**\*\*\*Special Welcome to our Guests! There is a place for you at Stony Hill! Please register on the fellowship pads on the inside aisle of each pew\*\*\***

**STONY HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**28996 Stony Hill Rd. Albemarle, NC 28001 Phone: 704.982.7211**

**Pastor: “Lanny” Lancaster Ministers: The Whole Congregation August 7, 2016 Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost**

Prelude and Lighting of the Candles

Christian Greeting: L: The Lord be with you! **P: And Also with You!**

Announcements and Passing of the Pew Pads

Prayer for the Holy Spirit

**O Lord, we join the great throng of witnesses that has gone before us today to worship you. We pray that as you sent your Holy Spirit upon our ancestors in the faith, you would send it afresh this day to renew us and equip us to follow You. In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Hymn of Praise: 600 Wonderful Words of Life

Hymn of Praise: 340 Come Ye Sinners

The Mission of Stony Hill United Methodist Church is to: **FOLLOW JESUS, MAKE DISCIPLES, AND TRANSFORM THE WORLD.**

Psalm Reading: #783 Psalm 50

Lay Readers: 8:45am: Drinda Hathcock 10:45am: Gay Nell Burris

Morning Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer, #895

**Stewardship Scripture: MALACHI 3.10: “**Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this," says the LORD Almighty, "and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it.”

Worship with Our Tithes & Offerings

\*Doxology 95 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Choir Anthem

Scripture: **Luke 9.57-62, Jeremiah 29.1, 4-7**

Sermon*:* ***“Home is Where You Are”—Rev. Dr. Kevin Taylor***

Hymn:  168 At the Name of Jesus

Benediction

Postlude

Greeter: 10:45 Kay Pope, Bonnie Ward Sound: Michael Rager

Ushers: 8:45 Gary Wagoner, Joe Ingram Projection:

10:45 Tevis Smith, Robert Stoker Piano: Sid Fields

Counters: Jill Almond, Kay Pope Organ: Elaine Crawley

Pastor: Michael “Lanny” Lancaster

Acolytes: 10:45 Cole Stinnett, Caleb Lemons Assisted by: Marci Lemons

\*Jesus & Java Host for August: 7-Bobby & Kathy Johnson 14–Lee & Christine Smith

21–David & Pat Mills 28-Charles & Karen Herlocker

**Food Collection for August: Canned Vegetables**

**Every Week at Stony Hill**

**“The Connection”** Sundays: 8:45am: Worship Service with Modern worship music and traditional hymns with praise band, “generations” **Jesus and Java** 9:30am: coffee time, Fellowship Hall 9:45am: Sunday School for all ages **“Traditions”** 10:45am: Worship Service with traditional hymns and the Stony Hill Choir

5:00pm (during school year): Youth Group meeting

Wednesdays: 7:00pm: Choir

**Prayer Concerns:** Our State and Nation, Community Schools, Rev. Kevin McCormac, Cameron Burleson, Mary Ellen Aldridge, Frank Sanders, Melissa Crisco, Bonnie Mehalechko, Terry Sloan, Jacob Kime, Joe Creech family, Valerie Putnam, Lynn Hines, Butch Baucom, Melissa Crisco, Annette Steed family, Dorthina Samples, Billy Miller, Kenneth and Barbara Stoker, Theresa Henderson and family, Laura McIntyre, Ophelia Blalock, Guill Russell, Sonia Simmons, Bryan Booth, John Hraczo Family, Tommy Hathcock Family, Ned Stallings, Gerald Janey and family, The Burgess Family, Wesley Morgan, Family of Tommie Efird, Trent Bowers, Elaine Crawley, Victoria Hutchins, Bobby Mills, Bobby Clodfelter, UMAR, Andria Bell, Lin Senter, Steve Blalock, Tony Furr, Jahala Burris, Stella Senter, Wayne Mauldin, “Sprinky” Burris, Pastor Lanny, Janet and family

Shut-ins: Ron & Loretta Allred, Gene Helms, Ruby Murray, Carolyn Terry, Gene Watkins

**\*\*\*If you have a prayer concern that you would like added or deleted from the list, please call or email Pastor Lanny at the parsonage or church office**

**Announcements**

**\*We welcome Rev. Dr. Kevin Taylor today as we celebrate 212 years of ministry in this community! Special Covered dish luncheon after the 10:45am service.**

\*Nominating Committee Meeting: Monday August 15 at 7pm. Tobi Smith, Sid Fields

*\*The Community Coalition for Christ school supplies collection: notebooks, markers, pencils, colored pencils, large 3-ring notebooks, notebook paper, hand sanitizer, clothes for ages K-6 and 7-12 boys and girls. To volunteer, contact Sid Fields 704.422.3291*

**“Transform the World”** at Badin School:

**\*Reading Buddies** / assisting teachers. If you would like to volunteer to be a reading or math buddy or assist teachers at Badin, volunteer forms are available. A background check is required.

**\*Check out** our church website: [www.stonyhillumc.org](http://www.stonyhillumc.org) , like us on Facebook, and follow us on Twitter! Check them for upcoming worship experiences and activities at the Church!

**\*Did you know** that you could set up an electronic payment or bank draft to manage your giving to the church? For more information, contact your bank.