

# JCNWJ SISTERHOOD MISLOACH MANOT FUND RAISER

## Frequently Asked Questions about Mishloach Manot The Purim Project

### 1. What is Mishloach Manot?

Mishloach Manot is an important way to celebrate Purim—the giving of food (gifts) to one another. Each family will receive one gift bag—the gift card will list the names of the families that “gave” that gift bag to that family.

### 2. How can I participate in the Mishloach Manot effort this year, sponsored by Sisterhood?

First, you need to look at the list of Temple members and decide which families you would like to send a Mishloach Manot gift bag to, then check off the families, complete the order form, and send everything back to:

**Lisa Bauch, 86 Sutton Road, Califon, NJ 07830. Attention: Purim Project**

### 3. The Mishloach Manot form mentions *reciprocity*. What is reciprocity?

Reciprocity is very simple. Let's say someone sent you a gift bag—but you inadvertently did not include them on your list. If you check the reciprocate option, your name will be listed on their gift bag—even though you did not initially include them on your list. You will be charged for this option, unless.....you sign up for the PURIM SPECIAL.

### 4. What is the PURIM SPECIAL?

The PURIM SPECIAL is a unique opportunity for you to support the Purim Project. The PURIM SPECIAL allows you to send a gift bag to all temple families and staff members on the list. There are no reciprocity charges with the PURIM SPECIAL. Your name will automatically be included on their gift bag at no additional cost to you.

### 5. Why should I participate in Mishloach Manot?

This is the third year Sisterhood is sponsoring the Purim Project, and we are very excited about this program. The Purim Project is a powerful fundraising opportunity for Sisterhood. As you may know, the temple basement flooded during Hurricane Irene - all proceeds will go toward the new drainage system for the basement.

### 6. What should I do if I discarded, lost, or misplaced the information about Mishloach Manot, but I want to participate?

The forms will be mailed to each family but will also be available by contacting Debbi Longenecker at [spencellen@earthlink.net](mailto:spencellen@earthlink.net).

### 7. What should I do if I still have a few questions?

Contact - Debbi Longenecker [spencellen@earthlink.net](mailto:spencellen@earthlink.net), 908-238-1185

### 8. How soon do I need to mail in my Mishloach Manot form so I can participate?

The deadline for participation is **February 10, 2012.**