

PRAIRIE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY

Sunday, May 16, 2004

Prelude - *New World Symphony*
performed by Mike Briggs

Welcome - Mary Somers
Chalice Lighting - *The New Colossus*
Moment of Silent Meditation

Children's Story - *A Very Important Day*
Children's Song - *Shalom Havayreem*

Joys and Concerns
Song - *Sidewalks of New York**

Give Me Your Tired . . . But Not Yet!
presented by Andy Somers

Discussion

Introduction of Guests and Visitors
Prairie Announcements

Song - This Land Is Your Land*
Greet Your Neighbor

*stand as you are able

Announcements

Bus Trip Fundraiser June 19 to Milwaukee will go to the Rose Show at Boerner Gardens in Whitnall Park, followed by lunch at Mader's German Restaurant and the Milwaukee Public Museum for the I-Max film on Egypt, followed by the Egyptian exhibit. Price of the entire package is \$68 due by May 15 to Pat Watkins.

Playreaders Annual Fish Dinner and One-Act Play reading will be on Friday, June 11, starting at 5:30p.m. More details will follow.

Prairie Youth have organized a 5K walk as a fundraiser for Habitat for Humanity. To pledge your support, contact our students.

Calendar

Monday, May 17, 6:30 p.m. WOW's wild outstanding women meet at Prairie. Potluck and photo demonstration. Bring photos to share.

Wednesday, May 19, 7:00 pm. Prairie Board Meeting at church

Sunday, May 23, 10:00 a.m. Transitional Sunday put on by RE.

Sunday, May 30, 10:00 a.m. Memorial Weekend Picnic at Briggs'.

Friday, June 4 - Sunday, June 6. RADFEST Midwest Social Forum Lake Geneva campus of Aurora University in Williams Bay, WI.

Saturday, June 5. NCAC Spring Workshop in Green Bay.

Sunday, June 6, 10:00 a.m. "Pictures of Mothers and Daughters" presented by Marty Drapkin.

Sidewalks of New York

Lyrics: James W. Blake and Charles E. Lawlor

Music: James W. Blake and Charles E. Lawlor

The song was originally written in the 1890's, and was used as a Presidential campaign theme in the 1920's. Here are two versions of the lyrics

East Side, West Side, all around the town
The kids sang "ring around rosie", "London Bridge is falling down"
Boys and girls together, me and Mamie O'Rourke
We tripped the light fantastic on the sidewalks of New York

East Side, West Side, all around the town
Sweet Mamie grew up and bough herself a sweet little Alice-blue gown
All the fellas dug her, you should have heard them squark
When I escorted Mamie round the sidewalks of New York

East Side, West Side, riding through the parks
We started swinging at Jilly's then we split to P.J.Clark's
On to Chuck's Composite, then a drink at The Stork
We won't get home until morning 'cause we're going to take a walk
On the sidewalks of New York

Down in front of Casey's old brown wooden stoop
On a summer's evening we formed a merry group
Boys and girls together we would sing and waltz
While Tony played the organ on the sidewalks of New York

East Side, West Side, all around the town
The tots sang "ring-around-rosie," "London Bridge is falling down"
Boys and girls together, me and Mamie O'Rourke
Tripped the light fantastic on the sidewalks of New York

That's where Johnny Casey, little Jimmy Crowe
Jakey Krause, the baker, who always had the dough
Pretty Nellie Shannon with a dude as light as cork
She first picked up the waltz step on the sidewalks of New York

Things have changed since those times, some are up in "G"
Others they are wand'rers but they all feel just like me
They'd part with all they've got, could they once more walk
With their best girl and have a twirl on the sidewalks of New York

This Land is Your Land

(by Woody Guthrie)

This land is your land, this land is my land,
From California to the New York Island,
From the redwood forest, to the Gulf stream waters,
This land was made for you and me.

As I was walking that ribbon of highway,
I saw above me that endless skyway,
I saw below me that golden valley.
This land was made for you and me.

I've roamed and rambled and I've followed my footsteps
To the sparkling sands of her diamond deserts
And all around me a voice was sounding
This land was made for you and me

The sun comes shining as I was strolling
The wheat fields waving and the dust clouds rolling
As the fog was lifting a voice was chanting
This land was made for you and me

As I was walkin' I saw a sign there
And on that sign it said No Trespassin'
But on the other side it didn't say nothin!
That side was made for you and me!

In the squares of the city in the shadow of the steeple
Near the relief office I see my people
And some are grumblin' and some are wonderin'
If this land's still made for you and me.

Nobody living can ever stop me
As I go walking that freedom highway
Nobody living can make me turn back
This land was made for you and me