

Order of Service
January 19, 2025
“Justice Work in Bad Weather”
Led by Erin Scott, Ministerial Intern

GATHERING THE COMMUNITY

Prelude Jed Holland, Music Director

Ringling the Bell & Welcome Erin Scott, Ministerial Intern

CENTERING

Opening Words & Chalice Lighting Sam Murray
 “The Great Turning” by Lisa Garcia-Sampson

Opening Hymn: “Wake, Now, My Senses” Hymn #298

SHARING IN COMMUNITY

Wonderbox Sam Murray & friend
 Story: Two Frogs By Christopher Buice

Congregational Song: “*As You Go*”
 (words & music: Kathleen Tracy)

Outreach Offering: Minister’s Discretionary Fund Paul Cardone
 Text “give” to give to the monthly outreach
 Text “(amount) pledge” to give to the church
 (603) 945-2859
 Or give online at bit.ly/uucnoutreach

Offertory: Instrumental Jed Holland
 Response: “*From You I Receive*” Hymn #402

Anthem: “*Make Them Hear You*” UU Nashua Choir
 (music: Stephen Flaherty; words: Lynn Ahrens;
 arr.: Jeff Funk)

Caring Candles Erin Scott & Edmund Lowe
 (910) 807-3851
 Silent Reflection
 Response: “*Spirit of Life*” Hymn #123

GOING DEEPER

Words for Reflection Sam Murray
 "Where Do We Go from Here: Chaos or
 Community" By Martin Luther King, Jr.

Anthem: “*The Losing Side*” Lindsey Hedrick
 (words & music: Grace Petrie)

Sermon	Erin Scott, Ministerial Intern
RETURNING TO SERVICE IN LIFE	
Closing Hymn: <i>“Lift Every Voice and Sing”</i>	Hymn #149
Benediction & Chalice Extinguishing	Erin Scott, Ministerial Intern
Song for Parting: <i>“Peace & Joy”</i> (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

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 (Room 258): Available most Sundays from 9:50-11am for any children, especially young children, to play and meet church caregivers who are both volunteers and staff. The worship service is streamed into this classroom, offering young and old a chance to hear the music and words of the service in a setting that may better meet the needs of young, active, or nervous children. Please reach out to Sadie Kahn-Greene if you have questions or would like to help volunteer in this space.

WONDER BAGS:

While we don’t have a dedicated family worship space at Rivier, we have “Wonder Bags” to borrow! They include small clipboards with coloring pages, order of service word searches, pipe cleaners, and quiet toys. Anyone who wants one may choose a bag on their way in and return it on their way out, so it will be ready to be restocked for the next week.

FAITH FORMATION SUNDAY OPTIONS for Children & Youth (Room 302 & Lobby): Children’s chapel service for all children 4 & up on the 1st Sunday of the month.

UU Values Workshop choices for children & youth on the 2nd & 3rd Sundays of the month. All Ages Worship services for everyone are on 4th Sundays.