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JUNE 22, 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 <u>spencervillechurch.org/contact</u>. 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 worshiping with us!

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### **WI-FI ACCESS**

Network: SpencervilleChurchGuest

### SUNSET TIMES

Today: 8:37 p.m. Next Sabbath: 8:38 p.m.

### CONNECT WITH US



@spencervillesda

## RESOURCES

Quick links for common requests related to life in the Spencerville Church community:

#### SUBMIT A PRAYER REQUEST

spencervillechurch.org/prayer

#### **REQUEST FOR BAPTISM**

spencervillechurch.org/baptism

#### **REQUEST FOR A BABY DEDICATION**

spencervillechurch.org/dedication

#### REQUEST MEMBERSHIP TRANSFER

spencervillechurch.org/transfer

#### CHURCH CALENDAR

spencervillechurch.org/calendar

#### CONNECT GROUPS

spencervillechurch.org/connectgroups

## TUESDAY NIGHT VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING

spencervillechurch.org/zoom/prayermeeting

#### FIND A SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS

spencervillechurch.org/sabbathschool

## **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    | Come Thou Fount (Above All Else)                     |                      |
| Children's Lesson |  | Sasha Ram            |
| Songs of Praise   | I Could Sing of Your Love Forever<br>More Like Jesus |                      |
| Prayer            |  |                      |
| Sermon            | "The Ultimate Will of God"                           | Pastor John Gonzalez |
| Song of Response  | Simplicity   |                      |
| Benediction       |  | Pastor John          |

#### The offering this Sabbath has been designated for Chesapeake Advance

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: Karen Miranda, Felicity Zappia, Lance Jordache, Roman Jordache Guitar: German Rodriguez Piano: Cory Shim

## SECOND SERVICE

11:30 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.

| Prelude          |   | Asriel Davis, organ         |  |  |
|------------------|---|-----------------------------|--|--|
| Welcome          |   | Pastor Chad Stuart          |  |  |
| Choral Introit   | Lift Every Voice and Sing<br>arr. Roland Carter   | Jason Max Ferdinand Singers |  |  |
| †Call to Worship | Psalm 136   | Connie Watson               |  |  |
|                  | <b>Reader:</b><br>Give thanks to the Lord who alone does great wonders,<br><b>All:</b><br>For His steadfast love endures forever. |                             |  |  |
|                  |   |                             |  |  |
|                  | <b>Reader:</b><br>To Him who by understanding made the heavens,<br>who spread out the Earth above the waters,                     |                             |  |  |
|                  | All:  |                             |  |  |
|                  | His steadfast love endures forever  | r.                          |  |  |
|                  | Reader:   |                             |  |  |
|                  | Who made the great lights, the sun to rule over the day,<br>the moon and stars to rule over the night                             |                             |  |  |
|                  | All:  |                             |  |  |
|                  | His steadfast love endures forever.   |                             |  |  |
|                  | Reader:   |                             |  |  |
|                  | Give thanks to the God of heaver  | ι,                          |  |  |
|                  | All:  |                             |  |  |
|                  | His steadfast love endures forever  | r.                          |  |  |

| †Hymn of Praise, No. 100   | Great is Thy Faithfulness<br><i>Tune: Faithfulness</i> | Congregation                |
|----------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| Invocation                 |  | Pastor Chad                 |
| Installation of Pastor     | John Gonzalez  | Pastor Chad                 |
| Children's Lesson          |  | Sasha Ram                   |
| Call to Prayer, No. 671    | As We Come to You in Praye                             | r Congregation              |
| Prayer                     |  | Al Watson                   |
| Anthem                     | Nobody Knows<br>arr. Norman Luboff                     | Jason Max Ferdinand Singers |
| Sermon                     | "The Ultimate Will of God"                             | Pastor John Gonzalez        |
| †Hymn of Response, No. 327 | I'd Rather Have Jesus                                  | Congregation                |
| Benediction                |  | Pastor John                 |
| Choral Benediction         | The Holy City<br>arr. John Stoddart                    | Jason Max Ferdinand Singers |

† Indicates congregation is to please stand

## **WORSHIP NOTES**

Sabbaths are special because we are able to worship Jesus corporately and enjoy fellowship with one another. Today, we officially welcome and install John Gonzalez as our Pastor for Youth & Young Adults. Please join us in praying and supporting Pastor John and his wife Nayeli in their new ministry at our church.

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Additionally, we welcome the Jason Max Ferdinand Singers, who enjoyed their beginnings as an ensemble in the Spencerville Church Sanctuary during the Spring of 2021. The ensemble includes award-winning artists and singers, lawyers, and college professors. For more information on the Jason Max Ferdinand Singers and their engagements this weekend and in the future, please visit <u>jasonmaxferdinandsingers.com</u>. We thank them for using their talents to the glory of God during today's 11:30 worship service.

# **CHURCH BUSINESS**

### MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS

#### INCOMING

This is the second reading.

