Action Steps to Take For Racial Justice

1. Participate in peaceful public protest - which can be done safely in many different ways.

2. Donate to these organizations, who are doing work to support Black community now and always:
   - **Boston NAACP**, a long time partner and friend of Temple Israel.
   - **Violence in Boston**, doing both violence prevention work and feeding community during the Covid-19 shutdown.
   - **Mass Bail Fund**, ensuring everyone can pay bail, either protesters or others held due to cash restraints. As Covid-19 spreads rapidly in jails and prisons, keeping people out of those institutions is important.

3. Take a look at Temple Israel’s #10Days10Ways Racial Justice Reflections campaign on our website.

4. Join Temple Israel’s Racial Justice Initiative as we work together on issues such as criminal justice reform, voter suppression, economic justice, and diversity, equity, and inclusion efforts. Email Tali Puterman at tputerman@tisrael.org or Rabbi Dan Slipakoff at dslipakoff@tisrael.org to get involved.

5. Support local Black-owned businesses. See our online shuk on our website.

6. TI Students in 5-7th Grade are invited to join the Justice League’s Summer Internship focused on “how to be an anti-racist”. For more information or to register, contact Tali Puterman at tputerman@tisrael.org

Communal Mourning & Healing Opportunities through TI Cares

1. Contribute a poem, prayer, artwork, or reflection of your choice on TI’s communal space of mourning at tisrael.org/live or tisrael.org/ti-cares.

2. If you’re feeling isolated during this time and would appreciate connecting over the phone or email, let us know at ticares@tisrael.org.
Facilitated Conversations with Riverway Project (20s & 30s)
To grapple with the political and social moment we are in, Riverway will be hosting facilitated conversations about the intersections of our racial and Jewish identities. We ask that participants attend all 3 sessions on Tuesdays, June 16, 23, and 30 from 7:00-8:30 p.m.. These conversations will be facilitated by diversity, equity, inclusion professionals and will create space for learning and growth. Conversations will take place both in multiracial space and caucus groups. Please sign up to join us.