

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES	
Friday, November 10 8:15 p.m.	Sabbath Evening Services
RABBI SIDNEY H. BROOKS will speak on THE BIBLE IS NOT "JEWISH" Sabbath Coffee Hour	
Saturday, November 11 11:00 a.m.	Sabbath Morning Services
Bat Mitzvah of LISA MIRIAM SADOFSKY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sadofsky	
Friday, November 17 8:15 p.m.	Sabbath Evening Services
RABBI SIDNEY H. BROOKS will speak on MY CHANGING BELIEF ABOUT "GOD" Sabbath Coffee Hour	
Saturday, November 18 11:00 a.m.	Sabbath Morning Services
Bar Mitzvah of BERNHARD BALTAxe, son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold A. Baltaxe	
Wednesday, November 22 5:30 p.m.	Thanksgiving Eve Service
SPECIAL WEEKDAY SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING Informal Social Following	
Friday, November 24 8:15 p.m.	Sabbath Evening Service
RABBI BARRY L. WEINSTEIN will speak on AFTER TEN YEARS — ISRAEL REVISITED! ... A Current View with New Impressions Sabbath Coffee Hour	
Saturday, November 25 11:00 a.m.	Sabbath Morning Services

Make Reservations
Today for
Sisterhood Luncheon

There is still time to phone your reservation for the Sisterhood Luncheon, Tuesday, November 14, at 12:00 noon.

The luncheon will be followed by a stimulating discussion of THE TEST-TUBE BABY CONTROVERSY.

Guest speakers are Dr. Eugene Zweiback, a member of the Federal Medical Ethics Advisory Committee; Dr. Susan A. Salladay, Bio-Medical Ethicist from the University of Nebraska Medical Center; and Rabbi Sidney H. Brooks.

Guests are welcome. Sitter Service available.

Phone your reservation to Temple Office — 556-6536, by Friday, November 10.

CONGRATULATIONS . . .
On the Wedding of:

Dr. and Mrs. James D. Eisen. Mrs. Eisen is the former Madeleine M. Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gallner. Mrs. Gallner, the former Marcia Lillian Levine, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Civin. Mr. Gallner is the son of Mrs. Celia Gallner, Atlantic City, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wallace Richwine. Mrs. Richwine, the former Jane Brodkey-Wohlner, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Brodkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig A. Kirshenbaum. Mrs. Kirshenbaum, the former Sharon K. Johnson, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving L. Johnson. Mr. Kirshenbaum is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kevee C. Kirshenbaum.

On the Birth of:

Michele Leigh Gladden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gladden. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jacobson and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gladden.

HONORED AT SABBATH SERVICES
October 13, 1978
Candle Blessing Mrs. Richard Slosburg
Kiddush Edward Shafton
October 20, 1978
Candle Blessing Mrs. Jerry Rosen
Kiddush Jill Rosen
Torah Blessing Lazar Kaplan
Torah Blessing Edward Rosen
October 27, 1978
Candle Blessing Mrs. Herbert Weil
Kiddush Arthur Davidson

IF YOU WERE IN OUR
RELIGIOUS SCHOOL
by Rabbi Barry L. Weinstein
After Ten Years —
Israel Revisited!

Ten years ago Linda and I travelled to the State of Israel for a year's residence and study during the third year of my rabbinical studies. The year was the most memorable of our lives, providing us with experiences we shall never forget.

Now we are about to return for another visit, thanks to the generosity of the Peebler Family. We shall be touring the country for one week, and then have another week in Jerusalem itself.

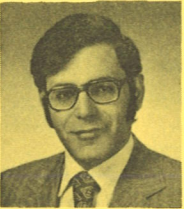
This trip will give us an opportunity to renew our ties with the State of Israel, its people, places and all that it represents in Jewish life today. We hope to visit in particular certain locations which were not even in existence ten years ago. In addition we look forward to discussing with our family in Israel as well as with other Israelis themselves some of these questions:

What are the feelings and attitudes of Israelis today with regard to Camp David? What are the prospects for further growth of Liberal or Progressive Judaism and its institutions in Israel? What are the attitudes of Israelis today with regard to the role of America and its relationship to the State of Israel?

We have included in our itinerary a day's visit to Kibbutz Yahel, the new Reform Jewish Kibbutz in the Negev. We are eager to visit with the young settlers on the Kibbutz and learn from them their experiences, difficulties, and their successes.

Of course, we hope to return to several of the new Progressive synagogues which have been established in the last ten years as well as the Hebrew Union College School of Biblical Archaeology in Jerusalem.

