



Sisterhood of Adath Emanu-El

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Dear Sisterhood Members,

Hi! I'm Robin Shaffer I have been a member at Adath Emanu-El since the building opened in Mt. Laurel in 1997. Prior to my decision to become a member of the Sisterhood board, I was the Youth Activities Chairperson on the Adath Board for 12 years. Before becoming President, I spent six years on the Sisterhood Board. It was a fabulous journey, first as the youth liaison and then as the Programming VP. Being Sisterhood President for the past three years has been an amazing experience and I know this coming year is going to be our best ever!

Sisterhood is a fun, supportive group of ladies who share their love of community and Judaism with each other. In any given year you can expect to engage in diverse activities like bonding at a game night, art projects, book clubs and social action projects to help our Adath and local community. There is card making for the seniors, baking to raise money for the food bank and supporting events at Adath throughout the year. As our Judaism is always close to our hearts, we lead an annual special Sisterhood Shabbat and offer the opportunity to join the Sisterhood choir. Rest assured, there is always food!

On our website, you will find the link to our membership form. I hope you will consider joining Sisterhood if you are not currently a member and if you are currently a member, I hope you will consider rejoining this year. For further info regarding Sisterhood, please check out Sisterhood under Community on the Adath Emanu-El website, adathemanuel.com.

I am looking forward to meeting all of our new members and welcoming back our returning members. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at robabooney@comcast.net or Diane Singer, our Membership VP at deesinger3@gmail.com. It is going to be a great year and I promise you, *this ain't your Grandma's Sisterhood!*

B'Shalom
Robin Shaffer
President

