“Kol Rinah embodies the new spirit of Conservative Judaism in the Midwest. It radiates the joy of worship, learning and Jewish music both in and out – into our souls and out to the families, friends and community. Come pray, learn, sing and celebrate with us.” Let’s all join our voices together to bring joy to our new congregation!

PASSOVER SEDER II

Join us on April 15 for a Community Seder led by Margaux Buck-Yael. Relax, celebrate and enjoy a seder with friends & family.

- Plagues
- Afikomen prizes for children
- Bitter herbs
- Green vegetables
- Incredible food
- 5 cups of wine
- Reclining
- Singing & ruach
- Salt water
- Lots of matzah!

Place: Kol Rinah Leve Auditorium
Time: 6:30 pm
Cost: Adults – $30 each
Children ages 4-9 – $18 each
Children age 3 and under are free
Vegetarian meals by request
RSVP by April 3 to the Kol Rinah office
314.727.1747 or nancy@kolrinahstl.org
or online: KolRinahStL.org

Special thanks to the loving families who generously support our seder through the Faye Keyser Memorial Seudah Fund.

Check the Passover packet, that will be coming in the mail soon, for all your Kol Rinah Passover details.
I wonder: How did the Israelites fill their days during the forty years of wandering in the wilderness? After all, God provided their “daily bread” in the form of manna. We are told that their clothing did not wear out, so no shopping or sewing. They were protected from enemies by God’s providence (perhaps they spent some time training for the defense of the tribes in the wilderness and the conquest of the Land that would take place after Moses’ death). Children always seem to be able to find ways to fill the hours – if not eating, then playing. But what about the adults? The adults had been slaves to Pharaoh – they knew for whom they toiled all day and where they would live and what tasks they were obligated to fulfill. It was work. Even if it wasn’t meaningful – or even demeaning – at least it filled the hours.

It is as though 600,000-plus men and their wives went into retirement. I suspect that initially they relished their new freedom from slavery. But even freedom gets old when you have nothing to do with your free time. They had been given a gift from God: freedom from serving Pharaoh. And, on one hand, they were given the freedom to serve God as they wished.

God gives us a finite number of days – and keeps that number hidden from us. And so, we must find ways to fill our days with meaningful activities.

Pirke Avot, a tractate of the Mishnah that contains the wisdom of generations of Sages, is concerned with the character and values of those who are entrusted with transmitting wisdom to their communities. It begins with the statement:

ממש הקביל תורוה מוסר, ומסר מוסר ליתמר, וחיהו לכהנים.

“Moses received Torah [from God] at Sinai, and he transmitted it to Joshua, and Joshua to the Elders, and the Elders to the Prophets, and the Prophets to the members of the Great Assembly.”

The Rabbis understand “Torah” to refer to the Oral Tradition, along with the Written Text. It is tough enough to transmit the written Torah from generation – but at least we can store it in “hard copy” and hand it, verbatim, from our parents to our children. We don’t even have to learn it ourselves. But the Oral tradition – the Authorized Interpretation of the Written text – is a different story. It is vast compared to the Written Torah. The Oral Torah of Moses was not the same as the Oral Torah of Joshua. The Elders each had a different Oral Torah. As did the Prophets.

The Oral Torah was selectively codified and written down by Rabbi Yehudah HaNasi in a text called the Mishnah (ca. 210 CE). "Mishnah" means "to repeat"; it eventually came to mean "to learn." Each subsequent generation added to that text. Oral Law continued to grow and change through the generations. So "Torah" continued to change and to grow. Very early on, it was a full-time job to learn Torah (Written and Oral). It was also a full-time job to teach Torah.

So maybe that’s the best answer I can suggest as to what the Israelites were doing with their free time during the years in the Wilderness. They were learning with their teachers and with their students. Some taught and learned in formal settings, others informally.

In Pirke Avot, Hillel taught

אל תאמר לכשאפנה אשנה, שמא לא תפנה

“do not say, ‘When I am free I will study,’ for perhaps you will not become free.”

Stimulate your mind. Learn some Torah. Read a good book. Solve puzzles. Take a class. Teach someone something. Discuss and debate ideas. Learn a new skill (or improve an existing skill). Be creative – express yourself in words, in art, in music. Watch a good film.

