



GRATITUDE REPORT

2018-2019

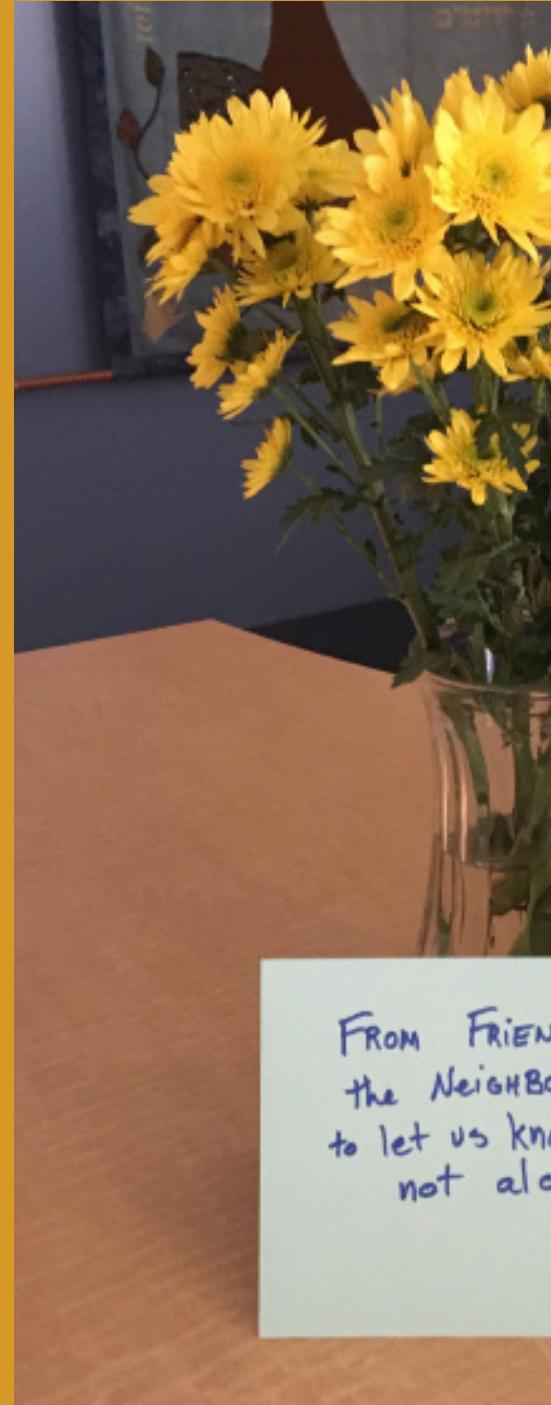
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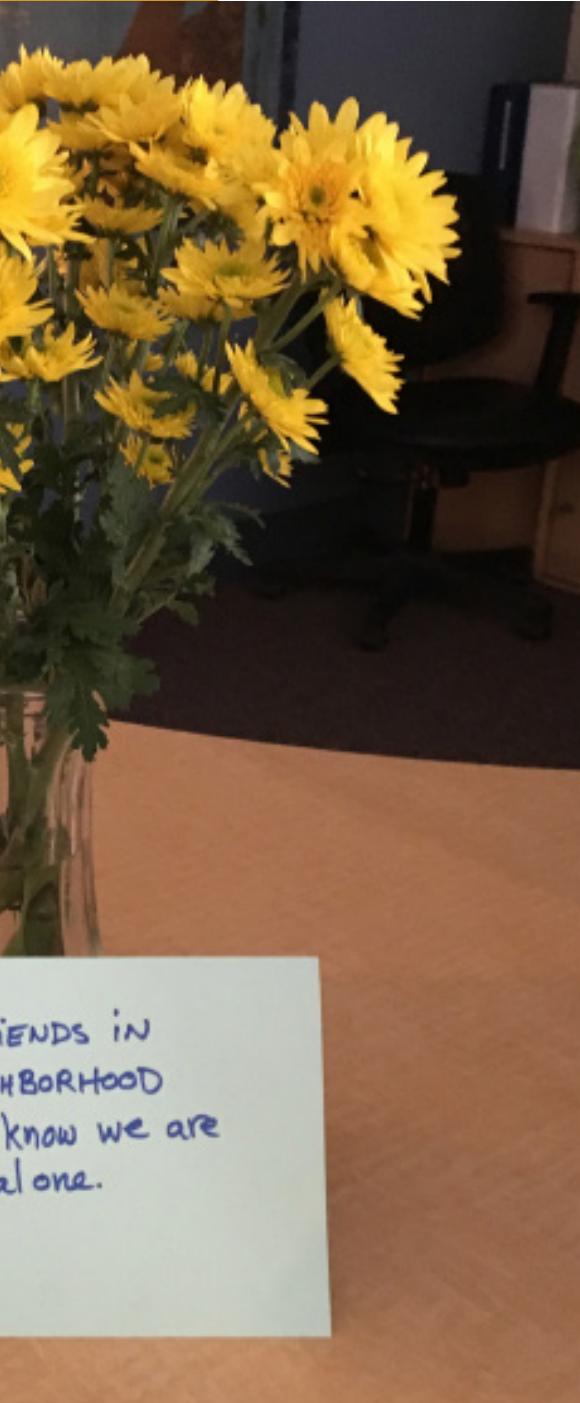


