



Prairie Fire

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Calendar

Monday, August 22, 2011

6:30 Spanish Speaker's Potluck.

Tuesday, August 23, 2011

1:30 Prairie Elders meeting at Nakoma Room, Heritage Oaks building, Oakwood Village West.

Sunday, August 28, 2011

8:45 Choir rehearsal

10:00 Service – Water Ceremony, presented by Penny Eiler.

11:15 4th Annual Summer Splash Pool Party

Saturday, September 3, 2011

3:00 Ice Cream Social at Prairie

Sunday, September 4, 2011

10:00 Service – Labor Day service with a presentation by a representative from Interfaith Coalition for Worker Justice.

Wednesday, September 7, 2011

7:00 Prairie Board meeting.

Sunday, September 11, 2011

10:00 Service - "Facing Our Fears and Biases About Islam"

11:45 Soup Sunday: "Local Produce"

11:45 Humanist Union meets: Soup Sunday at 11:45 am, presentation and discussion from 12:30-1:30 pm on "Looking Back, Looking Forward."

Sunday, September 18, 2011

10:00 Service – GA presentation

11:40 Prairie Book Club meets to discuss Enrique's Journey by Sonia Nazario

Sunday, September 25, 2011

10:00 Service - "21st Century African Youth Movement," presented by Dennis Glover.

Prairie Web Sites:

Home Page
www.uuprairie.org

News Group
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/prairie-news/>

Views
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/prairie-views/>

Social Action
<http://socialaction.madisonwi.us>

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<http://humanist.madisonwi.us>

Input Deadlines:

Calendar items, announcements, and program descriptions are due on the 1st and 15th of each month. Please send to Dan Klock at admin@uuprairie.org or call 271-8218.

Upcoming Programs

Sunday, August 28, 2011, 10:00 a.m. "Water Ceremony," presented by Penny Eiler.

What body of water did you experience during your travels this summer? What does this water mean to you?

Regardless of whether you collected a sample of the water, you won't want to miss Prairie's customary beginning-of-the-church year "Water Ceremony." Come prepared to say a few sentences about what your water represents for you and to listen to how others have renewed themselves.

Leader Penny Eiler will have a surprise especially for the kids during this intergenerational service.

Sunday, September 4, 2011, 10:00 a.m. A workers' rights presentation by a representative from the Interfaith Coalition of Worker Justice.

News & Announcements

The next Spanish Speakers Potluck will be on Monday, August 22. It is currently scheduled to be at Prairie, but the location may change. All are welcome! Please bring a dish to pass if possible. For more information, contact Rosemary Dorney at (608) 238-4382.

PRAIRIE ELDERS MEETING: Tuesday, August 26 at 1:30 pm. We begin with a "round robin" for all who wish to share personal news. Topic discussion from 2:00 to 3:20. Site: Nakoma Room, Heritage Oaks building, Oakwood Village West. Call contacts for directions, parking or a ride. If convenient, bring your own beverage cup and a few snacks. Newcomers welcome. **Topic will be:** Implications of the Recent State Recall Elections and Recent Federal Budgetary Decisions **ABOUT US:** Prairie Elders aims to provide good times and mutual support for Prairie UU Members and Friends over 65 and UUs living at Oakwood. . Contacts: Donna Murdoch 238-3802, Gordon Cunningham 230-3367, Rosemary Dorney 238-4382 or Rose Smith 233-3363. Call Donna to add your name to the mailing list.



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