Joana Afful Antwi from Washington Ghanian Adventist Church in Columbia, Maryland

**Chad & Amy Grundy** from Charlotte University City Adventist Church in Charlotte, North Carolina

Samuel Hernandez from Azteca Mexican Conference in Mexico City, Mexico

#### MEET OUR NEW MEMBERS

*Joana Antwi* works in healthcare in Glen Burnie. Her daughter, Michelle, will be a sophomore at Spencerville Adventist Academy in the fall. In addition, Joana and her husband have two young adult children.

*Chad Grundy* works for the North American Division in the role of Under Treasurer. His wife, *Amy*, has a background in education. They have a son who is currently attending Southern Adventist University.

*Sam Hernandez* is an adventurer and came from Mexico to the United States to finish Academy, and improve his English before getting a scholarship to Walla Walla University. He has already become involved in our young adult Sabbath School class and has made new friends there.

# CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

#### CONDOLENCE

With heavy sad hearts we share the news that *Donna Marie Arnold* fell asleep in Jesus on Tuesday, June 18 2024, following an auto accident on June 5.

She is deeply missed by her friends and family, including her life-long friend Carolyn Leonard and her three sisters: Linda McNeill, Pam Van Noty and Rhonda Sharman. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

#### THE OFFERING FOR JUNE 22

Today's offering is for the Chesapeake Conference

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

#### MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP POTLUCK LUNCH

Following the second worship service today, join us in the Fellowship Hall for our Monthly Fellowship Potluck Lunch. We look forward each month to spending this social time together with friends and guests while enjoying the delicious food made by our members. If you're joining us today as a guest, we invite you to stay for lunch!

#### ADULT QUARTERLY LESSON STUDY GUIDES

Adult quarterlies for the 3rd quarter, beginning in July, are available in English, Spanish Language, and Russian Language. You can pick up your copy at the Welcome Desk in the foyer.

#### 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-schoolaged 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. Be sure to pick up your copy of the summer events calendar at the Welcome Desk in the foyer.

The next event is tonight from 9:00-11:00 p.m. Come enjoy Open Gym at Spencerville Adventist Academy. Then join us on Thursday, June 27, at the Adventure Park from 4:30-7:30 p.m. Contact Pastor John at jgonzalez@spencervillechurch.org for details and to RSVP.

#### 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 this coming Tuesday evening, June 25, from 6:00 to 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. Register at <u>spencervillechurch.org/carcare</u>

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

#### 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 is 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 <u>spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update</u>. **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.

#### JOIN THE SPENCERVILLE ACADEMY TEAM!

Are you organized and detail-oriented? Consider applying for the Administrative Assistant position supporting our Vice Principal of High School. This full-time position works directly with our HS Vice Principal, HS teachers, and HS Students.

Are you passionate about fostering a love for reading and providing academic support? Consider applying for our school **Librarian**. This full-time position manages our library, reads to the elementary students, supports HS with covering study halls and manages our after-school HS program.

Additionally, we need **Substitute Teachers** across all grade levels (Elementary, Middle, and High School). Have the freedom to

work when you can and help to support our teachers and staff.

If you're interested in making a difference in the lives of students, we'd love to hear from you! Contact Robert Martinez to learn more at <u>rmartinez@spencerville.org</u>.

#### 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. The convention will be held in Houston, Texas on July 19-21. Visit <u>ayp.me/convention</u> to learn more and to register!

#### SLIGO BY THE SEA

Come away for a day or weekend to Ocean City, Maryland. Come with family and friends to worship, relax, and reconnect. Beginning on July 6 and continuing each Sabbath through September 21 enjoy a Sabbath worship service in downtown

### PRAYER NEWSLETTER



Are you receiving the weekly newsletter from Prayer Ministry? Use the QR code to sign up, or visit: <u>spencervillechurch.org/</u> prayerministry. Ocean City. Information can be found online at <u>sligochurch.org/sligobythesea</u>. There you will find the address of the church and the schedule of speakers. There is a flier you can pick up at the Welcome Desk listing important information as you plan your weekend get-away.

#### FIND A SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS

We've heard your requests for a list of Sabbath School classes in our weekly bulletin. Since we don't have enough room to publish a



list in the bulletin every week, we've added a list of classes, descriptions, and a facility map showing where each class meets to the Sabbath School page on our website. Simply scan the QR code or visit <u>spencervillechurch.org/</u> <u>sabbathschool</u>.

## CALENDAR

#### JUNE

- 22 Monthly Church Potluck
- 24-27 Vacation Bible Xperience 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- 25 Car Care Clinic 6:00 8:00 p.m.
- 25 Virtual Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
- 26 Midweek at Spencerville 7:00 p.m.

For a complete list of Spencerville Church events visit our website <u>spencervillechurch.org/calendar</u>.

# 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 <u>spencervillechurch.org/give</u> or scan the QR code with your mobile device. Thank you for your generosity!

## **STAFF DIRECTORY**

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#### OTHER CONTACTS

| Prayer Requests                    | ext. 140     | prayerline@spencervillechurch.org |
|------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| Member Care Line                   | ext. 141     | membercare@spencervillechurch.org |
| Spencerville Academy               | 301.421.9101 | info@spencerville.org             |
| Chesapeake Conference              | 301.596.5600 | info@ccosda.org                   |
| National Domestic Violence Hotline | 800-799-7233 |                                   |

## **SERMON NOTES**

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