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We are ALL IN. TOGETHER.

2018-2019: A year full of the best of Judea Reform. Our Congregation came together to worship, to celebrate, to study, to teach our kids, to make spiritual music, to learn from our teens, to comfort the bereaved, to care for the ill, and to share in joys. Our Congregation showed strength and leadership through transition, set records in social action, and built community in the face of adversity. Through it all, we supported one another, celebrated one another, mourned together, brainstormed side-by-side and rolled up our sleeves to repair this world for the better. In short, we were ALL IN, together.

We have much to be grateful for within the sacred walls of our Congregation and in the greater Durham-Chapel Hill community that supports us. After the tragedy in Pittsburgh, an outpouring of notes and gifts, like the one pictured here, arrived at our temple doors. Together we endure. Together we love. Together we are grateful.

JUDEA REFORM CONGREGATION

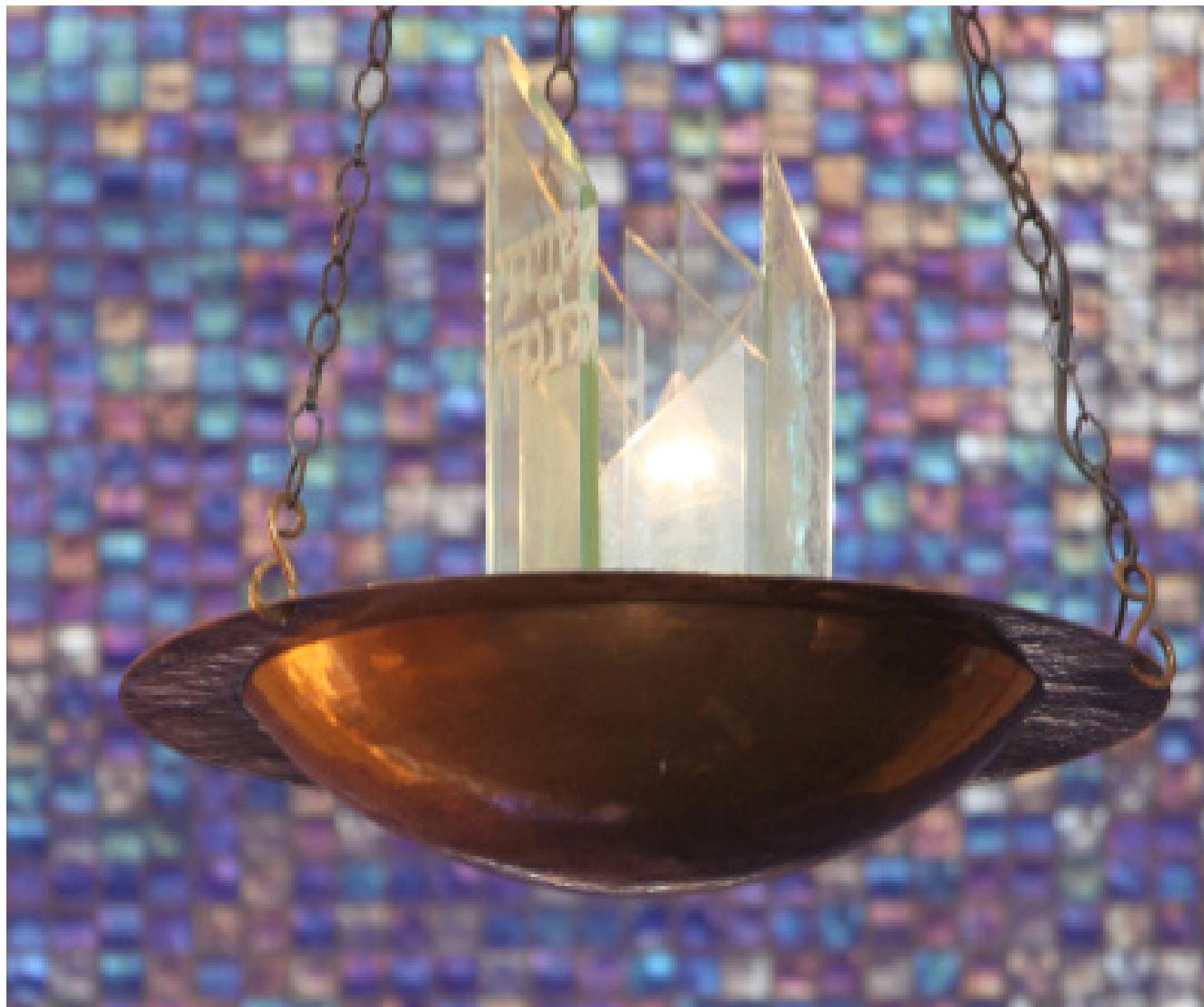


OUR MISSION

Judea Reform Congregation is a vibrant, welcoming community where Jews in the greater Durham-Chapel Hill area and beyond gather to worship, learn, serve, and actively engage in the sacred traditions of our shared heritage.

OUR VISION

