

Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

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**“Wild Women of the West, Part 1,” by
Rev. Sandra Ingham**

March 16, 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: “The Riddle,” an Appalachian folk song.
Performed by Marcia Johnson.

Welcome and Announcements – Rev. Sandra Ingham

****Introduction of Guests and Visitors**

Opening Words

***Hymn #40 (SLT):** “The Morning Hangs a Signal,”
accompanied by Mary Frantz.

Chalice Lighting:

Story for All Ages: “Prince Cinders,” by Babette Cole.

Singing the Children Out: Farewell Good Friends

****Joys and Concerns**

Silent Meditation

***Hymn #146 (SLT):** “Soon the Day Will Arrive”

Reading: “The Duck of Enlightenment,” by Rev.
Kathleen McTigue.

Reflection: “Wild Women of the West, Part 1,” by Rev.
Sandra Ingham.

Responsive Reading #565 (SLT): “Prophets,” by Rev.
Clinton Lee Scott

Offering & Offertory: “Black is the Color,” an
Appalachian folk song.

***Hymn #1018 (STJ):** “Come and Go with Me”

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: The optimum temperature for a refrigerator is 37 degrees, and 3 degrees for a freezer. Use an inexpensive outdoor thermometer to check!

The Caring Committee invites you to a “Supporting Our Aging Parents” group at 11:45-1:30 on Sunday, March 30. The purpose of these sessions is for us to share our concerns about caring for or supporting our parents as they age. Aileen Nettleton will facilitate the group on behalf of the Caring Committee. Please let Aileen know if you plan to attend.

The Prairie Book Club will meet on Sunday, April 13, 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 Fling will be held on Saturday, April 5, at Prairie. Doors open at 5:00pm, with dinner at 5:30, and T-shirt making and games after dinner. Kids 10 and over can stay over night!

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

Join your friends for a Pete Seeger Sing-along on March 23! A potluck dinner will start the evening, with the singing starting at 6:30.

The Prairie Elders will meet on Tuesday, March 25, at the Nakoma Room, Heritage Oaks Building, Olmsted Village West.

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, March 23, 2014

8:45 Choir rehearsal
10:00 Service – “An Ex-Catholic's Take on Pope Francis' First Year as Pope,” by Johanna Hatch.
5:30 Pete Seeger Sing-along

Tuesday, March 25, 2014

1:30 Prairie Elders meet

Sunday, March 30, 2014

8:45 Choir rehearsal
10:00 Service
11:45 Supporting our Aging Parents group meets

Saturday, April 5, 2014

9:00 PrairieWOW meets at Prairie
5:00 Spring Fling

Sunday, April 6, 2014

8:45 Choir rehearsal
10:00 Service
12:00 Humanist Union meets
5:30 Prairie Men's Group meets

Friday, April 11, 2014

5:00 District Assembly in Wausau begins

Saturday, April 12, 2014

7:00 District Assembly in Wausua continues

Sunday, April 13, 2014

8:45 Choir rehearsal
10:00 Service
11:30 Prairie Book Club meets to discuss Final Salute: The Story of Unfinished Lives

Monday, April 14, 2014

7:00 Prairie's Board meets

Sunday, April 20, 2014

8:45 Choir rehearsal
10:00 Service
10:15 Easter Egg Hunt at Prairie

Sunday, April 27, 2014

8:45 Choir rehearsal
10:00 Service
11:30 Easter Potluck

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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:

“An Ex-Catholic's Take on Pope Francis' First Year as Pope.” Johanna Hatch.