Every one of us has a Torah to teach. And we all have the Torah of countless others to learn. No matter how old we are, no matter how busy. Torah (in its broadest sense) has been the lifeblood of the Jewish people, handed down from generation to generation. We live on in the living Torah we have taught others.
Many exciting transitions are happening at Kol Rinah. The search is on for an additional rabbi to serve the congregation as it moves forward. One of the buildings has a contract for purchase and the other is being shown to interested possible buyers. The Facilities Committee is looking for a new permanent home, and if the right property is not available when needed, a temporary location is also being sought. And all of the congregation committees continue with business as usual, planning weekly services, holiday observances, adult and children programs, religious school curriculum and, of course, shul social events. Everyone at Kol Rinah is working to continue to build our community.

I recently ran across a blog posted by the "Coffee Shop Rabbi," Rabbi Ruth Adar, that was titled; "How to Succeed at Congregational Life: Ten Tips." Well that certainly struck my interest and I would like to share some of those tips.

1. ATTEND. Showing up is a start. Make a commitment to yourself to attend one event regularly. And make a promise to yourself you will give yourself a block of time 2-3 months to be there.

2. BE FLEXIBLE. Be open to connecting to people who are different from you but with whom you share values. Start up a discussion with someone about the purpose of the group and why you and they are interested in it.

3. ASK FOR ADVICE. Come into the office or call and ask to speak to someone about the current activities and programs that are going on to find the group you would like to join.

4. MAKE AN APPOINTMENT. Rabbi Fasman, all of the professional staff and I would love to be sources of information to you about the committees and social groups at Kol Rinah.

5. VOLUNTEER. The author of the blog states she has made her firmest friends by volunteering to clean up after an event. Yes, cleaning up. Think about it – set-up is busy and often anxiety-producing to all involved. But clean up time is when the more the better, and everyone is glad to have extra hands.

6. BE PROACTIVE. If you are not interacting with folks, then look for other people not interacting and start a conversation.

7. BE POSITIVE. Everyone has issues and complaining about them is expected, but unless you want people to avoid you, try to find a balance between complaints and compliments. Everyone works hard, especially the staff, but if you think it is important to alert them to a mistake, please try to say something about what was right.

8. DON'T BE INTIMIDATED. If you are the recipient of silly or insulting comments, just try to take it in stride, especially if you are never likely to see the persons again. But if it is someone you will see again, try to find an opportunity to make that person aware in a non-confrontational conversation. Or just change the subject.

9. BE A MEMBER, NOT A CONSUMER. If this is the shul for you, let this advice be your guide. Please keep your commitments to other members and staff. “Treat people like you are going to see them again. If there is a program or service you want, ask for it but be willing to contribute to making it happen.”

The staff are not Kol Rinah. The building is not Kol Rinah. Kol Rinah is YOU.

Susan Cort

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"Let's Explore Jewish Poetry"

Tuesday April 8, 10am in the Kol Rinah Chapel. Our focus will be Poetry in the Haggadah.

To learn more, contact Mary Berger, 314.458.1256 or Yiddishemavin@gmail.com

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Mazal Tov Kol Rinah!

April Birthdays

April Anniversaries
Denis & Ruth Altman
Martin & Phyllis Kalmes
Donn & Beth Rubin
Edward & Trina Schukar

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Leaves & Chapel Plaques
To purchase a Chapel plaque, Ashreinu Leaf or Tree of Life Leaf, call the office at 314.727.1747.

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Stan Levy
Yahrzeit of mother-in-law, Goldie Drust

Morning Minyan
In honor of Ron Fagerstrom

Don Singer
In honor of his birthday
Sisterhood

Micki Kingsley

We thank the following for their generosity to our Trivia evening:

Table Sponsors - $100
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Susan & David Cort
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Kol Rinah Men’s Club
Maurice Guller
Steve Keyser
Micki Kingsley
Olivette Vet. Service
Dave & Sue Propper
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Thank you, Burton!

Our gratitude to Burton Boxerman for the many hours he spent to make our Trivia Event such a success! Burton took his duty very seriously, whether in researching and finalizing categories and questions, encouraging individuals and groups to attend, or reaching out to everyone to sponsor tables and rounds.

Kol Rinah Gift Shop

Monday to Friday 10am - 12:30pm.
Wed 4-6pm
Sunday by appointment.
Call 314.727.1747 to arrange a time.

Celebrate Your Special Event with a Kol Rinah Sisterhood Kiddush!

