

# Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

2010 Whenona Drive, Madison, WI 53711 \* 608-271-8218 \* www.uuprairie.org

**“SERRV in Bangladesh,” presented by Megan Arzbaeher.**

**August 25, 2013**



## Today's Order of Service

**Prelude:** Performed by Paul Vash.

**Greeting and Announcements** – Rev. Sandra Ingham

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

**Opening Words #434 (SLT)**

**\*Hymn #360 (SLT):** “Here We Have Gathered,” accompanied by Paul Vash.

**Chalice Lighting:**

O light of life,  
Be kindled again in our hearts  
As we meet together this morning  
To celebrate the joy of human community  
Seeking a wholeness that extends beyond  
ourselves.

– Samuel A. Trumbore

**Story for All Ages**

**Singing the Children Out**

**\*\*Joys and Concerns**

**Silent Meditation**

**Presentation:** “SERRV in Bangladesh,” presented by Megan Arzbaeher.

**Discussion**

**Offering & Offertory:** Performed by Paul Vash.

**\*Hymn #146 (SLT):** “Soon the Day Will Arrive,” accompanied by Paul Vash.

**Closing Words:**

"Goods produced under conditions which do not meet a rudimentary standard to decency should be regarded as contraband and not allowed to pollute the channels of international commerce."

**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:** Green Floor Cleaners. For hard floors, combine 1/4 cup liquid castile (vegetable based) soap with 1/4 to 1/2 cup either vinegar or lemon juice in 2 gallons of warm water in a bucket. Use with a mop or a sponge. For carpet cleaning and disinfecting, blend 1/2 cup baking soda, 1 cup borax, and 1 cup cornmeal. Sprinkle mixture over rug and rub with a cloth. Let rest for several hours or overnight then vacuum up.

**Today's flowers** were donated by Patty Stockdale to celebrate her birthday on August 28.

**RE classes resume on September 8.** This year's focus will be on World Religions. For more information, contact Rebecca Malke, Prairie's DRE, at dre@uuprairie.org.

**The Prairie Elders** will meet on Tuesday, August 27 from 1:30 to 3:20 in the Nakoma Room, Heritage Oaks Building, Oakwood Village West. This month's topic will be “US Surveillance, Does this threaten our civil liberties?” Please bring your own beverage mug and snacks to share if you can. Newcomers welcome! Contact Nancy Garst, 230-3392, Rosemary Dorney, 238-4382, or Rose Smith, 233-3363, for more information.

**Start the school year off with a splash** with the RE Summer Splash pool party! The party will be held on Sunday, August 25th at 2:00 at Goodman's Aquatic Center in Verona. Everyone is welcome! Please contact Rebecca Malke (dre@uuprairie.org) for more information.

**The Prairie Book Club** will meet on Sunday, August 25, after the service. This month's book is *The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness*, by Michelle Alexander.

**The next Soup Sunday** will be on Sept. 8 after the service. Stay after the service for a good meal and conversation!

## **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, August 25, 2013**

10:00 Service – SERRV in Bangladesh.  
11:30 Prairie Book Club meets to discuss *The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness*  
2:00 Summer Splash at Goodman Aquatic Center

### **Tuesday, August 27, 2013**

1:30 Prairie Elders meet

### **Sunday, September 1, 2013**

10:00 Service – “Multi-media, Work Inspired Art Extravaganza”  
5:30 Prairie's Men's Group meets.

### **Saturday, September 7, 2013**

9:00 PrairieWOW meets

### **Sunday, September 8, 2013**

10:00 Service – Water Ceremony  
10:00 Children's RE begins  
11:30 Soup Sunday

### **Monday, September 9, 2013**

7:00 Prairie's Board meets

### **Saturday, September 14, 2013**

10:00 RE Committee meeting

### **Sunday, September 15, 2013**

10:00 Service by Rev. Sandy Ingham

### **Sunday, September 22, 2013**

10:00 Service

### **Sunday, September 29, 2013**

10:00 Service – “Sense of Wonder,” presented by Steve Paulson, Executive Producer of WPR's “To the Best of Our Knowledge.”

### **Sunday, October 6, 2013**

10:00 Service by Rev. Sandy Ingham

### **Saturday, October 12, 2013**

10:00 RE Committee meets

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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:**

“Multi-media, Work Inspired Art Extravaganza”

