



-A Continuing Commitment to Justice, Kindness and Sharing

SUPPORT RELIEF EFFORTS FOR HAITI

The Hesed Committee and the Adath clergy are extremely concerned about the extensive devastation in Haiti following the massive earthquake last week. The degree of death, injury, and destruction of property is catastrophic. We encourage you to consider making a monetary donation to one of the following Jewish relief agencies, all of whom have extensive experience and expertise in dealing with natural disasters of this sort:

MAZON, A Jewish Response to Hunger – MAZON has a long-standing dedication to health services and agricultural development in Haiti. It has established an Emergency Haiti Fund and is providing lifesaving medical care and emergency food relief. Donations may be made to <http://mazon.org/go/helphaiti>, or mailed to 10495 Santa Monica Blvd. Suite 100, Los Angeles, CA 90025.

American Jewish World Service (AJWS) – AJWS has been supporting grassroots organizations in Haiti since 1999 and has set up a Haiti Earthquake Relief Fund, providing emergency funding for food, shelter, and medical supplies to people in Port-au-Prince and surrounding rural areas. Contact www.ajws.org, 212-792-2900, 45 W. 36th St, New York, NY 10018.

American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee (JDC) - JDC is the official humanitarian assistance organization for the Jewish community and The Jewish Federations of North America. JDC is coordinating relief efforts with its network of Israeli, American, and other local partners on the ground. Contact www.JDC.org, 212-687-6200, or mail a check payable to JDC-Haiti Earthquake Relief, P.O. Box 530, 132 East 43rd St, New York, NY 10017.

United Synagogue for Conservative Judaism – United Synagogue has a disaster relief fund for donations toward relief efforts for the earthquake. Donations may be made online at www.uscj.org/donate/relief.

This is your opportunity to fulfill the Jewish mitzvah of performing a significant act of Hesed and assisting those in urgent need during this time of crisis.

Thank you.