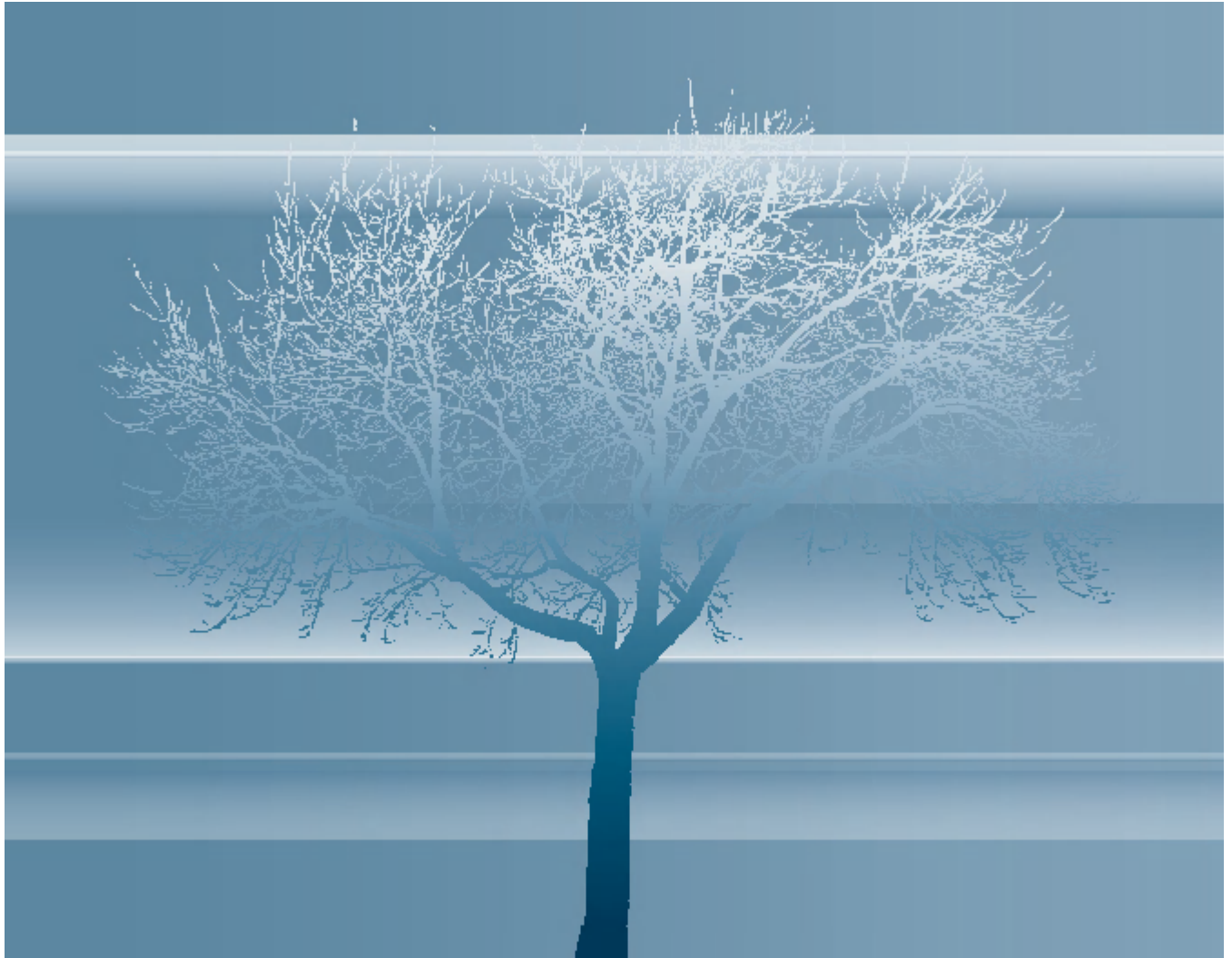


# The Village Temple 2008-2009



Membership Application  
Celebrating our 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

## Financial Policies

### 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary New Membership Initiative

Beginning June 1, 2008, we will be offering free membership for the 2008-9 year to the first 60 applicants who apply in honor of The Village Temple's 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary. All other fees, including the security assessment, and religious school tuition, if applicable, will apply. To qualify for this free one year membership program, applications must be signed and submitted and all other fees paid to The Village Temple office.

**MEMBERSHIP DUES** for the fiscal year 2008-2009 are as follows:

- Family (married couple/domestic partnership, with or without children) \$1,675
- Single Parent \$1,150
- Young Associate (ages 18-30) \$410
- Single (unmarried, divorced or widowed) \$960
- Out of town membership \$610

Village Temple memberships run from May 1 - April 30. Dues are payable in full for members joining from May 1 - December 31; members joining from January 1 - April 30 will be charged on a pro rata basis.

