KOL: THE VOICE OF TBY



From the Rabbi's Desk

By Rabbi Arthur Rutberg

On our recent TBY trip to Israel, our tour guide Rafi often quoted a statement made by David Ben Gurion, Israel's first Prime Minister. Rafi phrased it as, "If you believe in Israel, you believe in miracles." Ben Gurion's actual words are, "In Israel, in order to be a realist, you



must believe in miracles." David Ben Gurion was not a religious man by any stretch of the imagination but was he right?

I am writing this message around the 75th anniversary of the momentous UN decision to partition the territory then known as Palestine into a Jewish State and an Arab State.

Sadly, as we know, the Arabs of Palestine and the surrounding Arab states refused to accept this UN Resolution, preferring to fight the Jewish State, and therefore never establishing an Arab State of Palestine. The fact that the global international organization approved the establishment of a Jewish State in Palestine just 2.5 years after the end of the Holocaust and the nearly worldwide refusal to help the Jewish refugees is miraculous. And equally miraculous is the fact that the Yishuv, the Jewish community in Palestine, not only survived but prevailed during the six month battle against the Arabs of Palestine and during the protracted War of Independence between the Jewish State in Palestine, established as Israel just hours before the British Mandate ended in May 1948, and the combined armies of seven Arab nations. When the 1949 armistice agreements were signed, Israel miraculously ended up with much more territory than originally granted by the UN. On the 75th anniversary of the historic, groundbreaking UN Resolution, we celebrate the miraculous moment of the rebirth of our

Jewish national home as we not long ago celebrated the miracles of Hanukkah.

And speaking of ...our rabbis teach us that the great sage Hillel won the argument with Shammai on how to light the Hanukkah menorah. Rather than starting with a fully lit menorah and taking away one light for each night of the holiday as Shammai proposed, it was decided that we would add a new light on each night of the holiday to better display and magnify the growing wonder of the miracle of the Hanukkah lights as each night goes by.

As we increase the wonder of the miracle of Hanukkah. the same is true with Israel. The miracle of Israel's birth is enhanced and magnified by Israel's continued existence over the past 75 years along with her ability to absorb hundreds of thousands of Jewish and non-Jewish immigrants from North Africa and the Middle East, from the former Soviet Union, from Ethiopia and France and from all parts of the globe. The miracles of Israel from its military superiority to its incredible advancements in the worlds of science, technology and medicine along with its ability to transform a wasteland of swamps and deserts into a flourishing, vibrant and modern country of 9 million people are truly outstanding and unparalleled and should fill the hearts and souls of each and every Jewish person throughout the world with abundant and overwhelming pride and joy.

As it says in Psalm 122, that we listened to while standing on Mount Scopus, "Pray for the peace of Jerusalem. May those who love her be fulfilled."

L'shalom,

Rabbi Rutberg

President's Report

Hello Friends,

It seems that winter is finally here in full force. My Snuggies and fleece lined boots sure have been a big help! Last night I saw black ice for the first time this season. Ooops, be careful! I hope you are staying warm and safe.

So much has happened at Temple Bat Yam since I have last written to you. Forgive me if I repeat what has already been communicated, however, I'm really stoked about our temple.

Our Chanukah/Shabbat service on the 6th day of Chanukah was a smashing success. We invited the Community Church of Ocean Pines and, boy, did they come. I didn't do a head count, however, there must have been 90-100 in attendance with maybe 30% from the church. I was amazed...pleased...overwhelmed...and concerned that we had enough food. You know the old adage, "Feed them and they will come". Well, they did...and we had more than enough food! The Oneg was headed up by Sisterhood Co-President Bonnie Kirschbaum. She rallied the troops and it was a beautiful night with Rabbi Rutberg continuing the story of Joseph in his usual flamboyant style. (Love it.) We had a little excitement, though. The house next to the temple had a heater on their porch to keep their cats warm. Oh, they were warm, for sure, and so was the porch because it caught on fire! George, the guard, took our fire extinguisher and held the fire at bay until the Berlin and Ocean Pines fire departments came to take over. (Too bad we didn't have any marshmallows. LOL)

Back in November, Pastor Dale of the Community Church held an Interfaith Thanksgiving Prayer Service. There were 6 pastors and 2 rabbis that spoke. It was a very moving service with only 30 people attending from 8 congregations. At any rate, Pastor Dale asked Barry, my honey, to pass the plate. He said sure then asked me how to do it. LOL! He and two other gentlemen collected \$940 which was donated to the Grace Center which supports young families in need. What a lovely night. Try to make it next year...you won't be sorry.

