

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

Apr. 15 - Monday

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

Apr. 17 - Wednesday

3:00 pm *Prayer time for Marvin*

Dinner at Marvin Café:

Turkey, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Roasted Vegetable Medley, Cranberry Sauce, salad, French Bread.

5:00 pm

Wednesday, April 17

Safe Sanctuary, FLC Library

6:00 pm

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

Upcoming

Saturday, April 20 at 5:45 pm

Mens Ministry: Green Jackets Night @ SRP Park

May 5, MUMC Nursery Begins

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 Brijuan 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
\$ 1,601 / 65	\$ 453 / 35	\$ 735 / 28

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

April 14, 2024

A New Thing

Isaiah 43:16-21



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 CandlesAcolyte

Hymn of Praise Together

"Tis' So Sweet to Trust in Jesus," UMH 462, v. All

Announcements Liturgist

Reading *Romans 6:4 NIV*Liturgist

*Response Together

"He Leadeth Me," UMH 128, 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 895 Rev. Ben Wills

Response Together

"He Leadeth Me," UMH 128, v. 3-4

Offering Ourselves in Worship

Tithes & Offerings

Offertory PrayerLiturgist

Offertory Music

Doxology UMH 95

Hearing God's Word

Scripture *Isaiah 43:16-21 NRSV* Rev. Ben Wills

Sermon Rev. Ben Wills

Going Forth in Thankfulness

*Closing Hymn Together

"Because He Lives," UMH 364, v. All

*Benediction Rev. Ben Wills

*Postlude



Reading: Romans 6:4 NIV

⁴We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

Scripture: Isaiah 43:16-21 NRSV

¹⁶ Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, ¹⁷ who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick:

¹⁸ Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old.

¹⁹ I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert.

²⁰ The wild animals will honour me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people,

²¹ the people whom I formed for myself so that they might declare my praise.

Worship Notes



SAFE SANCTUARIES
REDUCING THE RISK OF ABUSE IN THE CHURCH

Upcoming Training

All volunteers working with youth, children, and vulnerable adults are required to receive Safe Sanctuaries training so that we can best protect others and reduce the risk of abuse in the church.

Safe Sanctuaries Training
6:00 - 7:00 PM
MUMC Library

Wednesday
17
April

Please reach out to Pastor Ben (ben.wills@ngumc.net) with any questions

Daily Bible Readings bible.usccb.org/#subscribe