



February 5, 2022

WELCOME

We're glad to have you with us as we worship; whether you're watching online or sitting in our Sanctuary, know that we consider you part of our community! It's our prayer that the information in this bulletin serves you well. If you aren't receiving the two weekly emails from Spencerville Church, the Weekly Update for church news, and the Worship Update for all things related to the weekly worship service, sign up at spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update.

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INTERNET ACCESS

Complementary internet access is available for those with WiFi equipped devices in order to facilitate participation in our services. You may connect using the information below:

Network: SpencervilleChurch

Password: Spencerville16325

CONNECT WITH US



@spencervillesda

NEED TO KNOW

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER?

If you'd like to transfer your membership or be baptized into membership at the Spencerville Adventist Church, please submit a Connection Card to the Hospitality Desk in the Foyer or in the offering plate.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

This facility is equipped with an Automatic External Defibrillator (AED). If a medical emergency arises, please call attention to the situation immediately and trained individuals will respond. All persons in the area should make room for the emergency responders to gain access. If you experience sudden illness and need immediate assistance, please contact the Welcome Desk or the deacon posted in the lobby. A nurse or physician will respond.

SUNSET TIMES

Today: 5:31 p.m.

Next Sabbath: 5:39 p.m.

FIRST SERVICE

9:00 A.M.

*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 service.*

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| Welcome | | Pastor Chad Stuart |
| Song of Praise | Wait on You | |
| Children's Lesson | | Greg Whitsett |
| Songs of Praise | Shout to the Lord Be Praised | |
| Prayer | | |
| Sermon | "Good Steward: It's About Time" | Pastor Chad |
| Song of Response | Holy, Holy, Holy | |
| Benediction | | Pastor Chad |

The offering this Sabbath has been designated for Local Church Budget

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Praise Team

Vocals: Daniela Cruz, Caleb Salazar

Guitar: Luke Sadanala

Violin: Matthew Nashed

Piano: Jago Prates

SECOND SERVICE

11:25 A.M.

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| Welcome | | Pastor Chad Stuart |
| Prelude | | Ariana Parks, piano |
| Choral Introit | A Call to Worship <i>Michael Patterson</i> | Spencerville Chamber Singers |
| †Hymn of Praise, No. 103 | O God, Our Help <i>TUNE: ST. ANNE</i> | |
| Invocation | | Pastor Chad |
| Children's Lesson | | Greg Whitsett |
| Call to Prayer | Sweet Hour of Prayer <i>Arr. Michael Cox</i> | Spencerville Chamber Singers |
| Prayer | | Debora Kent |
| Anthem | The King of Love My Shepherd Is <i>Arr. Fred Bock</i> | Spencerville Chamber Singers |
| Sermon | "Good Steward: It's About Time" | Pastor Chad |
| †Hymn of Response, No. 545 | Savior, Like a Shepherd <i>TUNE: SHEPHERD</i> | |
| Benediction | | Pastor Chad |

† Indicates congregation is to stand

Benediction Response

Blessed Jesus
Arr. Fred Bock

Spencerville Chamber Singers

**Postlude

Mark Willey, organ

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** During the postlude, you are invited to remain seated or to depart in the joy of Jesus Christ.

MUSIC NOTES

This morning, music for worship is brought by the Spencerville Chamber Singers. The group will sing arrangements of well known tunes in the sacred repertoire. The anthem, “*The King of Love My Shepherd Is*,” comes from the prose of H.W. Baker. The tune has a tradition set in Ireland usually to the tune named “*Dominus Regit Me*”, which is the melody heard this morning.

The choral introit “*A Call to Worship*” was recently composed, and is premiered this morning by Minister of Music, Michael Patterson.