Now, an update on the renovations of the temple. The sanctuary is complete at this time with gorgeous new stained glass windows with the theme of Remember. The social hall is painted and looks so bright. There is a sign on order to be hung at the entrance of the social hall reading, "Betty and Lew Bush Social Hall". The sign is to honor Lew's wife Betty, and as a thanks for his generosity.

On Monday, Dec. 26th we had painters come in to complete the paint job on the first and second floors. At the same time, we are had new flooring installed in the social hall and two classrooms. (Does anyone have oxygen?!) There is more to come and some changes that you will see when you come into our gorgeous temple.

I guess they are the high points I wanted to fill in for you and anyway, my fingers are getting tired of typing.

To all: I wish you a healthy and happy New Year!

Shalom,

Candy Gusst

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Stained Glass Windows Update

It was a dream come true on Friday, Dec. 2, 2022 at Temple Bat Yam when the Memorial Alcove Stained Glass windows were unveiled for the first time. The beautiful windows were donated by Bette Bohlmann and Stu Smolins. The theme of the windows in honor of Pamela Smolins is REMEMBER - in Hebrew Zakar. The theme was a collaboration of ideas given to Rina Thaler, who designed them, and Timeless Tiffany, who crafted them. It truly was an historic night.



The original stained glass project was started by Pam and Stu Smolins some 25 years ago. The theme of these beautiful windows was suggested by our Founding Rabbi, Richard Sternberger, who was influenced by the writings of Franz Rosenzweig, and

his Three Pillars of Judaism ...

Creation -Revelation -Redemption.

Pam Smolins took classes in stained glass before creating and designing the 6,000 pieces of glass it took to complete this six-year project. She learned how to

measure and cut various colored glass pieces to create the scenes, designed by Walden, Levy and Goldsmith. The designs were influenced by Pam's skill to fit and tell their story in the eleven windows in our Sanctuary. The Memorial Alcove windows were never completed due to illness.



The dream to complete the windows is now complete!

Bette Bohlmann & Stu Smolins



Sisterhood Report

Sisterhood has been relatively quiet this last quarter, as several of our Board members were on the Israel trip. Thank you to everyone who has sponsored, hosted, or helped out during an Oneg. You are very much appreciated.

We have been very busy behind the scenes planning for the next few months. Here are some of the events:

- Our two Scholarship recipients were presented at the January 6 service, with their proud grandparents sponsoring our Pre-Neg that evening.
- Our January 20 service will be a very special "Shabbat Experience". With Rabbi Rutberg's guidance, we will have a traditional Shabbat dinner of roast chicken, potatoes, and vegetables. The Rabbi will guide us in learning new blessings and songs which everyone will certainly enjoy.
- Mah jongg card orders are well underway, and the cards will be sent out to everyone's address around the first of April.
- We are in the planning stage of a welcome coffee for all new Sisterhood members and anyone who might be
 interested in joining. All current members will be invited, and we look forward to meeting new women at a fun
 event!
- We are working with the Art League to schedule a class for us the item we will make is TBD. These classes are always fun, and we always have very pretty and useful items to bring home.

AND SAVE THE DATE!!! Sisterhood will be hosting a DOOWOP party on April 29 at Mio Fratello's in Fenwick. We have hired a DJ and are working to prepare a wonderful menu for you! Bring your poodle skirt and chinos and dance the night away!

Bonnie Kirschbaum and Susan Kaltenbaugh, Co Presidents

Sisterhood Scholarship

On January 6, 2023, the Sisterhood Co-Presidents had the privilege of awarding two scholarships. The Sisterhood Board voted to award two scholarships this year based on the quality of the applicants. All of the members of Sisterhood wish these two fine young people all the best as they continue their studies.

Please read the student essays on the following page.

