# 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. 8 - Monday

1:00 pm Women in Craffing, FLC rm 121

Apr. 10 - Wednesday

3:00 pm Prayer time for Marvin

Dinner at Marvin Café: "Masters Week"

**5:00 pm** Egg Salad or pimento Sandwich, Potato Salad, Green Jacket Salad, Chocolate chip cookie

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

#### **Upcoming**

Wednesday. April 17 Safe Sanctuary, FLC Library

Saturday, April 20 at 5:45 pm MensMinistry: Green Jackets Night @ SRP Park

May 1, 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, Clifton Hughes, 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 Brijuanna 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		
\$ 1,954 / 38	\$814/49	\$ 830 / 30		

#### 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
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ben.wills@ngumc.net or 706-842-8352 is always best.

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#### Staff

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#### 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 07, 2024



"GOD'S PEACE" John 20:19-31

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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 Candles Acolyte
Hymn of PraiseTogether
"Crown Him with Many Crowns," UMH 327, v. All
Announcements Liturgist
Reading Isaiah 26:3-4Liturgist
*Response Together
"Breath on Me, Breath of God," UMH 420, 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 Jenn Byrd
Response Together

### Offering Ourselves in Worship

"Breath on Me, Breath of God," UMH 420, v. 3-4

#### Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Prayer .....Liturgist
Offertory Music
Doxology UMH 95

## Hearing God's Word

Scripture	<i>John</i>	20:19-31	NKJV	<i>N/V</i>	Vikki	Parker
Sermon	•••••	•••••	•••••	•••••	Vikki	Parker

#### **Going Forth in Thankfulness**

*Closing Hymn	Together
"Trust and Obey,	" UMH 467, v. All
*Benediction	Vikki Parker

\*Postlude

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## Reading: Isaiah 26:3-4

<sup>3</sup> You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in you. <sup>4</sup> Trust in the LORD forever, for the LORD, the LORD himself, is the Rock eternal.

# Scripture: John 20:19-31 NKJV The Apostles Commissioned

<sup>19</sup> Then, the same day at evening, being the first *day* of the week, when the doors were shut where the disciples were assembled, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in the midst, and said to them, "Peace *be* with you." <sup>20</sup> When He had said this, He showed them *His* hands and His side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord.

<sup>21</sup> So Jesus said to them again, "Peace to you! As the Father has sent Me, I also send you." <sup>22</sup> And when He had said this, He breathed on *them*, and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. <sup>23</sup> If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the *sins* of any, they are retained."

## Seeing and Believing

<sup>24</sup> Now Thomas, called the Twin, one of the twelve, was

not with them when Jesus came. <sup>25</sup> The other disciples therefore said to him, "We have seen the Lord." So he said to them, "Unless I see in His hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the print of the nails, and put my hand into His side, I will not believe." <sup>26</sup> And after eight days His disciples were again inside, and Thomas with them. Jesus came, the doors being shut, and stood in the midst, and said, "Peace to you!" <sup>27</sup> Then He said to Thomas, "Reach your finger here, and look at My hands; and reach your and *here*, and put *it* into My side. Do not be unbelieving, but believing." <sup>28</sup> And Thomas answered and said to Him, "My Lord and my God!"

<sup>29</sup> Jesus said to him, "Thomas, because you have seen Me, you have believed. Blessed *are* those who have not seen and *yet* have believed."

## That You May Believe

<sup>30</sup> And truly Jesus did many other signs in the presence of His disciples, which are not written in this book; <sup>31</sup> but these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in His name.



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