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Worship Services

Friday Evening, December 14, 8:15 o'clock

Sermon :

“Jewish Interest in Vatican II”

by Rabbi Sidney H. Brooks

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Saturday Morning, December 15, 11:30 o'clock

BAR MITZVAH of JEFF PERLMETER

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Perlmeter

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Friday Evening, December 21, 7:30 o'clock

Sermon :

“What Happened to Maccabean Zeal Among Us?”

by Rabbi Sidney H. Brooks

Special Chanukah Choral Presentation

and

Candle Lighting Ceremony

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RELIGIOUS SCHOOL
ELECTION

Mark Cherniack has been elected president of the Religious School Student Council.

Scott Richards was chosen vice-president; Naomi Kuttner, secretary; and Andy Liberman and Howard Gerelick, first and second sergeants-at-arms. Howard Gerelick is the outgoing president.

Members of the Student Council are:

Grade 5A	
Representatives	Alternates
Scott Richards	Charles Rosenstock
Kathy Shelton	Julie Taren
Grade 5B	
Dale Garber	Jane Rice
Jerry Waldbaum	Danny Grossman
Grade 6A	
Mary Jo Slosburg	John Pepper
Robert Gummers	Barbara Fisher
Grade 6B	
Dan Bleicher	Jeff Garetz
Miriam Brooks	Mark Schoenbaum
Grade 7A	
David Levin	Andy Liberman
Kathy Greenberg	Carol Simon
Grade 7B	
Gary Soiref	John Horwich
Karen Sokoloff	Randi Turkel
Grade 8A	
John Laser	Sheri Hess
Richard Slosburg	Naomi Kuttner
Grade 8B	
Alan Priesman	Jon Sloan
Amy Brodkey	Margo Neesman
Grade 9A	
Skippy Cohn	Susie Waldbaum
Carolyn Brody	Lanny Rips
Grade 9B	
Debbie Krum	Steve Sokoloff
Mark Cherniack	Jo F. Cohn
Grade 10	
Betsy Raskin	Steven Wigodsky
Howard Gerelick	Joanne Wolf

SABBATH MUSIC LITURGY
(Excerpts)

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1962	
Yism'chu	Barasch
Ovos	Lewandowski
May the Words.....	Adler
Anthem: Bless the Lord.....	Freed
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1962 (Chanukah Service)	
V'shomru	Sulzer
May the Words.....	Staeren
Torah Service	Kuttner
Anthem:	
The Joy of Dedication.....	Adler
(With Junior and Religious School Choirs)	

JEWISH BOOK MONTH
CONTEST WINNERS

Jewish Book Month has been observed in the Religious School. Posters were made by students and displayed in the Social Hall.

Book reports were written and during assemblies on Saturday, November 17, and Sunday, November 18, prizes were given out by Mrs. Sidney Osten and Mrs. Bernard Ruben, co-chairmen of the Religious School.

Mrs. Lazar Kaplan, Mrs. Max Scheuermann and Mrs. Abe Katelman were the judges.

First prize winners (a Chanukah Menorah) were: Kathy Sperling (2nd Grade), Andy Schoenbaum (3rd Grade), Tom Friedman (4th Grade), Mibsy Brooks (6th Grade), in the poster contest.

For book reports, Nanette Schulman (7th Grade), Jan Garfield (7th Grade) and Dan Wolf (8th Grade), received book prizes for their fine reports.

All other students who handed in posters or reports received book prizes.

During assemblies, Mr. Morris Hoffman and Cantor Kuttner talked about books. Mrs. Charles Garetz and Susie Makiesky entertained with their version of "Truth or Consequences." William Steinwart played an hassidic tune on his electric guitar, and Bob Kirshenbaum appeared with his dummy, "Jerry."

