

**Manhattan Jewish Congregation
1509 Wreath
Manhattan, Kansas 66503**

The Manhattan Jewish Congregation asks for your help, we need your support more now than in the past. Our building has aged and our operating expenses have increased; everything costs more. Our insurance, utilities, building maintenance, and Sunday School consume the majority of our income. It is important that we not just maintain what we have done in the past but continue to offer more services to our members. As a result of increased costs we are increasing family dues to \$700/year and single member dues to \$350/year.

The Congregation provides all services at no charge to anyone who wishes to participate, with two exceptions: 1) for some activities, we ask those attending to pay a small fee to cover the cost of food; and 2) the Religious School has no tuition for members, but the fee for non-members is \$100 per child per year. There is also a book and supply fee of \$20 per child.

You don't have to be a member in order to participate. But the Congregation has expenses; the building requires support and some activities don't occur without cost. Your annual dues provide the bulk of the support for those needs. Membership and dues also confer a spiritual and self-enhancing warmth and good feeling.

Listed below are the different categories for membership. Choose the one which best reflects your economic situation. The different categories have no effect on membership status, since all categories confer full rights and privileges of membership. This includes holding office and voting on issues affecting all of us. Several years ago we established a building fund for our future addition. We encourage you to please make your pledge to the building fund and start paying on a regular basis. The faster we can raise the necessary funds the sooner we can start building.

Once you make a pledge, you may remit the total amount with the pledge sheet, or you can send it to me in monthly or quarterly installments. The pledge sheet is solely to help me keep track of what's going on, and I need you to return it to me. Only the Treasurer knows what level you choose or how you plan to remit. Our BYLAWS preclude any betrayal of this rule.

Please check the dues level on the list and return it to me with your check. If you have any questions please feel free to call me. Thanks for your contribution.

Dyan Marie, Treasurer
Home 539-4576
Work 532-1389



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Name: _____

Membership: Family (\$700) ___ Individual(\$350) ___ Student(\$50) ___

Building Fund Pledge _____ **Entire Amount Enclosed** _____ **or**
installments of \$ _____ **per month or \$** _____ **per quarter**

Please make checks payable to Manhattan Jewish Congregation.

Please mail to: Manhattan Jewish Congregation, Box 941, Manhattan, KS 66505-0941