All profits from our kiddushes go to the shul in many different ways, including USY, Religious School, the ECC, Jewish summer camp scholarships, general operating funds of the Synagogue, and maintenance of the kitchens and all equipment.

For more information, contact Sue Propper - suemeryl@charter.net or 314.395.1349.

We’ll be glad you did.
Thank you.

You are invited to a Sisterhood Brunch

Sunday, May 18, 2014

10:00 am - Connie Fisher, Director of Mental Health Promotion for Mental Health America of Eastern Missouri will speak on "Reaching resilience"

11:00 am - Brunch

$12 Brunch & Program
Please make checks payable to Kol Rinah Sisterhood
RSVP to the Kol Rinah office at 314.727.1747.

Condolences to the Families Of

Signe Diamant
Jacqueline Ketcher
Marcia Kopitsky
Stanley Leonard Mozenter
Shirley Perl

Thank You to Congregants

Dear Women’s Social Group,

Thank you for your continued and invaluable support of Kol Rinah’s youth. Your generosity has enriched family programming and allowed teens to reach new Jewish experiences that they may never have had otherwise. The youth of Kol rinah are so grateful for your time and donations. Please know that you have made a great impact.

Sincerely,

Tasha

Not on our email list?
Send your email address to
Nancy@kolrinahstl.org
or Meir@kolrinahstl.org
Chaverim of Kol Rinah - March was truly Madness, but alas, it brought in Adar!

Yom HaShoah
April 28, 2014 – 28 Nisan 5774
Light A Candle, Preserve A Memory

The Million Candle Challenge
1,000,000 Candle Challenge to the World
Light one of the One Million candles to remember the Jewish Children who perished during the Holocaust. Candles will be mailed out; please remember to send a contribution.

Please save the date for our Keruv Program on April 25th. This event will be the kick-off for the Interfaith Chavurah. Like the Chavurah, the Friday night service and dinner is open to all members and their families. The theme of our Chavurah is that we are all interfaith and we all value being a welcoming congregation.

I would like to congratulate once again our FJMC Kol Rinah Men’s Club Man of the Year, Jim Singman, and first time Youth of the Year, Sophie Aroesty. We had a wonderful luncheon honoring their strong contributions to Kol Rinah. Yasher Koach. We would also like to congratulate Max Brown and Joe Goldberg from B’nai Amoona on their awards.

We were honored at our Men’s Club Shabbat to have Rabbi Noah Arnow (visiting candidate) and Rabbi Mark Fasman lead us in a Ruah filled Shabbat Service and welcomed our FJMC brothers from Chicago - Norwin Merens and Mike Greenberg (FJMC Mid West Region President). Yasher Koach to all the Men that had honors and to our new and recurring members who support Kol Rinah Men's Club! Jim Singman co-sponsored our Men's Club Luncheon in honor of the 50th anniversary of his Bar Mitzvah. Mazal Tov and Todah Rabah, Jim!

We had a wonderful Trivia Night - Kol HaKavod (all the honor) and Yasher Koach to Burton Boxerman for the entertaining, thought provoking and fun questions! Yasher Koach to all the volunteers that helped make the evening the success it was. Todah Rabah to all our sponsors and to Jim Singman (our Man of the Year) for donating the Soda and Snacks.

Please join us in our effort to build a stronger, new Men’s Club for Kol Rinah!!!!

In brotherhood, Bob Olshan
President Kol Rinah Men's Club

Men's Club Officers:
- President - Bob Olshan
- Secretary - Dave Propper
- Treasurer - Jerry Raskin
- VP Programming - Jim Singman
- VP Ritual - Marcus Brody
- VP Membership - TBD - Please Volunteer!

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April 25 Keruv Program Dinner
May 2  FJMC Men’s Club Retreat
May 17/18 Lag B’Omer Extravaganza - Bon Fire, Beit Café, Gourmet Coffee & Chocolate

Have a Happy Pesach!

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Early Childhood Education

Marty Schaeffer

As we begin to enjoy spring at Kol Rinah ECC, we are getting excited about SUMMER FUN CAMP! This summer we will be going somewhere over the rainbow!

Summer is always a fun time at Kol Rinah. Everyone will have a terrific time exploring colors in nature, discovering ways to eat, dance, and sing the rainbow, all summer long. Children and teachers love being outside, doing water play, and gardening – this year we are adding a colorful twist to our camp activities. The rainbow theme will enhance the activities that both the specialists and classroom teachers do with our children.

