



Information About Your Membership

Membership Categories and Benefits

We aspire to make Temple membership accessible for all who wish to join. A variety of membership options and payment plans are available, and special arrangements can be made for individuals or families who may need financial assistance. Please call the Membership Department for more information at (213) 388-2401.

Your Membership Benefits

In addition to knowing you're part of a congregation with history, values and tradition, your membership includes:

Standard Membership Benefits

- Temple rabbis available for your personal and life-cycle needs
- High Holy Day and Shabbat services
- Invitations to all Temple events and holiday celebrations
- A regular offering of adult classes, support groups and cultural programs
- Educational and youth activities for children (Religious School has an additional fee)
- Member discount at Wilshire Boulevard Temple Camps
- Name on Temple roster board in the Main Sanctuary
- Membership in the Association of Reform Zionists of America (ARZA)/World Union of Progressive Judaism
- Subscription to Temple Bulletin and *Reform Judaism* magazine

Sustaining Membership Benefits:

- All the benefits of Standard Membership
- Reserved adult seating in the Sanctuary for High Holy Day services

Young Adult Membership (ages 23-32)

- Designed as a starter membership for young people who are establishing themselves and may have a limited income, the Young Adult Membership is available to those between the ages of 23 and 32 who do not have children in our schools or parenting centers.
- All benefits of Standard Membership
- Invitation to Young Professional activities and programs (ages 21-39)

Wilshire Boulevard Temple Donor Circle

Helping Support Membership for All

And everyone who excelled in ability and everyone whose spirit moved him came, bringing to Adonai his offering for the work of the Tent of Meeting and for all its service and for the sacral vestments. Men and women, all whose hearts moved them, all who would make an elevation offering of gold to Adonai, came ...

— Exodus 35:20-22

From our earliest days, we Jews have understood that our very survival meant interdependence and the support we give as individuals to our community.

For this reason, we hope your spirit is moved to consider becoming a member of our Donor Circle as your gesture of support of for inclusive membership policy. More than one-third of our congregants require subsidies to make possible their membership and Religious School education for their children. This special assistance is always handled with the utmost discretion, and recipients are welcomed with full membership benefits.

The Donor Circle is a committed group of Temple members whose generosity makes membership in our congregation affordable for all Jews, regardless of financial ability. Recognizing that a strong Jewish community requires resources to thrive, these members ensure the long-term vitality of Wilshire Boulevard Temple and *Klal Yisrael*.

The additional contributions received through the Donor Circle program also help fund our expanding educational, worship and cultural programs. Along with your Temple membership contribution, these gifts are tax deductible.

Donor Circle Members are recognized as follows:

Pillar Members

(Annual Commitment + \$1000)

- Listed on Donor Circle roster in the Main Sanctuary
- Invited to annual reception of Donor Circle members
- Asked to sit on the bimah for a Shabbat or High Holy Day service
- Receive a gift of a Jewish Book-of-the-Year
- Receive five free tributes or memorials in the Temple Bulletin

Torah Members

(Annual Commitment + \$1800)

- All benefits of Pillar members
- May request reserved seating at any High Holy Day service
- May request one guest High Holy Day ticket
- Reserved parking in an adjacent parking lot for High Holy Days

Avodah Members

(Annual Commitment + \$3600)

- All benefits of Pillar and Torah members
- May request two guest High Holy Day tickets
- Receive 10 free tributes or memorials in the Temple Bulletin

G'milut Chasadim Members

(Annual Commitment + \$5400)

- All benefits of Pillar, Torah and Avodah members
- May request three guest High Holy Day tickets
- Receive 15 free tributes or memorials in the Temple Bulletin
- Special group dinner for G'milut Chasadim members with one of our Clergy.

All Donor Circle members are invited to attend non-fundraising programs and presentations at no cost. Please indicate Donor Circle membership when you RSVP.

