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CHILD CARE DURING WORSHIP

Cradle Roll (infants)

During the 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM services.
Location – end of hall from sanctuary.

Toddlers (ages 2 - 4)

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Toddler Room located on the 1st floor of church building

Summer Sunday School (ages 4 - 2nd grade)

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Location – Green Room, 1st floor C.E. Building
Children 3rd grade and up worship with their families.



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
June 30, 2013
8:00 and 10:00 AM Worship**

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

*I will call to mind the deeds of the LORD;
I will remember your wonders of old.
I will meditate on all your work,
and muse on your mighty deeds.
Your way, O God, is holy.
What god is so great as our God?
You are the God who works wonders;
you have displayed your might among the peoples.
Psalm 77*

PRELUDE

Ron Bernhardt, organist

**WORDS OF WELCOME AND
ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE CHURCH**

(Please sign the friendship pad that is located near the center aisle of each pew.)

WE GATHER TOGETHER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 16

Leader: Come, bless the Lord, in whom we find our refuge and safety.

All: He is our God; all the good things come from him alone.

Leader: Come, bless the Lord, who gives us a rich inheritance, and surrounds us with abundance.

All: He is our God; our lives are in his hands.

Leader: Come, bless the Lord, who guides us on the path to eternal life, whose presence strengthens and sustains us.

All: He is our God; we will not be shaken.

Let's worship God together

***HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 276** "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

***PRAYER OF ADORATION**

(8:00)

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Words of Introduction

Questions to the Parents – Matthew and Bethany Harbaugh

Questions to the Congregation

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Baptism of Daniel Matthew Harbaugh

(8:00)

HYMN NO. 492 "Baptized in Water"

RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

Ron Bernhardt

**Please stand if you are able*

***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.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 4:35-41
(page 939 in pew Bible)

SERMON

"The Calm in the Storm"

Dr. Dirk Lesnett

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

All: Merciful God, we remember the words of the Psalmist that you are our stronghold in times of trouble. Yet, we confess how easily we identify with the fear of the disciples when they were caught in the storm; like them, our faith falters and our anxiety levels soar when life becomes too turbulent for us. We fail to remember that your power, O God, can bring peace into the stormiest situations. We let our eyes focus on the stresses of life, and take them off of our Savior, Jesus, the one who walks above the water. We forget that Jesus is in our midst, calming our fears and strengthening us with his presence, especially when we feel most vulnerable and fearful and weak. (a time of silence)

Gracious God, forgive us all our fears and weaknesses, we pray. Renew and strengthen our faith in the living Christ so that we can live empowered by his presence. This we pray in his name by the power of the Holy Spirit, Amen.

***HYMN OF AFFIRMATION**

"It is Well"

1. When peace, like a river, attendeth my way,
when sorrows like sea billows roll;
whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,
It is well, it is well with my soul.

Refrain:

It is well with my soul,
it is well, it is well with my soul.

2. Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,
let this blest assurance control,
that Christ has regarded my helpless estate,
and hath shed his own blood for my soul.
(Refrain)

3. My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought!
My sin, not in part but the whole,
is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more,
praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
(Refrain)

4. And, Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight,
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll;
the trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend,
even so, it is well with my soul.
(Refrain)

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Ron Bernhardt, organ

A PATRIOTIC CELEBRATION

Wednesday, July 3, 2013 at 7 PM

Come celebrate with us as we recognize and celebrate the signing of the Declaration of Independence through patriotic hymns, music, and readings. There will be a cookie and punch reception afterwards.

***Flyers are located on the tables outside of the Sanctuary**