

Public Opinion Forces Query on Religion Out of 1960 Census

We are elated to note that Americans will not be asked about their religion in the 1960 census. The Union of American Hebrew Congregations was one of those who voiced a strong objection to the Census Bureau's plan to ask this question. The Union's objection was that the Census Bureau question would violate the principle of the separation of

church and state. Here is another example of the great work that the Union is doing. To help it do even more—for you, your congregation, your community and your country—make it a point of your giving to include the Combined Campaign for American Reform Judaism, which supports also the splendid higher educational program of our world-renowned rabbinic school, the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion.

In Remembrance

Kaddish will be recited for the following departed loved ones whose names are inscribed for perpetual tribute on the Memorial Tablets of our Congregation:

JANUARY 24

Augusta Rotholz
Sam Wertheimer
Fannie Spiesberger
M. David Brodkey
J. L. Brandeis
Julius S. Schiff

JANUARY 31

Moses S. Logasa
Cora S. Wolf
Fannie Friedman
Herman Rehfeld
Sarah Jacobs Kohn
Thomas I. Levitt
Bertha Pollack
Jeannette Rubin
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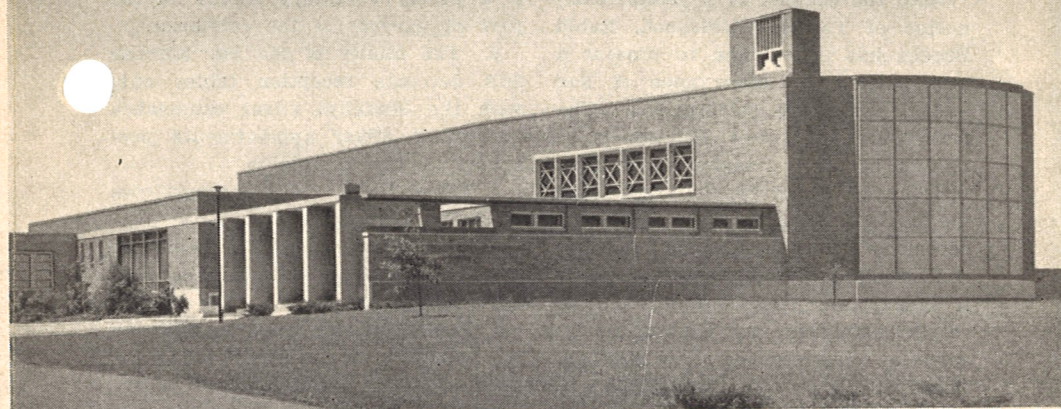
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WORSHIP SERVICES

FRIDAY EVENING, JANUARY 24—8:15 P. M.

WHAT SHALL I TELL MY CHILDREN TO PRAY?

Silly Poems to a Serious God

Bar Mitzvah of Lawrence Joseph Kavich and Barry Ira Goldware

SONS OF MR. AND MRS. LAZIER KAVICH AND
MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH S. GOLDWARE

Reception Will Follow Services Friday Evening and Saturday Morning

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FRIDAY EVENING, JANUARY 31—8:15 P. M.

JUDAISM IN THE PRAYERBOOK

Discussion Series Following Services

IV. Render Honor Unto the Torah

—The Use of Scripture and Sermon

—Saturday Morning Services at 11:30 O'clock

BAR MITZVAH PATTERN RE-TAILORED

With the counsel of a special committee of Temple Sisterhood, Rabbi Brooks has undertaken to present a new pattern for observance of Bar and Bas Mitzvah celebrations. The main purpose of Bar Mitzvah is to hold a beautiful religious ceremony. It is hoped, therefore, that receptions in our Social Hall following such ceremony may be kept simple and uniform to assure a democratic spirit among our congregation, and to retain emphasis on the primarily spiritual character of Bar Mitzvah. The facilities of our Synagogue are always open to every member of the congregation, and no member ought to feel hesitant about using them.

The Sisterhood committee has defined the following principles for guidance of our congregation regarding Bar Mitzvah ceremonies:

1. Reception following Bar Mitzvah

is a purely voluntary choice on the part of parents of the celebrant.

2. The family of the Bar Mitzvah will decorate reception tables only with the beautiful silver candelabra and other silver appointments possessed by the Temple.

3. Floral and fruit centerpieces shall be eliminated.

4. Simple refreshments shall be served, avoiding elaborate candies, nuts, fruits, etc.

5. Parents planning a Bar Mitzvah will meet with a committee of the Sisterhood for guidance.

This action has received the approval of the Temple Board of Trustees and the Board of Temple Sisterhood. Understanding and cooperation among all Temple members will make Bar Mitzvah celebrations a memorable experience in the lives of our children and their families.

Rabbi Kaiman to Receive Colorado Congregations

On Sunday, January 26, Rabbi Arnold Kaiman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Kaiman, will be installed as the Rabbi of the combined congregations of Temple Emanuel, Pueblo, Colo., and Temple Beth El, Colorado Springs, Colo.

