
THE EUCLID AVE. TEMPLE
BULLETIN
CLEVELAND, OHIO

Members and Their Friends Are Cordially Invited
to Attend the



REUBEN P. CAPLIN
Conductor

Annual Service of Music

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 7, 8 P. M.

"Songs of Israel"



Pauline C. Bushman

Presented by

THE EUCLID AVENUE TEMPLE FESTIVAL CHORUS

Rabbi Brickner will dedicate the Norman Roman Music Library

Rabbi Silver will conduct the service



*Norman Roman was our cantorial soloist for many years. He lost his life on
the field of battle in Normandy, France on August 6, 1944*



SOLOISTS: Tillie S. Fine, Betty Z. Kaufman, Samuel C. Levine.

ALTO SECTION: Lenore H. Bletcher, Adele Levy, Phyllis Roman, Beatrice Speer.

TENOR SECTION: Milton Book, Allen Deutsch, Harold Glickman, Wm. Martin, Paul Neal, Ben Wolf.

BASS SECTION: Bernard Hollander, Edmond Hurschel, Harold Roth, William Stuart.

AT THE ORGAN: Paul Allen Beymer, assisted by Pauline Cole Bushman.

Assisted with the Torah Last Week: Arthur Kalish and J. C. Newman

Sabbath Morning Services in the Chapel 11 to 12 Noon

Weekly Torah Portion: ACHARE MOS, Leviticus 16:1-18:30

Haftorah: I Samuel 20:18-42

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ALUMNI ASSOCIATION BOARD NOMINEES

In accordance with constitutional provision, herewith are announced the names submitted for nomination to the Executive Board of Directors of the Euclid Avenue Temple Alumni Association for the ensuing year: Stuart Frensdorf ('35); Francis Fellenbaum, Alan Robbins, Allen Wurzman ('36); Arnold Aaron, Robert Elder, Bernard Falcovich, Howard Friedman ('37); Murray Benway ('38); Lorry Bleiweiss, Ruth Eisenberg, Kathy Senor ('39); James Elsoffer, Sheldon Grasgreen, Merle Rogen, Carole Weinberger ('40); Audrey Friedman, Mervin Goldberg, Rose Goulder, Freda Hart, Ronald Jaffee ('41); Walter Deutsch, Malcolm Elsoffer, Robert Frankel, Gloria Mattlin, William Robbins ('42); Norton Rose ('43); Ilene Bernstein ('44).

Art. IV, Sec. 3 of the Constitution states: "Additional candidates may be placed in nomination by petition signed by ten (10) members in good standing, to be filed with the Recording Secretary at least two (2) weeks before the annual meeting."

Candidates must be confirmands of the Euclid Avenue Temple who are members in good standing of the Association.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Saul Fox on the birth of a granddaughter, Judith Ann Stone.

To Mr. and Mrs. Sam Simon on the engagement of their daughter, Natalie, to Imanuel J. Katz.

To Mr. and Mrs. Phil Sobel on the marriage of their son, Robert, to Barbara F. Bainer of Baltimore, Maryland.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newman on the birth of a grandson, Eric Marshall Newman.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lewis I. Benway on their 30th wedding anniversary.

HONOR THY MOTHER

Time has scattered snowflakes on her brow, pillowed deep furrows on her cheeks; she is beautiful! The lips are thin and sunken, but those lips kissed many a hot tear from childish cheeks. The eyes are dim, yet they glow with the soft radiance of holy love, which can never fade. The sands of time are nearly run. Though feeble, she will yet go farther and reach down deeper for you than all others. You cannot walk into a midnight where she cannot see you; you cannot slink into a prison whose bars will keep her out; you cannot mount a scaffold so high that she cannot reach up—that she may bless you in her deathless love. When the world despises and foreakes you, when it leaves you by the roadside to perish unnoticed, the dear, good mother gathers you into her arms and carries you home, and tells you of all your virtues, until you forget your soul is made hideous by vice. Honor thy Mother!

—From Turner Topics, Marianna, Fla.

ACTIVITIES RALLY THIS SATURDAY, MAY 8

The club and Special Hebrew programs will reach their climax this Saturday, May 8, at the Annual Activities Luncheon at noon in Alumni Hall. Once more, Mrs. Sidney Weiss is preparing a delicious luncheon for the affair.

The rally will be highlighted by the presentation of awards to the winners of "Guess Which Holiday" contest, and by skits, songs, and other entertainment. An award will also be made for the most attractive center-piece. Other prizes will be given for special distinction and achievement. Mrs. Arthur Roth is in charge of the program. Tickets at 50c each may still be secured at the School Office.

