



Dear Fellow Temple Member:

Brotherhood is more than a social club. Brotherhood plays a pivotal role in many Temple activities. This year we will be promoting a rich assortment of programs; programs that further the mission of the Temple while enlightening and inspiring our members. Brotherhood needs your support to implement these programs. Our goal is to have every male member of the Temple be a member of Brotherhood. Please help us enrich our Temple community by completing the enclosed form.

I encourage you to join us at our monthly meetings. We begin our meetings with an incredible spread of food and a short educational or inspirational presentation; we then get down to business and plan our events. Everyone leaves our meetings satisfied physically and spiritually.

This year Brotherhood will be supporting our Temple while simultaneously enhancing the life's of our members with the following events:

- Brotherhood Social Events- Havdalah Dinner & a Movie, Poker Nights, Dinner Club, San Jose Giants, SF Giants, Oakland A's, SJ Earthquakes plus a paid-up membership dinner
- Collaborative Social Events- Shir Hadash Men's Club Challenge, Bowling with the Youth Group, Museum Tour with Sisterhood, Game Nights with Sisterhood, Annual Pool Party with Sisterhood
- Community Event- Coordination of Mitzvah Day and Blood Drives
- Educational Series-Diaspora Dinners, Distinguished Speakers Series
- Religious School Support –Host the first day of school pancake breakfast and the Chanukah latkes breakfast
- Temple Services- Purim set-up, High Holy Day Set-up / Breakdown, High Holy Day Ushers, Brotherhood Shabbats
- And much, much more

Brotherhood is also committed to investing in Temple improvements. This year we will be purchasing a barbeque for the Cottage and hope to rebuild the men's bathroom.

Brotherhood is dedicated to making our Temple community a fun and exciting place but we need your help! Please join or rejoin using the enclosed form or online at http://www.templestanjose.org/groups/brotherhood_membership.htm

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