Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

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"Wild Women vs. Manly Men," by Rev. Sandra Ingham

April 6, 2014



Today's Order of Service

"I will come forward and sing from memory songs they will need once more to hear." – Alice Walker

Prelude: "Pig Ankle Rag," performed by Mary Mullen and Carol Steinhart.

Welcome and Announcements – Rev. Sandra Ingham

**Introduction of Guests and Visitors

Opening Words

*Hymn #105 (SLT): "From Age to Age," accompanied by Mary Frantz.

Chalice Lighting

Story for All Ages: "The Frog Prince Continued," by Jon Scieszka.

Singing the Children Out: Farewell Good Friends

**Joys and Concerns

Silent Meditation

*Hymn #67: "We Sing Now Together"

Reading: "The Ideas That Have Moved Us," by Barbara Rohde.

Reflection: "Wild Women vs. Manly Men: Part 2 of Reflections on the Women of the Prophetic Sisterhood," by Rev. Sandra Ingham.

Responsive Reading #464 (SLT): "And Then," by Judy Chicago.

Offering & Offertory: "Alexandrovski," performed by Mary Mullen and Carol Steinhart.

*Hymn #107: "Now Sing We of the Brave of Old"

Closing Words

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: Have you ever wondered where to recycle that old can of paint, oil, CFL bulbs, and other household items? Check out the website search.earth911.com!

Plans for 2006 Whenona will be available after the service. Take a look! The next step in refurbishing the house will be voted on at a Parish Meeting on April 13 after the service.

The Humanist Union meets today 12:30 to 1:30 pm to hear Nick Schweitzer of the UW Law School talk about "Evolution in the Courts," a historical review of challenges in court to the teaching of evolution. Potluck lunch at noon. The Humanist Union's May meeting will feature a discussion led by Susan Hagstrom.

The Prairie Book Club will meet on Sunday, April 27, after the service to discuss *Final Salute: The Story of Unfinished Lives* by Jim Sheeler. *Final Salute* was recommended by Pat Watkins.

Prairie's Spring Parish Meeting will be held on Sunday, May 18, after the service and Soup Sunday. Agenda items include electing officers, a Treasurer's report, and a small change to the bylaws.

Prairie's Family Retreat will be held on June 6- 8. Save the date! It will be lots of fun – more details soon!

Easter Egg Hunt! Prairie's RE will have an Easter Egg Hunt after the Story for All Ages (~10:15) on April 20.

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, April 6, 2014 **Sunday, April 20, 2014** 9:00 2006 Whenona plans available 8:45 Choir rehearsal 10:00 Service – "Wild Women vs. Manly Men," Service – "DIY Hallelujah Chorus" 10:00 by Rev. Sandra Ingham 10:15 Easter Egg Hunt at Prairie 11:30 2006 Whenona plans available **Humanist Union meets** 12:00 Monday, April 21, 2014 5:30 Prairie Men's Group meets 7:00 **Program Committee meets** Monday, April 7, 2014 Saturday, April 26, 2014 7:00 Prairie's Board meets 9:00 Prairie work day Friday, April 11, 2014 **Sunday, April 27, 2014** District Assembly in Wausau begins 5:00 8:45 Choir rehearsal 10:00 Service – "Environmental Ethics," by Matt Saturday, April 12, 2014 District Assembly in Wausau continues 7:00 Prairie Book Club meets to discuss *Final* 11:30 Salute Sunday, April 13, 2014 8:45 Choir rehearsal Saturday, May 3, 2014 10:00 Service – "The Power of Vulnerability," by 9:00 PrairieWOW meets Rev. Sarah Goodman. 11:30 Easter Potluck

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Parish Meeting

12:00

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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:

"The Power of Vulnerability," by Rev. Sarah Goodman.

