-formed in every age.

A number of rabbis met in New York. Each read a paper and discussed the papers of his colleagues. Such a discussion has the happy virtue of forcing us to re-think some fundamental assumptions. The current question is the degree of revision. As moderns we are instinctively in favor of experimentation. This is the age of the 'happening.' All the old forms are broken deliberately in our sculpture, art, music and literature. The Prayer Book is an ancient and familiar form and its very age makes some impatient with it. Why can not a service be a 'happening?' Is not prayer free and spontaneous? Of course it is. But prayer is only a part of worship. Worship is teaching. We open again the sacred book - our history is released. The basic truths are underscored. Worship is a pledge of citizenship in the Jewish people. We are a congregation. We speak our loyalty in unison. Worship is challenge. The sermon uproots the ethical truth from Biblical times and sets it firmly in our own.

Our fathers created the Prayer Book in order to give our worship many splendors and many dimensions. Prayer begins in the individual. It is limited by his insight. Inevitably it veers toward the selfish. Were our worship simply to be a 'happening', much less would happen. In time there will be a revision of the Union Prayer Book but we will still hold a prayer book in our hands and rejoice in a noble and inspiring liturgy, and thank God for it.

-- Rabbi Daniel Jeremy Silver

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YOUTH GROUP

Super Duper Hamukkah Carnival

Dec. 18, 1966 - 2 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Admission - \$2.00 per person, adult or child.

Program
2 P.M. Motion Pictures
Gulliver's Travels - the 1939 production that all parents remember and will want their children to see.

Changing of The Guard - an animated fairy tale in which all the characters are match boxes. Won first prize for Shorts at Cannes Film Festival, 1959.

4 P.M. Fun and games

5:30 P.M. Supper

Sounds great -- Save-the date
Bring the family



NEW BOOKS IN TEMPLE LIBRARY

Heroes of the Bible
by Mamei Komroff
The Story of Saul The King
by Helen Waddell
God and His People
Edited by Harold Bassage
The Life of George Gershwin
by Robert Rushmore
Hamukkah
by Norma Simon
The Story of Israel
by Meyer Levin
The Jewish New Year
by Molly Come

WHERE JUDAISM BEGINS

Judaism begins at home. It does not begin at a meeting or conference. It does not begin at a Synagogue Service or philanthropic campaign.

It begins in homes where Jewish words re-echo, where the Jewish book is honored, where the Jewish song is heard.

Judaism begins in homes where the child sees and participates in symbols and arts which link him to a people and a culture. It begins in homes where the Jewish etching or painting and Jewish ceremonial objects are visible and exercise a silent influence upon those who behold them.

It begins in the home where, in the deepest layer of a child's developing personality, are woven strands of devotion to the collective life of the Jewish community.

Judaism begins at home - where a mother or father, or both, recognize and observe the beauty and need of a religious Jewish life.

Judaism in life - live it in all the beauty of its holiness.

--Rabbi David Polish

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Nov. 28 Religious School PTA 8:00 P.M.
Nov. 30 Brotherhood Meeting 6:30 P.M.
Dec. 1 Couples Club Meeting 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 2 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 4 Hillel Hamukkah Shindig 5:30 P.M.
Dec. 7 to 15 Hamukkah 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 9 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 10 Brotherhood Monte Carlo 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 11 TYG Meeting 5:00 P.M.
Dec. 11 Adult Education 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 16 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.

CONGRATULATIONS

We extend warmest good wishes to:
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jacobs on the birth of a son, Daniel Geoffrey, on November 9, 1966.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gwirtzman on the birth of a daughter, Beth Whitney, on November 20, 1966.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Rabiner, Rabbi and Mrs. William J. Leffler, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Milner and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hyman on their Wedding Anniversaries.

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Sermon Topic - Our World of Symbols

Synopsis - Many Symbols have great meaning for us. Can we differentiate between them, distinguishing between the symbol and what it represents?

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RABBI'S MESSAGE

At our first Adult Education session, we discussed the extent to which inter-faith dialogues - honest and forthright discussion between Jews and Christians - can occur. The session, which was spirited, was based upon an article by Rabbi Eliezer Berkovits, in which he puts forth the thesis that no such conversations are possible on a theological level.

