

**THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR AT A GLANCE 1-11-15**

**TODAY** Installation and Ordination of Officers  
8:30 AM & 11:10 AM– Worship Service – SA  
9:45 AM –Sunday School- CE  
3:00 PM – All Church Retreat Meeting – KL  
4:30 PM – 6:00 PM – Jr. High Club – YH  
6:30 PM – 8:00 PM – Sr. High Youth Group – YH  
7:00 PM – Session Meeting – CCR

**MONDAY** 7:00 AM – 5:00 PM – Preschool – CE  
8:00 AM – 9:00 PM – Preschool Evaluation Meetings – PR  
4:00 PM – 5:00 PM – 6<sup>th</sup> Grd. Girls' Bible Study  
@Harbaughs  
5:30 PM – 8:30 PM – Act I – FrH  
6:30 PM – 8:00 PM – Women's Bible Study – CCR  
7:00 PM – Pack 157 Committee Meeting – TR  
7:00 PM – Boy Scouts – FH

**TUESDAY** 7:00 AM – 5:00 PM – Preschool – CE  
8:00 AM – Prayer and Communion Service – CH  
8:00 AM – 9:00 PM – Preschool Evaluation Meetings – PR  
10:00 AM – Staff Meeting – KL  
5:30 PM – 8:30 PM – Act I – FrH  
6:30 PM – Weigh to Lose  
7:00 PM – Trustees Meeting – KL  
7:00 PM – AARP Meeting – FH

**WEDNESDAY** 7:00 AM – 5:00 PM – Preschool – CE  
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM – Bible Stories – UGR  
12:00PM – Ministerium Meeting – FH  
6:30 PM – 8:30 PM – Webelos I – Purple Room  
7:00 PM – 8:00 PM – Confirmation Class – YH  
7:00 PM – Chancel Choir – CR  
8:15 PM – Praise Team – SA

**THURSDAY** 7:00 AM – 5:00 PM – Preschool – CE  
7:00 AM – Men's Bible Study – PS  
8:45 AM – 3:00 PM – Bible Stories – UGR  
9:15 AM – 11:30 AM – Women's Stretch and Study – YH  
5:30 PM – 8:00 PM – Girl Scouts – FH, PR, FrH  
7:00 PM – Student Ministries Leaders Meeting – YH  
7:15 PM – Youth Choir – CR  
7:15 PM – Fathers' Small Group – CCR

**FRIDAY** 7:00 AM – 5:00 PM – Preschool – CE  
8:45 AM – 3:00 PM – Bible Stories – UGR  
9:00 AM – Mom's Bible Study – KL, Nursery  
7:00 PM – Pack 157 Meeting – FH

**SATURDAY** 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM – Act I – FrH  
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM – Women's Breakfast – FH

**SUNDAY** (1-18-15) 8:30 AM & 11:10 AM– Worship Service – SA  
9:45 AM –Sunday School- CE  
12:15 PM – Deacons' Meeting – CCR  
4:30 PM – 6:00 PM – Jr. High Club – YH  
6:30 PM – 8:00 PM – Sr. High Youth Group – YH

**THE FLOWERS ON THE CHANCEL THIS MORNING** are given to the Glory of God.

**THE ELDER OF THE WEEK** is Sharon Griffin.

**HEARING ENHANCING EQUIPMENT:** If you have difficulty hearing during the worship service, please let one of the ushers know prior to the service, and you'll be given a hearing enhancer to use during the service.

**8:30 AM USHERS**

Mike Radich  
John Hart  
Ron Park  
Dwight and Joanne Pearson

**11:10 AM USHERS**

Don Pritchard  
Chris Sutton  
Jim Giel  
Dick Friedline

**SOUND TECHNICIANS**

8:30 AM – Zach Hughes  
11:10 AM – Skip Young

**UPCOMING SERVICE**

Sunday, January 18, 2015  
Dr. Dirk Lesnett preaching

**CHILDREN'S & FAMILY MINISTRY**

**Birth – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade**

*For more information on these ministries, please contact  
Bethann Dolan, Elder for Children's Ministries  
at: mbergd@verizon.net or 412-492-9991*

**1. CRADLE ROLL ROOM FOR AGES BIRTH THROUGH**

**2 1/2.** The Cradle Roll room is located past the church offices and choir room. The **TODDLER/PRESCHOOL ROOM** is open during the Sunday School time and 11:10 worship hour. This is a class for children who are 2 ½ to 4yrs. of age.

