# This Week at Our Church

**Today** FLC (Family Life Center)

10:00 am Sunday School, Sanctuary-Hemphill Hall rm 106

Youth Sunday School, Sanctuary: Prayer rm 212

11:00 am Worship, Welcome to Marvin UMC!

5:00 pm **Dinner with Jesus-Bible Study**, FLC rm 111

Mar. 25 - Monday

1:00 pm Women in Crafting, FLC rm 121

Mar. 27 - Wednesday

3:00 pm Prayer time for Marvin

**5:00 pm**Dinner at Marvin Café: Seafood Linguine, Kale, Garlic Bread with Manhattan Clam chowder.

7:00 pm CA Substance Abuse classes, FLC Rm.

Mar. 28 - Thursday

6:00 pm Maundy Thursday Worship, Blanchard Park

Mar. 29 - Friday

7:00 pm Good Friday Worship at LMUMC

Mar. 31 - Sunday

7:00 am Easter Sunrise Service, MUMC Prayer Garden

11:00 am Easter Morning Worship, MUMC Sanctuary

## **Upcoming**

Mar. 28, 11:30 am, BINGO, FLC 120

Monthly Meetings in the FLC, rm 119, Library Marvin Ladies meeting, Monday, Apr. 1 at 10:00 am Marvin Leadership Team meeting, Apr. 9 at 7:00 pm

Announcements must be in by Tuesday day for printing please email or talk to Administrative Assistant.

<u>Hospital Notifications:</u> If you or a direct family member is a patient in the hospital and would like to see the Pastor or receive Communion, please call the church office and let them know. This is the only consistent way our church will know there is someone in the hospital. Due to HIPAA laws, stating you are a Methodist on the admittance form will not be given out to your church. The office number is 706-863-0510.

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# **Prayer Requests**

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill or are unable to attend church regularly. If you have any changes or additions, please call or email the Church Office.

**Prayers for** Merla Barrera, George Chapman, Nick Clark, Alvin Dean; Beth Evans, Gwen Graves, Wayne Hamilton, Clifton Hughes, Duane Leazenby, Amanda Lowe, Dolores McQueen, Margaret Olmstead, Amanda Story, Virginia Stringfield, and Weston Trapp.

Homebound Members, Richard Albert, Carol Ashworth, Carol Hendrickson.

Senior Living at St. John Towers Sandra Sorrells.

Military Families, we are the beacon of light and support for our military as they endure deployments or other hardships while defending our national freedom. Pray for our Active Duty Soldiers, L/Cpl Alexis King, USMC; CPT Jaylen Smith, USA; MAJ Brijuanna Smith, USA.

#### Offertory / Attendance

The church on average needs \$ 4,000 weekly for continuous operation, maintenance, and worship.

Last Week	2023	2022
Offertory	Same Week	Same Week
\$ 1,796 / 38	\$814/49	\$ 830 / 30

#### MARVIN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm | Friday: Closed
Pastor Office Hours: I would love to meet with you! I am available at MUMC on
Tuesdays: 9:00 a.m - 5:00 p.m. Making an appointment with me at
ben.wills@ngumc.net or 706-842-8352 is always best.

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#### Communicate with Us!

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#### Staff

Rev. Ben Wills, Pastor

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## Lay Leadership

Sandy Leathers, Marvin Leadership Team Chair

#### **Marvin Preschool**

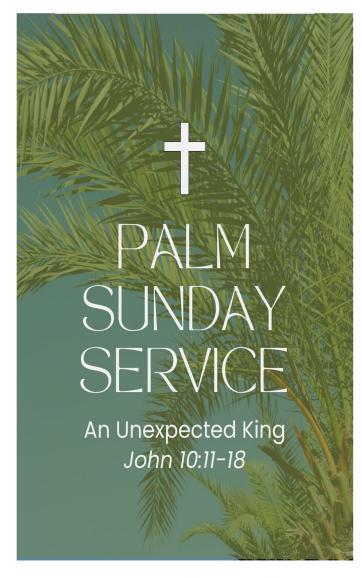
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## Welcome to the Family, we're glad you came today!

WELCOME! You enter this church not as a stranger, but as a guest from God. We hope you will find a loving Christian community, and we look forward to benefiting from your uniqueness.

# Gathering to Worship the Good News

*Stand as you are able
Greeting Liturgist
Prelude Jerry Lu
Lighting of the CandlesAcolyte
Processional HymnTogether
"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna," UMH 278, v. 1-3
Announcements Liturgist
Reading Mark 11:1-11 N/VLiturgist
*Response Together
"All Glory, Laud, and Honor," UMH 280, v. 1-2
Children's Moment Kim Slack
"Jesus Loves Me," UMH 191
Apostles Creed UMH 881
*Gloria Patri UMH 70
Passing of the Peace
LEADER: The Peace of Christ be with you!
ALL: And also with you!
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer UMH 895Rev. Ben Wills
Response Together
"All Glory, Laud, and Honor," UMH 280, v. 4-5
Offering Ourselves in Worship
Tithes & Offerings
Offertory PrayerLiturgist
Offertory Music
Doxology UMH 95

Special Music ......Choir

"Written in Red" By Gordon Jensen

## **Hearing God's Word**

Scriptur	e <i>John 10:</i>	11-18 N/V	<b>/</b>	Rev.	Ben	Wills
Sermon	•••••	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Rev.	Ben	Wills

## **Going Forth in Thankfulness**

*Closing Hymn	.Together	
"Tell Me The Stories of Jesus," UMH 277, v. 1-3		
*Benediction	.Rev. Ben Wills	

\* Postlude

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# Reading: Mark 11:1-11 NIV

The Entry into Jerusalem. 1 When they drew near to Jerusalem, to Bethphage and Bethany at the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples <sup>2</sup> and said to them, "Go into the village opposite you, and immediately on entering it, you will find a colt tethered on which no one has ever sat. Untile it and bring it here. <sup>3</sup> If anyone should say to you, 'Why are you doing this?' reply, 'The Master has need of it and will send it back here at once." 4 So they went off and found a colt tethered at a gate outside on the street, and they untied it. 5 Some of the bystanders said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" <sup>6</sup> They answered them just as Jesus had told them to, and they permitted them to do it. <sup>7</sup> So they brought the colt to Jesus and put their cloaks over it. And he sat on it. 8 Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. <sup>9</sup> Those preceding him as well as those following kept crying out: "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! 10 Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is to come! Hosanna in the highest!"

<sup>11</sup> He entered Jerusalem and went into the temple area. He looked around at everything and, since it was already late, went out to Bethany with the Twelve.

# Scripture: John 10:11-18 NIV

<sup>11</sup> I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. <sup>12</sup> A hired man, who is not a shepherd and whose sheep are not his own, sees a wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away, and the wolf catches and scatters them. <sup>13</sup> This is because he works for pay and has no concern for the sheep. <sup>14</sup> I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, <sup>15</sup> just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep. <sup>16</sup> I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. These also I must lead, and they will hear my voice, and there will be one flock, one shepherd. <sup>17</sup> This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. 18 No one takes it from me, but I lay it down on my own. I have power to lay it down, and power to take it up again. This command I have received from my Father."

# Holy Week SCHEDULE

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Maundy Thursday Worship	6:00 PM BLANCHARD PARK
Good Friday Worship	7:00 PM LEWIS MEMORIAL SANCTUARY
Easter Sunrise Service	7:00 AM MUMC PRAYER GARDEN
Easter Morning Worship	11:00 AM MUMC

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