We are looking forward to some fun family programs as well. We will have an all school “undernight”, messy meal, free play in the gym, picnic, and an end of summer art show! All members of our Special Person’s Club are invited to our summer art show as well. Watch for our invitation as the summer gets near.

Summer Fun Camp will be here before we know it. If your child wants to be a part of sunny days and bright and colorful fun, please contact Kol Rinah ECC at 314.727.2565 or email marty@KolRinahstl.org!

We look forward to exploring the magic of the rainbow with all our children!
KRRS IN MOTION

Going to the St. Louis Symphony on a Sunday afternoon after a morning at KRRS, I found myself thinking how much a school setting, any school setting, requires the same “C” words to function as any harmonious group does, no matter what type (genre) the music, whether it be instrumental or choral. Like a school, the orchestra is a Community that comes together after practicing alone, then in small groups and finally as a whole ensemble to create marvelous, awe-inspiring music.

These musicians have made a Commitment to do their best, for themselves, but even more for the group, as a whole. They have made a Commitment to Cooperate and Collaborate so that each person’s skill at playing his or her instrument blends into a beautiful whole – like all the pieces of a patchwork quilt beautifully layered over a bed.

Community = A Commitment to Cooperation and Collaboration

I suppose that another way to say this is “We can get a whole lot done if we work together!!”

Of course, in a school setting that includes children, teachers, administrators and parents – the “WHOLE VILLAGE” idea.

An example of a great collaboration took place through our MaHaKesher Grant on Feb. 23rd when our students of grades 2/3 and 4/5, with their families, met with staff to share personal Jewish artifacts. Each item was special, beautiful and stories were shared about the personal meaning of each piece. Next, our students had the opportunity to create new Jewish artifacts for their homes – special wall hangings.

The 2/3 graders made hamsas with colorful tiles and sparkles, each one a lovely work of art. The 4/5 graders used templates to draw the Jerusalem skyline on canvas boards and added color with special markers and “jewels”. Pictures are included below!

Furthermore, parents and I spent some time that morning sharing their thoughts about the Religious School programming.

As I write this, I am collaborating with Emily Thal at B’nai Amoona for the “Purim themed” second/third grade Shabbateeney. Along with other staff people, children from Kol Rinah and B’nai Amoona will have spent a whole Saturday involved in prayer, eating together and learning about Purim through stories, music and games. Families will have joined at the end of the day for a Havdalah service.

Our own staff members and I will have cooperated on preparing our students to be part of the Megillah reading in the main Sanctuary at Kol Rinah on the day of Purim, Sunday, March 16th. We will have helped our students prepare groggers and masks. They will have paraded in costumes and performed songs for and with the Kol Rinah community.

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April Dates

- **Sunday, April 6th** – “MaHa’Kesher” with Israel – a celebration of Israeli food, singing and dancing for all the KRRS students and families
- **Sunday, April 13th** – A Religious School ‘Mock’ Seder for all grades
- **Saturday, April 19th** – “MifgaShabbat” Family Shabbat Service
- **Sunday, April 20th** – Religious School
- **Sunday, April 27th** – Religious School
- **Wednesday Classes** – April 2, 9, 23, 30

**There will be no Wednesday classes April 16, the second day of Passover.**

Please continue checking the KRRS “BLAST” for programming details and announcements. We continue to work on sending clear and correct communications!

Also, keep checking out our web site.

Paula Hertel
Interim Religious School Director
Our Musical Shabbat Rinah has returned every Friday night at 6 p.m. Led by Rabbi Fasman, the Shabbat Rinah service features piano (Ben Portner), violin (Mike Shanas), and vocalists (Rabbi Fasman and Karen Simmons) encouraging everyone to welcome Shabbat with joy. The ruach (spirit) of the community singing beautiful melodies (many composed by Shlomo Carlebach) helps us leave the week behind and enter the sacred space of Shabbat.

The music is back! Come, join us and experience the joy of Shabbat for yourself. Shabbat Rinah is sponsored by the Rubin Music Fund.

Be a Special Person at the ECC
Come read a story or help with a SPECIAL project.
If you would like to volunteer to be a SPECIAL person at our ECC, call us through the office (314.727.2565) or email marty@kolrinahstl.org.

