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PRAISE AND WORSHIP

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IMPACT
PEOPLE OF FAITH WORKING FOR JUSTICE

A New and Serious Response

Call to Worship

L: We are gathered here because we care.

P: We care about things that are bigger than we are.

L: We care about things that are bigger than our individual lives.

P: We care because you have called us.

L: We care about things in our world that are too large for us to handle,

P: But they are never too large for you to handle.

All: Give us the voice and hearts of prophets, God. Shine through us, Christ Jesus. Blow through us, Spirit of fire and wisdom.



Romans 5:1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.



Prayer



**We believe that God is present
In the darkness before dawn;
In the waiting and uncertainty
Where fear and courage join hands,
Conflict and caring link arms,
And the sun rises over barbed wire.
We believe in a with-us God
Who sits down in our midst to share
our humanity.**



Prayer



**We affirm a faith that takes us beyond a
safe place; Into action, into vulnerability
And onto the streets.**

**We commit ourselves to work for change
And put ourselves on the line;
To bear responsibility, take risks
Live powerfully
And face humiliation;**



Prayer



**To stand with those on the edge;
To choose life and be used by the
Spirit For God's new community of
hope. Amen.**

---Iona Abbey Worship Book



Thank you!



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