***Evaluative Questionnaire for Maranatha Board of Directors Candidates***

Please consider this as an aid in helping you to consider becoming a part of the ***Maranatha Board of Directors:***

1. \_\_\_\_\_ I have read, and am in agreement with the Constitution of ***Maranatha Niverville***, both the ***Policy Statement*** (which includes our *Mission Statement, Vision Statement*, and *Statement of Faith*) passed by the congregation on November 3, 2013, and the ***General Operating By-Law*** (which more specifically addresses the areas of responsibility of the ***Maranatha Board of Directors***) passed by the Congregation on March 29, 2015.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ I recognize that the Christian family and the church is to be a light in this world by being a role model of God’s internal government of self-control and self-government in loving, serving and caring for others in contrast to external administrations that dominate and that by-pass human freewill. The Christian family and the church is to be a compass of God’s internal and relational government, acting as a transformative agent in the midst of the other spheres of influence in our world (eg. business, government, education, media and celebration) when they do not rule out of love or a servant heart. *(Matthew 20:20-28; Galatians 5:22, 23; I Timothy 2:1-4.)*

3. \_\_\_\_\_I have read and am in agreement with the seven-page document entitled, ***Laying a Solid Foundation of Church Government for a Stable Structure at Maranatha.***

Pages 1 to 4 address the tension between *the eternal heavenly sphere* and the *temporal earthly sphere during this present Church Age* which can sometimes reflect itself in the same types of tension that can exist between the ***Maranatha Leadership Team*** and the ***Maranatha Board of Directors***.

Pages 5 to 7 address the ***Specific Roles and Responsibilities of both the Maranatha Leadership Team and the Board of Directors*** according to our Constitution.

4. \_\_\_\_\_I understand that the ***Maranatha Board of Directors*** meets on a monthly basis for a good solid meeting that usually starts at 7:00 p.m. and ends between 9:00 and 10:00 p.m.

The Director’s mandate and focus is to provide the financial, functional, administrative and legal framework in order to facilitate the vision and direction of the leadership and the members. This is very important as it is an arm’s length board of governance that assesses the needs and requests, and balances them with the church’s mission statement and mandate, and then seeks to supply the means to meet the need.

In addition, the ***Maranatha Board of Directors*** is involved in budget development, and it oversees and reviews monthly income and expenditures. It is involved in the care, maintenance and development of the church building and the property, as well as provides direction for the use of funds towards missions and outreaches.

If you are willing to let your name stand as a nominee for the ***Maranatha Board of Directors***, please sign your name along with your telephone number below. We love and appreciate you for your willingness to serve.

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