

## LIMITED INCOME CRITERIA AND GUIDELINES

Congregation Shir Libeynu endeavours to ensure that no one is turned away from our services because of a lack of resources to pay for tickets and/or memberships. Shir Libeynu tries to maintain a fair and consistent pricing policy that balances accessibility with accountability and that also adequately funds our congregation throughout the year.

Our High Holy Days order [form](#) includes specific criteria to help congregants buying memberships or individual tickets determine whether they fit into the Limited Income category.

If you **fit** into any one of the limited income criteria below, you are automatically entitled to a Limited Income (LI) membership or LI single-service tickets.

**\* Some people do not fit within the criteria, yet require limited income consideration, or further financial accommodation. Relevant factors could include dependents or heavy non-optional expenses (i.e. medications, health-related treatments) or other variables. We are an accessible shul and will not turn anyone away due to lack of funds.**

**If you require such consideration, please let us know by emailing [shirlibeynu@yahoo.ca](mailto:shirlibeynu@yahoo.ca), or leaving a message at 416-465-5488 and we will contact you. ALL INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE IS CONFIDENTIAL. Please note that due to the determination process, limited income applications that do not fit into one of the listed automatic criteria cannot be granted at the door. Requests for special consideration must be made in advance.**

**(Please review the limited income criteria below to see if you automatically are entitled to limited income membership or tickets. If any of the criteria applies to you, please proceed to our [form](#) and indicate your eligibility on the form. This will allow you to purchase you LI membership and single service tickets automatically.)**

## Limited Income Criteria

**(Automatically entitled to purchase a Limited Income (LI) membership or LI single-service ticket.)**

### Individuals and Single-Adult Households

LI membership or single-service LI tickets are available if you are any of the following:

- An individual or single-adult household making less than \$35,000 in gross annual income
- A senior citizen living exclusively on a fixed government income (i.e. OAS, GIS, or CPP)
- A person living exclusively on a fixed income (i.e. social assistance, employment insurance, government disability assistance)
- A full-time student over 30 years of age (those 30 years of age or younger are entitled to our \$75 membership)

### Multiple-Adult Households (A household consists of two or more adults over the age of 30 sharing a home)

LI memberships or single-service LI tickets are available if you are any of the following:

- A multiple-adult household making less than \$50,000 in gross annual income
- Senior citizens living exclusively on a fixed government income (i.e. OAS, GIS, or CPP)
- A multiple-adult household living exclusively on a fixed income (i.e. social assistance, employment insurance, government disability assistance)

### **High Holy Days form**

To view our High Holy Days schedule and membership and ticket price list, please visit our High Holy Days information [page](#).