

Spencerville Adventist Academy Alumni Weekend

## MAY 3, 2025

# WELCOME

We are happy that you chose to worship with us today. Whether you are attending in person or joining us online we pray that you will experience God's love and call to 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 <u>spencervillechurch.org/prayer</u>. We're here to support and encourage you on your journey with Jesus!

We especially welcome the alumni of Spencerville Adventist Academy, we're glad to have you back home for the weekend, and we hope you enjoy reconnecting with former classmates and teachers.

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### INTERNET ACCESS

Network: LCSA-Guest Password: lcsawifi

### SUNSET TIMES

Today: 8:00 p.m. Next Sabbath: 8:08 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**

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 Kandace Zollman
Song of Praise	Indescribable	
Children's Lesson		Pastor Lerone Carson
Scripture	Mark 5:24-35	
Songs of Praise	Cornerstone O Come to the Altar	
Prayer		
Sermon	"Do Hard Things"	Tim Soper
Song of Response	'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus	
Benediction		Tim Soper

#### 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 <u>spencervillechurch.org/give</u>, or by mail using the address on the back cover.

Praise Team Vocalists: Anjali Tyman, Caleb Salazar, Karen Miranda Strings: Matthew Nashed Guitar: Isaac Tyman Piano: Sam Miranda

## SECOND SERVICE

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11:30 a.m.

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#### SPENCERVILLE ADVENTIST ACADEMY ALUMNI WEEKEND

Welcome		Pastor Kandace Zollman Lynn Parker (2005)
Prelude	Synergy Kevin McChesney	SAA Alumni Bell Choir Jane Lanning, director (1998-2024)
† Call to Worship		Tammy Ottey (2006)
† Hymn of Praise	No. 73, Holy, Holy, Holy Tune: Nicea	Congregation
Invocation		DeWayne Boyer (2008-2015)
Children's Lesson		Arty Gibb (2005)
Call to Prayer	No. 671, As We Come to	You in Prayer Congregation
* Prayer		Kiersten Zinke (2019)
oduction of Speaker		Nayeli Gonzalez (2015)
Anthem	Deep River Mark Hayes R	SAA Alumni Choir Cobert Martinez, director (2006-current)
Sermon	"What Have You Learne	ed Since High School?" DeWayne Boyer
Hymn of Response	No. 340, Jesus Saves Tune: Jesus Saves	Congregation
† Benediction		DeWayne Boyer
** Postlude		Elizabeth Schumer, organ
† Indicates congregation is to please stand		

\* Indicates congregation to please kneel

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

# CHURCH/SCHOOL LIFE

#### THE OFFERING FOR MAY 3

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

#### SAA ALUMNI LUNCH TODAY

All alumni and their families are warmly invited to a complimentary lunch provided by Spencerville Adventist Academy immediately following second service. Join us in the SAA multi-purpose room to enjoy a meal, reconnect with fellow alumni, and share memories together. We look forward to seeing you there! For a full schedule of Alumni Weekend activities, visit <u>spencervillechurch.org/saa-alumni</u>

#### MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP POTLUCK LUNCH TODAY

Join us **today** right after the second worship service for our Monthly Fellowship Potluck Lunch in the Great Room at LCSA. If you brought a dish to share, please place it on the table outside the door. Guests are warmly invited to share in the food and fellowship—we're glad you're here!

#### WORSHIP SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE AND HOPE

We want to remember those in our community who passed away in 2024 and 2025. On **Sabbath, May 17**, remembrance will be a central part of our worship services. A featured slideshow will display the names and photographs of those we have lost. To participate in this remembrance service, we would like to invite you to submit the name and photo of your loved one for inclusion in the slideshow.

Join us as we remember those we've lost, as we comfort the family and friends of those who now rest, awaiting the resurrection. **Please submit names and photos by May 11** to <u>spencervillechurch.org/memorial</u>

#### **CELEBRATE YOUR 2025 GRADUATE**

If you or a family member attends Spencerville Church and will graduate from a school other than Spencerville Adventist Academy, we would like to hear from you (we work closely with SAA and already have their list of graduates).

We're assembling a list of all eighth-grade, high school, college, technical school, and post-grad students to publish here in a future issue of the Weekly Update. Thank you for helping us honor and celebrate your graduates' achievements! Submit your graduate at <u>spencervillechurch.org/</u> <u>grad2025</u>

#### 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 <u>spencervillechurch</u>. <u>org/sabbathschool</u> to find the list of Sabbath School classes, descriptions, and a facility map showing where each class is located.

