WELCOME **GUESTS!**

Thank you for coming today. We would love to have you back, aet to know vou better, provide you info to get to know us better, or assist with any needs you have in any way we can. Please feel free to leave a message, or your info here, or a request for a personal contact or visit. All info is optional, private, and confidential.

phone: email: note/request:

address:

name:



BLESSINGS greetings & gratitude!

Peace be with you! Thank you to everyone who attended and participated today. It is wonderful having you here; please join us again any or every Sunday for our activities and service! Don't miss weekday opportunities to be involved too. For information about our church. please visit:

marshallumc.org

www.marshallumc.ora www.facebook.com/MarshallVAUMC OR

> contact: Pastor John Rowe 703-357-5446 johnrowe@vaumc.org

weeklySCRIPTURE

Memory Bible Verse of the Week for Children, Teens & Adults Week 32: Genesis 1:1, ESV

"In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth."

this week's

Potluck Luncheon NEXT Sunday

Bring a dish and/or stay a while after next week's service to enjoy good food and each other's company!

Senior Trip this Wednesday 8/13

If you'd like to attend, please see Doris.

Bible Study

Wednesday 8/13 @7pm, we are continuing our study of Hebrews.

MUMPS/Preschool Board Meeting

Thursday 8/14 @6:30pm

PASTOR Visitation & Prayer Requests

These forms can be completed at any time and dropped in the prayer box in the sanctuary or given directly to PJ.

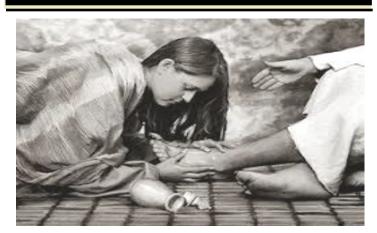
Special Sunday Features

Join us each week for <u>Sunday School</u>; both kid's & adult classes start @9am.

You can also enjoy fellowship time each week @10am before services w/coffee & pastries outside the sanctuary. Please see PJ with any questions.



Marshall UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



9th Sunday after Pentecost

welcome to our church

"Do all the good you can, by all the means you can, in all the ways you can, in all the places you can, at all the times you can, to all the people you can, as long as ever you can." John Wesley

MARSHALL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

- 9-10am Sunday School (Adults & Kids)
- 10-10:30am Fellowship & Coffee Time
- 10:30am WORSHIP SERVICE

location:

8405 West Main Street Marshall VA 20115

mailing:

PO Box 144

Marshall VA 20116 phone: 540-364-2506

Email: admin@marshallumc.org

Pastor: Rev. John Rowe

Music:

Laurie Bersack & Dante Burns

Worship Leader: Christine Burnham

Communion Stewards: Frances & Bill Snider

Ushers:

Debbie Machamer & Phil Harris

Counters:

Debbie Machamer & Betty West

next week:

10th Sunday after Pentecost August 17, 2025

Pastor: Rev. John Rowe Sermon Series: Eating with Jesus Sermon Title: Dinner for 5,000 Plus Scripture: Luke 9:1-20

Music:

Laurie Bersack & Dante Burns

Worship Leader: Dante Burns

August Communion Stewards: Frances & Bill Snider

Ushers:

Debbie Machamer & Phil Harris

Counters:

Jeff Machamer & Terri Hill

WORSHIPcelebration

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Mighty God, You welcome us into Your Kingdom as honored guests.

You give us water to wash our feet, a kiss of greeting and anoint our heads with oil.

Merciful God, You welcome us even though we are sinners.

You forgive our debts and give us a seat at Your table.

Wondrous God, we have come here to give You our worship and praise.

May we make a joyful noise at Your table! Amen.

*OPENING HYMN

There Is a Balm in Gilead (UMH 375)

*OPENING PRAYER

Holy God, we come before you with our humble and grateful hearts. We thank you for your boundless grace and mercy, even when we fall short. Just as you welcomed the woman who anointed your feet, welcome us too, as we acknowledge our sins and ask for your forgiveness. Help us to see others with the same compassion and love that you show us. Give us the courage to approach you with a repentant heart, and the strength to love you more deeply because of your forgiveness. We pray this in Jesus' name. Amen.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow (UMH 95)

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (Worship Leader Only)
God, source of all light, by your Word you give light to the soul.
Pour out on us the spirit of wisdom and understanding that our hearts and minds may be opened. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

1 Samuel 16:1-13 (pp. 277-278)

GOSPEL READING

Luke 7:36-50 (p. 1023)

ANTHEM

MESSAGE: Jesus Eats with a Sinful Woman

<u>Affirmation of Faith</u>

* A STATEMENT OF FAITH OF THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA (UMH 883)

We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

(UMH p.12)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*CLOSING HYMN

What a Friend We Have in Jesus (UMH 526)

SENDING FORTH

*CARRYING OUT THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE

He Has Made Me Glad (TFWS 2270)



*Please stand as comfortably able. **Bold print** indicates congregation participation.

Use this space to write down prayer concerns as you wish.