One of the things which surprised me that evening was the minimal amount of disagreement with Rabbi Berkovits. No one really took a strong stand in opposition to his viewpoint, although there were some reservations about the vehemence of his stand.

As a result of the discussion I have become more keenly aware of the many factors which can influence our attitudes in this area. One of the more disturbing of these has been the recent announcement of the possibility of a production of the Oberammergau Passion Play in Great Britain next year. This play, which depicts the Easter saga, presents the Jews as the villains of the crucifixion. A proposed revision to alter this aspect of the text was recently rejected by the residents of the small Bavarian village where it is presented every ten years.

As we consider the whole area of inter-faith dialogue, one has to ask - why? Why should we as Jews learn about the theological beliefs of Christians? Or they of ours? If it is to change each others' views, this is basically futile. If it is to understand one another better, perhaps. But before we as Jews enter into such conversations, maybe we ought to demand that ground rules be established. The Passion Play is an illustration of their lack. There are many others. Dialogue is impossible unless both sides come to it with the desire to understand (not to convince) and with an honest attempt to remove the slurs of the past. So far this has not really occurred.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

YOUTH GROUP

There will be a regular TYG meeting at 2:00 P.M. - Sunday, December 4, 1966 at the Temple. The program will include a guest speaker, Yitzhak Shapiro. He is a teen age exchange student from Israel who will speak about "Teen Age Life in Israel". This should be a very enjoyable and profitable meeting. We hope YOU will attend.

ADULT EDUCATION

The second session of our current Adult Education series is scheduled for Sunday evening, December 11, 1966 at 8:00 P.M. Rabbi Sherwin Wine of the Birmingham Temple will speak on his views of Judaism. As background we have an article from a recent issue of *Midstream*, describing the birth of his congregation.

Sign up for this and the other remaining sessions. The cost is \$2.00 to cover the cost of magazines being used. Phone the Temple office to register.



JOINT DECEMBER MEETING

A joint meeting of all Jewish organizations of Lexington will be held Tuesday, December 6, 1966 at 8:00 P.M. in the Vestry of Olney Zion Synagogue. Dr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkie of Cincinnati will speak on "Why Teenage Marriage".

The Willkies have just retired as Chair Couple of the executive board of the Family Life Bureau of Cincinnati, and are on the board of the Cincinnati Social Health Society. They have appeared frequently on T.V. and on many lecture platforms, and are parents of six children.

The subject for Dec. 6th will be presented in dialogue form with ample opportunity for questions and answers.

A guide book for parents entitled *The Wonder of Sex* was authored by Dr. and Mrs. Wilkie and was published in 1964.

The meeting is open to the public. Sponsoring organizations are Brotherhood and Sisterhood of both Olney Zion Synagogue and of Temple Adath Israel, council of Jewish Women, Hadassah and B'nai B'rith.

BROTHERHOOD

The next Brotherhood meeting will be held on November 30, 1966 at 6:30 P.M. at the Temple. The speaker for the evening will be Mr. McIver from the Spindletop Research Center. Save this date and make reservations with Jack Miller at 266-1643; Robert Miller at 277-0214 or William Wenneker at 277-1542.

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RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

This Sunday the Senior Assembly will be seeing the film, "The Wilderness of Sin", starring Dr. Nelson Glueck. The movie is at 10:30 and at 11:00 a.m., Mrs. Weil's class will be presenting a skit based on the Book of Ruth. This is for the Junior Assembly. Parents are invited to attend both programs.

The next Family Worship service will be December 18, 1966. The Confirmation Class will conduct it. Parents are encouraged to participate also.

November 28, 1966 at 8:00 P.M. is a meeting of all Religious School Classroom mothers and teachers to plan Hanukkah parties for the classes. All room mothers and teachers are urged to be present so that plans may be coordinated. The parties will be on Sunday, December 11th in school.

TIME RUNS OUT FOR RUSSIA'S JEWS

New York, November 18 -- Quiet desperation marks the lives of the 3 million Jews in the Soviet Union, reported two prominent visitors to the U.S.S.R., Rabbi Arthur Schneier and novelist Elie Wiesel.

