



Passion Week
APRIL 19, 2025

WELCOME

We're glad you're here! Throughout this week, we've enjoyed a nightly Passion Week program that's included singing, readings, and a message focused on the final events leading to Jesus's death and resurrection. This morning, as we worship together, we pray that you will experience God's love and call into a deeper relationship with Him.

Can we pray with you? Look for an elder or deacon with a purple or black badge this morning, or contact us online at spencervillechurch.org/prayer. We're here to support and encourage you on your journey with Jesus!

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INTERNET ACCESS

Network: LCSA-Guest Password: lcsawifi

SUNSET TIMES

Today: 7:48 p.m. Next Sabbath: 7:54 p.m.

CONNECT WITH US



@spencervillesda

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.

Holy Sabbath

Welcome

Pastor Crystal E. Ward

Song of Praise

In Christ Alone

Children's Lesson

Pastor Lerone Carson

Scripture

Mark 15:42-46

Songs of Praise

Is He Worthy
God Rested

Prayer

Sermon

“What Makes Life Beautiful?”

Pastor Chad

Song of Response

Christus Victor (Amen)

Benediction

Pastor Chad

Praise Team

Vocalists: Aiden Zinke, Elsa Balint, Giulia Balint, Jonathan Walter

Guitar: Saneliso Sokupa

Strings: Alexei Elliott, Elise Welch

Piano: Sam Miranda

*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.*

SECOND SERVICE


11:30 a.m.

Holy Sabbath

Prelude	Gigout: Six pièces d'orgue: No. 6, Grand chœur dialogué <i>Arr. E. Smedvig</i>	Barclay Brass Elizabeth Schumer, organ
Welcome		Pastor Crystal E. Ward
Introit	Praise to the Lord <i>Arr. Lloyd Larson</i> TUNE: LOBE DEN HERRN	Sanctuary Choir Orchestra
† Call to Worship	Psalm 118:21–29	Pastor Crystal
† Anthem	Concertato on All Creatures of Our God and King <i>Hal H. Hopson</i>	Congregation
Invocation		Pastor Chad Stuart
Children's Lesson		Pastor Lerone Carson
Call to Prayer	No. 156, O Sacred Head Now Wounded TUNE: PASSION CHORALE	Congregation
* Prayer		Nikolaus Satelmajer
Fourteenth Lesson	Mark 15:42-46	Rita Fuller

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† Indicates congregation is to please stand
* Indicates congregation to please kneel



Anthem	No. 46, Chorus: Since By Man Came Death No. 44, Chorus: Hallelujah <i>George F. Händel</i>	Sanctuary Choir Orchestra
Sermon	“What Makes Life Beautiful?”	Pastor Chad
† Hymn of Response	All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name <i>Arr. Lloyd Larson</i> TUNE: CORONATION, DIADEM	Congregation
† Benediction		Pastor Chad
** Postlude	Hornpipe from Water Music, Suite No. 2 <i>George F. Händel</i>	Barclay Brass

† Indicates congregation is to please stand

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

BAPTISMS TODAY!

Join us immediately following the close of the second worship service today as **Evelyn Garcia**, **Jasmine Cruz**, and **Randall Hoerauf** take the beautiful step of baptism, declaring their commitment to follow Jesus. The baptisms will be held in the Great Room at the south end of the foyer. All are welcome to witness and celebrate this joyful moment of new life in Christ.

BUILDING SURVEY

ONLY TWO DAYS REMAIN!

WE INVITE ALL CHURCH MEMBERS TO TAKE THE CHURCH BUILDING SURVEY AND SHARE THEIR PERSPECTIVE WITH OUR BUILDING COMMITTEE!

If you're a member of Spencerville Church, the Building Committee wants to hear from you! This survey is designed to gather critical feedback from Spencerville Church members regarding the church facilities and will inform our Building Committee as they steward the rebuilding process. Visit spencervillechurch.org/buildsurvey. The survey closes at 11:59 on Monday evening!

CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

THE OFFERING FOR APRIL 19

*Today's offering is for
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 tithe and offerings at spencervillechurch.org/give.

PASSION WEEK MEETINGS

What a blessing it has been this past week to meet together at the end of each day to focus on the final days and events of Jesus life leading to His crucifixion as recorded in the gospel of Mark. **Join us at 4:00 p.m. this evening for the final evening service of this spiritual journey, and then again at 7:00 a.m. tomorrow** for a beautiful sunrise service. Both services will be held in the GC auditorium.

SERVE WITH YOUR CHURCH FAMILY ON COMMUNITY SERVICE DAY!

Let's serve together! We're dedicating next **Sunday, April 27**, to serve our neighbors in the surrounding communities. All year, as a church family, we worship together, pray together, and play together, now we'll serve together! Our Community Services team has coordinated a variety of service projects for all ages and abilities. To see a list of projects, visit spencervillechurch.org/community-service-projects.

