

**Unitarian Universalist Church
of Columbia, MO**

“Remembrance Sunday”

Rev. Dr. Molly Housh Gordon and Intern Minister Monica Clark-Robinson

With the UUCC Choir, Directed by Violet Vonder Haar

November 2, 2025

Gathering Song – “When You Arrive” by Anni Zylstra

When you arrive

We all arrive

So come on in

Let’s begin

This place awaits

The love you bring

So welcome home

And let us sing

Welcome

Prelude – Victoria Joy, piano

Opening Words – by Peggy Clarke

***Hymn #188** – “Come, Come, Whoever You Are”

*Come, come, whoever you are,
wanderer, worshiper, lover of leaving.*

Ours is no caravan of despair.

Come, yet again come.

Chalice Lighting & Words of Affirmation

*Love is the spirit of this church, and service is its law;
this is our great covenant: to dwell together in peace,
to seek the truth in love, and to help one another.*

Centering Moment

Stones of Joy and Sorrow

Singing Our Children To Class

*Live in joy, go in peace
Hold all our love as we part*

*Live in joy, go in peace
Hold all our love in your heart*

New Member Ingathering

Joys & Sorrows Prayer

Opening the Circle – by Alexandra Blakely

Remembrance Altar – those gathered

Touching Our Grief – songs from WAILS: Songs for Grief by Alexandra Blakely – performed by the UUCC Choir, with Sam Buffaloe, percussion &

“Bloodlines”
“Everything Is Change”

Holding & Being Held – Those Gathered

Carrying Our Grief Together – songs from WAILS: Songs for Grief by Alexandra Blakely – performed by the UUCC Choir, with Sam Buffaloe, percussion &

“One Body”
“Emerge”

Closing the Circle – by Alexandra Blakely

Hymn – “There is A Love”

*There is a love holding me.
There is a love holding all that I love.
There is a love holding all.
I rest in this love.*

*There is a love holding us.
There is a love holding all that we love.
There is a love holding all.
We rest in this love.*

Offertory – Victoria Joy, piano

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Closing Words

***Sung Benediction**

*Now on leaving one another,
May we give of hand and heart.
Let us share our benediction,
Lovingly before we part.*

* Please stand or remain seated as you feel most comfortable.

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