Board Minutes are Available Upon Request
Contact Meir in the office.
314.727.1747
Meir@kolrinahstl.org
Kol Rinah’s Youth would like to extend a huge thank you to the congregation for being so supportive of our Purim Carnival last month. With your generosity and involvement we raised crucial funds for Jewish youth programming and opened doors for many Jewish children and teenagers. The money raised during the Purim Carnival is directly benefiting our USY and Kadima members, allowing them to attend life-changing conventions and forge strong and lasting Jewish friendships.

This month will see our youth as busy as ever. It’s incredible to think that we are already gearing up for end of the year festivities but it’s true! USY is preparing for their Spring Kallah where they will be electing regional board members and tackling the subject of love and Judaism. Our USYers will spend a Shabbat learning what Judaism has to say about dating, marriage, and sexuality. By the end of April we will elect our own KRSTL executive board and begin welcoming our current 8th graders into the exciting world of USY. All kinds of fun programs and activities will be coming on in connection with this transition. Be on the look out for invitations to events and opportunities to learn more about USY and leadership experience.

April is also the month of Passover! We will be having a Chocolate Seder on April 9th for 6-12th grade. We hope to see our middle and high schoolers around the table enjoying the magic of chocolate and Passover tradition. Keep an eye out for upcoming opportunities for teens to celebrate Passover in new and fun ways.

Check out all the fun pictures from our youth programs and conventions on Facebook at facebook.com/kolrinahUSY. Our Youth Commission is always looking for new and dedicated members who are ready to share ideas. Even if you aren’t ready to join the commission we still would love to hear from you. If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, or if you would like to help strengthen our youth department, please contact Tasha. tasha@kolrinahstl.org.

The Jewish Food Pantry Needs Our Help

For the month of April the Harvey Kornblum Jewish Food Pantry is looking for these specific items to provide well-balanced nourishment for the community in need.

1. Canned Tuna Fish
2. Canned Pasta with Meat Sauce
3. Tomato Sauce
4. Canned Fruit
5. Kosher Food
6. Peanut Butter & Jelly
7. Any Type of Canned Vegetables
8. Dry Pasta
9. Hand Soap, Shampoo, Toothpaste and Detergent

Items should be brought to our Hanley collection sites. Thank you. Contact Louise Levine, 636.227.1259.
It's time to make summer plans for your children and grandchildren.

Art Exploration with Erin • Masterpieces with Marty • Jumping with Joyce • Learning with Linda

Kol Rinah Summer Fun Camp

is "the place to be"!

June 9 – August 1

Ages 2-5

With some available spots open in infant/toddler rooms

Weekly enrollments available

Full Time 7:30am – 6:00pm
7:30am breakfast
9:00am morning program
1:00pm-3:00pm nap, quiet activities, yoga
3:00pm-6:00pm enrichment

Family Time for parent and child
Open Play in the gym evenings and weekends

Contact Marty Schaffer, Director - 314.727.2565, marty@kolrinahstl.org

www.KolRinahSTL.org
Adult Education Committee presents World-Renowned Fertility Specialist to speak at Kol Rinah.

Fertility and infertility play a major role in the early Parshas of the Torah. In Bereishis and Noach, God encourages Man to be fruitful and multiply, and they do so successfully. In Lech Lecha, when Abraham and Sarah cannot conceive a child, God sends a fertility expert in the form of an Angel and, with his help, Sarah becomes pregnant and Isaac is born.

On Friday Night May 9, Kol Rinah will be visited by a current day fertility angel, world-wide infertility authority Dr. Sherman Silber. He will discuss how diagnostic and therapeutic technology has changed since the time of Sarah and Abraham and how these technologies relate to Torah requirements.

Dr. Silber is the medical director of the Infertility Center of St. Louis at St. Luke’s Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri, where he has used his expertise to treat patients from around the world.

Schedule
6:00 pm - Services
7:00 pm - Wine and cheese, followed by dinner
8:00 pm - Presentation:
Fertility and Jewish Law

Child care will be available following services.

$15 charge.

Please RSVP to the office by May 7.

On-going Adult Ed Programs include:
Poetry Chavurah, facilitated by Mary Berger and Haftorah Classes with Howard Belsky.
The Next Adult Education Committee Meeting is scheduled for Sunday April 27. Everybody is welcome!