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Dec. 13—Thursday, 1:00 p.m.—	Bible Study Group
Dec. 17—Monday, 7:30 p.m.—	Adult Hebrew Class
Dec. 18—Tuesday, 10:00 a.m.—	Coffee & Conversation
Dec. 21—Friday, Sundown—	Chanukah begins
Dec. 23—Sunday, noon—College	Homecoming Reunion
Dec. 24—Monday, 7:30 p.m.—	Adult Hebrew Class

DONORS TO SISTERHOOD
FUND RAISING THEATRE
PARTY

Mesdames:

Julius Abrahamson	Henry Greenberg
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Harold Cherniack	Howard Krantz
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Contributions to the Sisterhood Funds should be handled as follows:

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Religious School Fund, Mrs. Harry Altsuler, 553-8143.

Nursery School Fund, Mrs. Joseph Stern, 391-0735.

Gifts of Prayerbooks

Five inscribed prayerbooks in memory of Nathan Steinberg by Mrs. Oscar B. Sutin, Suzy and John.

J. M. Newman	Fred Simon
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Leo Nogg	Milton Simons
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Millard Rosenberg	Joseph Stern
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In Memory of:

Mrs. Ruth Birk by Mr. and Mrs. Morris E. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Peebler, Jr.

Prayer Book Fund

In Memory of:

Morris Potash by Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Marer.

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House and Floral Fund

In Memory of:

Maurice Cohen by Dr. and Mrs. Maynard Greenberg and Mrs. M. I. Gordon.

Mrs. Ruth Markwell Birk by Mrs. M. I. Gordon.

Mrs. Florence LaBoschin Wolff by Mrs. M. I. Gordon.

Charles Fawcett by Mr. and Mrs. David Friedland.

Library Fund

In Memory of:

Mrs. Ruth Birk by Mrs. Walter Brandeis, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Z. Rosenfeld.

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Emil Rosenstock by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Z. Rosenfeld.

Son of Robert Krauskopf by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rosenstock, Mrs. Florence Rosenstock.

Mrs. Max Wolfe by Mrs. Florence Rosenstock, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rosenstock.

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

In appreciation of the Services of Rabbi Brooks by Mr. and Mrs. Max E. Cohen.

In appreciation of the services of Rabbi Brooks by Mr. and Mrs. Millard R. Seldin.

Religious School Fund

In Memory of:

John P. Gasway, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, by Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Mayer.

Gifts in Honor of—

Birth of grandson, Frederick Michael Sophir, a gift to the Educational Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sophir.

The 90th Birthday of Mrs. Stella Rosenthal, a gift to the Religious School Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Mayer.

Gifts for Recovery of—

Micky M. Krupinsky, a gift to the Prayer Book Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shapiro; a gift to the House and Floral Fund by Jean Flamm.

David Romanik, a gift to the NFTY Fund by Dr. and Mrs. Earl Wigodsky; a gift to the Religious School Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Milton Katelman.

I. B. Zimman, a gift to the Library Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Marer.

Iz Weiner, a gift to the Prayer Book Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Lazar Kaplan.

Dave Reiss, a gift to the NFTY Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sloan.

Mrs. John Rosenblatt, a gift to the NFTY Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sloan.

Mrs. Phill Laser, a gift to the NFTY Fund by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Eisenstatt.

HOW TO TURN YOUR CHILD INTO A CROOK

The following was recently issued by the Archdeacon of Chesterfield to his Church of England parishioners.

Drawing bead on indulgent parents, the Venerable Dr. Talbot Dilworth-Harrison listed these ten "rules" in his parish magazine:

1. Begin from infancy to give the child everything he wants.
2. When he picks up bad words, laugh at him.
3. Never give him any spiritual training.
4. Avoid the use of the word "wrong."
5. Pick up everything he leaves lying around—books, shoes and clothes.
6. Let him read any printed matter he can get his hands on.
7. Quarrel frequently in the presence of the children.
8. Give the child all the spending money he wants. Never let him earn his own.
9. When he gets into real trouble, apologize for yourself by saying, "I never could do anything with him."
10. Prepare for a life of grief. You will have it.

