



November 3, 2018

Let's Connect!

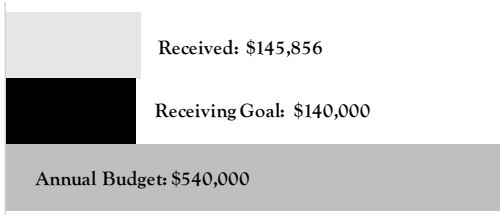
The Connection Card is a great way to communicate with the pastoral staff and extended leadership. We are happy you have chosen to worship with us this morning. If you are a guest with us today, take a moment to fill in the card. For guests and members alike, this card provides several opportunities: make a decision for Jesus, respond to the sermon, or communicate a prayer need or praise. When your card is completed, drop it in the offering plate or turn it in at the Welcome Desk in the Foyer.

FINANCIAL REPORT THROUGH OCTOBER 20, 2018 — WEEK 16 OF 52

Weekly receiving goal: \$8,723

Local Combined Budget Giving

Through October 20, 2018 - Week 16



SUNSET TIMES:

Today: 6:02 p.m./Next Sabbath: 4:56 p.m.

ONLINE ADVENTIST GIVING

A safe and easy way to give your tithes and offerings!

- Go to web site: spencervillesda.org
- Use an electronic check or credit card
- *Click* into secure site
- Receive confirmation via e-mail

Three-and-Done Debt\$1,333,828

Total Debt.....\$4,184,996

JOINING SPENCERVILLE: If you would like to transfer your membership or be baptized to become a member of the Spencerville Adventist Church, please submit a Connection or Welcome Card to the Hospitality Desk in the Foyer or in the offering plate.

National Domestic Violence Hotline — 800-799-7233

CHURCH STAFF DIRECTORY

Senior Pastor	Chad Stuart	Minister of Music and Organist	Mark Willey
Associate Pastors	Lerone Carson	Office Manager	Carol Strack
	Gaspar Colón	Treasurer	Eugene Korff
	Andrea Jakobsons	SAA Principal	Jim Martz
	Jason Lombard	Prayer Request Voicemail	301-384-2920 ext. 140
Pastors Emeritus	Charlotte McClure	Spencerville Adventist Academy	301-421-9101
	Steve Willsey		

Diaconate Team Leaders on duty: Roth, Sackett, Wangsness

H.I.S. Team on duty: Noble, Reinhardt

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

9:00 a.m.

PRELUDE:

Just as I Am, Without One Plea
William Batchelder Bradbury (arr. D. Wood)

IN COMMUNITY

Pastor Chad Stuart

†HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 330:

Take My Life and Let it Be
HENDON

PRAYER

Byron Scheuneman

THANK OFFERING

Byron Scheuneman

CHILDREN'S LESSON

Mark Willey

SERMON:

Too Many Bullies

Pastor Stuart

OFFERTORY HYMN No. 286:

Wonderful Words of Life

BENEDICTION

Pastor Stuart

SONG SERVICE (9:50-10:00 A.M.)

Ron Strack, chorister
Mark Willey, pianist

†Indicates congregation is to stand

*Please assist us in maintaining a reverent spirit of worship by muting your electronic devices.
You may be photographed or appear in video during the services this morning.*

Sabbath School meets from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. for all age groups. Please see the directory below to find the class that is appropriate for you and/or your family.
Adult study guides are available at the Welcome Desk.

Sanctuary Class: Ed Zinke, Teacher	Front of Sanctuary
George Reid, Teacher	South Porch, Classroom A
Spanish-language Class, Tanya Aguilar, Teacher	South Porch Classroom B
Prayer and Praise Class, Team Teachers	South Porch Classroom C
Hallway Class, Team Teachers (Begins at 9:50 a.m.)	Hallway Off Foyer
Conference Room Class, Team Teachers	Conference Room
Great Expectations Class, Team Teachers	Family Room A
A Practical Approach to the Lesson Quarterly	Family Room B
Bible Discussion Class: 1 Kings (Begins at 10:00 a.m.)	Family Room C
Young Adult Class	Fellowship Hall—Fireplace End
Collegiate Class	Fellowship Hall—Kitchen End
Youth Class (Grades 9 - 12): Brian Show, coordinator	East Wing
Middle School (Grades 7 - 8): Kelly Howell, coordinator	East Wing
Juniors (Grades 5 & 6): Tracy Belliveau, coordinator	East Wing
Primary 2 (Grades 3 & 4): Shannon Kornick, coordinator	East Wing
Primary 1 (Grades 1 & 2): Jessica Moon, coordinator	East Wing
Kindergarten (Pre-K 4 and Kindergarten): Marcy Chang, coordinator	East Wing
Beginners 2 (Ages 3 through 4): Ann Zinke, leader	West Wing
Beginners 1 (Birth through age 2) Nancy Fennell and Christy Zinke, co-leaders	West Wing

Membership Transfers

This is the first reading of these names.

