

**Order of Service**  
**September 01, 2024**  
**“The Logic of Faith”**  
**Led by Erin Scott, Ministerial Intern**

**GATHERING THE COMMUNITY**

Prelude Jed Holland, Music Director  
Ringing the Bell & Welcome Julia Firmbach

**CENTERING**

Opening Words & Chalice Lighting Erin Scott  
“Holding It All” by Barbara Pescan  
Opening Hymn: “*Gathered Here*” Hymn #389

**SHARING IN COMMUNITY**

Joys & Sorrows Erin Scott & Julia Firmbach  
(910) 807-3851  
Silent Reflection  
Response: “*Spirit of Life*” Hymn #123  
Outreach Offering: Meals on Wheels Julia Firmbach  
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>  
Offertory: Instrumental Jed Holland  
Response: “*From You I Receive*” Hymn #402

**GOING DEEPER**

Reading: “Letter To Our Better Angels” by Sean Parker Dennison Erin Scott  
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Dennison Julia Firmbach  
Congregational Hymn: “*Guide My Feet*” Hymn #348  
(third verse adapted)

Sermon Erin Scott

**RETURNING TO SERVICE IN LIFE**

Closing Hymn: “*I Know This Rose Will Open*” Hymn #396  
Benediction Erin Scott  
Song for Parting: “*Peace & Joy*”

(words & music: Kathy Grossman)

Postlude

Jed Holland, Music Director

### **Notes for our In-person Attendees**

**MASKS & COVID VACCINATIONS:** Masks are optional and vaccinations are strongly encouraged. If you test positive for Covid-19 within 5 days of attending service, please inform the Church Office at [uucnoffice@uunashua.org](mailto:uucnoffice@uunashua.org)

**CARING CANDLES:** If you have a joy or sorrow to share, you can fill out a Candle Card (on the welcome tables) and give it to a Greeter or Staff member prior to the start of the service. You can also Text your Joy/Concern to 910-807-3851. Please include your name.

**CHILDREN'S WORSHIP ROOM:** We will offer childcare in the Teen Lounge at Temple Beth Abraham while we lead our summer worship services in the Social Hall. We are thrilled that our caring and engaging childcare staff will continue throughout the summer with Sam Murray, Emma Goyette, and/or Mary Holland, who are ready to welcome little ones every Sunday. In this new temporary space, we will bring our own UU Nashua materials, books, and toys so our children can enjoy familiar childcare activities. We will have a sign-in sheet for families interested in using childcare and a church volunteer helping as a hallway rover to offer support and extra supervision in our new space.