

Temple Beth David Membership Commitment 2021-2022

We hope you will value your membership at Temple Beth David as much as we value your participation in our community. Your membership is about being part of our Temple family, connecting to a warm and welcoming group of friends, and learning and growing spiritually with a vibrant Jewish community.

Membership Contribution

Your membership contribution is based on your circumstances at the time of joining and will be reconsidered each year. Temple Beth David welcomes all members regardless of financial ability. We rely on and appreciate your support.

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| Young Adult Single (to age 35) | \$180 |
| Young Adult Couple (to age 35) | \$360 |
| Family with Young Children (preschool age or younger) | \$1000 |
| First Year/Rising Full Single | \$1150 |
| First Year/Rising Full Family | \$2300 |
| Full Single | \$1800 |
| Full Family | \$2825 |
| Jewish Day School Family (families with 1 or more children attending Jewish Day School) | \$1050 |

Care of Our Building

In order to care for our beautiful building, including the sanctuary and school wing, we ask that members contribute \$2000 to our Building Fund. Members can elect to start paying immediately or can defer the first payment until the second year of membership. We offer members the choice of allocating payments over five or eight years.

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| Building Fund over 5 years | \$400 |
| Building Fund over 8 years | \$250 |

Members are also asked to pay a \$275 Debt Service Fee every year to offset our Mortgage.

***Shorashim* Religious School Tuition**

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| Grades K-2 | \$675 |
| Grades 3-6 | \$1100 |
| Grades 3-6 (with Hebrew tutoring*) | \$1500 |
| Grades 7-10 (Double Chai includes dinner) | \$885 |
| Grades 11-12 | \$360 |
| Introduction to Religious School (eldest child Grades K-2 and complimentary membership one year only) | \$675 |

Grades K-6 includes designated Shabbat meals per child.

*If your child has special learning needs, please speak with Rabbi Karen Citrin and this fee will be adjusted.

Becoming Bar/Bat Mitzvah

This fee covers tutoring and preparation for your child.

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| Bar/Bat Mitzvah | \$950 |
| Bar/Bat Mitzvah for each additional twin, triplet | \$750 |

Payment Guidelines

Membership Commitment and Religious School Tuition

Payments may be made to Temple Beth David by check, credit card (Visa or Mastercard) or electronic transfer (ACH/Echeck.) Our on-line member portal allows each congregant to set up a recurring payment plan for their convenience or to make payments individually. All payments must be complete by June 30th each fiscal year. We recommend the following options:

Single payment in July/August

Two payments – July/August and December

Half Year payments – July/August to December

Full Year payments – July/August to June

We strongly encourage congregants to set up recurring payment plans which will allow us to better manage our finances and facilitate the administration of billing and collections.

Shorashim Religious School Tuition becomes due upon registration and should be paid as follows: 50% before the first day that school begins in the fall, and 100% on or before December 31st. Exceptions are allowed if you set up a recurring payment plan.

50% of the Bar/Bat Mitzvah fee must be paid one (1) month before tutoring begins with 100% of the fee paid two (2) months before the Bar/Bat Mitzvah date. The fee will appear on your statement in July before the start your child's sixth grade year in order to provide additional time to spread out payments.

Financial Assistance

It is important to us that membership in our community is accessible to all.

Financial assistance may be requested by completing a *Confidential Application for Dues and Tuition Reduction* form. * This form must be submitted to the attention of the Temple President as soon as possible. Reductions of Temple dues, Building Debt Service fee and/or *Shorashim* Religious School tuition will be approved on an individual basis. Building Fund and Bar/Bat Mitzvah fees cannot be adjusted; however, the Building Fund can be deferred to a subsequent year. For questions, further information or a link to the *Confidential Application for Dues and Tuition Reduction* form, please contact the President at president@templebethdavid.net or the Financial Secretary at finsec@templebethdavid.net. *All requests are confidential.*

* In subsequent years, members who received assistance in the prior fiscal year will be asked to indicate their current fiscal year needs using a link sent via email in May or June. Prompt response will ensure that the July 1 invoice properly reflects each member's annual commitment.

We are so glad you are part of our community.

Thank you for your support of Temple Beth David!