In articles by Rabbi Schneier in the current issue of *Look* and by Mr. Wiesel in the current issue of *Saturday Evening Post*, both found that serious discrimination against Jews is very much a part of Soviet life.

Rabbi Schneier recently visited Russia as the head of the inter-faith Appeal of Conscience Foundation of New York. Along with Rabbi Schneier on the trip were leading Protestant and Roman Catholic clergymen, including Dr. Harold A. Bosley, minister of New York's Christ Church Methodist, and Father Thurston N. Davis, editor of the Jesuit Magazine, *America*.

"Soviet Jews still live in fear", said Rabbi Schneier, "intensified since the recent sentencing to death of a 43-year-old Jewish engineer, M. Rabinovich, on charges of economic crimes. Soviet Jews remember that during 1962-64, more than half of the 163 persons executed for alleged economic crimes were Jews, the scapegoats for the chronically ill Soviet economy."

Jews hesitate to call attention to their Jewishness in face of the continued appearance of articles in the government-controlled Soviet press maligning Judaism. "I can't go to the synagogue anymore", an old man told Rabbi Schneier. "It would make trouble for my children and grandchildren. Now, I worship alone, at home."

In the November 19 issue of the *Saturday Evening Post*, novelist and news correspondent Elie Wiesel, a survivor of Buchenwald and Auschwitz, described the Jews of Russia as "the Jews of Silence."

Agents of the secret police and informers make it dangerous for the Soviet Jew to reveal his plight to tourists or even to visiting relatives from abroad, he noted.

In spite of efforts by the Soviet government to extinguish Jewish identity, the younger generation still chooses to be Jewish. The author witnessed a gathering of 30,000 boys and girls on the evening of the festival of Simhat Torah. They packed the streets around the Great Synagogue of Moscow singing Hebrew and Yiddish songs and dancing the hora, in defiance of the authorities, said Mr. Wiesel, "as sign that they wish to live as Jews -- at least one evening a year."

Heard everywhere, reported Rabbi Schneier and Mr. Wiesel, was the whispered plea, "do not forget us." In Kiev Mr. Wiesel was asked, "why are the Jews outside so silent. Why aren't they doing something?"

Concluded Rabbi Schneier:

"Only world opinion can save Russian Jews."



December 6

CIRCLE THIS DATE
TEMPLE BOARD MEETING 8:00 P.M.
TEMPLE LIBRARY

Hanukkah Gift Problems??

One stop can solve your dilemma. Judaica Shop has new Holiday merchandise. Call Mrs. Harold Baker at 266-3675.

Dec. 7 - 15 Hanukkah
Dec. 10 Brotherhood Monte Carlo
Dec. 11 TYG Meeting 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 11 Adult Education 5:00 P.M.
Dec. 12 Temple Board Meeting 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 15 Social Action 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 16 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 18 TYG Hanukkah Carnival 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 23 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
Dec. 30 College Homecoming Services 8:00 P.M.

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Pulpit Guests for Friday,
December 16, 1966 will be:

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Hostesses for Friday, December 16 will be Mrs. Maurice Weil, Mrs. Fernand Weil and Mrs. David Passell.

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Anna Klein Dobbe
Mitchell Gordon
Mrs. Lillian R. Greenberg
Nathan Grossman
Charles Israel
Leah Meyers
Louis Michalove
Hyman Pushin
Ann Tuvil Switow

The Social Action Committee will meet on Thursday, December 15 at 8:00 P.M. in the Temple Library to formulate their program for the second half of the year. All members are urged to attend.

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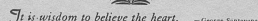
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Rabbi Wine will speak in the Temple Vestry this coming Sunday evening at 8:00 P.M. under the auspices of the Adult Education Committee.

Visitors are welcome.

The Youth Group will meet this Sunday at 5:00 P.M. for a dinner meeting. The program will consist of a film entitled "Jimmy", which deals with the school drop outs. After the film Mr. Cunningham, Director of Pupil Placement for the Lexington City School, will lead a discussion on the subject. All members are urged to attend.