**2. SUNDAY SCHOOL** –Our classes will begin at 9:45 and end at 10:45 AM. Children 4 years old (Pre-K) through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade will meet in the RED room of the C.E. for Kids of the Kingdom Music to start class at 9:45. Children in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade through 6<sup>th</sup> will meet in their classrooms.

**3. YOUNG CHILD IN WORSHIP** – For ages Pre-K through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade during the 11:10 service. This week's lesson will be *Jesus is Baptized* by Bethann Dolan, Beth Interthal, Bonne DeMatteo, and Melissa Kutzer.

**4. CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BULLETINS** are with the regular bulletins at the entrances to the Sanctuary. If your child would like one, please see one of the ushers.

**STUDENT MINISTRIES, Grades 6-12**

*For more information on these ministries, please contact  
Rev. Jason Rea at  
jason@elfinwildchurch.org or call 412-486-5400.*

**5. JR. & SR. HIGH CLUB** -We meet tonight – Jr. High (grades 6-8) from 4:30 – 6:00 PM and Sr. High (grades 9-12) from 6:30 – 8:00 PM. This club is a wonderful time for fellowship with other students. We play different games, have some good food and spend time in worship and study together.

Please use this form to register for church events. After filling it out, you may tear it off and place into the offering plate. Thank you!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Registrants: Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_\_\_

Ages of Children: \_\_\_\_\_

Other applicable information: \_\_\_\_\_

## ELFINWILD CHURCH NEWS

**6. PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE ALL CHURCH RETREAT** to be held January 23-25, 2015 at the Ligonier Camp and Conference Center. The guest speaker, Saleem Ghubril, Executive Director of the Pittsburgh Promise and volunteer pastor of the Mosaic Community Church, will lead us as we focus on the theme **Light of the World**. We will explore the meaning of Jesus as *the light of the world*, what His light brings to each of us, and how we may move toward becoming a light for Christ in our world. In addition to a great speaker, the retreat offers time for fellowship; fireside chats; hiking; a 1200 foot zipline; an inside climbing wall; laser tag; sledding; young child care; and lots of activities for the kids. The cost: Adults - \$75/ Children 10-17 - \$40/ Children 4-9 - \$30 (\$200 cap for families and additional financial assistance is available if needed). Registration forms available on tables outside the sanctuary and on the church website. Questions? Patty Robinson: 412-487-0413

**7. BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** – Over the past years a faithful group of individuals has provided a light luncheon, at a small cost, for the family and friends of a deceased individual following the funeral service. This group has dwindled in size. We need your help and assistance in creating a new group of folks who can help with this ministry. If you are interested in assisting in or leading this ministry, please contact the church office at 412-486-5400 or Jim Giel, Jr. at 412-486-2774.

**8. DID YOU KNOW** that you can listen to the sermons on our website? Please go to [www.elfinwildchurch.org](http://www.elfinwildchurch.org) and click on the link.

**9. ATTENTION MEN:** There are several upcoming opportunities to strengthen your relationship with God as well as be His ambassador in the community.

\* A new CLC group will be starting soon and will be meeting from 6:00 to 8:00 AM on Saturdays. Mike Gaydos and Mark Connelly will be the co-facilitators.

\*Dirk will be leading a small group on fatherhood which will began on January 8<sup>th</sup> in the Conference Room.

If you are interested, please contact Mike Gaydos at 724-272-6951 or [projecteng@hotmail.com](mailto:projecteng@hotmail.com).

**10. ELFINWILD MEALS MINISTRY DRIVERS AND VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** – As our snowbirds go south for the winter, we have a need for additional drivers and volunteers during the winter months. If you have a couple of hours during the week to assist in the kitchen or can assist in delivery of the meals, please contact Marion Berberich at 412-486-8000. Any time that you can provide would be greatly appreciated for this important ministry.