The postlude, the “*Little*” Fugue in G minor by J.S. Bach, was composed by him sometime between 1703 and 1707, while he was employed as organist in Arnstadt, Germany. A fugue is a particularly crafty way of writing a piece of music that is based on a subject, stated by itself in one of the voices and then repeated many times, in various keys, by the other voices. It is played today to fulfill a request from Daniel Di Pinto (son of Mark and Katia) who became enamored with this fugue through a performance on YouTube and asked Mark Willey to learn and play it for him. Do you have a favorite piece of organ music you’d like to hear? Let us know.

MEMBER TRANSFERS

INCOMING

This is the second reading.

Merlin and Sarah Burt from Pioneer Memorial Church in Berrien Springs, Michigan

Vyacheslav, Elena, and Jonathan Demyan from Kyiv #3 Church in Kyiv, Ukraine

This is the first reading.

Latia Dukes from Metropolitan Adventist Church in Hyattsville, Maryland

James, Mary Ellen, and Lily Windgardner from Keene Adventist Church in Keene, Texas

OUTGOING

This is the second reading.

Michael, Tamara, and Jonathan Lukens to McDonald Road Adventist Church in McDonald, Tennessee

Alvaro Ortiz and Lidia Rodriguez Ortiz to Laurel Maranatha Spanish Church in Laurel, Maryland

This is the first reading.

Tanya Aguilar to Sligo Adventist Church in Takoma Park, Maryland

Adoniram, Liza, and Cameron Da Cunha to Kettering Adventist Church in Kettering, Ohio

Andre Darvasan-Stanciu to Loma Linda University Adventist Church in Loma Linda, California

Rajesh Inparaj to Chico Adventist Church in Chico, California

CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING OUR MASKING POLICY

The church board has voted unanimously to reinstate the requirement of masks, regardless of vaccination status, for all weekend services,

children's activities, and weekday gatherings larger than ten people. The board will reexamine the COVID-19 data and decide whether to extend or relax the mask policy in late February. A full statement is available on our website at spencervillechurch.org/mask-update.

CONDOLENCES

We're sad to share that longtime Spencerville member, Welton L. Ingram, passed away unexpectedly this past Monday, January 31, at the age of 83. Welton retired from Washington Adventist University several years ago, but was still working there part-time until he passed. He was pre-deceased by his wife of 61 years, Shirlee Ingram, in 2019, and is survived by their children: Sherri Ingram-Hudgins, W. Gregory Ingram, Pamela Ingram-Clay, and Geoffrey N. Ingram as well as eleven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Service arrangements are pending.

"FRESH BEGINNINGS" CLASS

Join Pastors Kandace and Chad, along with Juan Cabrera and Greg and Amy Whitsett as we explore ways to live faithfully, love deeply, and be the salt and light God has called us to be in our community. Join us each Sabbath at 10:00 a.m. **This week, February 5**, the class will meet on Zoom at spencervillechurch.org/fresh-beginnings.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY!

The offering for February 5 has been designated for Local Church Advance

Thank you for supporting the ministry of Spencerville Church! You may remit your tithe and offerings at spencervillechurch.org/give.

VESPERS FOR YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

If you are a young adult—post college through age 40—you are invited to attend a vespers program planned especially for you. It will be held in the Fellowship Hall from **7:30-9:00 pm on February 11**. The guest speaker will be Kylynda Bauer. Snacks will be provided. Invite your friends, we hope to see you there.

OUR WEEKLY SABBATH SCHOOL LESSON VIDEOS RETURN FOR 2022!

Pastor Chad and Dr. Frank Hasel are back with a new series of Sabbath School Lesson Commentary videos covering the lesson study on the book of Hebrews for Q1 2022. The sixth episode went live yesterday (Friday) morning. You can find the videos on YouTube at spencervillechurch.org/youtube.

CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

- 8 Prayer Meeting via Zoom // 7:00 p.m.
- 10 Facebook Devotional // 7:00 p.m.
- 11 Youth Vespers // 6:00 p.m.
- 11 Young Professionals Vespers // 7:30 p.m.
- 12 Evensong: Mt. Vernon Virtuosi // 4:00
- 12 Pathfinder Meeting // 5:00 p.m.

