



Communion Sabbath
March 26, 2022

WELCOME

We're glad you're here! Today, we remember Christ's sacrifice through our participation in the Communion service. Pastor Chad also begins his four-part sermon series, "The Roads to Easter." 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. Again, welcome!

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INTERNET ACCESS

Complimentary 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

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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: 7:26 p.m.

Next Sabbath: 7:33 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.*

Welcome

Pastor Chad Stuart

Songs of Praise Jesus Paid It All
 Holy Spirit

Sermon “The Roads to Easter: Our Humble King”

Pastor Chad

COMMUNION

Ordinance of Humility

Upon your return to the sanctuary, please collect the bread and juice emblems at the back doors and be seated.

Ordinance of Lord’s Supper

Pastors Chad Stuart and Matthew Piersanti.

Song of Response Build My Life

Benediction

Pastor Chad

The offering this Sabbath has been designated for Chesapeake Advance

Tithe and offerings may be returned via the collection boxes in the foyer, online at spencervillechurch.org/give, or by mail using the address on the back cover.

Praise Team

Vocals: Isaac Tyman, Jennifer Lalaki, Daniela Cruz

Guitar: Peter Fukuda

Piano: Samuel Miranda

SECOND SERVICE

11:25 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 |
| Prelude | Sheltering Sky <i>John Mackey</i> | Washington Concert Winds Michael Patterson, director |
| Introit | | Washington Concert Winds |
| †Hymn of Praise, No. 338 | Redeemed <i>TUNE: ADA</i> | |
| Invocation | | Pastor Chad |
| Children's Lesson | | Matthew Piersanti |
| Prayer | | Joe Atterberry |
| Anthem | Before the Sun <i>Julie Giroux</i> | Washington Concert Winds |
| Sermon | "The Road to Easter: Our Humble King" | Pastor Chad |

COMMUNION

Ordinance of Humility

Upon returning to the sanctuary, please sit in the pews without white ribbons.

Ordinance of Lord's Supper

Pastors Chad Stuart and Matthew Piersanti.

† Indicates congregation is to stand

†Hymn of Response, No. 301 Nearer, Still Nearer
TUNE: MORRIS

Benediction

Pastor Chad

**Postlude Chorale and Alleluia
Howard Hanson

Washington Concert Winds

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

MUSIC NOTES

This Sabbath, we welcome back the Washington Concert Winds from Washington Adventist University, directed by Michael Patterson, professor at WAU and Minister of Music at Spencerville Church. The Washington Concert Winds will bless our worship service this morning in preparation for their evening concert at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary.

The musical selection is entitled, *Before the Sun*, composed by living American composer Julie Giroux. The piece is intended to be a depiction of the scene and emotions just before a sunrise takes place, both in nature and in the human mind. The piano solo in the middle represents the silence of night which takes place just before a radiant dawn. This is a beautiful musical and artistic depiction of the silence on earth for the three days Jesus lay in the tomb before His radiant resurrection, a theme we honor today with the communion service.

The postlude, entitled *Chorale and Alleluia* was composed by Howard Hanson who sat as director of the Eastman school of music for over forty years. This piece, though not containing any lyrics, presents two different themes. The first is a lamenting chorale and the second a joyful exclamation. One can imagine the text implied in the first section—perhaps Kyrie Eleison, “Lord have mercy on us”. In the second, one can almost hear the text of Psalm 66, “Let all the Earth cry out in joy! Alleluiah!” We pray this music is a blessing as we worship together.

MEMBER TRANSFERS

INCOMING

This is the second reading.

Anthony (Tony), Lina, and Elise Inae from Olney Adventist Church in Olney, Maryland
Jorge and Elda Werdtz de Rodriguez from Maluti Adventist Church in Mapoteng, Lesotho

OUTGOING

This is the second reading.

Ruth Rivera to Corrales Adventist Church in Corrales, New Mexico

MEET OUR NEW MEMBERS

Tony Inae is a retired medical doctor who spent a lot of his time designing medical software for the Air Force. His wife, **Lina**, is a nurse for urgent care. They are hoping to do a lot of traveling once their daughter, **Elise**, who is a senior at SAA, graduates and leaves for college. Tony & Lina have two older sons, **Eric** and **Christopher**, who are now attending Andrews University.

