



March 9, 2019

## Let's Connect!

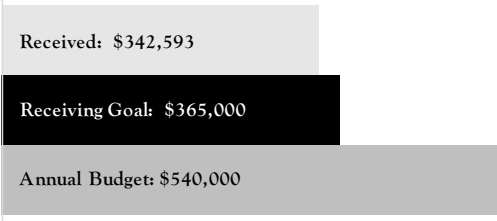
The Connection Card is a great way to communicate with the pastoral staff and extended leadership. We are happy you have chosen to worship with us this morning. If you are a guest with us today, take a moment to fill in the card. For guests and members alike, this card provides several opportunities: 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

Weekly receiving goal: \$8,723

#### Local Combined Budget Giving

Through February 16, 2019 - Week 33



**ADVENTIST GIVING ONLINE**

A safe and easy way to give your tithes and offerings online using an electronic check or debit/credit card!

Go to: [spencervillechurch.org/give](http://spencervillechurch.org/give)  
 Click into the secure site.  
 Receive a confirmation via email.

Three-and-Done Debt .....	\$822,300
Total Debt.....	\$3,744,797

**SUNSET TIMES:**

Today: 6:07 p.m./Next Sabbath: 7:13 p.m.

**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: Arthur, Jacobson, Thomas  
 H.I.S. Team on duty: Henkel, Hess, Wetmore

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# ORDER OF WORSHIP

9:00 a.m.

PRELUDE:	Allegro (Sonata in D Major) Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart	
IN COMMUNITY		Pastor Chad Stuart
†HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 11:	The God of Abraham Praise LEONI	
PRAYER		Gaspar Colón
THANK OFFERING		Gaspar Colón
CHILDREN'S LESSON		Mark Willey
MUSIC MEDITATION:	Andante (Sonata in D Major) Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart	
SERMON:	Exodus: It Doesn't Matter What You Think	Pastor Chad Stuart
OFFERTORY HYMN NO. 537:	He Leadeth Me	
BENEDICTION		Pastor Stuart
		
SONG SERVICE		Caleb Salazar, Daniela Cruz, choristers Rhymiel Prudente, pianist
LESSON STUDY: Sanctuary Class (other classes listed on p. 8)		Ed Zinke, Teacher

†Indicates congregation is to stand

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You may be photographed or appear in video during the services this morning.*

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11:15 a.m.

PRELUDE:	Amazing Grace Robert Kerr	SAA String Ensemble
IN COMMUNITY		Pastor Chad Stuart
†HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 11:	The God of Abraham Praise LEONI	
†INVOCATION		Pastor Stuart
BABY DEDICATION: MOHAN ALLEN RAJAH		Pastor Stuart
TITHES AND OFFERINGS:	Adventist World Radio	Ellie Truman
OFFERTORY	Dawn Eric William Barnum	SAA Choir
PRAYER		Shelley Tenali
THANK OFFERING		Ely Fallet
CHILDREN'S LESSON		Mark Willey
SCRIPTURE:	Exodus 3:1 – 4:7 International Children's Version	Regan Tenali

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ANTHEM:	The King Shall Rejoice Georg Frideric Handel	SAA Choir and Orchestra
SERMON:	Exodus: It Doesn't Matter What You Think	Pastor Stuart
†HYMN OF RESPONSE No. 537:	He Leadeth Me	
†BENEDICTION		Pastor Stuart
POSTLUDE:	Moment Musical No. 4 in E minor Sergei Rachmaninoff	Chris Inae, piano

## MUSIC NOTES

We welcome our Spencerville Adventist Academy (SAA) musicians in musical leadership this morning, under the direction of Robert Martinez. They are presenting music that they have been preparing for an upcoming tour and competition. The offertory is a composition by Eric Barnum on a poem by Robert Bode. The poem expresses the possibilities offered by the dawning of a new day and a reminder of the great gift of life each day brings.

