This Week at Our Church

Today FLC (Family Life Center)

10:00 amSunday School, Sanctuary-Hemphill Hall rm 106
Youth Sunday School, Sanctuary: Prayer rm 212

11:00 am Worship

Dec. 11 - Monday

Women in Crafting, FLC rm 121 Resume in January 8th.

7:00 pm Mens' Bible Study, FLC rm 119

Dec. 13 - Wednesday

3:00 pm Prayer time for Marvin

5:00 pm
Fortatoes, Dressing and Gravy, Vegetable, Salad, Rolls, Soup: Vegetable Soup

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

Upcoming

Dec. 17, 10:00 am, LMUMC "Love Made a Way" Cantata

MUMC, After Worship, Birthday Party for Jesus, FLC rm 111

Dec, 24, 11:00 am Christmas Eve Worship Service Dec, 24, 7:00 pm Carols by Candlelight, Sanctuary

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



Monthly Meetings in the FLC, rm 119, Library Marvin Ladies meeting, Monday, Jan. 2 at 10:00 am Marvin Leadership Team meeting, Dec. 12, Jan. 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.

<u>Participant Release</u>: Please be aware that by entering this area, you consent to your voice, name, and/or likeness being used, without compensation, in films and tapes for use in any and all media associated with the Marvin United Methodist Church; and you release the Marvin United Methodist Church, its successors, assigns and licensees from any liability whatsoever of any nature. Please speak with an usher or Church Office if you have any questions or concerns.

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, Gary Gould, Gwen Graves, Wayne Hamilton, Clifton Hughes, Duane Leazenby, Amanda Lowe, Sharon Powell, Amanda Story, Virginia Stringfield.

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	2022	2021
Offertory	Same Week	Same Week
\$ 4,577 / 29	\$ 5,014 / 47	\$ 2,512 / 43

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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Rev. Ben Wills, *Pastor* Dianne Masse, *Church Admin. Assistant & Notary Public* Jerry Lu, *Pianist* Richard Murray, *Custodian*

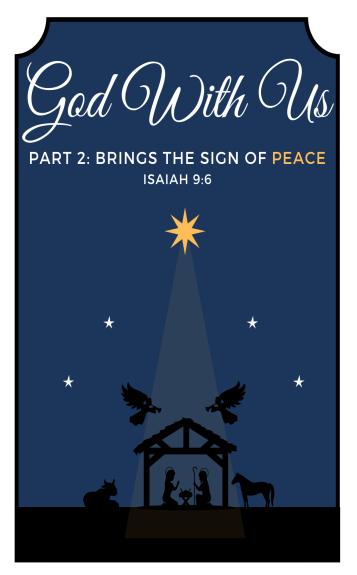
Lay Leadership Sandy Leathers, *Marvin Leadership Team Chair*

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



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December 10, 2023



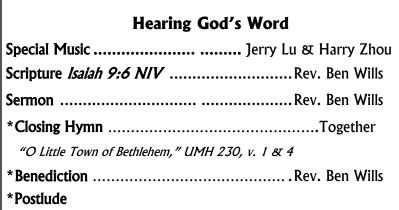
Welcome to the Family, we're glad you came today!

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	
	PreludeJerry Lu & Harry Zhou	
	Lighting of the CandlesAcolyte	
	Announcements Liturgist	
	Hymn of Praise	
	"O Come All Ye Faithful," UMH 234, v. 1, 2, 3, & 6	
	Advent Wreath Meditation	
	*Response Together	
	" Emmanuel, Emmanuel," UMH 204	
	Children's Moment Kim Slack	
	"Away in a Manger," UMH 217	
	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	
	Response "It Came Upon A Midnight Clear," UMH 218, v. 1 & 4	
	Offering Ourselves in Worship	
Tithes & Offerings		
	Offertory PrayerLiturgist	
	Offertory MusicChoir	
	Doxology UMH 95	



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Scripture: Isaiah 9:6 NIV

⁶For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.





Purchase of a book is not required to participate in the study. However, if you would like to order your own copy email ben@lewisumc.org. Books cost \$15 each.

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