

## This Week at Our Church

**Today** FLC (Family Life Center) Masks are optional  
11:00 am Worship

### May 2 - Monday

6:00 pm **Men's Bible Study**, FLC Rm 119

### May 4 - Wednesday

10:00 am **Clothes Closet**,  
currently not accepting donations.

3:00 pm Prayer time for Marvin

### 5:00 pm **Wednesday Night Meal in the Café:**

Salisbury Steak in Mushroom Gravy, Black eyed Peas,  
Mini Corn ears, Marinated Salad, Biscuits

7:00 pm CA Substance Abuse classes, FLC Rm. 111

### May 5 - Thursday

4:00 pm **Paint Class**, Quad Color Scheme with cross

### UPCOMING

**May 26 - Thursday:** 11:00 am, **BINGO**, FLC rm. 120

### Announcements

**Sat. May 14, at 4:00 pm.,** Carmelita Moreno College  
Graduation Open House at the Moreno Family Home. 908  
Stoneview Ct., Grovetown, GA.

#### Monthly Meetings in the FLC Marye Garrett Rm

Marvin Ladies meeting, Monday, May 3 at 10:00 am

Men's Fellowship meeting, Monday, **TBD**, 6:00 pm

Marvin Leadership Team meeting, Tuesday, May 11 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.

**Participant Release:** 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** Ed Booth, Amanda Story, and Teresa Williams.

**Homebound Members,** Richard Albert, Carol Ashworth,  
Carol Hendrickson.

**Senior Living** at St. John Towers, Sandra Sorrells, and Dot Adkins.

We are the beacon of light and support for our **Military Families** 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; 1LT Brijunna Smith, USA; PFC Lupe Moreno, IV, USA.

**Deepest Sympathy.** Our prayers are with the families during this difficult time. Please remember those who have died recently, especially... David Guilott family during this time of mourning

#### Offertory / Attendance

The church on average needs \$ 4,000 weekly for continuous operation, maintenance, and worship. 2020 Worship by video.

Last Week	2021	2020
<b>Offertory</b>	<b>Same Week</b>	<b>Same Week</b>
\$ 955 / 30	\$ 2,450 / 32	\$2,275 / 96

## 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:** Please understand that circumstances or crises may arise when I will not be in the office, also District obligations will interfere with my normal schedule.

