



Welcome to Chevrei Tzedek (Friends of Justice).
 We are a participatory and egalitarian Jewish community.
 And we are thrilled that you are here!

Adult Member #1	Name _____ Pronouns _____ Hebrew name* (if known) _____ Home address _____ City, State, Zip _____ Email address _____ Cell phone _____ Home phone _____ If married, date of marriage _____ Yahrzeits _____
Adult Member #2 (if applicable)	Name _____ Pronouns _____ Hebrew name* (if known) _____ Home address _____ City, State, Zip _____ Email address _____ Cell phone _____ Home phone _____ If married, date of marriage _____ Yahrzeits _____

* For Hebrew name, include any known Hebrew / Yiddish elements: [First and middle name] + [ben / bat / mibeit] + [Parent 1 Hebrew name] + [Parent 2 Hebrew name]. ben = son of; bat = daughter of; mibeit = child of

Child #1	Name _____ Pronouns _____ Hebrew name _____ Birth month/year _____ Current school _____ Current grade _____ Religious education background / year enrolled _____
Child #2	Name _____ Pronouns _____ Hebrew name _____ Birth month/year _____ Current school _____ Current grade _____ Religious education background / year enrolled _____

Please feel free to attach additional sheets as needed.

Feel free to share a bit about yourself and, if applicable, your family. You can share your occupation(s), upbringing, important life experiences (Jewish or not), and/or what you hope to get from and contribute to this community. Art is welcome, too. You may attach extra pages if you like.

In the coming months, please expect a call from our rabbi and a call from a congregant to welcome you and get to know you! You can also reach us at 443-992-7485 or membership@chevrei.org. And please continue to the next page...

Annual Membership Commitments

Our committees form the ritual, programmatic, and administrative backbone of Chevrei Tzedek. Our committees build community and help us keep costs low. Within your first 6 to 12 months, we ask you to join a committee. You will meet other members as you show up in your own way for our congregation. Please check out [this page of committee descriptions](#) and indicate which committee(s) is/are of interest to you.

- Social Action Committee
- Finance & Fundraising Committee
- Youth Committee
- Communications Committee
- Ritual Committee
- Adult Education & Cultural Programming Committee
- Israel Action Committee
- Membership Committee
- Chesed (life cycle support) Committee

Financial Commitment

Our Full Membership Sustainer Dues for July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025 are \$958 per adult member. If each adult member paid \$958 this year, our projected income would equal our projected expenses. Your household may have the ability to pay more or pay less. We encourage your generosity as you use the table below to determine your per-adult annual membership dues. The Sustainer amount, and your dues payment, may vary year to year.

Amount PER ADULT	Tier
\$1,500 and above	Altruist
\$959 to \$1,499	Benefactor
\$958	Sustainer
\$551 to \$957	Supporter
\$200 to \$550	Contributor
\$360**	Associate**

- Our policy is that every member pays at least \$200 annually. If this amount is beyond your means, please contact our Treasurer at treasurer@chevrei.org for a confidential discussion.
- **Associate memberships are \$360 per person and do NOT include High Holidays tickets or voting rights. But we offer full reciprocity for High Holiday tickets if you are a member of another [USCJ](#) (Conservative) congregation. If you are a member of any other synagogue and wish to formally affiliate with Chevrei Tzedek, please join us as an Associate Member!

Name of Adult #1 _____ Amount \$ _____ +

Name of Adult #2 _____ Amount \$ _____ =

Total for householdAmount \$ _____.

Please indicate your payment plan:

- I will pay my commitment in one lump sum no later than September 1, 2024.
- I will pay in quarterly installments (August 2024, Dec 2024, March 2025, and June 2025).
- I will pay monthly installments beginning in July 2024.
- Other payment schedule _____

You may pay via check, or [Paypal](#) (no account needed, but Chevrei Tzedek incurs a fee), or [PayPal Giving Fund](#) (this is preferred: you must have a PayPal account, but there is no fee!).

Please read, sign, and date.

1. I / We agree to contribute annual membership dues as they are set each year.
2. I / We agree to abide by the policies of Chevrei Tzedek as established by its members and Coordinating Committee, and by the religious practices within the congregation as defined by the Rabbi, the Chevrei Tzedek Ritual Committee, and the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism (USCJ).
3. I / We understand that Chevrei Tzedek is a congregation that relies on the volunteer involvement of each member. I / we agree to sponsor kiddush once per year and to take on volunteer role(s) that contribute to the flourishing of this community.

Signature	Date
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Please return this form via email to Membership@chevrei.org and/or to

Chevrei Tzedek Congregation
Attention: Treasurer
3101 Fallstaff Road
Baltimore, MD 21209