

This Week at Our Church

Today FLC (Family Life Center)

Sunday School, Sanctuary-Hemphill Hall rm 106
Youth Sunday School, Sanctuary: Prayer rm 212
10:00 am Nursery OPENS TODAY, come and check it out!
Sanctuary-Second Floor.

May 6 - Monday

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

May 8 - Wednesday

3:00 pm *Prayer time for Marvin*

Dinner at Marvin Café:

**5:00 pm Hemberger Pattie in Gravy, Rice, Butter
Beans, Salad, and Bread.**

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

Upcoming

Men's Ministry Gathering

May 18 at 8:00 am

Breakfast & Bible Study at Ruth's Diner

May 19, HOMECOMING SUNDAY & PENTECOST SUNDAY

Monthly Meetings in the FLC, rm 119, Library

Marvin Ladies meeting, Monday, May 6 at 10:00 am

Marvin Leadership Team meeting, May 14 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 Merla Barrera, George Chapman, Nick Clark, Alvin Dean; Beth Evans, Gwen Graves, Wayne Hamilton, Jake Jacob, 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
\$ 2,841 / 44	\$ 2,856 / 47	\$ 955 / 30

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

MAKING DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE
TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD

May 5, 2024



Better Together!

Part 2: Many Hands Make "Light" Work
Hebrews 10:24-25

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 Together

Lighting of the Candles Acolyte

Announcements Liturgist

Hymn of Praise Together

"Standing on the Promises," UMH 374 v. All

Reading *Matthew 5:14-16 NIV* Liturgist

*Response Together

"This Little Light of Mine," UMH 585 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!

Congregational Prayer and Lord's Prayer, UMH 895 ... Jenn Byrd

Response Together

"This Little Light of Mine," UMH 585 v. 3

Offering Ourselves in Worship

Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Prayer Liturgist

Offertory Music

Doxology UMH 95

Special Music "He Touched Me" UMH 367

Receiving the Sacrament

Holy Communion UMH 13 Rev. Ben Wills

Hearing God's Word

Scripture *Hebrews 10:24-25 NIV* Rev. Ben Wills

Sermon Rev. Ben Wills

Going Forth in Thankfulness

*Closing Hymn Together

"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light," UMH 206, v. All

*Benediction Rev. Ben Wills

*Postlude



Reading: Matthew 5:14-16 NIV

¹⁴ "You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. ¹⁵ Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. ¹⁶ In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

Scripture: Hebrews 10:24-25 NIV

²⁴ And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, ²⁵ not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Nursery and Children's Church begins today!

Our Nursery will be offered for the entirety of the service in our Nursery room upstairs for ages 0-3. Children of all ages (0-5th grade) can also go to Children's Church (upstairs) following Ms. Kim's children's moment. Parents, please go upstairs to sign in your child(ren) before returning to worship.

Bible Study with Lewis Memorial UMC

"Reckless Love: Jesus' Call to Love Our Neighbor"

A study with companion video, book cost is \$13.00.

Thursdays, May 9 to June 20, 2024

6:30 - 8:00 pm

Hosted by Craig Doxey (craig.doxey22@gmail.com)
At his house at 5144 Bluegrass Trail, Grovetown GA 30813

"Love your neighbor as yourself," we must realize that an imperfect person is attempting to love another imperfect person. Without God's help, there is a very low likelihood of that ending well. We will discover that God is putting people in our lives that will challenge our ability to be consistent. God is pushing us to learn to love.



Homecoming & Pentecost Sunday

On Pentecost, we celebrate the arrival of the Holy Spirit to the disciples and will celebrate our Church Home at Marvin UMC! Please plan to join us for worship at 11 and a homecoming luncheon at 12 in the gym.

Sunday, May 19, 2024

Daily Bible Readings bible.usccb.org/#subscribe