Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

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"You've Got to Be Carefully Taught" by The Program Committee

November 26, 2017



Announcements

Order of Service

"Our mission and vision are guided by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the seven Unitarian Universalist Principles that affirm the worth, dignity, and human rights of every person." – The Unitarian Universalist Service Committee's Mission Statement

Prelude: Performed by Lynn Currie

Welcome and Announcements: Rev. Sandra Ingham

Opening Words: by Marianne Hachten Cotter

*Opening Hymn #349 (SLT): "We Gather Together," Mary

Frantz, accompanist.

Chalice Lighting #662: "Strange and Foolish Walls," by

Rev. A Powell Davies

Story for All Ages: Four Feet, Two Sandals, written by Karen Lynn Williams & Khadra Mohammed, and read by

Katherine Liu & Rev. Sandy.

Children's Recessional: by Joyce Poley.

As you go on your way, may you be filled with gladness. Go in joy, go in joy!

May fortune bless your day with peace and loving kindness. Go in love, go in love.

Joys and Concerns

Silent Meditation

*Hymn #134: "Our World Is One World"

Reflections on the UUSC: "How It Began"

World War II and Martha & Waitstill Sharp

Reflections on the UUSC: "What Happened Next"

Hymn #402: "From You I Receive"

Reflections on the UUSC: "Now What?"

Four Stories, Told by Penny Eiler, Katherine Liu,

Robin Proud, Rev. Sandy

Guest at Your Table Boxes

Responsive Reading #651: "The Body Is Humankind"

Congregational Response

Offering and Offertory: Performed by Lynn Currie.

Introduction of Guests and Visitors

*Closing Hymn #348: "Guide My Feet"

Closing Words: "To Those Born Later," by Bertolt Brecht, Translation by John Willet, Ralph Manheim & Erich Fried.

Greet Your Neighbor

*Please stand as you are able.

Al Nettleton is today's tech assistant.

We will share our offering for the rest of the year with Beacon House, the homeless day shelter which opened Oct. 16. The shelter offers laundry facilities, counseling, and help finding employment, as well as a place to stay warm and fed during the day. Prairie is trying to do its part!

Prairie Elders will meet on Tuesday, November 28, at 1:30 p.m. in the Annex. All Prairie members and friends of retirement age are welcome! Bring a snack to pass if convenient. Coffee and tea provided.

Introduction to Prairie! We try to do an informational meeting for new members and recent visitors twice a year, spring and fall. Our fall session will be Saturday morning, December 2, from 9 a.m. until 12 noon in the Meeting House. Child care can be provided if requested. This is what typically happens at these gatherings—The meeting will be attended by newcomers plus a few veteran Prairie members. First, we will share our personal religious backgrounds and journeys. Next, Rev. Sandy and Rick Ruecking will briefly share some UU history, some Prairie history, and how Prairie is currently organized and operates. There will be a continental breakfast. Please contact Erin Bosch to RSVP (hillfarms2002 at yahoo.com).

Spanish Speakers Potluck will meet on Monday, December 11, at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Emma Pachon. Please bring a dish to pass if convenient. If not, come anyway! Contact Rosemary Dorney at 298-0843 for more information.

The Book Club will meet Sunday, December 10, after the service to discuss <u>Hillbilly Elegy: A Memoir of a Family and Culture in Crisis</u>, by J.D. Vance.

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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Calendar

Sunday, November 26, 2017

NO choir rehearsal

10:00 Service: "You've Got to Be Carefully Taught"

Tuesday, November 28, 2017

11:30 History Committee in Annex 1:30 Prairie Elders in Annex

Friday, December 1, 2017

6:00 Board Game Night

Saturday, December 2, 2017

5:00 Men's Shelter Breakfast9:00 PrairieWOW in Annex

9:00 Introduction to Prairie in Meeting Hall

Sunday, December 3, 2017

8:45 Choir Rehearsal in Annex 10:00 Service: "What Better Time?" 11:45 Humanist Union in Meeting House

Monday, December 4, 2017

6:30 Program Committee in Annex

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Sunday, December 10, 2017

8:45 Choir Rehearsal in Annex

10:00 Service: "The Fork in the Road"

11:30 Board meets in Annex

11:45 Book Club in Meeting Hall

Monday, December 11, 2017

6:30 Spanish Speakers Potluck

Sunday, December 17 2017

8:45 Choir Rehearsal in Annex 10:00 Service: "Symbol Tree"

11:30 Soup Sunday

Sunday, December 24 2017

10:00 Service: "Rainbows and Tarantulas"

Sunday, December 31, 2017

NO 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:

"What Better Time," by Rev. Sandra Ingham.

