

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

**May 21, 2014**  
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There is **one** ticket left.  
Please call now to reserve  
your seat.



Kol Ami Night at  
Dodger Stadium  
vs. Arizona Diamondbacks  
Saturday, June 14 @7:10 pm

Cost is \$36 per ticket  
Space is Limited

**A GIANT THANK YOU**

to all who sponsored and attended the amazing Gatsby Gala on Sunday night honoring Iris Levine, Rodney Scott, Stuart Leviton and Herb Schultz. It was a huge success!

To view the Gatsby Gala Tribute Journal [click here](#)



### RSVP to Temple Office

#### **Refuah Schlemah**

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

- Brian Garfield
- Rick Leed
- Iris Levine
- Tom Royer
- Lowell Selvin
- Henry Somerfeld
- Bob Weiner
- Jane Weisberg



Jeremy Gimbel on receiving his Master of Hebrew Letters Degree from HUC-JIR and the successful completion of his third year of Rabbinic School



TO OUR KOL KASH WINNERS  
MARTY HANDMAN AND  
DON MARGOLIN

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

**HELP US REFILL OUR BARRELS**





SOVA needs razors, lotion, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, and shampoo. Also, cooking oil, canned pasta, and peanut butter.

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.**

**NEXT DATE:**  
 Sunday  
 June 8, 2014  
 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](mailto: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



**SHAVUOT CELEBRATION**  
**Tuesday, June 3 at 7:00 PM**

with  
 Rabbi Denise L. Eger and guest Cantor Susan Caro

Join us for Tikkun leil Shavuot  
 with a traditional blintzes and cheesecake dinner

cost is \$10  
 Dinner at 7:00 PM  
 Study and Festival Celebration at 8:00 PM

We will honor all who are Jews by choice.

Pico-Robertson district.  
For more information, please visit  
their website at: [jfsla.org/sova](http://jfsla.org/sova)


If you are unable to make it to  
Services and would still like to  
join us for worship, you can.

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


Read Rabbi Eger's sermons  
online at  
[www.rabbieger.wordpress.com](http://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](#)

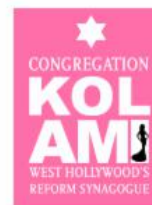
 And friend her on Facebook!  
[Click Here](#)

 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](#)

**Volunteers needed for  
Game Night at Triangle Square**

## Congregation Kol Ami Hosts Hamburger Mary's

### Drag Queen Bingo



\$25 for 10 Bingo Cards

June 7th at 7 pm  
Call (323)606-0996 to RSVP  
1200 N. La Brea Ave., West Hollywood

Win Amazing Prizes Including:

Box Seat Tickets to the Bowl

Dinner for 4 at Border Grill

Autographed 10th Anniversary  
Poster of "Valley of the Dolls"



## Calendar

### Wednesday, May 21, 2014

7:00 PM Board of Trustees Meeting

### Friday, May 23, 2014

8:00 PM Shabbat Services with Rabbi Eger and Student Rabbi Gimbel  
Visual Tefilah. JEREMY GIMBEL'S LAST SHABBAT

### Saturday, May 24, 2014

12:00 PM Yoga

### Monday, May 26, 2014

Memorial Day - Temple closed

### Tuesday, May 27, 2014

7:00 PM Intro to Judaism

7:00 PM Meditation

### Thursday, May 29, 2014

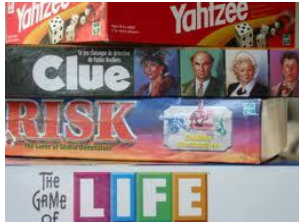
7:00 PM Game night at Triangle Square

### Friday, May 30, 2014

7:00 PM Kol Atid Pot Luck Shabbat at private home

8:00 PM Shabbat Services with Rabbi Eger

**Kol Atid - 20s/30s Potluck May 30!**



Congregation Kol Ami, MCC, and the Gay Men's Chorus are co-sponsors of a volunteer opportunity with our LGBT Senior friends at GLEH's Triangle Square. Join us to play games, socialize, and have fun with different generations in the community.

