**\*\*\*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 June 26, 2016 Sixth 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: **Almighty God, whose wondrous deeds have set us free: Grant that we might always delight in our devotion to you, for joy is found in serving you. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God Forever and Ever, Amen.**

--adapted from the Leonine Sacramentary

Hymn of Praise: 536 Take the Name of Jesus With You

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

Psalm Reading: #798 Psalm 77

Lay Readers: 8:45am: Tim Wysocki 10:45am: Steven Lemons

Vacation Bible School Presentation

Morning Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer, #895

**Stewardship Scripture: MATTHEW 23.23:** “How terrible it will be for you teachers of religious law and you Pharisees. Hypocrites! For you are careful to tithe even the tiniest part of your income, but you ignore the important things of the law: justice, mercy, and faith. You should tithe, yes, but you should not leave undone the more important things.”

Worship with Our Tithes & Offerings

\*Doxology 95 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Choir Anthem

Scripture: Matthew 5:14-16

Sermon*:* ***“Let your Light Shine”***

Hymn:  558 We are the Church

Benediction

Postlude

Greeter: 10:45 Donna Nichols, Jane Burris Sound: Michael Rager

Ushers: 8:45 Jim Cranford, Guill Russell Projection:

10:45 Dewell Cook, Kenny Hill Piano: Sid Fields

Counters: Sid Fields, Cecil Almond Organ: Elaine Crawley

Pastor: Michael “Lanny” Lancaster

Acolytes: 10:45 Lillie Eudy, Eli Fields Assisted by: Valerie Putnam

\*Jesus & Java Host for June:26–Tump & Joanne Mills

\*Jesus & Java Host for July: 3-Timmy & Mary Wysocki 10-Dink & Drinda Hathcock

17-Bobby & Kay Mills 24-Barry & Vanessa Mullinix 31–Tony & Frances Furr

**Food Collection for July: Macaroni & Cheese/Rice/Pasta**

**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, Frank Sanders, Melissa Crisco, Bonnie Mehalechko, Terry Sloan, Jacob Kime, Joe Creech family, Valerie Putnam, Lynn Hines, Butch Baucom, Tom Fesperman, Casey Lemons, 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**

**\*Special Thanks to all who served at Vacation Bible School This Week! We are raising children to Follow Jesus!**

\*Sunshine Group: will meet Tuesday, June 28 at 10:30am in fellowship hall of Badin Baptist Church with a special program presented by Aza Hudson and family. You are invited to bring a covered dish, $1, a guest and yourself.

*\*Church Yard Sale:* Union Chapel AME Zion Church, 812 Martin Luther King Jr., Dr. Albemarle, NC Saturday, July 16, 2016, 7 AM – 3 PM

Breakfast Plates and Lunch will be sold.

**\*Cleaning Time: We are in the process of cleaning the storage area behind the kitchen. If you have items that can be removed from there, we would appreciate it.**

**\*”Teach us to pray!” sermon series! To learn more, you may order the book: “Prayer: Finding the Heart’s True Home” by Richard Foster. It is available on** [**www.cokesbury.com**](http://www.cokesbury.com) **A copy has also been donated to the church library**

**\*STONY HILL YOUTH ARE MEETING ON SUNDAY NIGHTS AT 5PM. COME FOR FUN, FOLLOWING JESUS, AND FELLOWSHIP!**

**“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.

\*\*\*The Youth will be serving in a mission project this summer for Project Agape.  Project Agape benefits the children of Armenia, a country struggling with poverty and trying to recover from being a part of the Soviet Union.  We will be collecting supplies next Sunday to send to the children of Armenia.  Donation list:  Toothbrushes (individually packaged), Compact Mirrors, Small game or toy (appropriate for a teenager) that will fit in a shoebox, Combs and brushes, Gloves, Toboggans.  Thanks for your support!

**\*The Sunshine Group** will meet on Tuesday, June 28, at 10:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall of Badin Baptist Church. Aza Hudson, Director of Music at First Baptist Church of Albemarle and Choral/Handbell Director at North Stanly High School, and her children will present a musical program you are sure to enjoy. These children are the grandchildren of Jerry and Judy Hudson. Bring your favorite covered dishes, $1.00, a guest and of course yourself for a time of good fellowship and wonderful food.