Our excitement grows as the day of our departure draws near and we shall be eager to report to you impressions of our trip upon our return. I plan to speak from the pulpit on Friday, November 24, with my views.



TEMPLE ISRAEL
COUPLES CLUB
is having
RAP WITH THE RABBI
...
"Rediscover Judaism
through Informal Games
and Experiences"
Sat., December 2, 1978
8 P.M.
at the home of
Rabbi and Mrs.
Barry Weinstein
13917 Poppleton Circle

The evening will consist of informal discussion and group experience designed to stimulate all of us to think about and rediscover the meaning of Judaism as it pertains to us, now, in the 20th Century.

Please join us for an innovative and thought-provoking evening!
R.S.V.P. Fran Coren 334-0741,
or
Carol Gladden 496-0589

25¢ 25¢

GIFT SHOP COUPON
DO YOURSELF A FAVOR!

Clip this Coupon and save 25¢ on any package of Chanukah Wrap.

See the exciting new collection of Israeli Menorahs, Door Mezuzahs, Chocolate "Gelt," festive Chanukah Decorations, Cookie Cutters and Books.

Gift Shop will be OPEN,
11:30-12:00 noon
Tues., Nov. 14 (before the luncheon)

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As we prepare to leave upon the beginning of a New Year, we know our hearts and yours reflect the hope that this year may be, please God, a year of peace and security for our people in the State of Israel as well as throughout the world. We look forward to visiting with you upon our return.

Early Thanksgiving Eve
Service
Wednesday, November 22
A special Service of Thanksgiving will be held at 5:30 p.m. Thanksgiving Eve in the Temple Chapel.

This service provides an opportunity for our college youth visiting home for the holiday, and all members of our Congregation, to offer a prayerful thanksgiving together with their families.

We hope many will attend this short service after which wine will be served in the foyer.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL
PARENTS
PLEASE CLIP AND POST THIS
INFORMATION FOR
FUTURE USE

In the event of inclement weather, the following procedures are in effect:

1. If public schools are closed due to bad weather, you may assume that our Hebrew School is closed also.

2. If weather and/or driving conditions become hazardous during the course of the school day, please use your own judgment as to whether or not to send your child to Hebrew class.

3. On Saturdays and Sundays, please tune your radio to Station KFAB, 1110 on your a.m. dial. Closing announcements will be broadcast before 8:00 a.m. on Saturdays and before 9:00 a.m. on Sundays.

4. Parents who live a considerable distance from the Temple, i.e., Bellevue, Papillion, etc., may feel free at any time the weather appears threatening to call their children's teachers or the Temple to ascertain whether or not school classes will be held.

Please remember: We do not want you to transport students to Temple Israel religious school or Hebrew classes on any occasion when in your judgment it is hazardous to do so.

GIFTS OF PRAYER BOOKS
IN MEMORY OF: Lee Handler, Kenneth Tretiak, Abe Mason.
IN HONOR OF 31st ANNIVERSARY OF: Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Katelman.
IN HONOR OF BIRTHDAY OF: Mrs. Leo Nogg.

OUR SYMPATHY

The Congregation records with sorrow the death of **KENNETH TRETIK** Husband of Susan Tretiak Father of Andrew, Katie, Mitchell Son of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Tretiak Brother of Mrs. Jarold (Gail) Kohl and extends sympathy to his bereaved family.

ATTENTION ALL SUNDAY SCHOOL AND SATURDAY SCHOOL KIDS!

The annual Religious School Book Collection Contest will be held December 9-10, and December 16-17. Exciting prizes will be given to individuals collecting the most books, plus lots of goodies for every ten books collected.

Start looking **now** around your home and neighborhood! Any hardback or paperback, fiction or non-fiction is acceptable. No textbooks, please.

Remember, the money raised from this sale will help support Temple's Religious School and other youth activities.

If you have any questions or if you would like to volunteer some time, please call Kathy Simon, 397-9742, or Ruth Erman, 333-0569.

Rabbi Brooks Lectured in Kansas City

Rabbi Sidney Brooks lectured at a program on Continuing Education in Medicine and Religion at the University of Kansas, College of Health Sciences and Hospital, Kansas City, Kan.

His topics were "Bereavement and the Rites of Passage" and the "Theology of Suffering."

