

"My House Shall Be A House of Prayer For All People."

Congregation Kol Ami E Koleinu

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CALLING ALL 20s AND 30s:

Join your friends and Student Rabbi Gimbel for a fun Shabbat dinner Friday, December 6, 2013

Refuah Schlemah

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Jane Drucker, Linnet Graves-Broidy, Iris Levine, Carey Loomis, Lowell Selvin, Adam Shulman, Milton Singer, Edie Siteman, Bob Weiner

Torah Study

Saturday, December 14, 2013
at 10:00 AM

Religious School

Sunday, December 8, 2013
9:00 AM
Temple Emanuel Beverly Hills



PLEASE remember to bring
food and personal items every
time you come to the temple.

HELP US REFILL OUR
BARRELS



**SOVA needs razors, soap,
lotion, deodorant, toothpaste,
toothbrushes, and shampoo**

Right now our priority items are
toiletries Please pick some of the
items listed above on your next
shopping trip to donate to SOVA.

**Kol Ami will be meeting at
SOVA the 2nd
Sunday of each month.**

Please join us.

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SHABBAT DINNER @ PINK TACO

8225 Sunset Blvd., WeHo
7:30pm
\$20...seriously.

Join Kol Atid (Congregation Kol Ami's rising 20-30s group) for a Shabbat dinner at Pink Taco. We'll light candles, have some kiddish wine (first round of wine is on us!), and eat a delicious dinner with great people!

Spots are very limited - first come, first confirmed.

RSVP BY DEC. 5: STUDENTRABBI@KOL-AMI.ORG

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NEXT DATE:**Sunday****December 8, 2013****8:30 AM - NOON****LOCATION:**

1140 N. La Brea

West Hollywood, 90038

(1 block south of the synagogue)

Join the Social Action Committee at SOVA, the Jewish Family Services food pantry to help pack groceries for clients. We are there every 2nd Sunday from 8:30 to noon, followed by lunch. Please notify Ed Casson at:

ecasson@gmail.com

if you are interested in joining us or for other volunteer opportunities at SOVA.

When you visit the synagogue, please remember to bring donations for the SOVA barrels.

Thank you and remember, SOVA is here to serve you if you are in need. They have two other locations in Van Nuys and in the Pico-Robertson district. For more information, please visit their website at:

jfsla.org/sova

If you are unable to make it to Services and would still like to join us for worship, NOW YOU CAN!

Kol Ami is proud to offer you the opportunity to view Friday evening Services live on the web.

Please [connect here](#) for Friday night Services, and enjoy the spiritual experience of Kol Ami at home.

You can now read Rabbi Eger's

AMERICAN JEWISH WORLD SERVICE*Standing with women, girls and LGBT people worldwide*

Exciting AJWS events are coming to Los Angeles next month!

Learn more about the incredible on-the-ground work of our grantees in the developing world to ensure human rights and dignity for all!

Find out how you can get involved in our upcoming campaign to end violence against women and girls and hate crimes against LGBT people.

Save these dates and stay tuned for more details:

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8, 10 A.M.

Ruth Messinger, President of AJWS

From Discrimination to Dignity: Standing with Women, Girls and LGBT People Worldwide

Rector's Forum, All Saints Episcopal Church
132 North Euclid Avenue, Pasadena

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 11:30 A.M.

Ruth Messinger and Claudia Samayoa, AJWS Grantee from Guatemala

International Human Rights Brownbag Lunch
AJWS LA Office, 3131 Olympic Boulevard, Santa Monica

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9, 7 P.M.

Ruth Messinger and Claudia Samayoa

"Am I My Sister's Keeper?": Community-wide Celebration of International Human Rights Day

Temple Emanuel, 8844 Burton Way, Beverly Hills


**HOLD THE DATE
JANUARY 26, 2014**


HOUSE OF JEWS presents:

sermons online at
www.rabbieger.wordpress.com

Rabbi Eger Online!

Did you know Rabbi Eger not only keeps up her Torah blog on the Kol Ami website, but also has her own personal blog?

 There are new posts every day, so be sure to visit often. Click this link to start reading
[Click Here](#)

 You can also follow Rabbi Eger on Twitter! @deniseeger or follow Kol Ami @KolAmiLA

 And friend her on Facebook!
[Click Here](#)

 Also don't forget to check into Kol Ami on Foursquare the next time you're at Temple! Check out our loyalty special!
[Click Here](#)

Its Time to Bring in Your Tzedakah Cans!



Please bring in your cans for donation, and don't forget to pick up a new one while you're here.

Rock 'n Soul Brunch

featuring the music of Cantor Saltzman, Student Rabbi Gimbel, and many more. Don't miss out on this fabulous fundraiser



Please join us for these important Pillar meetings.
 Help ensure the future of our congregation!

