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Dear Judea Reform Community,

As news and information about the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) increases, we wanted to take a moment to reassure you that Judea Reform is paying close attention to all the recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), reminding us all of the common sense measures to employ for stopping the spread of germs.

At Judea Reform this means:

- You will see reminders throughout our buildings to wash your hands often with soap and water, following the CDC's [handwashing guidelines](#).
- We have sanitizer and anti-bacterial wipes located throughout our buildings--please use freely when you are here.
- Please stay home when you are sick!
- Please be respectful of others who might choose not to make physical contact--we are a warm and welcoming community and that often means handshakes and hugs. In the interest of reducing transmission risk, consider using your elbows to "elbow bump" when greeting one another or refrain from physical contact.

We will be monitoring the CDC and government guidelines about COVID-19 and will keep you informed of any further developments that may impact Judea Reform Congregation.

B'Shalom,

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