Your Hand to the Bow

1. The Method of the Parable
   - Jesus used everything.
   - His bow.

2. The Rejection at Dyer's Mountain Village
   - He simply passed on.

3. There was wanted to follow

(A) "I will go when you want me to go."
   - No place to lay head.
   - Our concern for comfort and external security.

(B) "Let me go & bury my father."
   - Plenty of people to do that.
   - You love when you have an uncle.
(c) "Let Me Go Home Trust"
   - His loyality is too narrow

4. We Owe Who Voted His Hand To Bow
   A. Importance of Bowing
      - For Unit
      - Heeds up Head Around
      - Prepares Ground for Read
   B. Demands of Bowing
      - Get it Into Ground
      - Keep Your Head on the Bow
      - Bow A Forough
   C. The Questions Arises
      - Do We Really Understand Washington?
      - After the Hard Demands Come true?
      - Can We Stand With It?
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5. Membership Class

6. Quarterly Meeting – Consideration of the Amendments to the By-Laws – April 12 – 7 p.m.

4. Leanne Yrieux Recital
   Sanctuary 3:30
Our Recovery of Worship

Our Need for Worship

1. After Easter - The War - Then Lenten.
   - We cannot be a congregation, nor know the power of God - without worship.

2. The Inadequacy of Nuclear Worship
   - Simply noisy activism.
   - A thin feeling of togetherness.
   - A dead formalism with the adjusting of the machinery.

3. The Nature of Our Time
   - Overwhelmed by Our Own Sense of Importance.
     - Our Gadgets
     - Our Ideas
   - Our God Sense of One True Wonder.
     - Life and Death & Love & Tragedy.
   - Our Desires for Meaning.
2. The Heart and Essence of Worship

1. Our Response To God's Calling
   - He moves toward us and we respond.
   - He initiates, then we respond.
   - We bring Him our love, our gratitude, our sacrifice.

2. We Enter Into Dialogue With God
   - "Deep calleth Unto Deep"
   - We speak and God speaks.
   - Deeply Personal Living Experience.

3. God Has Given Us The Capacity For This
   - He created man a living soul.
   - He has been made with a capacity for fellowship with God.
   - Illustrations of His:
     - God with man in the Garden.
     - God and Enoch.
     - God and Jesus.

4. His is the End Of All Life
   - God and Man in Fellowship, Revelation
Reality Rather Than Form in Worship

0. The Failure of Form
   - Not the mood created by music, or lighting, or the sermon.
   - Not the part of the minister or his role in a particular office.
   - Not the vain repetition of phrases.

1. The Condition of the Heart
   - The intent or purpose with which a man comes.
   - Pentecostal Service in Stockholm.
   - Quaker Service at Earlham College.
   - Prayer Retreat at Hudson.
   - Communion In A Lutheran Church.

The Writing and Writing of Worship

0. The Mighty Work of Worship
   - The service of heart.
   - The struggle for meaning. Unless I see...
   - Jacob at the Brook of Jacob.
   - Peter In The Garden.
The Writing of Worship

- Not the strain and stress of the Day, but the Writing as a Symphony or a Mosaic Scene in Nature.
- How often can we receive Forgiveness, Love or Wholeness.

Alone, Yet With The Whole Company

1. We Are Alone.
   - I stand before God as a sinner, naked, alone.
   - I am responsible to Him.

2. Yet I Am In The Band Of A Great Company
   - All Those Who Pray With and For Me.
   - Those of All Christ's Pray For Me.
   - My responsibility for My brethren.
   - I am driven into life.

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The scripture this morning has been read from the book of Revelation, Chapter 1 verses 1 through 16. The Sanctuary Choir has just sung the anthem "O SAVIOUR OF THE WORLD" by Goss. The offertory solo I WILL NOT LEAVE YOU COMFORTLESS will be sung by Miss Susan Ullius, mezzo soprano. Pastor Fredrikson is preaching this morning on the topic OUR RECOVERY OF WORSHIP.

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