
THE EUCLID AVE. TEMPLE

BULLETIN

CLEVELAND, OHIO



A Service of Rededication

*To the Ideals of Judaism
On the Occasion of Chanukah*

Friday, December 24th, 8 o'clock

DR. JAMES G. HELLER

• Rabbi, Isaac M. Wise Temple, Cincinnati, Ohio

will speak on

“The Attempt to Disrupt Reform Judaism”

Sabbath Morning Services

in the Chapel

11 A. M. to 12 Noon

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RABBI JULIUS J. NODEL

will preach on

The Joseph Drama---Act II

The Chanukah Service will include:

REDEDICATION CEREMONY, with the following participants: James H. Miller, President of the Temple; Mrs. J. C. Newman, President of the Sisterhood; Harry Jacobson, President of the Men's Club; Alvin Kendis, President of the Alumni.

A CHANUKAH PAGEANT, prepared and directed by Mrs. Sigmund Braverman and Mr. Nathan Brilliant.

SPECIAL CHANUKAH MUSIC by the organ and choir under the direction of Erwin Jospe.

AN ONEG SHABBAT IN ALUMNI HALL
WILL FOLLOW THE SERVICE.

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OUR GUEST PREACHER

Rabbi Heller has been and is active in many local and national organizations. For a time he was Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Zionist Organization of America, and is now a member of its Executive. For many years he has been a member of the Board of Governors of the Hebrew Union College, and is now a member of the Executive and Administrative Committees of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, and President of the Central Conference of American Rabbis. He is also Chairman of the Joint Commission on Ceremonies of these two organizations; Vice-Chairman of the Social Justice Commission, a member of the committee which for years has been revising the prayer-books of Reform Judaism. He has written many hymns for the Union Hymnal, and a number of services for the synagogue. Rabbi Heller is now also a Co-chairman of the United Jewish Appeal, and of the United Palestine Appeal. He began his career as Assistant Rabbi to Dr. Joseph Krauskopf, at Keneseth Israel, Philadelphia, 1916-19; was Rabbi in Little Rock, Ark., 1919-20; and since then has been Rabbi of the Isaac M. Wise Temple in Cincinnati.

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To the Scholarship Fund: Mrs. Leo Sidenfeld in memory of Stella Seidenfeld Koller; Mrs. Kluga in memory of Fannie Nusbaum; J. J. Ripner in honor of the 80th birthday of Mrs. Antel; donation from Mrs. Esther Krammer.

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To the Prayerbook Fund: Mrs. E. M. Goldstein; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Seidman in honor of the 15th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Marti Blum; Mrs. Rose Kohn in memory of Edward Kohn.

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Lieut. and Mrs. Leonard Schaefer on the birth of a baby boy December 7, 1943.

In Memoriam

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved families of Norbert Salzinger and Mrs. Emma Rossman.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL NOTES

All children from the fourth grade up are urged to attend the **CANUKAH REDEDICATION SERVICE** this Friday evening, December 24th at 8 p. m. Children of grades 7-8-9 are required to attend.

Sessions on Saturday and Sunday, December 25th and 26th will be devoted to Chanukah celebrations. Sessions on those two days will begin at 10 a. m. instead of the usual hour.

There will be no sessions on Friday, December 31st, Saturday, January 1st and Sunday, January 2nd.

At the city-wide Court of Honor held on Tuesday evening, December 14, three members of our Troop No. 61 were recognized:

**Can you spare . . .
ONE HOUR FOR PRAYER?**

New Year's Eve.

Friday Evening Services, December 31st

Rabbi Julius J. Nodel

will speak on

1944---POINTS THE WAY

A HAPPY CHANUKAH

EXCERPTS FROM A LETTER FROM RABBI BRICKNER

December 6, 1943.

"We made the hop without a single mishap, thank God. We left last night at 11 o'clock, stopped at a big rock in the middle of the ocean for breakfast, and arrived here in Africa before sunset. It was again very smooth, soaring up above the clouds in that huge army bird with four motors, humming on hour after hour without missing a beat for 16-17 long hours. I just can't get over it, for it would be too bad if the motors did cut out. But on these birds, if even two cut out, they can come in on the other two.

"I had a big navy blanket which a chaplain gave me before we left, so we spread it on the bucket seats, and I tried to sleep, and some sleeping, fitful though it was, I did. We got up to see a streak of gold break over the horizon, which was splashed with yellow and gold, and blue and purple like a rainbow, and in a few minutes, the streak of gold was like a ball of fire. It was day. We breakfasted on the Rock, all lava gravel, the top of a burned out volcano—it was brief, and off we were again for another 7½ hours.

"We are now in fine guest quarters—tepid showers, black boys in bare feet are our attendants—it gets 110-120 here by noon, but it is fair now. We take all our meals in the Officers' Mess—eat nothing off the army course—drink only water they have etc. It's wonderful how Uncle Sam carries his sanitation etc. along

everywhere, even into the jungles. Our boys have never been so well cared for physically. Of course, service in the tropics is not very energetic—climate is enervating, and 18-24 months is a lot. We go through routine here as in other places and in a day I hope to see two of our boys stationed way out here, Bob Miller and Harry Lefkowitz. I am terribly sorry I shall not be able to send a cable to our Sisterhood for their Inter-Faith meeting on the 7th, tomorrow, but I know it will turn out successfully as it usually does. Nor will I be able to cable Joy on her birthday—that is not army business nor is it connected with my religious mission, and private cabling is definitely out.

"There is plenty of need for my charity purse. Some conditions I have seen are indescribable. Don't worry about me, I am well and feeling fine—picking up interesting observations on the religious and moral life of our men which on the whole is fine. A much larger percentage go to church and synagogue in the army than at home, and our Jewish men are accounting for themselves creditably. Of course, the most strenuous part of the trip still lies ahead, but so do the thrills of the work I have to do. And now for a good night's sleep to make up for what we didn't get last night and on all flying days, because the plane gets off very early in the morning. I am anxiously awaiting the first overseas mail."

KEEP THE RABBI INFORMED

Rabbi Nodel is always ready and eager to minister to the spiritual needs of the members of the Congregation. On occasions either of joy, or of sickness, or of sorrow, when a visit from him would be welcomed, he would be glad to be informed by telephone. In so large a Congregation as ours, it is impossible for the Rabbi to know every occasion when his presence may be desired. Especially is this true of a Rabbi who is a newcomer in the community.

The Rabbi may be seen by appointment in his Temple study, where he will be glad to discuss with any member of the Congregation any personal problem in which he is competent to give counsel or assistance.

THREE SORTS OF PEOPLE

There are three sorts of people for whom we ought feel especial pain and sympathy: a reasonable, prudent creature subjected to a crazy fool; a good man who has to take orders from a bad; and a noble being dependent upon one of vulgar nature. There are three to whom we should sternly close our hearts: a cruel person who does pitiless wrong and vile things, the fool who rushes on ruin in spite of warning, and the ingrate. Ingratitude is the blackest of faults; it is not to be endured even towards the dumb creatures whom we use.

—Judah He-Hasid,

"The world is like a ladder: while one climbs up, the other goes down."

LET THERE BE LIGHT

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