Sisterhood Scholarship Essay - Mia Paris Grandaughter of Leslie and Jim Weightman

Why I should receive the \$500 scholarship

I have just begun my Freshman year in the business school at the University of Georgia. It is my hope to be able to study the brain and why people make certain decisions they do when making purchasing decisions. I was a 2022 high school valedictorian and graduated with a 4.8 weighted GPA. In my Senior year, I placed out of high school classes and was selected to take courses at the local Community College. Throughout high school I worked in various jobs such as tutoring math, working in a veterinarian office and began developing a local company website which I will continue to do in College until completion.

I plan to study hard and maintain my straight A's. I also plan to visit Israel through the Birthright program in the next two years.

Should I receive this scholarship, I will use this supplemental money to cover part of

my expenses in my new sorority. I joined a sorority to make new friends, participate in charity events, and to surround myself with other women who are similar to me. My list of activities and awards are listed on my application.

Thank you in advance for considering me as a recipient.

Sincerely,

Sisterhood Scholarship Essay - Shane Taylor Grandson of Jane and Bill Lafferman

Over this past summer, I had an internship at the Business Network for Offshore Wind, where I assisted the policy team with keeping member companies up to date with the latest government actions relating to the offshore wind industry. This experience has made me realize that after graduation I want to do similar policy analysis but for other renewable energy sectors, such as nuclear energy production. To achieve this goal, I will need to go to Graduate School, so this scholarship would assist in making the further schooling more affordable for myself and my family.

Membership Committee

Our overall number of Temple membership units, including our Friends, numbered 149 at the end of December 2022. The 149 consisted of: 48 full time single members; 56 full time family members; 6 associate single members; 4 associate family members; and 35 friends.

Since the end of the past fiscal year (June 30, 2022), our Temple has added 14 new members (4 full time single; 6 full time family; and 4 friends). During the same period, TBY has lost 20 members (6 full time single; 8 full time family; 1 associate single, 1 associate family; and 4 friends). The net membership numbers since June 30 (6 less membership units) reflect numerous explanations: congregants who have moved out of the area, members who passed away, limits on new members with a slow return to business as usual given the Covid experience, etc. In recent months, contact was made to those congregants who had not sent in dues and a variety of explanations were given by those who chose not to renew their membership.

This past October 28, Rabbi Rutberg led a Shabbat service recognizing and honoring new TBY members. A group picture of those who participated in the service is included on the following page.

The Gift of Membership Campaign was launched nearly 10 years ago, in 2014, while the Friends membership program was adopted by the TBY Board in May 2015. Both have been very successful in adding to our membership. Although both are continuing, it is important to note that the annual fee for the Friends program is now \$275 for those participating for the first time as of July 1, 2022. The annual fee for existing Friends has not been changed. It is also worth noting that new Associate membership has not been offered for years as the Board decided to replace the Associate membership category with the Friend program. Existing Associates continue to be "grandfathered in." The current number of associate units is 10 (6 single and 4 family).

As conveyed in our TBY weekly reports, we ask that congregants, including but not limited to membership committee participants, volunteer to serve as greeters at Shabbat services. We cannot underestimate the value of welcoming existing and, yes, potential new members coming to our services. Please contact Doreen at timdoreen@verizon.net if you wish to volunteer. We need your help. We also ask that each congregant bring into our TBY Family one or more new members this current fiscal year. As we look at it, all congregants are extensions of our committee. Please contact Paul (paulmschwab@gmail.com/703-624-0500) or Doreen regarding a family member, friend, neighbor, office worker, etc., who would be interested in learning more about TBY, including our special membership promotions. We welcome any congregants interested in joining our membership committee.

Caring Committee

I am the Chairperson of the Caring Committee. My email is steffcatlover1@gmail.com and my phone is 410-736-9616.

The Committee members make friendly phone calls, help with rides to medical appointments, or medical equipment needs. We have contacts if you or someone you know needs a bereavement counselor, meal services, or are ill and could use some cheer! We also send cards!

If you or someone you know needs any of the above services please email me or ask a friend to do it for you.

We are here for you, so contact me and I will do what I can to help with any of the above services, or let me know how I can assist you.