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Enclosed in this week's bulletin is an announcement of a forthcoming concert in Cincinnati, and co-sponsored by The Ohio Valley Council of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, of which we are a member. As you will note, the University of Kentucky Choristers, as well as the Lexington Singers will be participating in the concert. They shall be singing the Joseph "Kaddish" for its first American performance.

If you would be interested in attending this concert, please phone the Temple office immediately, 266-3251, so that we may make proper arrangements for group tickets and transportation.

The address for Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jacobs is 428 Kingsway Drive and the phone number is 266-3863.

The new address for Alan Abraham is 173 St. Ann Drive.

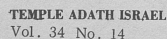
The new address for Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Silbar is 1901 Blairmore Road.

The new phone number for Dr. and Mrs. Aaron Mason is 254-5094.

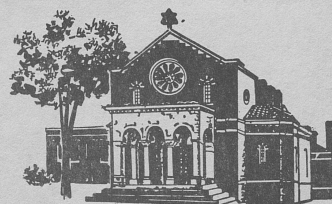
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Sermon Topic - What Makes Us Astonished?

Synopsis - From time to time we all encounter situations that pull us short and leave us astonished. Why should this be? Is it necessary?



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RABBI'S MESSAGE

This coming Saturday evening, the 10th, our Temple Brotherhood is sponsoring a game evening in the Vestry. The price of admission covers all the tickets you need or can use. If you run out of "gelt", all you need do is get more. So it will be an opportunity to relax and unwind, and just spend a convivial evening with friends.

The purpose of this Brotherhood project is to raise funds for Temple office equipment, a project which is near and dear to my heart. Mrs. Thurman and I have to live daily with most of the inadequate and outdated machines we have in the office. They most likely were the latest models when they were purchased, and quite adequate for a congregation half our size, but today they no longer serve us adequately and should be replaced - a major expenditure and one that the Temple budget cannot support.

Thus I am just delighted that our Brotherhood has acknowledged the need to update the office equipment. It is a most worthwhile project and one that deserves the support of the congregation. I hope that you will show your support by joining them for an evening of fun on the 10th.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

NOTE: The Temple Board Meeting will be held on December 12, 1966 at 8:00 P.M. in the Temple Vestry.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The Religious School parties are this Sunday, December 11 from 10:30 until noon. There will be classes as usual prior to the parties.

As part of the Hanukkah festivities there will be two plays presented, one by Mr. Wides' 9th grade and the other by Mrs. Frankel's 2nd grade. Seen below during rehearsal is the 2nd grade:



On the floor from left to right are Eddie Levine, Jeff Dettrow, Bobbie Baker, Cindy Pincus, Andy Rabiner and Jennifer Hynes. Standing are Wendy Gordon, Karen Tucker, Glenn Lipton, Bonnie Hamburg, and Shirley Stern. Behind the props is Mrs. Harold Frankel. The play will start at 9:45 a.m.

Classes also will be held on December 18. There will be no classes on December 25 and January 1. Sessions resume on January 8.

The next Family Worship service will be on December 18 at 11:20 a.m. All parents are invited to attend. The Confirmation Class will be leading the worship that morning.

COMMUNITY FORUM

Tickets are now on sale for the Jewish Community Forum. If you have not already purchased them, you may do so by calling the Temple office. They are \$2.50 for the entire series of four persons.

The first evening will be one of Jewish humor with Mr. Jose Borcia, a noted Jewish folk humorist. He has studied drama with the renowned teacher of dramatic art, Madame Lazarieff and is well known as one of the bright lights in Jewish humor, with a repertoire of stories with an authentic Jewish flavor.



Mr. Borcia will appear on Sunday evening, January 15, 1967 at 8:00 - place to be announced.

Brotherhood

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Sabbath Candles

We wish to thank Mrs. Ben Lookofsky for reciting the blessing and kindling the Sabbath Candles at the Friday evening Service, December 9.

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BAR MITZVAH

The congregation of Temple Adath Israel is cordially invited to attend the Hanukkah morning service honoring the Bar Mitzvah of Larry Michael Herman, son of Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Herman.

The service will be conducted at Ohavay Zion Synagogue on December 13, 1966 at 9 a.m. Dr. and Mrs. Herman would be honored to have you worship with them and join them for Kiddush luncheon immediately following the service.

