

Calendar

Sunday, June 10

11:30 a.m. Book Club discusses *Eats, Shoots and Leaves*

Wednesday, June 13

6:30 p.m. Midweek Meal at Prairie

Thursday, June 14

7:30 p.m. Housing & Property Committee meeting

Sunday, June 17

10:00 a.m. "Another View of Iran" presented by Bonnie and Bob Block

Wednesday, June 20

6:30 p.m. Midweek Meal at Prairie

6:30 p.m. Spanish Speakers meet at the home of Bill Shaffer

Wednesday-Sunday, June 20-24

UUA General Assembly, Portland, Oregon

Thursday, June 21

7:00 p.m. Prairie Film Group views *Vanya on 42nd Street*

Sunday, June 24

10:00 a.m. "Venezuela: Condoms and the Constitution" presented by Mary Somers

Tuesday, June 26

2:00 p.m. Prairie Elders meet at Oakwood West

Wednesday, June 27

6:30 p.m. Midweek Meal at Prairie

Friday-Sunday, July 6-8

Summer Spree at Prairie

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Rev. Ralph Tyksinski, Minister

Sunday, June 10, 2007

Prelude - *Summer Frolic* by Doleta Chapru

Welcome - Rev. Ralph Tyksinski

Opening Words:

Come into this circle of community. Come into this special space.

Be not tentative. Bring your whole self!

Bring the joy that makes your heart sing.

Bring your kindness and your compassion.

Bring also your sorrow, your pain.

Bring your brokenness and your disappointments.

Spirit of love and mystery; help us to recognize the spark of the divine that resides within each of us.

May we know the joy of wholeness.

May we know the joy of being together.

* Hymn #301 - *Touch the Earth, Reach the Sky*

Chalice Lighting

In the mystery of life about us there is light.

It gives us a place to be, to grow, to rejoice together.

It opens the pathways to love.

In this place of friendship there is freedom.

Let the light we kindle go before us,

Strong in hope, wide in good will, inviting the day to come.

Silent Meditation (one minute)

Joys and Concerns

Prairie UU Society Choir - *We Give Thanks*

Reading: #547 - *Summer Meditation*

Presentation: "Summertime is Coming" - Rev. Ralph

Discussion

Offertory – Doleta Chapru

Summer's Nocturne by Catherine Rollin

Introduction of Guests and Visitors

Prairie Announcements.

(Additional announcements are in your order of service.)

*Closing Hymn - *Will You Go, Lassie Go*

Oh, the summer time is coming and the trees are sweetly blooming,
And the wild mountain thyme grows around the blooming heather,

Will you go, Lassie go?

Refrain: *And we'll all go together to pluck wild mountain thyme,
all around the blooming heather, will you go, Lassie go?*

I will build my love a tower near yon pure crystal fountain,

And on it I will pile all the flowers of the mountain,

Will you go, Lassie go?

If my true love, she were gone, I would surely find another,
where wild mountain thyme grows around the blooming heather,

Will you go, Lassie go?

Closing Words - *And now we take our leave.*

Before we gather here again--

may each of us bring happiness into another's life;

may we each be surprised by the gifts that surround us;

may each of us be enlivened by constant curiosity

And may we remain together in spirit til the hour we meet again.

Postlude - Doleta Chapru

Tomorrow's Child (excerpt) by Spencer Brewer

*Stand as you are able.

Welcome to Prairie. We are glad that you are here. We thank our minister, Rev. Ralph Tyksinski, and our musicians, Doleta Chapru and the Prairie Choir, for their service today. Please join us for coffee and conversation following the service.

Announcements

Book Group meets today after the service to discuss *Eats, Shoots, and Leaves*.

Prairie Elders will meet Tuesday, June 26, 2:00-3:50 p.m., Nakoma Room, Heritage Oaks Building, Oakwood Village West. Come to discuss a book that inspired, motivated, influenced or otherwise had special meaning to you in your adult life.

Spanish Speakers will meet for potluck and conversation on Wednesday, June 20, at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Bill Shaffer, 1029 Spaight St, #B6. For questions or rides, contact Rosemary Dorney, 238-4382.

Save the date – Our annual Prairie Retreat will be September 14-16 at Bethel Horizons Retreat Center. Members, friends and guests of all ages are welcome. Activities include indoor and outdoor games, crafts, music, discussions, workshops, nature hikes, campfires and our famous Talent Show and Key Log Ceremony. If you have an idea for a session, contact Aileen Nettleton. Registration information and costs will be appearing in Prairie Fire. Scholarships are available for individuals or families.