

Order of Service
May 01, 2022
“Beauty and Awe”

GATHERING THE COMMUNITY

Prelude Jed Holland, Music Director
Ringing the Bell & Welcome Caro Barschow

CENTERING

Opening Words & Chalice Lighting Emma Rearick
& Caro Barschow
Opening Hymn: “*For the Beauty of the Earth*” Hymn # 21
(words: Folliott Sandford Pierpoint; music: Conrad Kocher)

SHARING IN COMMUNITY

Wonderbox Vengerflutta Smith & the
Phillips Family
Poem: “Why I Wake Early” By: Mary Oliver
Anthem: “*Here Comes the Sun*” video
(words & music: George Harrison; recorded vocals: UU Nashua Choir, Feb. 2015; guitar: Bill Hinkle; bass: John Burkitt; drums: Billy Parker)
Poem: “Peonies” by: Mary Oliver Emma Rearick
Reflection Caro Barschow
Outreach Offering: Emergency Response for Ukraine Brenna Woods
Text “give” to give to the monthly outreach
Text “(amount) pledge” to give to the church
(603) 945-2859
Or give online at <https://uunashua.org/give/donate/>
Offertory: Instrumental Jed Holland, Music Director
Response: “*From You I Receive*” Hymn #402
Caring Candles Caro Barschow &
Diane Wolfe
Text: 910-807-3851
Silent Reflection
Response: “*Spirit of Life*” Hymn #123

GOING DEEPER

Poem: "In Blackwater Woods" by Mary Oliver

Caro Barschow &
Vengerflutta Smith

Reflection

Caro Barschow

Anthem: "*We Belong to the Earth*"

(words & music: Greg Artzner & Terry Leonino (aka Magpie))

UU Nashua Choir
Featuring: Dan Murphy

RETURNING TO SERVICE IN LIFE

Closing Hymn: "*Spring Has Now Unwrapped the Flowers*"

(words: Piae Cantiones; music: Thomas Benjamin)

Hymn #63

Benediction

Words by Langston Hughes

Emma Rearick

Song for Parting: "*Peace and Joy*"

Video

May Peace and Joy be with you
Truth and Compassion be your guide
and may the Spirit of Love enfold you
all the while we are apart

Postlude

Jed Holland, Music Director