Women's Social Group
We want to thank all the volunteers that helped on Mitzvah Day to pack 92 soup bean mixes for the Jewish Food Pantry. We are having two great programs in May that we are sponsoring. On May 4th, we will have a music program presentation of the "Magic Flute" and on May 22nd, a luncheon and bingo for 60+.

Marilyn Dien
President of the Kol Rinah Women’s Social Group

Everyone Has A Story
Sima Needleman
Beatrice Borenstein
You can find Bea attending Kol Rinah minyan twice a day, every day with very few exceptions.

Bea’s full Story is available in our racks. Past copies are available upon request.
To have the Story mailed to you monthly, call our office at 314.727.1747.

Photo Courtesy of John Scott Photography
Blood Donors Must:
• Be healthy*
• Be at least 17 years old or 16 years old with parental consent if allowed by state law
• Weigh at least 110 lbs. (Additional weight requirements apply for donors 18 years old and younger and all high school donors.
*Note: Healthy means that you feel well and can perform normal activities. If you have a chronic condition such as diabetes, healthy also means that you are being treated and the condition is under control.

Tips for a Successful Donation:
• Maintain a healthy iron level by eating iron-rich foods such as red meat, fish, poultry, beans, spinach, iron-rich cereals and raisins.
• Drink an extra 16 oz. of water or nonalcoholic fluid before your donation.
• Do not fast before a blood donation.
• Eat healthy. Stay away from fatty foods like hamburgers, fries and ice cream.
• Try to get a good night’s sleep.
• Wear shirt/sweater with sleeves that can be raised above your elbow.

Bring your donor card, driver’s license or two other forms of ID. Benefits of Donating:
• It feels great to donate!
• You get free juice and delicious Keebler® cookies.
• It’s something you can spare – most people have blood to spare… yet, there is still not enough to go around.
• You will help ensure blood is on the shelf when needed – most people don’t think they’ll ever need blood, but many do.
• You will be someone’s hero – in fact, you could help save more than one life with just one donation.

RSVP TO: michele_kingsley@yahoo.com • 314-727-1747
Tuesday Apr 1, 2014
Rosh Chodesh Nisan
See Minyan Schedule
8am Jewish Ethics Class - Sara Myers Rm 106
6:30pm Haftorah Class - Library

Wednesday Apr 2, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
8:15am Rabbi Fasman's Talmud Shiur
9:30am Kindermusic - Rm 101
4:15pm KRRS
6:15pm Kadima Dinner/USY Lounge Night - Youth Lounge

Thursday Apr 3, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
7pm Coordinating Mtng - Library

Friday Apr 4, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
6pm Kabbalat Shabbat
7pm 2nd/3rd Grade Kabbalat Shabbat Dinner
7:09pm Candle lighting

Saturday Apr 5, 2014
Parshat Metzora
Kiddush for Ann Frank's 80th Birthday
9am Shabbat Service
10:30am Kidrash - Chapel
6pm Mincha/Seudah Shelishit/Ma'ariv
8:15pm Shabbat Ends

Sunday Apr 6, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
9am Communications Mtng - Library
9:30am Sisterhood Mtng - Daily Chapel
9:30am Kol Rinah Religious School
10:30am Holy Rollers - Auditorium

Monday Apr 7, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
9:45am Rabbi Fasman's Class - Sara Myers Rm 106

Tuesday Apr 8, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
8am Jewish Ethics Class - Sara Myers Rm 106
10am Poetry Reading Chavurah - Daily Chapel
11am JCRC Mtng - Auditorium
6:30pm Haftorah Class - Library

Wednesday Apr 9, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
8:15am Rabbi Fasman's Talmud Shiur
9:30am Kindermusic - Rm 101
4:15pm KRRS
7pm Mussar Study Group - Library
7:30pm USY Lounge Night - Youth Lounge

Thursday Apr 10, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
11:30am ECC Passover Program
7pm Kol Rinah Board Mtng

Friday Apr 11, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
6pm Kabbalat Shabbat
7:16pm Candle lighting

Saturday Apr 12, 2014
Parshat Achrei Mot
Shabbat HaGadol
9am Shabbat Service
10:30am Kidrash - Chapel
11am Rhythm n' Ruach - Sara Myers Rm 106
6:15pm Mincha/Seudah Shelishit/Ma'ariv
8:15pm Shabbat Ends

Sunday Apr 13, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
9am Communications Mtng - Library
9am KRRS Cooking Class - Auditorium
9:30am Kol Rinah Religious School
9:30am Men's Club Board Mtng - Sara Myers Rm 106

