PRAIRIE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY

2010 Whenona Drive, Madison 53711 http://uuprairie.org Rev. Ralph Tyksinski, Minister

Sunday, March 9, 2008

Welcome - Rachel Long, President of Prairie

Opening Words - A few anecdotes from the Middle East

*Hymn #119 - Once to Every Soul & Nation Doleta Chapru, accompanist

Chalice Lighting #650 - Responsive Reading - Cherish Your Doubts

Moment of Silence

Joys and Concerns

Presentation -"Highlights from the American Association for the Advancement of Science Conference" - Mary & John Frantz

Discussion

Offertory - Rustles of Spring (excerpt) by Christian Sinding played by Doleta Chapru

Introduction of Guests and Visitors

Prairie Announcements Additional announcements are in your order of service.

*Hymn #303 - We Are the Earth, Upright and Proud Accompanist Aileen Nettleton

Closing Words - Brief anecdote from a Monroe historian

*Please stand

Welcome to our service! We are glad you are here. Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the service. Thanks to all who made this program possible.

Announcements

Book Group will discuss Timebends by Arthur Miller on March 16.

Meditation sessions will be held at 7:00 p.m. on March 9, 16, and 23 and at 11:45 a.m. on March 30. Everyone is welcome.

Congregational Meeting on Sunday, March 9, will be to review Part 1 of our long-range plan.

Spanish Speakers will meet for potluck and conversation on Wednesday, March 26, at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Prudence Barber, 1104 Mound St., Apt. C. Everyone is welcome.

Prairie Elders will meet on Tuesday, March 24, at 1:30 p.m. at Oakwood West to discuss technological advances you love or hate. See Prairie Fire for more details.

Movie Group will view *Modern Times* starring Charlie Chaplin on Thursday, March 27 at 7:00 p.m. Any Prairie members, friends or guests are welcome.

Members, please read the letter from Rachel Long mailed to you or posted in the online Prairie Fire concerning the status of our Fitchburg property.

Calendar

Sunday, March 9

11:30 a.m. Congregational meeting 7:00 p.m. Meditation

Tuesday, March 11 7:00 p.m. *Building Your Own Theology* class

Wednesday, March 12 7:00 p.m. Program Committee meets

Thursday, March 13 7:00 p.m. Board meeting

Saturday, March 15 Fundraising trip to Chicago Art Institute

Sunday, March 16 10:00 a.m. "Carl Sandburg: A Prairie Universalist?" presented by Rev. Ralph Tyksinski 11:45 a.m. Book Club discusses *Timebends*

Tuesday, March 18 7:00 p.m. *Building Your Own Theology* class

Sunday, March 23 10:00 a.m. "Was Jesus a UU?" - Easter Intergenerational Program

Tuesday, March 25 1:30 p.m. Prairie Elders meets at Oakwood West 7:00 p.m. *Building Your Own Theology* class

Wednesday, March 26 6:30 p.m. Spanish Speakers potluck at the home of Prudence Barber