COUPLES' CLUB MEETS MAY 26

The next meeting of the Couples' Club will take place Wednesday, May 26, 8:30 p. m. in Alumni Hall. At that time, Rabbi Brickner will lead a discussion on the subject, "The American Jew and Jewish Palestine." Those who have attended past meetings and those who have not are welcome to the meeting, which will be concluded with a social hour and refreshments.

IN MEMORIAM

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved family of Rebecca Bukstein.

WHAT YOU SHOULD REMEMBER ABOUT THE WELFARE FUND CAMPAIGN!

1. WHAT IS THE 1948 NATIONAL GOAL OF THE UNITED JEWISH APPEAL?

The United Jewish Appeal, largest beneficiary of our Jewish Welfare Fund, is campaigning nationally for a minimum of \$250,000,000 in 1948, for its three constituent agencies. Approximately \$147,000,000 is for the United Palestine Appeal; \$89,000,000 for the Joint Distribution Committee; and \$14,000,000 for the United Service for New Americans.

2. WHAT ARE THE MAJOR TASKS OF THE UPA?

The UPA finances the major needs of Jewish Palestine through the Palestine Foundation Fund (Keren Hayesod) and the Jewish National Fund (Keren Kayemeth.) Biggest items in the UPA budget are for immigration, relief, and housing of refugees, thousands of whom continue to arrive, despite attacks by the Arabs. The Jewish community of Palestine must defend what it has built, while continuing the further development of its economy so as to provide for the reception and adjustment of newcomers.

3. WHAT IS JDC'S JOB IN 1948?

In 1948, JDC will be called on to give aid to more than half of Europe's 1,500,000 Jewish survivors, or approximately 850,000, including 138,000 children. For the 250,000 displaced Jews of Germany, Austria, Italy, and Cyprus \$30,000,000 is required; \$35,000,000 is needed for aid to the Jews of east European countries. While thousands of DP's and other Jews of Europe hope and wait for emigration, JDC must provide maintenance and vocational training to keep up their morale and help prepare them for useful lives in their new homes.

4. WHAT IS BEING DONE TO HELP REFUGEES ARRIVING IN THE UNITED STATES?

Through the United Service for New Americans (USNA) the Jews of America provided help to 20,000 of the 25,000 Jewish newcomers to the U. S. A. in 1947. Should congressional action result in the admission of greater numbers of displaced persons to the U. S. this year, USNA will face greater responsibilities and increased costs.

5. AREN'T INTERNATIONAL AGENCIES TAKING CARE OF THE DP'S?

The International Relief Organization

was supposed to start its work following the end of UNRRA, on June 30, 1947, but this body has not yet officially come into being, since not all of the 15 required countries have ratified the constitution. Instead, an interim agency known as the Preparatory Commission of the International Relief Organization (PCIRO) was established. Because of PCIRO's limited funds, the JDC has to provide full maintenance for a portion of the displaced Jewish population, and to supplement the inadequate diet of the remainder.

6. HOW WILL THE EUROPEAN RECOVERY PROGRAM AFFECT EUROPE'S JEWS?

The European Recovery Plan—ERP—(Marshall Plan) is confined to 16 countries of western Europe, where it is hoped that it will start these nations on the road to economic recovery. The bulk of European Jewry lives in east European countries, not included in the ERP. The ERP is planned on a 4-year basis starting this spring, and accordingly cannot be expected to accomplish much of its 4-year task in the months remaining in 1948. In those sections where ERP will operate, no part of its funds will be spent for meeting communal, religious and other special needs of Jewish individuals and communities.

7. WHAT ABOUT HELP TO JEWISH AGENCIES IN CLEVELAND?

While properly placing major fund-raising emphasis on overseas help, the Jewish Welfare Federation has never overlooked the importance of full support to its local agencies. Keeping our own communal institutions strong enables us to give effective service to the Jewish community of Greater Cleveland and to be a source of greater help to our fellow-Jews overseas. In addition to local Jewish Welfare Fund beneficiaries, this year's campaign goal includes allocations to the local Jewish Welfare Federation agencies supported through the Community Fund to make up their operating deficits so as to enable them to maintain good standards of services in the face of increased costs.

