

"What Can We Learn From Indigenous Farming?" by Daniel Hayden

7th Principle: Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.

Value: Interdependence

Order Of Service - Sept 22nd, 2024

Prelude: Whirlwind Op. 141 No. 14 by Cornelius Gurlitt, performed by Tuppence Van de Vaarst

Welcome: Molly Plunkett

Chalice Lighting by Matthew Rosin

If another strains to breathe,
may our voices be
the gentle rise and fall.

If another chokes on tears,
may our voices be
an opening to hope.

If another has forgotten,
may our voices be
a memory upwelling.

If another is adrift,
may our voices be
the calling of community.

Opening Music: #131 SLT "Love Will Guide Us"
accompanied by Tuppence Van de Vaarst

Story For All Ages: *Can You Hear the Plants Speak?*
By Nicholas Hummingbird, illustrated by Madelyn Goodnight

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.

Fall Equinox Meditation by Lori Gorgas Hlaban

Presentation: "What Can We Learn From
Indigenous Farming?" by Daniel Hayden

Moment of Reflection

Offering and Offertory: Autumn Ballad by Nancy
Faber, performed by Tuppence Van de Vaarst

Closing Words by Andrew Pakula

May you know fully and deeply the blessings of
each of your heart's seasons
The inward turning of Winter
Springtime's lush renewal
The effortless, steady growth of summer
And autumn's rich harvest
May your passage from season to season be
blessed—
Eased by hands to hold, and by the light of love to
guide you on.

Closing Music: #134 SLT "Our World Is One
World" accompanied by Tuppence Van de Vaarst

Announcements

Joys/Concerns & Welcoming Guests/Visitors

Greet Your Neighbor

(please return hymnals and Orders of Service to the
back hymnal cart)

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Prairie's 3rd Quarter Offertory Sharing is with Heart Room, a collaboration between families that have been homeless, Orchard Ridge UCC, and The Road Home. The money we contribute will be used for rental assistance for the families, who are working to achieve stability.

Prairie Retreat Next Weekend

For those attending, please read the email sent by the retreat organizers this week. Questions? please email retreat@uuprairie.org

Save the Date - Fall Parish Meeting

Our Fall Parish Meeting is Sunday, Nov 24th. We'll have a very short service and then move right into the parish meeting.

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.

Announcements

Next Sunday's Service: "Key Log Ceremony" by Prairie (Off Site)

There is not a service at Prairie's Meeting House next Sunday, September 29th.

Prairie's annual retreat starts Friday Sept 27th at 6pm at Bethel Horizons. Activities continue all day Saturday and conclude after our key log ceremony on Sunday morning at Bethel Horizons.

Next Sunday in RE: We will be at the Prairie Retreat - no activities at our Meeting House.

Prairie Evening Potluck Thursday, Sept 26, 6pm

You are invited to a Prairie Evening Potluck at Prairie's main building. Please bring a dish to share. There is no special occasion. Just friends sharing a meal. Please contact Patty Stockdale at pstockdale828@gmail.com if you plan to attend.