We will meet the last Thursday of each month from 7PM - 9PM. Please arrive at Triangle Square by 6:45PM. Students in need of community service hours are encouraged to join in, Kol Ami will sign off on this activity as hours served.

Come volunteer, brighten someone's day, and have a great time too! Your next opportunity to participate is Thursday, May 29, 2014 at 7:00 PM.

For more information, please contact Kol Ami member Howard Goldin at: [hjg1217@aol.com](mailto:hjg1217@aol.com) or Bill Gallimore, GMCLA Gives Back at: [billgallimore@aol.com](mailto:billgallimore@aol.com)  
Hope to see you there!


### *Its Time to Bring in Your Tzedakah Cans!*



Please bring in your cans

Bask in the glow of Shabbat at a potluck dinner with old friends and new. Join us for a great evening hosted by Joseph Harounian in his lovely home (9024 Rangely Ave, West Hollywood, CA 90048). Please bring a potluck item and RSVP to [rsvp@jqinternational.org](mailto:rsvp@jqinternational.org)

# FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS



*Presented by*  
**JQ International**  
**Congregation Kol Ami**  
**Jewish Big Brothers Big Sisters**  
**of Los Angeles**

Friday, May 30th, 2014  
 West Hollywood  
 7:00pm

Bask in the glow of Shabbat at a potluck dinner\* with the LGBTQ community and learn about the transformative volunteer opportunities waiting for you at Jewish Big Brothers Big Sisters of Los Angeles.

Get the full story at <http://tinyurl.com/JQShabbat> and rsvp by May 29th to [rsvp@jqinternational.org](mailto:rsvp@jqinternational.org).

\*Please bring a potluck item such as wine, vegetarian appetizers/side dishes or desserts. Let us know what you'll bring when you rsvp. A Kosher meat entrée will be provided.

#JQShabbatPotluck      #JBBBSFridayNightLights  
 #KolAtidShabbatPotluck



for donation, and don't forget to pick up a new one while you're here.

We're trying out some new things. Looking to start a new practice, or expand your range of spiritual practice? Join us for -

**Meditation**  
Tuesday nights at 7pm -  
no experience necessary

**Kundalini yoga Saturdays**  
noon-1:30 (starting April 5th).  
Bring a yoga mat and water.



**Join the City of West Hollywood for the next Human Rights Speakers Series,  
"Sexuality and Human Rights on the Global Stage"**

Wednesday, May 28, 2014 from 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. in  
the West Hollywood City Council Chambers

(625 N. San Vicente Blvd., West Hollywood, CA).

The event will be a thought-provoking conversation about the global fight for human rights regarding sexual orientation and gender identity.

"Sexuality and Human Rights on the Global Stage" will feature panelists Jessica Stern, Executive Director, International Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission (IGLHRC); Tamara Adrián, Chair of the Committee for the International Day Against Homophobia and Transphobia (IDAHO-T), World Trans Secretary of ILGA (International Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans

and Intersex Association); Guo Ziyang, Executive Director, Beijing Zuoyou Information & Consulting Center; Damien Lu, Ph.D., Boardmember Aibai Cultural and Education Center; Cynthia Rothschild, Audit Committee Chair, The Astrea Foundation and United Nations Consultant on HIV & AIDS, and women, human, and sexual rights; Dawn Cavanagh, Director, Coalition of African Lesbians (CAL); Sonia Correa, Feminist Research Associate at ABIA.

The panel discussion will be moderated by Mayor Pro Tempore John Heilman and will be followed by a "Call to Action" dessert reception catered by La Conversation Cafe.

Join in the discussion by tweeting us using the hashtag #WeHoHRSS

To RSVP, please email us at: [wehoHRspeakerseries@gmail.com](mailto:wehoHRspeakerseries@gmail.com)

For more information about the West Hollywood Human Rights Speakers Series, please visit: [www.weho.org/hrss](http://www.weho.org/hrss)

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