

CONGREGATION **Kol Ami** VOICE OF MY PEOPLE

WORSHIP SERVICES

**Friday *erev Shabbat* Services
on the Meadow: July 2, 9, 16, 23
& 30 and August 6, 13, 20 & 27**

5:45 p.m. - BYOD and blankets or
comfortable chairs

6:30 p.m. - Brief service under the
trees and sky

FRIDAY, July 9, 6:30 p.m.

Second-Friday Birthday and
Anniversary Blessings

FRIDAY, August 6, 6:30 p.m.

First-Friday Birthday and Anniver-
sary Blessings (parents of college-
bound children have the oppor-
tunity to quietly bless their sons/
daughters in front of the ark)

FRIDAY, August 13, 6:30 p.m.

Prospective Members *erev Shabbat*;
Bring your friends who would enjoy
being part of our congregation!

HIGH HOLY DAYS 2010

Selichot

Saturday, September 4, 10:00 p.m.

erev Rosh Hashanah

Wednesday, September 8, 8:00 p.m.

Rosh Hashanah

Thursday, September 9, 10:00 a.m.

Tashlikh-erev Shabbat

Friday, September 10, 6:00 p.m.

Kol Nidrei

Friday, September 17, 8:00 p.m.

Yom Kippur

Saturday, September 18, 10:00 a.m.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**Summertime, summertime,
sum, sum, summertime!!!!**

As I put pen to paper, or more aptly,
cursor to computer screen, summer is
fast approaching, and by the time you
read this, we will be complaining about
the humidity, frizzy hair, and bored kids.

Oh, but I can't wait! Less running around,
less e-mails to deal with (hopefully), more
outside time, and vacation time all await.
It is the only time of year that I genuinely
feel I have the time to stop and smell the
roses, something we all need to do more
of in this crazy world.

One particularly wonderful way I am able
to do this is by attending Friday night
services on the meadow. I would like to
invite all of you to join me this summer
for a picnic dinner or just the wonderful
service. How unique is it to listen to the
birds while we pray and feel the breeze
under the trees as we stand together? It
really is an amazingly spiritual and calm-
ing experience.

If you have already experienced *Shabbat*
on the meadow, then you already know
this, and if you haven't, you are missing
out—and nobody wants that, right? So
come on down or over or whatever—but
come and be part of our community.

Ilene Schafer

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On behalf of the 2010 Confirmands, Becca Leifer (center) and Ellie Kaplan (right) present a gift to the synagogue, which was received by past president Jennifer Streitwieser.

MAZAL TOV

Congratulations to **Kate Goldenberg** for being recognized as a National Merit Scholar and receiving a scholarship to attend the University of Pennsylvania. Kate was also inducted into the Cum Laude Society, a national honor society recognizing scholastic achievement. ■

CONDOLENCES

We extend our heartfelt condolences in loving memory of:

Jeffrey Dorval

*father of Amy (Paul) Fleck
grandfather of Matt and Erica*

David Maravankin

uncle of Gabriel (Orly) Maravankin

Estelle Miller

mother of David (Margery) Miller

Diane Rosenfeld

wife of Robert Rosenfeld

May their memories forever be blessings among our People. ■

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Spiritual Growth Group

Thursday, July 15, at 7:30 p.m.

Co-chairs: Natalie Dyen, 215-657-4124, and Janet Falon, 215-635-1698 ■

WEEKLY TORAH AND HAFTARAH PORTIONS FOR THE MONTHS OF JULY AND AUGUST

July 3	<i>Pinchas</i>	Numbers 25:10-30:1, Jeremiah 1:1-2:3
July 10	<i>Mattote-Ma'aseh</i>	Numbers 30:2-36:13, Jeremiah 2:4-28
July 17	<i>Devarim</i>	Deuteronomy 1:1-3:22, Isaiah 1:1-27
July 24	<i>Va'etchanan</i>	Deuteronomy 3:23-7:11, Isaiah 40:1-26
July 31	<i>Ekev</i>	Deuteronomy 7:12-11:25, Isaiah 49:14-51:3
August 7	<i>Re'eh</i>	Deuteronomy 11:26-16:17, Isaiah 54:11-55:5
August 14	<i>Shofetim</i>	Deuteronomy 16:18-21:9, Isaiah 51:12-52:12
August 21	<i>Kee Tetzei</i>	Deuteronomy 21:10-25:19, Isaiah 54:1-10
August 28	<i>Kee Tavo</i>	Deuteronomy 26:1-29:8, Isaiah 60:1-22 ■

CONGRATULATIONS TO KOL AMI NURSERY SCHOOL WINNER!

