



May 21, 2022

WELCOME

Whether you're a member, a regular attendee, or a first-time guest, we're grateful to have an opportunity to worship with you this morning. Today, we are blessed to welcome Elder Anthony Kent to the pulpit to share a message titled, "I Will Go." As a reminder, 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 <u>spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update</u>.

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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 Welcome Desk or place it in the offering box, both of which are located in the foyer.

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: 8:20 p.m. **Next Sabbath:** 8:26 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	Great Is Thy Faithfulness	
Children's Lesson		Sasha Ram
Songs of Praise	Blessed Assurance His Mercy Is More	
Prayer		
Sermon	"I Will Go"	Anthony Kent
Song of Response	He Will Hold Me Fast	
Benediction		Anthony Kent

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: Elsa Balint, Karen Miranda, Jonathan Walter Strings: Deric Tomenko, Keri Tomenko, Nikolai Tomenko, Elise Welch Piano: Michael Patterson

SECOND 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
Prelude		Mark Willey, organ
Call to Worship	Psalms 52: 8-9	Debora Kent
†Hymn of Praise, No. 223	Crown Him With Many Crowns Tune: Diademata	
Invocation		Pastor Chad
Children's Lesson		Sasha Ram
Prayer		Scott Kuczma
Dedication		Pastor Chad
Anthem	The Lord's Prayer Albert Hay Malotte	Elsa Balint, voice Samuel Miranda, piano
Sermon	"I Will Go"	Anthony Kent
†Hymn of Response, No. 537	He Leadeth Me	
Benediction		Anthony Kent
**Postlude	"The Aeolian Harp", Etude No. 1, Op Frédéric Chopin	. 25 Samuel Miranda

† Indicates congregation is to please stand

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

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MEMBER TRANSFERS

INCOMING

This is the second reading.

William and Vivien Piersanti from Calgary Central Adventist Church in Alberta, Canada

OUTGOING

This is the second reading.

Konnor Hilton to New Hope Adventist Church in Fulton, Maryland

This is the first reading.

Kenneth and Patricia Denslow to Pioneer Memorial Church in Berrien Springs, Michigan

Brad and Kandus Thorp to Oliver Adventist Church in Oliver, British Columbia

MEET OUR NEW MEMBERS

William and Vivien Piersanti are the parents of our own Pastor Matthew. William was a civil engineer, however, he spent most of his career building homes and schools. Vivien was a nurse, but chose to be a stay-at-home mom to her four children. Both are now retired.

CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

CHANGE OF TIME FOR SECOND SERVICE

Please make note that **beginning Sabbath**, **June 4**, our Second Service worship will move back to **11:15 a.m.**

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 <u>spencervillechurch.org/give</u>.

CHURCH COMBINED BUDGET

There are only 5 weeks remaining in the current 2021-2022 fiscal year. A financial report is available on page 10.

CHILDREN'S SABBATH SCHOOL PROMOTIONS

The Children's Ministries department holds its annual Sabbath School Promotion program today. If your child reached the age when they will advance to the next Sabbath School level they were given a Certificate of Promotion. Those children who have aged out of their current Sabbath School Class, and were issued a certificate, will report to their new Sabbath School classroom next Sabbath, May 28. If you have questions, please contact Lisa Krueger, interim Children's Ministries Coordinator, at <u>lmkrueger@gmail.com.</u>

COLLEGIATE SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS

Calling all undergrad or graduate students! We have a class created with you in mind. Our Collegiate class meets at 10:30 a.m. in section D of the Fellowship Hall (next to the kitchen).

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

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.

CONNECT GROUPS

Though many of our Connect Groups take a summer hiatus, there are several groups

who are planning to continue gathering this summer. Three brand new groups—The Camping Tribe, The Singles Gathering, and Thoughts from the Mount of Blessings (Women's Group)—are actually launching during the summer months. Check out the Connect Group page on our website (<u>spencervillechurch.org/connect-groups</u>) for more information.

