

Temple Emanuel Lakeland



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Membership is extended to men and women of good moral character at least 18 years of age. A non-Jewish member is considered a Supporting Member and has a voice but no vote at Congregational meetings and may not hold office. Family Membership is open to married couples or cohabitating partners with or without children.

DATE OF APPLICATION: _____

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| Member 1 Name (LAST, FIRST) | Member 2 Name (spouse/ partner) (LAST, FIRST) |
| Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year) | Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year) |
| Mobile Phone | Mobile Phone |
| Home Address | |
| Home Telephone <input type="checkbox"/> Check if None | |
| EMAIL | EMAIL |
| Wedding Anniversary (Month/Day/Year or N/A) | |
| Occupation | Occupation |
| Workplace | Workplace |
| Hebrew Name* | Hebrew Name* |
| Father's Hebrew Name* | Father's Hebrew Name* |
| Mother's Hebrew Name* | Mother's Hebrew Name* |

****Please print all Hebrew names in English transliteration.***

Member 1 Name: _____

RELIGIOUS STATUS

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| Member 1 Religious Lineage <input type="checkbox"/> Kohen <input type="checkbox"/> Levi <input type="checkbox"/> Yisrael <input type="checkbox"/> Not born to Jewish mother | Member 2 Religious Lineage <input type="checkbox"/> Kohen <input type="checkbox"/> Levi <input type="checkbox"/> Yisrael <input type="checkbox"/> Not born to Jewish mother |
| Date of Conversion <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable | Date of Conversion <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable |
| Name of Officiating Rabbi | Name of Officiating Rabbi |
| Conversion Synagogue & Affiliation | Conversion Synagogue & Affiliation |
| Conversion Synagogue Address | Conversion Synagogue Address |

DEPENDENT CHILDREN

**Please print all Hebrew names in English transliteration. Add additional sheet as needed.*

| | Child 1 | Child 2 | Child 3 |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Name (LAST, FIRST) | | | |
| Hebrew Name* | | | |
| Date of Birth | | | |
| Will Child Attend Sunday School? | | | |
| Bar/ Bat Mitzvah Date | | | |
| Conversion Date | | | |
| Conversion – Where and By Whom | | | |

Yahrzeit Dates

**Please print all Hebrew names in English transliteration. Add additional sheet as needed.*

| Relationship | Name (LAST, FIRST) | Hebrew Name* | Date of Death | Before or After Sunset? |
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Please contact the Temple office if you are interested in purchasing a Memorial Plaque on the sanctuary wall.

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| <u>FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY</u> | | |
| Membership Committee: | Approved: Yes / No | Date: |
| Spiritual Leader: | Approved: Yes / No | Date: |
| Temple Board Review: | Approved: Yes / No | Date: |

Member 1 Name: _____

| GENERAL MEMBERSHIP FEES | | |
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| Mark the category that applies. The age category is defined by the oldest member applicant. | | |
| UNDER AGE 30 | AGE 30 TO 69 | AGE 70 AND OLDER |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Single, no children \$720 annually | <input type="checkbox"/> Single, no dependent children \$1080 annually | <input type="checkbox"/> Single, no children \$960 annually |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Couple/ Family \$1080 annually | <input type="checkbox"/> Couple/ Family \$1440 annually | <input type="checkbox"/> Couple/ Family \$1200 annually |

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP is limited to those who are part-time residents in the greater Lakeland area and maintain a primary paid-up membership in another synagogue. Associate Membership fees are ONE HALF of the respective categories above. *Associate members have voice but no vote at congregational meetings and may not hold office in the congregation.*

I/ WE are not able to pay the minimum dues listed.
Please send a confidential letter with the application to request individual consideration.

| MEMBERSHIP COMMITMENT | |
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| Dues are on a fiscal year basis, July 1 through June 30 | |
| My/ Our annual dues will be: Dues are pro-rated for the first year of membership and the amount due will appear in your monthly statement. | \$ |
| Security Assessment: \$200 This annual fee is used to hire law enforcement officers to protect people attending Temple religious services, scheduled events, and Sunday School. | \$ |
| Building Fund \$100 per year for the first six (6) years: A one-time commitment of \$600, payable over six years, shall be assessed on all new members. Associate Member commitment is \$300, payable over six years. <i>Please indicate the amount you will pay at this time.</i> | \$ |
| Amount Paid with Application: | \$ |

CHECK here if you plan to pay monthly. All dues and charges on Temple accounts must be paid in full by April 30 each year to remain a member in good standing.

By signing this membership application, I/ We attest that the information provided is true.

