
EUCLID AVENUE TEMPLE
BULLETIN
CLEVELAND, OHIO

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE

FEBRUARY 3rd, 8:15 P. M.

**"SAMSON AND DELILAH:"
HOLLYWOOD'S TREATMENT
OF THE BIBLE**

by

RABBI BRICKNER

Y P C CREATIVE SERVICE, 8:45 P. M.

In the Chapel

Theme: "BROTHERHOOD"

Oneg Shabbat in Alumni Hall

The YPC Choir, directed by Myron Stern, will be joined by the Alumni Choral Group for this service.

Assisting Rabbi Davis at the Service: Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Meckler, Jerry Frisch and Barthold Holdstein.

In Charge of Oneg Shabbat: Mrs. Herbert Ackerman, Mrs. Leonard Alperin.

Sabbath Morning Service in the Chapel, 11 A. M. to 12 Noon

TORAH PORTION: "BESHALAH", Exodus 13.17-17.16; Haftorah, Judges 4.4-5.31

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How to Live

Reform Judaism is the topic which will be discussed at the next meeting of the YPC COUPLES' CLUB, WED., FEB. 8th, 8:30 P. M., in Alumni Hall. RABBI BRICKNER will lead the discussion and the question period to follow. The YPC invites all parents to be their guests at this meeting.

A fellowship hour with refreshments will follow the discussion.

GERMAN CHINAWARE

BY LEONORA SPEYER

Pulitzer Prize Winner in Poetry

This pretty cup
With its painted rose,
The living tints so tender and so gay,
Comes from that mortal place
Where huddle the pitiful dead—
The thrifty chemist knows
The valued clay
Mixed with these bones—
What are the dead to him?
World, turn away!
Drink not from that lethal rim!
What liquid pours from the curved,
gilded spout
Of delicate coffee-pot?
And what aroma is this,
Sweetened with what?
Think as you sip!
What shrunken lip,
Clay of what charnel-house
Mixed with what bone,
In a vast, mournful kiss
Meets now your own?

—From the Jewish Day.

The Sisterhood Cordially
Invites

**THE ENTIRE
CONGREGATION**

to

A Sabbath Eve Service
Devoted to
Interfaith Understanding

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10,
8:15 P. M.

RABBI
ROLAND B. GITTELSON

of Rockville Centre, New York

**"HOW SECURE ARE OUR
CIVIL RIGHTS?"**

Service to be Read by
Members of the Sisterhood

**Oneg Shabbat
In Alumni Hall**

Mrs. Harry Wolpaw
and
Mrs. William Kutler,
Co-Chairmen

Mrs. Sara Blackman
and
Mrs. William Shapero,
in charge of the Oneg Shabbat

Enjoy an Afternoon of Pleasure
at the

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION'S

TEA DANCE

Sunday, Feb. 12, 3 to 6 P. M.

Alumni Hall

Dick Burk and His Band

Refreshments

Surprise Entertainment

PAINTING OF GREAT JEWISH ARTIST ON EXHIBITION

An exhibition of color reproductions of the paintings of Marc Chagall will be held in the Jewish Community Centers auditorium beginning Thursday, February 2. This exhibition is being held in cooperation with the Jewish Welfare Board of New York. The exhibition will be open to the public daily except Saturday until February 15. Those groups desiring gallery talks please contact the Adult Services Division of the Jewish Community Centers by calling RA 0880.

MEMORIAL PLAQUE

The names of the following dear departed, who were called to eternal rest during 1949, have been added to the Memorial Plaque adjoining our chapel:

David J. Cohen

Louis G. Justh

Regina Reinthal Rosenthal

PROGRESS BEING MADE IN CIVIL RIGHTS

(From a Statement issued by the Commission on Justice and Peace of the Central Conference of American Rabbis.)

In the field of American education, students at both the University of Texas and the University of Missouri expressed themselves by poll in favor of attendance by Negro students. A similar census among faculty members teaching in eleven Southern state universities indicated that in seven of these schools a substantial majority of professors and teachers favor the elimination of racial barriers among their students. In 1949 also, for the first time, three Southern colleges admitted Negroes to their respective summer sessions, and both Harvard and Brown Universities appointed the first Negro members of their faculties.

In the wider arena of public life, equal progress can be noted. The Minnesota and Connecticut National Guard are now open for the first time to enlistment by Negroes on an equal and unsegregated basis. The federal government has announced that financial subsidies for public housing will no longer be approved for projects discriminating against Negroes. The first colored physician to serve in the American Medical Association's house of delegates in the entire 103-year history of that body has been appointed. Nor should we fail to note with pride how Temple Sinai of New Orleans, led by one of our own colleagues set an example of exalted religious living in opening its auditorium to one of the rare peaceful unsegregated public meetings in the city's history.

