

Resurrection Sabbath

April 16, 2022

WELCOME

We're glad you're here! Today, Pastor Chad concludes his four-part sermon series, "The Road 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, we invite you to sign up at spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update. Again, we're glad to have you with us today. 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 Welcome Desk or place it in the offering box, both of which are located in the fover.

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: 7:47 p.m.

Next Sabbath: 7:54 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

Song of Praise A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Children's Lesson Pastor Kandace Zollman

Songs of Praise In Christ Alone

Christ Our Hope In Life And Death

Prayer

Sermon "The Road to Easter: The Curse Reversed" Pastor Chad

Song of Response Lord, I Need You

Benediction Pastor Chad

The offering this Sabbath has been designated for Local Church Budget

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: Marina Lopatina and Karen Miranda Strings: Ekaterina Di Pinto, Deric Tomenko, Keri Tomenko Piano: Mark Di Pinto

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.

Welcome	Pastor Chad Stuart

Prelude Oboe Concerto in C Major Spencerville Sanctuary Orchestra

II. Adagio, non troppo Amy Cassieri, oboe

W. A. Mozart

Call to Praise Psalm 113:1-2 Pastor Matthew Piersanti

†Hymn of Praise, No. 4 Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Tune: Lauda Anima

Invocation Pastor Chad

Anthem Hallelujah Chorus Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra

from Christ on the Mount of Olives

Ludwig van Beethoven

Children's Lesson Pastor Kandace Zollman

Anthem Amazing Grace Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra

Arranged by Sonya Poorman

Prayer Frank Hardy

Scripture Reading Luke 24:13-35 Pastor Kandace

Bill Knott

Roman Jordache

Anthem When I Survey the Wondrous Cross Sanctuary Choir

Arranged by Gilbert Martin and Orchestra

Sermon "The Road to Easter: The Curse Reversed" Pastor Chad

† Indicates congregation is to please stand when directed

†Hymn of Response, No. 166 Christ the Lord is Risen Today

Benediction Pastor Chad

Benediction Response A Choral Amen Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra

John Rutter

**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.

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WORSHIP NOTES

The flowers in the foyer are given out of gratitude to God, by Peter and Ros Landless, for all the years of a very blessed and happy marriage.

MUSIC NOTES

Welcome to worship on this Resurrection Sabbath! This weekend we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus. What better way than to make a joyful noise of praise! This morning we welcome back the Spencerville Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra. The music sung tells a combined story of the of the joy and praise we offer unto God for the great sacrifice he made for us.

Included most notably is Ludwig van Beethoven's Hallelujah Chorus. This comes from his oratorio "Christ on the Mount of Olives". The work, which premiered in 1803, tells the story of Jesus' mission on Earth right into the death and resurrection. The final chorus is an exclamation

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at the miracle that saved all of mankind. The original text is in German, however, the choir will sing the song in English. The English translation reads:

"Hallelujah! Hallelujah unto God's almighty Son!
Praise the Lord, ye bright angelic choir, in holy songs of joy!

Man proclaims his grace and glory.

Hallelujah unto God's almighty Son.

Praise the Lord in holy songs of joy!"

One final notable point is that the Anthems "When I Survey" and "Amazing Grace", along with the brass fanfare of "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven" were orchestrated by James Bingham, previous choir director at Spencerville Church.

We wish you a happy and blessed Easter weekend!

MEMBER TRANSFERS

INCOMING

This is the first reading.

Nisha Abraham from International Adventist Church of Brussels, in Brussels, Belgium

This is the second reading.

Ramon and Lady Rodriguez from Washington Spanish/Bilingual Seventh-day Adventist Church in Silver Spring, Maryland

Vanessa Rodriguez from Olney Adventist Church in Olney, Maryland

OUTGOING

This is the first reading.

Larry and Jana Luce to WholeLife Adventist Church in Orlando, Florida

This is the second reading.

Eric and Jennifer Carlson to Lincoln College View Adventist Church in Lincoln, Nebraska

MEET OUR NEW MEMBERS

Ramon Rodriguez is a semi-retired contractor—but is still overseeing a few projects. His wife, Lady was an administrative assistant for the International Monetary Fund. They are excited to become active members of the Spencerville Community. They have a daughter, Vanessa, who works as an x-ray technician at Walter Reed Hospital, and is working to complete a Master's degree in Business Administration.

CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

YOUR GENEROSITY IS APPRECIATED!

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

PATHFINDERS ARE READY TO ROCK ONCE AGAIN!

