

# Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

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## “Happiness,” by Domo Geshe Rinpoche.

September 28, 2014



### Today's Order of Service

**Prelude:** Performed by Amber Bruns.

**Welcome and Announcements** – Nevenah Smith

**Opening Words #597 (SLT):** “Love Versus Hate”

**\*Hymn #181 (SLT):** “No Matter If You Live Now Far or Near,” accompanied by Amber Bruns.

**Global Chalice Lighting:** “Passing on a Burning Candle”

A light and a smile  
lead the path  
from loneliness to togetherness.  
– Anke Schmielau, submitted by Deutsche Unitarier  
Religionsgemeinschaft. Translated by Lucie-Marie  
Casanguay-Bower.

**Story for All Ages:** “Magic of Patience (Jakata Tales),”  
by Rosalyn White.

**Singing the Children Out:** Farewell Good Friends

**\*\*Joys and Concerns**

**Silent Meditation**

**\*Hymn #112 (SLT):** “Do You Hear”

**Reflection:** “Happiness,” by Domo Geshe Rinpoche.

**Discussion**

**Offering & Offertory:** “Love Serve Remember,” by  
John Aston.

**\*\*Introduction of Guests and Visitors**

**\*Hymn #187:** “It Sounds Along the Ages”

**Closing Words**

Be ye lamps unto yourselves;  
be your own confidence.  
Hold to the truth within  
yourselves as to the only lamp.

**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:** If you have a ceiling fan, reverse the direction ... the fan should be run in a clockwise direction (stand under the fan and if you feel a breeze, reverse the direction so that air is being drawn upwards). This pushes warm air up against the ceiling and down the walls, to gently re-circulate air without creating a cooling "wind chill effect."

**The next Spanish Speakers Potluck** will be held on Monday, September 29, at 6:15 pm, at the home of Audrey Shomos, 134 Grove St., Evansville. All levels of Spanish speakers are welcome, including beginners! Bring a dish to pass if you can -- if you can't, come anyway! Please contact Rosemary Dorney (238-4382) for more information or to arrange a ride.

**Today is the last day to register for a series of workshops on “Final Choices”** held at Prairie starting Oct. 11. The purpose of the workshops is for participants to plan ahead for end-of-life decisions. More information and registration forms are available on the credenza in the foyer.

### **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 28, 2014**

10:00 Service – “Happiness,” by Domo Geshe Rinpoche.

#### **Friday, October 3, 2014**

5:00 Board Game Night

#### **Saturday, October 4, 2014**

9:00 PrairieWOW meets at Prairie

#### **Sunday, October 5, 2014**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service – “Improving Our Lives Through Literacy;” by Jeff Burkaret.  
11:30 RE Committee meeting (downstairs)  
11:45 Humanist Union meets  
5:30 Prairie Men's Group meets

#### **Saturday, October 11, 2014**

9:30 Final Choices Workshop

#### **Sunday, October 12, 2014**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service – “Conflicted about Compassion,” by Rev. Sandy Ingham  
11:30 Prairie Book Club meets

#### **Monday, October 13, 2014**

7:00 Prairie's Board meets

#### **Saturday, October 18, 2014**

9:30 Final Choices Workshop

#### **Sunday, October 19, 2014**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service  
11:30 **Soup Sunday**  
12:00 **Crop Walk**

#### **Monday, October 20, 2014**

7:00 Program Committee meets

#### **Saturday, October 25, 2014**

9:30 Final Choices Workshop

#### **Sunday, October 26, 2014**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service

#### **Friday, October 31, 2014**

5:00 Halloween Party

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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:**

“Improving Our Lives Through Literacy,”  
by Jeff Burkaret.

