**\*\*\*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**

**May 6, 2018 Sixth Sunday of Easter**

Prelude and Lighting of the Candles

Choral Call to Worship

Christian Greeting: L: Christ is Risen! **P: Christ is Risen Indeed!**

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer for the Holy Spirit

Hymn of Praise: 77 How Great Thou Art

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

Psalm Reading: #818 Psalm 98 8:45: Drinda Hathcock 10:45: Betty Currie

Children’s Story

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

**Stewardship Scripture: 2CORINTHIANS 8.7: “**But since you excel in everything—in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in complete earnestness and in the love we have kindled in you—see that you also excel in this grace of giving.”

Worship with Our Tithes & Offerings

\*Doxology 95 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

**Scripture: 1John 5.1-12**

**Sermon: *JESUS IS THE RESURRECTION LIFE***

**Service of Holy Communion**

Hymn of Praise: 172 My Jesus I Love Thee

Choral Benediction

Greeters: 10:45 Dustin Holly Lee Sound: Richard Wood

Ushers: 8:45 Jack McRae, Larry Kirk Projection:

10:45: Dustin Lee, Barry Mullinix Piano: Sid Fields

Counters: Dean Springer, Jill Almond Organ: Elaine Crawley

Pastor: Michael “Lanny” Lancaster

Acolytes:10:45 Bethany Thompson, Cole Stinnett Assisted by: Valerie Putnam

**\*Jesus & Java Host for May:** 6–Bobby/Kathy Johnson 13–MOTHER’S DAY

20–Lee/Christine Smith 27–David/Pat Mills

**Food Collection for May: Canned or dried beans, Canned Tomatoes, rice**

**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, Victims of Tornados in Greensboro, David Mills, Bobby Mills, Ali Speight, Ember McCombs, Bill Scholl, Jack Lilly, Bonnie Mehalechko, Frank Gilmore Family, Lonnie Crisco Family, Frank Dennis Family, Margie Carter, Mary Connell family, Bonnie Ward, Shelly Eudy, Wayne Mauldin Family, 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**

**\*\*\*UNITED METHODIST WOMEN’S SUNDAY:**

**MAY 20 AT THE 10:45AM SERVICE**

**\*\*\*COUNCIL MEETING: MONDAY MAY 21 AT 7PM**

**YOUTH BEACH TRIP: JUNE 29-JULY 2**

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: SUNDAY, JULY 15-THURSDAY, JULY 19**

**“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.