**11. ATTENTION FATHERS!!!** Every father knows how difficult parenting can be. If you want to find some encouragement for, support in, and guidance to being a father who loves his children with a godly type of love, we invite you to come and join us. We began on Thursday, January 8 at 7:15 pm in the Corner Conference Room. This time coincides with the Youth Choir rehearsal time. We will meet initially for six weeks through February 13<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions or would like to confirm your place around the table, please email or call Pastor Dirk Lesnett at [dirk@elfinwildchurch.org](mailto:dirk@elfinwildchurch.org) or 412-486-5400.

**12. WOMEN'S BREAKFAST** – The Women's Ministry Committee is hosting a breakfast and warmly invites the women of Elfinwild to attend on Saturday, January 17<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM to 11 AM. To make reservations, please fill out a form located on the tables and place in the offering plate or call the church office. Please let us know if you will need child care.

**13. THE 2015 FLOWER CHART** is now available! The cost for flowers in 2015 is \$44.00. Please contact the church office with any questions or sign up on the chart located in the north narthex.

**14. YOUR 2015 OFFERING ENVELOPES** are available at the rear of the Sanctuary. **ATTENTION!** If you are making direct payments via a financial institution and do not use nor wish to have envelopes, please notify the church office. In this case, you will be assigned a 600 account number. Pew envelopes remain for other giving.

**15. ATTENTION LADIES** – Please join us for our Monday evening Women's Bible Study! This six week study of the Beatitudes which began on January 5<sup>th</sup> and will be held from 6:30 – 8:00 PM in the Corner Conference Room. Please call the church office or fill out the tear-off to let us know of your interest and so that materials can be ordered.

**16. THE BREAD OF LIFE PANTRY** extends its thanks and appreciation to the Elfinwild Church family for their generous gifts during the recent Fill the Truck Campaign as well as gifts, both of food, presents for the clients and monetary gifts during the holiday season. Your assistance in our ministry in Etna now and throughout the year is greatly appreciated. Without your help and that of our many area churches and residents, our ministry would not be able to provide Christ's love to our needy neighbors.

**17. WOMEN OF ELFINWILD:** NO MEETING IN JANUARY! The Mary Circle WILL HOLD OUR NEXT MEETING on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9. Our lesson NEXT MONTH is on TAMAR, p. 71 in our book, *Women of the Bible*.

**18. VALENTINE CARE PACKAGES** As part of the College Ministry, cards and notes are sent to students throughout the academic year. A Care Package is sent for Valentine's Day and your help is needed to fill the packages. For more information on what items are needed, please pick up a flyer from the tables located on the tables in and outside of the sanctuary. Thank you for your support!

**19. TRIPLE O'S ( On Our Own) LUNCHEON** will be on Wednesday, January 21<sup>st</sup> at 12 noon. Please make a reservation by completing the form in the bulletin or by calling the church office. Come and join this great fellowship!

**20. COFFEE HOUR HELP** is needed! If you are interested in helping on Sunday mornings in the Upper Gathering Room, please contact Tessa Connelly at: [connthree07@gmail.com](mailto:connthree07@gmail.com).

**21. MEN'S BREAKFAST** – You are invited to attend a breakfast for the men of Elfinwild on Saturday, January 31st at 9:00AM in Fellowship Hall. Come and enjoy some good food, fun, and fellowship and learn about some future opportunities to explore how God is working in each of our lives and how we can be the men that God wants us to be. Although not required, letting us know that you are coming would be much appreciated so that we know how much food to make. You can either fill out the response form in the bulletin and place it in the offering plate or contact the church office.

**21 22. YEAR END REPORTS** are due no later than January 26, 2015, for inclusion in the Annual Report for the year 2014. Please submit your ministry/committee report to the church office, attention Cindy Neil, or by email to: [cindy@elfinwildchurch.org](mailto:cindy@elfinwildchurch.org).

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**23. ELFINWILD VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY** is in need of new members. If you're looking for a way to give something back to the community, this is a great opportunity! All training and equipment are provided either in-house or through local fire academies and schools. By making a commitment to the fire service, you can earn a FREE college degree through the FireVest program of the Community College of Allegheny County. For degrees offered or for more details, call 412-931-3158, ext. 5. Stop by the fire hall at 2807 Mt. Royal Blvd. on any Monday evening at 7:30 PM or call Dan at 412-377-5986.

