




A WELCOME CARD FOR INCLUSION

- If you see a child having a difficult behavior moment, offer the parent a friendly smile, a sympathetic nod, or an offer to help. **Gemilut Hasadim** - *doing acts of lovingkindness*.
- Offer to help someone having trouble accessing the entrance of your congregation. Be proactive in holding doors, making room in your pew, offering an arm, or carrying something. **Hachnasat Orchim** - *welcoming guests*.
- Not all disabilities are "visible." If you see a person exhibiting atypical behavior, understand that it might be a sign of a disability. Embrace the person as being created **Btzelem Elohim** - *in the divine image*.
- If you see someone who is disheveled or out of sorts, consider that this person may be experiencing issues related to mental illness, substance abuse, or a behavior disorder. Act with **Chesed** - *loving-kindness*.

**"FOR MY HOUSE
SHALL BE A HOUSE
OF PRAYER FOR ALL
PEOPLE."
ISAIAH 56:5**

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- Some people with attention or sensory issues may find it hard to sit through services or long programs. Young children may also need to move around. Practice acceptance and understanding of differences - **Btzelem Elohim**.
 - Remember that a warm smile, a nod, or small act of kindness can make a huge difference. Help build **Kehilah** - *community*.

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