Order of Worship Service—June 28, 11am Pentecost Sunday#5

PRELUDE- Emily

Variations on "Dona Nobis Pacem" (grant us peace)—David Evan Thomas

CALL TO WORSHIP: SCOTT

QUARTET Insert

We Walk In Love

CALL TO CONFESSION AND COMMITMENT -repeat as in wedding vows

Pastor: The <u>means</u> by which we live

have outdistanced the ends for which we live.

Our scientific power has outrun our spiritual power.

We have guided weapons and misguided people.

We must re-create our capacity for creative compassion.

Compassion for ourselves and for others.

"Don't get weary children!"

Compassion for all whose backs are against the wall.

"Don't get weary, children!"

Every person must decide

whether to walk

in the darkness of destructive self-centeredness—

Or in the light of creative empathy!

Every person must decide

whether we are going to settle

for merely saying that God exists,

Or are we going to live our lives

like God actually does exist?

Amen.

Quartet

Sing the Faith#2177 Wounded World That Cries for Healing

Bible readings: Psalm 13 Psalm 86:1-10 Matthew 9:35—10:4 Neal Long

Sung Response to scripture reading <u>OUARTET</u>

Glory to God#595 Holy, Holy, Holy

Message: Take A Chance Before You Miss Your Chance—to Dance!

Anthem:

Up Above My Head— Traditional spiritual, arr. Mark Hayes

Note: not the hymn tune we sing

Welcoming...leads into morning prayer

Intercessory Prayer SCOTT—with comments by people on FB DEANNA will read these in spaces of silence)...conclude with the Lord's Prayer, then Sung Response, Glory to God#469 Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

Offertory Dawn's Awakening—text, James Joseph Burke; music,

Florence B. Price

Megan Dobbs, soprano

Prayer of Dedication -- repeated as in wedding vow

Here in the busy city
Now let the church be seen
Where lesser gods are worshipped
In money and machine;
Where news is but sensation,
The Good News hardly heard.
Now let the church take action

In living out the word!
Here in the busy city
God walks on every street
In generous or greedy,
The honest or the cheat,
And daily we must offer
The good that goes unpriced
With vigour and with vision
The lifestyle of the Christ.

-Shirley Erena Murray

1. Hymn—Quartet—Glory to God#313 Lord, Make Us More Holy

14.Final Blessing...... Scott

15.SUNG RESPONSE—Lead me, Guide me—twice— OUARTET—

16.Postlude EMILY

Variations on HYFRYDOL—Michael Larkin