This Week at Our Church

TodayFLC (Family Life Center)10:00 amSunday School, Sanctuary-Hemphill Hall rm 106Youth Sunday School, Sanctuary: Prayer rm 212

11:00 am Worship, Welcome to Marvin UMC!

Feb. 19 - Monday

1:00 pm Women in Crafting, FLC rm 121

Feb. 21 - Wednesday

3:00 pm Prayer time for Marvin

5:00 pm egg roll, and salad. Chicken flavored egg drop soup.

6:00 pm Ash Wednesday Worship Opportunities

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

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



Monthly Meetings in the FLC, rm 119, Library Marvin Ladies meeting, Monday, Mar. 4 at 10:00 am Marvin Leadership Team meeting, Mar. 12 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.

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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 Dean; Beth Evans, Gwen Graves, Wayne Hamilton, Clifton Hughes, Duane Leazenby, Amanda Lowe, 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 or	The church on average needs \$ 4,000 weekly for continuous operation,		
maintenance, and worship.			
Last Week	2023	2022	
Offertory	Same Week	<u>Same Week</u>	
\$ 840 / 48	\$ 2,103 / 54	\$ 2,190 / 38	

MARVIN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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



MAKING DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD

February 18, 2024

WILDERNESS

A TIME FOR LEARNING MARK 1:12-15

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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		
"Lord Who Throughout These 40 Days," UMH 269, v. 1-4		
Reading Psalm 91:9-16 NIVLiturgist		
*Response Together		
"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!" UMH 64, v. 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!		
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer UMH 895. Rev. Ben Wills		
Response Together		
"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!" UMH 64, v. 3		

Offering Ourselves in Worship

Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Prayer	Liturgist
Offertory Music	
Doxology UMH 95	
Special Music "At Calvary"	Choir

Hearing God's Word	
Scripture Mark 1:12-15 GNBTRev. B	Ben Wills
SermonRev. B	Ben Wills

Going Forth in Thankfulness

*Closing Hymn	Together	
"It Is Well with My Soul," UMH 377, v. 1-4		
*Benediction	Rev. Ben Wills	

*Postlude

ম্বেঞ্চ Reading: Psalm 91:9-16 NIV

⁹ If you say, "The LORD is my refuge," and you make the Most High your dwelling, ¹⁰ no harm will overtake you, no disaster will come near your tent. ¹¹ For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways; ¹² they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone. ¹³ You will tread on the lion and the cobra; you will trample the great lion and the serpent. ¹⁴ "Because he loves me," says the LORD, "I will rescue him; I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name. ¹⁵ He will call on me, and I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble, I will deliver him and honor him. ¹⁶ With long life I will satisfy him and show him my salvation."

Scripture: Mark 1:12-15 GNBT

¹² At once the Spirit made him go into the desert, ¹³ where he stayed forty days, being tempted by Satan. Wild animals were there also, but angels came and helped him.

Jesus Calls Four Fishermen

¹⁴ After John had been put in prison, Jesus went to Galilee and preached the Good News from God. ¹⁵ "The right time has come," he said, "and the Kingdom of God is near! Turn away from your sins and believe the Good News!"

Worship Notes Lenten Study DINNER WITH JESUS Lessons on Faith from Lucan Table Fellowship SUNDAY NIGHTS 5:00-6:30 PM MARVIN LIMC 400 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!**

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