### SECURITY ASSESSMENT

- Family \$140
- Single Parent \$85
- Single \$75
- Young Associate \$30
- Out-of-Town \$45

### BUILDING FUND ASSESSMENT

\$1,500 payable over five years in \$300 annual increments: to start in the second year of membership

**RELIGIOUS SCHOOL** Registration fees for the fiscal year 2008-2009, payment due by August 1, 2008:

- Grades 1 through Grade 4 \$860
- Grades 5 through Grade 7 \$1,200
- Kindergarten \$670
- Pre-Kindergarten \$400
- Beit Midrash \$600
- B'nai Mitzvah Training Fee \$550
- Bim Bam Shabbat \$180
- Discount for siblings (each) \$75

Village Temple membership is required for enrollment in our Religious School. Religious school tuition is due by

August 1, 2008, unless a special arrangement has been agreed to by the Financial Secretary.

### VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

- Rabbi's Circle \$600—to underwrite membership dues for congregants who require assistance
- ARZA \$50—to support Reform Movement in Israel
- The Village Temple Sisterhood \$36—to support Sisterhood programming open to all

**SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS** - Requests for special arrangements must be submitted to the Financial Secretary. All individual dues arrangements will be approved in writing and will expire at the end of the fiscal year (April 30). Any information shared will be considered personal and confidential.

**HIGH HOLY DAY TICKETS** - A family membership unit will receive two tickets for the High Holy Days services. All children who are living at home may attend services without tickets. Single membership units will receive one ticket. High Holy Days tickets will only be distributed to members in good standing. Additional tickets are available through the Temple office.

**ALL MEMBERS ARE ENTITLED TO THE FOLLOWING SERVICES:**

- Weddings for members by Rabbi
- Baby naming or brit for babies of members by Rabbi
- Funerals for members, their parents or children by Rabbi
- Unveilings for members, their parents or children, when Rabbi's schedule permits
- Use of the Sanctuary for life-cycle events, with Rabbi's approval

# Application for Membership

Adult  Mr.  Ms.  Mrs.  Dr.

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Name	Name
Date of Birth	Date of Birth
Marital Status	Marital Status
Domestic Partnership	Domestic Partnership
Date of Anniversary	Date of Anniversary
Occupation	Occupation
Employer	Employer
City, State, Zip	City, State, Zip
Work Phone	Work Phone
E-mail	E-mail
Mobile	Mobile

Home Address	Apt.
City	State, Zip
Home Phone	Home Fax

## Children (living with you)

Name	Date of Birth
Name	Date of Birth
Name	Date of Birth
Name	Date of Birth

## Yiskor Information

Name	Date of Death
Name	Date of Death
Name	Date of Death
Name	Date of Death

# The Village Temple 2008-2009

## Brit Kehillah *Covenant of Community*

In the spirit of Abraham, whose covenant with the Eternal One was based on mutual respect and partnership, we welcome you to The Village Temple *Congregation B'nai Israel*. We take our obligation to you with the utmost seriousness and dedication and pledge that we will welcome you with open hearts and minds, will listen and communicate, and will provide you with weekly, holiday and High Holy Day services that are within the tradition of Reform Judaism and yet cutting edge. Please know that you are joining a congregation that is committed to education, social action and spiritual growth.

In celebration of The Village Temple's 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, we have waived the membership fee for this first year and we ask that you come to our partnership with the following understandings:

Congregational obligation & participation. You agree to attend at least 3 Shabbat services, 1 Synaplex Shabbat event and a small group orientation meeting with the Rabbi and Cantor during the 2008-2009 membership year.

Financial obligations. In subsequent years, you agree to pay annual membership dues (subject to annual increase as determined by the Temple congregation) before Rosh Hashanah to guarantee timely distribution of High Holy Days service tickets.

You agree to participate in The Village Temple Building Fund for a total of \$1,500. (To be billed in five \$300 increments over five years starting with the second year of membership.)

You understand that if you or your child(ren) plan to become Bar/Bat Mitzvah or Confirmed at The Village Temple, you will have paid all financial obligations (including dues, religious school tuition and the entire Building Fund assessment) no later than two months before the scheduled date of the Bar/Bat Mitzvah or Confirmation.

You understand that neither the Financial Secretary nor the Board of Trustees is authorized to decrease or waive a congregant's Building Fund obligation.

We are honored that you have chosen The Village Temple to be your spiritual home.

I understand and agree to the terms above.

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New Member	Co-Member	Date
Don Kent or Sari Scheer, Co-President		Date

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