



**February 18, 2023**

# WELCOME

We're thankful to have you with us this morning as we worship together. Whether you're sitting in our Sanctuary or worshipping with us online, know that we consider you part of our community! We wish you a Sabbath filled with blessings. 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

## CONNECT WITH US



@spencervillesda

## 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:** 5:48 p.m.

**Next Sabbath:** 5:56 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	How Great Thou Art	
Children's Lesson		Dr. Dick Stenbakken
Songs of Praise	10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord) Softly And Tenderly	
Prayer		
Sermon	Series: Lessons from Jonah's Gourd (Part 1) Message: "Loyal Citizen, Disloyal Follower"	Pastor Chad
Song of Response	I Surrender All (All I Am)	
Benediction		Pastor Chad

*The offering this Sabbath has been designated for Local Church Budget*

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## **Praise Team**

**Vocals:** Aiden Zinke, Christy Zinke, Sofya Puyul

**Guitars:** Elliot Welch, Rikki Welch

**Strings:** Deric Tomenko, Keri Tomenko

**Piano:** German Rodriguez

# 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	I am a Poor Wayfarin' Stranger <i>arr. by Joel Raney</i>	Nicole Chewast, piano
Introit	The Music of Living <i>Dan Forrest</i>	Forest Lake Academy Choir Helen Woldemichael, director
†Hymn of Praise, No. 619	Lead On, O King Eternal <i>TUNE: LANCASHIRE</i>	
Invocation		Pastor Chad
Special Music	A City Called Heaven <i>arr. Josephine Poelinitz</i>	Forest Lake Academy Choir Helen Woldemichael, director Kale'A Robinson, soloist
Children's Lesson		Dr. Dick Stenbakken
Call to Prayer	Agnus Dei <i>Ron Kean</i>	Forest Lake Academy Choir Helen Woldemichael, director Christopher Smart, piano
Prayer		Doreen Hardware
Anthem	How Great Thou Art <i>Dan Forrest</i>	Forest Lake Academy Choir Helen Woldemichael, director
Sermon	Series: Lessons from Jonah's Gourd (Part 1) Message: "Loyal Citizen, Disloyal Follower"	Pastor Chad

† Indicates congregation is to please stand

†Hymn of Response, No. 229      All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

*TUNE: CORONATION*

Benediction

Pastor Chad

\*\*Postlude      Great is Thy Faithfulness

Nicole Chewast, piano

*arr. by Joel Raney*

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

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## WORSHIP NOTES

This morning for worship we welcome the Forest Lake Academy Choir, directed by Helen Woldemichael. The choir is on an East Coast tour from their home in Florida. We are thrilled to welcome them to Spencerville Church to sing for worship.

# MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS

*This is the second reading.*

## **INCOMING**

**Charles Brown** from Beltsville Adventist Church in Beltsville, Maryland

**Valeri & Svitlana Caron** from Triadelphia Adventist Church in Clarksville, Maryland

## **OUTGOING**

**Lucas Francisco Hernandez** to Silver Spring Spanish Adventist Church in Silver Spring, Maryland

**Jim & Mindi Nix** to Abundant Life Adventist Church in Wenatchee, Washington

*This is the first reading.*

## **OUTGOING**

**Darryl & Darlene Thompson** to Tridelphia Adventist Church in Clarksville, Maryland

## **MEET OUR NEW MEMBERS**

*Charles (Chuck) Brown* is a pipe filler by trade. His wife, Amy is a nurse at the University of Maryland hospital in Baltimore. Their children, Chase and Alyson are in the seventh grade and attend the Beltsville Adventist School. This past summer the family participated in SABL (Spencerville Adventist Baseball League) and enjoyed the experience and meeting new people.

*Valeri Caron* is originally from Kazakstan. He currently works as a business consultant. His wife, *Svitlana*, originally from Ukraine came to the United States on a work/study program and has a teaching background in English and foreign studies. The couple has two daughters, Emily and Yelena.

# CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

## OFFERING FOR FEBRUARY 18

*Today's offering is designated for  
Local Church Budget.*

Your prayerful support of the ministries and church campus needs of the Spencerville Church is appreciated.

