Welcome to the Family of God
A Song for Infant Baptism

Words and Music by Gary Alan Smith

Dedicated to Wesley Emmanuel Smith, son of Aaron and Rebecca, on the occasion of his baptism, January 26, 2014

\[ \text{\( \frac{1}{4} \) = 92} \]

Refrain (first time sung by soloist, repeated by all; thereafter sung by all without repeat)

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\begin{array}{c}
{\text{F}} & {\text{C/E}} & {\text{Dm}} & {\text{C}} & {\text{F}}
\end{array}
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\begin{array}{c}
{\text{man-u- el, earth-child, heav'n-child: Wel-come to the fam-i-ly of God.}}
\end{array}
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Last time to CODA (sung by soloist, choir, or all)

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\begin{array}{c}
{\text{F}} & {\text{Bb/F}} & {\text{F}} & {\text{C/E}} & {\text{Dm}} & {\text{Am}}
\end{array}
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*May insert another child's name

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we have longed to hold you, as the Church we vow to
in our arms en-fold you.

B♭ F/A G♭ F/A C C/B♭

Now that you are here, live a life of praise,
wa-ter pure and clear
faith-ful all your days:

Am B♭ B♭/A Gm Dm Dm/C

cleans-es and claims you, im-prints and names you.
bap-tized, for-giv-ing, a-bun-dant-ly liv-ing.

B♭ Am Gm7 Dm C7

D.C.

CODA 

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Wel-come to the fam-ily of God.

Dm Dm/C B♭ F/A Gm7 F/A C7 F