Teacher Barbara Cohen, preschooler Madeline Tellie, Center Director Sheri Cutler, and preschooler Cole Lankin proudly display the banner that publicizes Kol Ami Nursery School being named their first choice of preschools by parents in Montgomery County.

Many thanks to those of you who supported this effort! It's an extremely important endorsement and helps to publicize something we all know—the fact that the Kol Ami Nursery School is an outstanding place for young children.

The Montgomery Newspaper chain (with a distribution of 47,100 readers) will publicize all of the winners in their 13 newspapers. Congratulations to all of the nursery school staff who work so hard with our children and are dedicated to them being the best they can be! ■





24-HOUR WATER FASTS FOR THIS MONTH AND NEXT

Rabbi Holin's **Fast for Darfur** and **Nothing But Nets** fast support rescue efforts in Darfur and the Union for Reform Judaism's (URJ's) Nothing But Nets project, in which families in need are provided with and educated on the proper use of insecticide-treated family bed nets to prevent the spread of malaria in Africa. This fast will be on **Thursday, July 8**, and **Tuesday, August 10**.

Rabbi Holin's **Phast for Philadelphia** supports unemployed workers in Philadelphia struggling to make ends meet by helping them pay their mortgages and electric bills and helping them with health care needs. This fast will be on **Friday, July 16**, and **Wednesday, August 25**.

Join our rabbi in a fast—or virtual fast—no matter where you are, by sending funds that you would have spent on food to help people in need:

Commission on Social Action

Union for Reform Judaism
633 Third Avenue, 7th Floor, New York, NY 10017
(make check payable to the URJ with a memo note 'Nothing But Nets')

Save Darfur Coalition

3246 Solutions Center, Lockbox #773246, Chicago, IL 60677

Unemployment Information Center

112 N. Broad Street, 11th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19102
(make check payable to Unemployment Information Center with a memo note 'Philadelphia Unemployment Office') ■

2010 KOL AMI GOLF & TENNIS OUTING

The 2010 Kol Ami Golf & Tennis Outing is set for **Tuesday, October 5**, at the beautiful Talamore Country Club. Please save the date and be sure to sign up to help make it another great event. While still three months away, it is never too soon to commit to any of the following ways of participating:

- Recruit a business to sponsor a hole or a foursome or any part of the day
- Sponsor a hole, tennis court, or beverage table yourself
- Play golf or tennis and have dinner for a foursome, twosome, or just you.
- Solicit or contribute items for our great silent auction which will once again feature a one-year social membership to Talamore, worth \$9,000.
- For fathers and mothers, organize a son or daughter golf or tennis team.
- Come for dinner.
- Make a contribution.
- Purchase a few raffle tickets.

Help us mix *tzedakah*, tennis, golf, and a great social time to raise over \$30,000 for our congregation. Volunteer offers, contributions, questions can be handled by co-chairs Ben Long at 215-635-4751 or benl321@comcast.net or Jeff Cohen at 215-635-0757 or jeffcohen.performanceleaders@verizon.net). ■

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Religious School Color Wars



Kol Ami Events

LADIES OF A CERTAIN AGE (LOCA) BARBECUE

Thursday, July 1, at 6:30 p.m.

at home of Sue Elkins in Huntingdon Valley



Welcome in the summer with a potluck barbecue. Please note that the grill is limited to vegan (non-meat/dairy/fish) items, but can be used for grilling veggies, corn, potatoes. Join in the fun and come with suggestions for upcoming events. For more information, call Natalie Dyen at 215-657-4124, Jean Ettinger at 215-635-3623, or Elaine Gershenson at 215-887-3994.

EREV SHABBAT BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS

Friday, July 9 and August 6, at 6:30 p.m.

at our On-the-Meadow Services

If you or someone in your family is celebrating a birthday or anniversary in July or August, please join us for a special *erev Shabbat* service. Rabbi Holin will bless everyone with a July and August *simcha* under a *tallit* in front of the ark. Watch for your invitation for this special *Shabbat simcha*.

