

## This Week at Our Church

**Today** FLC (Family Life Center) Masks are optional

10:00 am Sunday School, Sanctuary, Hemphill Hall

11:00 am Worship

**Aug. 22 - Monday**

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

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

**Aug. 24 - Wednesday**

10:00 am **Clothes Closet**, FLC 2nd Floor

3:00 pm *Prayer time for Marvin*

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

Night Specials with Mexican Kale Salad

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

**Marvin Ganza**  
**Sept 10, Get your booth before**  
**they are all gone!**

### Upcoming

Aug. 25, 11:30 am, **Bingo**, FLC rm 120

Sep. 11, 6:30 pm, LMUMC **Cantata Rehearsals** start

Sep. 11, LMUMC Disciple I Bible study start

Sep. 15, 4:00 pm, **Paint Class**, *Back to Normal Schedule*

Sep. 17, 9-12:00 pm **Clothing Give Away** (community mission)

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

Marvin Ladies meeting, Monday, **Sep. 12**, 10:00 am

Marvin Leadership Team meeting, Tuesday, **Sep. 13**, 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, Amira Smith, Amanda Story, and Weston Trapp

**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.

### 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>
<b>\$ 1,480 / 47</b>	<b>\$ 744 / 29</b>	<b>\$ 2,005 / 30</b>

## 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: 9:00 a.m - 5:00 p.m. subject to change**

### 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*

Carmen Breakfield, *Lay Leader*

### Marvin Preschool

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

# Welcome

August 28, 2022

SUMMER  
*Road Trip*

**SIGNS ALONG THE  
ROAD OF LIFE  
WEEK 7**



**Marvin United Methodist Church**

*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** *"Marching to Zion," UMH 733* ..... Jerry Lu

Lighting of the Candles ..... Acolyte

**Greeting and Announcements** ..... Liturgist

**\*Hymn of Praise** ..... Together

*"Lord, I Want to be a Christian," UMH 402, verse All*

**Reading, Psalm 103:8-12 NIV**..... Liturgist

Hymn of Response ..... Together

*"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus," UMH 349, v. All*

**Children's Moment** ..... Kim Slack

**Apostles Creed** UMH 881 ..... Together

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

**Pastoral Prayer** ..... Rev. Ben Wills

Lords Prayer UMH 895

Hymn of Response UMH 349, v. All ..... Together

**Offering Ourselves in Worship**

**Tithes & Offerings**

Offertory Prayer ..... Liturgist

Offertory Music *"Through It All," UMH 507*

Doxology UMH 95 Jerry Lu

**Special Music** *"I Need Thee Every Hour"* UMH 397

**Hearing God's Word**

**Scripture, James 4:1-10 NSRV** ..... Rev. Ben Wills

**Sermon** ..... Rev. Ben Wills

**Going Forth in Thankfulness**

**\*Closing Hymn** ..... Together

*"I Surrender All," UMH 354, v. All*

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

**\*Postlude** *"I Surrender All," UMH 354, v. All*

**Reading: Psalm 103:8-12 NIV**

<sup>8</sup>The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love.

<sup>9</sup> He will not always accuse, nor will he harbor his anger forever;

<sup>10</sup> he does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities.

<sup>11</sup> For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him;

<sup>12</sup> as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.

**Scripture: James 4:1-10 NSRV**

<sup>1</sup>Those conflicts and disputes among you, where do they come from? Do they not come from your cravings that are at war within you? <sup>2</sup> You want something and do not have it; so you commit murder. And you covet something and cannot obtain it; so you engage in disputes and conflicts. You do not have, because you do not ask. <sup>3</sup> You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, in order to spend what you get on your pleasures. <sup>4</sup> Adulterers! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world becomes an enemy of God. <sup>5</sup> Or do you suppose that it is for nothing that the scripture says, 'God yearns jealously for the spirit that he has made to dwell in us'? <sup>6</sup> But he gives all the more grace; therefore it says,

'God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble.'  
<sup>7</sup> Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. <sup>8</sup> Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. <sup>9</sup> Lament and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned into mourning and your joy into dejection. <sup>10</sup> Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

**Worship Notes**

*Message:* \_\_\_\_\_

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

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**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 ...