

Order of Service

November 09, 2025

“Connecting with our Larger Faith: Reflections from General Assembly 2025”
Led by Rev. Allison Palm & General Assembly 2025 Attendees

GATHERING THE COMMUNITY

Prelude Jed Holland, Music Director

Ringing the Bell & Welcome Rev. Allison Palm, Minister

CENTERING

Opening Words & Chalice Lighting Brenna Woods & Hosea
Words from the 2025 UUA GA Chalice Lighting

Opening Hymn: “*We Will Carry Each Other*” Jed Holland, piano; Jaydan, clarinet
(words & music: Soren Austenfeld)

SHARING IN COMMUNITY

Connecting to our UU Association Rev. Allison Palm

Wonderbox Emma Rearick, Marissa Volpe,
Brenna Woods & Hosea

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

Anthem: “*If There Ain't Room for Me*” Marissa Volpe
(words & Music: Melissa Jeter)

Outreach Offering: EmbraceRace Robin Trudel, Member-at-large
Text “give” to give to the monthly outreach
Text “(amount) pledge” to give to the church
(603) 945-2859

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

Caring Candles Rev. Allison Palm & Laurie Barry
(910) 807-3851
Silent Reflection
Response: “*Spirit of Life*” Hymn #123

GOING DEEPER

Reflection Lindsey Hedrick & Kevin Emery

Anthem: “*Draw the Circle Wide*” UU Nashua Choir
(words & music: Mark A. Miller)

GATHERING THE COMMUNITY

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| Prelude | Jed Holland, Music Director |
| Reflection | Charlotte Cardone |
| Reflection | Karen Murray |

RETURNING TO SERVICE IN LIFE

Closing Hymn: “*As We Carry This Flame Forward*”
(words: Wesley King; music: William Moore)

Benediction & Chalice Extinguishing Marissa Volpe

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 online prior to the service or 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 8): We offer this childcare for children under 4 every Sunday from 9:15 to 11:15 a.m. We have toys, books, snacks and caring volunteers and staff offering a safe caring space for little ones.

FAMILY CORNER: This is a space available during worship for families with young children to best meet the needs of our families and our multigenerational community. We offer floor mats, rocking chairs, floor chairs and quiet toys in the sanctuary for families with young children who may need a little more space to be together during worship time.

WONDER BAGS & FLOOR SEATING UP FRONT: We have “Wonder Bags” & Wonder Embroidery to borrow for children of all ages. These quiet toys, stitching & coloring are available to borrow and bring a pew. We also have floor chairs near upfront for children to see better. Guests can choose a bag upon entering the Narthex or at the front of the church and return it when leaving for restocking the following week.

ACCESSIBLE PARKING: There are 4 dedicated accessible parking spaces outside the gate in the Grove St. parking lot. Access these spaces on the east side of our facility; approach from Whitney St. and turn south on Grove St., a one-way street down to Canal St.