**Tuesdays: 10:00 - 12:00**

#### Communicate with Us!

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#### Staff

Rev. Dr. Nancy Johnson, *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

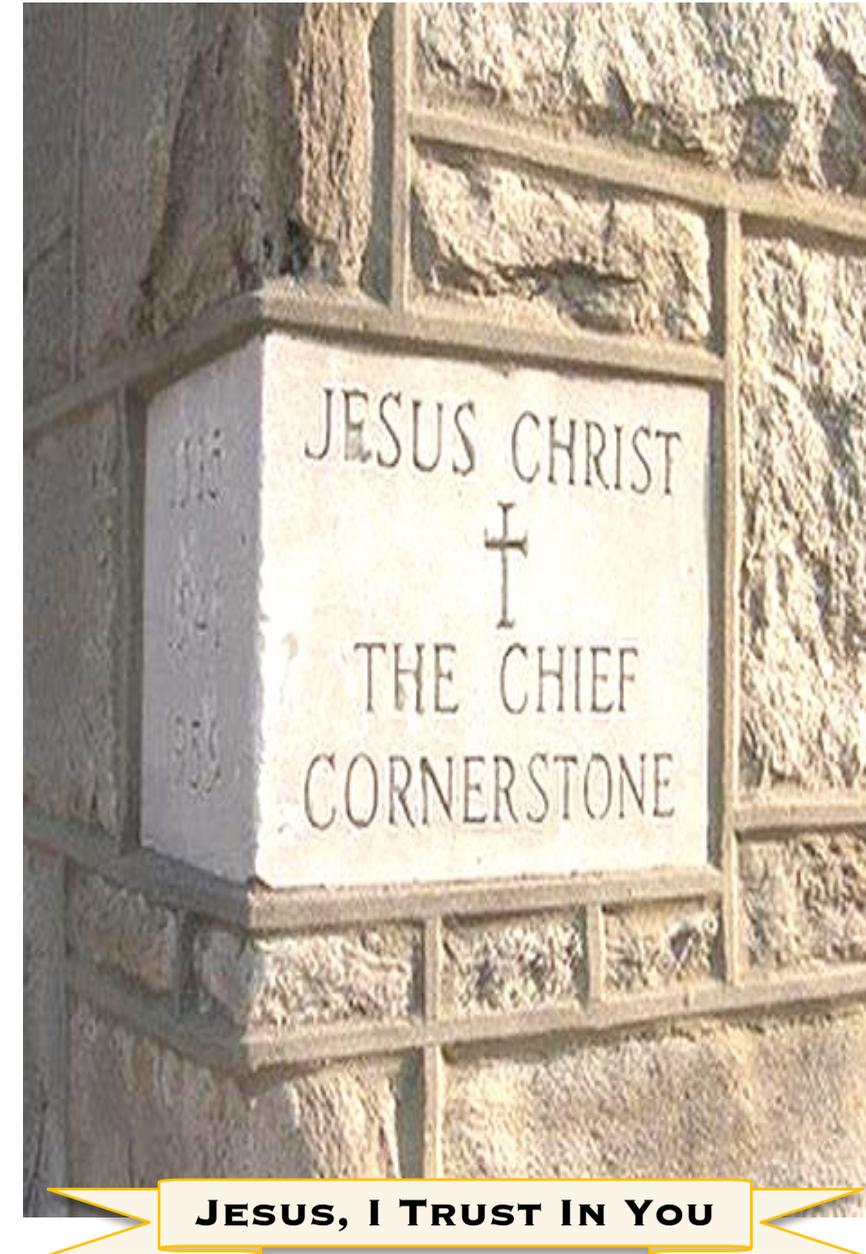
Ginger Gruba, *Director ~ 706-868-8877*

## Welcome

May 1, 2022

**THE LOVE OF THE MATTER: A STUDY OF LOVE**

**“WHAT LOVE DOES””**



**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.

\*Stand if you are able

Prelude "In Christ There Is No East or West," UMH 548

Lighting of the Candles ..... Acolyte

Greeting and Announcements ..... Liturgist

\*Hymn of Praise ..... Together

"Wonderful Words of Life," UMH 600, All

Reading, **1 Corinthians 12:12-31** ..... Liturgist

Response..... Together

"One Bread, One Body," UMH 620, v. All

Apostles Creed ..... Together

\*Gloria Patri UMH 70 ..... Together

Children's Moment..... Kim Slack

Pastoral Prayer ..... Dr. Rev. Nancy Johnson

Lords Prayer UMH 895

Response "Break Thou Bread of Life," UMH 599 v. 1 & 2 Together

**Offering Ourselves in Worship**

Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Prayer ..... Liturgist

Offertory Music "Break Thou Bread of Life," UMH 599

Doxology UMH 95

**Word**

Scripture, **1 Peter 2:4-10** ..... Dr. Rev. Nancy Johnson

Sermon ..... Dr. Rev. Nancy Johnson

Communion "One Bread One Body," UMH 620

**Going Forth in Thankfulness**

\*Closing Hymn..... Together

"Go, Make of All Disciples," UMH 571, v. All

Altar Call

\*Benediction..... Dr. Rev. Nancy Johnson

\*Postlude ""Go, Make of All Disciples," UMH 571, v. All

Have a blessed week!

Daily Bible Readings bible.usccb.org/#subscribe

**Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31 NRSV**

**One Body with Many Members**

<sup>12</sup> For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. <sup>13</sup> For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

<sup>14</sup> Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. <sup>15</sup> If the foot would say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. <sup>16</sup> And if the ear would say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. <sup>17</sup> If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? <sup>18</sup> But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. <sup>19</sup> If all were a single member, where would the body be? <sup>20</sup> As it is, there are many members, yet one body. <sup>21</sup> The eye cannot say to the hand, "I have no need of you," nor again the head to the feet, "I have no need of you."

<sup>22</sup> On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, <sup>23</sup> and those members of the body that we think less honorable we clothe with greater honor, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; <sup>24</sup> whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honor to the inferior member, <sup>25</sup> that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. <sup>26</sup> If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honored, all rejoice together with it.

<sup>27</sup> Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. <sup>28</sup> And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. <sup>29</sup> Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? <sup>30</sup> Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? <sup>31</sup> But strive for the greater gifts. And I will show you a still more excellent way.

**Scripture: 1 Peter 2:4-10 NRSV**

Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight, and <sup>5</sup> like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. <sup>6</sup> For it stands in scripture: "See, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious; and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame."

<sup>7</sup> To you then who believe, he is precious; but for those who do not believe, "The stone that the builders rejected has become the very head of the corner," <sup>8</sup> and "A stone that makes them stumble, and a rock that makes them fall." They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do. <sup>9</sup> But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. <sup>10</sup> Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

**Worship Notes**

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Sermon Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Starting in June**

Sunday, 10:00 am Bible Study  
Sanctuary Hemphill Hall

**"When GOD Winks at YOU!"**

Led by Muriel Skelton  
Books are \$15.00, please contact Muriel for de-

**every Sunday for the Blessings Box**  
Please bring non-perishable goods for the Blessing Box

**Pull Tab cans only please.**  
Foods like: Soup, canned goods, beans. ...  
In plastic bags/containers: Boxed goods  
Roman Noodles, or similar ...