Membership Application

and

Family Census

Temple Dor Dorim

Throughout The Generations

Rabbi Norman S. Lipson , D.D.
Iris Kauffman - Temple President
Howard Chess - Executive Director

We are pleased you have chosen to join Temple Dor Dorim.
To further your involvement in the life of the congregation,
we ask you to carefully complete this Membership Application Packet.

Our Mission: Temple Dor Dorim shall foster the tenets and purposes of Reform Judaism with a responsibility to community, the Jewish people and the State of Israel. The Temple shall provide a house of worship for teaching, congregating, studying of Torah and perpetuation of the Jewish religion, its heritage and values - Throughout the Generations.

The information you share with us will be treated with complete confidentiality.

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History of Temple Dor Dorim

In March 1996 a dream became realized when the Reform Congregation of Weston was incorporated with Rabbi Norman Lipson as founding Rabbi and Scott Pestcoe as first President. Our synagogue began its rapid and unprecedented growth from its beginning with eight families to today, sixteen years later, with approximately 600 families. A formal name for the Temple was chosen by the congregation through a long selection process to reflect its philosophy of inclusion, love of tradition and creativity. A phrase from the Book of Isaiah 51:8b was chosen:

"My righteousness shall be forever and My salvation throughout the generations."

Temple Dor Dorim (throughout the generations) began a new chapter in its young life.

After holding worship services at various locations throughout Weston in builders' spec homes, Weston Hills Country Club, Weston Community Center and city parks, we rented space in the Shoppes of Indian Trace where we held worship services for Shabbat, holidays, religious school and many Temple functions. The phrase, "Temple Family" is often used by synagogues to describe its environment; at Temple Dor Dorim we incorporate that phrase with authenticity by actively developing a caring and open home for all. As a Reform congregation affiliated with the Union of Reform Judaism (URJ) since 1998, we have been fortunate to be able to expand our programs, educational classes, life-cycle celebration and Jewish awareness to a level commensurate with our ever increasing numbers.

Under the leadership of our past presidents; Scott Pestcoe, Lisa Bennett, Ed Sternlieb, Michelle Gold, Adam Zipper and our current President Iris Kauffman, our congregation has moved from it's humble beginnings in a storefront into our permanent home which houses our administrative offices, Early Childhood Center, Religious School and Youth Lounge. With the hard work and generosity of our congregants, we have completed Phase II of our building plan, which consists of our Social Hall, Atrium, Library and Rabbi's Study. We look forward to entering Phase III during which we will complete our building process with the construction of our sanctuary.

Consistent with our name, youth groups were established from the very beginning for every child, from birth through high school. Sisterhood, Brotherhood and Empty Nesters groups were also established to provide our adult members with opportunities to become involved in the Temple through organized programs and community and social services.

Within its permanent home at 2360 Glades Circle, Temple Dor Dorim looks forward to fulfilling the teachings of God and Torah with all its heart, soul and might, Throughout the Generations.

Dues 2012-2013

Family Membership	$ 1,985.00
Single with child(ren)	$ 1,425.00
Single	$ 1,425.00
Senior Married (over 65)	$ 1,165.00**
Senior Single (over 65)	$ 775.00**
Young Family (30 & under)	$ 785.00*
Young Single (30 & under)	$ 400.00*
Snow Bird Married	$ 600.00*
Snow Bird Single	$ 350.00*

Optional Dues Levels

Membership dues cover only a portion of our Temple's expenses. Please consider taking part in our Enhanced Annual Membership Program.

Kochavim (Star)	$10,000.00
Orot (Light)	$5,400.00
Kaovd (Honor)	$3,600.00
Simcha (Joy)	$1,800.00
Tsofim (Visionaries)	$1,000.00
Bonim (Builders)	$ 540.00

Building Fund

Our Building Fund is $3,000. You may elect to pay the Building Fund in full at $2,500 or over five years payable at $600 per year.

* *Only available to members who do not require Early Childhood or Religious School.*
** *Senior Family and/or Senior Single are not required to pay Building Fund*

Family Information

Family Last Name:_____ Date Completed:_____

Home Address:_____ Home Phone:_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____ Cell Phone: #1_____ (Name)_____

E-Mail Address Home:_____ Cell Phone: #2_____(Name)_____

E-Mail Address (Secondary)_____

- How did you hear about Temple Dor Dorim?_____
- Are you related to any current Temple members?