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FLOWER FUND

From Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Paritz in memory of Molly G. Alperin.

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OUR APPRECIATION

We wish to thank Mrs. Louis Rosenberg for her donation to the Temple Library of the magazine, The Lower East Side: Portal to American Life (1870-1924) from The Jewish Museum in New York.



NEW BOOKS IN TEMPLE LIBRARY

The Growth of the Pentateuch
by Emanuel Levy

Code of Jewish Law
by Rabbi Solomon Ganzfried

Understanding the Midrash
by Amos W. Miller

Filled with Laughter
by Rufus Lears

The Talmud of Jerusalem
with a preface by Dagobert D. Runes

God, Man and History
by Dr. Eliezer Berkovits

A History of Jewish Crafts and Guilds
by Mark Wischnitzer

Jerusalem
edited by Michael Avi-Yonah

The Jews of Silence
by Elie Wiesel

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RABBI'S MESSAGE

In the past month we have seen the increased eruption of turmoil in the Middle East - Arab marauders against Israel, an Israel raid on a Jordan settlement, the rioting of Palestinian refugees, inter-Arab conflict, potential revolts being suppressed. All of these actions are indicative of the continued volatile nature of the political situation in that part of the world.

As one looks at this sort of a situation, he can wonder about the American involvement in the affairs of the Middle East - our selling planes to the Jordanians during such a crisis, our dependence on Arabian oil, our military assistance to Israel, as well as the many other commitments we have in that part of the world.

As we consider it, perhaps the most obvious factor is our own inconsistency - we condemn Israel for retaliating, we support regimes that will do little to better the lot of the refugees within their borders, we send Senators our junkets to both sides in the conflict, and who apparently do little to reduce the tensions that exist.

The conflict between Israel and her Arab neighbors, as well as the conflict among the different Arab States has continued for almost two decades now. It is little different from what it was when Israel became an independent country in 1948. Surely our government, with its moralistic proclamations for peace, could have taken the leadership in attempting to bring greater stability to that part of the world. Our refusal to do so, and our continued aid to

all parties in the disputes may be listed in history as one of our major failures as a nation.

How ironic to see this failure occurring in a geographic area from which spring the world's great religions, with their many teachings about man's responsibilities to his fellowman.

William J. Leffler
Rabbi

ADULT JEWISH FORUM

The second speaker for our Adult Forum will be Dr. Eliezer Berkovits, presently head of the Department of Jewish Philosophy at the Hebrew Theological College, Skokie, Illinois. Dr. Berkovits has served as Rabbi in Berlin, Germany, Leeds, England, Sydney, Australia and Boston, Mass. Dr. Berkovits has written numerous books and contributed widely to national magazines and periodicals. His article, Judaism in The Post Christian Era, was used as the subject of our first adult education discussions this year.



Rabbi Berkovits will be here January 29, 1967 and will speak on Current Trends in Jewish Philosophy. Tickets are \$2.50 for the entire series and are available at the Temple office.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

A reminder - Religious School on December 18th. Vacation on December 25 and on January 1, 1967, Religious School on January 8th.

Junior Assembly teachers meeting on January 8 at 12:00 noon.

Senior Assembly Family Worship Service this Sunday, December 18th, conducted by the Confirmation Class. The service begins at 11:20 a.m. and all adults are invited to worship with our students.

" FIDDLER ON THE ROOF "

We are trying to make arrangements to see "Fiddler On The Roof" as a group. Bus transportation is being investigated. One of the following dates will be selected: January 19, 21, 22, 26, or 28. Please watch next weeks bulletin for further information.