FIND A SABBATH SCHOOL CLASS

We offer a variety of Sabbath School classes where you're welcome to join the discussion or simply listen. Visit spencervillechurch.org/sabbathschool to find the list of Sabbath School classes, descriptions, and a facility map showing where each class is located.

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED TO SUPPORT DISPLACED FAMILIES!

One of our projects for Community Services Day will assist over 100 families who are trying to build a new life in a new country. The Community Services team has created a list of pressing needs: groceries, clothing, children's toys, etc. **A bin will be at the church each Sabbath and at the Academy through April 26.**

To download the donation list, visit spencervillechurch.org/displaced or stop by the Community Services table in the foyer today to receive a printed copy. Thank you in advance for your support and for being the hands and feet of Jesus for these families!

TUESDAY VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING

Join the **Tuesday evening** virtual meeting at **7:00 p.m.** on the web, visit spencervillechurch.org/zoom/prayermeeting. When prompted, enter the password “*prayer*.”

MIDWEEK AT SPENCERVILLE

Join us every **Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.** in the Spencerville Adventist Academy auditorium as we return to our regular Midweek format—a time of singing, a short message, and group prayer, all within an hour. All are invited and encouraged to come spend this time together in the middle of the work and school week to rejuvenate and connect with Jesus and each other.

PRAYER NEWSLETTER

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

SAA ALUMNI

Join us on **May 1** for Alumni Sabbath. Tell your fellow classmates to be sure to join you for Sabbath worship and other planned activities!

A REMINDER ABOUT FOOD IN THE SANCTUARY

We are grateful to the Lutheran Church of St. Andrew (LCAS) for sharing their space with us each Sabbath. We want to do our part to care for this facility. LCSA has requested that we not bring food into the sanctuary on Sabbath. We realize that many children will need a snack between Sabbath School and Church. There are tables in the foyer that can be used for this purpose. We thank you in advance for your help on this matter!

PARENTS, SIGN UP FOR OUR SUMMER BASEBALL LEAGUE

Do your kids enjoy baseball? If so, we have a fantastic summer league that you will want to check out. Spencerville Adventist Baseball League, (SABL) is well supported by Spencerville members, but the league also extends an invitation to the local churches and community as well. Our goal is to promote a Christian environment that is fun and enjoyable, and nurtures

a child's desire to learn the game of baseball. The SABL philosophy is to teach children the game while promoting teamwork and sportsmanship. We also strongly encourage the children's parents to become involved with their child's team to enhance their experience. For additional information, or to register your child(ren) visit spencervillechurch.org/sabl.

DONATE TO REBUILD OUR CHURCH

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 AdventistGiving 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 link with anyone who asks how they can help!

CAMP MEETING 2025

You're invited to the 2025 Chesapeake Conference Camp Meeting, **June 17-21**, on the campus of Highland View Academy in Hagerstown, Maryland. You will enjoy inspiring messages, engaging seminars, and meaningful activities for all ages. The theme is year is "*Hope Rising: Finding Light in the Darkness*". Whether you're coming with family, friends, or on your own, there's something

for everyone! This year, we are blessed to welcome John Bradshaw and Eric Flickinger from *It Is Written* as our featured speakers.

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

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.

CALENDAR

APRIL

- 19 Passion Week - 4:00 p.m. - GC
- 20 Passion Week Sunrise Service - 7:00 a.m. - GC
- 22 Virtual Prayer Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
- 23 Pathfinder Meeting - 6:30 p.m. - SAA
- 23 Midweek Worship Service - 7:00 p.m. - SAA
- 26 Adventurer Investiture - 4:00 p.m. - SAA
- 27 Community Service Day
(See item on page 6)

MAY

- 3 SAA Alumni Sabbath
- 4 SAA 5K & Fun Run - SAA

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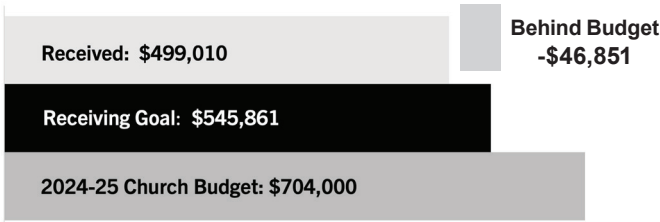
OTHER CONTACTS

Prayer Requests..... ext. 140.....prayerline@spencervillechurch.org
Member Care Line..... ext. 141..... membercare@spencervillechurch.org
Spencerville Academy..... 301.421.9101..... info@spencerville.org
Chesapeake Conference301.596.5600info@ccosda.org
National Domestic Violence Hotline..... 800-799-7233

FINANCIAL REPORT

OPERATING BUDGET RECEIVED

Through Week 38 - March 29, 2025



fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024

CAPITAL BUDGET RECEIVED

\$646,815

received through March 29, 2025 for
fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024

CURRENT DEBT

\$2,411,614

as of April 15, 2025



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