Incoming:

Kelly **Carvalho** from Potomac Conference Adventist Church in Staunton, Virginia
Shron **Koh-Follet** from Spartanburg Adventist Church in Spartanburg, South Carolina
Leroy **Rose** from Atholton Adventist Church in Columbia, Maryland

Outgoing:

Alex, Lanessa, Lucan, and Nina **Bueno** to Palmer Adventist Church in Palmer, Alaska

ORDER OF WORSHIP

11:15 a.m.

PRELUDE:	Fanfare Robert W. Smith	SAA Middle School Performance Band
IN COMMUNITY		Pastor Chad Stuart
†HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 330:	Take My Life and Let It Be HENDON	
†INVOCATION		Pastor Stuart
TITHES AND OFFERINGS:	Local Church Budget	Elmer Carreno
OFFERTORY:	Olde English Hymn arr. James Swearingen	SAA Performance Band
PRAYER		Jim Martz
THANK OFFERING		Alex Hess
CHILDREN'S LESSON		Mark Willey
SCRIPTURE LESSON:	Proverbs 12:18, ESV	Barbara Carreno
ANTHEM:	The Water is Wide arr. James Swearingen	SAA Performance Band
SERMON:	Too Many Bullies	Pastor Stuart
†HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 286:	Wonderful Words of Life	
†BENEDICTION		Pastor Stuart
POSTLUDE:	Conflict Larry Clark	SAA Performance Band

Music Notes

We welcome Spencerville Adventist Academy's Middle School Performance Band to our second worship service this morning. The band is led by Lisa Froelich, who is new to SAA's music faculty this year. This is the first time for the Middle School Performance Band to participate in a Spencerville worship service. The band is made up of 31 students in grades 6 through 8, who have played their instrument anywhere from one to three years. They are excited to be able to be included in today's worship service. Two of the pieces are familiar hymn tunes set for a younger band. The postlude is an arrangement that reflects some of what we may encounter today in society, media, and even occasionally the church. While the composer does not resolve the tension that builds, we as Christians know that while this world may be in conflict, the resolution comes in the return of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Today's Flowers

The flowers on the piano side are presented in honor of Andrew Burrow's 14th birthday on October 9. He will be celebrating this weekend with his extended family. "We are watching with pride, Andrew, as you grow into a young man. Not only are you conscientious, loving, and talented, but you show us through your deeds and words that you love Jesus and want to reflect His character. You bring a zest to life and make us smile. Thank you for the sunshine you add to our days. We love you." Love, Dad, Mom and Aaron

The flowers on the baptistry are given by Elsy Burnett-Schmitt: "Thank you gracious Heavenly father for your abundant mercies and constant love and care."

It's Time to Fall Back

Daylight saving time is ending this Sunday morning at 2:00 a.m. Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour before you retire on Saturday night.

Potluck Today

Today is our monthly potluck immediately following the second service. Members and particularly guests gather together for a time of food and fellowship. We're looking forward to meeting new friends today. Mark the next one on your calendar. We do this the first Sabbath of each month!

Thanksgiving Food Drive

It's time once again for our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. This year's focus is on local families,

some who have been "adopted" by our Sabbath School classes. A cart will be in the foyer where donations can be placed beginning today through November 17. A list of recommended items is available at the Welcome Desk. Monetary donations are also welcome. Mark your tithe envelope "Thanksgiving Food Drive."

Mid-Week Prayer Gathering

Each week we gather for a season of prayer. There is a short presentation followed by prayer time. November 6 will feature former Spencerville pastor, Bonita Shields.

It's Time for Tots!

This coming Friday our smaller members (ages 12-36

months) will bring their parents/guardians to Tot Time on Friday, November 9, at 9:30 a.m. They firmly believe in play, fun, and friends. For more information, call/text Carla David at 301-250-0861.

Concert Next Sabbath (Joy's Back!)

