



SISTERHOOD – CONGREGATION BETH YAM

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Dear Fellow Congregant:

Onegs are a wonderful ending to our Shabbat services and are enjoyed by the entire congregation. They are a great vehicle for meeting and greeting friends, temple affiliates and island visitors. **Sisterhood is responsible for coordinating and overseeing the Onegs but it is the responsibility of the entire congregation to provide and serve refreshments. In order to keep our Onegs going we need everyone's participation.**

This is really not a difficult task and should be fun. Basic refreshments consist of 2 Challahs, one **unsliced** and one **sliced**, cookies, brownies and other finger food, sugar-free cookies (located in the pantry) and drinks for 60 people. Flowers and fruit can be added if you wish. Desserts can be purchased or home baked, depending on individual preference. (Please refer to the attached Oneg Procedure for more information.)

During the year, members may sponsor an Oneg for a special occasion such as an anniversary, baby naming, or Bar/Bat Mitzvah. If you wish to sponsor an Oneg but feel because you have not done it before, Sisterhood can match you with someone with experience.

We hope that you will all volunteer to participate in at least one Oneg a year and that many of you will be willing to do more than one. In addition, Sisterhood has an Oneg Fund to help finance our Onegs, and we would appreciate any financial support that congregants are willing to contribute.

Please respond to the Oneg committee by completing and mailing the form below.

We thank you in advance for your kind cooperation and generosity and look forward to sharing the joy of Oneg with you in the near future.

Sincerely,

Nadyne Ulicny 843-341-5414

Sisterhood Congregation Beth Yam - Oneg
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NAME _____ PHONE# _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

I (We) would be happy to do an Oneg on Friday evening _____

2nd choice _____ 3rd choice _____

_____ I (We) would like to contribute to the Oneg fund.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ _____.

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Oneg Procedures

Please save the following directions for future reference.

Oneg Preparations

Prior to your Oneg date, participants should plan the Oneg together and discuss preparations, set-up time, and division of expenses. Check the temple freezer for pastry you may wish to use. Check the refrigerator for coffee, coffee creamer and soda. If there is no coffee in the refrigerator, there will be unopened cans in the Pantry. At your convenience, go to Publix and pick up 2 Challahs, one sliced thin and one not sliced. **There is no standing order.** If you wish to set up early in the day or place items in the refrigerator, please check with the Office first to be sure nothing else is going on at the Temple at that time.

Supplies

Most of the supplies you will need can be found in the Pantry (on the metal shelves to the right as you walk into the pantry). It is stocked with sugar-free cookies and sugar-free labels which should be placed on the table next to those foods that are sugar-free. Sodas, decaf coffee (open can is in the refrigerator), sugar/sweeteners, toothpicks, paper and plastic ware can be found there as well. Serving platters, tablecloths, pitchers, utensils, doilies etc. are located on various shelves in the Pantry. Ice is in the Ice Machine.

Regular Oneg

This is an 8 pm service. Plan to arrive no later than 7:15 to set up or earlier in the day. The Ritual Officer will be there to open the Temple. Turn on the Coffee Maker when you arrive. Instructions for the operation of the Coffee Maker are on top of the machine. On average, provide enough refreshments for 60- 90 people. On special occasions we sometimes have 100 or more. Four-five platters of finger food sweets, store-bought or home baked should be sufficient. Fruit platters are nice but optional. During summer (June- August) provide punch or soft drinks. The rest of the year, provide decaf coffee, tea (optional) and soft drinks. Please be sure to have ice, coffee creamer or milk, sugar/sweetener, etc. on the table. Beverages are usually set up on the table under the kitchen pass-through.

Fusion Oneg

This is a 7:15 pm service. A ¼ birthday sheet cake will be provided by the Fusion Committee to add to the suitable refreshments for children that should also be served. Cookies, brownies, fruit juice, punch or regular lemonade are suggested. Please plan to arrive at the temple no later than 6:30 pm to set up. *If there is a Fusion dinner that night, please call me for more details*. See Regular Oneg above for more information.

Kabbalat Oneg

This is a brief service that begins at 6 pm. It is designed to allow congregants to enjoy Shabbat dinner together. Only 2 Challahs (one whole and one sliced) and small cups of wine & some grape juice are required. You may set up a few minutes before the service.

Oneg Cleanup

The cleaning crew will help you clear the Oneg table and place all unused supplies back in the Pantry. They will wash the dishes and put them away. **Take home any leftover food.** Please leave the Social Hall and the kitchen orderly and as clean as possible. **Take home and wash soiled tablecloths and towels. Please return them promptly.** Most importantly have fun doing your Oneg and thank you.

Nadyne Ulicny 341-5414