

# ST. JAMES ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH

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## 2016 Membership and Stewardship Form

### MEMBERSHIP

- ❖ Membership entitles an individual to hold a leadership position within the parish (i.e. Parish Council member, chairperson of a parish organization and/or event.)
- ❖ Membership grants an individual the privilege to vote at the annual Parish Assembly.
- ❖ Membership entitles an individual to reduced sacrament fees.
- ❖ Membership donations are tax deductible.

Member Name \_\_\_\_\_ Standard \$125 ☐ / Senior(65+)\$100 ☐ / Student(18-25)\$30 ☐

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Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ I/We wish to be contacted through the Calling Post message system. Yes ☐ No ☐

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ I/We wish to be contacted through e-mail. Yes ☐ No ☐

Note:

- ❖ Existing members must pay dues by December 31, 2016, to be eligible to vote at the 2017 Parish Assembly.
- ❖ New members must pay dues by June 30, 2016, to be eligible to vote at the 2017 Parish Assembly.
- ❖ If you wish to be a member but are not able to afford the donation, please contact the pastor.

### STEWARDSHIP

- ❖ Stewardship is a PLEDGE or PROMISE made to the parish by anyone—members or non-members—to give a specified monetary donation or gift in any amount to the parish by the end of the calendar year.
- ❖ Stewardship helps our parish meet its yearly budget expenses, including pastoral, utility and maintenance obligations.
- ❖ Stewardship allows the parish to offer scholarships to young parishioners for Diocesan programs such as conferences at St. Nersess, Armenia Service Program, Deacons' Training and Hye Camp to name just a few.
- ❖ Stewardship contributions are tax deductible.

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

My/Our STEWARDSHIP PLEDGE to St. James for 2016 will be \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

This contribution will be offered in the following frequency:

weekly ☐ monthly ☐ quarterly ☐ lump sum ☐

I/We understand that a representative of the St. James Parish Council will contact me/us in December 2016 to remind me/us of any unfulfilled pledge obligations.

St. James is now accepting credit card payments for both membership and stewardship.

See Mr. Vahan Janjigian if you wish to use your credit card.

Please return this form to St. James Armenian Church.