For Jews such progress as this reinforces our faith that the blessed democracy of America remains our world's most fertile soil for the healthy growth of that human love which emanates from a God of love. But progress in the past must never become an excuse

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SAVE FEB. 21 FOR MEN'S CLUB FAMILY NITE

Parents, save the night of TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21st. That's the night when you and your entire family will be the guests of the Men's Club at an exciting program of entertainment. The Men's Club Family Nite is planned for that evening because children do not have to go to school the next day, Washington's Birthday.

Theodore R. Spilka is in charge of the program.

JUNIOR ALUMNI DINNER DANCE FEBRUARY 19

A delightful evening of entertainment is promised the high school set at the Dinner Dance to be given by the Junior Alumni Sunday evening, February 19 in Alumni Hall. With the hall set up in night club style, the young folks will enjoy professional entertainment as well as a meal and dancing.

IN MEMORIAM

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved family of Rachel Spiegle.

THESE WE REMEMBER

Among the names to be memorialized with the Kaddish at services this weekend will be the following from our Perpetual Yahrzeit book:

Sardou W. Abrahams, Simon Fishel, David Fuld, Rosetta Fuld, William Jacob Geiger, Morris N. Halle, Fanny Hoffheimer, Sadie Kahn, Eva Mannheim, Rebecca Morris, Herman Rippner, Jacob Robinson, Isaac Sacheroff, Joseph Sondheimer, Sophie Steiner, Albert Sondheimer, Rosa Glauber Stone, Clara Bruml Weil, and Jennie Wodicka.

BOOKS CAN BE JOLLY GOOD FUN They Can Keep a Reader in a Happy Mood on Many a Trying Day, Rabbi Observes

By Rabbi Mortimer J. Cohen

Books, for no reason at all, carry with them an aura of intense seriousness. And, readers of books in subways, on busses, or on trains are suspected of being "high-brows," gloomy people whose foreheads seem to bulge rather ominously. But, really, it isn't so at all. Books can also be fun, rollicking good fun, that can keep a reader in a happy mood on many a trying day. And, if read to the family, can prove to be lots of jolly good fun for them also.

Of course, there are the usual fun-books which represent Jews in all kinds of situations and give a taste of sharp Jewish wit and humor. One thinks immediately of such volumes as *Let Laugh-ter Ring* by S. Felix Mendelsohn, *The Book of Jewish Humor* by Rufus Lears, and the delightful volumes in Yiddish but printed in the Roman alphabet, *Royte Pomerantsen* and *L'Chayim* by Immanuel Olsvanger.

For That Desert Island

Two books that prove an endless source of delight are *The Wise Men of Helm* and their *Merry Tales* by Solomon Simon and *A Treasury of Jewish Folklore* by Nathan Ausubel. If ever a Jewish reader is stranded on a desert island and has a chance to call for a book to keep his spirits cheerful, he could not do better than order these funsters pronto.

Recently a whole flock of smiling books have settled down on our literary lawns and before flying from our ken let's look at them once more: *The Education of Hyman Kaplan* by Leonard R. Ross; *The King of Schnorrers* by Israel Zangwill, and *Go Fight City Hall* by Ethel Rosenberg.

On to Purim!

In a class by themselves are the volumes by and about Sholom Aleichem.

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SISTERHOOD SEWING

Everyone who comes to sewing on Tuesday for the first time is intrigued by the work the quilters turn out. Exquisite satin, lamb's wool filled baby quilts are sewed by nimble fingers.

For the past two summers, this faithful group, headed by Etta Freiburger and Eva Bondy, has made patches. These in turn have been assembled to make handsome summer quilts. One of a pair of patch work quilts is on the loom now. Come and see it and perhaps buy it for yourself or for a very special gift.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Sandford N. Curtiss on his marriage to Shirley Altman.

To Emil Elder on his election to the presidency of the Hebrew Free Loan Association.

To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Podell on the engagement of their son, Nelson E. to Marilyn Garber.

To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Weinberg on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Robert.

To Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wallach on the birth of a grand-daughter, Naomi Ruth Wallach.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ashkenas on the birth of a grand-daughter, Jill Allyson Reicher.

MAKE IT A HOBBY

To Stop in the
TEMPLE LOBBY

and

Patronize the
P. T. A. GIFT SHOP

Items of Use and Beauty

TV TO GET TEE-HEE AT CONFIRMATION CANTEEN, SUNDAY, FEB. 5

A skit poking fun at Television, refreshments, and dancing will feature the PTA Canteen for students of the Confirmation Department and their friends, SUNDAY, FEB. 5th in Alumni Hall. High Schoolers are also welcome to this jolly event being planned by the PTA and the Confirmation Department. The fun begins at 3 P. M.