Rabbi Holin will continue to send personal letters to everyone celebrating a significant birthday or anniversary ending with 0 or 5 (for example, 40, 45). If you have a special 0 or 5 birthday or anniversary, you will be invited to participate in any Friday service in "your" month by blessing the candles or *challah*, or reciting the *Kiddush*, or at any Saturday service that month by carrying or blessing the *Torah*.

KOL AMI SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

All games start at 6:15 p.m.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Field</u>
Thu	Jul 1	Adath Jeshurun	Horsham
Mon	Jul 5	@Goldstein's	Mondauk 4
Thu	Jul 8	@Temple Sinai 3	Mondauk 5
Thu	Jul 15	@Temple Sinai Men's Club	Mondauk 5
Mon	Jul 19	Kol Emet	Warwick
Mon	Jul 26	@Beth Ami	Russell*
Thu	Jul 29	Germantown Jewish Center	Ridgeway

*Field may change to Horsham

ANNUAL PARENTS' BLESSING OVER COLLEGE-BOUND DAUGHTERS AND SONS

Friday, August 6, at 6:30 p.m.

First-Friday *erev Shabbat* On-the-Meadow Service



Every year at this time, parents with college-bound or returning students attend a special service during which they have the opportunity to privately bless their daughter or son in front of the ark with 'words from the heart.' This is especially meaningful for parents whose only or eldest child is leaving for college for the first time. Rabbi Holin will provide the texts of traditional blessings, but the most powerful words are those privately shared between parents and children, a sight that moved everyone privileged to have been at the service. We invite you to join us with your children who are commencing or returning to college. If you would like to receive copies of appropriate prayers in advance of the service, please call Rabbi Holin at 215-635-4182.



SELICHOT: LATE NIGHT THOUGHTS AND GUIDED IMAGERY

Saturday, September 4, at 10:00 p.m.

What are your most fervent hopes as you prepare to welcome *Rosh Hashanah*? How can you leave behind emotional baggage that weighs you down and, through forgiveness (*selichot*) and resolution, move into a brighter future? What do you envision for yourself? Rabbi Holin's exercise in guided imagery might help you see with greater clarity what you need to do to make the New Year everything you want it to be.

Our *Selichot* prayer booklet will prepare our entry into the High Holy Days, which begin on September 8, and our Cantorial Soloist, Rebecca Schwartz, will inspire us through the melodies associated with the holiest time of the year. ■

ISH GAME NIGHT

A group of “young-ish” congregants met on Saturday, May 22, at the Cohen and Blower residence to enjoy an evening of game-playing fun! Various board games and cards were available as well as refreshing drinks and scrumptious snacks. It’s was a great night for the grown-ups to hang out and play!

If you’re interested in learning more about the ISH group, contact co-chairs Sheryl Cohen, 215-885-2436 or shcohen361@verizon.net, and Heather Pelletier, 215-885-3216 or esppt@verizon.net. ■



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KOL AMI JULY 2010 AT A GLANCE

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 CSA Food Distribution 5:00 p.m. Ladies of a Certain Age (LOCA) BBQ @ Home of Sue Elkins - 6:30 p.m.	2 <i>erev Shabbat Service on the Meadow</i> 6:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. - BYOD	3
4	5 No Nursery School Camp Fourth of July	6	7 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Sign Language	8 CSA Food Distribution 5:00 p.m.	9 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Yoga "Second-Friday" <i>erev Shabbat Service on the Meadow</i> 6:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. - BYOD	10
11	12	13	14 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Sign Language	15 Nursery School Camp 11:00 a.m. - Fitness CSA Food Distribution 5:00 p.m. Spiritual Growth Group 7:30 p.m.	16 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Yoga <i>erev Shabbat Service on the Meadow</i> 6:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. - BYOD	17
18	19	20	21 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Sign Language	22 CSA Food Distribution 5:00 p.m.	23 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Yoga <i>erev Shabbat Service on the Meadow</i> 6:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. - BYOD	24
25	26	27	28 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Sign Language	29 CSA Food Distribution 5:00 p.m.	30 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Yoga <i>erev Shabbat Service on the Meadow</i> 6:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. - BYOD	31