We are inspired by Jewish history, the wisdom of our sacred texts, and the tenets of Reform Judaism. We use these in order to nurture our souls and our connection to God, to educate our children as well as ourselves, to cultivate leadership among all congregants, to celebrate our joys, to comfort those among us who are suffering, to serve our community and the world at large, and to promote peace and understanding. We preserve the great traditions of Judaism, respond to the current concerns of our community, and plan for a future of sacred engagement for generations to come.



GUIDING PILLARS

TORAH: Teaching

We nurture meaningful connections to God and to the core ethics and values of Judaism, illuminating modern times through the study of Torah and our sacred texts.

AVODAH: Worship

We worship together as a community with spirit, joy, and song, encouraging members to fully participate in the cherished rituals and practices of our faith.

LIMUD: Study

We encourage continual Jewish learning and intellectual growth for people of all ages.

KEHILLAH: Community

We join together as a diverse congregation, bound by a common desire to belong to and support our Jewish community in times of joy and sorrow, need and plenty.

TIKKUN OLAM: Healing

We share a commitment to advance the welfare of the members of our congregation, our local community, the People of Israel, and of the world.

KEDUSHAH: Sanctity

We sanctify life's sacred moments, from birth to death, through tradition and ceremonies that unite the hearts of loving companions, celebrate the bond between parents and children, and welcome people into the covenant of our faith, honoring our heritage while reflecting with sensitivity and creativity the insights of our time.