From the door's soft opening  
And the day's first sigh,  
Filling the room,  
I see before me  
A life of doors,  
One opening on another:  
Doors upon doors,  
And sighs upon sighs,  
Rising in a tide of mornings,  
Rising, until that final sigh,  
And the last morning,  
And the last holy breath,  
Whispering "this..."

## Membership Transfers

*This is the second reading of these names.*

### Incoming:

Daniel Wasse from Green Lake Adventist Church in Seattle, Washington

### Outgoing:

Yolanda Marisol Barillas to Goshen Spanish Adventist Company in Gaithersburg, Maryland

Anton Dormer to Sligo Adventist Church in Takoma Park, Maryland

### Today's Flowers

The flowers are given by Muriel and Paulson Tharapatla in celebration of their grandson, Mohan Allen Rajah: "Our hearts are full of joy on this day because his parents have decided to dedicate their child to God just as they dedicated the other two older boys to the Lord previously in the Loma Linda University church. May God bless Mohan as he grows in the fear of the Lord."

### Exodus Study Guides

Today's sermon is a continuation of our series through the book of Exodus. Each Sabbath during this series a study guide will be available to use in preparation for the next Sabbath's sermon. Study guides are available at the door or the welcome desk.

### Gymnastics Home Show Tonight

Come support the Spencerville Acro-Squad and Junior Acro-Squad tonight! The show will be in the SAA Gymnasium. The doors open at 7:00 p.m., with the show starting at 7:30 p.m. Concessions will be sold by the SAA Senior class. We look forward to seeing you at the show!

### Mid-Week Prayer Gathering

Plan to join the prayer gathering at 7:00 p.m. in the Middle School room each Tuesday evening.

### Adventist World Radio

"I'm tired of heavy burdens," wrote an Adventist World Radio listener in Asia. "Life seems very hard, and my temper is always bad. However, since the day I found your program, I have felt better. Now I believe the Lord exists and is directing my ways." God is using AWR's broadcasts—on shortwave, AM/FM, podcasts, social media, and more—to carry His peace and comfort directly into people's homes and hearts. We invite you today to partner with AWR in this vital ministry. Mark your offering envelope, "AWR," or give directly at [awr.org](http://awr.org) or 800-337-4297.

### Lord's Lunch

The Lord's Lunch team will meet this coming weekend, March 15 and 16, to prepare and deliver sack lunches in a neighboring community. The Lord's Lunch ministry is operated once a month by a group of church members. Youth and families with children are encouraged to participate in this outreach ministry. The team meets on Friday evening at 6:30 in the Kitchen to make sandwiches and put together sack lunches. The following Sabbath morning they meet again at 8:30 in the Kitchen to pack up the lunches they will be distributing. For more information contact Lazaro Portillo at [Mrlencho2@msn.com](mailto:Mrlencho2@msn.com).

## Walk and Talk

Bring your walking shoes and a lunch next Sabbath, March 16. This month our walk will be held at Schooley Mill Park. As usual, please eat lunch ahead of time. The Junior Sabbath School room will be open in the event you care to eat your lunch at the church before meeting at Schooley Mill Park at 2:00 p.m. The park is located at 12975 Hall Shop Road near Highland, about 10 minutes from church. You can find more information about Schooley Park by visiting <https://g.co/kgs/XmgLeF>. For more information or questions, contact Brad Martin at [bradmartin214@gmail.com](mailto:bradmartin214@gmail.com). Then return to the church for the 4:00 p.m. Evensong Concert!

## Evensong Concert

Next Sabbath afternoon at 4:00 p.m. the Brass of the Potomac returns to present an Evensong concert, under the direction of Steve Bulla. This 30+ piece brass ensemble's previous concerts are series highlights. Plan to come and bring a friend.

## Financial Peace University

Learn how to handle money God's way and how to be a better manager of His resources for His kingdom. The nine-week session begins March 21. Contact Brittany Thorp at [brittanylthorp@gmail.com](mailto:brittanylthorp@gmail.com) for more information or to register.

