**\*\*\*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**

**January 13, 2019 \_\_\_\_\_\_ 1st Sunday after Epiphany**

Opening Music and Lighting of the Candles

Opening Song

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

Welcome, Announcements and Passing of the Pew Pads

Prayer for the Holy Spirit

Opening Hymn No. 338 Where He Leads Me

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

Psalm Reading: Page#761 Psalm 29 8:45: Bonnie Russell 10:45: Marci Lemons

Children’s Story

Morning Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer #861

Stewardship Scripture: **LUKE 6.38: “**Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."

Worship with Our Tithes & Offerings

\*Doxology 95 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Choir Anthem

Scripture: Ecclesiastes 1.12-2.11

**Sermon:**  ***The Meaning of Life 2: Chasing the Wind***

Song of Praise: 374 Standing on the Promises

Final Blessing

Postlude

Greeters: 10:45 Jim & Gail Humphrey Sound: Rick Stamper

Ushers: 8:45 Sylvia Burris, Phyllis Huneycutt Projection:

10:45: Jim Humphrey, Jay Fesperman Piano: Sid Fields

Counters: Sid Fields, Stephen Eudy Organ: Pat Speight

Pastor: Michael “Lanny” Lancaster

Acolytes: 10:45 Bethany Thompson, Eli Fields Assisted by: Bonnie Ward

**Food Collection for January: Toiletries and Household- Shampoo**

**Conditioner, deodorant, toothpaste, detergent, bar soap, feminine hygiene**

**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.

**Prayer Concerns:** Our State and Nation, Community Schools, The United Methodist Church, Victims of Natural Disasters, David Mills, Bobby Mills, Ophelia Riggins, Ophelia Blalock, Edith Matheney, Elaine Crawley, Dorthina Samples, Bryan Booth, Family of Brandon Cranford, Arron Ash, Bryan Starnes, Sid Fields, Carolyn Terry, The Kirk Family, The Family of Tony Furr, Ned Mullinix, Kenneth Stoker, Scotty Wilson, The Family of Aleene Morgan,

Brandon Miller family, Pastor Lanny, Janet and Family

**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**

Life Group! Would you like a spiritual boost in the middle of the week, in the midst of work challenges, or kid challenges, or just the ups and downs of life? Life group is a casual gathering of folks to be encouraged by our time with each other and some Good News from God. No homework! Refreshments and childcare provided for the evening session. Tuesdays at 11am or Wednesday’s at 7pm.

**Announcements**

**“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!

**\*Council Retreat:** ***Monday at 7pm at the Fellowship Hall***

**\*United Methodist Church Information Meeting:** Sunday, 1/27 at 5pm

**\*The Sunshine Group** will meet Tuesday, January 22, 10:30 AM in the fellowship hall of Badin Baptist Church.  We are back to our regular meeting date, the 4th Tuesday in the month.  Martha Garber will share highlights from her recent Mission Trip to Cuba.  Bring your favorite covered dishes, $1,00, a guest, and of course, yourself for a time of good fellowship and wonderful food.