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Dear Friends at the Jewish Community Center,

Greetings from Rainbow Mennonite Church. We are writing on behalf of our congregation to express our dismay at the act of violence that occurred on Sunday, April 13, at your Center, and to extend our condolence and concern to you in this time.

We deplore this act of violence and hatred, and the disrespect this act conveys to both your religion and the members of your community. We want to stand with those in our community who believe that the love of God calls people of all faiths to extend respect and generosity to each other.

We pray for God's strength and wisdom to be with you as you cope with these events, and hope that you will continue to feel the support and friendship of the wider community.

Peace and blessing be with you,

Ruth Harder, pastor

Keith Jantz, moderator