

Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

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“Equal in Faith: Why Religious Discrimination Against Women Affects Us All,”

by Johanna Hatch.

March 8, 2015

Today's Order of Service

Prelude: “Gavotte French Suite #5,” by J. S. Bach. Performed by Ruth Calden, recorder, Heidi Hughes, flute, and Mary Frantz, piano.

Welcome and Announcements: Erin Bosch

Opening Words #575 (SLT): “A New Manifestation”

***Hymn #212 (SLT):** “We Are Dancing Sarah's Circle,” accompanied by Mary Frantz.

Global Chalice Lighting:

The light of life shines through the eyes of each and every person.
The light of truth shines through each life.
May the light of this chalice remind us that our search for truth and light is ongoing, and is enhanced and nurtured by every person we meet.
May we honor the light in each other.
– Rev. Jill McAllister, Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations.

Story for All Ages

Singing the Children Out

****Joys and Concerns**

Silent Meditation

Presentation: “Equal in Faith: Why Religious Discrimination Against Women Affects Us All,” by Johanna Hatch.

Discussion

Offering & Offertory: Choral by Pachelbel. Performed by Mary Frantz.

****Introduction of Guests and Visitors**

***Hymn #318 (SLT):** “We Would Be One”

Closing Words: “Councils” by Marge Piercy.

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: Recycling one ton of aluminum saves the energy equivalent of 2,350 gallons of gasoline or the total amount of electricity used by a typical Wisconsin home over 10 years. (dnr.wi.gov)

Mark your calendars! Prairie's annual Service Auction will be held March 22 after the service and Soup Sunday. Orange Schroeder will be the auction's caller. Silent auction items will also be available to bid on. If you have items you'd like to donate to the auction, please contact Kathy Converse (conversekrm@gmail.com, 608-238-1856, 608-239-9385 (cell)) or Dan Klock (608-271-8218, admin@uuprairie.org).

The Prairie Elders will meet on Tuesday, March 24, at 1:30pm at **Prairie**. This month's topic of discussion is “Thinking of spring gardening... flowers, trees, vegetables, lawns. Where are the best places to buy your plants? What are your garden inspirations?” Contact Rosemary Dorney (268-4382) or Donna Murdoch (238-3802) for more information.

The Spanish Speakers Potluck will be held on Monday, March 23, at 6:30pm at the home of Prudence Barber (more details to come). All levels of Spanish welcome. Please bring a dish to pass if you can. If you can't, come anyway! For more information or to arrange a ride, contact Laura at 819-8246 for directions or Rosemary Dorney at 238-4382 for more information or to arrange a ride.

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

Monday, March 9, 2015

7:00 Prairie's Board meets

Thursday, March 12, 2015

7:00 DMNA meeting

Saturday, March 14, 2015

12:30 Marlborough Park Community Garden sign-up at Prairie

Sunday, March 15, 2015

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Service – “Take Two”

Monday, March 16, 2015

7:00 Program Committee meets

Tuesday, March 17, 2015

5:30 Marlborough Park Community Garden sign-up at Prairie

Thursday, March 19, 2015

6:30 Private rental

Sunday, March 22, 2015

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Service – “Thinking Like the Universe”

11:30 Soup Sunday

12:00 Service Auction

Sunday, March 29, 2015

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Service – “Betrayal”

Friday, April 3, 2015

5:00 Prairie Game Night

Saturday, April 4, 2015

9:00 PrairieWOW meets at Prairie

Sunday, April 5, 2015

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Service – “Joyful, Joyful” – Rev. Sandra Ingham

10:00 Easter Egg Hunt

5:30 Prairie Men's Group

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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:

“Take Two,” by Rev. Sandra Ingham.

