



April 2, 2022

WELCOME

Welcome! We're glad you're here! Today, Pastor Chad continues 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, sign up at <u>spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update</u>. 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



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: 7:33 p.m. Next Sabbath: 7:40 p.m.

FIRST SERVICE

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	Heart of Worship	
Children's Lesson		Costin Jordache
Songs of Praise	Shout to the Lord Here I Am To Worship	
Prayer		
Sermon	"The Road to Easter: Tears"	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 <u>spencervillechurch.org/give</u>, or by mail using the address on the back cover.

Praise Team

Vocals: Daniela Cruz, Caleb Salazar Violin: Luke Sadanala Guitar: Matthew Nashed Piano: Jago Prates

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		Mark Willey, organ
†Hymn of Praise, No. 43	When Morning Gilds the Skies Tune: Laudes Domini	
Invocation		Pastor Chad
Anthem	He's Got the Whole World in His Hand Margaret Bonds	ls Jasmin Crossfield Mark Di Pinto, piano
Children's Lesson		Costin Jordache
Prayer		Leah Jordache
Anthem	His Name So Sweet Hall Johnson	Jasmin Crossfield Mark Di Pinto, piano
Sermon	"The Road to Easter: Tears"	Pastor Chad
†Hymn of Response, No. 154	When I Survey the Wondrous Cross Tune: Hamburg	
Benediction		Pastor Chad
**Postlude		Mark Willey, organ

† Indicates congregation is to stand

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

MUSIC NOTES

Singing the anthem for this week's worship service, we welcome Jasmin Crossfield. Jasmin has a Bachelor or Arts in Voice from Bowie State University and now studies towards a Music Therapy degree at Washington Adventist University. She has an active Physical Therapist license and she enjoys utilizing music in combination with healing clinical practices for children and adults with special needs. Jasmin will participate in tonights WAU winners' concert. You may find more details about this performance in the back of your bulletin. Accompanying her is Dr. Mark Di Pinto, piano faculty at WAU and frequent attender of Spencerville Church.

The presented songs are two spirituals, which stem from an anonymous tradition, but each arranged by African American composers: Hall Johnson and Margaret Bonds.

MEMBER TRANSFERS

INCOMING

This is the first reading.

Keri Tomenko from Sligo Adventist Church in Takoma Park, Maryland

OUTGOING

This is the first reading.

Dina Iraheta to Grand Prairie Adventist Church in Grand Prairie, Texas

CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

MASK MANDATE LIFTED

Masks are no longer required 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, where people from all backgrounds can come together in worship while continuing to grow into who Jesus has called them to be, mask or no mask. More information can be found on our website at <u>spencervillechurch.org/mask-update</u>.

CONDOLENCES

With sadness but persevering hope in the soon return of Jesus, we share that Irene Heine, a longtime member of the Spencerville community, passed away early Monday morning, March 28. She was 93. In keeping with Irene's wishes, the service will be a small, private ceremony for the family. Please remember the Sines, Brockett, and Cordero families in prayer as they mourn Irene's loss.

A full tribute is available on the church website at <u>spencervillechurch.org/news</u>.

YOUR GENEROSITY IS APPRECIATED!

The offering for April 2 has been designated for Local Church Budget

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

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 Store or Google Play app on your smart phone enter BoxTop\$ in the search bar. Then visit <u>boxtops4education</u>. <u>com/emailgroceryreceipts</u> for more information. For more information, contact Elizabeth Atterberry at 850-922-5098 or <u>lcatterberry@yahoo.com</u>.

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 <u>lcatterberry@yahoo.com</u>.

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.

"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 signin 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).

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

SECOND QUARTER LESSON 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.

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 <u>prayerline@</u> <u>spencervillechurch.org</u>.

SAA RACE AND FUN RUN IS TOMORROW!

Tomorrow the Sixth Annual Spencerville Adventist Academy 5K Cross Countrystyle race and Fun Run will take place rain or shine. Races start at 9:00 a.m. Register: <u>spencervillechurch.org/saa-5k</u>.

PRAYER NEWSLETTER



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

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.

COMING SOON, MIXED BAGS FUNDRAISER!

You loved our MIXED BAG/Boon Supply bags and household items so much, Spencerville Academy's Home & School brought them back just for you! The opportunity to get these items and support SAA usually only comes around every other year. Environmentally conscious, beautiful, and delivered to your home in time for Mother's Day, shop online for Spring and Summer holidays. It's a chance you don't want to miss! Fun prizes are awarded to student sellers so support your favorite student.

Watch this space for more details next week. Contact Lisa Burrow with questions at <u>mommyapply@icloud.com</u> or send a text message to 301-346-9641.

TOWN HALL MEETING

A Chesapeake Conference Town Hall Meeting is scheduled for our region on **April 16** at the Atholton Adventist Church, located at 6520 Martin Road in Columbia, staring at7:15 pm. 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. 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.

WASHINGTON ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY INAUGURAL MUSIC COMPETITION

The Washington Adventist University Department of Music presents its Inaugural Music Competition! The Winners' Recital will take place to **this evening 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!

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 <u>adra.org.</u>

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 <u>standrewuoc.org.</u>

A 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. Onehour 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 <u>listenercare@wgts919.com.</u>



CALENDAR

APRIL

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

MAY

- 1 Spring Work Bee // 8:00 a.m.
- 6 Youth Vespers // 6:30 p.m.

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

Desire of Ages Chapter 63, The King Cometh by Ellen G. White

Jesus' Tears of Sovereign Mercy

An Article by John Piper <u>desiringgod.org/messages/palm-</u> <u>sunday-tears-of-sovereign-mercy</u>

CHURCH BUSINESS

NOMINATING COMMITTEE NOMINATIONS

This is the second 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.

Donna Arnold Jerry Arthur Sophie Arthur Debbie Bahr Kari Banks Jen Blondo Tissiana Bowerman Lisa Burrow Murray Carson li Chang Karen Couto Cindy Di Pinto Karin Dortch Lauren Esveld Shirley Evans Tom Evans lov Faehner Marietta Fowler Rob Fuller Ketty Bayona Gallagher Raquel Garcia-Marenko Doreen Hardware Lauron Henkel Tom Henkel Denisse Hernandez Nathan Hess David Howell

Kelly Howell Kenrie Hylton Brandon Injety Shannon Injety Diane Jacobson Costin Iordache Leah Jordache Stephanie Juneau Becky Koeppen Lisa Krueger Rachel Kuczma Tim Lale Jarrod Lutz Brad Martin Tabita Martinez Charlotte McClure Phyllis McElmurry Ruben Melendez Salma Moretta Geri Mueller Ellen Musselman Evelyn Oliveira Merle Poirier Melissa Reinhardt Catherine Robinson Sean Robinson German Rodriguez

Caleb Salazar Nikolaus Satelmajer Elsy Burnett Schmitt Chervl Show Charles Shyab Tim Soper Galina Stele Edwin Tenali Kim Terry Keri Tomenko Cheryl Toscano Judy Vandeman Jonathan Walter Rikki Welch Heidi Wetmore Tom Wetmore Greg Whitsett Brody Wiedemann Fiona Wilcox Bill Young Samantha Young Christy Zinke

FINANCIAL REPORT

LOCAL COMBINED BUDGET GIVING

Received: \$373,782

Receiving Goal: \$411,489

2021-22 Church Budget: \$544,000

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

ONLINE GIVING



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

STAFF DIRECTORY/ CONTACT INFO

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Member Care Line	ext. 101	membercare@spencervillechurch.org
Spencerville Academy		info@spencerville.org
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National Domestic Violence Hotline		0



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