

# This Week at Our Church

**Today** FLC (Family Life Center)

10:00 am Sunday School, Sanctuary-Hemphill Hall

## Worship

### After Worship, Lunch & Listen: Affiliation with UMC

**11:00 am** An opportunity for you to share your concerns, thoughts, and questions about MUMC's continuing affiliation with the UMC.

## Aug. 14 - Monday

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

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

## Aug. 16 - Wednesday

3:00 pm *Prayer time for Marvin*

### Wednesday Night Meals at the Café

5:00 pm Chicken Fried Steak in gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Butter Beans, salad, & Biscuit.

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

## Upcoming

July 27, 11:30 am, **BINGO**, FLC 120

### Aug. 20, Back to School Sunday

Blessing of the Backpacks - Please join us for this Special Sunday as we bless students' backpacks (be sure to bring yours!), pray for all our students and educators, and enjoy free popsicles together following worship!

### Monthly Meetings in the FLC, rm 119, Library

**Marvin Ladies meeting, Monday, TBA at 10:00 am**

**Marvin Leadership Team meeting, TBA at 7:00 pm**

**Announcements** must be in by Tuesday day for printing please email or talk to Dianne Masse, 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, Alvin Dean; Beth Evans, Wayne Hamilton, Duane Leazenby, Amanda Lowe, Dolores McQueen, Wade Smith, 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 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; CPT 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
\$ 3,121 / 45	\$ 3,426 / 48	\$ 3,587 / 29

## 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.

CCLI# 1269631

### Communicate with Us!

Website: [www.marvinchurch.com](http://www.marvinchurch.com)

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Official Facebook: [marvinunitedmethodist](https://www.facebook.com/marvinunitedmethodist)

### 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*

Carmen Breakfield, *Lay Leader*

### Marvin Preschool

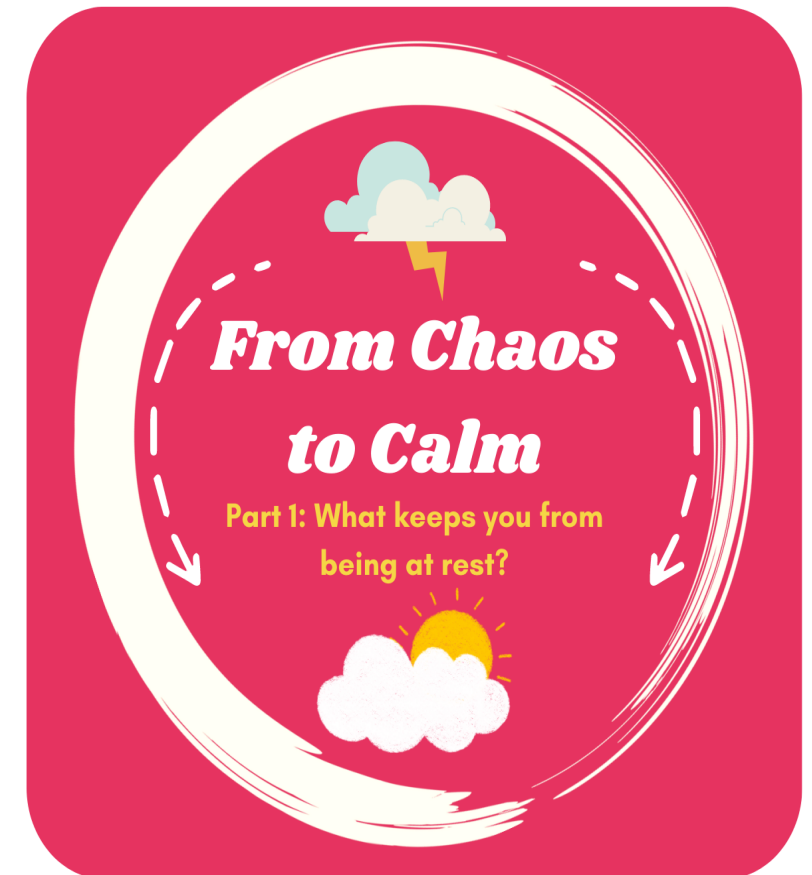
Ginger Gruba, *Director ~ 706-868-8877*



## Marvin United Methodist Church

MAKING DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD

August 13, 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*

Prelude ..... Jerry Lu

Lighting of the Candles ..... Acolyte

Greeting and Announcements ..... Liturgist

Hymn of Praise ..... Together

*"Bringing in the Sheaves," FHoP 444, v. All*

Reading **Matthew 11:28-30 NIV** ..... Liturgist

\*Response ..... Together

*"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus," UMH 462, v. 1 & 4*

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 ..... Jenn Byrd

Response *"Jesus Is All the World to Me," UMH 469, 1 & 4*

**Offering Ourselves in Worship**

Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Prayer ..... Liturgist

Offertory Music ..... Jerry Lu

Doxology UMH 95

**Hearing God's Word**

Scripture **Psalm 23 KJV** ..... Rev. Ben Wills

Sermon ..... Rev. Ben Wills

**Going Forth in Thankfulness**

\*Closing Hymn ..... Together

*"Savior, Like a Shepherd," UMH 381, v. 1-3*

\*Benediction ..... Rev. Ben Wills

\*Postlude



**Reading: Matthew 11:28-30 NIV**

<sup>28</sup> "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup> Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. <sup>30</sup> For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

**Scripture: Psalm 23 KJV**

<sup>23</sup>The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. <sup>2</sup> He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. <sup>3</sup> He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. <sup>4</sup> Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. <sup>5</sup> Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. <sup>6</sup> Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.



**LMUMC Disciple Classes**

Wednesday's 10:00 am	Disciple 1 Fast Track: Start Date August 23
Sunday's 5:00 pm	Disciple 1 Fast Track: Start Date August 27
Sunday's 6:00 pm	Disciple 4 Fast Track: Start Date August 20
If you are interested in signing up for one of these classes:	Contact: sherylsherbrown1211@gmail.com



**AGAINST HUNGER**

Marvins GOAL: \$ 1275

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**Volunteer Today!**

*Rise Against Hunger*

*Packaging Event*

Marvin UMC & Lewis Memorial UMC

MUMC GYM Sept. 24

Sunday 5:00 - 6:30 pm