

B'nai Zion Congregation



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Applicant

Full Name: _____
Full Hebrew Name: _____
Birth Date, including year: _____ Cohen Levi Yisra'el
Employer: _____
Work Phone: _____

Spouse/Companion

Full Name: _____
Full Hebrew Name: _____
Birth Date, including year: _____
 Cohen Levi Yisra'el Non-Jewish
Employer: _____
Work Phone: _____
Wedding Anniversary, including year: _____

Home Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____
E-mail address: _____

Children Living at Home	
<input type="checkbox"/> All Children Jewish	
Name:	_____
Hebrew Name:	_____
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Jewish Birth Date: _____
Name:	_____
Hebrew Name:	_____
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Jewish Birth Date: _____
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Hebrew Name:	_____
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Jewish Birth Date: _____
Adult Children Living Away From Home	
Name:	_____
Spouse's Name:	_____
Name:	_____
Spouse's Name:	_____
Name:	_____
Spouse's Name:	_____
Name:	_____
Spouse's Name:	_____

Yahrzeits		
<i>*We can calculate the yahrzeit from the civil date of death. Please provide year of death, and indicate if death occurred after sundown by checking the box in the date field.</i>		
English Name	Hebrew Name	Yahrzeit Date*
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>

Participation	
What are the Jewish interests in the household?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Children's Activities
<input type="checkbox"/> Committee Work	<input type="checkbox"/> Kabbalat Shabbat Services
<input type="checkbox"/> Men's Club	<input type="checkbox"/> Shabbat Services
<input type="checkbox"/> Social Events	<input type="checkbox"/> United Synagogue Youth
<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer in Office	<input type="checkbox"/> Ways and Means
<input type="checkbox"/> Weekday Services	<input type="checkbox"/> Women's League
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chant Torah	<input type="checkbox"/> Read Hebrew
<input type="checkbox"/> Chant Haftarah	<input type="checkbox"/> Willing to teach in Religious School
<input type="checkbox"/> Lead services	<input type="checkbox"/> Teach adults (indicate subject):
<input type="checkbox"/> Deliver D'var Torah	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	

Membership Agreement	
If elected to membership, I agree to abide by all the Rules, Regulations, Constitution, and Bylaws of the Congregation, and I agree to pay the current annual dues of \$ _____ .	
I hereby enclose \$_____. Check # _____	
I wish to pay my dues on the following basis:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	<input type="checkbox"/> Quarterly <input type="checkbox"/> Semi-Annually <input type="checkbox"/> Annually
Signature: _____ Date: _____	

B'NAI ZION MEMBERSHIP DUES STRUCTURE – revised 6-2011

To be considered a member of B'nai Zion Congregation, you must be Jewish {mother is Jewish, or you have converted to Judaism with milah (*circumcision, for males only*) and tevilah (*ritual immersion, for both males and females*)}. Membership applications must be accompanied by a payment of dues, either in full or installment as indicated on the Membership agreement on page 3.

MEMBER PRIVILEGES

1. Seating at all times, including the High Holy Days
2. Receive all mailings (only privilege extended to Contributing Members)
3. Right to hold synagogue office and be a board member
4. Vote at membership meetings
5. Religious school enrollment and bar/bat mitzvah for Jewish children of members, adult education programs for parents
6. Burial privileges

High Holy Day Tickets (non-members): \$80/Single - \$105/Family

MEMBERSHIP FEE SCHEDULE

1. **General Membership:**
 - 9 Two or more Jewish members in household\$1795.00
 - 9 Two or more Jewish members in household all under age 33*\$897.50

 - 9 One Jewish member in household.....\$1145.00
 - 9 One Jewish member in household under age 33*\$572.50
2. **Dual Membership:** 50% of applicable general membership fee\$ _____
3. **Contributing Membership:** Minimum annual contribution of \$260\$ _____
4. **Non-Resident Membership**:** 50% of applicable general membership fee ..\$ _____

*The under 33 discount applies if all Jewish members of household are under 33 on July 1 of the Synagogue Year.
 **Eligible if every adult Jewish member of household (over 17 years of age) lives more than 100 miles from Chattanooga.

NOTES

1. All dues are subject to any increase voted by the Congregation.
2. New members who have purchased High Holy Days tickets may apply the amount paid to their first year's dues.
3. Cemetery plots are available to all members and may be reserved upon payment of the Eternal Care fee of \$800.
 If you join B'nai Zion before the age of 50, or have been a member for ten years, there is no charge for a plot other than the Eternal Care fee. If you join B'nai Zion after the age of 50, there is a plot charge of \$2750 in addition to the Eternal Care fee. The plot charge reduces to \$1000 after 5 years of membership, and is waived altogether after 10 years of membership.