

# **The Mission of Women's League for Conservative Judaism is to strengthen**

Women's League helps sisterhoods help themselves through conventions, conferences, workshops, publications, and an international network of experienced and qualified trainers.

## **and unite**

We are the umbrella organization of over 500 affiliated women's groups in Conservative/Masorti synagogues in the United States, Canada, Mexico, Israel, and other parts of the world.

## **synagogue women's groups,**

We provide organizational know-how to help shape the direction of sisterhoods and sisterhood leadership; we offer program and fundraising ideas, and we offer enrichment for our youth.

## **their members, and individual members;**

We enhance the lives of individual members through Women's League Institutes, Leadership Institutes, interactive website ([www.wlcj.org](http://www.wlcj.org)), Kolot BiK'dushah, Z'havah (for younger women), Creative Judaic Arts, and association with many national and international organizations.

## **support them**

We aid our members through *Divrei Hokhmah* (Words of Wisdom), A Jewish Healing Service, International Days of Study, problem-solving techniques and training services, distance workshops, mentoring, consultants, network of regional support, and Women's League Shabbat booklets.

## **in mutual efforts**

The member/sisterhood, sisterhood/region, region/WLCJ relationship is circular. Women's League provides resources and inspiration; affiliated women's groups provide per capita funds and ideas to enable Women's League to function. The numerical strength of our affiliates empowers Women's League to represent Conservative synagogue women in the international Jewish community.

## **to understand and perpetuate Conservative/Masorti Judaism**

Women's League is an integral part of the worldwide Conservative/Masorti movement with close ties to all of its constituent organizations. Through the Torah Fund Campaign, we help support the Jewish Theological Seminary (New York), the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies (Los Angeles) and the Schechter Institute of Jewish Studies (Jerusalem), and their students.

## **in the home, synagogue, and community;**

We provide materials for the enhancement of home rituals; encourage ascending the ladder of mitzvot; design programs for families; transmit action alerts on issues of immediate importance; recommend establishing *Bikkur Cholim* programs; support ecological projects; enjoy representation in international organizations such as Girl Scouts and the Coalition to Preserve Religious Liberty; and maintain a Non-Governmental Observer at the United Nations.

## **and reinforce their bonds with Israel and with Jews worldwide.**

As a religious organization, we encourage our members to love *Klal Yisrael* (the people Israel), as we are enjoined to do in our liturgy. We support the State of Israel, the Conservative/Masorti movement and Jewish communities worldwide through Masorti Women International and participation in Mercaz, the Conservative/Masorti Zionist organization, and our on-going aid to Masorti synagogues, and Masorti Women's Study Days in Israel.



**Women's League and Sisterhood:  
A Partnership Enriching Jewish Women Worldwide**