

The Mission Statement of KI Brotherhood/MRJ

Our mission is to engage in projects and activities that will provide meaningful services to our congregation and allow our members to find greater identity, involvement and inspiration. One of the best things about Brotherhood is the camaraderie: simply getting together each month to discuss the events at KI, to share a few laughs, and to plan upcoming programs. Our Brotherhood is a member of MRJ – **Men of Reform Judaism**, a nationwide organization of 250 affiliated brotherhoods.

The Work We Do

At KI, Brotherhood/MRJ provides

Administration of the KI Usher Corps.

Repairs and improvements to the KI Rose Garden.

Sponsorship of the annual High Holy Day radio broadcasts.

The Yom Ha-Shoah Yellow Candle program.

Programs for the benefit of all KI members, such as Sunday Guest Speaker Brunches, trips to sporting events, museums and historic sites.

Brotherhood Shabbat, which always features a prominent speaker

Gifts to Bar- and Bat-Mitzvahs.

Sponsorship of the AARP Safe Driver classes

Other support services as needed

Brotherhood shall serve as a humanizing and spiritual force of the congregation of by: stimulating Jewish religious activities, literacy, and programming; fostering interfaith connections; being a mitzvah source for projects at KI and for the community at large; promoting the spirit of camaraderie through social action; supporting worthwhile activities in the congregation; and by advancing Reform Judaism in America through membership in the **Men of Reform Judaism**, and support of the Jewish Chautauqua Society