RABBI'S LETTER **Hakarat Tov: The Currency of Gratitude**

On January 6, 2019, Judea Reform Congregation voted in affirmation of Rabbi Matt Soffer becoming our next Senior Rabbi. **Together. All in.** We voted unanimously and excitedly for our next generation of rabbinic leadership.

Dear Friends,

The Hebrew phrase for “gratitude” is hakarat hatov, which literally means, “recognizing the good.” This phrase, hakarat hatov, offers us a window into how our tradition views both gratitude and generosity. In Judaism, we do not merely “give” and “receive”; we don’t just say, “thank you” and “you’re welcome.” Generosity and gratitude are not transactional; they are relational. As mitzvot, they flow like currency between us, vitalizing the congregation and the individuals who faithfully sustain it through heartfelt giving.

Year after year, we return to this relational model of hakarat hatov, when we read the story of Exodus. Throughout the Torah the Israelites do not have a Home or a Temple. Instead they depend on the Tabernacle in the Wilderness, which serves as both. They receive very specific instructions regarding how they construct this portable Home for the Divine:

“The Eternal One spoke to Moses saying, ‘Tell the Israelite people to

bring me gifts; you shall accept gifts for Me from every person whose heart is so moved.... they shall make Me a sanctuary, and I will dwell among them.’ (Exodus 25:1-3).

Throughout their journeys the Israelites continually form and reform this sanctuary, and how very telling it is that God’s presence among them is predicated upon the actions of “every person whose heart is so moved.” Our Torah intuits a lesson as salient today as ever: what we do here—enlivening Judaism to usher holiness into the world—is rooted in the love of heartfelt gifts. Recognizing the goodness of these gifts is an act of hakarat hatov, and the reward is the indwelling of the Divine Presence.

We offer this report in the spirit of hakarat hatov, the recognition of the goodness, the generosity, and the gratitude inherent in the mitzvah of sustaining Judea Reform Congregation, as a Home for God’s presence to dwell among us, and among the generations to come.

Rabbi Matthew V. Soffer





SOCIAL ACTION AT JRC

2035 meals served at Urban Ministries of Durham

321 meals delivered on Christmas

300 lunches prepared for homeless in Durham

225 pounds of cat/dog food packaged for Meals on Wheels Pet Program

100 pairs of prescription eyeglasses donated to the Lions Club

75 letters written to elected officials in support of refugees

65 cards sent to immigrants at the Stewart Detention Center in Georgia

54 backpacks filled with school supplies for refugee kids

54 volunteers called all JRC congregants to "get out the vote"

23 pints of blood collected for American Red Cross

4 apartments furnished for newly arrived refugees

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OUR COMMUNITY



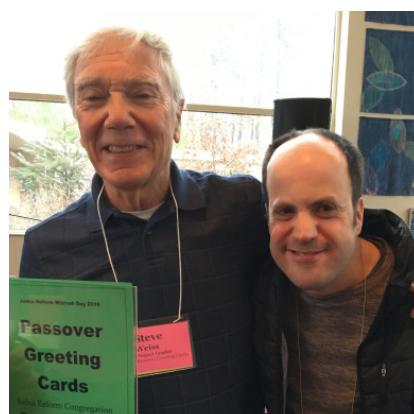
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Interfaith
Solidarity Shabbat
at JRC



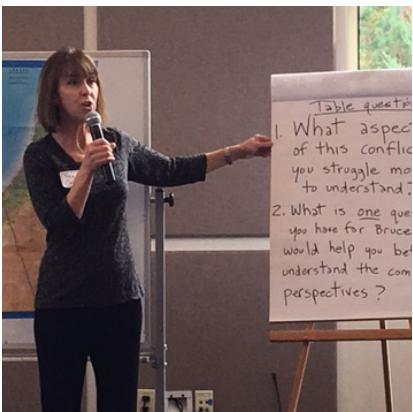
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Teens from
mid-Atlantic NFTY
attended The Vent
at JRC