Dues Structure and Explanation of Fees – Membership Year 2009/10

Dues Level	Annual Contribution	Facilities Fund*	New Member Fee**	TOTAL	Donor Circle TOTALS
Standard 1 <i>(Single Adult)</i>	\$1000	\$100	\$150	\$1250	Pillar: \$2250 Torah: \$3050 Avodah: \$4850 G'milut Chasadim: \$6650
Standard 2 <i>(Couple)</i>	\$2000	\$200	\$300	\$2500	Pillar: \$3500 Torah: \$4300 Avodah: \$6100 G'milut Chasadim: \$7900
Sustaining 1 <i>(Single Adult)</i>	\$1325	\$100	\$150	\$1575	Pillar: \$2575 Torah: \$3375 Avodah: \$5175 G'milut Chasadim: \$6975
Sustaining 2 <i>(Couple)</i>	\$2650	\$200	\$300	\$3150	Pillar: \$4150 Torah: \$4950 Avodah: \$6750 G'milut Chasadim: \$8550
Young 1 <i>(23-32 Single)</i>	\$385	Included	Included	\$385	
Young 2 <i>(23-32 Couple)</i>	\$770	Included	Included	\$770	

*Facilities Fund is \$100 per adult High Holy Day ticket per year.

**New Member Fee is \$750 per adult; payable over five years.

Religious School/Center for Learning & Engagement Fees

	Grade	Fee
Religious School/CLE	K	\$675
	1 – 12	\$795
One-time Bar/Bat Mitzvah fee		\$1500



Membership Information Form 09/10

Welcome to Wilshire Boulevard Temple. **Please return this form, a family photo and payment to the Membership Department in the enclosed envelope.** These pictures are for office use only and will not be published.

Personal Information *Please print clearly and use black or blue ink*

	Adult 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Adult 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Full name (Please include middle name or initial)	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs. <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ _____ First Middle Last	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs. <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ _____ First Middle Last
Preferred name (Steve for Steven)		
Personal status	<input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married (Date) _____/_____/_____ <input type="checkbox"/> Partnered <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Hebrew name (if known)		
Date of birth		
Birthplace		
Mother's full name		
Father's full name		
Years living in Los Angeles		
Alumni of Camp Hess Kramer or Gindling Hilltop Camp	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Years camper: _____ Staff _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Years camper: _____ Staff _____
Education Highest level completed	<input type="checkbox"/> High School <input type="checkbox"/> Some College <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelors <input type="checkbox"/> Masters <input type="checkbox"/> Doctorate <input type="checkbox"/> Professional School <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/> High School <input type="checkbox"/> Some College <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelors <input type="checkbox"/> Masters <input type="checkbox"/> Doctorate <input type="checkbox"/> Professional School <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Name of college attended	College _____ Grad. School _____	College _____ Grad. School _____
Religious background in which you were raised	<input type="checkbox"/> Reform <input type="checkbox"/> Conservative <input type="checkbox"/> Orthodox <input type="checkbox"/> Jewish Unaffiliated <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Reform <input type="checkbox"/> Conservative <input type="checkbox"/> Orthodox <input type="checkbox"/> Jewish Unaffiliated <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Most recent or current congregational affiliation/date of membership		

Contact Information

How would you like your name(s) to appear on Temple mailings?

Name(s): _____

Home address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Adult 1 cell: (____) _____ Adult 1 e-mail: _____

Fax: (____) _____ Adult 2 cell: (____) _____ Adult 2 e-mail: _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

CC: _____

Mem. No: _____ Mem Type: _____ Seating: _____ AC: _____ FF: _____ NMF: _____

Business Information

	Adult 1	Adult 2
Occupation/profession		
Specialization		
Position/title		
Firm/company name		
Address		
City, State ZIP code		
Business phone		
Business fax		
Business e-mail		

Referral Information

How did you hear about us?	Reason for joining (check all that apply)
<input type="checkbox"/> Referred by: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Website <input type="checkbox"/> Jewish publication: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Live in neighborhood <input type="checkbox"/> Signage on property <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Children in: (Circle all that apply) Nursery School, Day School, Religious School, B'nei Mitzvah, Teen Program, Camps <input type="checkbox"/> Worship service <input type="checkbox"/> Adult learning <input type="checkbox"/> New to area <input type="checkbox"/> Community <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____

Friends and Relatives Information

Please list any close friends or relatives who are members of the Wilshire Boulevard Temple community and their relationship to you (i.e. Sarah Cohen/Ben's Cousin)

Name	Relationship

Yahrzeit Information

Please list those immediate family Members whose Yahrzeit (anniversary of death) you would like us to remember.

Name	Date of Death (secular date)	Relationship
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We would like to observe the Secular date Hebrew date (please check one)

Children's Information

Children 18-years-old and younger are included in your membership.

