

Temple Israel

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As the Rabbi of Temple Israel, the oldest and largest Synagogue in Columbus, I wish to voice the thought that our community is very happy that you have taken up residence in our midst. I welcome you to Columbus.

We have a very lovely and considerate Congregation, all of whom are anxious to know you and to assist you in acomodating yourself to the American scene. Personally, I am anxious that you shall feel perfectly at home in our midst and that you shall know that anything that I can do to assist you in adapting your life as quickly as possible to your new environment will be done upon request.

I invite you to come to our Sabbath Services on every Friday evening at 8:00 P. M. Children may be placed in our Sabbath School by bringing them personally for the first time on any Sunday morning between 9:30 and 10:00 A. M. Our School is prepared to receive children from the ages of 4 to 18. I do hope that you will avail yourself of these opportunities and feel perfectly free to use them.

The Temple is Reform. Its ritual is conducted both in the Hebrew and English and the sermon is delivered in English. All of its 400 families are deeply rooted in the American way of life. We should like very much to have your presence in all the Temple activities.

Wishing you well, I am,

Cordially yours,

Samuel M. Gup.

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