8. WHY IS MORE MONEY NEEDED IN 1948?

In addition to the facts in the answers to the preceding questions, the following should be noted. Inflation and currency devaluation have taken place in many European countries; the rise in cost

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of commodities here since last year has cut the purchasing power of the dollar. Generous as American contributors have been, it is a fact that not one of us has reduced his standard of living as a result of giving to the Welfare Fund. Not one of us is asked to sacrifice his life, the welfare of his family, or his standard of living. Let's not forget that thanks to some lucky accident of migration on the part of our forebears, we have the good fortune to be living in this democratic and prosperous nation rather than in some D.P. Camp or dismal corner of Europe. Let's also remember that we can go about our daily business without fear of being the target of bullets, as are our fellow-Jews in Palestine.

9. HOW MANY AGENCIES BENEFIT FROM THE JEWISH WELFARE FUND CAMPAIGN?

Some of the direct beneficiaries of the Jewish Welfare Fund divide their allotments among their constituent agencies. A contribution to the Jewish Welfare Fund Appeal is thus shared by a total of 170 agencies in Cleveland, America, Europe, Palestine, and other parts of the globe, who agree not to conduct independent fund-raising campaigns in our community. In addition to aiding overseas agencies, the Fund helps support the programs of civic protective agencies for combating anti-Semitism, and promotes the work of many Jewish health, educational and cultural agencies. Thus, one gift to the Jewish Welfare Fund goes a long way and many ways.

MEN'S CLUB MEMBERS

MARK THIS DATE!

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1948

Annual

Meeting and Dinner

Alumni Hall

A "HEART-TO-HEART"

by

RABBI BRICKNER

Make Reservations Early

FUNDS

The following contributions have been recently received:

ALTAR FUND: Cora Kohn in memory of Jenny Goldhamer; Mesdames Eugene J. Breuer, Michael H. Lipman, Mary Markowitz, and Sam R. Bradley in memory of Jacob Markowitz; Mrs. A. Joseph, Henrietta Joseph and Mrs. Leo E. Rossmann in memory of Abe Joseph.

BABY BLESSING FUND: Dr. and Mrs. Gerold Breuer in honor of the blessing of their son, Jon Gregory.

BERKOWITZ FUND: Pauline Harris in memory of David Sey.

BETTY JANE FINKLE PRIZE FUND: Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw in memory of Betty Jane Finkle's birthday.

BRAILLE FUND: Mrs. Cora Reinthal in memory of her husband, Manuel Reinthal; Mrs. Sam R. Bradley in memory of her father, Jacob Markowitz; Mrs. Michael H. Lipman and Mrs. Mary Markowitz in memory of Jacob Markowitz.

JANICE SHAW MEMORIAL FUND: Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw in memory of Janice Shaw's birthday.

LIBRARY FUND: Mrs. Mary Goodman in memory of her husband; Donald Loveman Bookshelf—Mrs. Alwyn Klein in memory of Herman I. Jacobs, Celia Frankel Jacobs and Stanley L. Jacobs; Julius Wirtschafter Bookshelf—Mrs. Julius Wirtschafter in memory of Tillie Wirtschafter; Alex H. Goldberger Bookshelf—From the children of Alex and Seren Goldberger.

PRAYERBOOK FUND: Bertha M. Harris in memory of Catherine Barry; Mrs. William Schnurmacher in memory of Lizzie Thorman Berman; Mrs. Harry Engelman in memory of her mother, Sarah Schanfarber Hammer.

YAHREZEIT FUND: Gerstle Family in memory of Charles, Emilie and Samuel Gerstle; Mrs. M. Fischer, Mrs. A. Rosenbloom, and Mrs. E. R. Cole in memory of David Sey; Dr. Leon H. Dembo in memory of his father, Meyer Dembo; Mrs. Henry Gottfried and Mrs. Lee E. Unger in memory of Esther Miller.

HAVE YOU HEARD THESE BEFORE?

Here are some remarks which I have collected. They come from men and women of finest background and position. They are unquestionably sincere. They offer food for thought.

"I am a good Jew. I don't go to the Temple but let anyone say anything against the Jews and I get indignant!"

"I always plan to go to services but something always happens. My wife buys tickets for theatre, friends drop in, dinner is late . . . you understand, Rabbi . . . something always happens."

"Music is my Religion."

"I'm a good Jew. I give to Charity."

"I do not belong to the Temple because it costs so much. Religion should not be so commercialized!" (This man belongs to a Town Club, a Country Club, always sits down front at the best shows, goes to the finest Night Club and is always a generous host to his business associates and his friends. He contributes to charities.)—Rabbi William F. Rosenblum, Temple Israel, N. Y. City.