

Kehillat Yedidya Membership Dues – 2020-2021

	Family	Single ¹	New Members (per year for the 1 st two years) and members 70+		Fulltime student or soldier	Lone soldier
			Family	Single ¹		
Until 14.9	1260	630	950	475	250	0
After 14.9	1360	680	1050	525	300	0

¹ Including single head of households

Membership application form – There have been changes in the instructions and the membership form, so please take the time to read the form and fill it out carefully. **In order to qualify for the discount you must ensure that your payments, accompanied by the completed membership form, reach the Yedidya office by Monday September 14, 2020.**

Your membership dues go towards community activities, equipment and building upkeep. Payment for dues may be made by bank transfer, in cash or by check payable to “Kehilat Yedidya,” with bank transfer being the most preferred method. Please do not send any forms and payment through the mail, but you may place envelopes directly into the mailbox at Yedidya.

We strongly believe everyone should have the opportunity to be a member of Kehilat Yedidya. If you are experiencing financial hardship due to the ongoing coronavirus crisis, you may pay half the listed membership rate of a given category, no questions asked. If you require further assistance paying membership dues please contact Mark Nulman at 050-620-0342 or 02-671-7961. He will assist you discreetly and in complete confidence.

Yedidya also offers discounted rates to children of members up to age 25 who would like to become members themselves. Please contact the office for details.

Kehilat Yedidya via the Tzedaka Fund provides funds to people at risk in our area for basic needs, summer programs, medical needs and school books. Please give generously. Donations to the Tzedaka Fund can also be paid for in monthly checks. Checks should be payable to “Kehilat Yedidya – Kupat Tzedaka”.

General donations: Please indicate what the donation is for if you wish to allocate it for something specific.

Seats for the High Holidays – We are doing the utmost to prepare for this year’s High Holiday tefilot, which will take place in smaller groups and shorter minyanim. However, due to continued uncertainty with the number of people the MOH will allow to gather for a given service, we must leave the actual assignment of seats until just before Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. In the meantime, to reserve a seat, please go to the Google sheet listed below and fill in the names of people who will want to attend each listed service on the tabs for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Note that seats will be reserved only if paid for in advance. We ask for your patience, cooperation, and understanding in this regard.

Please go to this link to reserve your seats: <https://rb.gy/qwgrlp>

Note that we will do our utmost to honor seating requests but cannot guarantee that we will manage to fulfill all of them. If you have any questions or concerns, or make any additional changes to the signup sheet after 14/9/2020, please be in touch with Dina Weiner (dina@reutschool.org).

Children of members – Please do not request seats for children who will not be using them and families should consider whether a separate seat is required for each child (children under age 7 do not get assigned seats). Members are asked to pay for seats for children over age 25, whether single or married, at the guest rates noted below.

Guest seats – Members may reserve additional seats for relatives, and for guests who live far from Yedidya. Guest seats are NIS 100 per holiday per person (i.e., NIS 200 for both Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur). Seats may not be reserved for “guests” who live nearby. People living nearby who want to reserve seats can either join the congregation and accept the responsibilities of membership; or, if seats remain after September 15, 2020, they can obtain seats by making a contribution of NIS 700 per adult and NIS 300 per child.

As noted above, membership dues go to help us pay for community programs, equipment and building upkeep. However, most of the Kehillah activities – from tefillot to maintenance – are possible only due to the dedication and involvement of our members. We want to take this opportunity to thank all of those who have contributed of their time and energy to ensure a full year of community activities.