

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!**

Jan. 29 - Monday

1:00 pm **Women in Crafting**, FLC rm 121

Jan. 31 - Wednesday

3:00 pm *Prayer time for Marvin*

Dinner at Marvin Café: Hemberger

5:00 pm **Vegetable Soup. Grilled Cheese sandwich and Salad.**

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

Upcoming

Feb. 11, 12:00, Soup- R-Bowl, FLC rm 111

Feb. 29, 11:30 am, BINGO, FLC 120



Marvin Ganza
Indoor/Outdoor Crafts, Yard Sale, Furniture & Vendor Spaces
March 16, 2024
7:30 am – 2:00 pm

Vendors Wanted!

Indoor 10x10 Spaces: \$30
Outdoors Spaces \$75
Young Artist Row \$20

To Reserve Spaces Contact
Dianne Masse
Coordinator
(706) 863-0510
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Marvin United Methodist Church
Family Life Center Gymnasium
4400 Wheeler Rd., Martinez, GA 30907
706-863-0510
Website: www.marvinchurch.com
Official Facebook: marvinunitedmethodist

Monthly Meetings in the FLC, rm 119, Library

Marvin Ladies meeting, Monday, Feb. 5 at 10:00 am

Marvin Leadership Team meeting, Feb. 13 at 7:00 pm

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

Hospital Notifications: 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 Christian Barnes, Merla Barrera, George Chapman, Nick Clark, Alvin & Marcia Dean; Beth Evans, Gary Gould, Gwen Graves, Wayne Hamilton, Clifton Hughes, Stephen Leathers, Duane Leazenby, Amanda Lowe, Delores McQueen, Sharon Powell, 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 Brijanna Smith, USA.

Offertory / Attendance

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

| Last Week | 2023 | 2022 |
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| Offertory | Same Week | Same Week |
| \$ 2,004 / 40 | \$ 0 / 0 (canceled) | \$ 3,040 / 20 |

MARVIN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

4400 Wheeler Road, Martinez, GA 30907 | 706-863-0510

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*

Dianne Masse, *Church Admin. Assistant & Notary Public*

Jerry Lu, *Pianist*

Richard Murray, *Custodian*

Lay Leadership

Sandy Leathers, *Marvin Leadership Team Chair*

Marvin Preschool

Ginger Gruba, *Director ~ 706-868-8877*



Marvin United Methodist Church

28 January, 2024



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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

Announcements Liturgist

Hymn of Praise Together

"I Love to Tell the Story," UMH 156, v. 1-4

Reading *Galatians 3:26-28 NIV*Liturgist

*Response Together

"He Leadeth Me," UMH 128, 1

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!

Congregational and Lord's Prayer UMH 895 Lesssie Chapman

Response Together

"He Leadeth Me," UMH 128, 3

Offering Ourselves in Worship

Tithes & Offerings

Offertory PrayerLiturgist

Offertory Music

Doxology UMH 95

Hearing God's Word

Scripture *Acts 8:26-40 NIV*.....Rev. Jan Oglesbee

SermonRev. Jan Oglesbee

Church Leadership Commissioning

Going Forth in Thankfulness

*Closing Hymn Together

"Go, Make of All Disciples," UMH 571, v. 1-4

*BenedictionRev. Jan Oglesbee

*Postlude



Reading: Galatians 3:26-28 NIV

²⁶ So in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith, ²⁷ for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. ²⁸ There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus.

Scripture: Acts 8:26-40 NIV

Philip and the Ethiopian

²⁶ Now an angel of the Lord said to Philip, "Go south to the road—the desert road—that goes down from Jerusalem to Gaza." ²⁷ So he started out, and on his way he met an Ethiopian eunuch, an important official in charge of all the treasury of the Kandake (which means "queen of the Ethiopians"). This man had gone to Jerusalem to worship, ²⁸ and on his way home was sitting in his chariot reading the Book of Isaiah the prophet. ²⁹ The Spirit told Philip, "Go to that chariot and stay near it."

³⁰ Then Philip ran up to the chariot and heard the man reading Isaiah the prophet. "Do you understand what you are reading?" Philip asked.

³¹ "How can I," he said, "unless someone explains it to me?" So he invited Philip to come up and sit with him. ³² This is the passage of Scripture the eunuch was reading: "He was led like a sheep to the slaughter, and as a lamb before its shearer is silent, so he did not open his mouth.

³³ In his humiliation he was deprived of justice. Who can speak of his descendants? For his life was taken from the earth." ³⁴ The eunuch asked Philip, "Tell me, please, who is the prophet talking about, himself or someone else?" ³⁵ Then Philip began with that very passage of Scripture and told him the good news about Jesus.

³⁶ As they traveled along the road, they came to some water and the eunuch said, "Look, here is water. What can stand in the way of my being baptized?" ³⁷ ³⁸ And he gave orders to stop the chariot. Then both Philip and the eunuch went down into the water and Philip baptized him. ³⁹ When they came up out of the water, the Spirit of the Lord suddenly took Philip away, and the eunuch did not see him again, but went on his way rejoicing. ⁴⁰ Philip, however, appeared at Azotus and traveled about, preaching the gospel in all the towns until he reached Caesarea.

Ash Wednesday Worship

COMMUNITY IMPOSITION OF ASHES
AT UBORA COFFEE EVANS

6:30 - 8:30 AM

FELLOWSHIP
DINNER

5:00 PM

SANCTUARY
WORSHIP SERVICE

6:00 PM

Marvin United Methodist Church

Lenten Study

DINNER WITH JESUS

Lessons on Faith from
Lucan Table Fellowship

SUNDAY NIGHTS
5:00-6:30 PM
FEBRUARY 25-MARCH 24
MARVIN UMC
4400 WHEELER RD.

ALL ARE INVITED,
NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED!

TAX PREPARATIONS HERE!

Appointments ONLY

706-225-9745

706-750-9702, M & W, 9:00 – 1:00 pm, Feb 5 – Apr 15, 2024

Please, Do not call the Church Office!

Daily Bible Readings bible.usccb.org/#subscribe