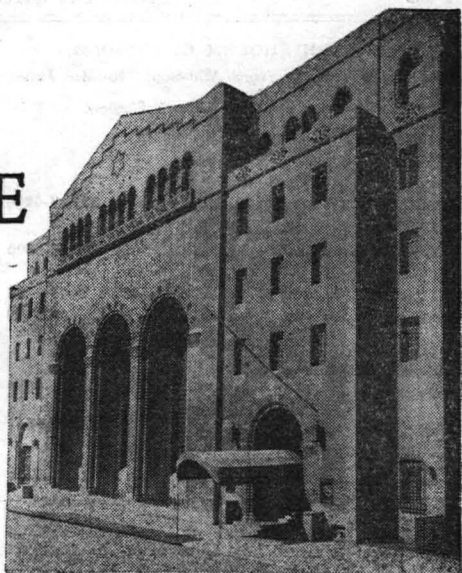


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SHEMINI ATZERETH SERVICES

This Wednesday Evening, October 16, at 5:30

Thursday Morning, October 17, at 10

PROCESSION OF THE SCROLLS

By Men of the Congregation

SABBATH SERVICES

Friday Evening, October 18, at 5:30

Saturday Morning, October 19, at 10:15

RABBI NEWMAN

will preach on

**"AND GOD SAW THAT
IT WAS GOOD"**

A Shabbat Bereishit Sermon

Friday Evening, October 25, at 8

INDUCTION OF RABBI SOLTES

Speakers:

**Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, Prof. Shalom Spiegel,
Mr. Joseph Pulvermacher, Rabbi Newman
and Rabbi Soltes**

PROCESSION OF THE SCROLLS

This Thursday Morning, October 17, at 10, the Shemini Atzereth Services will be held. This Festival of Conclusion will be made especially significant by the annual custom of the ha-Kafot or the Circuits of the Temple, made by men of our Congregation bearing in their arms the Scrolls of the Law, preceded by the Rabbis and the Cantor. We trust that a large number of the men of the synagogue will be present to participate in this inspiring ceremony. In Reform Judaism, the custom of Simhat Torah is combined with the Eighth Day of Solemn Assembly.

— There will be no special Memorial Service in view of the recent Yizkor Service on Yom Kippur, but there will be a Commemorative Prayer for the Departed before the recitation of the Kaddish. We trust that the families of our Temple will be represented in the Congregation this Thursday, so that the Procession of the Scrolls, with the Chanting of the Hoshanah by Cantor Meltzoff will be of outstanding impressiveness.

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Candidates for Bar Mitzvah and their parents
may communicate with the Cantor at his home.
The Rabbi and Cantor of the Congregation
would appreciate being advised of congregants
to whom they can be of service in any way.

IN MEMORIAM

Congregation Rodeph Sholom extends heartfelt sympathy to the families of

SARAH BUSCH

EDWARD OSSERMAN

who have passed away.

Memorial Lights will be kindled at the Nameplates on the Bronze Memorial Tablets in the Temple in memory of

SELIGMAN MANHEIMER

MOE ROSE

CAROLINE STERN

The Page in the Book of Life dedicated to the memory of
ANNA GOLDSTEIN
will be opened.

The Yahrzeits of the following departed will also be observed and the Kaddish recited in their memory at the coming Sabbath Services:

VIRGINIA BERLINER

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May the Memory of the Righteous
ever be a Benediction!

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Congregation Rodeph Sholom

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Phillips in memory of Leopold S. Meyer;

Mr. Sol J. Wallach in memory of Caroline Wallach;

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Weiner as a gift to the Bible and Prayer Book Fund;

The Adler Family in memory of their mother Regina Adler and their brother-in-law, William Ober;

Mrs. E. Becker in appreciation of the Prayer offered for her son's recovery;

Miss Esther Stern in memory of Herman Stern;

Roll of Remembrance

Mrs. Bessie Brimberg in memory of Jacob and Harry Hirschberg, Tobe Brimberg and Rose Hirschberg Grossman;

Rodeph Sholom Sisterhood

Mrs. Hyman Josephs in memory of Aaron Loeb for the Memorial and Scholarship Fund;

Mrs. Harry Gerstein in honor of the birth of her grandchild;

Rosa Rosenheim Memorial Milk Fund

Mrs. Rose Lustig in memory of dear ones;

Mrs. Moe Oppenheimer in memory of her husband;

Mrs. Rose Low and Miss Estelle Mendelson in memory of Florence Nordlinger;

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gans in memory of Jack Spindler;

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Siegel in memory of Gerson Kaufman;

Mrs. Lillian Kahn in memory of Leon Friedman;

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Loeb in honor of the engagement of their daughter Barbara to Arthur Colton.

OUR BAR MITZVAH

We are pleased to extend felicitations to Mr. and Mrs. B. Paul Rosen on the joyous occasion of the Bar Mitzvah ceremony of their son Robert, which takes place this Sabbath morning. We congratulate this new Son of the Commandment, and we are certain that he will dedicate himself to Jewish responsibilities with all his heart, with all his soul and with all his might. During the time that Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rosen have been affiliated with our Congregation they have given most generously of their time and substance to the promotion of our program of activities.

