**\*\*\*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**

**April 14, 2019 \_\_\_\_\_\_ Palm Sunday**

Opening Music and Lighting of the Candles

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

Welcome, Announcements and Passing of the Pew Pads

Introduction to Palm Sunday

Scripture: Luke 19.28-40

Palm Sunday Processional Hymn: #213 Lift Up Ye Heads, Ye Mighty Gates

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

Psalm Reading: Page 839 Psalm 118 8:45: Drinda Hathcock 10:45: Martha O’Neill

Children’s Story

Morning Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer #895

Stewardship Scripture: **1CHRONICLES 29.14: “**But who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to give as generously as this? Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand.”

Worship with Our Tithes & Offerings

\*Doxology 95 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Choir Anthem

Scripture: Luke 23.44-49

Sermon: ***Into Your Hands, I Commend My Spirit…***

Song of Praise: 347 Spirit Song

Final Blessing

Postlude

Greeters: 10:45 Jim & Gail Humphrey Sound: Lee Smith

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

10:45: Jim Humphrey, Dewell Cook Piano: Sid Fields

Counters: Kathy Johnson, Stephen Eudy Organ: Pat Speight

Pastor: Michael “Lanny” Lancaster

Acolytes: 10:45 Gage Eudy, Addison Ward Assisted by: Bonnie Ward

**Food Collection for April: Canned Meat- Tuna, Chicken, Spam, Salmon**

Stony Hill collected 162 lbs of food for March. THANKS

**Every Week at Stony Hill**

Lanny’s day off each week is Friday

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

**Youth Group Meeting** Every 1st and 3rd Sunday 5pm-6pm.

**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!

**Prayer Concerns:** Our State and Nation, Community Schools, David Mills, Bobby Mills Family, Ophelia Riggins, Ophelia Blalock, Edith Matheney, Elaine Crawley, Dorthina Samples, Bryan Booth, Bryan Starnes, Sid Fields, Carolyn Terry, Kenneth Stoker, Scotty Wilson, Pastor Lanny, Janet and Family, Cameron Burleson, Corey Morgan, Bonnie Springer, JoAnn Mills, Eliza Bray, Kay Bowers, Tracy Bowers, Confirmation Class, Darlene Owens

**Shut-ins:** Mary Ellen Aldridge, Ron & Loretta Allred, Gene Helms,

Gene Watkins, Zelma Johnson, Carolyn Terry

**\*\*\*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**

**\*HOLY WEEK SERVICES**

\*PALM SUNDAY: APRIL 14 8:45AM AND 10:45AM

\*HOLY THURSDAY: APRIL 18 AT 8PM, FELLOWSHIP MEAL AT 6:30PM

\*GOOD FRIDAY: APRIL 19 AT 8PM, FELLOWSHIP MEAL AT 6:30PM

\*EASTER EGG HUNT: SATURDAY APRIL 20 AT 2PM

\*SUNRISE SERVICE: SUNDAY APRIL 21 AT 7AM

\*COMMUNITY BREAKFAST: SUNDAY APRIL 21  FOLLOWING THE SUNRISE SERVICE

\*MUSICAL CELEBRATION OF THE RESURRECTION:

SUNDAY APRIL 21 AT 9AM

**\*Resurrection Cross:** We invite you to bring fresh flowers to place on the cross on Easter Sunday as a way of praising God for the Resurrection of Jesus!

**\*The Easter Egg Hunt** will be on April 20th at 2pm. We will be setting up at 12pm, and in case of bad weather the egg hunt will be held inside.

**\*THERE WILL BE NO LIFE GROUP MEETINGS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

**\*COUNCIL MEETING:** MONDAY, MAY 6 AT 7PM

**\*Please join us** for a bridal shower for Kendra Bradley, bride-elect of BJ Hill (son of Kenny and Kelly Hill) on Sunday, April 14 from 2-3:30 in the choir room.  Kendra is registered at Belk and Amazon.

**“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.

**\*Soul Food:** worship and food outreach Monday, April 29, 5:15pm at Grace Place, 132 Church Street Albemarle. Come reach out with us!