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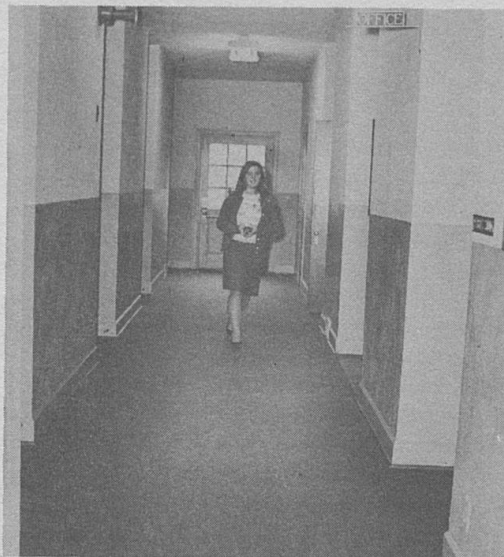
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BUILDING AND GROUNDS

One of the latest additions to our Temple facilities is the attractive olive green ozite carpeting which is now in the front hall of the Religious School wing. The funds for this carpeting were in part donated by the Sisterhood. It is both good looking and useful, as it considerably reduces the noise in that part of the building.

Below you see it in use by Miss Susan Jacobs, hurrying back to her kindergarten class in Religious School.



DECEMBER 21, 1966

CHOIR REHEARSAL

7:30 P. M.

TEMPLE VESTRY

HEBREW SCHOOL

There will be no Hebrew School on December 22nd and December 29th -- Winter Vacation.

PHOTOGRAPHS

Photographs of Temple activities which appear in the Bulletin are available for \$1.00 from the Temple office.

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

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Dec. 30 College Homecoming
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Jan. 3 Temple Board Meeting
8:00 P.M.
Jan. 6 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
Jan. 13 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.
(TYG)
Jan. 15 Jewish Community Forum
8:00 P.M.
Jan. 18 Sisterhood Meeting
12:30 P.M.
Jan. 20 Worship Services 8:00 P.M.



KENTUCKY VILLAGE

A request has come to the Temple for gifts for the boys at Kentucky Village. The boys are between the ages of 9 and 18. The gifts could include such things as comb and brush, tooth brush, thongs, a belt, stationery, a bill fold, I D bracelet, socks or other wearing apparel. They cannot accept medicine, knives, cologne, glue, gum, lighter fluid, razor blades, metal nail files, nail clippers or alcohol.

Those wishing to donate may leave their gifts, either wrapped and marked as to what they are, or unwrapped at the Temple office by Wednesday, December 21st.



HADASSAH DISCUSSION GROUP

The meeting of this group will be held Thursday, January 12, 1967 at 8:00 P.M. at the home of Mrs. Stanley Saxe, 774 Robin Road. The book to be discussed is The Adventures of Mottel by Sholom Aleichem and will be led by Mrs. William Fisher and Mrs. Lawrence Hymes.

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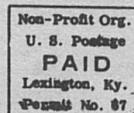
Ushers for Friday, December 23, 1966 will be:

Mr. I. Jay Miller  
Mr. Dan Metzler, Jr.

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COLLEGE HOMECOMING SERVICE

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ways that the student can respond  
to these challenges?



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RABBI'S MESSAGE

Winter vacation is often the first time that college students are able to be home since they left for school at the end of last summer. They return with all kinds of new experiences, new insights into life, new ideas, and new fads.

As we consider these numerous aspects of their increasing maturity, we compare the college students we know with those who are mentioned in articles about drug addiction or sex on the campus. We wonder how representative of university life are the newspaper and magazine articles? How representative are the students whom we know?

Perhaps the answer is somewhere in the middle. Non-news does not make headlines, so we are not apt to hear of the usual students, the ones who do not get into trouble, the ones who generally conform to the regulations.

When one stops to think of it, the adult world does leave something to be desired. We are certainly not paragons of virtue. It really is not fair of us to expect students who are searching for their identities as people not to make mistakes either.

Let's welcome them home and eagerly listen to them tell what they have learned and experienced. Youth is a wonderful time. They should enjoy it. Didn't we?

Happy New Year!

William J. Leffler

Rabbi



"Let your prayer be a window to heaven."

Baal Shem Tov.

JEWISH COMMUNITY FORUM

The third speaker for our Jewish Community Forum will be Dr. Ellis Rivkin, Adolph S. Ochs Professor of Jewish History at the Hebrew Union College in Cincinnati. His subject will be "Judaism Begets Christianity."



Dr. Rivkin received his Ph.D. from Johns Hopkins University in 1946 and has taught at the Hebrew Union College since 1949. He is currently preparing a book analyzing Pharisaism as an historical phenomenon. His articles have appeared in such widely diversified publications as the Encyclopedia Britannica, The Reconstructionist Magazine, the Jewish Quarterly Review and many more.

