

# Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

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## "The Measure of Greatness" by Rev. Sandra Ingham

January 21, 2018



### Announcements

#### Order of Service

"We cannot effectively respond to 'looming threats' of white supremacy beyond us until we tackle the white supremacy within us." – BLUU (Black Lives of Unitarian Universalism)

"Not everything that is faced can be changed. But nothing can be changed until it is faced." – James Baldwin

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

**Prelude:** "Lift Every Voice and Sing," Prairie Choir, joined by the Congregation for one verse (#149)

**Opening Words:** by Doug Muder.

**\*Opening Hymn #131 (SLT):** "Love Will Guide Us"

**Chalice Lighting**

**Story for All Ages:** The Youngest Marcher, The Story of Audrey Faye Hendricks, by Cynthia Levinson

**Children's Recessional:** by Joyce Poley.

*As you go on your way, may you be filled with gladness.*

*Go in joy, go in joy!*

*May fortune bless your day with peace and loving kindness.*

*Go in love, go in love.*

**Joys and Concerns**

**Silent Meditation**

**Hymn #55:** "Dark of Winter"

**Reading:** from The Radical King, edited by Cornel West.

**Reflections:** "The Measure of Greatness," by Rev. Sandra Ingham.

**Responsive Reading #579:** "The Limits of Tyrants," by Frederick Douglass.

**Congregational Response**

**Offering and Offertory**

**Introduction of Guests and Visitors**

**\*Hymn #346:** "Come, Sing a Song with Me"

**Closing Words**

**Greet Your Neighbor**

\*Please stand as you are able.

**We will share our offering this month** with the Tenant Resource Center, which provides information and counseling to help resolve tenant-landlord problems in Dane County. The center also provides services to homeless people and those facing homelessness.

**The Prairie Book Club** will meet in the Annex today after the service to discuss To Dance with the White Dog by Terry Kay. The Book Club is open to everyone. You do not need to have read the book to attend.

**Today is Soup Sunday!** Stay after the service to enjoy a meal with your family and friends.

**Sustainable Saturday Night Dinner January 27 at James Reeb!** James Reeb Congregation hosts a Sustainable Saturday Night Dinner the last Saturday of each month. Potluck dinner starts at 6:00pm, discussion starts at 7:00pm. This month Norman Stockwell, publisher of *The Progressive*, will moderate a panel of Wisconsin leaders who will discuss building a united progressive movement to change Wisconsin's political climate.

**The theme for RE in January** is INTENTION. You won't want to miss the RE supplied treat this month at Soup Sunday! We are beginning to recruit volunteers for February – the theme will be CONNECTION. Contact Holly Tellander if interested.

**Prairie's Service Auction** will be held on March 4! We'll start with a short service led by Rev. Sandy, followed by a continental breakfast. We'll then move right into the auction! Do you have an item or service you'd like to include in the auction? Contact Patty Stockdale.

#### **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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## Calendar

### **Sunday, January 21, 2018**

8:45 Choir rehearsal in Annex  
10:00 Service  
11:30 Soup Sunday  
11:45 Book Club in Annex

### **Tuesday, January 23, 2018**

2:30 History Committee in Annex

### **Sunday, January 28, 2018**

8:45 Choir rehearsal in Annex  
10:00 Service

### **Friday, February 2, 2018**

6:00 Board Game Night

### **Saturday, February 3, 2018**

5:00 Men's Shelter Breakfast: Contact Paula  
Pachciarz to volunteer  
9:00 PrairieWOW in Annex

### **Sunday, February 4, 2018**

8:45 Choir rehearsal in Annex  
10:00 Service  
11:45 Humanist Union in Annex

### **Monday, February 5, 2018**

6:30 Program Committee in Annex

### **Tuesday, February 6, 2018**

2:30 History Committee in Annex

### **Sunday, February 11, 2018**

8:45 Choir rehearsal in Annex  
10:00 Service

### **Monday, February 12, 2018**

6:30 Spanish Speakers Potluck in Annex

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### **Sunday, March 4, 2018**

10:00 Service Auction

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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:**

“Alternative Music Appreciation-John Cage”  
by Andy Garst