You are invited to try an early-access version of the new AdventistGiving website! It can be found at [beta.adventistgiving.org](https://beta.adventistgiving.org). You can sign in with your existing AdventistGiving credentials and use it to return your tithe and give your offerings as usual. The AdventistGiving team would love to hear your feedback before they release the new site sometime in March. You can reach them with your comments and suggestions by sending an email to [Help@AdventistGiving.org](mailto:Help@AdventistGiving.org)

## EVENSONG CONCERT SERIES

Join us **this afternoon at 4 o'clock** as select players from the Mount Vernon Virtuoso, along with special guests, flutist Marina Piccinini and violinist Nikita Borisevich, share the chamber music of Mozart and Kodály. This concert is free and all are welcome.

## BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVES VIDEO SERIES

Our weekly “Biblical Perspectives” video series was created to add an additional blessing to your personal study. Our topics follow the lesson quarterly. Hosted by Pastor Chad and theologian, Dr. Frank Hasel, these videos explore key Biblical themes through a practical and conversational approach. Find the first six episodes of the series on the church’s YouTube channel at [spencervillechurch.org/bpvideo](https://spencervillechurch.org/bpvideo).

## FIND CONNECTION IN A CONNECT GROUP



View a list of open Connect Groups and sign up. Use the QR code to sign up, or visit: [spencervillechurch.org/connectgroups](https://spencervillechurch.org/connectgroups).

## YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!

Spencerville Church is a participating member of C-4 (Colesville Council of Community Congregations). February is one of the two months per year for us to recruit the volunteers who are needed on **Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.** The volunteers are needed to sort clothing and assist clients.

C-4 is an interfaith affiliation of church congregations in the Colesville area that maintains a clothes closet and baby closet of used items where residents in need can shop for clothing. C-4 is located in the old Colesville Elementary School just south of the ICC (200) at 14015 New Hampshire Avenue in Silver Spring. If you have questions or would like to volunteer, send an email to our Community Services team [community@spencervillechurch.org](mailto:community@spencervillechurch.org). Our next month to serve at C-4 is August.

## **SPENCERVILLE PRAYER MEETINGS**

Spencerville Church now has two options for prayer meeting.

### *In-person Prayer Meeting:*

After transitioning to an online only weekly meeting due to COVID-19, we are once again holding an in-person weekly Prayer Meeting each Wednesday evening for 1 hour from 6:30-7:30 p.m. The meetings are held in the Sanctuary, and everyone is invited and encouraged to attend. We are looking for volunteer pianists who are willing to accompany the group singing for 2 or 3 hymns. If you play, and are interested, contact Pastor Crystal Ward at [cward@spencervillechurch.org](mailto:cward@spencervillechurch.org).

### *Virtual Prayer Meeting:*

The online Prayer Meeting will continue to meet on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom, as they have been for the past 2+

years. If a virtual meeting works better for you, you are invited to attend. Here is the information needed to join these meetings. On the web, visit [spencervillechurch.org/zoom/prayermeeting](https://spencervillechurch.org/zoom/prayermeeting). When prompted, enter the password “prayer”.

## **DO YOU HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?**

Call the Spencerville Prayer line at 301.384.2920, ext. 140. Leave a message with your prayer request 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 also send an email to the prayer team at [prayerline@spencervillechurch.org](mailto:prayerline@spencervillechurch.org).

## **SPENCERVILLE ACADEMY ENROLLMENT INFORMATION FOR NEW FAMILIES**

Applications for the 2023-24 school year are now being accepted. Space is limited so do not delay submitting your application.

## **SPENCERVILLE ACADEMY STEM EXPO**

“Build a Better World” is the theme of the STEM EXPO which will be held at the Academy on **Sunday, March 5 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** Sam Neves, STEM Professional, is the Keynote speaker. There will be Hands on STEM stations, and Mr. Boyd’s Science Guys of Baltimore will present a STEM show at the end of the Expo. This is a free family event.



# SERMON NOTES

## PRAYER NEWSLETTER



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

## CALENDAR

### FEBRUARY

- 18 Evensong Concert featuring Mount Vernon Virtuosi - 4:00 p.m.
- 19 Pathfinder Meeting - 9:00 a.m.
- 20 Church Office Closed for President’s Day
- 21 Keep in Stitches - 10:00 a.m.
- 21 Virtual Prayer Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
- 22 In-person Prayer Meeting - 6:30 p.m.
- 25 Church Potluck after Second Service

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# FINANCIAL REPORT

**COMBINED BUDGET GIVING AS OF  
JANUARY 28, 2023 - WEEK 31 OF 52**

**CURRENT DEBT AS OF FEB 15, 2023 \$2,605,222**

Received: \$362,966

Receiving Goal: \$374,478

2022-23 Church Budget: \$580,000

## ONLINE GIVING



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

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