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Hey Dylan!

I'm going to email my U2charist list (of about 150 churches! Wow.) asking them to be sure *not* to say I invented it in their press releases, also. Hopefully those you receive in the future will be more accurate.

Thanks for your patience with this!

Peace,
Paige

-----Original Message-----

From: Sarah Dylan Breuer <dylan@sarahlaughed.net>
Sent: Oct 25, 2006 4:30 PM
To: pblair1@earthlink.net
Subject: Re: U2charist creation

Yo! Many thanks for taking the time to write on the road. Since you're traveling -- and since my CV is going out this week for a position that could be very important for me, and in which my longstanding work on 'emerging church' liturgy may play an important role -- I went ahead and sent an email to the EGR webguys to ask for the correction. I wouldn't have written to them without your knowing about it; I know well what it's like to feel blindsided, so I'm really glad that you're good with getting the fuller version of the story out there, and I cc'd you on the message so you'd be able to correct anything I might have missed. Phew! Here's hoping that the confusion doesn't mess up my job search. I hope that once it gets straightened out, you'll get even more of the credit you so richly deserve for promoting the concept -- a story that, IMO, gets buried in the mistaken info about the U2charist's origins. Most things in the church don't go very far until someone with a collar takes them up, and I'm more glad than I know how to say that you're using the privilege that comes with the collar to draw attention to vital work around the MDGs, which are far, far more important than either of our fortunes as consultants.

Blessings, and safe travel!

Dylan

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"We live as though the world were what it should be, to show it what it can be." -- "Deep Down," *Angel* season 4

On Oct 25, 2006, at 2:23 PM, pblair1@earthlink.net wrote:

Hi Dylan,

In short, I didn't know it said I created the U2charist-- and I regularly say that I was not the first to do one when interviewed, and mention the one done around the publication of Get Up... The U2charist information on the EGR site is certainly a'la the U2charists as done at St. George's and as supported by me as a consultant over the last year and a half-- and perhaps we can change the language to reflect that. I will indeed make such a request to the web guys at EGR.

In the middle of travelling so can't write more, but will follow up with this as soon as I am home.

Peace,
Paige

-----Original Message-----

From: Sarah Dylan Breuer <dylan@sarahlaughed.net>
Sent: Oct 25, 2006 12:09 AM
To: Paige Blair <pblair1@earthlink.net>
Subject: U2charist creation

Paige,

Did you know that the EGR website says more than once that the U2charist was "created by the Rev. Paige Blair"? I'd really appreciate it if you could help to clear up this confusion as quickly as possible (in view of the continued press it's getting -- just got four more press releases to that effect in the last two weeks!), as the U2charist I helped to craft in 2002-2003, and about which we corresponded as you were planning your first U2 service, features on my C.V. that I'm sending out to potential employers.

[further paragraphs not on the U2charist omitted for web publication]