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MESSAGE FROM
THE PRESIDENT

Another twelve months have come and gone and your Board has been active in each and every one of them, overseeing the operations of the Congregation as well as planning for the future.

After months of discussing, planning, corresponding and meeting, the Board is pleased to announce the hiring of Rabbi Jeffrey Siegel to help our Congregation this year in the services and Hebrew School. The special note in this bulletin about him, will give his background; but I am convinced that he is the most promising candidate for the position, for which we interviewed, and the Board is quite confident about his ability to help us continue in our tradition at New Hope.

Speaking for the Board, may you and yours have a healthy and prosperous New Year in 5734.

Stuart R. Susskind



RABBI JEFFREY M. SIEGEL

Rabbi Siegel, originally from Brooklyn, New York, is twenty-four years of age, and received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Brooklyn College with a major in Hebrew Language and Literature. He then was granted a Masters Degree in Jewish History from Bernard Revel Graduate School of Yeshiva University. Subsequent to that time, he received his ordination from Yeshiva Hadar Ha Torah of Lubavitch in New York. Since then, Rabbi Siegel served as the Assistant Director of the Hillel Foundation at Ohio State University.

Rabbi Siegel will be assisting Rev. Rabenstein in conducting services and will also teach in the New Hope Hebrew School. It is anticipated that Rabbi Siegel will help organize and lead activities in the Shul which will emphasize Judaism in the modern world as well as lead the youth group of the Tri-Synagogue Council.

MESSAGE FROM
RABBI JEFFREY M. SIEGEL

Upon approaching the Days of Awe, the days of Judgment, Repentance, and Forgiveness, our thoughts are very much devoted to things Jewish. The solemnity of the S'lichos services, the majesty of the Shofar blowing, the intensity of the Yom Kippur prayers will soon be the essence of existence for every loyal son and daughter of Israel. For most of us, however, things seem to return pretty much to normal after the holiday season. The business, the car, the vacation trip take control of our lives. The word T'shuvah — Repentance, really means "return." We return to G-d, making Him the center of our lives. We are to be liberated from the everyday things that enslave us.

The High Holiday season should not be a yearly chore, but rather a new beginning. The blast of the Shofar should awaken us from our spiritual slumber. It is a time to take stock of our past, and to accordingly shape our future lives based on the insights gained. In the sublime awe of the N'iloh prayer on Yom Kippur, do we prepare to leave the synagogue for "business as usual" or are we crossing the threshold to a new life, sanctified by the sacred laws and traditions of our people? It is our task to truly return to the service of G-d, partaking of communal worship as a regular experience, bringing the warmth and joy of the traditional Shabbos into our homes, providing a proper Jewish education for our children, and fulfilling all of the beautiful Mitzvos that make up the lifestyle of the Jew. The Days of Awe involve not only looking back upon the past with regret, but also looking towards the future with joy and thanks for being given the opportunity of living up to the goals our Creator has set for us. Three thousand years of struggle and suffering will have been in vain if we, living in a free society, allow our Judaism to slip through our fingers. In the words of the prophet Isaiah, "Let all, who are thirsty, go to water," the Torah way of life is open and accessible to each and every Jew. Let us take this most propitious time and truly rededicate ourselves to our sacred values.

May the blast of the Shofar signal a year of Return, with the inevitable result of a year of Redemption for all Israel, and a year of Peace for all Mankind.



NCSY — now S H A C H A R

Plans for the coming season of the group are now in the planning stages. All those eligible for membership will be notified.

Jacob Rabenstein is advisor, Karen Eisenberg, president and Ron Zaguli is in charge of social activities of the new named group.

Rev. and Mrs. Manfred Rabenstein and Family wish to extend to all the members of the New Hope Congregation and the entire Jewish community a very Healthy and Happy New Year.

Special Greetings for the New Year are extended to our College Youth who will spend the holidays away from home.

Special Thanks.

.....to Bernard Rabenstein for Reading the Torah during weekdays throughout the year.

