Hello Ladies of Kol Ami:

Women of Kol Ami (WKA) plays an important role in the life of our congregation, and we look forward to you joining us as we support the needs of our women, our congregation, and our Jewish community.

What and who are the Women of Kol Ami?

WKA is a diverse and inclusive group of incredible women who work or are retired. We are married, partnered, single, divorced, and/or widowed. Our homes are single and multi-generational. We are open to all who identify as women. We have fun as we celebrate our individuality and provide opportunities for friendship, learning, leadership, and personal and spiritual growth.

Reasons to join Women of Kol Ami:

If you are interested in friendship, education, youth, tradition, community, leadership, *tikkun olam* (healing or repairing of the world), or *l’dor va’dor* (from generation to generation) – then you have reason to join!

When you join WKA, you also become a member of Women of Reform Judaism (WRJ), a network of seven districts supporting 1000’s of Jewish women working together to empower the bonds of Sisterhood, spirituality, and social justice.

This year WKA hosted an Area Event for the Southwest District, granted a continuing education scholarship to Erev Cantor Sarah Bollt, and donated $5,000 to Kol Ami to upgrade the sanctuary’s sound system. We also gave a grant to support WKA member Amelia Cramer as the keynote speaker at the Pacific District convention held in Seattle, WA. We provided financial support to the religious school and Madrichim (high school counselors) programs and gifts to the *B’nei Mitzvah* students. We worked together to prepare meals for Sister Jose’s Women’s Shelter, collected items for homeless women in our community, led “Sisterhood Shabbat,” and conducted a beautiful Women’s Seder. Needless to say, we are a busy, valuable, and welcoming community!

As a member of WKA, your thoughts, voice, and support are a valued and intricate part of what shapes WKA into an organization that truly represents a community of strong women. There is a place for everyone within WKA. Whether you attend programs, volunteer your time, help plan an event, raise your voice within social action, or wish to support us financially – there is a place for YOU.

We hope you will consider joining and supporting WKA. Should you have any questions regarding membership, please do not hesitate to reach out to us. We are here for you.

Yours in Sisterhood,

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