



TEConnects

Small Groups

Fill your cup, warm your ❤️, find your people

FAQs

1. What is TE Connects: Small Groups?

TE Connects will bring members together by life stage or shared interest to build friendships and deepen their connection to Temple Emanuel.

2. What are some examples of a small group?

Hiking, new grandparents, social justice, knitting, book group, text study

3. What is the size of a small group?

Our recommended size for each newly formed group is 8-10 adults or 3-4 families with children, but could vary.

4. Why is this so important?

When members build deeper and more meaningful relationships within our TE community, they can find their place in our much larger synagogue family.

5. When did this project start?

Our kick off event was our fun Launch Party on February 1, 2026, where we were thrilled to welcome over 200 people interested in this new initiative!

6. What does being in a small group mean?

See "Tips" which gives some idea of what to expect when you join a small group.

7. I am not sure, is this is for me?

It is! This is for everyone! Whether you are a new member, have not been in years or come all the time, this is an opportunity to connect in new and different ways.

8. I want to participate but can't come to the Launch Party. What do I do?

[Click here](#) to fill out your small groups survey. It will only take a few minutes.

9. When will I find out who I am in a group with?

Our plan is to notify you sometime in March 2026 so you can get started!

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Thank you for joining us on this exciting adventure!

If you have questions or need more information, please contact:
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