..... to Jack Rabenstein for blowing the Shofar during the month of Elul.

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What The Synagogue Needs From You
(From the American Israelite)

"What we need from you is not just your children, but your heart, soul, and might. You waste your time sending your youngsters to us to learn about Shabbat - unless Shabbat lives in your home. You dissipate your efforts giving your children to us to identify with Jews in Israel and other lands - unless you identify with them by word and deed. It is useless to dispatch a youngster to learn how the Jews pray and studies - unless you join in prayer and study. What we must establish is a partnership. We shall try to do our part, but you must do yours . . .

The other ingredient we need from you is the realization that Judaism is not merely a private commitment you feel in your heart. It is also a public, corporate commitment in which we are a part of a People.

The Synagogue is the instrument of the Jewish people. This Synagogue is the larger Jewish family of this community . . .

This is not merely a building to be used for receptions. This is not simply a school through which a child passes on the way to Bar Mitzvah.

This is not an arbitrary collection of persons which you reject when you disagree with the Synagogue actions.

This is not a financial commitment which you abandon because the cost of automobiles, country clubs and college education is rising.

This is not the least important commitment of the Jew - it is the most important.

When the going gets rough, you cannot walk out on your family. And so, if you ever become perturbed with us, remember; we are one family. The Synagogue is our home, yours and mine. We shall never close our doors to you, please do not close your hearts and minds to us . . ."

Rabbi Charles Kroloff
Temple Emanu-El
Westfield, New Jersey

ADULT EDUCATION SERIES

This year's Tri-Synagogue Adult Education program promises to be an exciting one. It is planned as a 6 sessions Forum Series.

As the first lecturer we succeeded in securing Rabbi David Silver of Harrisburg, Pa., Wednesday, Oct. 20. Rabbi David I. Indich will report to us after his return from Israel, Monday, Nov. 19 about timely problems he encountered.

The remaining lectures will take place: Dec. 4, Jan. 9, Jan. 22 and Feb. 11.

If anyone wants a Mitzvah or to be called to the Torah on the High Holidays or any significant day, please call Ernst Kahn, 761-3824.

HEBREW SCHOOL

The new school year started Sept. 9th. We are proud to have Rabbi Jeff Siegel as our new Associate Rabbi and Hebrew School Assistant. The parents have been notified of the new schedule.

"ARBA MINIM"

Mr. Jacob Rabenstein again will be in charge of selling Arba Minim (Lulav and Esrog). The same fine service will be maintained as in past years.

Arba Minim will be sold at cost price. Please contact Jacob Rabenstein at 761-2212 before Erev Rosh Hashonoh, Sept. 26th.

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SIMCHAT TORAH CANDY

We want to remind our members that certain candies are not Kosher. We are sure, you want to check the ingredients on those candies that will be distributed on Simchas Torah to the children.

A WORD ABOUT MISHEBERACHS

We ask that all congregant members cooperate with us in limiting their Misheberachs to the immediate families only. Asking the Baal Koreh to call out a long list of names of friends is not only difficult during these High Holy day services, but prolongs the services unnecessarily. Your adherence to this policy would be most appreciated.

PERSONALS

Mazol Tov to Newly Marrieds
Miss Laverne Appel to Daniel Bruce Jacobs
Lesley Appel to Miss Carol Rose
Gary Feder to Miss Robin Melman

Mazol Tov — Engagement
Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Schulein on the engagement of their daughter Marian to Mr. Daniel C. Burrows.

Mazol Tov to New Arrivals
Mrs. Carl Wollenreich on arrival of great-granddaughter.

Welcome New Neighbors
Mazol Tov to Miss Henny Hart.

