



# SISTERHOOD

of Congregation Beth Israel

Dear Sisterhood and Future Sisterhood member,

It's time for all of us to renew our membership to Sisterhood or if you have not joined, to become a new member of our extraordinary organization. Our sisterhood reflects the diversity of Congregation Beth Israel with members of various backgrounds, ages, interests and hobbies. It is an ideal setting to create new friendships while participating in study, worship, advocacy, and social events.

Sisterhood supports our dedicated clergy, our Temple, and our community. More specifically, your financial contributions help fund the following:

- Leadership development
- B'nai Mitzvah and Confirmation gifts
- Temple staff appreciation
- Shabbat Shira, bimah flowers
- Judaica Gift Shop
- MBJLC and youth events, holiday foods
- ERJCC and community-wide events
- Meetings, facilities, and administrative costs
- Programming, such as Rosh Chodesh, Mah Jongg Night, educational and social events, and much more!
- The YES Fund (Youth, Education, and Special Projects): a collective effort of Union sisterhoods to strengthen the institutions of our Movement and ensure the future of Reform Judaism
- Membership in Women of Reform Judaism, a unified community of nearly 500 sisterhoods and an invaluable resource for leadership development, membership, fundraising, programming, and other organizational materials and tools

We recognize that everyone's schedules are very busy, but hope you will still consider joining sisterhood this year at a level most comfortable for you. If you do not wish to be an active member, we ask that you consider supporting us with sisterhood dues so that we can continue to bring exciting and important events to this congregation, and have a voice in the greater Jewish community.

Please help us reach 100% of temple women by registering as a member of sisterhood. *Without you, we are one member short.*

L 'shalom,

Courtney Clark, Barbara Bejault, Alyssa Weinstein-Sears, Laura Rose  
Sisterhood Executive Board