

At The Creek

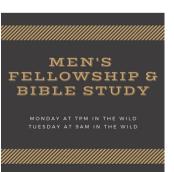
Pastor's Note

January has already been an exceptionally busy month here at ECC. Our student camp was a great success in that we saw many students make commitments to Jesus throughout the weekend and we even had six baptized in service on January 26th! For those of you that attended our annual meeting, thank you for your feedback, questions, and follow up. We are so excited with what God is going to do at Elk Creek in 2025, and I would ask that you continue to be in prayer with us for His leadership and guidance. It is also our hope that each of you will be an active participant in this ministry, using the gifts God has given you to serve. On Sundays this month, we will be continuing in our series in the Sermon on the Mount, "Altitude," and specifically walking through each of the Beatitudes! We are also really excited to offer a Foundations Class on Sunday mornings focused specifically on some of the foundational elements of our faith in Jesus Christ, such as salvation, the Trinity, and the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Visit our website for more information. I look forward to seeing you all on Sunday, and don't forget to invite someone to service! -Pastor Ryan

Adult Ministries

Women

Women's Ministry meets Monday at 6:30pm and Tuesday at 9am. Childcare is available on Monday night.

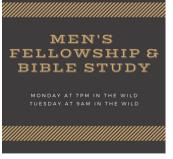


Men

Men's ministry meets on Monday at 7pm and Tuesday at 9am and is studying Joshua 1 & 2.

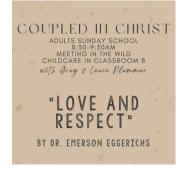
Women's Bible Study

MONDAY AT 6:30PM IN CLASSROOM TUESDAY AT 9AM IN CLASSROOM I



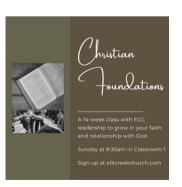
Coupled In Christ

This marriage class meets on Sundays at 8:30am in The Wild. Childcare is available.



Life Groups

Life Groups will be studying topics in The Sermon on the Mount.



Christian **Foundations**

This class meets on Sundays at 8:30am in Classroom 1. It is led by ECC leadership and studies the basics of Christianity.

Prayer

Please visit elkcreekchurch.com/contact/ to share prayer requests with us. Our Prayer Room is open to receive prayer on Sunday mornings.



Rock Youth meets on Sundays from 5-7pm for 6th-12th graders.

We had 102 people at Altitude Winter Camp in January!









The Wild has nursery and a children's service for PreK-5th grade on Sunday morning at 10am. Sleuth is on Sunday from 5-7pm for 3rd-5th graders.



Next Gen Ministries

Parents Night Out - Register your kids at elkcreekchurch.com/events for February 14, 5-7pm, \$5.





Volunteer



Our worship team is recruiting! If you are a vocalist or play an instrument, fill out the form on the worship ministry page at elkcreekchurch.com

Become a member of Elk Creek. Sign up for the March 2 Explorer's Class on the contact page of elkcreekchurch.com



If you would like to get connected or volunteer, fill out the connection card at elkcreekchurch.com/contact/



Year to Date General Giving Expected Income - \$47,364.16 Actual Income - \$39,831.55 Actual Expenses - \$73,933.31



We averaged 237 adults and 25 kids in our Sunday services last month.

Pastor Search Update

The Pastor Search Committee currently has 2 candidates for Lead Pastor, one of which is Pastor Ryan, who is also the only candidate for Executive Pastor at this time. The next step is for the Committee, Board, and Staff to meet the other Lead Pastor candidate in person. After this meeting, the Committee will decide whether or not we will continue looking into this candidate. They will eventually make a recommendation to the Board and with board approval, the church membership will vote to hire a new pastor.

Annual Meeting Recap

Elk Creek's Annual Meeting took place on January 26. Reports are available upon request. The deacons approved for 2025 were Brad Beaman, Kristi Kesler, James Stopsen, and Heather Haynes. A motion was also approved for the board to look into refinancing our building debt.

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Community Events & Resources

Heartland Hunger - Wed, 4-6 We serve in May & November

Bible Study Fellowship Th, 10am, ECC Admin Bldg.

Jamie's Place jpcare.org