Jorge Rodriguez and his wife, Elda are the parents of Spencerville member, **German Rodriguez**. Originally from Argentina they are most recently from Lesotho, where they have served as missionaries for 19 years. They have recently retired and have come to this area to be with their children and grandchildren.

OFFICER NOMINATION

CHURCH OFFICER NOMINATION TO FINISH THE 2020-2022 TERM

This is the second reading.

Ketty Bayona Gallagher - Associate Treasurer

CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

MASK MANDATE LIFTED

Masks are no longer required for indoor activities, but are still recommended for those who are immunocompromised, unvaccinated, or those who may feel more comfortable wearing a mask. Our desire is that Spencerville Church remains a safe place for people to grow spiritually and relationally, free of assumption and without fear of judgment or ridicule—mask or no mask. Your help is needed to ensure that Spencerville remains a place where people from all backgrounds can come together in worship while continuing to grow into who Jesus has called them to be. More information can be found on our website at spencervillechurch.org/mask-update.

COMMUNION TODAY

We are delighted that you have chosen to worship with us today on this special Sabbath as we celebrate the Lord's Supper together. Our Communion Service is open to all, and our guests are invited to participate.

KEEP IN STITCHES

If you like quilting or stitching of any kind, check out the Keep in Stitches group that meets in the Fellowship Hall each Tuesday

from 10:00 a.m. through mid-afternoon. You'll enjoy good company and have fun as you create items to minister to folks locally and around the world.

YOUR GENEROSITY IS APPRECIATED!

The offering for March 26 has been designated for Chesapeake Advance

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

LOST AND FOUND

Many items have been left behind at the church and are longing to be reunited with their owners. These items have been placed in baskets above and beneath the coat rack in the east hallway. Stop by to see if anything belongs to you. Items not claimed by April 9 will be donated to the C-4 Community Services Center.

BOXTOP\$ FOR EDUCATION

Would you like to help raise cash for Spencerville Adventist Academy, with only the investment of 30 seconds, give or take, each time you go to the grocery store? To install the app on your smart phone enter BoxTop\$ in the search bar.

Then visit [boxtops4education.com/
emailgroceryreceipts](http://boxtops4education.com/emailgroceryreceipts) for more information. No clipping coupons and having to remember to take them to church or school, which are still accepted if you prefer the clipping over scanning your store receipt. For more information, contact Elizabeth Atterberry at 850-922-5098 or lcatterberry@yahoo.com. (Please, no more Cheerios box tops!)

REDEEMING WORTHINGTON AND LOMA LINDA LABELS

Yes! We are still collecting labels, from canned foods, but unfortunately *not frozen foods*. You may bring your labels to the Welcome Desk in the church foyer. If questions, or to get more information contact Elizabeth Atterberry at 850-922-5098 or lcatterberry@yahoo.com.

"FRESH BEGINNINGS" CLASS

Explore ways to live faithfully, love deeply, and be the salt and light God has called us to be in our community. Join Pastor Kandace, along with teachers Juan Cabrera and Greg and Amy Whitsett at 10:00 a.m. in person in Fellowship Hall C, or online. Online sign-in information is in the Worship Update, which is sent via email each Friday.

COLLEGIATE SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS

If you are an undergrad or graduate student, plan to check out this class created just

for you. This class meets at 10:30 a.m. in section D of the Fellowship Hall (next to the kitchen).

YOUTH VESPERS NEXT FRIDAY

We are excited to be joining together to praise God! Join us **this coming Friday evening, April 1**, and again on May 6, at 6:00 p.m. for Youth Vespers which will be held in the Youth Room.

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 Friday, April 8**. Snacks will be provided. Invite your friends, we hope to see you there.

SECOND QUARTER STUDY GUIDES ARE NOW AVAILABLE

The second quarter study guides are available at the Welcome Desk in the foyer. If you prefer, your copy can be sent to you via US mail. Please contact the church office to receive your copy.