—Exchange

RESOLUTION In Memory Of SAMUEL S. SHARP

WHEREAS, SAMUEL S. SHARP, as Custodian of the Congregation of Temple Israel for more than 18 years discharged his duties with complete devotion and unswerving loyalty, and

WHEREAS, by his strength of character and depth of spirit, he brought to every task an unmistakable dignity and pride, and

WHEREAS, his labors and his love enriched this Congregation, its members and their children by the example of his life and his goal to make each day's task as perfect in completion as his strength and skill would allow, and

WHEREAS, to each and every person who entered the precincts of the Temple he gave the utmost of his courtesy and friendly greeting, and upon all occasions and under all circumstances gave himself without thought of reward or reservation of strength to the welfare of our Congregation, and

WHEREAS, his identity with the religious message of Judaism was wholehearted notwithstanding his continuing loyalty to his own Faith as a Christian, and

WHEREAS, this Congregation has upon the death of our friend and servant of God, Samuel S. Sharp, on October 14, 1962, suffered a deep and irreparable loss,

BE IT RESOLVED, that our sense of sorrow and our tribute to the memory of Samuel S. Sharp as a gentleman of unswerving devotion, deep faith, constant friendship and loyal service be entered upon the minutes of the Board of Trustees of the Congregation of Temple Israel, be published in the Temple Tidings, and a copy be sent to his widow and children to testify to our high regard for their loved one and to the loving memory in which Samuel S. Sharp shall be held by the children of this Congregation whom he so loved and the members of this Congregation whom he so faithfully served, and

BE IT RESOLVED, that Samuel S. Sharp be remembered in our prayers and his life among us be always recalled for blessing.

Thanks From . . .

Mrs. Stella Rosenthal, for the telegrams, Uniongrams, cards, and remembrances and gifts which her friends so kindly sent in honor of her 90th birthday.

Religious School Chanukah Observance

The Religious School will observe Chanukah with a varied program.

Assemblies will be held in the Social Hall Saturday, December 22, with Grade 8 presenting a special program. The Sunday division (Kindergarten through Grade 4) also will celebrate with an assembly Sunday, December 23. Both divisions will see the movie, "Chanukah in Israel Today."

There will be no class instruction during the morning to enable the children to observe a full morning of the joyous holiday. School will begin thirty minutes later than usual on Saturday and Sunday.

There will be no choir meetings December 22 and 23.

Students may bring a present costing not more than 25 cents for the class (grab bag) event. Dreidle and other games will be played.

Children will bring their own sandwiches on Saturday and Sunday. Dessert and cokes will be served by the Room Mothers.

The Junior Choir, the Religious School Choir, together with the Temple Choir, will present for the first time the festive cantata "The Joy of Dedication" by Hugo Adler during the Candle Lighting Service Friday, December 21. Services will start at 7:30 p.m.

On Saturday, December 22, grade 8, class of Mrs. Gerelick, will present an Original Chanukah service.

Three Chanukah contests will be held:

Cartoon Contest—All students are invited to participate in this contest. A cartoon showing a man on a raft was given to each student last week. The wittiest caption will earn a prize. The two runners-up will also receive prizes.

Candle Guessing Game—Chanukah candles in a big jar are displayed. The student making the most accurate guess as to the number of candles will receive a prize.

Word Guessing Game—The person making the most words out of "Antiochus Epiphanes" will receive a prize.

Chanukah Blessings

In each home the Chanukah lights may be kindled, beginning with one candle on Friday evening, December 21 (not counting the Shamas light) and increasing one each evening until there are eight on the final night of Friday, December 28.

The following blessings should be recited:

בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם,

אֲשֶׁר קִדְּשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל חֲנוּכָּה.

Bo-ruch atoh a-do-noy, e-lo-he-nu me-lech ho-olom, a-sheer kid-d'sho-nu b'mits'-vo-sov v-tsi-vo-nu l'had-lik ner shel Cha-nuk-kah.

Blessed art thou, O Lord our God, King of the Universe, who has sanctified us by thy commandments and commanded us to kindle the light of Chanukah.

בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם,

שְׁעָשָׂה נִסִּים לְאַבֹּתֵינוּ, בְּיָמִים קָדְמִים, בְּיָמֵינוּ הַזֶּה.

