

# Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

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**“Tick...Tock”**

**by Rev. Sandra Ingham.**

**April 19, 2015**

## Today's Order of Service

*“No problem can be solved from the same level of consciousness that created it.”*

– Albert Einstein

**Prelude:** Performed by Paula Pachciarz and Carl Wacker.

**Welcome and Announcements:** Rev. Sandra Ingham.

**Opening Words:** By Rev. Barbara J. Pescan.

**\*Hymn #203:** “All Creatures of the Earth and Sky,” accompanied by Amber Bruns.

### **Chalice Lighting**

**Welcome New Members:** Faith Cholvin and Isabella

**Story for All Ages:** “Hi, Koo! A Year of Seasons,” by Jon J. Muth.

### **Singing the Children Out**

**\*\*Joys and Concerns**

### **Silent Meditation**

**\*Hymn #175:** “We Celebrate the Web of Life”

**Reading:** “Thinking Like a Stone,” by Rev. Kathleen McTigue.

**Reflections:** “Tick...Tock” by Rev. Sandra Ingham

**Responsive Reading #465:** “The Wisdom to Survive,” by Wendell Berry

### **Congregational Response**

**Offering & Offertory:** “A Native American Prayer,” by Nolan E Schmit. Sung by the Prairie Choir.

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

**\*Hymn #1064 (STJ):** “Blue Boat Home”

### **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

**The Prairie Book Club** will meet today after the service to discuss *Far from the Tree: Parents, Children, and the Search for Identity*, chapters 1 and 5.

**The Spanish Speakers Potluck** will be held on Monday, April 20, at 6:30pm at Prairie. Contact Rosemary Dorney at 238-4382 for more information or to arrange a ride.

**Mark your calendars for the annual Prairie Family Retreat** at Bethel Horizons in Dodgeville, WI. The fun begins Friday evening, May 1st and continues through noon on Sunday, May 3. Phyllis Long is coordinating the program and is looking for volunteers to lead programs. Kate Liu will be the registrar this year, coordinating rooms and meals and whatnot. Any questions, please contact Kate Liu (about logistical details) - kgliu311@gmail.com 238-9153, or Phyllis Long (about the program) - plong373@gmail.com, 608-325-7397.

**The Prairie Elders** will meet on Tuesday, April 28, from 1:30pm to 3:30pm at Prairie. This month's topic of discussion will be, “Dealing with memory loss.” Contact Rosemary Dorney (238-4382) or Donna Murdoch (238-3802) for more information.

**Do you want to learn more about Prairie UU?** Join us at Prairie on May 30, 9 am to noon, to share our religious journeys etc. Call Erin Bosch to RSVP, 238-6285.

### **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, April 19, 2015**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service – “Tick...Tock”  
11:30 Soup Sunday  
11:30 Prairie Book Club meets

### **Monday, April 20, 2015**

6:30 Spanish Speakers Potluck at Prairie  
7:00 Program Committee meets

### **Sunday, April 26, 2015**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service – “The Gift of Years”  
3:00 Spring Fling

### **Tuesday, April 28, 2015**

1:30 Prairie Elders meet at Prairie

### **Friday, May 1, 2015**

5:00 Prairie Family Retreat begins

### **Sunday, May 3, 2015**

9:15 Key Log Ceremony at Bethel Horizons  
10:00 TED Talk viewing at Prairie

### **Sunday, May 10, 2015**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service

### **Sunday, May 17, 2015**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service  
11:30 Soup Sunday  
11:30 Prairie Book Club meets  
12:00 **Parish Meeting**

### **Sunday, May 24, 2015**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service

### **Tuesday, May 26, 2015**

1:30 Prairie Elders meets at Prairie

### **Saturday, May 30, 2015**

9:00 Intro to Prairie (Orientation)

### **Sunday, May 31, 2015**

8:45 Choir rehearsal  
10:00 Service

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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:**

“The Gift of Years,” by Millie Moffet,  
Mary Frantz, and Nevenah Smith.

