Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

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"Michael Servetus: Unitarian Martyr," presented by Barbara Park.

September 16, 2012



Today's Order of Service

Prelude: Performed by Dan Proud.

Greeting and Announcements – Christina Klock

*Hymn #298 (SLT): "Wake, Now, My Senses," accompanied by Rosemarie Lester.

Chalice Lighting:

The growth of human knowledge has always depended on individuals of immense talent and passion who have struggles to evoke fundamental change in the way we see our world. Many of those whom we now consider visionaries were ridiculed and reviled, until the force of their vision overwhelmed the concentrated ignorance around them.

- Out of the Flames by Lawrence and Nancy Goldstone.

Silent Meditation

Story for All Ages

Singing the Children Out

**Joys and Concerns

**Introduction of Guests and Visitors

Presentation: "Michael Servetus: Unitarian Martyr," presented by Barbara Park

Discussion

Offering and Offertory: Performed by Dan Proud.

*Hymn #291 (SLT): "Die Gadanken Sind Frei," accompanied by Rosemarie Lester.

Closing Words #529 (SLT): The Stream of Life

Go your ways, knowing not the answers to all things, yet seeking always the answer to one more thing than you know. – John W. Brigham

Greet Your Neighbor

*please stand as you are able.

**please wait for the microphone before speaking; this allows those using the assistive listening devices to hear.

Announcements

Green Note Observe the speed limit! While each vehicle reaches its optimal fuel efficiency at different speeds, gas mileage usually goes down dramatically at speeds over 50 mph. For each 5 mph you drive over 50 it's like paying an added \$.26/gallon!

The Prairie Elders will meet on Tuesday, September 25, from 1:30 to 3:20, in the Nakoma Room, Heritage Oaks Building, Oakwood Village West. This month's topic will be Privatization of American Public Schools. If convenient, bring your own beverage cup and a few snacks.

The next Spanish Speakers Potluck will be held on Monday, September 17, at 6:30 pm, at the home of Mary Somers, 4467 Crescent Road. Bring a dish to pass if you can – all are welcome! Please call Rosemary Dorney at (608) 238-4382 with questions or if you need to arrange a ride.

INTERESTED In a Support Group around "Supporting Aging Parents"? We on the Caring Committee realize there are a number of us in the zone of parental caretaking as our parents age. We'd like to gather to share resources, stories and support. Katherine Peterson and Aileen Nettleton from the Caring Committee will facilitate our first session. We will base it on the concerns of those who come. We will meet from 11:45-1:30 on Sunday, October 14, in one of the classrooms at Prairie. Feel free to bring finger food to share. Please contact Katherine at feelgoodyoga@mac.com (608-205-4366) or Aileen at aanett@sbcglobal.net (238-6053) if you are able to join us so we plan for a space for all. If those who attend wish to meet further, we will plan accordingly at this meeting, but if you wish to come just once, you are welcome.

Please stay after the service next Sunday, September 23, to welcome Pastor Sandy! Coffee, tea, juice, and snacks will be provided.

Prairie UU Society Bond of Union

We, the members of Prairie, wish to associate ourselves together in a religious community which affirms that we share a common humanity, that we need one another, and that our futures are inescapably bound together. Together we would expand our intellectual horizons, enrich our sensory experiences, and deepen our emotional sensitivities. We would sharpen our ethical awareness and broaden our sense of social responsibility. We would stand tall in our quest for integrity of life, yet not at others' expense. As the prairie stretches out until it becomes one with the sky, let us reach out to touch and be one with the natural world, and with one another.

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Prairie Calendar

Sunday, September 16, 2012

10:00 Service – "Michael Servetus: Unitarian Martyr," 8:45 presented by Barbara Park. 10:00

Monday, September 17, 2012

6:30 Spanish Speakers Potluck at the home of Mary Somers

Tuesday, September 18, 2012

7:00 Prairie's Board meets.

Sunday, September 23, 2012

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Service by Rev. Sandy Ingham

11:30 Welcome Pastor Sandy Coffee Hour

Monday, September 24, 2012

7:00 Program Committee meets

Tuesday, September 25, 2012

1:30 Prairie Elders meet.

Sunday, September 30, 2012

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Service by Rev. Sandy Ingham

Saturday, October 6, 2012

5:00 Men's Shelter breakfast

17:00 Fall Frolic at Schuster's Playtime Farm

Sunday, October 7, 2012

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Music Service by Paula Pachciarz

12:00 Humanist Union meets

5:30 Prairie Men's Group meets

Sunday, October 14, 2012

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Service

11:45 Supporting our Aging Parents group meets.

Sunday, October 21, 2012

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Service

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Principles of the Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations

We, the member congregations of the Unitarian Universalist Association, covenant to affirm and promote:

- The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
- Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- The goal of world community with peace, liberty and justice for all;
- Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.

Next week's service:

Service by Reverend Sandra Ingham

