



IMPACT STATEMENT

For the past quarter century, Mayim Rabim Congregation has been the *only* Reconstructionist congregation in the Twin Cities and one of two in Minnesota. Rooted in the richness of Jewish tradition, Mayim Rabim celebrates an evolving Judaism that deepens our connections to Torah, the Divine, Jewish civilization, the communities in which we live and to one another.

As a Reconstructionist community, we claim a shared heritage with all Jews. We are:

- **Egalitarian in worship:** All Jews are able to lead services and all members can participate in services in various ways.
- **Welcoming and including a diversity of members:** those of varied Jewish observances and traditions, backgrounds, sexual orientation, gender identities, ages, abilities and economic means. The blending of our varied voices enriches our community and our communal spiritual practices.
- **Highly participatory by intent:** As a small congregation, we offer intimacy that can enhance our spiritual journeys and enable connections to one another. We invite everyone to contribute in some way meaningful to themselves; we value all involvement.
- **Democratic in structure:** Our policies and practices reflect study, discussion and input from as broad a range of members as is feasible.
- **Dedicated to Jewish education of our community:** We offer many opportunities for study and learning, including sessions led by the Rabbi and by other interested members and supporters.
- **Committed to *tikkun olam*:** We provide and support opportunities for congregational involvement in social justice and social action and believe that we *can* make a difference.

As legacy donors, we can pledge future resources to assure that Mayim Rabim continues to exist, grow and thrive, and to offer its unique contributions to all who seek to call us home. Our Legacy donors are not *others* in the congregation and community. They are **US**. No matter if you're a founding or a new member or just believe that Mayim Rabim has a unique place and value in our community, **YOU** are part of building our Legacy. **What will YOUR legacy be?**

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