

PRAIRIE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY

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Sunday, July 12, 2009

**"Tribal Connections to the Earth,"
presented by Art Shegonee.**

July 25 - Painting day at Prairie

Welcome to our service! We are glad you are here. Many thanks to all who contributed to making this service possible. Please join us after the service for coffee and fellowship.

Prairie Calendar

Sunday, July 12, 2009

11:30 am - Prairie Board Meeting. Potluck lunch, then meeting begins at noon, with Ian Evison from CMwD.

Monday, July 13, 2009

Early Prairie Fire Deadline - all articles due to admin today.

Wednesday, July 15, 2009

10:30 am - Social Action Committee meeting.

Thursday, July 16, 2009

7:00 pm - Movie Group meets to view "How Green Was My Valley."

Sunday, July 19, 2009

10:00 am - service - "When Breathing is Defiance: Stories from Occupied Palestine," presented by Sol Thea Kelley-Jones and Nathan Beck.

11:45 am - Prairie Book Club meets to discuss The Sewing Circles of Herat by Christina Lamb.

Sunday, July 26, 2009

10:15 am - Joint UU Service at Sauk City - "Simplicity."

7:00 pm - Social Action Committee presents the play, *Seven Jewish Children*.

Tuesday, July 28, 2009

2:00 pm - Prairie Elders meet. Topic is "A crisis in your life and how you handled it."

Saturday, August 1, 2009

9:00 am - Prairie WOW meets for breakfast potluck.

Sunday, August 2, 2009

10:00 am - service - "The Omnivore's Dilemma"- the all-Prairie Book Read service.

Thursday, August 6, 2009

6:30 pm - Spanish Speaker's Potluck at the home of Ray Nashold.

Saturday, August 8, 2009

5:00 pm - Prairie UU Potluck and Party for the Herr-Hoymann Family, Wingra Park.

Announcements

Movie Group Prairie's movie group will meet Thursday, July 16th at 7pm to view "How Green Was My Valley," the 1941 winner of five Oscars, including Best Picture and Best Director (John Ford). This is a story of 50 years in the lives of a close-knit clan of Welsh coal miners and stars Walter Pidgeon, Maureen O'Hara, Donald Crisp, and Anna Lee. Please bring snacks to share.

Book Club read for July The Prairie Book Club is reading The Sewing Circles of Herat by Christina Lamb. The book chronicles the author's experiences in Afghanistan, and will be discussed after the service on July 19th.

Green Committee "Green Tip of the Week" Choose your seafood responsibly. The Seafood Watch of the Monterey Bay Aquarium produces a great list of sustainable seafood products. This list will tell you the best seafood to buy to maximize your health and minimize your impact on the seafood population. www.montereybayaquarium.org/cr/seafoodwatch.aspx

Joint UU Program in Sauk City On Sunday, July 26, 2009, the Free Congregation of Sauk County will welcome the three Madison area UU congregations to Park Hall in Sauk City for a joint program on the theme of "Simplicity," followed by a picnic potluck in the surrounding park. The doors will be open at 9:30 a.m., the program will begin at 10:15, and the picnic potluck will commence at approximately 11:45. This year marks the 125th anniversary of Park Hall, built in 1884. Rev. Ralph Tyksinski and Rachel Long will be coordinating Prairie's contribution to this service; if you have ideas please contact one of them.

Social Action Committee presents "Seven Jewish Children" The Social Action Committee of Prairie presents the play *Seven Jewish Children*, written by Caryl Churchill, Sunday evening, 7 pm at Prairie on July 26. The play is about children, not for children as it is a serious play about children exposed to war. It will be performed by members of the social action committee, Steve Blank, Nancy Graham, Dave Johnson, Barb Park, Marcia Johnson, Andy Somers and Mary Somers, and directed by Andy Somers. Bob Park another member of the committee will be recording the play for CityWIDE Radio. A discussion open to the audience will follow the play. There is no admission fee but a collection will be taken with all proceeds to Medical Aid for Palestinians (<http://www.map-uk.org/>).

Healthcare for All Rally, Saturday, July 25

A rally and action campaign is being held to promote Healthcare for All. The rally will include signing letters and petitions to our representatives in Congress. Meet on the Library Mall at 2:30 for a march up Sate St. arriving on the Capitol steps at 3:00 pm. Sponsors include the Dane County Grassroots Network, ABC for Health, AFSCME Wisconsin, Citizen Action, The League of Women Voters Dane County, Organizing for America, and the Wisconsin Network for Peace and Justice.



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