CONSECRANTS OCTOBER 15, 1978

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Troy Meyerson
Lisa Millard
Joey Platt
Chad Polikov
Adam Rissien
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Steve Simon
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

NOVEMBER

8	Confirmation Class	4:00 p.m.
8	Pre-Board of Trustees Meeting dinner and conversations with Rabbi Brooks	6:15 p.m.
8	Board of Trustees Meeting	7:30 p.m.
8-15-22	Daled Hebrew Class	4:00-5:30 p.m.
9-16	Gimmel Hebrew Class	4:00-5:30 p.m.
10	Sabbath Evening Services	8:15 p.m.
11	Saturday School	9:00 a.m.
11	Sabbath Morning Services	11:00 a.m.
12-19	Junior Choir	9:00-9:55 a.m.
12-19	Youth Choir	10:00-10:30 a.m.
12	Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
14	Sisterhood Luncheon	12:00 noon
14-21-28	Aleph Hebrew Class	4:00-5:00 p.m.
14-21-28	Beth Hebrew Class	5:00-6:15 p.m.
15	Confirmation Class — Dinner and discussion	5:30 p.m.
17	Sabbath Evening Services	8:15 p.m.
18	Saturday School	9:00 a.m.
18	Sabbath Morning Services	11:00 a.m.
19	Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
22	No Confirmation Class	
22	Thanksgiving Eve Service	5:30 p.m.
23	No Gimmel Hebrew Class	
24	Sabbath Evening Services	8:15 p.m.
25	No Saturday School	
25	Sabbath Morning Services	11:00 a.m.
26	No Sunday School	
29	Confirmation Class	4:00 p.m.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO SPECIAL TEMPLE FUNDS

IN APPRECIATION OF:

High Holiday Services.
Services of Rabbi Sidney H. Brooks.

IN HONOR OF:

Birthday of Howard Kaplan.
Birthday of Phil Ringle.
Bat Mitzvah of Jill Rosen.
Birthday of Sam Simon.
Birthday of Hermene Zweiback.

FOR THE RECOVERY OF:

Rabbi Kenneth Bromberg, Alan Jacobs,
Esther Malkin, Carolyn Newman, Joseph Sokolof, Berta Stern, Mrs. Bernie Veitzer.

IN MEMORY OF:

Betty Abramson, Lee Handler, Father of
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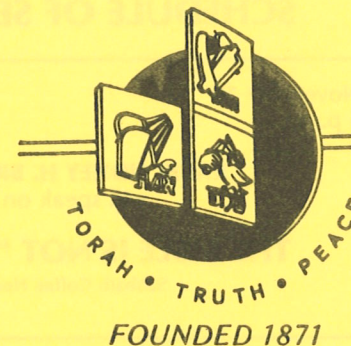
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IT SEEMS TO ME

A Personal Message from Rabbi Brooks

DO YOU DIG?

I think our community's Festival of Biblical Art and Archaeology at the Jewish Community Center is the most marvelous achievement I have seen in Omaha. Everyone agrees, of course, that the artifacts displayed are superlative. Their beauty and significance is fantastically enhanced by the sheer genius, scholarship, artistry, dedication and hard work of so many people whose work resulted in the exhibit that, like a magnet, thousands are flocking to see it. You must not miss it!

Still in all, the exhibit can but whet the appetite for yet more. I have no doubt that books and photographs on archaeological subjects will spurt upward in sales and, I hope, in study. The most exciting feeling for me as I visit the exhibit more times than I can count is the thought that, no matter the age of the flask or tool or jewelry or tablet, it's "all in the family!"

The hands that fashioned those bowls and glassware and bracelets were our ancestors. The Egyptians depicted on the stele were the men who enslaved our people. The inventiveness of the people who scratched the first phonetic signs ultimately to become the alphabet were the ancestors of the Hebrew People. How far back, how deep our heritage!

The past is history, of course, but it is prelude to tomorrow. When I try to comprehend the millennia that all leads to you and to me, I wonder why we become so sensitive about our future survival as a people and a faith. We WILL survive because we HAVE survived. We shall not be uprooted because the soil in which we are planted is rich and strong. We are here to stay.

What we shall do is to determine new forms of our life, new expressions of old basic ideas. But the Jewish People and our essential doctrines of finding God through relationships with mankind which brought us to this era will ensure our continuity. We have the capacity, more than most, to change and adopt. Therefore, we live.

Our generation stands at the top of the "tell." We are the youngest. But we will not be forever. Others will build upon what we construct. So we will try to make our foundations strong. Do you "dig?"

Sidney H. Brooks, M.H.L., D.D.
Rabbi

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