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The World of Sholom Aleichem by Maurice Samuel, *The Old Country* and *Tevye's Daughters* by Sholom Aleichem. These volumes carry an old world flavor with them. They provide the kind of humor which carries a tear within the laugh. Together they wash the heart of its burdens and make them sing with uplifted spirits. In similar vein is *The Travels and Adventures of Benjamin the Third* by Mendeley Mocher Seforim.

Last but not least, let's not forget that Hanukah is past and already we are thinking of Purim, that feast of fun and festival of joy. What better source of Purim fun can one find than *The Purim Anthology* by Philip Goodman. Here one discovers the joys of being a Jew in the old, the medieval and the modern way.

Books can be fun! If the Holy One, blessed be He, sits in the heavens and laughs (Psalm II.4), why should not His children occasionally indulge in this divine exercise—through well-chosen, joyful books?

—From "In Jewish Bookland."

CAMP GALIL OPENS ITS 7th SEASON

Camp Galil, an educational project sponsored by the Bureau of Jewish Education, announces its seventh camping season. Camp Galil has acquired a national reputation through its all-round athletic, educational, cultural, character building, and recreational program.

The Camp is directed by Irv Lerner, who has had eleven years of experience as counselor, head counselor and director in various children's summer camps.

Registration has already begun. Further information may be obtained from Camp Galil, 10501 East Blvd., CE. 3376.

PURIM NOTES

The festival of Purim begins this year at sundown on THURSDAY, MARCH 2nd, 3 P. M. in Alumni Hall.

Parents who are anxious to know how to make the holiday meaningful and most pleasant at home, are urged to hear a festival talk by MRS. BRICKNER, TUESDAY, FEB. 28th, 1:30 P. M. Sponsored by PTA, the meeting is open to all parents.

MEGILLAH NIGHT this year will take place at the Friday evening service on MARCH 3rd, 8:15 P. M.

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for complacency in the future. The significant achievements of yesterday must be a spur to still greater accomplishment tomorrow. We rabbis in Israel call upon our own congregants and our fellow-Americans of every faith to implement still further the divine command: "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself."

We call upon the separate and individual state governments to demonstrate by action their claim that they have it within their own power to guarantee the civil rights of their citizens. Not by promise alone, but by fulfillment can they justify their protestations that they are qualified to assume this responsibility themselves.

FUNDS

The following contributions have been received during the past week:

CHAPEL EDUCATIONAL FUND: Mrs. Cora F. Reinthal in memory of her daughter, Regina Reinthal Rosenthal; Mrs. David I. Cohen in memory of her husband.

BERKOWITZ FUND: Mr. and Mrs. Sol Berkowitz in memory of their son, Fred.

BUILDING FUND: Mrs. Hilda Schulman in honor of her recovery from a recent accident; Mrs. Libbie Goldman in memory of Fannie Zuckerman Wolf and Goldie Zuckerman Edelstein; Mr. and Mrs. Herman S. Goldsmith and Clarence I. Goldsmith in honor of Mrs. J. M. Anthony's 75th birthday; Mrs. Harry Korach, Mrs. A. M. Klein and H. L. Wohlgenuth in memory of their father, Bernard Wohlgenuth.

GUREN SCHOLARSHIP FUND: The Guren Family in memory of Joseph Held.

LIBRARY FUND: Misses Clara and Hellene Manche in honor of Mrs. Pauline Rose's 80th birthday; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley R. Fishel in memory of Helen Brudno Markus; Mrs. A. J. Haas and Mrs. D. B. Eisenberg in memory of Daniel Cowan; Miss Betty Newman, Mrs. Joseph Newman and daughter, Ruth, and Miss Eva Levine in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Michael Krall's 30th wedding anniversary; Mrs. Morris Kraus in honor of her granddaughter, Robin Weiss.

MEMORIAL FUND: Mrs. Isador Wolf in memory of her son, Abe W. Wolf; Henry A. Pohl in memory of Rebecca Morris; Mrs. Charles Wakefield in memory of her husband.

NORMAN ROMAN MUSIC LIBRARY FUND: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wien in memory of Charles Stone.

BRAILLE FUND: Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kline in memory of Mrs. Nora Klopfer, Mrs. Rosetta Kahn, and Mrs. Morris Resek.

TWO TEMPLE ALUMNI GROUPS JOINT DANCE

The joint sponsorship of a dance by the Euclid Avenue Temple Alumni Association and the Alumni Association of The Temple was announced this week by the executive boards of the two organizations.

The dance will take place on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25th, beginning at 9:30 P. M. in the ballroom of the Tudor Arms Hotel.

Earl Rose and his orchestra will furnish the music and there will be entertainment by Dan Desberg.

The price is \$2.40 per couple.

Dress is semi-formal.