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:



BLESSINGSgreetings & 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

Memory Bible Verse of the Week for Kids, Children, Youth, Teens & Adults Week 4: - 2 Corinthians 5:17, NIV

> "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation: the old has gone, the new has come!"

this week's

Sermon Series on Jonah

See you next week for the last of our sermon series when we will ask, "Does God have your attention?" He should!

Planning Session Rescheduled

Please plan to come to this important meeting and bring others with you on Saturday, February 10, at 11am. We should be done by 2pm at the latest. Lunch will be provided!

Ash Wednesday

ASHES - PJ will be standing outside in the morning for those who wish to receive ashes before work.

SERVICE – The service will be on Wednesday, February 14, at 7pm.

Bible Study

See you here this Wednesday at 7pm!

Senior/Community Luncheon

See you here this Thursday at 12noon for good food, fun, song, prayer, fellowship, and more!

Women's Group

See you ladies here this Saturday 2/3 at 9am for our monthly meeting. Save time on the next Saturday 2/10 to do our annual chili cookina. Yum!

Got something on your mind or heart?

If you would like to talk with Pastor John about anything, call him (703-357-5446) to set up an appointment for a little spiritual counseling and support. PJ would love to talk with you!

Fellowship & Coffee Time 10-10:30am

Come early any or every Sunday!

Marshall UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



4th Sunday after the Epiphany

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

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January

'This is the day the Lord has we will rejoice and be glad i (Psalm 118;22-24 NKJV)

participating today:

Pastor: Rev. John Rowe

> Music: Ruth Umbel

Worship Leader: Joe Bersack

Communion Stewards: Amy & Skip Glascock

Counters: Debbie Machamer & Betty West

next week:

5th Sunday after the Epiphany February 4, 2024

> Pastor: Rev. John Rowe Sermon:

Does God have your attention?

Scripture: Jonah 3 & 4

Music: Ruth Umbel

Worship Leader: Cathy Harris

February Communion Stewards: **Bob & Cathy Lambert**

Counters: Cathy Lambert & Joe Bersack

WORSHIP Celebration

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*CALL TO WORSHIP

In the midst of struggle and strife, God is with us.

Praise be to God for God's steadfast presence.

Even though many things in life hurt and disappoint us, God is with us.

We seek God's mercy and grace to heal our wounded souls.

Come, bring your needs and wants to God, for God will hear your cries and restore your souls.

Praise be to God for mercy, peace, and hope. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee (UMH 430)

*OPENING PRAYER

Lord, we come to you today with so many things on our hearts. You call us to be in relationship of trust and love with you and you offer healing to us for those portions of our lives that are broken and injured. Help us to be open to your mercy and healing love. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (Worship Leader Only)
Guide us, O God, by your Word, and Holy Spirit, that in your light
we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will
discover peace. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Jonah 2

CHILDREN'S TIME

ANTHEM

Use this margin to

make notes as

desired.

MESSAGE: Hitting Rock Bottom

Affirmation of Faith

*Apostles' Creed (UMH 881)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*OFFERING

Offertory

Doxology (UMH 95)

(Offerings should be placed in plate, preferably before services please.)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

*CLOSING HYMN

It's Me, It's Me, O Lord (UMH 352)

SENDING FORTH

*CARRYING OUT THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE

Let There Be Peace on Earth (UMH 431)



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

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