

Friends,

I am writing on behalf of Evan Bernstein, myself and the entire ADL NY/NJ team to share our deepest gratitude for your solidarity, support and strength as you stood with us yesterday, in a time of mourning, but with spirits of action and resistance to anti-Semitism and all forms of hate and violence. We know, all too well, how the normalization of hate and bias can happen quickly, and lends itself increasingly to violence, as we have seen this weekend and in recent weeks and months right here in NY.

We would not be the strong community we are without the leadership that you all bring to our communities. We appreciate your quick responses to our call for solidarity and the support you each offered at such a critical and difficult time. Thank you also to those who could not be there with us, but shared their expressions of support.

Below I have shared the media clips that I have found that include our event yesterday. I have also added links to some ADL resources about addressing the aftermath of hate with youth, communities etc.

Please don't hesitate to reach out to me with any follow up or to continue our conversations on what we can and should be doing together. (646-808-7856)

We will continue to fight the good fight, and we are glad to fight this fight with all of you as our partners and allies.

Together we rise,

*Melanie*

MEDIA: [Please do share if you have others!]

ABC7: <https://abc7ny.com/anti-defamation-league-condemns-pittsburgh-synagogue-shooting/4571573/>

NBC: <https://www.nbcnewyork.com/news/local/Religious-Leaders-to-Hold-Interfaith-Gathering-in-NYC-in-Wake-of-Synagogue-Shooting--498826631.html>

FOX5: <http://www.fox5ny.com/news/community-leaders-condemn-shooting>

CBS2: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=byDvaPcWiJl>

AMNY: <https://www.amny.com/news/pittsburgh-synagogue-shooting-nyc-1.22563631>

Timely Resources:

[Backgrounder on Robert Bowers](#)

[White Supremacist Terror Attacks and Plots Against Jews](#)

[Amplification of Anti-Semitic Harassment Online and Midterms 2018](#)

Know the Facts: [ADL H.E.A.T Map](#)

[Discussing Hate and Violence with Children](#)

ADL Guide: [Gun Violence and Mass Shootings](#)

ADL Guide: [Empowering Young People in the Aftermath of Hate](#)

[10 Things You Can Do to Combat Hate](#)

[Resources on Communal Security and Congregant Safety](#)

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