**24. GLENSHAW AARP #3744** will meet on Tuesday, January 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM at Elfinwild Church. The meeting will be followed by refreshments and group activities led by Irma Kearney.

(11:10)  
ANTHEM "There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit" Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING Ephesians 4:1-16  
(page 1098 in the pew Bible)

SERMON "Different Gifts, ONE Spirit" Dr. Dirk Lesnett

#### ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

##### ELDERS

Mark Feris- 2017  
Amy Meyer- 2017  
+Dwight Pearson- 2017  
Kyle Pinta -2017  
Ann Ritter- 2017  
+Bob Wegner-2017

##### DEACONS

Linda Barto-2016  
Jenny Dayton-2017  
Linda Kaiser-2017  
+Beth Meyer -2017  
+Dorothy Thompson -2015  
Jim Thompson-2017  
Patti Zahnhausen-2017

##### TRUSTEES

Len Colaizzi-2017  
Mike Gaydos-2017  
Jim Giel- 2017  
Tim Keenan-2017  
Pamela McKern-2016  
Don Pritchard-2017  
Johanna Roth-2015  
Matt Schlegel-2017  
Bev Weber-2017

(+ indicates ordination)

#### LITANY OF ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

Leader: There are different gifts,  
**All: But it is the same Spirit who gives them.**  
Leader: There are different ways of serving God ,  
**All: But it is the same Lord who is served.**  
Leader: God works through different people in different ways,  
**All: But it is the same God who achieves His purpose through them all.**  
Leader: Each one is given a gift by the Spirit,  
**All: To use for the common good.**  
Leader: Together we are the body of Christ,  
**All: And individually members of Him.**

#### CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTIONS TO CANDIDATES

#### QUESTION TO THE CONGREGATION

Leader: Do we, the members of the church accept these duly elected officers as elders, deacons and trustees, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation, to lead us in the way of Jesus Christ?  
**All: We do.**

#### PRAYER OF COMMISSIONING

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE No. 525 "Here I Am, Lord"

#### \*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Alec Chapman

*Special thanks to our liturgists:*

8:30 – Elinor Lindeman 11:10 – Bob Weinheimer

#### STAFF

Pastor: The Rev. Dr. Dirk Lesnett – dirk@elfinwildchurch.org  
Associate Pastor: The Rev. Jason Rea – jason@elfinwildchurch.org  
Interim Choir Director: Mark Spondike  
Organist: Alec Chapman  
Office Manager: Cindy Neil – cindy@elfinwildchurch.org  
Business Manager/Treasurer: Karen Dorsey – karen@elfinwildchurch.org  
John Steinmiller – Sexton  
Bob Slahtovsky – Sexton  
Javier Rodriguez – Sexton  
Bob Kennedy – Financial Secretary – rgkmjk1@verizon.net  
Jim Thompson – Parish Visitor  
Amanda Gaydos —Web Page and CALL Editor – amandaga@consolidated.net  
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#### Officers

Clerk of Session – Mark Riethmuller  
President of Trustees – Mike Radich  
President of Deacons –

#### MINISTRIES

Elfinwild Home Meals Ministry  
Marian Berberich - 412-486-8000

#### Elfinwild Church Preschool

Carolyn Hervey, Director  
Telephone – 412-486-2322

3200 Mt. Royal Boulevard, Glenshaw, Pennsylvania 15116  
Telephone 412-486-5400 Fax 412-486-7080  
Email: epchurch@elfinwildchurch.org



## WELCOME TO ELFINWILD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*We offer a warm welcome to every worshipper,  
and a way to serve for all who are willing.*

### ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS January 11, 2015

**8:30 & 11:10 AM Worship**

*You are invited to use the following Scripture for reflection  
as you prepare your hearts for worship.*

**O God, by your power may we, with all the saints,  
comprehend the breadth and length and height and depth  
of the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge,  
so that we may be filled with your fullness. Amen.  
(based on Ephesians 3:18-19)**

PRELUDE

Alec Chapman

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH

*Please sign the blue Friendship Pad in the pew near the center aisle.*

Elfinwild Presbyterian Church Financial Statement November 30, 2014		
Actual Tithes & Gifts Given		\$575,790
Total Expenses	(Y.T.D.)	\$574,226
Favorable	(Y.T.D.)	\$1,564

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 100

Leader: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness: come before Him with Joyful songs. Know that the Lord is God.

