

Jewish Lecture Series

All Jewish Lecture Series events are free and open to the public.

Annual Commemoration of *Kristallnacht* and Recommitment to Combating Anti-Semitism and Hatred

Keynote Address:
"Against All Odds Change is
Possible: A Personal Journey"
Dr. Bernd Wollschlaeger



SINAI CHAPELS

Presented by the Resnick Family and Sinai Chapels, Fresh Meadows, Queens, NY

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2014, 2-4 pm
LeFrak Concert Hall



Dr. Bernd Wollschlaeger, an award-winning physician in Aventura, Florida, highly regarded for eminent work within the profession, is also the author of several books, which include *A German Life: Against All Odds*

Change is Possible. In this autobiography he describes his struggle growing up in Germany in the shadow of his father, a highly-decorated WWII tank commander and Nazi officer. Eventually young Wollschlaeger would convert to Judaism; immigrate to Israel—where he completed his medical education, and serve in the Israel Defense Forces as a Medical Officer.

The program will include a candle-lighting ceremony with six Holocaust Survivors, or their children, escorted by student fellows from the Center for Ethnic, Racial, and Religious Understanding, each of whom makes a commitment to combat anti-Semitism and hatred after introducing a Survivor. In addition there will be a multicultural invocation and audiovisual and musical interludes.

Organized by the Center for Jewish Studies and the Center for Ethnic, Racial & Religious Understanding at Queens College, the Queens Jewish Community Council, Kupferberg Holocaust Research Center and Archives at Queensborough Community College, and others.

For LeFrak Concert Hall, there is free parking in Lot 15 on Reeves Avenue (behind the Music Building) and easy elevator access to the concert hall.

