



**August 20, 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! If you'd like to receive the two weekly emails published by Spencerville Church, the *Weekly Update* for church news, and the *Worship Update* for all things related to the weekly worship services, sign up at [spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update](http://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 Seventh-day 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: 7:56 p.m.

Next Sabbath: 7:46 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 Lord I Need You

Children's Story

Joseph Warren

Songs of Praise Great Are You Lord  
Who You Say I Am

Prayer

Sermon "Disoriented Doctrine"

Pastor Chad

Song of Response Be Thou My Vision

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](http://spencervillechurch.org/give), or by mail using the address on the back cover.

## Praise Team

**Vocals:** Jennifer Lalaki, Daniela Cruz

**Guitar:** Isaac Tyman

**Violin:** Emilie Flores

**Piano:** Samuel Miranda

# SECOND SERVICE

11:15 A.M.

*Please assist us in maintaining a reverent spirit of worship by muting your electronic devices.  
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Welcome		Pastor Chad Stuart
Prelude	Largo in G Major <i>George Frederick Handel</i>	Jason West, organ
Call to Worship		Tia Dukes
	<i>In you, O LORD, have I taken refuge; let me never be put to shame; deliver me in your righteousness. Incline your ear to me; make haste to deliver me. Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe, for you are my crag and my stronghold; for the sake of your Name, lead me and guide me. Into your hands, I commend my spirit, for you have redeemed me, O Lord, O God of truth.</i>	
†Hymn of Praise, No. 316	Live Out Thy Life Within Me TUNE: AURELIA	
Invocation		Pastor Chad
Teacher's Dedication		Pastor Chad
Anthem	If With All Your Hearts <i>from Elijah</i>	Aaron Tucker, hymn cantor Jason West, organ
Children's Lesson		Pastor Lerone Carson
Prayer		Nisha Abraham
Anthem	There's a Wideness in God's Mercy <i>Calvin Hampton</i>	Aaron Tucker, voice Jason West, organ

† Indicates congregation is to please stand

Sermon “Disoriented Doctrine”

Pastor Chad

†Hymn of Response, No. 315 O for a Closer Walk!  
TUNE: MANOAH

Benediction

Pastor Chad

\*\*Postlude Le Réjouissance  
from *Music From The Royal Fireworks*

Jason West, organ

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

## MUSIC NOTES

Today, we’re pleased to welcome Aaron Tucker and Jason West to the platform. Aaron, no stranger to Spencerville Church, is a renowned tenor in the DMV area. He has a long history of singing for Spencerville worship along with his regular participation in the sanctuary choir.

Jason West is a local organist and composer who has written and arranged a plethora of choral, instrumental, and organ works. Jason has played for our worship services several times, and we are grateful for his presence today while Michael Patterson and Mark Willey are traveling.

The anthems selected for this service contain a common thread— seeking God’s love and mercy. Matthew 23:23 mentions the “most important matters of the law [are] justice, mercy and faithfulness.” In *Elijah* (the oratorio composed by Felix Mendelssohn), the character Obadiah sings: “If with all your heart ye truly seek Me, Ye shall ever surely find Me, Thus saith our God” (Deuteronomy 4:29). When seeking out God’s character, we find the trait of mercy, aptly described in the text of today’s anthem, “There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy,” written by William Faber in 1854. Dr. Michael Hawn from the Perkins School of Theology states, “The theme of this hymn is based on the premise that a sovereign God, unlike earthly rulers, demonstrates welcome, kindness, grace and mercy. All we need to do is have a simple faith that ‘rest[s] upon God’s word.’” The text reads:

*There’s a wideness in God’s mercy,  
like the wideness of the sea.*

*There’s a kindness in God’s justice,  
which is more than liberty.*

*There is welcome for the sinner,  
and more graces for the good.*

*There is mercy with the Savior,  
there is healing in his blood.*

*For the love of God is broader  
than the measures of the mind,  
and the heart of the Eternal  
is most wonderfully kind.*

# CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

## CONDOLENCES

We are sad to share the news that former Spencerville member, William (Paul) Thompson (86) died unexpectedly on August 12. Paul and his wife, Arlene, were members of the Spencerville Church family from 1962 through 1979, when they moved to Virginia. They were instrumental in the building of the current church building, with Arlene serving as the building committee chair. Paul's son, David and his wife, Beth, along with children Blair and Kelcie are members of Spencerville Church. A funeral service is planned for Sunday, August 21 at 11:00 a.m. at the New Market Adventist Church in Virginia.

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFULNESS

*The offering for August 20 has been designated for Local Church Budget*

Thank you for your continued support of the ministries of Spencerville Church. Your tithe and offerings may be remitted online through Adventist Giving at [spencervillechurch.org/give](http://spencervillechurch.org/give).

## CURRENT ADDRESS FOR GASPAR COLÓN

If you would like to send a card or a note of condolence to Pastor Gaspar following the death of his wife, May-Ellen, his current address is: 44-139 Bayview Haven Place Kenahoe, Hawaii, 96744-2502.

## TOMORROW: ICE CREAM SOCIAL!

Join us for an Old-Fashioned Ice Cream Social, held at the church tomorrow, August 21 from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Bring your lawn chairs, and games, along with your friends and family, neighbors and co-workers! Rekindle your old friendships and make some new ones. We will have FREE ice cream with toppings, root beer floats, watermelon, and more! It's not too late to RSVP [spencervillechurch.org/IceCreamSocial](http://spencervillechurch.org/IceCreamSocial). We'll see you there!

## YOUTH AND HIGH SCHOOL VESPERS

Calling all High School students! You are invited to vespers from 6:30 - 8:30pm on *Friday, September 2*. Come enjoy food, worship, and a fun relaxing way to enter the Sabbath together.

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# CALENDAR

## AUGUST

- 21 Old-Fashioned Ice Cream Social // 2 p.m.
- 22 Church Board Meeting // 7:00 p.m.
- 23 Keep in Stitches // 10:00 a.m.
- 23 Prayer Meeting via Zoom // 7:00 p.m.
- 23 Youth/High-School Vespers // 6:30 p.m.

# FINANCIAL REPORT

AS OF JULY 23, 2022 - WEEK 4 OF 52

## COMBINED BUDGET GIVING

Received: \$47,681

Receiving Goal: \$39,164

2022-23 Church Budget: \$575,000

CURRENT DEBT AS OF AUG 15, 2022 \$2,647,058

## ONLINE GIVING



Visit the church website at [spencervillechurch.org/give](https://spencervillechurch.org/give) or scan the QR code with your mobile device to make a donation. Thank you for your generosity!

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