Mazol Tov — Milestones
Birthdays: Mrs. Frieda Mane, Mrs. L. Tobe, Mr. Charles Katz, Mrs. Lia Wollenreich, Mrs. Betty Steiner.
Forthcoming Birthdays: Mrs. Louis Oppenheimer, Mrs. Hedwig Seelig, Mrs. Moritz Kahn, Mr. Julius Kaufman, Mr. Karl Schwarz, Mr. Max Steiner, Mr. Leo Kramer, Mrs. Simon Gutman, Mr. Sigmund Sachs, Mrs. Betty Wollenreich, Mr. S. David Shor, Mr. Carl Wagner.
Significant Wedding Anniversaries: Rev. and Mrs. Justin Frankel, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Altman, Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Siegfried Samuel, Mr. and Mrs. S. David Shor, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Heiman, Mr. and Mrs. Lothar Haas.
Forthcoming Anniversaries: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bonem, Mr. and Mrs. Sig Susskind, Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Sachs, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spiegel, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zaguli, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schreiber.

CONGRATULATIONS to all those who received degrees from high schools, from undergraduate and graduate schools.
Mrs. Edith Frankel Schwarz, Associate Professor.
Mazol Tov also to her parents Rev. and Mrs. Justin Frankel.

Mazol Tov on the Marriage of their Children
Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Appel, Mr. and Mrs. Max Appel, Mr. and Mrs. Max H. Feder.

Mazol Tov to:
Mr. and Mrs. Siegfried Loewenstein on the Bas Mitzvah of their granddaughter Barbara.
Mrs. Estelle Gud on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvah of her son Keith A. and to Dr. and Mrs. Burton Kleinman on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvah of their son Jeffrey D.

Special Gift
Our sincere thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Weisbacher for the beautiful carpeting.

Best wishes for speedy recovery to Mrs. Fred Weisman.

The Congregation regrets the passing of
Mr. Arthur Bruckman and Mr. Norbert Stern.

Condolences are extended to
Mrs. Martha Neuman on the loss of her brother;
Mrs. Julius Bamberger on the loss of her sister-in-law;
Mrs. L. Tobe on the loss of her brother;
Mrs. Walter Kaufman on the loss of her father;
Mr. Sol Raunecker on the loss of his sister.

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Many thanks to all those who made contributions to the MEMORIAL BOOK in memory of their loved ones.

ANNUAL SISTERHOOD PARTY

YOU ARE INVITED -----

TIME: Wednesday, Nov. 7th, 8 p.m.

PLACE: New Hope Congregation

OCCASION: Annual Card Party

R.S.V.P. by buying tickets and sending other donations.

YOU KNOW OUR NEEDS!

PLEASE SUPPORT US!

Cordially,

(Mrs. Lothar) Anita Haas..... (761-0035)

(Mrs. Salvador) Bea Wertheim..... (761-1161)

N-O-T-I-C-E

HIGH HOLIDAY SEATS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE. PLEASE HAVE YOUR DUES PAID, SO YOU CAN RECEIVE YOUR TICKETS ON TIME.

ALL OUT-OF-TOWN COLLEGE STUDENTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND OUR SERVICES FOR THE HIGH HOLIDAYS FREE OF CHARGE.

SPECIAL DAYS		
Nov. 3	Bar Mitzvah	Keith A. Gud
Nov. 22	Bar Mitzvah	Jeffrey D. Kleinman

SPECIAL DATES	
Nov. 11 — Cheshvan 16	Annual Memorial Service
Eve of Dec. 19	First Chanukah Light
Jan. 4, 1974	Fast of 10th of Tevet, end 5:59 p.m.
Feb. 7	Tu Bishevat (Chamisho Osor)

March 7	Fast of Esther, end 7:07 p.m.
	Reading of Megiloh, about 7 p.m.
March 8	Purim — 6:30 a.m.

SCHEDULE OF DAILY SERVICES	
Shabbos	9:00 a.m.
Sundays & Legal Holidays.....	8:00 a.m.
Mons. & Thurs.	6:40 a.m.
Tues.-Wed.-Fri.	6:45 a.m.
Rosh Chodesh & Fast Days	6:30 a.m.
Minchah & Ma'ariv	10 minutes before sunset