KOL AMI AUGUST 2010 AT A GLANCE

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Sign Language	5 CSA Food Distribution 5:00 p.m.	6 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Yoga College Student Blessing & "First-Friday" <i>erev Shabbat Service on the Meadow</i> - 6:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. - BYOD	7
8	9	10	11 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Sign Language	12 CSA Food Distribution 5:00 p.m.	13 Nursery School Camp 10:00 a.m. - Yoga Prospective Member <i>erev Shabbat Service on the Meadow</i> 6:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. - BYOD	14
15	16	17	18	19 CSA Food Distribution 5:00 p.m.	20 <i>erev Shabbat Service on the Meadow</i> 6:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. - BYOD	21
22/29	23/30	24/31	25	26 CSA Food Distribution 5:00 p.m.	27 <i>erev Shabbat Service on the Meadow</i> 6:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. - BYOD	28

2010-2011 Services Calendar

SEPTEMBER 2010

Friday	3	7:30 p.m.	“First-Friday” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	4	10:00 p.m.	<i>Selichot</i> Service
Friday	10	6:00 p.m.	<i>Tashlikh-erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	11	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Wednesday	22	7:00 p.m.	<i>erev Sukkot</i> Service
Thursday	23	10:00 a.m.	<i>Sukkot</i> Service
Friday	24	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	25	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Wednesday	29	7:00 p.m.	<i>erev Simchat Torah</i>
Thursday	30	10:00 a.m.	<i>Simchat Torah-Yizkor</i>

OCTOBER 2010

Friday	1	7:30 p.m.	“First-Friday” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Adult Choir
Saturday	2	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	2	4:00 p.m.	Family <i>Havdalah</i> Service
Friday	8	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> – Board Installation Service
Saturday	9	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	9	2:00 p.m.	Blessing of the Pets
Friday	15	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> - Religious-School-wide Service with Student Choir
Saturday	16	10:00 a.m.	<i>Bat Mitzvah</i> of Erica Fleck
Friday	22	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	23	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	29	7:00 p.m.	Children’s-Family <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	30	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	30	5:30 p.m.	<i>Bat Mitzvah</i> of Arin Edelstein

NOVEMBER 2010

Friday	5	7:30 p.m.	“First-Friday” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Adult Choir & Beverly Rosen (guest speaker)
Saturday	6	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Sunday	7	1:00 p.m.	Healing Service
Friday	12	8:00 p.m.	Interfaithways <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service/IRD; 7:00 p.m. Pre-service Wine & Cheese
Saturday	13	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	13	5:30 p.m.	<i>Bat Mitzvah</i> of Sarah Boise
Friday	19	6:00 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> - Kids@Kol Ami Service with Student Choir
Friday	19	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> - New Member Service
Saturday	20	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	26	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	27	10:00 a.m.	<i>Bar Mitzvah</i> of Owen Deitcher

DECEMBER 2010

Friday	3	7:30 p.m.	First-Friday” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Adult and Student Choirs
Saturday	4	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	10	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Grade 8 & 9 Student Participation
Saturday	11	10:00 a.m.	“Touch <i>Torah</i> ” <i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	17	7:30 p.m.	“Teen-Led” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	18	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	24	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> “Musical” Service
Saturday	25	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	25	5:30 p.m.	“Chow Mein” <i>Havdalah</i> Service and Movie
Friday	31	6:00 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service

JANUARY 2011

Saturday	1	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	7	7:30 p.m.	First-Friday” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Adult Choir
Saturday	8	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	14	7:00 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Children’s-Family Service
Saturday	15	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	21	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Student Choir
Saturday	22	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	28	8:00 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service; 7:00 p.m. Pre-service Wine & Cheese
Saturday	29	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service

FEBRUARY 2011

Friday	4	7:30 p.m.	First-Friday” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Adult Choir
Saturday	5	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	11	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Grade 3-5 Student Participation
Saturday	12	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	12	5:30 p.m.	Martini <i>Havdalah</i> Service
Sunday	13	1:00 p.m.	Healing Service
Friday	18	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Student Choir
Saturday	19	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	25	6:45 p.m.	Nursery School <i>erev Shabbat</i> Dinner & Auction
Saturday	26	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service