**All: It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, the sheep of His pasture.**

Leader: Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise; give thanks to Him and praise His name.

**All: For the Lord is good and His love endures forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations.**

(8:30)

\*SONG OF PRAISE

“Lord I Need You”

Praise Team

**Verse 1**

**Lord I come, I confess. Bowing here, I find my rest  
And without You, I fall apart. You're the one that guides my heart**

**Chorus 1**

**Lord I need You, oh I need You – Ev'ry hour I need You  
My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh God how I need You**

**Verse 2**

**Where sin runs deep Your grace is more.  
Where grace is found is where You are.  
And where You are Lord I am free. Holiness is Christ in me.  
Where You are Lord I am free. Holiness is Christ in me.**

**Bridge**

**So teach my song to rise to You  
When temptation comes my way  
And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You  
Jesus You're my hope and stay  
And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You  
Jesus You're my hope and stay  
(Chorus)**

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(11:10)

\*HYMN OF PRAISE No. 466

“O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

\*PRAYER OF ADORATION

(11:10)

ANTHEM

“Help Us Accept Each Other”

Chancel Choir

Help us accept each other as Christ accepted us;  
Teach us as sister, brother, Each person to embrace.  
Be present, Lord, among us and bring us to believe  
We are ourselves accepted and meant to love and live.

Teach us, O Lord, your lessons as in our daily life  
We struggle to be human and search for hope and faith.  
Teach us to care for people, for all, not just for some,  
To love them as we find them or as they may become.

Let Your acceptance change us, so that we may be moved  
In living situations to do the truth in love;  
To practice Your acceptance until we know by heart  
The table of forgiveness and laughter's healing art.

Lord, for today's encounters with all who are in need,  
Who hunger for acceptance, for righteousness and bread,  
We need new eyes for seeing, new hands for holding on:  
Renew us with Your Spirit; Lord, free us, make us one!

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Leader: God of grace, we confess that we have elevated the thing of this world above you. We have made idols of possessions and people and used your name for causes that are not consistent with you and your purposes. We have permitted our schedules to come first and have not taken the time to worship you. We have not always honored those who guided us in life. We have participated in systems that take life instead of give it. We have been unfaithful in our covenant relationships. We have yearned for, and sometimes taken, that which is not ours, and we have misrepresented others' intentions. Hear our individual confession in this silent moment.

(Silent prayer of confession)

**All: Forgive us, O God, for the many ways we fall short of your glory. Help us to learn to live together according to your ways through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, this is the Good News of the Gospel:

**All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Alleluia!**

\*GLORIA PATRI

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
World without end, Amen.**

RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

Jeff Weber, Violin

\*DOXOLOGY

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise Him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host,  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread;  
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever, Amen.**

(8:30)

ANTHEM

“Your Grace is Enough”

Praise Team

Great is Your faithfulness O God.  
You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart.  
You lead us by still waters into mercy,  
And nothing can keep us apart

**Pre-Chorus**

**(So) remember Your people, remember Your children,  
Remember Your promise O God**

**Chorus 1**

**Your grace is enough, Your grace is enough  
Your grace is enough for me.**

**Verse 2**

Great is Your love and justice God of Jacob.  
You use the weak to lead the strong.  
You lead us in the song of Your salvation,  
And all Your people sing along

**Pre-Chorus**

**(So) remember Your people, remember Your children  
Remember Your promise O God**

**Chorus 1**

**Your grace is enough, Your grace is enough  
Your grace is enough for me**

**Chorus 2**

**Your grace is enough, your grace is enough  
Your grace is enough for me.  
Your grace is enough - Heaven reaches out to us  
Your grace is enough for me  
Your grace is enough, I'm covered in Your love  
Your grace is enough for me for me.**

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