20

Shiva services led
by our Nechamah
Committee



5735

Words employed
for Hamilton
Purimspiel



13

Sponsors of
Shabbat luncheons



301

Cards and calls
made by our Caring
Community

BY THE NUMBERS

24

Students became
B'Nei Mitzvah



10

Baby baskets
delivered by our
Caring Community



15

Adults became
Anshe Mitzvah



1

Solar powered Ner
Tamid (Eternal
Light)



24

Volunteers of the
Year



16

Rosh Hashanah
meals delivered



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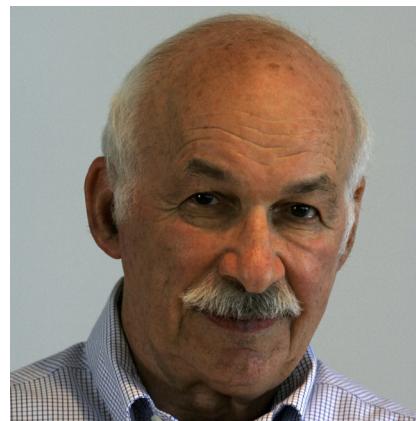
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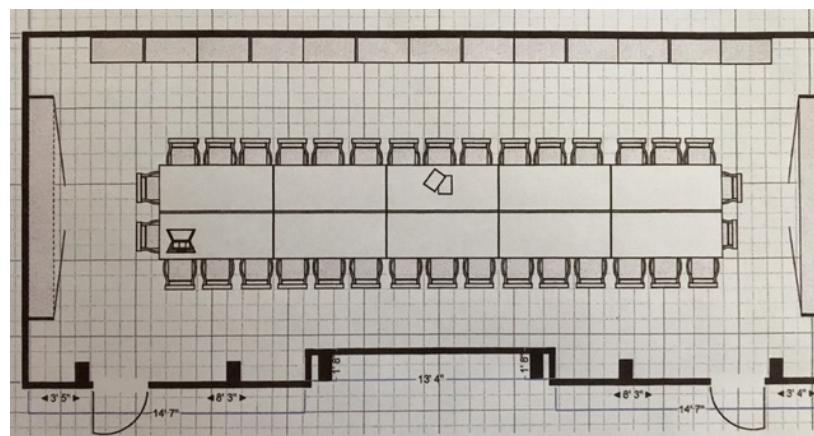
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Bossen Family Library Schematic
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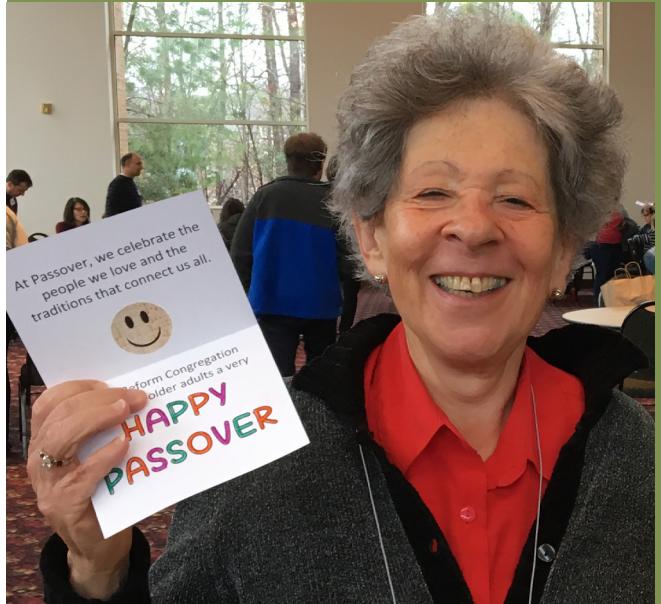


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