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Prairie Unitarian Universalist Society

Guest at Your Table (Prairie Intergenerational Service)

Prelude: "Down in the Meadow", "What Can Make a Hippopotamus Smile", and "A Hundred Stripy Socks" from *Pussycat, Pussycat* by Mies van Hout, performed by Kira

Welcome and Announcements

Pledge Drive Special Music:

"Money, Money, Money", led by Mary & Patty, lyrics on the back page of the order of service

Chalice Lighting:

We light this chalice as a symbol of our faith alive in our world. Today we remind ourselves to work and sacrifice for our goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all

Moment of mindful breathing

Presentation:

The Other Guests at Your Table, a dramatic performance by Prairie's RE students

Discussion

Offering and Offertory: "Sailor's Song" by Mark William, performed by Miles

Closing Words:

May our offerings today remind us that our commitments and our actions are how we live our Unitarian Universalism in the world.

May we follow the leadership of those most impacted by injustice in making the world anew.

And may this practice serve as an immense blessing, like the release of a giant cloud of birds, that startles our spirits into remembering to hope anew.

Closing Music: SLT #348 "[Guide My Feet](#)"

Joys/Concerns & Welcoming Guests/Visitors

Greet Your Neighbor



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Announcements

For the fourth quarter of 2022, Prairie will share its offertory collection with Porchlight's DIGS program, which provides eviction-prevention counseling and financial assistance to households facing eviction. In 2021, DIGS counseled 1,007 households and gave financial assistance to 660 households in danger of eviction; 85% of those who received DIGS' assistance remained in housing six months later. The program is running low on funds, and Prairie's Social Action Committee thought it would be an appropriate sharer of our offering.

Save the Date! Prairie's Fall Parish Meeting will be held on Sunday, November 20, 2022. We'll start the morning with a short service at 10:00 a.m. then move into the meeting. We'll be discussing the budget, a change to the bylaws and other important topics. We need 32 people for a quorum, so please attend!

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Lyrics to "Money, Money, Money"

Money! Money! Money!
Prairie needs your money!
We won't grow unless you give
Enthusiastically!

'Tain't like milk and honey,
Budgeting your money
Hope your offerings impress us
Overwhelmingly!

You know we're not wealthy,
Pledges keep us healthy,
Please pledge with love and
Generosity!

Unlike the bol weevil
Money's not an evil,
All we need is just enough
To pay bills easily!

Income! Moolah! Money!
Makes our outlook sunny,
Starts off our week
Ecclesiastically!

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