Next Sabbath afternoon, November 10 at 4:00 p.m., our Evensong Concert Series will continue with a concert featuring the beautifully moving Requiem by Gabriel Fauré. Interspersed with the movements of this choral work will be pieces for organ solo by French composer Jeanne Demessieux. The Schola Cantorum of St. Alban's Parish, D.C. will be directed by Jeremy Filsell. Joy Leilani Garbutt and Mark Willey will be the organists.

Friendsgiving

You're invited to be a part of a potluck Thanksgiving meal hosted by the Young Adults in the church Fellowship Hall. Bring a dish to share and enjoy the fellowship of others. For more information, contact Juliana Baioni at youngadults@spencervillesda.org.

Calling All Poets

Carrie Hess, SAA high school English teacher, would love the senior class to hear from real professionals who write poetry or simply enjoy it. She is eager for them to see that real professionals, not just English teachers, can have a relationship with poetry outside of school and in every-day life. If you are willing to share your experiences with and insights about poetry with students and could come in during the day for one or more class periods or if you can recommend someone who is a poet or who loves poetry, please contact her by emailing hess@spencerville.org.

Attentions Elders

The October-December issue of *Elder's Digest* is available in the literature rack beside the Welcome Desk. Be sure to stop by to pick up your copy.

2019 Devotional Books

Fliers with descriptions and order information regarding the 2019 devotional books are available at the Welcome Desk. There are books for everyone—preschoolers through adults. Order early so you will have them in time when the new year begins in just eight weeks! Books can also be purchased at the local Adventist Book Center.

WAU Events

November 3: Basketball game against Oakwood University. Tip offs: 7:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. More information at wauathletics.com.

November 10, 8:00 p.m.: Grammy Award-winning Parker Quartet. For more info, email tsweeney@wau.edu.

Interested in Andrews?

A free brunch for Andrews alumni or potential students will be this Sunday, November 4, at 11:00 a.m., at the Sheraton Columbia Town Center Hotel. RSVP at alumni.andrews.edu/RSVP.

Highland View Academy STEM Fest

Sunday, November 11, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Academy Days

Highland View Academy: November 9-12, 2018
For more information, call 301-739-8480.

Spencerville Adventist Academy: January 16, 2019. For more information, call 301-421-9101.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Today

12:45 p.m. — Fellowship Luncheon

Sunday, November 4

2:00 p.m. — Daylight Saving Time Ends (clocks go back one hour)

Tuesday, November 6

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. — Keep in Stitches

5:00 p.m. — Bulletin information due

7:00 p.m. — Tuesday Night Study Group

7:00 p.m. — Prayer Gathering: Bonita Shields

Wednesday, November 7

6:30 p.m. — Adventurers

6:30 p.m. , Pathfinders

7:30 p.m. — Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 9

9:30 a.m. — Tot Time

Sabbath, November 10

9:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. services:

Speaker: Chad Stuart

Offering: Annual Sacrifice (Global Mission)

Diaconate Team: Scott Williams

HIS Team: Jacobson, Roth, Arthur

4:00 p.m. — Evensong Concert featuring Jeremy Filsell leading the Schola Cantorum of St. Alban's Parish, D.C., with Mark Willey and Joy Leilani Garbutt

PRAYER LIST

Joan Bandeen, Marcia Dunbebin, Art Fuller, Deanna Gaskill, Betty Grider, Franklin Hume, Joan Klassen, Betty Snyder

In addition, pray for the family and friends of: Lois Dry, Deanna Gaskill, Don Injety, Byron and Sharon Scheuneman, Mary White

EMERGENCY MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

This facility is equipped with an AED (Automatic External Defibrillator). If a medical emergency arises, immediately call attention to the situation. Trained individuals will respond. If you are experiencing a sudden illness and are in need of immediate assistance, contact one of the deacons. A nurse or physician will respond to assist you.

OUR MISSION

We are a community of believers committed to preaching and teaching the good news of salvation through Jesus Christ, equipping members for ministry, nurturing maturing relationships with Him, and offering compassionate care to those in need.

OUR VISION

Our vision as a Seventh-day Adventist congregation in Eastern Montgomery County is to be an ever-growing community of believers passionately devoted to Christ and committed to modeling His life. Because we believe His return is soon, we see great urgency for creating new and appealing ways of presenting the gospel. Our programming will emphasize ministry to families of all shapes and sizes, with every individual valued and included. We will continue to develop our school to match the divine principles for Christian education.