I/ We agree to abide by the By-Laws of Temple Emanuel, Lakeland, Florida. I/ We further agree to assume all proper financial obligations of dues, pledges, assessments, and school tuition, as properly assessed by Temple Emanuel, Inc. of Lakeland, Florida.

Signature, Member 1 Date:

Signature, Member 2 Date:

Member 1 Name: _____

ADDITIONAL SPACE/ USE AS NEEDED

DEPENDENT CHILDREN

**Please print all Hebrew names in English transliteration. Add additional sheet as needed.*

| | Child 4 | Child 5 | Child 6 |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Name (LAST, FIRST) | | | |
| Hebrew Name* | | | |
| Date of Birth | | | |
| Will Child Attend Sunday School? | | | |
| Bar/ Bat Mitzvah Date | | | |
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AREAS OF INTEREST / VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Temple Emanuel thrives on the volunteer work of our members. Below is a list of the standing committees. Please mark all areas of interest where you are willing to volunteer your valuable time.

- Archives
 - Preserves the historical heritage of the synagogue and the Jewish community of Lakeland and Polk County.
- Budget and Finance
 - Prepares the annual budget under the leadership of the elected Treasurer.
- Building and Grounds
 - Responsible for the physical maintenance of building and grounds, including interactions with the Temple caretakers and hired contractors.
- Catering and Rental
 - Proposes the rules and rental fees for use of the Temple facilities for social, religious, or organizational activities.
- Cemetery
 - Maintains an accounting of cemetery plots and Memorial tablets and plaques. Assures proper maintenance of the cemetery grounds. Periodically reviews the rules and fees for cemetery operations and makes recommendations for Board approval.
- Development, Bequests, and Investments
 - Explores non-dues avenues to provide a continued long-term financial security for the Temple. Committee structure and operation is delineated in the Temple By-Laws.
- Honorarium and Memorial
 - Seeks donations that remember the departed or honor the living through named dedication of tangible, permanent items.
- Marketing
 - Develops strategies that promote member involvement and investment. Crafts the Temple marketing message and works to attract new members. Sets branding guidelines for all Temple communications.
- Membership
 - Develops programs to attract eligible members. Welcomes new members.
- Planning
 - Recommends to the Board long-term goals for the Temple, such as building expansion, financing, religious direction, educational goals, and professional staff.
- Religious School
 - Works with the Spiritual leader to plan the curriculum and administrate the activities of the Religious School. Plans the yearly school budget and recommends a fee schedule to the Board.
- Ritual
 - Works with the Spiritual leader to plan all religious functions and makes recommendations to the Board for purchase of religious items.
- Social
 - Develops and implements a year-round program of activities aimed at furthering fellowship and social interaction among congregants.
- Ways and Means
 - Proposes a set of standards for fund-raising appropriate for the Temple.
- Welfare and Visitation
 - In cooperation with the Spiritual leader, focuses on creating closer friendship and harmony within the membership, particularly on occasions of joy, sorrow, and illness among congregants.
- Youth Activities
 - Supervises the activities of the Temple youth organization(s).

Member 1 Name: _____

VOLUNTARY GIVING OPPORTUNITIES

<https://templeemanuellakeland.com/ways-to-give/>

Voluntary donations above your dues level are welcome at any time and help Temple Emanuel do more to support Jewish life in Polk County. Below is a list of existing accounts that you may wish to support.

Temple Emanuel is registered as a 501(c)(3) organization. All contributions are tax deductible. Make checks payable to: Temple Emanuel and mail to 600 Lake Hollingsworth Drive, Lakeland FL 33803 or drop it in the lock box outside the office door.

If you would like to contribute *In Honor Of* or *In Memory Of* someone, please call the Temple Emanuel office at (863) 682-8616 or send an email to office@TempleEmanuelLakeland.com

- ❖ Keeper of the Flame Endowment
 - *Keeper*: \$5,000 and above
 - *Guardian*: \$2,500 - \$4,999
 - *Protector*: \$1,500 - \$2,499
 - *Builder*: \$1,000 - \$1,500
 - *Sustainer*: \$500 - \$999

- ❖ Building Fund
- ❖ Cemetery Fund
- ❖ Charity Fund
- ❖ Kitchen Equipment Fund
- ❖ Oneg/Kiddush Fund
- ❖ Prayer Book Fund (minimum \$36)
- ❖ Rabbi's Discretionary Fund
- ❖ Religious School Fund
- ❖ Temple General Fund
- ❖ Trees Planted in Israel (minimum \$18)
- ❖ USY/Kadima Fund
- ❖ USY Scholarship Fund