MARCH 2011

Friday	4	7:30 p.m.	“ <i>Shabbat Across America</i> ” First-Friday <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Adult Choir
Saturday	5	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	11	6:00 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Grade K-2 Participation and Student Choir
Friday	11	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	12	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	18	8:00 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service; 7:00 p.m. Pre-service Wine & Cheese
Saturday	19	10:00 a.m.	“Touch <i>Torah</i> ” <i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	25	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	26	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service

APRIL 2011

Friday	1	7:30 p.m.	First-Friday” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Adult Choir
Saturday	2	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service with Grade 10 Student Participation
Friday	8	6:00 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> - Kids@Kol Ami Service with Student Choir
Friday	8	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	9	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service with Grade 10 Student Participation
Saturday	9	4:00 p.m.	Family <i>Havdalah</i> Service
Sunday	10	1:00 p.m.	Healing Service
Friday	15	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	16	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Tuesday	19	6:00 p.m.	Second <i>Seder</i>
Friday	22	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	23	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Monday	25	10:00 a.m.	Concluding Day of <i>Passover-Yizkor</i>
Friday	29	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	30	10:00 a.m.	<i>Bar Mitzvah</i> of Jed Pancza

MAY 2011

Friday	6	7:30 p.m.	First-Friday” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Adult Choir
Saturday	7	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> service
Friday	13	7:00 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Children’s-Family Service with Student Choir
Saturday	14	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	14	5:30 p.m.	<i>Bar Mitzvah</i> of Adam Fishbein
Friday	20	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> - Grade 7 <i>Aliyah</i> Service with Grade 6 Student Participation
Saturday	21	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Friday	27	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	28	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service

JUNE 2011

Friday	3	7:30 p.m.	First-Friday” <i>erev Shabbat</i> Service
Saturday	4	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shabbat</i> Service
Tuesday	7	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation Service
Wednesday	8	10:00 a.m.	<i>Shavuot-Yizkor</i> Service
Friday	10	7:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> Service with Adult & Student Choirs Honoring IMWise Graduates
Saturday	11	7:00 p.m.	Martini <i>Havdalah</i>
Friday	17	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service
Friday	24	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service

JULY 2011

Friday	1	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service
Friday	8	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service
Friday	15	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service
Friday	22	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service
Friday	29	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service

AUGUST 2011

Friday	5	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service
Friday	12	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service
Friday	19	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service
Friday	26	6:30 p.m.	<i>erev Shabbat</i> On-the-Meadow Service ■

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Marvin and Leslie Kreithen
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Alan and Elaine Gershenson

**Our son, Sam, graduating from
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Erik and Jennifer Streitwieser

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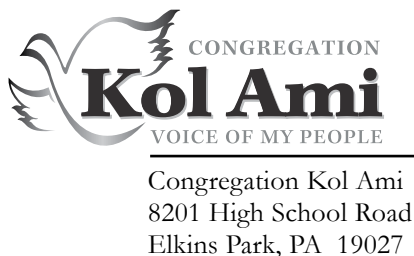
Raymond and Elizabeth Grenald ■



Rabbi Elliot Holin and President Ilene Schafer present Sam Streitwieser with a gift upon his graduation from the IMWise program.

Petting Zoo Comes to Kol Ami's Nursery School





TO:



KOL AMI'S PROSPECTIVE MEMBER SHABBAT BRING A FRIEND ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 13

Join us for *Shabbat* dinner and service outside on Kol Ami's lovely and shady meadow. BYOP (bring your own picnic) for a pre-service dinner beginning at 5:45 p.m. The outdoor service on the meadow begins at 6:30 p.m. People unable to arrive in time for the picnic are heartily invited to arrive for the service. A dessert oneg follows the service. Families are welcome!

Children can stay and enjoy the service or explore the meadow. Or, if you'd like a teen to take your child to Kol Ami's preschool playground, call Irene at 215-782-2253 to make arrangements in advance.

Tell your friends, neighbors, and extended family about our warm and welcoming community. If you know of a prospective member or need more information, contact Membership Chair Irene Levy Baker at 215-782-2253 or spotlightpr@comcast.net. ■