

# **BROTHERHOOD • SISTERHOOD**

## **Brotherhood**

Gates of Prayer Brotherhood plays an integral role in our Congregation family life. Brotherhood provides many social, religious, fundraising, and community services for Gates of Prayer. Our activities include: Sunday Morning Breakfasts with informative speakers, Shabbat Dinners, Softball League, Yom Hashoah programming, Onegs and Receptions, Camperships, Holiday Dinners, Socials, Ushering at services and Fundraising. These activities have made our award-winning Brotherhood one of the leading Reform Brotherhoods in the nation.

Any man (age 18 or older) may join, regardless of temple affiliation. Through dues and fundraising, our Brotherhood supports our synagogue's social, religious, educational, and community activities. Our primary support goes to funding special temple projects and supporting our youth programs (Jacobs Camp scholarships, Israel Experience, B'nai Mitzvah and Confirmation books, GOPTY). Furthermore, a portion of our dues supports national programs furthering Jewish identity and fighting anti-Semitism.

We encourage you to join Gates of Prayer Brotherhood.

## **Sisterhood**

Gates of Prayer Sisterhood hopes that you will want to be a part of the fun, excitement and friendships that we offer. Sisterhood provides vital support to Gates of Prayer, the Religious School, the Nursery School and GOPTY. While Sisterhood primarily exist to support Congregation Gates of Prayer and its many projects, it also creates a social, educational, spiritual and entertaining environment for women through its many programs. We look forward to you joining us to meet these goals and to achieving your own personal satisfaction by becoming involved. We hope you will make a special place in your heart for GOP Sisterhood.