  __Yes __No (If yes, please specify family/relationship)_____
- Are you currently a member of another Synagogue?

  __Yes __ No (If yes, please name congregation) _____
- Have you ever affiliated with another Synagogue?

  __Yes __ No (If yes, please name congregation)_____
- What aspect of the Temple is most significant to you and your family?_____

  _____
- Do You have Civic/Community Affilations? (If yes, indicate which) _____

Jewish Education Adult 1 Name:_____

Afternoon School: __yes __ no
Day School: __yes __ no
Confirmation: __yes __ no
Bar/Bat Mitzvah: __yes __ no Date: ____

Jewish Literacy

Do you read Hebrew?
__Not at All __Moderately __Very Well
Do you speak Hebrew?
__Not at All __Moderately __Very Well
Do you chant Torah/Haftorah?
__Not at All __Moderately __Very Well
Can you lead services?
__ Morning __ Evening __ Other

Jewish Education Adult 2 Name:_____

Afternoon School: __yes __ no
Day School: __yes __ no
Confirmation: __yes __ no
Bar/Bat Mitzvah: __yes __ no Date: ____

Jewish Literacy

Do you read Hebrew?
__Not at All __Moderately __Very Well
Do you speak Hebrew?
__Not at All __Moderately __Very Well
Do you chant Torah/Haftorah?
__Not at All __Moderately __Very Well
Can you lead services?
__ Morning __ Evening __ Other

We understand that by completing and submitting this membership application to the Temple we will abide by the bylaws of the Temple: that this application must be approved by the Rabbi and the Board of Trustees prior to acceptance: that we understand and agree to the dues. **We acknowledge that we were in good standing when we left the prior congregation that we were affiliated**.

Signature_____ Date_____

Signature_____ Date_____

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Individual Information

Adult 1

Title: __Dr. __Mr. __Mrs. __Ms.

First Name: _____

Hebrew Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Last 4 digits of SS #: _____

Blood Type _____

Marital Status:

__Single__Married__Widowed __Divorced- (date:_____)

Date of Anniversary:_____

Occupation:_____

Employer:_____

Business Address:_____

_____

Business Phone: _____

Fax:_____

E-Mail:_____

Please check approporiate religious background:

__ Conservative __ Orthodox
__ Reform __ Reconstructionist
__ No Affiliation __ Other (please explain)

Adult 2

Title: __Dr. __Mr. __Mrs. __Ms.

First Name: _____

Hebrew Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Social Security #: _____

Blood Type _____

Marital Status:

__Single__Married__Widowed __Divorced- (date:_____)

Date of Anniversary:_____

Occupation:_____

Employer:_____

Business Address:_____

_____

Business Phone: _____

Fax:_____

E-Mail:_____

Please check approporiate religious background:

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__ No Affiliation __ Other (please explain)

Yahrzeit Information

Name: _____
Relationship: _____
Secular date of death: _____
Hebrew date of death: _____
I observe the ____ secular date ____ Hebrew date

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Dependent Information

Child 1	Child 2	Child 3
_____	_____	_____
First Name:	First Name:	First Name:
_____	_____	_____
Middle Name:	Middle Name:	Middle Name:
_____	_____	_____
Last Name:	Last Name:	Last Name:
_____	_____	_____
Hebrew Name:	Hebrew Name:	Hebrew Name:
_____	_____	_____
Date of Birth: Age:	Date of Birth: Age:	Date of Birth: Age:
_____	_____	_____
Sex : __ Male __Female	Sex : __ Male __Female	Sex : __ Male __Female
Does child live with both parents?____	Does child live with both parents?____	Does child live with both parents?____
Child's address if different from parent:	Child's address if different from parent:	Child's address if different from parent:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
College Name & Address:	College Name & Address:	College Name & Address:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
Pre School Attendance:	Pre School Attendance:	Pre School Attendance:
__Attended __ Attending	__Attended __ Attending	__Attended __ Attending
__ Will Attend	__ Will Attend	__ Will Attend
Religious School Education:	Religious School Education:	Religious School Education:
__Attended __ Attending	__Attended __ Attending	__Attended __ Attending
__ Will Attend	__ Will Attend	__ Will Attend
Religious School Grade Level:	Religious School Grade Level:	Religious School Grade Level:
__ Elementary __ High School	__ Elementary __ High School	__ Elementary __ High School
__ Confirmation __ Youth Group	__ Confirmation __ Youth Group	__ Confirmation __ Youth Group
Bar/Bat Mitzvah ___ Yes ___ No	Bar/Bat Mitzvah ___ Yes ___ No	Bar/Bat Mitzvah ___ Yes ___ No
Confirmation ___ Yes ___ No	Confirmation ___ Yes ___ No	Confirmation ___ Yes ___ No
_____	_____	_____
Secular School Name	Secular School Name	Secular School Name
_____	_____	_____
Grade	Grade	Grade

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