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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 9, 2013

**Graduate Recognition Sunday
8:00 and 10:00 AM Worship**

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

*Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD, O my soul!
I will praise the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praises
to my God all my life long... The LORD sets the prisoners
free; the LORD opens the eyes of the blind.
The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down;
the LORD loves the righteous.
Psalm 146*

PRELUDE "Chorale" Frederic Chopin
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 147

Leader: How good it is to sing praises to our God!

All: He heals the brokenhearted, binding up their wounds.

Leader: He counts the stars, and calls them each by name.

All: How great is our God! His power is absolute, and his wisdom beyond comprehension.

Leader: Sing out your thanksgiving to God. Offer to God that worship that belongs to Him alone.

All: We worship our God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

***HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 476** "O Worship the King"

~Our graduates will process at the 10:00 service~

***PRAYER OF ADORATION**

CALL TO CONFESSION Hebrews 4:14-16

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been. By your Spirit, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. We ask this through Jesus, our Lord, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Hebrews 10:19-25

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

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

***HYMN OF THANKS NO. 485** "To God Be the Glory"

**(10:00)
GRADUATE RECOGNITION AND PRAYER**

RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY "Just As I Am" David Paxton
Ron Bernhardt, organ

***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 4:26-29
(page 939 in pew Bible)

SERMON "Where Did That Come From?" Rev. Jason Rea

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

***HYMN OF ASSURANCE NO. 560**

"We Plow the Fields and Scatter"

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE "A Song of Rejoicing" Robert Thygerson
Ron Bernhardt, organ