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WATCH OUR WEEKLY SABBATH SCHOOL VIDEOS ON THE BOOK OF HEBREWS

Yesterday, Pastor Chad and Dr. Frank Hasel wrapped up their thirteen-week video lesson study on the book of Hebrews for the first quarter of 2022. If you missed yesterday's video, or would like to replay a video from the series, all episodes are available on the Spencerville Church YouTube channel at spencervillechurch.org/youtube.

EVENING DEVOTIONS ON FACEBOOK LIVE

Pastor Kandace continues her Thursday evening devotional service at 7:00 p.m. on the Spencerville Facebook page. If you'd like to participate, visit facebook.com/spencervillesda to experience this special time of devotion and prayer.

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY BULLETINS

Activity bulletins are available each Sabbath for children ages 3-6 and 7+. The bulletins are available in the Children's Sabbath School classrooms or at the Welcome Desk in the foyer.

SPRING 2022 CONNECT GROUPS

A new season has arrived for our Connect Groups. We invite you to 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? The only requirement for Connect Groups is that the group is actively seeking to connect with other people and with Jesus! Have questions? Contact Nancy Cabrera, our Connect Group Coordinator, at connectgroups@spencervillechurch.org

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. Alternatively, you may send an email to the prayer team at prayerline@spencervillechurch.org.

PRAYER NEWSLETTER



Are you receiving the weekly newsletter from Prayer Ministry? Use the QR code to sign up, or visit: spencervillechurch.org/prayerministry.

THE SAA RACE AND FUN RUN IS BACK!

The Sixth Annual Spencerville Adventist Academy 5K Cross Country-style race and Fun Run will take place rain or shine on **April 3, 2022**. Races start at 9:00 a.m. Register: spencervillechurch.org/saa-5k.

SPENCERVILLE ACADEMY PRESENTS JOSEPH AND THE AMAZING TECHNICOLOR DREAMCOAT

The Spencerville Adventist Academy Drama Team will present Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat on **April 7, 9 and 10, 2022**. Tickets are now on sale, call 301-421-9101 to reserve your seat. Tickets range from \$10 to \$20, with discounted \$8 tickets for SAA students and senior citizens.

WASHINGTON ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY INAUGURAL MUSIC COMPETITION

The Washington Adventist University Department of Music presents its Inaugural Music Competition! The Winners' Recital will take place on **Saturday, April 2, at 8:00 p.m.** at the Spencerville Church Sanctuary. Participating music majors and minors will be evaluated by some of the DC area's leading experts in the fields of voice, piano/percussion, winds/brass, and strings. The concert is free to the public, with a reception to follow, so please come and support our excellent students!

VISIT THE HOPE CHANNEL STUDIOS

Hope Channel cordially invites you to IMPACT DAY on **May 1, 2022**. This event will be held at the Hope Channel studio in Silver Spring, from 1:00 - 6:00 p.m. During the event you will get a tour of the Hope

Channel studios, meet the hosts of some of your favorite programs such as Hope Sabbath School, and receive exciting information on how God is using the network to prepare the world for Christ's Second Coming. A free lunch will be served. This event will be limited to 60 people and the registration deadline is April 10, 2022. To register please go to hopetv.org/impactday or call 240-381-6684.

TONIGHT! THE WASHINGTON ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY WIND ENSEMBLE IN CONCERT

This evening at 7:00 p.m., the Washington Concert Winds will perform a concert in the Spencerville Church Sanctuary. The ensemble, directed by Michael Patterson, will perform works by Aaron Copland, Howard Hanson, Julie Giroux, Gustav Holst and more. Admission is free and all are welcome!

TWO WAYS YOU CAN HELP UKRAINE

It's easy to feel overwhelmed by the news from Ukraine. If you would like to help, here are two organizations that are working locally and internationally to help the people of Ukraine.

- 1. ADRA International (Adventist Development and Relief Agency)** - ADRA has teams actively working in the region, and they are helping people with food,

water, medical supplies, and shelter. Visit their website to donate at adra.org.

2. **St. Andrew Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral**, located just down the street from our church on New Hampshire Avenue, is accepting donations at the church. Alternatively, you may bring supplies ordered through Amazon or other means to be delivered directly to their church. To make a donation, or for more information on hours and the specific items that are needed, visit standrewuoc.org.