A WRITING ADVENTURE FOR THE LADIES

Ladies of the church! Doreen Hardware would like to invite you to participate in a writing adventure for women of all ages to contribute to a devotional book! The working title is “Some Women of the Bible and Their Journey.” Whether you’re 5-years-old or 105, consider submitting a short story or testimony for inclusion in the book. The deadline for submissions is February 28, 2022. For a list of suggested topics or other questions, please send an email to doreenhardware@yahoo.com.

JOIN THE SANCTUARY CHOIR!

The Spencerville Sanctuary Choir has begun rehearsals once again. If you would like to sing for services such as worship, Easter, or the spring Evensong concert, you are encouraged to be a part of the choir. Contact Michael Patterson, minister of music, for more info at mpatterson@spencervillechurch.org.

HAVE YOU CONSIDERED SERVING AS A PRAYER CHAMPION?

One of the most precious relational ties are the ones made between children and non-related adults. We’re inviting those who would like to foster such a special relationship to form a connection over prayer, agreeing to stay in touch with each other over prayer needs and celebrations in life during 2022. Praying for each other is a great practice to teach our children, and adults can strengthen their

experience by watching God work in the lives of these children. If you, as a parent, would like your child to participate in this program, or as an adult would like to participate as a Prayer Champion, we invite you to sign up at spencervillechurch.org/prayer-champion.

EVENSONG CONCERT SERIES RETURNS FEATURING MT. VERNON VIRTUOSI

Our Evensong Concert series returns next Sabbath, February 12, as we welcome the Mount Vernon Virtuosi back to the Spencerville platform at 4:00 p.m.

CONNECT GROUPS RETURN FOR THE SPRING 2022 SEASON!

We’re beginning a new season for our Connect Groups, and our team has updated the list of available groups to choose from. Take a moment to visit the Connect Groups page on the church website and explore what each group has to offer. If you don’t see anything that feels like the right fit, perhaps God is calling you to start your own Connect Group? It’s not too late! The only requirement for Connect Groups is that they’re actively seeking to connect with other people and with Jesus! Have questions? Contact Nancy Cabrera, our Connect Group Coordinator, at connectgroups@spencervillechurch.org.

WAU HOSTING A FREE CONCERT

On Saturday, February 19, join Washington Adventist University’s Pro Musica in a free

concert here at Spencerville Church. Pro Musica is WAU's elite choir, directed by Dr. Anwar Ottley, director of choirs at WAU. The group will sing a wide assortment of choral classics, traditional sacred repertoire, and spirituals. The concert begins at 4:00 p.m. and is free of charge. You wont want to miss this program!

SERMON NOTES

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KEY BIBLE TEXTS FROM TODAY'S SERMON

Matthew 25:14-30

Mark 6:31

Luke 6:12

Luke 5:16

Mark 2:15

Luke 7:36

Matthew 8:16

Luke 9:11

Matthew 4:23

Mark 6:34

RECOMMENDED BOOKS FOR A DEEPER LOOK AT TODAY'S TOPIC:

Redeeming Your Time

by Jordan Raynor

Deep Work

by Cal Newport

The Jesus I Never Knew

by Philip Yancey

The Desire of Ages

by Ellen G. White

Christ's Object Lessons: Chapter 25

by Ellen G. White

FINANCIAL REPORT

AS OF JAN. 15, 2022 - WEEK 29 OF 52

LOCAL COMBINED BUDGET GIVING

CURRENT DEBT AS OF JAN. 7, 2022 \$2,702,213

Received: \$296,614

Receiving Goal: \$340,825

2021-22 Church Budget: \$544,000

ONLINE GIVING



Visit the church website at spencervillesda.org/give or scan the QR code with your mobile device to make a donation. Thank you for your generosity!

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