	Child 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Child 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Child 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Child 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
First and middle name				
Last name				
Preferred name (Steve for Steven)				
Hebrew name (if known)				
Current grade in school				
Name of school				
Birth date (month, day, year)				
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:				
CHILD ID				

If you have more than four children, please copy this page and attach additional sheet.

Interest and Involvement Information

Please check the boxes of programs about which you would like more information. Please denote 1 for Adult 1 and 2 for Adult 2.

1	2	1	2
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adult Education (courses, lectures, retreats...)		Mann Family Early Childhood Center (Irmis Campus--West Los Angeles)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B'nei Mitzvah		Religious School	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Brawerman Elementary School (K-6)		Social Action and/or Community Service (interfaith programs, food pantry...)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Camp Alumni Programs		Volunteer Work at Temple (ushering at services, serving on a committee)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cultural Programming in the Arts (performances, programs, classes...)		Wilshire Boulevard Temple Camps (sleepover campers entering 3 rd - 10 th grades)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chaver Program (congregants reaching out to others in times of need or celebration)		Young Professionals Programs - "theblvd" (events for couples, singles, 21 - 39)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Israel/Diaspora (educational programs, travel opportunities)			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Erika J. Glazer Early Childhood Center (Temple Campus)			

Other organizations in which you are involved:

We welcome any comments regarding special interests or needs you may have: _____

Would you like us to arrange a personal meeting with one of our rabbis? Yes No

Dues Structure and Explanation of Fees — Membership Year June 1, 2009 - May 31, 2010

Please check the box next to the membership level of your choice.

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<input type="checkbox"/> Standard 1 (Single Adult)	\$1000	\$100	\$150	\$1250	<input type="checkbox"/> Pillar: \$2250 <input type="checkbox"/> Torah: \$3050	<input type="checkbox"/> Avodah: \$4850 <input type="checkbox"/> G'milut Chasadim: \$6650
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- Minimum payment of 25% of your total balance is necessary to process your application.
- Minimum 50% of total balance is due by the High Holy Days. Full payment of total balance is due by December 31 unless other arrangements have been made. *Religious school requires separate application & payment.*
- Beginning November we will prorate member dues. Call the Membership Department for more information.
- Your Membership Contribution is TAX DEDUCTIBLE and NON REFUNDABLE

Payment Information

Enclosed is my check payable to Wilshire Boulevard Temple (If you make partial payment by check, a credit card processing fee will be added to your billing statement. If you continue to pay by check, once you are at a zero balance, the cc processing fee will be reversed.)

Please charge \$ _____ plus a **\$50 credit card processing fee** for a total of \$ _____ to my:

Visa Master Card Discover

Card Number _____ Exp Date _____ Billing ZIP _____

Name on Card _____ 3 digit CVV code (from back of card) _____

Release for Use of Likeness

For valuable consideration, I hereby irrevocably grant Wilshire Boulevard Temple permission to use, in perpetuity, without compensation, my likeness in photographic or other form in any and all of its publications, and in any and all other media, whether now or hereafter existing, controlled, created, arranged, published, disseminated or utilized (collectively, "Published") by Wilshire Boulevard Temple or its licensees. I hereby release Wilshire Boulevard Temple from any and all rights, claims, actions, causes of action, damages, and other liability whatsoever; including, without limitation, any right of privacy, right of publicity, or any intellectual property rights (collectively, "Claims") that I may have or that may otherwise arise out of the use of my likeness.

For valuable consideration, I hereby irrevocably grant Wilshire Boulevard Temple permission to use, in perpetuity, without compensation, the likeness of my minor child(ren), identified in this application, in photographic or other form in any and all of its publications, and in any and all other media, whether now known or hereafter existing, Published by Wilshire Boulevard Temple or its licensees. I hereby release Wilshire Boulevard Temple from any and all Claims that they may have or that may otherwise arise out of the use of such likeness(es). I hereby represent that I am the parent or legal guardian of such child(ren) and have the full right and authority to act on their behalf and bind them.

Signed (Adult 1) _____ Date: _____

Signed (Adult 2) _____ Date: _____

Please exclude my child(ren), listed below, from the Release of Likeness (If you have more than three minor children, please copy this page and attach)

Name(s) of children: _____ Do not use photo likeness Do not use name
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