

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. 22 - Monday

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

Apr. 24 - Wednesday

3:00 pm *Prayer time for Marvin*

Dinner at Marvin Café:

5:00 pm Chicken Pot Pie, Mini Corn Ears, Salad and Biscuits.

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

Upcoming

May 5, Marvin Nursery Begins

Men's Ministry Gathering

May 18 at 8:00 am

Breakfast & Bible Study at Ruth's Diner

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
\$ 2,309 / 39	\$ 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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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

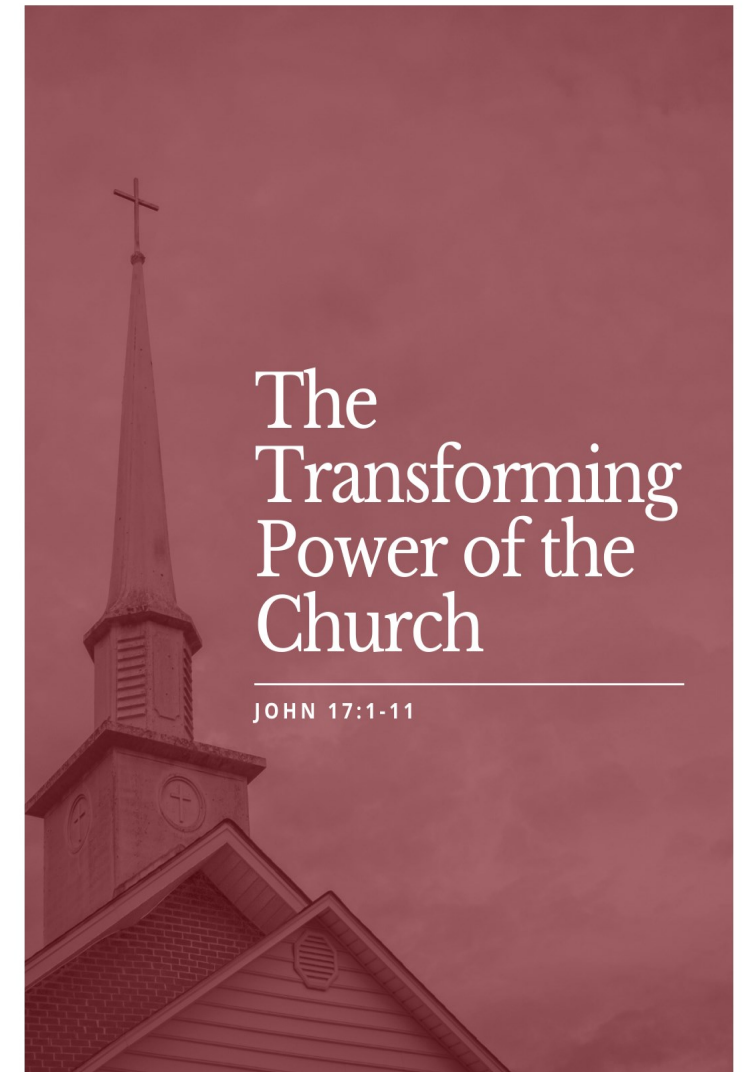
Ginger Gruba, *Director ~ 706-868-8877*



Marvin United Methodist Church

MAKING DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE
TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD

April 21, 2024



The
Transforming
Power of the
Church

JOHN 17:1-11

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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 Together

Lighting of the CandlesAcolyte

Announcements Liturgist

Hymn of Praise Together

"We Are the Church," UMH 558, v. 1-4

Reading John 13:34-35 NRSV.....Liturgist

***Response** Together

"Go, Make of All Disciples," UMH 571, 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!

Congregational Prayer and Lord's Prayer UMH 895 Julie Davis

Response Together

"Go, Make of All Disciples," UMH 571, v. 3-4

Offering Ourselves in Worship

Tithes & Offerings

Offertory PrayerLiturgist

Offertory Music

Doxology UMH 95

Special Music "I Love to Tell the Story" Choir

Hearing God's Word

Scripture John 17:1-11 NRSV..... Rev. John Pike

Sermon Rev. John Pike

Going Forth in Thankfulness

***Closing Hymn** Together

"We've a Story to Tell to the Nation," UMH 569, v. All

***Benediction** Rev. John Pike

***Postlude**



Reading: John 13:34-35 NRSV

³⁴ I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. ³⁵ By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.'

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Jesus Prays for His Disciples

¹⁷ After Jesus had spoken these words, he looked up to heaven and said, 'Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you, ² since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. ³ And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. ⁴ I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. ⁵ So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed.

⁶ I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. ⁷ Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; ⁸ for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. ⁹ I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. ¹⁰ All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. ¹¹ And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one.

Worship Notes

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Homecoming & Pentecost Sunday

On Pentecost, we celebrate the arrival of the Holy Spirit to the disciples and will celebrate our Church Home at Marvin UMC! Please plan to join us for worship at 11 and a homecoming luncheon at 12 in the gym.

Sunday, May 19, 2024