



July 1, 2023

WELCOME

Whether you are a member or a guest, watching online or sitting in our Sanctuary, we are happy that you have chosen to join us for worship this morning. We consider you a part of our church family and are excited to spend this special time with you. We would enjoy hearing from you via the Connection Card in your bulletin, or contacting us via our website. We wish you a Sabbath filled with blessings. Again, welcome, we are glad you are here.

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INTERNET ACCESS

In order to facilitate participation in our services, complimentary internet access is available for those with WiFi equipped devices. You may connect using the information below:

Network: SpencervilleChurchGuest

CONNECT WITH US



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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: 8:38 p.m.

Next Sabbath: 8:36 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	Here I Am To Worship	
Children's Lesson		Manuela Coppock
Songs of Praise	Who You Say I Am Death Was Arrested	
Prayer		
Sermon	Series: Summer Health Message: "Body Over Mind"	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: Anjali Christian, Caleb Salazar

Violin: Matthew Nashed

Guitar: Ethan Wu

Piano: Andre Canubas

SECOND SERVICE

11:30 A.M.

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Welcome		Pastor Chad Stuart
Prelude	Adagio (Partita on St Anne) <i>Paul Manz</i>	Mark Willey, organ
†Call to Worship		Christian Coppock
	<i>Leader: We come humbly before the throne, turning from our own wisdom to know the will of God who made us.</i>	
	All: We seek healing and refreshment for our souls, and for our bodies.	
	<i>Leader: There is no wealth greater than the health of our bodies, and no joy surpasses the gladness of our hearts.</i>	
	All: We are temples of the Holy Spirit, not our own, but purchased at a high price. Therefore, let us honor and glorify God with our bodies.	
†Hymn of Praise, No. 103	O God, Our Help <i>TUNE: ST. ANNE</i>	
Invocation		Pastor Chad
Children's Lesson		Manuela Coppock
Call to Prayer	He Looked Beyond My Fault <i>Dottie Rambo</i>	Denique Isaac
Prayer		Scot Coppock
Anthem	O, Divine Redeemer! <i>Charles Gounod</i>	Denique Isaac, soprano

† Indicates congregation is to please stand

Sermon Series: Summer Health
Message: “Body Over Mind”

Pastor Chad

†Hymn of Response, No. 554 O Let Me Walk With Thee
TUNE: MORTON

Benediction

Pastor Chad

**Postlude Fugue-Finale (Partita on St Anne)
Paul Manz

Mark Willey, organ

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

MUSIC NOTES

Denique Isaac is our vocal soloist this morning. A native of Baltimore, Maryland, Denique attended Washington Adventist University, and then Indiana University for her Masters degree. She has been engaged in a variety of roles on the stage and oratorio.

The anthem “O, *divine Redeemer!*” is one of the great standards of the sacred song repertoire. Written in 1872, Gounod’s skills as a musical dramatist are on full display. The original French text is by Pauline Viardot. It expresses the profound essence of redemption and devotion, traits which are beautifully amplified by Gounod’s musical setting. We hear and can relate to the spiritual journey of the music, from the pleading, introspective introduction, through expressive and passionate dynamic contrasts.

Another great standard of hymnody is the opening hymn “O *God Our Help in Ages Past,*” set to the tune “St Anne.” It is a hymn that stands as a timeless testament to the enduring power of faith. Written by Isaac Watts in the early 18th century, the hymn’s robust and solemn melody composed by William Croft adds gravity to the profound lyrics, both contemplative and majestic. The text and tune invite us to find solace and strength in the steadfastness of God, echoing through the ages as a source of hope and reassurance.

CHURCH BUSINESS

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS

This is the second reading.

INCOMING

James and Channon DeBerry from Beltsville Adventist Church in Beltsville, Maryland

OUTGOING

Anita Moses Frederick Adventist Church in Frederick, Maryland

This is the first reading.

INCOMING

Hans and Debra Olson from Azure Hills Adventist Church in Grand Terrace, California

Audrey Andersson from Orebro Adventist Church (702 25 Orebro, Sweden)

MEET OUR NEW MEMBERS

James works in the AV space, and Channon is an RN; however, she is currently working in a non-clinical capacity. The couple has two daughters, Charlotte, ten, and Magnolia, better known as Maggie, is five. James and Channon enjoy homeschooling the girls.

CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

OFFERING FOR JULY 1

Today's offering is for Local Church Budget

Your prayerful support of the Church Operating Budget, which funds the ministries, utilities, and maintenance of our church, is appreciated.

Our online giving page is available 24/7 to receive your faithful contributions are at spencervillechurch.org/give.

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

The church office will be closed on **Tuesday, July 4** in observance of Independence Day.

KEEP IN STITCHES

Due to the Independence Day holiday, the next Keep in Stitches gathering at the church will take place on **July 11**.

NEW RUSSIAN LANGUAGE SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS

A Russian Language Sabbath School class starts today in the South Porch B middle room at 10:15 a.m.

