



Dear Friends of Congregation Tikkun Olam,

We wish to welcome you and invite you to join us as we begin our thirteenth year. Being McHenry County's only Reform Jewish congregation has allowed us the opportunity to create the kind of religious experience where diversity is embraced and individual family traditions are shared. Our mission is to celebrate our shared Judaism through community prayer, mitzvah projects, social interaction, and education.

Tikkun Olam is looking forward to another excellent year as we begin with the High Holy Days fast approaching. Our website www.tikkun-olam.org always has the most current information on service times and dates. We suggest checking it frequently to best plan your schedule so that you may be involved in all that we offer. You will also find a link so that you may contact us directly by e-mail.

Take a moment to fill out the membership application so that we may best prepare for the coming season. As always, we prefer to deliver our newsletters and reminders electronically whenever possible to save our natural resources. If this is convenient for you, please include your e-mail address on the form. The current economic trend has made planning events much more difficult, therefore we are requesting whenever possible to remit dues in full when sending in the application.

Last year, we requested an increase in volunteerism and we are thrilled to have had many come forward. Tikkun Olam thrives on participation, and we are pleased to report tremendous success. We have three new teachers in our religious school and all are looking forward to a wonderful school year. We also have a new publicity, reminder and newsletter person who has begun the transition seamlessly, keeping all informed.

We request that each of us find a way to help grow the congregation by offering ideas, projects, and time. Consider joining us for board meetings and becoming an integral partner. Attend as many services and events as possible to feel more connected to our Jewish community. Know that we are here for you, wishing each of us peace, health and happiness as we strive to repair the world.

Debbi Viger

MEMBERSHIP DUES (Per family or individual):

General Membership.....\$500 Senior Membership (over 55 years).....\$275

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL TUITION:.....\$250 per child per school year.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL REGISTRATION:

Children’s Names and Ages _____

ADULT B’NAI MITZVAH PREPARATORY CLASS: _____

DUES AND TUITION STATEMENT:

Membership Dues Amount. \$ _____

Religious School Tuition Amount. \$ _____

Voluntary Funds:

General Congregation Fund \$ _____

Lily Gamze Education Fund \$ _____

High Holy Days Fund \$ _____

Torah Fund \$ _____

Total Voluntary Fund Contribution. \$ _____

Total Amount Enclosed. \$ _____

Signature(s) of applicant(s): _____

Date: _____

Please make check payable to Congregation Tikkun Olam and mail by September 15th to:

Congregation Tikkun Olam
P.O. Box 280
Crystal Lake, IL 60039-0280

Please call 815-334-7110 if you have any questions.

Thank you for joining Congregation Tikkun Olam - B’Shalom!