Have questions? Contact Nancy Cabrera, our Connect Group Coordinator, at <u>connectgroups@spencervillechurch.org</u>.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS ALMOST HERE!

Registration for our 2022 Vacation Bible School will open next week **Wednesday, May 25!** Vacation Bible School will be held July 7-9, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. and is for children age 0 to those entering grade 5. Toddler activities will be provided for the little ones ages 0-4. We are planning a great weekend of music, games, crafts, Bible stories, and most importantly sharing God's love with all. We look forward to having you join us!

PARENTS, REGISTER YOUR KIDS FOR OUR SUMMER BASEBALL LEAGUE!

Do your kids enjoy baseball? If so, we have a fantastic summer league. **Registration ends tomorrow, May 22.** Spencerville Adventist Baseball League (SABL) is well supported by Spencerville members, but the league also extends an invitation to the local churches and community as well. Our goal is to promote a Christian environment that is fun and enjoyable, and nurtures a child's desire to learn the game of baseball. The SABL philosophy is to teach children the game while promoting teamwork and sportsmanship.

We also strongly encourage the children's parents to become involved with their child's team to enhance their experience. For additional information, or to register your child(ren) send an email to <u>sabl@spencervillechurch.org</u> or visit <u>spencervillechurch.org/SABL</u>.

ATTENTION CHESAPEAKE CONFERENCE CONSTITUENCY DELEGATES!

Remember the ZOOM meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. tomorrow morning. If you've been selected as a delegate, you're invited to visit <u>ccosda.org/delegates</u> to download the materials in order to have the information needed prior to joining the meeting.

WAU VOICE RECITAL

This Sunday, May 22 at 7:00 p.m., WAU voice major Fernanda Rinza will perform her degree junior recital. The recital will take place here in the sanctuary of Spencerville Church. Join Fernanda for a night that spans a widespread of classical music from Renaissance to today's modern

contemporary. She will be joined at the piano by Dr. Daniel Lau. Admission is free and all are invited!

WASHINGTON ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY'S "SPRING INTO HEALTH" SERIES PRESENTS: SECRETS OF BRAIN HEALTH

Learn well-documented strategies for managing stress. Uncover what occurs in the brain during sleep or find out how important dietary nutrients promote neuronal health. Discover how trust and love are emotions overlooked in brain health promotion. The featured Guests are Rhonda Gottfried, MD, Psychiatrist and Sam Peres, PhD, Physiologist & Neuroimmunologist. Join the Zoom Meeting on Thursday, May 26 6:30 p.m. Meeting: <u>wau-edu.zoom.us/j/96529371769</u>

LOVE FOR A LIFETIME

Presented by the North American Division and the Chesapeake Conference Family Ministries Departments. Love for a Lifetime is back after a long pandemic break. Guest speakers, Shaunti and Jeff Feldhahn are authors, and nationally renowned social researchers sharing wholesome advice to help couples improve their marriages. Their eye-opening findings have been featured on "The Today Show" and in the New York

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.

CALENDAR

MAY

- 21 Pathfinders Meeting: Investiture // 3:30 p.m.
- 22 Chesapeake Conf. Constituent Mtg // 9:30 a.m.
- 24 Keep in Stitches // 10:00 a.m.
- 24 Prayer Meeting via Zoom // 7:00 p.m.
- 26 SAA 8th Grade Graduation // 7:00 p.m.
- 29 SAA Senior Graduation // 10:00 a.m.
- 30 Church Office Closed for Memorial Day

Times. The presentation will be held on September 17 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., at the Double Tree by Hilton Hotel in Columbia. Advance registration required. Early Birds: \$110 until August 4. Regular rate: \$125. Includes lunch and a book. Learn more today, visit: <u>chesapeakeconferencesda</u>. <u>regfox.com/marriage-convention</u>.

SERMON NOTES

FINANCIAL REPORT

AS OF APR 30, 2022 - WEEK 44 OF 52

LOCAL COMBINED BUDGET GIVING

Received: \$427,318

Receiving Goal: \$473,320

2021-22 Church Budget: \$544,000

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

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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