SAVE THE DATE

You won't want to miss our annual church picnic and ice cream social on **Sunday, August 6 from 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.** More details to come but mark your calendars.

FIND COMMUNITY IN A CONNECT GROUP



View a list of open Connect Groups and sign up using the QR code below, or visit: spencervillechurch.org/connectgroups.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES HOSTING SITUATIONAL AWARENESS SEMINAR

Ladies! Women's Ministries invites you to join them at the church on **July 9, from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.** for an empowering and essential class on personal safety. This situational awareness and assertiveness training is designed to benefit women of all ages, offering valuable skills that can be applied in various settings.

In this comprehensive afternoon class, you'll learn how to navigate your surroundings and avoid potential altercations confidently—no weapons required! Don't miss this opportunity to enhance your personal safety and develop crucial skills to protect yourself and your loved ones. Registration is open at spencervillechurch.org/wmsafety



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL RECAP

Vacation Bible School was a remarkable experience with over 120 kids in attendance. Together, we delved into our faith, learning about following Jesus and growing in our spiritual journey. The week was filled with joy as children engaged in exciting activities, inspiring worship, and interactive Bible lessons. A heartfelt thank you to the 90 volunteers who created a nurturing environment for our children, and who faithfully shared and showed Jesus' love to the children during VBS. A special thank you to Tracy Belliveau, who recruited and coordinated our volunteers, and to our family and station leaders who worked with our children daily.

SUMMER YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Attention all high school students in grades 9-12, we've got some exciting events planned during the summer months. It's the perfect opportunity to connect, have fun, and create lasting friendships. To learn more details about these events and secure your spot, please reach out to Pastor Matthew Piersanti, mpiersanti@spencervillechurch.org.

SANCTUARY SUMMER CHOIR

The next two Choir Sabbaths are **July 22** and **August 19**. These summer Sabbaths are the perfect opportunity for you to try out the choral experience. Plan to attend the rehearsals on July 22 and August 19

from 9:00-10:00 a.m. in the choir room. For questions, email Mark Willey at mwilley@spencervillechurch.org.

SPENCERVILLE PRAYER MEETINGS

Due to the Independence Day Holiday there will be **No Virtual Prayer Meeting this coming Tuesday, July 4.**

Our Sanctuary Prayer meeting, however will meet **Wednesday, July 5 at 6:30 p.m.**

NEW SERIES...EPISODE ONE OF SEASON THREE OF OUR BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVES

The first episode of season three of our Biblical Perspectives series has been posted and is now available on YouTube. Hosted by Pastor Chad and theologian, Dr. Frank Hasel, this season's videos explore the book of Ephesians. We invite you to watch the videos on our YouTube channel at [spencervillechurch.org/bpvideo](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCspencervillechurch.org/bpvideo). After doing so, be sure to leave a comment letting us know your thoughts!

SPENCERVILLE ADVENTIST ACADEMY MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

SAA needs two to three teacher's aides in the elementary grades for the coming 2023-2024 year. What a fantastic opportunity to have an influence on a young person's life and be a godsend help to a teacher. For more information about becoming a teacher's aide please contact Mr. Bragaw: pbragaw@spencerville.org. And for details

on wages and applying for the position please contact Brittany Thorp: bthorp@spencerville.org

2023 ANNUAL WOMEN'S RETREAT

The theme for this year's Chesapeake Conference Women's Retreat is "In His Presence". It will be held in Pocono Manor, Pennsylvania from **October 27-29**. Visit ccosda.org/wmretreat for additional information and to register.

BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLIES PROJECT

Beginning today and continuing through **August 5**, Spencerville Church is asking for your help with back-to-school supplies to support students in need within our community. This project will benefit students from Green Castle Elementary, Emmanuel Brinklow Church, and Connection Community Church in Laurel. Our goal is to assist more than 300 students with school supplies; hence we need your generous support of this project! A list of preferred supplies can be found on the website, in the Weekly Update email newsletter, or at the welcome desk. You may bring your donations to church through August 5. Look for the cart in the foyer where you can place your items. Monetary contributions can also be made through the tithe envelope by marking a blank line "Back-to-School Supplies." Questions about this campaign may be directed to our Community Services ministry at communityservices@spencervillechurch.org.

DO YOU HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

Our Prayer Ministry team would be happy to pray for you. Leave a message with your prayer request or praise report on the Spencerville Prayer line at 301.384.2920, ext. 140. Leave your number if you would like someone to return your call. Alternatively, you can also send an email to the prayer team at prayerline@spencervillechurch.org.

STAY UP-TO-DATE

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.

PRAYER NEWSLETTER



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

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FINANCIAL REPORT

**COMBINED BUDGET GIVING AS OF
JUNE 10, 2023 – WEEK 50 OF 52**

Received: \$567,852

Receiving Goal: \$560,431

2022-23 Church Budget: \$580,000

CURRENT DEBT AS OF JUN 15, 2023 \$2,576,077

ONLINE GIVING



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

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