

“Rediscovered Transcendentalist: Caroline Healey Dall,” by Robin Proud.

Order of Service
January 30, 2022

Prelude: “Softly,” by Jeff Jarvis, performed by Amber

Welcome and Announcements: Rev. Matt Aspin

Opening Words: by Christina Baldwin

“Journal writing is a voyage to the interior.”

Opening Music #146 (SLT): “Soon the Day Will Arrive,” music by Nurit Hirsch, words by Ehud Manor, performed by Deesa Pence, Dan Proud and Barb Park, and Amber.

Silent Meditation

Presentation: “Rediscovered Transcendentalist: Caroline Healey Dall,” by Robin Proud.

Discussion

Closing Words: by Caroline Healey Dall

“Influence follows close upon the heels of character; and whatever we are, that we shall in the end be acknowledged to be.”

Closing Music: “See Amid the Winter’s Snow,” by John Goss, performed by Amber.

Joys and Concerns; Welcome Guests and Visitors

This service is being recorded for those who are unable to attend today.



Announcements



We are sharing our Offering this quarter with the Tenant Resource Center which is dedicated to promoting positive relations between rental housing consumers (tenants) and providers (landlords) by providing information and referrals, education about rental rights and responsibilities, and access to conflict resolution.

The Study Group Continues in February! Prairie’s Study Group will meet via Zoom the 2nd Monday in February (Feb. 14) to discuss the book Behind the Kitchen Door by Saru Jayaraman, led by Katrina Thompson.

March 2022: Let the Record Show by Sarah Schulman

April 2022: Colonize This! Young Women of Color on Today’s Feminism edited by Daisy Hernandez and Bushra Rehman.

Join Rev. Matt Wednesday, February 9 at 1:00pm or 7:30 pm, for Matt’s Chats! Matt’s Chats offer a space where Prairie Members can drop in to touch base, develop new connections, and potentially have some interesting discussions along the way. No long term commitment required, just a desire to connect, share a bit of your story, and maybe even learn a thing or two. Find the link to Rev. Matt’s Chats on Prairie’s website.

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.

Calendar

Sunday, January 30, 2022

10:00 Service

Tuesday, February 1, 2022

7:00 Tuesday Trivia

Friday, February 4, 2022

4:30 Dungeons&Dragons (advanced)

Saturday, February 5, 2022

10:00 PrairieWOW

Sunday, February 6, 2022

10:00 Service

Wednesday, February 9, 2022

1:00 Matt's Chats

7:30 Matt's Chats

Friday, February 11, 2022

4:30 Dungeons&Dragons (advanced)

Sunday, February 13, 2022

10:00 Service

Monday, February 14, 2022

7:00 Study Group

Friday, February 18, 2022

4:30 Dungeons&Dragons (advanced)

Sunday, February 20, 2022

10:00 Service

Wednesday, February 23, 2022

1:00 Matt's Chats

7:30 Matt's Chats

Friday, February 25, 2022

4:30 Dungeons&Dragons (advanced)

Sunday, February 20, 2022

10:00 Service

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Upcoming Services

Sunday, February 6, 2022

"The Kids Scare You: And Other Uncomfortable Truths About Education in America" by Holly Tellander

The pandemic has highlighted many long-standing and (not-so) quietly creeping faults in our foundational understandings of what it means to be educated and to educate. Our students, educators, support staff and families are struggling... It can be overwhelming to consider how this ship might be turned in time to save our kids, and maybe even our society. Holly Tellander will challenge us to imagine what could be, and contemplate our role in making it so.

Sunday, February 13, 2022

Service

Sunday, February 20, 2022

Service by Rev. Matt Aspin

Sunday, February 27, 2022

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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:

1. The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
2. Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
3. Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
4. A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
5. The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
6. The goal of world community with peace, liberty and justice for all;
7. Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.