

October 24, 2020

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

Whether you're a guest or a member, we're excited that you've chosen to worship with us. To protect the health and safety of those participating, our worship services are pre-recorded in the auditorium at Spencerville Adventist Academy while the renovations in our Sanctuary continue. Look for additional ways to digitally connect with your church family in our Friday email, the *Worship Update*. If you would like to receive these updates, visit spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update to sign up online.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly receiving goal: \$8,723

Local Combined Budget Giving

Giving through September 26, 2020 - Week 13

Receive

Received: \$105,494

Receiving Goal: \$124,579

Annual Budget: \$550,000

ADVENTIST GIVING ONLINE

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

Visit spencervillechurch.org/give

Log into the secure site.

Receive a confirmation via email.

Current Debt as of September 30, 2020 \$3,091,763

SUNSET TIMES:

Today: 6:14 p.m./Next Sabbath: 6:06 p.m.

CHURCH STAFF DIRECTORY

Senior Pastor Chad Stuart Minister of Music Michael Patterson Associate Pastors Lerone Carson Organist Mark Willey Office Manager Carol Strack Jason Lombard Kandace Zollman Treasurer Eugene Korff Gaspar Colón Pastors Emeritus Prayer Request Voicemail 301-384-2920 ext. 140 Charlotte McClure Spencerville Adventist Academy 301-421-9101 Steve Willsey SAA Head Principal Tissiana Bowerman

ORDER OF WORSHIP

11:15 a.m.

WELCOME Pastor Chad Stuart

Hymn of Praise No. 330: Take My Life and Let It Be Henrique Carvalho

HENDON

PRAYER Pastor Jason Lombard

Pastor Kandace Zollman CHILDREN'S LESSON

ANTHEM: If I Can Help Somebody Henrique Carvalho, baritone Cory Shim, piano

Alma Androzzo

Seven Pictures: Jumping the Shark Pastor Chad Stuart SERMON:

Revelation 3:1-6

Hymn of Response No. 309: I Surrender All Henrique Carvalho

Pastor Stuart BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: Prelude in C Major, Op. 12, No. 7 Cory Shim

Sergei Prokofiev

Thank you for joining us in worship this morning! We will continue to provide updates on the status of our "in-person" worship services. Visit spencervillechurch.org for the latest information.

Membership Transfers

This is the second reading of these names.

Incoming:

Linda Dintino from Westvale Adventist Church in Syracuse, New York **Adeline Pitrowski** from Calhoun Adventist Church in Calhoun, Georgia

Outgoing:

Emil Kahler to Stillwater Adventist Church in Dayton, Ohio Richard & Denise Pfannenstiel to Fort Collins English Adventist Church in Fort Collins, Colorado

This is the first reading of these names.

Incoming:

Jonathan and Amanda Perry from Azure Hills Adventist Church in Grand Terrace, California

Outgoing:

Luis and Susana Schulz to IASD Universidad Adventist del Plata (Entre Rios, Argentina)

Meet Our New Members

Linda Dintino arrived to our area this past February. She, and her son, Peter, moved to here because she has a sister nearby as well as some other friends. She owns her own business, called Provider One, which provides medical scribes for physicians. She and Peter are eager to become involved in Spencerville church activities. They were only able to attend in person a couple of times before the COVID-19 lock-down.

Adeline Piotrowski moved here about a year ago to attend graduate school at George Washington University where she is finishing a master's degree in international affairs. Unexpectedly she landed a job with the Department of Homeland Security and now she is going to school full-time and working

full-time. Before COVID-19 she had attended Spencerville with her friends and really appreciated the church environment and music.

Tomorrow: A Bitter-Sweet Farewell

Pastor Gaspar Colon has retired from being a full-time, "paid" pastor. He and May-Ellen, will be leaving our area at the end of this month, but we can hardly feel sorry for them because they are relocating to Hawaii—just in time for the Maryland winter to set in. Their two adult children, and their granddaughters live in the immediate area where they will be moving. We have scheduled a drive-through farewell for them here at the church tomorrow, from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. Plan to stop by to say "so long" and wish them well.

Substitute Teachers Needed

Spencerville Adventist Academy is in need of substitute teachers now that we are back on campus. You need not be a teacher to be a substitute. If you are interested please contact Brittany Thorp at bthorp@spencerville.org for more information.

Thank You for Giving!

The offering on October 17 has been designated for Local Church Budget.

Your continued support of the ministry being done through Spencerville Church is appreciated. Thank you! Please continue to use the Adventist Giving website to remit your tithe and offerings at spencervillechurch.org/give. Or we can also receive contributions through the postal system. Our mailing address is:

Spencerville Adventist Church 16325 New Hampshire Avenue, Silver Spring, Maryland 20905

Men's Monday Night Football(less) Virtual Bible Study Group

Our Monday Night Football study group meets online on the first and third Mondays of the month. The next gathering will take place this coming Tuesday, November 2, at 7:15 p.m.

The Bible study begins at 7:30 and adjourns by 8:45. Join us online using this link: spencervillechurch.org/mnf-bible-study.

This season, we're discussing "One Race, One Blood: The Biblical Answer to Racism" by Ken Ham and A. Charles Ware. If you'll join our study group regularly, we'll send you the book as a gift! Contact Paul Rivera at mensministry@spencervillechurch.org or 301.949.6367. Please include your name, mailing address, and intent to join us regularly.

Also, we'd ask that you take three minutes to complete the online Men's Ministry registration at <u>spencervillechurch.org/mens-ministry</u>.

Tuesday Evening Prayer Meeting

Prayer meeting is a vibrant small group happening every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock via Zoom. The group is currently in a series on the prayers of the Bible—with a new prayer each week—led by Kevin Sullivan and Tim Lale. Join prayer meeting on your device through spencervillechurch.org/zoom/prayermeeting. Alternatively, you can join the meeting through your phone by calling 301.715.8592. You'll need the meeting ID: 479 808 915. We look forward to having you with us each Tuesday evening!

Evening Devotions on Facebook Live

Join Pastor Kandace for a devotional time of prayer on Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. on the Spencerville Facebook page. The devotional can be found online at facebook.com/spencervillesda.

Let's Connect —It's Not Too Late!

Our goal is to have every person in the Spencerville community growing spiritually and relationally. We believe that small groups are the best way to accomplish this and would enjoy the opportunity to tell you more about it! Please visit spencervillechurch.org/smallgroups to learn more. For more on the topic of small groups,

look for this series of sermons and his Sermon Debrief videos on the Spencerville Church YouTube page (<u>spencervillechurch.org/youtube</u>). As the Holy Spirit convicts your heart, we want to hear from you!

Fourth Quarter Sabbath School Lesson Study Guides

The Sabbath School lesson study guides are available for the fourth quarter, which begins today. If you prefer a paper copy, visit spencervillechurch.org/quarterly, or contact the church office by phone at 301.384.2920 or via email at office@spencervillechurch.org and we will be happy to put one in the mail for you, or you can drop by to pick up your copy. Please remember to wear your mask when you visit the church.

If you prefer, you can access the study guides online for adults, youth, and children. Use your smart phone or tablet to search for "Sabbath School" in the Apple App Store or on Google Play.

Do You Have a Prayer Request?

Call the Spencerville Prayer line at 301.384.2920, ext. 140. Leave a message with your prayer request and/or praise report to be shared with our Prayer Ministry team. Leave a number if you wish someone to return your call.