



**And, your gift joins thousands of other gifts, making the kind of impact you just can't make on your own. It's the power of collective action, and that's what Federation is all about.**

**How your gift helps**

- \$50** provides hot meals for 10 seniors
- \$100** educates a classroom of students about the Holocaust
- \$250** provides a month of in-home counseling sessions for a homebound adult
- \$1,000** pays for free Shabbat dinners for 150 college students
- \$5,000** helps 5 children attend Jewish day schools
- \$10,000** helps 20 children experience Jewish summer camp

**Every dollar counts.**



To make a gift, visit [MilwaukeeJewish.org/Give](http://MilwaukeeJewish.org/Give) or contact Shelly M. Sampon, Campaign Manager, at 414-390-5723 or [ShellyS@MilwaukeeJewish.org](mailto:ShellyS@MilwaukeeJewish.org).

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**2016 Annual Campaign**

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**No gift touches more Jewish lives than your gift to the Milwaukee Jewish Federation. You support the Jewish organizations and services you care about and others you didn't even know existed but are doing a world of good.**



One gift supports the Federation and also our network of local and international partners. We are hard at work 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, in Milwaukee, in Israel and in 70 countries around the world.

### Local Partner Agencies

BBYO – Wisconsin Region  
 Harry & Rose Samson Family Jewish Community Center  
 Hillel Foundation – University of Wisconsin (Madison)  
 Hillel Milwaukee  
 Interfaith Conference of Greater Milwaukee  
 Jewish Beginnings Lubavitch Preschool  
 Jewish Family Services  
 Jewish Home & Care Center  
 Milwaukee Jewish Day School  
 The Academy (Hillel)  
 Yeshiva Elementary School

### Milwaukee Jewish Federation Programs & Services

Coalition for Jewish Learning  
 Jewish Community Foundation  
 Jewish Museum Milwaukee  
 Israel Center  
 Jewish Community Relations Council  
 Nathan & Esther Pelz Holocaust Education Resource Center  
 The Wisconsin Jewish Chronicle

### Israel and Overseas Programs & Services

American Joint Distribution Committee  
 Jewish Agency for Israel  
 Taglit-Birthright Israel  
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### National Programs & Services

American Jewish World Service  
 Association of Jewish Family and Children's Agencies  
 BBYO  
 Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society  
 Jewish Community Centers Association of North America  
 Jewish Council for Public Affairs  
 Jewish Federations of North America  
 Jewish Telegraphic Agency  
 National Conference on Soviet Jewry  
 National Foundation for Jewish Culture



### Responding to need

Whether it's a struggling teen here in Milwaukee, missiles raining down on Israel's south or a violent conflict in Ukraine, we're there when we are needed most. Our network of local and international partners enables us to respond to everyday needs and to emergency needs during times of crisis.

#### OUR IMPACT

- Provided counseling services to nearly 1,000 individuals in Milwaukee
- Served more than 27,000 clients at the Jewish Community Food Pantry
- Provided food, medicine, shelter and other services to more than 30,000 elderly Jews and 4,600 children in Ukraine

### Building Jewish identity

Through opportunities for strengthening Jewish identity and building leadership skills, we're helping to ensure a strong Jewish future. We educate students and their teachers, provide Jewish experiences through BBYO and Hillel, and train young Jewish leaders who will guide us into the future.

#### OUR IMPACT

- Engaged nearly 500 students with Jewish youth groups
- Educated 850 children in Jewish day schools (PK-8)
- Provided 8,500 Shabbat dinners to college students

### Pursuing a just world

Federation is a bridge to the community at large, forging connections with faith, ethnic and community groups to promote religious freedom, tolerance and understanding. We also represent you in Madison and in Washington, D.C. by advocating for issues of importance to our local Jewish community.

#### OUR IMPACT

- Trained 250 students to advocate for Israel and to confront anti-Semitism on campus
- Responded to anti-Semitic incidents, which increased by 150% in the past year
- Taught the lessons of the Holocaust to more than 18,000 people

### WHY FEDERATION?

- We're always looking at the big picture to ensure we're investing dollars where they are needed most.
- We safeguard your investment evaluating the finances, programming and governance of our partners.
- We address community-wide needs like improving security and building endowments for the future.
- Federation is prepared for emergencies, like raising \$200,000 to support Israelis during the war in 2014.

### Creating financial security

Federation helps meet our community's financial needs today through our Annual Campaign and tomorrow's needs through our Jewish Community Foundation.

#### OUR IMPACT

- Raised \$5.84 million dollars to support the community through our Annual Campaign
- Secured 365 legacy commitments, resulting in an estimated \$8.7 million in future gifts for synagogues, day schools and Jewish agencies
- Awarded \$618,000 in scholarships to local students and campers

### Connecting with Israel

The Federation's Israel Center brings Israel to Milwaukee through our Israel emissaries (Shlichah and Shin Shins), through cultural and educational programs, and through visits from Israeli delegations. We also enable Milwaukeeans of all ages to enjoy meaningful experiences in Israel – from Birthright to community missions.

#### OUR IMPACT

- Engaged 1,900 participants in Israel Center programs
- Involved 90 new volunteers in Israel Center programs and 18 host families in Israeli delegations
- Convened 700 Jews at a solidarity gathering in support of Israel during Operation Protective Edge

\*Numbers reflect the 2014 calendar year or the 2014-15 fiscal year.