The installation ceremony will take place at Temple Beth El. Rabbi Sidney H. Brooks will deliver the installation sermon. Therefore, Rabbi Kaiman will be installed by the Rabbi of his home congregation.

Rabbi Kaiman cordially invites any who can attend to this event.

Nursery School 2nd Semester Starts February 5

The second semester of Temple Nursery School will start Wednesday, February 5. Applications are now being taken by Mrs. Morris J. Lipp, chairman of the nursery school committee Gl. 9197, or at the Temple office, Re. 6636.

A few openings are available for the new semester. Because enrollment is limited, pupils will be ac-

APPOINTMENT

Mrs. Edward Gilbert, Sisterhood President, has appointed Mrs. Edward Levinson and Mrs. Julius Newman to the Board of Governors of the Federation for Jewish Service.

To purchase an AUNT LIL COOK BOOK, contact Mrs. Harry Trustin, Wa. 1615.

UNIONGRAMS: Contact Mrs. Harry Wise (Gl. 1787), who will be glad to send one for you anytime.

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Gifts TO THE TEMPLE

Sisterhood Nursery School Fund

To help speed the recovery of Scott Wigodsky by Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lipp.

In memory of Berthold Rosenthal by Mr. and Mrs. Ted Newman.

Sisterhood House & Floral Fund

In memory of Abe Milder by Dr. and Mrs. Maynard Greenberg.

In memory of Sophie Kaslow by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Plattner, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Nogg.

In honor of the Reuben Kulakofskys' 60th wedding anniversary by Dr. and Mrs. M. I. Gordon.

In honor of Louis Bernstein's 70th birthday by Mr. and Mrs. Dave Levine, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pepper.

Education Fund

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kulakofsky's 60th wedding anniversary by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sophir, Mr. and Mrs. Manning E. Handler.

In honor of Louis Bernstein's 70th birthday by Mr. and Mrs. Morris Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Brodkey.

In gratefulness for the recovery of Phillip Greenberg by Mr. and Mrs. William Wolfe.

Memorial Fund

In memory of Ida and Charles Feldman by Mrs. Minnie L. Gilinsky.

In memory of Berthold Rosenthal by Mr. and Mrs. David Rosenstock, Mr. Julius Mayer.

In memory of Mrs. Simon of Chicago by Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Aresty. In memory of Anna K. Friedman by J. J. Friedman, Minda Liberman, Ruth Altsuler, Willard Friedman.

In memory of Sam Lipton by Mr. and Mrs. William Wolfe.

In memory of Simon Kalis by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosenfeld.

In memory of Goldie Sobrin by Mrs. Florence Rosenthal, Mrs. Stella Rosenthal.

Library Fund

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kulakofsky's 60th wedding anniversary by Mr. and Mrs. Lester Simon, Mrs. Minnie L. Gilinsky, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosenfeld, Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Marer.

In honor of Louis Bernstein's 70th birthday by Messrs. and Meses. Jack W. Marer, Mose Krasne, Nick Krasne, Milton R. Abrahams, Millard Speier, Harry Rosenfeld, the Peppers, and the Slosburgs.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. David Rosenstock's wedding anniversary by Mrs. Minnie L. Gilinsky.

In memory of Abe Milder by Mrs. Minnie L. Gilinsky, Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Marer.

In memory of Jacob Rosenblum by Mrs. Minnie L. Gilinsky.

In memory of Berthold Rosenthal by Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Gummers.

Pathways OF LIFE

Deaths

Sophie Simon, mother of Mrs. Stanley Ross.

Sophie Kaslow, sister of Manning E. Handler.

Births

A daughter, Judith Lisa, to Mr. and Mrs. Maury L. Schwartz, Temple's Director of Education.

A son, Robert Jeffrey, to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Spitzer. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Spitzer.

New Members

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Irwin Cekan.

Dr. and Mrs. Sol L. Garfield.

Congratulations

To Mrs. Reuben Kulakofsky and Dr. Abe Greenberg on being honored by the Federation for outstanding community service.

To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Somberg on the engagement of their son, Ramon, to Miss Suzanne Richards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morton A. Richards.

To Sheldon Harris on being one of seven nominees for Outstanding Young Man of 1957, announced by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

CONTRIBUTIONS:

Sisterhood House and Floral Fund, Contact Mrs. Leo Nogg (Gl. 2065).

Sisterhood Nursery School Fund, Contact Mrs. Jacob Hess (Wa. 7581).

Sisterhood House of Living Judaism Fund, Contact Mrs. Adolf Mayer (Gl. 2881).

In memory of Ida Feldman and Charles Feldman by Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Marer.

Wishing a speedy recovery for Max Cohen by Dr. and Mrs. Leon Fellman.

Praying for the recovery of Scott Wigodsky by Mrs. Vivian Weiss.

In loving memory of Irwin D. Weiss by Dr. and Mrs. Earl Wigodsky.

In memory of Chester L. Orloff and Samuel Orloff by Hannah Orloff.

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