Prices for tickets to the full series of four sessions is only \$2.50. Call the Temple office today to order yours.

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The sun gives light by day,  
the Torah by day and night.

Asher b. Saul. q Kol Bo, 8.

"The gates of prayer are never closed". Deut. R., 2:12.

## RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

The Hanukkah parties held on December 11th were a big success. Below is a composite of photos taken during the many activities that went on. And we wish to thank all the classroom mothers who helped make the morning so very enjoyable for all.



Classes resume on January 8th. There will be a teachers meeting at noon that day for the teachers of the Junior Assembly.

The Prize Contest for the Senior Assembly is now open. Prizes will be awarded for each grade from fourth up. Subjects for the contest have been distributed and prizes will soon be on display. Watch for them in the display case at the Religious School entry.



### TEMPLE YOUTH GROUP

On Sunday, December 25, 1966, the TYG Dinner Meeting will be held at 5:30 P.M. followed by a great program, consisting of a panel discussion on the subject: "What Will College Life Be Like", and "What Is College Life Like?"

The Temple Youth Group is pleased to present for the enjoyment of the congregation the film, "Hans Christian Anderson", to be shown on Sunday, January 15, 1967 at the Temple at 2:00 P.M. Admission is only 50¢. Come out and enjoy this wonderful movie.



### BROTHERHOOD

The next Brotherhood meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 25, 1967 at 6:30 P.M. at the Temple. Mr. John Biedenkapp, director of the local war on poverty, will be the speaker. You will want to hear about the quiet revolution in Lexington on the poverty situation.

Save this date and come out to hear this wonderful speaker on such an important subject.



### PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Dec. 30 College Homecoming  
Services 8:00 P.M.  
1967  
Jan. 3 Temple Board Meeting  
8:00 P.M.  
Jan. 6 Worship Services  
8:00 P.M.  
Jan. 6 Music Committee  
Meeting  
Jan. 13 TYG Worship Services  
8:00 P.M.  
Jan. 15 Jewish Community Forum  
8:00 P.M.  
Jan. 18 Sisterhood Meeting  
12:30 P.M.  
Jan. 20 Worship Services  
8:00 P.M.  
Jan. 22 TYG Meeting 2:00 P.M.  
Jan. 25 Brotherhood Meeting  
6:30 P.M.  
Jan. 27 Worship Services  
8:00 P.M.

### CONTRIBUTIONS

#### CELIA ABRAHAM MUSIC MEMORIAL FUND

From Miss Gertrude Abraham in memory of her family who have passed away during this season of the year.

#### FLOWER FUND

From Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Levy in memory of Mrs. Jacob Greenberg.

#### INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCE GROUP

Sunday, January 8, 1967  
8-10 P.M.

Ohavay Zion Synagogue

Open to all adults in the Lexington area.

For information call.....  
Mrs. R. Eversole...252-8456  
Mrs. J. Krislov....266-2229  
Mrs. S. Saxe.....277-9077

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### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Norman Goodwin and Jo Ann Gaines on their engagement. Norman is a director of the Brotherhood. Jo Ann is the sister of Mrs. Donald Pressman and the granddaughter of Mrs. Chanah Levy. A spring wedding is planned.

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### BEST WISHES

for a speedy recovery to:

David Cazden  
Mark Leach  
Tracy Ellen Levine  
Mrs. Beatrice Weil

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### PULPIT GUESTS

Pulpit Guests for Friday, December 30, 1966 will be:

Mr. Michael Lerner  
Mr. Max Kovinow

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### HOSPITALITY HOSTESSES

Hostesses for Friday, December 30, 1966 will be Mrs. Irving Rosenstein, Mrs. Lester Bloom, Mrs. John Ball, Mrs. Harry Skuller, Mrs. Gerald Ellinger and Mrs. Harold Baker.

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### USHERS

Ushers for Friday, December 30, 1966 will be:

Mr. Sheldon Hymson  
Dr. Lloyd Mayer

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### YAHARZEIT

Samuel Kanner  
Jonas Weil

