

Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society
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UU Principle V:
The rights of conscience and
the use of the democratic process
within our congregations and in society at large

Al Nettleton
Lay Minister

Congregating:

Convening:

Welcome

Lighting the Chalice

In the light of truth and the warmth of love, we gather
to seek, to sustain, to share.
Life is a gift for which we are grateful. We gather
in community to celebrate the glories and the mysteries
of this great gift.

- Marjorie Montgomery

Bond of Union

Commentary:

We do not need to endure apathy, inertia, laziness and
greed, or to make frivolity a full-time vocation or turn our
churches into enlarged playpens. Today's surgeons can
transplant hearts, kidneys and other human organs; but no
man or woman in the health sciences can yet transplant a
conscience. Feed and care for your conscience as you do
your brain; neither can be replaced. - Stephen Fritchman

Contemplation:

Concerns:

Communications:

Commitment:

Grateful for the religious pluralism which enriches and
ennobles our faith, we are inspired to deepen our
understanding and expand our vision.

As a free congregation we enter into this covenant,
promising to one another our mutual trust and support.