Assistive Listening at Congregation Beth David

Do you know we have two ways for you to access assistive listening at Congregation Beth David?

Since they are accessibility devices, they are rabbi-approved for use on Shabbat and High Holy days.

T-Coil Loop

If you wear hearing aids and they have the t-coil capability all you have to do is set your hearing aids to the T-coil setting and the sound will go from the sound system directly to your hearing aids. Check with your audiologist to see if you hearing aids have a T-Coil and have them add that program to you settings. This only works in the Sanctuary and within the looped area.



Listen Everywhere

If you don't have hearing aids or they don't have the T-coil program you can still listen to our sound system. Come to Beth David during the week and log into the "CBD Audio" Wi-Fi. The password is in the office window. Once you are on the Wi-Fi, download the Listen Everywhere app for iOS or Android. (You can download the app at home and install it on your phone or tablet before coming to Beth David, but you must be on Beth David's Wi-Fi for it to work when you are at Beth David. You cannot use this to listen at home. When you come to Services launch the app and select Sanctuary. The sound will come to your hearing aids from your connected phone over Bluetooth.



Important: You must be on Beth David's Wi-Fi and you must have Bluetooth on your hearing aids turned on and paired with your phone. With Listen Everywhere you can listen to the service anywhere in the building that the Wi-Fi reaches, e.g., the Kitchen, the Mercaz. If you do not have hearing aids, you can send the sound directly to your earbuds as if they were hearing aids.



Even More Important: be sure to have the ringer silenced and do not send the sound through the phone's speaker. You must listen either via hearing aid or via earbuds (Bluetooth or wired) so as not to disturb other congregants.