

PRAIRIE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY

Sunday, November 27, 2005
Harvest Celebration
Intergenerational Program

Prelude – *Music from Hymn 349*
Doleta Chapru

Welcome - Galen Smith

Chalice Lighting & Opening Words -
Ruth Calden

Hymn #349 – *We Gather Together**
(verses 1 and 2)

Moment of Silent Meditation

Joys and Concerns

Story for All Ages
Frederick by Leo Leonna
read by Rose Smith

Music of the New World
Played by Ruth Calden

The World as Represented in an American Thanksgiving Dinner, with probable approximate dates they were first domesticated

- A1. Turkey, Central America by 3500 B.C.**
- A2. Pig, China, Southwest Asia by 7500 B.C.**
- P3. Wheat, Southwest Asia (Fertile Crescent) 8500 B.C.**
- P4. "Irish" potato, Andes Mountains of South America after 200 A.D.?**
- P5. Corn (Maize) Central America by 3500 B.C.**
- P6. Pea, Southwest Asia by 8500 B.C.**
- P7. Cranberry, Eastern North America after 1600's**
- P8. Sugar cane, New Guinea?7000 B.C.?**
- P9. "Pumpkins", (many kinds of "squashes") Central and South America by 3500 B.C.**
- P10. Apple, Eurasia after 4000 B.C.**

OTHER ANIMALS DOMESTICATED FOR FOOD

- Cow (Cattle), Southwest Asia, India, (North Africa?) 6000 B.C.**
- Chicken, China (by 7500 B.C.?)**
- Sheep, Southwest Asia 8000 B.C.**
- Goat, Southwest Asia 8000 B.C.**

OTHER CULTIVATED FOOD PLANTS

- Sweet potato, Amazonia of South America by 2000 B.C.**
- Rice, China by 7500 B.C.**
- Lentil, Fertile Crescent 7000 B.C.**
- Chickpea, Fertile Crescent 3500 B.C.**
- Jerusalem artichoke, Eastern North America after 1600's?**
- Sunflower, Western United States and Mexico before 2000 B.C.**
- Tomato, South America or Central America? Date?**
- Coffee, Ethiopia? Date?**

What Are We Thankful For?

Bob Radford

Hymn #69 – *Give Thanks**

Table Discussion – What are we thankful for?

Song for All Ages – *Thanksgiving Day**

Table Discussion and Activities

Where did our Thanksgiving Foods Come From?

Led by Mary Mullen and Galen Smith

Offertory – *Chant for the Season*

Accompanist, Doleta Chapru

Offering

Introduction of Guests and Visitors

Prairie Announcements

Closing Words – Bob Radford

“And now we take our leave”

By Barbara Cheatham

*stand as you are able

Calendar

Sunday, November 27. Prairie Fire Deadline. Send submissions to prouds@tds.net.

Tuesday, November 29, 2:00 p.m. Prairie Elders meet at Oakwood West.

Wednesday, November 30, 6:30 p.m. Midweek Meal @ Prairie

Sunday, December 4, 9:00 a.m. Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, December 4, 10:00 a.m. "Jesus and Empire" presented by Bob Reuschlein

Sunday, December 4, 11:30 a.m. Book Group discussion of *Blood Done Sign My Name*.

Wednesday, December 7, 6:30 p.m. Midweek Meal @ Prairie.

Sunday, December 11, 10:00 a.m. Nifty Gifty program for R.E.

Sunday, December 11, 10:00 a.m. The Rev. Jody Whelden will speak.

Thursday, December 15, 6:30 p.m. Spanish Speakers Potluck at Prairie.

Sunday, December 18, 10:00 a.m. Intergenerational Symbol Tree Service led by Erin Bosch.

Sunday, December 25, 10:00 a.m. Christmas Carol Celebration.