Stephanie Cohen

Our TBY Shabbat Service On October 28, 2022 Was Dedicated To Honor and Recognize New Members and Friends

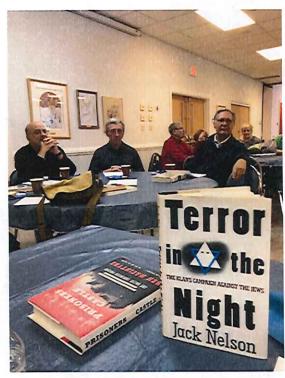


First Row Right to Left: Victor Wahba, Laura Wahba, Maria Stewart (with Sweet Little One), Judie Abramson, Mike Scammon, Paul Schwab (Membership Co-Chair)

Second Row Right to Left: Anna Solomon, Candy Gusst (TBY President), Terri Broemm, Bill Broemm, Jay Abramson Third Row Right to Left: Rabbi Arthur Rutberg, Doreen Linehan (Membership Co-Chair)

Bagels and Books

On December 4th a delightful group of 14 people participated in a discussion of <u>Terror in the Night: The Klan's Campaign Against the Jews</u> by Jack Nelson. This Pulitzer Prize winning journalist recounts the Ku Klux Klan's terrorizing of Mississippi's Jewish community which led to an ambush staged by the FBI and police of Meridian, MS.



Discussion leader Arna Miller began by asking us fun trivia questions about Mississippi. For example, "Which (no-longer-living) famous comedian/actor's great-great grandfather was the governor of Mississippi?" Another was, "Which architect, who built the new Capitol building in Jackson in 1903, incorporated 4,750 *electric* fixtures which are still being used today?" (You can find the answers at the end of this article.)

Arna lived in Mississippi in the 1990's and shared information about Jewish life there. She said that many of the Jewish people embraced the Southern culture and felt like they were Southerners first, then Jews. She drew an analogy to some of the Jews who were living in Germany during the 40's who felt they were Germans first. The Southern practice was, however, to stay inconspicuous and "go along to get along". In fact, it was said that the rabbi's contract

included the warning to "keep your mouth shut when trouble arises". The Klan's focus was on the Black population but once the Freedom Riders from the

North, who didn't understand the Southern culture, started their activity, the focus of hate began to be directed at the Jews who were somewhat sympathetic to the plight of the Black population. It led to the bombing of the rabbi's home and a fire at the temple.

Our Bagels and Books' attendees enthusiastically shared their own experiences with racism beginning with the 60's and their understanding of Southern culture. It was a very active discussion and we thank Arna for sharing an excellent topic with us.

Our next meeting will be Sunday, March 5, 2023 from noon to 1:30 pm in the Social Hall. Victor Cohen will lead the discussion of <u>Prisoners of the Castle: The Nazis' Fortress Prison</u> by Ben Macintrye. Copies are available in the Temple Bat Yam Library.

Judy Johnstone, co-Chair



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TBY Board of Directors

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When customers click on TBY's unique link, they skip the process to search for a charity to support among over 1 million eligible charities. Instead, they're taken to smile.amazon.com and are automatically asked if they want to support Temple Bat Yam.

Can I just tell supporters to search for Temple Bat Yam at smile.amazon.com?

Yes. However, that makes it harder for your supporters to find and select TBY. There are over 1 million eligible charities, and customers may end up picking a different organization during the selection process. Sharing our charity link increases the likelihood that customers will select TBY before they start shopping.

Do supporters have to click on Temple Bat Yam's AmazonSmile link every time they shop?

No. Once customers select your organization, TBY will receive 0.5% of the price of all their eligible smile.amazon.com purchases, regardless of whether they use TBY's unique AmazonSmile link to return to the site. However, we recommend that supporters bookmark and use your link so they don't accidentally shop at www.amazon.com instead of smile.amazon.com. Only purchases made at smile.amazon.com are eligible for donations.

What do customers that have already selected a charity see when they click on TBY's unique link? If someone is already supporting TBY and they click on our unique link, they will simply be taken to smile.amazon.com so they can start shopping. They do not have to re-select your charity. If someone supporting a different charity clicks on your charity link, they are asked if they'd like to switch to support TBY.