
THE EUCLID AVE. TEMPLE

BULLETIN

CLEVELAND, OHIO

Brotherhood Service

Friday Evening, February 25th, at 8:15 o'clock

Dr. Robert B. Whyte

Minister, The Old Stone Presbyterian Church

will speak on

"Effective Weapons"

Sabbath Morning Services

in the Chapel
11 A. M. to 12 noon

RABBI NODEL

will preach on

"The Perpetual Lamp"

Sedrah: Exodus 25:1-27:19

Haftarah: I Kings 5:26-6:13

SAMUEL LEVINE WILL CHANT THE
LITURGICAL RESPONSES

ERWIN JOSPE AT THE ORGAN

"Remember the Sabbath Day to Keep It Holy"

For many years the National Conference of Christians and Jews has designated the period around the birthday of Lincoln and Washington as Brotherhood Week. A varied program, including public addresses, radio speeches, exercises in the public schools and exchanges between ministers of different denominations has been arranged for the occasion. The theme to be emphasized is: "Make America Safe For Differences."

As part of the local celebration, Dr. Whyte will occupy our pulpit this Friday evening. We hope that a large and representative congregation will attend to hear this distinguished Cleveland preacher and nationally known religious leader.

RABBI BRICKNER WILL OCCUPY HIS PULPIT NEXT FRIDAY

March 3rd, 8:15 P. M.

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In Memoriam

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved families of Dr. Louis Papurt, Jacob Sugarman, and Clara Diamond.

Brotherhood Week

February 20-26, 1944

The Week of Washington's Birthday

The White House, Washington.
The annual observance of Brotherhood Week is a time both of reminder and dedication. It reminds us of the basic religious faith from which democracy has grown—that all men are children of one Father and brothers in the human family. It dedicates us to the practice of understanding and justice through which freedom and equality flourish in human society.

While we are engaged in a mighty struggle to preserve our free institutions and to extend the boundaries of liberty in the earth, it is good for us to pledge renewed devotion to the fundamentals upon which this nation has been built. Brotherhood must prevail. Our inescapable choice is brotherhood or chaos.

On land and sea and in the air, the sons of the United States fight as one though they come from every racial and cultural strain and though they worship at different altars. They are brothers in arms now; soon, pray God, they shall be brothers in peace. We on the home front must see that history shall not repeat itself in postwar hatred and intolerance. It is for us to make the homeland more nearly a land of brotherhood, worthy of the victory our gallant sons and daughters shall surely win.

I, therefore, heartily join with the National Conference of Christians and Jews and with all forces of good will in our country in urging nation-wide observance of Brotherhood Week, February 20-26, 1944. I hope that our citizens will meet in church and schoolhouse, in halls and public places to think through the implications of practical brotherhood today, to cement our country's unity during the trying times to come, and to pledge anew allegiance to the flag which is a living symbol of liberty and justice for all.

—FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

WISHES

It is one thing to wish to have truth on our side, and another to wish sincerely to be on the side of truth.

—Richard Whately.

The good you do is not lost though you forget it.

—Old Proverb.

NEW FAITH IN FRONT LINES CHALLENGE TO CHURCHES

The following article about Rabbi Brickner, which appeared on January 20, 1944, in the "Stars and Stripes" in the North African Theater of operations, was sent to us by Chaplain Henry Tavel, Assistant Senior Chaplain, Natoussa, North Africa :

IN ITALY, Jan. 19—The churches of America will have a great obligation in matching the brand new faith of soldiers returning from the war, Rabbi Barnett R. Brickner told U. S. press correspondents in Naples last week.

Representing the Jewish faith in America as part of a religious mission sent out by President Roosevelt, Rabbi Brickner is now touring the world's battlefronts. He has already spoken to chaplains, commanding officers and men of all faiths in South America, India, China, the Persian Gulf, Palestine, Egypt, North and Central Africa and Sicily.

"In living together men of different races and religions have found a new sympathy and understanding for each other," Rabbi Brickner said. "This broad experience the soldiers have found in war will be carried home with them when the war is over—and they aren't going to be willing to return to narrowness. The churches must keep step with this new faith if they are to service the soldiers in peacetime."

Greater Response

At a meeting with chaplains of all denominations, Rabbi Brickner said that he had found during his tour a new sense of racial and religious brotherhood and a greater response to religion in the Army than in civilian life.

