CENTER FOR SPIRITUAL ENLIGHTENMENT, NSAC National Spiritualist Association of Churches <u>www.theCSE.org</u>



Dear Member,

It's Membership renewal time again! We encourage you to renew your membership now and continue your active participation in the Center for Spiritual Enlightenment (CSE), NSAC, services and events. It is through your support and participation that the CSE will manifest its vision and mission.

Our vision is to be an international leader in Modern Spiritualism. Our Mission Statement is: "The Center for Spiritual Enlightenment (NSAC) is dedicated to the promulgation of Modern Spiritualism as a Science, Philosophy, and Religion. We celebrate diversity, the oneness of humankind, and the universe. As a welcoming and loving community, we provide religious services and educational activities to enlighten, inspire, and support each individual in spiritual unfoldment, thereby serving one another and Spirit". All of us are the "CSE," and we need each and every one of us to take this wonderful vision and mission out into the world. It is our collective energy that provides the "juice" to fuel our endeavors.

The National Spiritualist Association of Churches (NSAC) House of Delegates voted to increase NSAC member churches per-person assessment from \$15 to \$20 per year at the Convention this Fall. As authorized by the CSE membership, that increase will be reflected in our annual dues, thereby increasing CSE dues to \$45 annually. We recognize that this may be a financial burden for some of our members. We are continuing our practice of making an exception for those individuals who need that support. Simply check the box indicating need for that support when you complete your renewal form.

Please complete the enclosed **Renewal Form** and give the form and your check in a standard business envelope to CSE Membership Committee members or to any Board Member at Sunday Service. Please include your accurate address, e-mail, and telephone contact information (even if it's unchanged) for our Membership Directory. **You may mail your Renewal Form with check to CSE, Attn: Membership, PO 6630, Falls Church, VA 22040-6630. Make the check for the amount of \$45.00 payable to CSE. We encourage you to add an additional tax-deductible donation to your check.** Or, use the designated PayPal button to make your payment. Because of the PayPal charge to the CSE, that charge is \$47. No matter what payment method you use, we MUST have your completed renewal form to ascertain accurate records for the CSE as well as for our national organization. Information submitted on the Membership Renewal Form will be used to create the members-only CSE Member Directory. Please indicate any information you do not want published.

Our membership continues to grow; many interesting speakers and workshops are planned for 2019. We have a continued need for volunteers to perform various tasks and activities for the church. If you would like to become involved in one of the CSE activities, please complete the "Support the CSE" section of your renewal form.

Thank you in advance for your timely response. The Membership Committee looks forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

Karen Clark-Stone Chair, Committee Chairperson

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MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM - 2019

The CSE membership year is January 1 through December 31. Members normally renew their membership at the beginning of each calendar year. Only current members may actively participate in church business. This includes voting at the Annual Meeting for the CSE Board election and on church issues.

Please submit this completed form with your membership renewal fee to assist us in accurately updating CSE member records. Your completed member information will be included in our CSE Membership Directory. If your information is unchanged, simply indicate on the form.

Membership renewals are \$45 each year. *This includes a \$20 fee that is sent to NSAC (the National Spiritualist Association of Churches, our national organization). Membership is for one calendar year and late renewals are not prorated. *We encourage you to add an additional tax-deductible donation to your check.*

*If financial circumstances make this a hardship for you, please indicate here by checking this box. \Box

MEMBER INFORMATION -- Please complete all applicable information.

This information will be used to compile the 2019 CSE Membership Directory.

Name	
Address	
Home Phone	Cell Phone
E-Mail	

[CSE Newsletter will be e-mailed to your provided e-mail address automatically unless you opt out here \Box]

SUPPORT the CSE (OPTIONAL)

List any special interests and experience in church administration, finances, public relations, fund-raising, music, writing, speaking, and instruction of children or adults, especially as relates to volunteerism with CSE.

Please mail your completed form and renewal check to CSE, Attn: Membership, PO Box 6630, Falls Church, VA 22040-6630, or deliver it to the church. Or, you may use the PayPal option via our website at <u>www.thecse.org</u>. Because of cost, dues by PayPal are \$47.

Thank you for your assistance and your continued support of the Center for Spiritual Enlightenment, NSAC.

> Failure to pay dues by March 31, 2019 shall be deemed delinquent