

SEPTEMBER 7, 2024

WELCOME

Welcome to Spencerville Seventh-Day Adventist Church! We're glad you're here! While this isn't where we expected to be just a few weeks ago, we know that God is still all-powerful, and we look forward to seeing how He will redeem this for our growth and His glory! Please take a moment to review the list of resources below. Let us know how we can serve, pray for, or get you involved in ministry here at Spencerville Church. The contact information for our pastoral staff is on page 9, or you may reach us through the website at spencervillechurch.org/contact. Again, thank you for worshiping with us, we pray that God blesses your time here today.

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SUNSET TIMES

Today: 7:29 p.m. Next Sabbath: 7:18 p.m.

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RESOURCES

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

REQUEST PRAYER

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

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 Cornelia Scribner

Songs of Praise House of Miracles

Draw Me Close

Prayer

Sermon Series: Ripening (Part Four) Pastor Chad

Message: "Long in the Nostrils"

Song of Response Blessed Assurance

> Benediction Pastor Chad

The offering this Sabbath has been designated for Local Church Budget

Tithe and offerings will be collected at the back doors following the worship service, you may also give online at spencervillechurch.org/give,

or by mail using the address on the back cover.

Praise Team

Vocals: Caleb Salazar, Camilia Howell, Cameron Mayer, Nayeli Moretta-Gonzalez

Guitar: Pastor John Gonzalez Strings: Matthew Nashed Piano: Samuel Miranda

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 Geanina Adina Sălăgean, organ

Welcome & Invocation Pastor Chad Stuart

Children's Lesson Cornelia Scribner

†Responsive Reading Romans 12:14-18 John Sackett

Leader

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep.

Congregation

Live in harmony with one another. Do not be haughty,

but associate with the lowly.

Leader

Never be wise in your own sight. Repay no one evil for evil, but give thought to do what is honorable in the sight of all.

Congregation

If possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all.

Let us worship God!

†Hymn of Praise, No. 21 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise Congregation

Tune: St. Denio

Congregational Prayer Greg Whitsett

Anthem Open My Eyes Bob Mills

Clara Scott

† Indicates congregation is to please stand

Sermon Series: Ripening (Part Four) Pastor Chad Stuart

Message: "Long in the Nostrils"

†Hymn of Response, No. 500 Take Time to be Holy Congregation

Tune: Holiness

Benediction Pastor Chad

**Postlude Geanina Adina Sălăgean, organ

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

CHURCH BUSINESS

CHURCH OFFICER NOMINATIONS

This is the second reading.

SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

Melissa Reinhardt

FACILITIES MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Tom Henkel - Head

DIACONATE

Scot Coppock

Cassandra Fry

Ed Koch

Bonnie Koch

CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

THE OFFERING FOR SEPT. 7

Today's offering is for the Local Church Budget

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.

FIND A SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS

We have many Sabbath School classes where you can join the discussion, or sit quietly and absorb the discussion around you. Visit spencervillechurch.org/sabbathschool to find the list of Sabbath School classes, descriptions, and a facility map showing where each class is located.

DONATE TO CHURCH REBUILD

We're grateful for the many people who have asked how they can financially help Spencerville Church after the fire! A secure, easy-to-use donation page is available on our church website at spencervillechurch.org/rebuild. However, if you've already signed up for Adventist Giving and want to donate to the rebuilding efforts, please add the amount to your digital envelope on our Adventist Giving website using the line item labeled "Capital/Rebuild." Please feel free to share the spencervillechurch.org/rebuild link with anyone who asks how they can help!

ADVENTURERS REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN FOR 2024-25 SEASON!

Online registration is now open for the Spencerville Polar Cubs Adventurers Club. We invite children ages 3 through the 4th grade to join us on our adventure this year. Join us for a spiritually uplifting, fun-filled, and memorable year!

To register or for questions and more information, visit the Adventurers registration page <u>spencervillechurch.org/register-for-adventurers.</u>

PATHFINDER 2024-25 SEASON

Pathfinders will be returning the first week of October. Questions about the upcoming year may be directed to <u>pathfinders@spencervillechurch.org</u>. Check back here for meeting information on how to register.

MIDWEEK AT SPENCERVILLE

Join us every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Spencerville Adventist Academy auditorium for Midweek—a time of singing, a short message, and group prayer, all within an hour. Let's stay rooted in Him together as we start a new school year and rebuild after the fire. Midweek Kids will resume again on September 11. See you Wednesday!

CHURCH NEWSLETTERS

If you'd like to receive the two emails published by Spencerville Church, sign up at spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update.

The Weekly Update, for all church news will be sent each Thursday. The Worship Update, for all things related to the weekly worship services will continue to be sent each Friday.

ADVENT CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Fall auditions are now open for the Advent Children's Choir directed by Jane Lanning. For more information and/or to schedule an audition call 240-678-3042 or email jlanningacc@gmail.com. Rehearsals are held on Tuesdays at Sligo SDA Church and Thursdays at the home of Mark and Katia Di Pinto located in the Spencerville area. The Beginner Choir for ages 5-8 meets from 4:00-4:45 p.m. \$25/month), and the Advanced Choir for ages 9-16 meets from 5:00-6:30 p.m. (\$35/monthly).

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.

PRAYER NEWSLETTER

Are you receiving the weekly newsletter from Prayer Ministry? Visit: spencervillechurch.org/prayerministry to sign-up.

TEACHING YOUR CHILDREN HEALTHY HABITS

What is the ideal diet for a healthy brain and body? How do sleep habits impact your child's performance? What practices can help maintain emotional well-being? Dr. Leanne Miller, a pediatrician with over 25 years of experience working with infants to young adults, and has a passion for lifestyle medicine and specialized training in managing anxiety and depression—is offering a free Seminar on September 15 at 2:00 p.m. at the LivingWell Book Store in Silver Spring. Discover the habits that have empowered students to achieve health, happiness, and success. Register Here.

DOING JUSTLY: PEACEBUILDING IN AN UNEQUAL WORLD

What does peacebuilding look like in a polarized and increasingly violent world? Join thought leaders, advocates, practitioners, and scholars for an engaging Sabbath afternoon of peace-promoting, field reports, and audience engagement. Presentations include speakers from ADRA, the General Conference Public Affairs Office, and the Washington Adventist University Center for Law and Public Policy. For more information please contact honorscollege@wau.edu. This event will be on Sabbath, September 14, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. in the Sligo Adventist Church Atrium.

CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

- 10 Virtual Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
- 11 Midweek at SAA Auditorium 7:00 p.m.
- 13 Young Adult Vespers 7:00 p.m.
- 15 Adventurer Outing at National Zoo

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

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SERMON NOTES

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Chesapeake Conference	301.596.5600	info@ccosda.org
National Domestic Violence Hotline	800-799-7233	

FINANCIAL REPORT

OPERATING BUDGET GIVING

August 17, 2024 - Week 7 of 53

Received: \$70,542

Receiving Goal \$83,722

2023-24 Church Budget: \$704,000

CURRENT DEBT AS OF JULY 15, 2024

\$2,480,390

OPERATING BUDGET FOR 2024-25 VOTED BY THE CHURCH IN BUSINESS SESSION ON JUNE 9, 2024

\$704,000

(our fiscal year began July 1, 2024)



Meeting at:

The Lutheran Church of St. Andrew 15300 New Hampshire Ave Silver Spring, MD 20905

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