PILLAR 3 - CREATING JEWS FOR LIFE

Thursday, December 5, 2013 at 7:00 pm - private home
 please call or email the temple for address

PILLAR 4 - FINANCIAL & ECONOMIC VITALITY AND HEALTH

Monday, December 9, 2013 at 7:00 pm - private office on
 Wilshire. Please call or email the temple for the address.

PILLAR 1 - ENGAGED COMMUNITY INTERWOVEN WITH EACH OTHER

Tuesday, December 17, 2013 at 7:00 pm at the temple



Biennial is where Jews gather to learn, pray, share ideas, dance and sing, hear from inspiring guest speakers, reunite with old friends, make new connections, and reimagine Jewish life.

Click [here](#) for more information or to register:

Calendar

Wednesday, December 4, 2013

Eighth Candle of Chanukah

Thursday, December 5, 2013

7:00 PM Pillar 3 Meeting at private home

Friday, December 6, 2013

6:45 PM Family Shabbat Services with Rabbi Eger and Student Rabbi Gimbel

7:30 PM Kol Atid Shabbat Dinner at Pink Taco

Sunday, December 8, 2013

8:30 AM SOVA

9:00 AM Religious School at Temple Emanuel Beverly Hills

Monday, December 9, 2013

7:00 PM Pillar 4 Meeting at private office on Wilshire

7:00 PM AJWS "Am I my Sister's Keeper" at Temple Emanuel

Tuesday, December 10, 2013

7:00 PM Intro to Judaism Class

Wednesday, December 11, 2013

Biennial in San Diego through December 15

Friday, December 13, 2013

8:00 PM Shabbat Services with Cantor Saltzman

Saturday, December 14, 2013

10:00 AM Torah Study

12:15 PM HIV Shabbat Lunch

We give thanks to the following people who made donations during the month of November:

Thank you to Laurie Lang and Debbie Koltun for the beautiful Talit which will be used as a chupah.

Building Fund

Glenn Rosenblum and Mark Freeman - in appreciation of Rabbi Eger and Cantor Saltzman

Cantor's Discretionary Fund:

Vitaly Koshman

General Fund

Maurice Amado Foundation

Ed Casson - In memory of Lloyd Gross, brother of Alvin Gross

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Sam Fibish - in memory of Claire Goldin, mother of Howard Goldin

Peter Mackler - In memory of Sulana Ross Chait, daughter of

Deborah Kallick

Suzanna Peters - in memory of Lloyd Gross, brother of Alvin Gross

Jo Sherman & Mary Jane Varley - in honor of Rabbi Eger's 25 years in the Rabbinate

Library Plaque

Paul J. Piazza and his mother - in honor of Stephen Hochstein

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

Dr. Nancy Cohen

Francine Epstein and family - in thanks for the family ceremony and prayers

David Kaminski - in memory of Martin Connelly

Vitaly Koshman

Laurie Lang and Debbie Koltun - in honor of their recent wedding

Tobi Rosen - in memory of her parents, Jack and Ruth Friedman

Glenn Rosenblum and Mark Freeman - in honor of Chanukah

Glenn Rosenblum and Mark Freeman - in appreciation of Rabbi Eger and Cantor Saltzman

Triangle Square Thanksgiving Dinner

Francesca Aster

Jack Levin

Liz Randall

Yahrzeit

Sam Fibish - in memory of his parents Hilda and Philip Fibish

David Goldman - in memory of his father, Leonard Goldman, MD

Alvin Gross - in memory of his father Herman Gross

Stephen Hochstein - in memory of his father Samuel Hochstein

David Kaminski and Patrick Auerbach - in memory of David's grandmother, Regina Habib

Barry and Karen Mason - in memory of Minnie Mason, mother of Barry Mason

Barry and Karen Mason - in memory of Joseph Heller, father of Karer Mason

Keith Rand and John D'Amico - in memory of Keith's grandmother Fay Riemer

Keith Rand and John D'Amico - in memory of Keith's grandmother Bertha Isaacs

Keith Rand and John D'Amico - in memory of Keith's grandfather Nathan Isaacs

Michael Ruvo and Steve Lachs - in memory of Nick Ruvo, father of Michael Ruvo

Ted Seifman - in memory of his father Arnold Seifman

Eleanor Steinman - in memory of her mother Jane Steinman

Richard Weinberger - in memory of his mother, Regina Weinberger

RABBI EGER ON THE TOWN

During the month of November Rabbi Eger participated in these communal activities:

- Installed Rabbi Greg Weisman as the Assistant Rabbi of Temple Beth El, Boca Raton, Florida
- Attended the 25th Anniversary observance of Women of the Wall in Jerusalem
- Attended the Central Conference of American Rabbis Board Meeting
- Participated on a panel at Hebrew Union College for 2nd year rabbinic students on the topic of eulogies and funeral practices
- Was featured in an article in Lilith Magazine titled "Why LA? Why Women? Why Now?"

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