

January 9, 2021

#### 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. Look for additional ways to digitally connect with your church family in our Friday email, the *Worship Update*. If you would like to receive this update, visit <u>spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update</u> to sign up online.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly receiving goal: \$7,896

#### Local Combined Budget Giving

Giving through December 26, 2020 - Week 26

Received: \$217,763

Receiving Goal: \$293,712

Adjusted Annual Budget: \$499,000

#### 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 November 30, 2020 \$3,064,878

#### **SUNSET TIMES:**

Today: 5:01 p.m./Next Sabbath: 5:07 p.m.

#### CHURCH STAFF DIRECTORY

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

#### ORDER OF WORSHIP

11:15 a.m.

Welcome Pastor Chad Stuart

HYMN OF PRAISE No. 319: Lord, I Want To Be a Christian \*\*Emilie Flores, chorister

Prayer Caleb Salazar

CHILDREN'S LESSON Lindsey Gispert

Musical Meditation: Great Is Thy Faithfulness Timothy Rantung, piano

arr. Bob Walters

SERMON: Taking an Alternate Route Pastor Chad Stuar

Mark 10:13-16

RESPONSE: We Shall Behold Him Timothy Rantung, piano

arr. Marilynn Ham

Benediction Pastor Stuart

Postlude: Etude Op. 10, No. 5 "Black Key" Timothy Rantung, piano

Frederick Chopin

\*\*recorded in the Sanctuary before the platform reconstruction began

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 <u>spencervillechurch.org</u> for the latest information.

#### Spencerville Prayer Line

A special thanks to all of you who participated in our Holiday Spencerville Prayer Line during an unusual and possibly lonely Christmas season. Those who participated enjoyed the time of prayer together, and we need to continue to pray for each other in the new year. But with the holidays behind us, the Spencerville Prayer Line has been discontinued as of January 1.

## Thank You for Giving!

# The offering on January 9 has been designated for Chesapeake Advance.

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 <a href="mailto:spencervillechurch.org/give">spencervillechurch.org/give</a>. 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

### **Drive-in Worship Services**

We are excited to hold our drive-in worship services once again. With COVID-19 appropriate safety precautions in place, many have enjoyed attending these drive-in services. We will continue to hold the drive-in services at 11:30 a.m. each Sabbath in the back parking lot of the church as long as the

weather permits, and Montgomery County COVID-19 protocols allow. Join us as we worship together! Bring your Bible; and, if you have one, bring your Church Hymnal!

# Pre-registration is required at spencervillechurch.org/drivein

You must sign-up for each and every Sabbath that you plan to attend. The registration form will go live each Friday at noon.

# Calling All College Age Students:

We are excited to announce a new virtual collegiate level Sabbath School! We meet Sabbath afternoons at 2:30 p.m. and would love to have as many people as possible join the discussion. The recurring Zoom link is: <a href="https://spencervillechurch.org/collegiate/zoom">https://spencervillechurch.org/collegiate/zoom</a>. If you have questions, or need further information contact Lindsey Gispert at: <a href="mailto:lslg.gispert@gmail.com">lslg.gispert@gmail.com</a>.

#### It's Never Too Late To Get Connected!

We believe that small groups are the best way to have every person in the Spencerville Community growing spiritually and relationally. We would enjoy the opportunity to tell you more about it! Please visit spencervillechurch.org/smallgroups to learn more. Allow the Holy Spirit to convict your heart. Then contact us. We're happy to help you discover the group that is right for you.

### "Seeking Revival," Chesapeake Conference 10 Days of Prayer for 2021, January 6-16

The Chesapeake Conference is participating in the General Conference call to 10 days of prayer, and where desired, fasting, to recommit ourselves to God at the beginning of the new year. Throughout the Chesapeake Conference we will be providing a call-in prayer line for people to participate in prayer each morning during this period from 6:30 to 7:00 a.m. The theme is *Seeking Revival* and we will look at how to have a richer Christian experience. Various pastors will facilitate this prayer time with a different daily topic.

Conference Dial-in Number: 605-475-4000 Participant access Code: 721521#

## First Quarter 2021, Sabbath School Lesson Study Guides

The First Quarter 2021 Sabbath School Lesson Study Guides for adults, youth, and children are now available online. Using your smart phone or tablet, search for "Sabbath School" in the Apple App Store or on Google Play. If this is not an option for you, or you would prefer a paper copy contact the church office by phone at 301-384-2920 or via email at office@spencervillechurch.org, letting us know what you need and we will be happy to mail these to your home, or you can stop by the office to pick up what you need.

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

The next MNF gathering will take place this coming Monday, January 18, at 7:15 p.m. via Zoom. The Bible study begins at 7:30 and adjourns by 8:45. Join us online using this link: <a href="mailto:spencervillechurch.org/mnf-bible-study">spencervillechurch.org/mnf-bible-study</a>. If you have questions, contact Paul Rivera at <a href="mailto:mensministry@spencervillechurch.org">mensministry@spencervillechurch.org</a> or 301.949.6367. Also, please take three minutes to complete the online Men's Ministry registration at <a href="mailto:spencervillechurch.org/mens-ministry">spencervillechurch.org/mens-ministry</a>.

### **Tuesday Evening Prayer Meeting**

Prayer meeting is a vibrant small group meeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock via Zoom. The group is currently in a series discussing the prayers in 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 seeing you on Tuesday evening!

# **Evening Devotions** on Facebook Live

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

# 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.