Order of Service April 13, 2025 "The Wisdom of Our Lives" Led by Rev. Allison Palm

GATHERING THE COMMUNITY	
Prelude	Jed Holland, Music Director
Ringing the Bell & Welcome	Rev. Allison Palm, Minister
CENTERING	
Opening Words & Chalice Lighting	Tina Marshman
Opening Hymn: "Praise The Source of Faith and Learning"	Hymn #158
SHARING IN COMMUNITY	
Wonderbox	Erin Scott
As You Go	
Anthem: Landslide (Fleetwood Mac/Stevie Nicks)	Anne Smith
Outreach Offering: Bridges	Cecile Bonvouloir
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 Medley of Requests Response: "From You I Receive"	Jed Holland Hymn #402
Caring Candles (910) 807-3851 Silent Reflection	Rev Allison and John Burkitt
Response: "Spirit of Life"	Hymn #123
GOING DEEPER	
Words For Reflection	Tina Marshman
Anthem: "100 Years" (music by John Ondrasik, arr. by Ryan James)	Choir

Sermon	Rev Allison
RETURNING TO SERVICE IN LIFE	
Closing Hymn: "For All That Is Our Life"	Hymn STLT #128
Benediction & Chalice Extinguishing	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

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.