

Wise Temple



Worship

Over 150 Shabbat and Holiday services each year
Over 90 life cycle events led by rabbis each year

Clergy

4 Full Time Rabbis

Music

Congregational Choir - Kol Rinah (Sound of Rejoicing)
Congregational Band - Shir Chadash (A New Song)
Temple Musicians
Young Adult Band

Worship Spaces

Suburban Wise Center
(Indoor chapel, Library chapel, Outdoor chapel)
Historic Plum Street Temple
(1975 National Landmark Designation)

Only congregation to install three female rabbis from three different Hebrew Union College campuses at once.

Social Justice

Involvement and Impact

Over 800 congregants engaged in social justice

Over 2000 people serviced by our volunteers in soup kitchens

36 homeless families sheltered in our facilities through the Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN)

25,000 pounds of food donated each High Holy Day

Mitzvah Days throughout the year

Received prestigious, national recognition for social justice programming.

Study

Adult Learning

Over 75 classes each year

Nationally Accredited Religious School

Over 475 students and 30 teachers
Over 50% of parents participating in Gesher (Bridge) learning with their kids

Library

One of the largest congregational libraries in North America
Over 22,000 items

Teens

98 teen teaching assistants
130 teens attending Kulanu
(Reform Jewish High School)
25 teens travel to Israel each year

URJ Congregation of Learners Award—national recognition for innovative and exemplary model of lifelong learning.

Community

Size

1150 Families

Communities within the Community

Brotherhood and Sisterhood
Youth
Young Adults
Young Families
Religious School Families
Midlife
Senior Adults

Over 85 unique programs for all age groups.