



**JUNE 8, 2024**

# WELCOME

We're glad to have you with us as we worship this morning. Please take a moment and fill out the Connection Card in your bulletin, or contact us through our website at [spencervillechurch.org/contact](http://spencervillechurch.org/contact). Let us know how we can serve you, pray for you, and if you'd like to get involved in ministry here at Spencerville Church. We pray that your Sabbath is filled with many blessings. Thank you for worshipping with us!

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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

   @spencervillesda

## NEED TO KNOW

### INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER?

If you'd like to transfer your church membership or be baptized into membership at the Spencerville Seventh-day Adventist Church, please let us know by submitting 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: 8:33 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	Mighty to Save	
Children's Lesson		Ed Koch
Songs of Praise	My Worth is Not in What I Own More Like Jesus	
Prayer		
Sermon	"A Big, Fat, Fluffy Brain" Part One	Pastor Chad
Song of Response	Build My Life	
Benediction		Pastor Chad

*The offering this Sabbath has been designated for  
Women's Ministries - North American Division*

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:** Karen Miranda, Jonathan Walters

**Guitar:** Ethan Wu

**Cello:** Elise Welch

**Piano:** Ariel Lorenzo

# SECOND SERVICE

11:30 A.M.

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Welcome		Pastor Erwin Nanasi
Prelude		Asriel Davis, organ
Baptism	Eliezer & Diane Vidal	Pastor Chad Stuart
†Call to Worship	Isaiah 26:3-4 and 7-8	Leanne Miller
	<b>Leader:</b> <i>You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in You.</i>	
	<b>All:</b> <i>Trust in the Lord forever, for the Lord, the Lord Himself is the Rock eternal.</i>	
	<b>Leader:</b> <i>The path of the righteous is level; You, the Upright One, make the way of the righteous smooth.</i>	
	<b>All:</b> <i>Yes, Lord, walking in the way of Your laws, we wait for You; Your name and renown are the desire of our hearts. Let us worship our Lord!</i>	
†Hymn of Praise, No. 198	And Can It Be? TUNE: SAGINA	Congregation
Invocation		Pastor Chad
Children's Lesson		Ed Koch
Call to Prayer	As We Come to You in Prayer	Congregation

† Indicates congregation is to please stand

Prayer		Nicholas Miller
Anthem	How Great Thou Art <i>Dan Forrest</i>	Sanctuary Choir Asriel Davis, piano
Sermon	“A Big, Fat, Fluffy Brain” Part One	Pastor Chad
†Hymn of Response, No. 316	Live Out Thy Life Within Me <i>TUNE: AURELIA</i>	Congregation
Benediction		Pastor Chad
Postlude	Bilder aus Osten, Op. 55, No. 5 Lebhaft <i>Robert Schumann (1810 - 1856)</i>	Aleksandra Velgosha, piano primo Cory Shim, piano secondo

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

## WORSHIP NOTES

Several weeks ago, we were blessed by the music of local organist Asriel Davis, and we are glad to welcome him back for worship again today. We are also pleased to announce that Asriel will participate in the ministry of music at Spencerville Seventh-Day Adventist Church on a more frequent basis!

Asriel completed his undergraduate studies in piano performance at Oakwood University and recently graduated with a Master of Music in Organ Performance at Syracuse University. He distinguished himself as one of the youngest members of the American Guild of Organists, and their upcoming convention in San Francisco will feature his composition “*Fantasy on A Solid Rock.*” When Mr. Davis is not instructing students in music at Mayfield Woods Middle School, he performs as a vocalist with the Jason Max Ferdinand Singers. Asriel is a gifted young artist, and the Spencerville Church family is pleased to extend him a warm welcome!

# CHURCH BUSINESS

## MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS

### INCOMING

*This is the first reading.*

**Joana Afful Antwi** from Washington Ghanaian Adventist Church in Columbia, Maryland

### OUTGOING

*This is the second reading.*

**Adeline Piotrowski** to Beltsville Adventist Church in Beltsville, Maryland

*This is the first reading.*

**TJ Hunter** to Advent Hope Adventist Church in New York, New York

# CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

## CONDOLENCE

*Brian Robinson*, father of Sean Robinson, died unexpectedly this past Saturday. Please remember Sean and his family in prayer as they grieve this loss. We look forward to the return of Jesus when there will be no more death and sorrow.

We pray you grow in His love and image throughout your life. Roads come in many shapes and conditions; keep God as your co-driver, spotter, and recovery, and invest in good lockers.”

We love you! *Dad, Mom, and big sister, Vienna*

## FLOWERS IN THE FOYER

The flowers on the Welcome Desk are sponsored by Chris and Melissa Guldin as they celebrate the birthday of their son. “Happy First Birthday, Jackson! You are a huge blessing and a constant reminder of how close God really is to us. Even though you are little, your life has very much been, ‘Let’s see what God will help him overcome.’

## THE OFFERING FOR JUNE 8

*Today’s offering is for the Women’s Ministries - North American Division*

We appreciate your continued generosity in support of the Operating Budget of Spencerville Church. Our online giving page is available 24/7 to receive your contributions at [spencervillechurch.org/give](http://spencervillechurch.org/give).

## SUMMER CONCERT TODAY

Join us this afternoon at 4:00 p.m. for a concert with distinguished pianist, Alex Kobrin. Alex Kobrin will play Beethoven's Fantasia in G minor, Op. 77, and Sonata No. 29 in B-flat Major, Op. 106, "Hammerklavier." Celebrate the culmination of Kobrin's recording project of all 32 Beethoven sonatas at the Spencerville Church by attending this concert and reception.

## CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING

Your voice and vote is needed at the church business meeting tomorrow at 6:00 p.m. as we discuss the upcoming 2024-2025 church budget and a capital project to refurbish the parking lot.

## YOUTH / HIGH-SCHOOL SUMMER EVENTS

Pastor John Gonzalez, our new Youth Pastor, is excited to share a full summer of events! This summer, your high-school-aged kids will enjoy many fun activities and service opportunities, including the adventure park, serving dinner at the Ronald McDonald House, go-karts, beach vespers and outreach, Six Flags, and more.

The first youth event is on June 11. Contact Pastor John at [jgonzalez@spencervillechurch.org](mailto:jgonzalez@spencervillechurch.org) for more information.

## VACATION BIBLE XPERIENCE (VBX)

Register today for Vacation Bible Xperience June 24 through June 27 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Children between the ages of 0 and 11 are invited to attend VBX for a week of fun as we explore Jesus' hometown of Nazareth and experience what life was like for Jesus as a child. **Registration closes this Friday, June 14!** Don't delay, register today by visiting [spencervillechurch.org/vbx](http://spencervillechurch.org/vbx).

## SPENCERVILLE VOLUNTEER LEADERSHIP TRAINING

If you're serving as a department leader for Spencerville Church or will be serving as a leader for the upcoming term, this event is for you!

We value your service to God and toward the mission of Spencerville Church! This training will provide important insights that will help you effectively and efficiently engage your team to maximize your ministry's impact. Hosted by Pastor Crystal, we'll cover critical ministry and administrative areas like the church's mission and vision, our strategic plan, team management, working with ministry budgets, interfacing with the communication team, and more!

Join us for this fun and informative event on **Tuesday, June 18, from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** dinner is included! Please RSVP if you're planning to attend. Visit [spencervillechurch.org/leadership](http://spencervillechurch.org/leadership)

## WOMEN'S MINISTRIES OFFERS CAR CARE CLINIC

Women of all ages are invited to participate in a hands-on car care clinic taught by two experienced automobile technicians. Join us on **Tuesday evening, June 25, from 6:00-8:00 p.m.** as we learn how to evaluate and perform basic automotive skills that will ensure your car is functioning safely and efficiently. You'll be instructed, using your own vehicle, on the simple maintenance techniques of checking tire pressure, air filter, and fluid levels. You will also have the experience of jumping a dead battery and changing a tire as well.

For this **FREE** event, each participant is asked to drive their own vehicle and park it in the designated area in the north parking lot of the Spencerville Church. This free class is a wonderful opportunity to learn skills that can protect you from dangerous situations that can be easily prevented or remedied with a little know-how.

Come with an empty trunk so that the spare tire can be easily accessed—and wear clothes that you don't mind getting dirty!

## TUESDAY VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING

Join the **Tuesday evening** virtual meeting at **7:00 p.m.** on the web, visit [spencervillechurch.org/zoom/prayermeeting](https://spencervillechurch.org/zoom/prayermeeting). When prompted, enter the password "*prayer*."

## MIDWEEK AT SPENCERVILLE

Join us every **Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.** for Midweek at Spencerville. During our Midweek service, we'll sing together, enjoy a short teaching time, and then break into groups for a time of prayer—all within about an hour.

**Please note that during the summer months the Midweek Kids program will be suspended.** Your children are welcome to come and stay with you for the service. Midweek Kids will resume again when school begins in August.

## CHURCH NEWSLETTERS

If you'd like to receive the two emails published by Spencerville Church, sign up at [spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update](https://spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update). **The Weekly Update is moving to a bi-weekly edition for the summer.** The next edition will be sent on June 13. The Worship Update, for all things related to the weekly worship services will continue to be sent each Friday.

## 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](https://spencervillechurch.org/connectgroups).



## CAMP MEETING 2024

Camp meeting begins this coming Tuesday! The 2024 Chesapeake Conference Camp Meeting takes place on the campus of Highland View Academy from **June 11-15**. The featured speaker, Elder Mark Finley, will share messages throughout the week on the theme “*Revelation of Hope: God’s Plan for Living Free*.” You’re also invited to come and enjoy the special feature, Messiah’s Mansion, a walk-through replica of the Biblical sanctuary.

To access the schedule, registration links, and the new Camp Meeting app, please visit [ccosda.org/campmeeting](https://ccosda.org/campmeeting).

You are invited to a potluck haystack lunch at Pastor Chad’s RV after the worship service next Sabbath, June 15.

## 2024 ADVENTIST YOUNG PROFESSIONALS CONVENTION

This year’s AYP convention promises to be the most exciting and enriching event yet. With renowned speakers, interactive workshops, and valuable networking opportunities, it’s an experience you won’t want to miss. Worship together and grow as disciples of Jesus alongside young professionals from around the world. This year the convention will be held in Houston, Texas on **July 19-21**. Visit [ayp.me/convention](https://ayp.me/convention) to learn more and to register!

## 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](mailto:prayerline@spencervillechurch.org).

## 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).

# FINANCIAL REPORT

## COMBINED BUDGET GIVING

May 25, 2024 - Week 48 of 53

Received: \$590,753

Receiving Goal: \$597,947

2023-24 Church Budget: \$650,000

## CURRENT DEBT AS OF MAY. 15, 2024

\$2,495,364

## 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!

# STAFF DIRECTORY

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