JOB OPPORTUNITY AT WGTS 91.9

WGTS 91.9 is seeking temporary phone operator positions for their Spring Fundraiser. The fundraiser event is scheduled for Monday, May 9 through Friday May 13. One-hour online paid training is included. There are three positions open during the 5:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. time slot and three positions open during the 1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Contact the WGTS Listener Care Coordinator, Tiffany Johnson, at 202-902-600 or send an email to listenercare@wgts919.com.

SPECIAL THANK YOU

The pastoral staff would like to share a special “thank you” to Tom Henkel. Tom was instrumental in working with our carpet vendor while Pastor Jason was on vacation.

CALENDAR

MARCH

- 27 Pathfinder Meeting // 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
- 28 Church Board // 7:00 p.m.
- 29 Keep in Stitches // 10:00 a.m.
- 29 Prayer Meeting via Zoom // 7:00 p.m.
- 31 Facebook Live Devotional // 7:00 p.m.

APRIL

- 1 Youth Vespers // 6:00 p.m.

A special “thank you” also to the church members, Sabbath School teachers, and deacons who assisted with the carpet installation: Tracy Belliveau, Chris Esveld, Nancy and Walt Fennell, Rob Fuller, Victor Hernandez, Nahum Herter, Don Injety, Lisa Krueger, Brad Martin, Kara and Mark Noble, Silvio Pionatto, Mahmingi Rajarathinam, Ann and Ed Zinke, as well as Christy and Doug Zinke. As you can probably imagine, re-carpeting an entire building that’s in use is a marathon event! Please take a moment to thank them when you see them today.

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CHURCH BUSINESS

NOMINATING COMMITTEE NOMINATIONS

This is the first reading of these names.

The following persons have been nominated to serve as the Nominating Committee for the purpose of populating the church offices for the term beginning July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2024.

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| Donna Arnold | David Howell | Catherine Robinson |
| Jerry Arthur | Kelly Howell | Sean Robinson |
| Sophie Arthur | Kenrie Hylton | German Rodriguez |
| Debbie Bahr | Brandon Injety | Caleb Salazar |
| Kari Banks | Shannon Injety | Nikolaus Satelmajer |
| Jen Blondo | Diane Jacobson | Elsy Burnett Schmitt |
| Tissiana Bowerman | Costin Jordache | Brian Show |
| Lisa Burrow | Leah Jordache | Cheryl Show |
| Murray Carson | Stephanie Juneau | Charles Shyab |
| Ji Chang | Becky Koeppen | Tim Soper |
| Ashlee Chism | Lisa Krueger | Galina Stele |
| Karen Couto | Delanney Kruger | Edwin Tenali |
| Cindy Di Pinto | Rachel Kuczma | Kim Terry |
| Karin Dortch | Tim Lale | Keri Tomenko |
| Lauren Esveld | Jarrood Lutz | Cheryl Toscano |
| Shirley Evans | Brad Martin | Isaac Tyman |
| Tom Evans | Tabita Martinez | Judy Vandeman |
| Joy Faehner | Charlotte McClure | Jonathan Walter |
| Marietta Fowler | Phyllis McElmurry | Rikki Welch |
| Rob Fuller | Ruben Melendez | Heidi Wetmore |
| Ketty Bayona Gallagher | Salma Moretta | Tom Wetmore |
| Raquel Garcia-Marenko | Geri Mueller | Greg Whitsett |
| Doreen Hardware | Ellen Musselman | Brody Wiedemann |
| Lauron Henkel | Evelyn Oliveira | Fiona Wilcox |
| Tom Henkel | Amy Piersanti | Bill Young |
| Denisse Hernandez | Merle Poirier | Samantha Young |
| Nathan Hess | Melissa Reinhardt | Christy Zinke |

FINANCIAL REPORT

AS OF FEB. 26, 2022 - WEEK 35 OF 52

LOCAL COMBINED BUDGET GIVING

CURRENT DEBT AS OF FEB. 20, 2022 \$2,688,938

Received: \$355,615

Receiving Goal: \$393,823

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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