

Note: This service will be recorded

Reader: Ron Frye

Zoom Helper: Renee

Opening Song: [Bouree](#) by Handel
 (Aidan Small)

Welcome and Announcements:
 Karen Deaton

Chalice Lighting: by Christian
 Schmidt, Alexis Capen

We light this chalice for our children and youth, and for us:
 celebrating the flame of faith lit in each of us,
 honoring the light each of us bring into the world,
 rejoicing in the community we create together.

Silent Meditation

Story for All Ages: *Twig* by Aura Parker; read by Holly

Presentation: *Educational Activism: Speaking Up for All Kids*
 by Holly Tellander

Relates to the 3rd Principle in kid language:
 We believe that we should accept one another and keep on learning together.

Through the practice of offering participants voice & choice we'll utilize Zoom's breakout room feature to give small groups options about how they explore the theme of equity for all students.

Group Reflection

Closing Words: *The Great Teachers in Life* by Jason Cook

We seekers are on a quest:
 A quest to discover truth and meaning.
 Sometimes we think we've found it—
 Wrapped up, glimmering with newness
 Straight off the intellectual assembly line.
 All the answers right here for us
 And others, if they'd only listen.
 But truth has a way of coming in disguise,
 Sometimes wearing rags and sometimes finery,
 But so often cloaked from our immediate sight.
 And sometimes, that which we have rejected,
 That which we have let go of
 Or decided was only for others
 But not us—
 Can be our teacher.
 Let our time of worship be an acknowledgment
 Of the never ending journey toward truth and meaning,
 And our appreciation of those we learn from along the way.

Closing Song: [Garden Song](#) by Fitchburg Ukulele Network (including Mary Mullen & Patty Stockdale)



Virtual Coffee Hour

Guest/visitor welcome, Joys and Concerns and chatting.

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.

We are sharing our **Offering** this quarter with the **Allied Wellness Center**. The Wellness Center is a neighborhood Center with the purpose of promoting health and wellness of the mind, body and spirit of people living in the Allied, Belmar and Dunn's Marsh neighborhoods

Upcoming Events

Prairie Sing Along (every Sunday) 7pm

Everyone is welcomed to Prairie's Singalong Sunday night at 7 to 8:30 pm. We use the Rise Up Singing songbook. Let Patty Stockdale know if you need a songbook, or buy it online. Each person is encouraged to pick out a song or 2, so we have ready selections. When you lead a song, you can practice your guitar or ukulele and sing with no judgements! It will bring out the folk rock star that you are. If your kids have song choices, let's try them too!. Invite your friends!

Join by computer: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85355334298>

Join by phone: 1(312) 626-6799 Meeting ID: 853 5533 4298

Virtual Dungeons and Dragons (beginners group) (every Monday) 4:30 pm

Looking for a fun way to get social with friends? Well, this is the group for you! Join us on Mondays from 4:30 to 6:30 pm. No prior experience necessary - though a camera & microphone will be required for full participation. This group is open to anyone! Ages 9 & up will be most comfortable.

Join by computer: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87803393490>

Wednesday Fun (every Wednesday) 6pm

On Wednesday evenings we come together to focus our activities around our youngest learners - grades 3 and under. But ALL are welcome. Common activities are read aloud, show & tell, virtual hide & seek, talent shows, pet demonstrations, sing-a-longs, or general tomfoolery. Actually, the tomfoolery is guaranteed. Hope to see you there! Fun usually ends at 6:30. Fun Leader on August 23 and September 2 is Karen.

Join by computer: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84638913138>

Virtual Dungeons and Dragons (advanced group) (every Friday) 4:30 pm

Bring your character and immerse yourself in a virtual world of storytelling and decision-making. Join us on Friday nights from 4:30-6:30 for our Advanced level Dungeons & Dragons group. If you have a D&D character ready to go and have a little experience playing this game, this is the group for you! Camera & microphone will be necessary to interact fully. This group is open to anyone! Ages 9 & up will be most comfortable.

Join by computer: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8684777436>

Service: "Dignity of Work" joint Prairie, FUS & Reeb service - 9/6 10am

Through the lens of "the inherent worth and dignity of every person," how are we called to respond to the real world questions such as fair wages, immigrant workers, or job safety? Rebecca Meier-Rao (Executive Director of Worker Justice Wisconsin) will explore the demands of a proclamation that each human has a worth to us. How much are we willing to pay, and how much will we risk, for the benefit of which category of persons? Since the beginning of COVID-19 the intake load at the Worker Center has nearly tripled. Labor Day is a time for us to recognize and honor the dignity of workers by building a world that provides every person with what they need to thrive. Watch at <https://fusmadison.org/>

Prairie Virtual Coffee Hour at 11am

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