

# Ezras Israel Kiddush Sponsorship Form and Buying Guide

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## Sponsorship Information

### Publicity

How should we announce your kiddush in the weekly email distribution?

How should we announce your kiddush on the shabbos or holiday it occurs?

Are you willing to share this kiddush sponsorship with a co-sponsor?

Yes

No

### Date and Type

Date for your kiddush:

Select a type of kiddush (descriptions on following page)

- Basic —\$150 for 20-30 people
- Deluxe —\$200 for 30-40 people
- Elaborate —\$250 for 40-50 people
- Self-Provisioned —\$65 + (requires conformance to shul's kashrut policy)

I agree to pay for the kiddush I am requesting to sponsor:

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### Contact Information

Title:

First Name:

Last Name:

How to contact you:

Email:

Phone:

Best time to call:

Special requests:

### Submission and Payment

You must submit this form in order to reserve the date of the sponsored kiddush.

Please send (with check or money order payable to Ezras Israel Congregation of Rockville), to:

Ezras Israel Congregation of Rockville

attn: Financial Secretary

P.O. Box 2281

Rockville, MD 20847

Form may also be sent via email to: [milujaco@gmail.com](mailto:milujaco@gmail.com), or by fax to (301) 984-1544.

## **Descriptions of Kiddushim**

### **Disclaimer**

The following descriptions are only intended to be representative of the types of kiddush package we offer; exact items and quantities may vary. Specific requests can be made in the “Special Requests” box on page 3.

### **Basic**

Typically includes the following:

- Four salads (e.g., salsa, tuna, baba-ganouch, pasta, etc.), herring, gefilte fish balls with horse radish
- Three types of cookies
- Two or three types of crackers
- Two types of chips/pretzels
- Two types of candy
- Grape juice, sodas, liquor (as available from prior kiddushim)

### **Elaborate**

All that is included in the Basic plus:

- Two warmed kugels (e.g., noodle, potato, etc.)
- Fifth salad, such as cucumber or Turkish salad
- Lox bits
- Baby carrots
- Cake and rugelach

### **Deluxe**

All that is included in Elaborate plus:

- Nova Lox instead of Lox bits
- Cherry tomatoes and red onion

- Olives, pickles
- canned fruits - pineapple or peaches

### **Self Provisioned**

You buy all the food and pay \$65 consumables and setup/cleanup fee. Please ensure the items you purchase conform to the shul's kashrut policy, available at [http://www.ezrasisrael.org/kash\\_pol.html](http://www.ezrasisrael.org/kash_pol.html).

## **Buying Guide**

This buying guide is intended for those who purchase supplies for a kiddush, including those who sponsor a self-provisioned kiddush.

Please ensure the items you purchase conform to the shul's kashrut policy, available at [http://www.ezrasisrael.org/kash\\_pol.html](http://www.ezrasisrael.org/kash_pol.html).

## **Purchasing bulk supplies**

The following are considered bulk supplies and are used or served at every kiddush:

- Plates
- Cups
- Utensils
- Crackers
- Chips
- Grape juice
- Liquor (whiskey or vodka)
- Sodas
- Cleaning supplies

If you notice anything missing from the above items:

- On Friday or Erev Yom Tov, contact Rachmil at 301-461-4984.
- On all other days, send an email to milujaco@gmail.com.

## **Purchasing for a Basic Kiddush**

Budget: \$150.

Suggested items (can be varied at the buyer's discretion - when the Congregation sponsors, based on good value, store sales or availability).

- One 1-lb containers of egg salad or one
- Two 1-lb containers of tuna salad
- One 1-lb containers of seafood (or whitefish) salad
- One of each:
  - Medium container of sesame noodles

- Medium container stuffed grape leaves
- One container of humus or baba-ganouch - depends what already exists
- One container of cherry tomatoes or baby carrots
- 2-3 lbs of grapes or bag of clementines
- One babka
- One lb of rugelach
- Other salad (potato salad, Turkish eggplant, etc.) that budget permits.

### **Purchasing for an Elaborate Kiddush**

Budget: \$200

Purchase everything listed under Basic, and add the following:

2 kugels (typically one potato and one noodle)

- Matyas herring or schmaltz herring, or both
- Another type of salad (three-bean salad, sesame noodle salad)
- Potato chips or more crackers
- Special cake (birthday, mazel tov, etc.), or anything additional that an individual sponsor requests and, at your discretion, that budget permits

### **Purchasing for a Deluxe Kiddush**

Budget: \$250

Purchase everything listed under Elaborate, and add the following:

- For those items under Basic or Elaborate that indicate a choice of two items, buy both choices. For example, under Basic there is a choice of one container of humus or baba-ganouch; for a Deluxe kiddush, buy both humus and baba-ganouch.
- More elaborate sweets: cakes and/or cookies
- Ice cream or tofu bars for children
- Variety of dried fruits
- Variety of nuts
- Other items at your discretion and that budget permits

## **Purchasing for Seudat Shlishit**

In addition to the kiddush purchases described above, every week buy any combination of 12 small challah rolls for seudat shlishit. (Some food seems to be left over from kiddush in almost all cases, and if not we have tuna cans that can be opened shabbat afternoon to make tuna salad to be served at seudah sshlishit.)

## **Reimbursements**

Please remind the cashier at Moti's Market or Shalom's that you are buying for Ezras Israel—to avoid paying sales tax and to get a 10% shul discount.

Soon after purchasing (say by the following Sunday evening) send Rachmil an email at milujaco@gmail.com or by fax to (301) 984-1544, or drop off receipts for reimbursement of the expenses. We will send you a check for the expenses; if you give us a bank account we will send directly to your bank.

## **Delivering Kiddush Supplies**

Ideally, deliver the kiddush supplies to the shul Friday afternoon (or in the case of weekday Yom Tov, the day of erev Yom Tov) between 1 and 4 PM.