#### VACATION BIBLE XPERIENCE REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN

Spencerville Church invites all children between the ages of 5 and 11 to join us this summer as we follow Jesus and learn to move forward in our faith journey! Join us daily on **June 23-26 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** for Bible stories, crafts, a mission focus, and unlimited fun on our journey to trust Jesus! A toddler program will be offered for children age 4 and under. Toddlers must be accompanied by an adult 18 years or older.

Register today! <u>spencervillechurch.org/vbx</u>

## VACATION BIBLE XPERIENCE VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION

Spencerville Church is seeking reliable volunteer partners to help with our Vacation Bible Xperience events on **June 23-26 from 9:00a.m. to 12:00p.m.** We offer a daily program for school-aged children between the ages of 5 and 11, and a toddler program for children 4 and under. Volunteers are an integral part of Vacation Bible Xperience, and help to ensure the program runs well! Here are a few examples of the types of opportunities available to VBX volunteers. Worship Leaders and Assistants, Family Leaders and Assistants, Craft Leaders and Assistants, Toddler Program Leader and Assistants, Games Coordinator and Assistants, Snack Coordinator and Assistants, Registration Team, We would love to have you on our team. To Register visit: <u>spencervillechurch.</u> <u>org/vbxvolunteer</u>

#### TUITION ASSISTANCE

If you'd like your child(ren) to attend Spencerville Adventist Academy but are concerned about the financial obligation, Spencerville Church may be able to help. Tuition assistance applications for the 2025– 2026 school year are **open through Friday, May 9, 2025**.

Apply through the SAA financial dashboard and include the required documentation. For questions, contact the church office at 301.284.2920 or office@ spencervillechurch.org. All applications are handled confidentially.

#### TUESDAY VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING

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

#### MIDWEEK AT SPENCERVILLE

Join us every **Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.** in the Spencerville Adventist Academy auditorium for a time of singing, a short message, and group prayer, all within an hour. Everyone is 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.

If you have young children (ages 5-10), they'll enjoy the songs with the adults in the Sanctuary, before being dismissed to Midweek Kids, an exciting and purposebuilt kids program led by Pastor Lerone and her team! Wednesday evenings at Spencerville Church are a time for the whole family!

#### 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!

#### 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 <u>spencervillechurch</u>. <u>org/rebuild</u>. 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!

#### PRAYER NEWSLETTER

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

#### SIGN UP TO RECEIVE OUR 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*, 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.

#### SAA 5K/FUN RUN

**Tomorrow** is the 9th Annual SAA 5K Cross-Country Style Race and Fun Run that will take place Rain or Shine on our beautiful school campus. For questions and to sign up visit: <u>runsignup.com/Race/MD/</u> <u>SpencervilleAdventistAcademy5K</u>

#### 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 this 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 <u>visit ccosda.org/</u> <u>campmeeting</u>.

## 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.

#### 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.

#### LIVINGWELL HEALTH SEMINAR

Tomorrow, May 4, make your way to LivingWell in Silver Spring from 2:00-3:00 p.m. to learn how to unlock the power of nature's pharmacy! Join wellness expert Rico Hill to learn how nutrition can combat disease and discover simple effective natural remedies like "flu bomb". As the host of "From Sickness to Health" and founder of "Beehive International", Rico promotes health education through initiatives like "Community Health Advocate Training, (C.H.A.T)".

## CALENDAR MAY

- 3 Alumni Vespers 8:30 p.m. SAA
- 3 Alumni basketball/volleyball games 9:00 p.m.
- 4 SAA 5K & Fun Run SAA
- 5 Church Board Meeting 7:00 p.m.
- 6 Virtual Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
- 7 Pathfinder Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- 7 Midweek Worship Service 7:00 p.m. SAA
- 9 Young Adult Vespers 6:30 p.m.

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

# STAFF DIRECTORY

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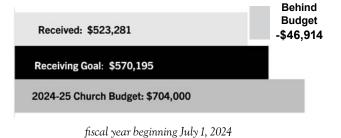
#### OTHER CONTACTS

Prayer Requests	ext. 140	prayerline@spencervillechurch.org
Member Care Line	ext. 141	membercare@spencervillechurch.org
Spencerville Academy		info@spencerville.org
Chesapeake Conference		* °
National Domestic Violence Hotline		9

## FINANCIAL REPORT

### **OPERATING BUDGET RECEIVED**

Through Week 41 - April 12, 2025



CAPITAL BUDGET RECEIVED

\$664,507 received through April 12, 2025 for fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024

#### CURRENT DEBT

\$2,411,614 as of April 15, 2025



#### Meeting at:

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

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