



The Ministry Insight Tool (MIT) is provided by Interim Pastor Ministries to help a church evaluate their ministry in the self-study process during a time of transition. As we anticipate the 2nd Stage of IPM's process to strengthen our church this is one of several tools we will use to help us clarify reality. The survey, which takes about 25 minutes to complete, is an opportunity for you to take an extensive look into various aspects of our church's ministry.

Everyone who is part of our church family is invited to take the survey. The MIT will be available for three weeks beginning Sunday, Jan. 18th.
It will close at midnight on Monday, Feb. 9th.

Follow this link to take the survey online – this is the preferred method:

www.surveymonkey.com/r/MaranathaEFC

Paper copies are available for those who cannot complete the survey online and must be returned to the designated spot by Sunday, Feb. 8. Whenever possible, please complete the Ministry Insight Tool online using a smartphone, tablet, or computer. To access it on a mobile device, scan the QR code with your camera.



If you have questions, please contact Pastor Jeff MacLurg.



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WELCOME

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Sunday, February 8, 2026
A Way to Change the World
1 Timothy 2:1-8 | Pastor Jeff MacLurg

Nursery | Preschool

Available for children 2 and under in the south hallway and pre-school area for children in the Conference Room.

Children's Activity Kits

Available next to the Welcome Desk in the lobby.

Children's, Youth & Adult Sunday School

10:45AM—11:45AM

Connect With Us

Need to update your info or want to connect?

Scan the QR code or fill one out at the Welcome Desk.



Tithes & Offerings

Give through the offering box located between the sanctuary doors.

Scan the QR code for easy online giving.



Events

Want to know what's coming up?

Scan the QR code to view upcoming church events.



Mom's Fellowship | In the Fellowship Hall**Sunday, February 8, 2026 • 6:30PM-8:00PM**

This time is designed for moms to be refreshed by some kid-free time. Infants are welcome. Topic: Family Values/Joy.

UPCOMING**Change for Life | Baby Bottle Fundraiser**

Claravita is hosting their annual Baby Bottle Fundraiser. Pick up a bottle in the lobby, fill it, and return it to the Welcome Desk—or give online using the QR code.

**Men's Retreat | Save the Date****Saturday, March 14**

Details coming soon!

Ladies' Snowshoeing Event | Women's Braveheart Ministry**Saturday, February 21 • 2:30PM-7:00PM**

Meet at LeAnn Shilts' home for snowshoeing and a soup supper. No snowshoes needed—just let us know! Call/text LeAnn at 715-651-5159 to RSVP and get directions. All ladies welcome!

Maranatha Membership Class**Sunday, March 8 • Noon – 3:00PM**

Sign up at the Welcome Desk to learn about becoming a Maranatha member. Lunch provided. If you are uncertain about your membership status, check with Jim Holmes (715-418-9760).

Men's Boundary Waters Trip | Save the Date**September 17-20, 2026**

This is a primitive canoe trip into the Boundary Waters—portaging, fishing, campfires, and time away from distractions to enjoy God's creation and brotherhood.

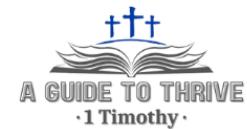
Quarterly Meeting Minutes | Did you miss it?

Get a copy of the minutes at the Welcome Desk.

A Way to Change the World

1 Timothy 2:1-8

Pastor Jeff MacLurg, February 8, 2026

**A #1 Priority** (1 Timothy 2:1)**Petitions****Prayers****Intercessions****Thanksgivings****Do it for whom?** (1 Timothy 2:1-2)**1. For ...****2. For ...**

It's how _____ every person, group, situation, need, and policy on the face of the earth.

For what? (1 Timothy 2:2-4)**1. For policies that ...****2. For them all to ...****3. For the ...****A Little History****Why can we pray this way** (1 Timothy 2:3-7)**1. There's just ...****2. There's just ...****So now** (1 Timothy 2:8)**1. _____ it!****2. _____ it!****3. _____ in it!**