Monday Apr 14, 2014
Erev Pesach
Ta'anit Bechorim
See Minyan Schedule (6:45am, 6pm)
7:18pm Candle lighting

Tuesday Apr 15, 2014
Pesach I
9am Shacharit, 6pm Mincha/Ma'ariv
6:30 Community Seder - Levy Auditorium
8:18pm Candle lighting

Wednesday Apr 16
Pesach II
9am Shacharit, 6pm Mincha/Ma'ariv
8:19pm Festival Ends

Thursday Apr 17, 2014
Pesach III (CH''M)
See Minyan Schedule
8:30pm USY Evening Event

Friday Apr 18, 2014
Pesach IV (CH''M)
See Minyan Schedule
6pm Kabbalat Shabbat
7:22pm Candle lighting

Saturday Apr 19, 2014
Pesach V (CH''M)
9am Shabbat Service
10am Nitzavim - a parallel (traditional)
intergenerational minyan - Daily Chapel
10:30am KRRS MilgaShabbat - Mirowitz
12:30pm Toasting Talmud and Torah
6:20pm Mincha/Seudah Shelishit/Ma'ariv
8:23pm Shabbat Ends

Sunday Apr 20, 2014
Pesach VI (CH''M)
See Minyan Schedule
9am Communications Mtng - Library
9:30am Kol Rinah Religious School
10:15am KRRS Cooking Class - Auditorium
7:24pm Candle lighting

Monday Apr 21, 2014
Pesach VII
9am Shacharit, 6pm Mincha/Ma'ariv
8:25pm Candle Lighting

Tuesday Apr 22, 2014
Pesach VIII
9am Shacharit, 6pm Mincha/Ma'ariv
8:26pm Festival Ends

Wednesday Apr 23, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
8:15am Rabbi Fasman's Talmud Shiur
9:30am Kindermusic - Rm 101
4:15pm KRRS
7:30pm USY Lounge Night - Youth Lounge

Thursday Apr 24, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
Friday Apr 25, 2014
See Minyan Schedule
6pm Kabbalat Shabbat
6pm Shabbat Interfaith Dinner - Sara Myers Rm 106
7:29pm Candle lighting

Saturday Apr 26, 2014
Parshat Kedoshim
aufruf for Stephanie Levy and David Feinman
9am Shabbat Service
10:30am Kidrash - Chapel
6:30pm Mincha/Seudah Shelishit/Ma'ariv
8:30pm Shabbat Ends
8:30pm USY Evening Event

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Minyan Schedule
Monday - Friday 7am
Sunday 8am
Sunday - Friday 6pm
Rosh Chodesh - 6:45am
Special Holiday times as posted
Saturday services will be held at the times posted in the calendar.

PLEASE ATTEND A MINYAN
AND BE COUNTED
WANT A FAMILY MEMBER IN A NURSING HOME TO GET A VISIT?

Chesed Committee volunteers regularly visit our members and even former members in nursing homes.

If you know a member who is in a nursing home, have a family member in a nursing home, or would like to be a volunteer, please call Barbara Bianco 314.727.2399 or email barbarab2@aol.com

SAVE THE DATE
Friday, April 25, 2014

Interfaith Family Shabbat Dinner

6pm Kabbalat Shabbat musical service
7:30pm Shabbat dinner and program

All are welcome!

Interfaith families are part of our synagogue and part of our world. Kol Rinah's new Interfaith Family Havurah wants to bring everyone together to learn about the challenges and blessings of interfaith relationships and families.

This is the kick-off for the new Interfaith Family Chavurah but you do not need to join the Chavurah in order to come to this dinner. No commitment is necessary.

Check e-blast in a few weeks for more information.

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Do you know or want to learn a Haftarah or read part of a Torah portion? We can help.

For scheduling, coaching or partnering, please call or e-mail either of our coordinators.

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The Mahjong group meets at Crown Center every Thursday at 1pm. If you are new to the game, we can teach you.

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And while you are at it, please don’t forget to fill out the Kol Rinah Member Fair Share Dues form that you received in the mail. We need this form to establish our budget for 2014. If you need a new one, you can pick one up in the Kol Rinah office, or you can call 314.727.1747 and have one mailed to you.

Thank you for Sharing Your Voice.

Nissan 5774

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