After two years of cancellations due to the pandemic, our Polar Bears Pathfinders are ready to rock for charity again...in rocking chairs, of course! They will be rocking the night away during their Eighth Annual Rock-a-thon for Charity on April 23–24. The Pathfinders will rock for up to 12 hours to raise money for the ADRA Ukraine Relief initiative. Be on the lookout for announcements over the coming weeks, or seek out your favorite Pathfinder. They

can tell you how to support their all-night Rock-a-thon by pledging money for their efforts and through your prayers. Those interested in contributing can help by making an hourly or flat-rate pledge in any amount. You can also designate a specific Pathfinder to receive your pledge if you wish. Please complete and submit the enclosed pledge card. You can place it in one of the offering boxes in the foyer, or turn it in at the Welcome Desk. Contact our Event Coordinator, Lisa Burrow, at 301-346-9641 or at mommyapple@icloud.com for more information. Thank you in advance for supporting our Pathfinder club!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR A VBS FAMILY WEEKEND

On July 7-9, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Children's Ministries is excited to invite all children between the ages of 0 and 11 for a weekend full of family fun. This year we are exploring

God's monumental love for us by reviewing the life of Joseph. Watch this space for more Family Vacation Bible School details.

NEW ENGLAND YOUTH ENSEMBLE IN CONCERT

This coming Friday, April 22 the New England Youth Ensemble of WAU will feature a musical program here at Spencerville Church. The orchestra is coled by Preston Hawes and Brian Liu. The concert will begin at 7:00 p.m. Admission is free and all are welcome.

TOWN HALL MEETING

This evening a Chesapeake Conference Town Hall Meeting is scheduled at the Atholton Adventist Church, located at 6520 Martin Road in Columbia, staring at 7:15 p.m. The purpose of this meeting is to receive reports from the officers and departmental directors of Chesapeake Conference regarding the various activities and initiatives in which the churches, schools, and other institutions of the Conference, have been engaged since the 2017 constituency meeting and the 2019 mid-term Town Hall Meeting. This is an informational meeting only. No votes will be taken. Those who are delegates to the May 22, 2022, Conference Constituency Meeting are especially encouraged to attend. Anyone is invited to attend.

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's 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.

ADVENTIST HEALTH CARE 2022 NURSE'S APPRECIATION DAY

Attention all Adventist active and retired professional nurses, as well as nursing students and nursing assistants. Nurses are exceptional people who give essential care. "Especially during this unprecedented time with the lingering effects of COVID-19, we

want to connect with you." You are invited to attend the virtual gathering on May 7 from 4:00-5:00 p.m. The guest speaker is India Medley, PhD, MSN, RN, CPNP, Vice President and Chief Nursing Officer Howard University Hospital. Join via Zoom. Meeting ID: 957 6481 3420, Passcode: 761029. One tap mobile 301-715-8592.

ELDER'S TRAINING

Elder's Training is scheduled for next Sabbath, April 23, from 3:00-6:30 p.m. Topics include "Personal Evangelism" and "Taking and sharing the gospel with those around you to the next level". David Klinedinst is the guest speaker. Join the training virtually or in person at the Chesapeake Conference office in Columbia. Register at ccosda.org/elders.

SPENCERVILLE PRAYER LINE

Call the Spencerville Prayer line at 301.384.2920, ext. 140. Leave a message with your prayer request and/or praise reports to be shared with our Prayer Ministry team. Leave a number if you wish someone to return your call. Alternatively, you may email the prayer team at prayerline@spencervillechurch.org.

ADVENTIST VOLLEYBALL ACADEMY

Basecamp, a community-based organization run by SAA Alumnus, Jordan Brown and

CALENDAR

APRIL

- 19 Keep in Stitches // 10:00 a.m.
- 19 Prayer Meeting via Zoom // 7:00 p.m.
- 20 Connect Group Facilitators // 7:00 p.m.
- 21 Facebook Live Devotional // 7:00 p.m.
- 22 New England Youth Ensemble Spring Concert Sanctuary // 7:00 p.m.
- 23 Pathfinders Rock-a-thon // 6:30 p.m.
- 25 Church Board Meeting // 7:00 p.m.

MAY

1 Spring Work Bee // 8:00 a.m.

Brandon Injety, is launching the Adventist Volleyball Academy (AVA) which provides co-ed training to promote volleyball skill development, active lifestyle, and sportsmanship for elementary, middle school and high school athletes in the DC-Metro and Baltimore areas.

AVA is currently hosting a Wednesday program at Tacoma Academy beginning April 13 and a Sunday program at Spencerville Adventist Academy beginning April 17.

Visit <u>basecampteach.com</u> to view current program schedules and to access the online registration portal! To get in contact directly, send an email to <u>basecampteach@gmail.com</u> or call (240) 630-1409.

FINANCIAL REPORT

AS OF MAR 26, 2022 - WEEK 39 OF 52

LOCAL COMBINED BUDGET GIVING

CURRENT DEBT AS OF MAR. 15, 2022 \$2,681,373

Received: \$388,107

Receiving Goal: \$429,155

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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National Domestic Violence Hotline		inioeccosta.org

SERMON NOTES		
	VEV DIDLE TEXTS	
	KEY BIBLE TEXTS FROM TODAY'S MESSAGE:	
	Luke 24:13-35	
	Luke 16:31	
	Matthew 11:1-5	
	Isaiah 35	
	Philippians 4:6 Genesis 3:7	
	Genesis 3.4	
	RECOMMENDED READING FOR A	
	DEEPER LOOK AT TODAY'S TOPIC:	
	Desire of Ages	
	Chapter 83, The Walk to Emmaus	
	by Ellen G. White	



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