SUKKOTH: OUR APPRECIATION

The beauty of our Sukkah again has received much favorable comment and we are most grateful for the offerings of fruit and canned food which will be sent to the S.O.S. for the relief of starving Jews in Europe, and for gifts of money with which food will be purchased. A special word of thanks is expressed to the members of the Junior Matrons League of the Home of Old Israel who gave so generously through the efforts of Mrs. Albert M. Kahn and to Mr. Hyman Frankenthal who through the courtesy of Mr. Joseph Pulvermacher contributed much of the fruit which added greatly to the appearance of the Sukkah. We wish also to thank Mrs. Abraham Steigerwald, Mrs. Albert M. Kahn, Mrs. Lillian Guckenheimer, Mrs. Louis I. Newman, Mrs. Arthur J. Schwartz, Mrs. Abraham Racoosin, Mrs. Jerome Pomeroy, and Mrs. David Klein who assisted in the decoration of the Sukkah.

The offerings for the Sukkah were augmented by gifts of canned food from the children of the Religious School last Sunday, and these, too, will be sent to the S.O.S. Committee of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee.

CANTOR NATHAN G. MELTZOFF

Through the medium of our "Chronicle" we wish to express our appreciation to Cantor Nathan G. Meltzoff for the time and energy he devoted to the organization and training of the Choirs for our three High Holyday Services. The Order of Music in the Temple, the Temple House, and at the Youth Services was of extraordinary beauty, and was deeply appreciated by the Congregations. It was no easy task to provide music of this high quality, and our Cantor has our warmest thanks.

LATE FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES

With the special Induction Services in honor of Rabbi Soltes as Associate Rabbi Friday Evening, October 25th, we inaugurate our Late Friday Evening Services for the synagogue year. In addition to discourses by our Rabbis, we will welcome, as before, distinguished clergymen and lay preachers to the pulpit of Rodeph Sholom. While the Induction Services begin at 8 o'clock on the 25th, the Sabbath Eve Services thereafter will commence at 8:15. We trust that Congregants will wish to accustom themselves to the practice of regular and habitual attendance throughout the year. Plan to spend Sabbath Eve with us in the Temple.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

We wish to take this opportunity to welcome the many new families who have enrolled in our Congregation this year. We invite your cooperation, our new friends, in the upbuilding of the program of our synagogue. We trust that you will seek and find opportunities for activity in the Men's Association, the Sisterhood, the Parent-Teachers Association, and in the many programs which are carried out during the year. A Reception is being planned to greet the new families following a Friday Evening Service in November.

MR. JACOB S. MANHEIMER

We are pleased to announce that the Course in Jewish History which has been so ably and successfully presented by Mr. Jacob S. Manheimer during the past two years will be inaugurated again on Tuesday Evening, November 19th. The Course this year is entitled: "Five Hundred Years More" and will deal with the period in Jewish History from 1080 to the Expulsion of the Jews from Spain, and beyond. This series has been a highlight of the Temple's Adult Education Program, and will this year be one of the courses in the curriculum planned by the Adult Education Committee, of which Dr. Harold Fields is the Chairman. We look forward to the usual large registration and attendance at Mr. Manheimer's lectures.

DR. S. PALMER WEBER

The Rodeph Sholom Sisterhood will hold its next Open Meeting Monday afternoon, November 18th, at 1:30 o'clock. Our speaker will be Dr. S. Palmer Weber, Professor of Economics at the University of Virginia, who will speak on the topic: "Remodel Your Old Ideas." Dr. Weber has been a member of several Congressional committees of investigation, and is a Director of the Southern Conference on Human Welfare. He is an authority on current tendencies in American life. All our Sisterhood members and their friends are urged to attend. A social hour will follow the meeting. Let us plan to make this a gala occasion.

MR. LEO KLEIN

We wish to express to Mr. Leo Klein, our Temple Florist and devoted Congregant, our deep appreciation for his donation of the attractive floral decorations which adorned our Synagogue on the Rosh Hashonah Holiday. These decorations were a source of pleasure to all who beheld them at the High Holiday Service.

S. O. S. COLLECTION

At Yom Kippur Services there was read the appeal from Mr. Edward M. Warburg, Chairman of the Joint Distribution Committee, received from Rabbi Philip S. Bernstein, Special Advisor to Jewish Affairs to General McNarney, Germany and General Clark, Austria as follows: "Need for warm clothing and shoes for coming winter desperate for 60,000 Displaced Jews in Germany and 30,000 in Austria. Must therefore beseech you to appeal before Yom Kippur to all Congregations in the United States, asking immediate contributions of good clean clothing, particularly men's and women's. If this appeal is made in every synagogue this Yom Kippur I feel confident response will be overwhelming."

REDUCING OUR MORTGAGE

We have had a splendid response on the part of those Congregants and friends who have made a four-year pledge to our Mortgage Redemption Campaign. In many cases the full amount has been paid during the High Holydays, so that a comparatively small balance remains to be collected. We urge the helpful cooperation of our contributors in making possible the celebration of the "Burning of the Mortgage" in the late Fall.

CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

Candidates for Confirmation have begun their work with Rabbi Newman and Rabbi Soltes. Every Sunday morning at 9:30, the group will meet in the Temple for the Sunday Morning instruction. Information will be given later regarding other training. We are pleased to note the presence of almost all our Bnei Mitzvah of last year in the class of Confirmation Candidates, and we ask the cooperation of the parents in making sure their sons go forward from Bar Mitzvah to Confirmation and Post-Graduate activity. In addition to the classroom instruction, there will be a social program for the Confirmation Candidates.