Pointing to the need for further educating soldiers in the goals of the war, the rabbi said that the war had already brought two separate reactions from men to whom he had spoken. On one hand, he said, he has sensed a much deeper love for America and the keen desire to return home. But he has also observed a growing world-mindedness in many soldiers and a feeling that what America has, the rest of the world needs.

"Education can increase this world view of things," Rabbi Brickner observed, "education in the goals of the war and the peace to follow it."

During his tour, Rabbi Brickner discovered that soldiers wanted higher

grade entertainment and better books to read. "These things," he said, "should be told to the folks at home."

Chaplains Lauded

Morality problems facing the Army, he said, are in part an indictment of home and church. The facts of venereal disease, he said should no longer be hidden, and home and church must join in regarding them frankly.

Praising frontline chaplains for their closeness to their men, Rabbi Brickner mentioned one chaplain who hadn't slept in a bed or cot since his company landed at Salerno and another who hadn't had his clothes off in 29 days.

"Men who have found new religion in the slit trenches," said the Rabbi, "are not losing it when they leave the frontlines. Those who have felt the presence of God in company with their fellow men will insist on a more inclusive religion when they go home again."

Rabbi Brickner, who is administrative chairman of the Committee on Army and Navy Affairs, received a leave of absence from the Euclid Avenue Temple in Cleveland, Ohio, to carry on his world tour. His mission follows that of Archbishop Francis Spellman, representing the Catholic faith, and Dr. W. B. Pugh, who represented the Protestants. Rabbi Brickner is being accompanied by Maj. Aryeah Lev, from the Chief of Chaplains Office, who acts as his military aide.

Rabbi Brickner will arrive here Friday and will conduct a special service Sunday at the Empire theater at 10:30 A. M.

RABBI IN THE COMMUNITY

Rabbi Nodel spoke to the Forum of the Emerson Junior High School, Lakewood, Ohio, on the subject, "Jewish Beliefs," Monday, February 21st. The Forum is making a study of the history and problems of the Jewish people. Tuesday, February 22nd, Rabbi Nodel addressed the Hadassah Organization of Warren, Ohio, upon the occasion of its 20th Anniversary Donor Luncheon. Next Sunday, he will speak to the Young Peoples Group of the Euclid Avenue Christ Church on the subject, "My Neighbor, The Jew."

FAVORITE TIMES

For the lazy—bedtime.
For the loafer—pastime.
For the borrower—sometime.
For the shiftless—any old time.

THESE UNSTATED THOUGHTS

The significance of the recent attacks on Jewish boys in Boston and in other cities has been largely missed. These attacks are desperately serious not because they imply an organized anti-Semitic conspiracy—a planned and organized movement—but because they testify to the breakdown of the implicit, unstated habitual self-restraints which make a democratic society workable. Free human beings, and free groups of human beings, do not live together in peace and mutual consideration because the laws say they must or because the police compel them. They live together in peace and mutual consideration because they share common beliefs about the decencies of human behavior. These common beliefs, these habitual, unstated habits of thought are the real bases of a free society—the air without which it cannot breathe.

—Archibald McLeish.

CONGRATULATIONS

The Rabbis, Board of Trustees, Officers and members of the Euclid Avenue Temple extend their Congratulations to **RABBI RUDOLPH M ROSENTHAL** upon the occasion of his Tenth Anniversary Celebration as Spiritual Leader of the Temple on the Heights, Sunday, February twenty-seventh.

CITIZENSHIP

Remember that loyalty to your obligations is the basic obligation of all citizens in a civilized country. Unless you examine what your obligations are in this modern world and continually study how you intend to perform them, democracy will fail. The political liberty of the individual will be diminished from necessity unless you do. Dictators will arise to perform your responsibilities and, having performed them, they will take their full toll from your liberties.

—Owen D. Young.

Welcome Rabbi Brickner Home

Father-Sons Luncheon Mother-Daughter Luncheon
at the
CARTER HOTEL
Sunday, March 5th, 1944, 12:30 P. M.

*It's your day
with the boys!*

- There will be **Free Souvenirs!**
- There will be **Door Prizes!**
- There will be **A Magician!**

and a variety of other
entertainment!

"Your kiddel be Lively, Too"—
"Woulden You?"

Please call the Temple Office to
let us know who is the:

- Mother with most number of daughters
- Fourth generation mother.
- Oldest mother in congregation.

PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN.

Rabbi Brickner will tell all about his travels