**\*\*\*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**

**February 25, 2018 Second Sunday in Lent**

Prelude and Lighting of the Candles

Choral Call to Worship

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

Hymn of Praise: 368 My Hope is Built

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

Psalm Reading: #752 Psalm 22 8:45: Drinda Hathcock 10:45: Marci Lemons

Children’s Story

**Morning Prayer &** The Lord’s Prayer, #895

**Stewardship Scripture: ECCLESIASTES 5.10:** “Those who love money never have enough; those who love wealth are never satisfied with their income. This too is meaningless.”

Worship with Our Tithes & Offerings

\*Doxology 95 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Scripture: **Acts 10.38, 3John 11**

Sermon: **Living Life: “3 Basic Rules: 2. Do good…”**

Hymn of Praise: 707 Hymn of Promise

Benediction

Postlude

Greeters: 10:45 Ruby Pickler, Gay Nell Burris Sound: Lee Smith

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

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

Counters: Kay Pope, Sid Fields Organ: Elaine Crawley

Pastor: Michael “Lanny” Lancaster

Acolytes: 10:45 Addison Burleson, Zoe Finney Assisted by: Valerie Putnam

**\*Jesus & Java Host for February:** 25–Bruce/Wanda Smith

**\*Jesus & Java Host for March:** 4–Jim/Gayle Humphrey 11–Sid/Margaret Fields

18–Henry/Bonnie Springer 25–Tump/Joanne Mills

**Food Collection for March: Rice, Macaroni & Cheese, Pasta, instant potatoes**

**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, The United Methodist Church, Bill Scholl, Jack Lilly, Bonnie Mehalechko, Frank Gilmore Family, Lonnie Crisco Family, Frank Dennis Family, Margie Carter, Mary Connell family, Dewel Cook, Larry Kirk, Bonnie Ward, Shelly Eudy, Wayne Mauldin Family, Rev. David Hamlyn, Bobby Mills, Josh Holt, Tani Kepp, Aaron Ash, Bryan Starnes, Joe Mills, Nyoka Myers, Donald Shaver, Edith Matheney, Ophelia Riggins, Lauren Gift, Frank Sanders, Melissa Crisco, Jacob Kime, Dorthina Samples, Billy Miller, Kenneth and Barbara Stoker, Theresa Henderson and family, Ophelia Blalock, Sonia Simmons, Bryan Booth, Trent Bowers, Elaine Crawley, Victoria Hutchins, Bobby Clodfelter, UMAR, Andria Bell, Lin Senter, Stella Senter, Pastor Lanny, Janet and family

Shut-ins: Mary Ellen Aldridge, Ron & Loretta Allred, Tony Furr, Gene Helms, Zelma Johnson, 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**

**\*Sunday, March 11 @ Noon: Baked Potato and Salad Meal sponsored by the Youth, supporting ministries and missions**

HOLY WEEK

\*Easter Egg Hunt: Saturday, March 24 at 2pm

\*Palm/Passion Sunday: Sunday, March 25 8:45 and 10:45

\*Holy Thursday: March 29, fellowship meal at 7pm, worship at 8pm

\*Good Friday: March 30, fellowship meal at 7pm, worship at 8pm

\*Holy Saturday: March 31, placing flowers on graves

\*Easter Sunday: April 1: Sunrise Service at 7am, Community Breakfast afterwards, 9am: Musical Celebration of the Resurrection

\*Bring fresh flowers on Easter Sunday to place on the Resurrection Cross

**“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 Sunshine Group will meet Tuesday, February 27, 10:30 AM in the fellowship hall of Badin Baptist Church.  The program will be a musical one, provided by Ellen Smith and her dulcimer friends, "Strings of the Valley", which you are sure to enjoy.  Bring your favorite covered dishes, $1.00, a guest, and yourself for a time of good fellowship and wonderful food.**