## Time to Roll Up Your Sleeves

Mark your calendar for March 23 when the Inova Blood Mobile will be in our back parking lot from 8:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. Strongly consider and pray about giving the gift of life.

## Pathfinders Raising Funds for Homeless

The Spencerville Pathfinders are fundraising for "A Hat for Harold," a local charity. April 6-7, the Pathfinders will rock the night away (in rocking chairs) during the 7th Annual Rock-a-thon for Charity. Support a Pathfinder by making an hourly or flat rate pledge. You can also designate a specific Pathfinder to receive your pledge. Contact Lisa Burrow at 301-776-1856 or [mommyapple@icloud.com](mailto:mommyapple@icloud.com) for more info.

## Family Reunion

Mark your calendars for May 10-11 to attend SAA Alumni/Homecoming Weekend. Alumni will be given another opportunity to ring some bells, sing in a choir, play some basketball, and relive some drama (the kind on stage!). Don't miss out on reconnecting with your SJA/SAA family and making some new memories. For questions, please contact Merle Poirier.

## Let's Pray!

Hope Channel's television program "Let's Pray" airs live Wednesdays at 8:00 p.m. (EST) worldwide. Volunteers are needed to answer the prayer lines during the show. If interested in being part of this television ministry, register in advance by contacting Vanessa Perla at 301-680-5180 or [vanessa.perla@hopetv.org](mailto:vanessa.perla@hopetv.org).

## It's That Time Again

The youth and their team leaders are gearing up for their mission trip to Peru, from March 21-April 1. Part of the trip always includes taking Bibles, *The Desire of Ages* and *Steps to Christ* to distribute free to the people there. Please stop by the table in the foyer to sponsor a Spanish Bible (\$10 each) or *The Desire of Ages* (\$5 each). By doing so, you partner with us as we witness for Jesus.

## THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Sunday, March 10

2:00 a.m. — Set your clocks ahead one hour.

### Monday, March 11

7:00 p.m. — SAA Alumni/Homecoming Committee

### Tuesday, March 12

10:00 a.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

### Wednesday, March 13

7:30 p.m. — Choir rehearsal

### Thursday, March 14

10:00 a.m. — Tot Time

### Friday, March 15

6:30 p.m. — Lord's Lunch

### Sabbath, March 16

8:30 a.m. — Lord's Lunch  
9:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. services:  
Speaker: Chad Stuart  
Offering: Local Church Budget  
Diaconate Team: Roth, Sackett, Stele, Wangsness  
HIS Team: Noble, Reinhardt  
2:00 p.m. — Walk and Talk  
4:00 p.m. — Evensong Concert

## SABBATH SCHOOL

Sabbath School meets from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. for all age groups. There are many classes to choose from, and we invite you and your family members to select which class is right for you.

Most of the adult classes follow the Adult Bible Study Guide, but with different emphases. Adult Bible Study Guides are available for free at the Welcome Desk.

Please see the directory below to find a class that is right for you. For more information, please visit our Welcome Desk.

Sanctuary Class: Ed Zinke.....Sanctuary  
George Reid Class.....South Porch, Classroom A  
Spanish-language Class.....South Porch Classroom B  
Prayer and Praise Class.....South Porch Classroom C  
Hallway Class.....Hallway Off Foyer  
Conference Room Class.....Conference Room  
Great Expectations Class.....Family Room A  
A Practical Approach.....Family Room B  
Bible Discussion Class: 1 Peter.....Family Room C  
Young Adults.....Fellowship Hall—Fireplace End  
Youth (Grades 9-12).....East Wing  
Middle School (Grades 7 - 8).....East Wing  
Juniors (Grades 5 & 6).....East Wing  
Primary 2 (Grades 3 & 4).....East Wing  
Primary 1 (Grades 1 & 2).....East Wing  
Kindergarten (ages 4 and 5).....East Wing  
Beginners 2 (Ages 3 through 4).....West Wing  
Beginners 1 (Birth through 2).....West Wing

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