Bo-ruch atoh a-do-noy, e-lo-he-nu me-lech ho-olom, she-o-soh nis-sim la-avo-se-nu ba-yo-mim ho-hem baz'-man haz-zeh.

Blessed art thou, O Lord our God, King of the Universe, who wroughtest miracles for our fathers in days of old at this season.

The following blessing is added on the first evening only:

בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם,

שֶׁהַחֲדָשׁוֹת יְקִימוּנוּ וְהַיָּעָרִים לְזִמְנָהּ הַזֶּה.

Bo-ruch atoh a-do-noy, e-lo-he-nu me-lech ho-olom she-heche-yo-nu, v'ky-y'mo-nu, v'higi-o-nu laz-z'man haz-zeh.

Blessed art thou, O Lord our God, King of the Universe, who has kept us in life, and hast preserved us and enabled us to reach this season.

Rock of Ages

After the Chanukah blessings have been recited, the family may join in singing of Rock of Ages.

Rock of Ages, let our song
Praise Thy saving power;
Thou, amidst the raging foes,
Wast our shelt'ring tower.
Furious they assailed us,
But Thine arm availed us,
And Thy word
Broke their sword
When our own strength failed us.

Children of the martyr-race,
Whether free or fettered,
Wake the echoes of the songs,
Where ye may be scattered.
Yours the message cheering,
That the time is nearing
Which will see
All men free,
Tyrants disappearing.

YOUTH GROUP DELEGATES TO GO TO KANSAS CITY

Fifteen members of the Temple Israel Youth Group will attend the winter regional conclave in Kansas City, Mo., December 26-29.

The youth group recently served as host to the annual Western Conclavette of the Missouri Valley Federation of Temple Youth which attracted 190 delegates to Omaha from Nebraska, Iowa, Colorado, Kansas and Missouri.

Highlights of the conclavette included a first night program, Friday night services presented by the delegates, cultural, meetings and a banquet.

A PROPER SITE

During the construction of the new Jerusalem School of Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, devoted to Biblical and Archaeological studies, which will be opened next year. Dr. Nelson Glueck, President of the College, noticed a semi-circular, vertical white limestone ridge. To his eyes, the trained eyes of an archaeologist, this appeared to be the kind of artificially carved escarpments under which tombs or burial caves are found.

Sure enough, preliminary soundings have already revealed a series of burial caves and in all probability others will be found—on the very grounds of the school.

Also found on the grounds was an ancient Byzantine lamp some 15 centuries old. It will be used in the School Chapel at the first Kiddush service when the school opens.

Sisterhood-Sponsored Tours . . .

Anyone interested in more information about the trip to Hawaii should call Mrs. I. M. Liberman, 556-1269, or Mrs. David E. Beber, 551-2301.

PAUL VERET WILL BE HONORED AT DINNER

A testimonial dinner will be held Sunday, December 16, to honor Paul Veret for 25 years' service to the Jewish Federation of Omaha of which he is executive director. The dinner will be held at 6:30 p.m. at Beth Israel Synagogue.

ADULT HEBREW CLASSES

Hebrew classes for adults have started. Cantor Manfred Kuttner is instructing beginners to read Hebrew fluently. The class meets every Monday at 7:30 p.m. in Classroom No. 1.

Births

The son born to Mr. and Mrs. Millard R. Seldin has been named Derry Jonathan.

The son born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sophir has been named Frederick Michael.

Pulpit Flowers

November 23—In Memory of Sarah G. Cohen by Mr. Jack E. Cohen.
November 30—In Memory of Alex Hoffman by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Fogel and Mrs. Hilda Hoffman.
November 30—In Memory of Dr. Herman Jahr by Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kanter and Mrs. Herman Jahr.

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:

DECEMBER 14, 1962

Florence Slosburg
Rose Sommer
Samuel Livingston
Carolina Cahn

DECEMBER 21, 1962

Emma Steinberg
Moritz Sachs
Grace R. Lapidus
Julius Newman
Sue Bleicher
Lena G. Wolowitz
Edward Gilbert
Charles Schimmel
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