



JULY 26, 2025

WELCOME

Welcome to Spencerville Church. Whether you are a member or a guest, attending in person or joining us online, we're happy that you have chosen to worship with us today.

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 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: 8:22 p.m. Next Sabbath: 8:15 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.

*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 Come Thou King	Praise Team
Children's Lesson		Delaney Kruger
Scripture	Hebrews 10:35–39	
Songs of Praise	Holy Forever Do it Again	Praise Team
Prayer		
Sermon	“The Most Important Question”	Pastor Crystal E. Ward
Song of Response	Trust in God	Praise Team
Benediction		Pastor Crystal

The offering this Sabbath has been designated for Chesapeake Advance

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

Vocalists: Emily Dowling, Yessica Cabezas, Karen Miranda

Guitar: Hadid Cortez

Piano: Korey Dowling

SECOND SERVICE

11:30 a.m.

*Please assist us in maintaining a reverent spirit of worship by muting your electronic devices.
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Welcome		Pastor Chad Stuart
Introit	Sing to My Heart a Song <i>Vittorio Giannini</i>	Robert Martinez, tenor Asriel Davis, piano
† Call to Worship		Cindy Di Pinto
† Hymn of Praise	No. 517, My Faith Looks Up To Thee TUNE: OLIVET	Congregation
Invocation		Pastor Crystal E. Ward
Children's Lesson		Delanney Kruger
Call to Prayer	No. 671, As We Come to You in Prayer	Congregation
* Prayer		Trent Truman
Anthem	The Lord is My Light <i>Frances Allitsen</i>	Robert Martinez, tenor Asriel Davis, piano
Sermon	"The Most Important Question"	Pastor Crystal
† Hymn of Response	No. 608, Faith is the Victory	Congregation
† Benediction		Pastor Crystal
** Postlude	Doxology <i>Fred Bock</i>	Asriel Davis, 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

CONDOLENCE

With sorrow in our hearts we share the news that *Charles Shyab, Sr.* died unexpectedly on July 15. All are invited to attend a memorial service which will be held on August 2 at 3:00 p.m. at the Sligo Adventist Church located at 8300 Carroll Avenue in Takoma Park. Please remember his wife Jocelyn (Jo), and their children in your prayers as they grieve the loss of husband and father.

THE OFFERING FOR JULY 26

*Today's offering is for
Chesapeake Advance*

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.

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.

SUMMER YOUTH ACTIVITIES

The next event is **tomorrow**, at Hershey Park. For details email Pastor John, jgonzalez@spencervillechurch.org.

MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP POTLUCK LUNCH

Plan to join us **next Sabbath**, following the second worship service, for our monthly Fellowship Potluck Lunch which will be held in the Great Room. We look forward each month to this pleasant time that we can spend together while we enjoy, good food, good fun, good fellowship, and good friendships. Members, please bring your food items ready to serve—enough to feed your family plus our guests. A table will be set up in the foyer, near the doors to the Great Room where you can place your lunch contributions. Our guests are cordially invited to join us.

MINISTRY LEADERSHIP TRAINING

If you are a ministry leader, we invite you to a special Ministry Leadership Training on **Sunday, August 24, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** at Spencerville Adventist Academy. This important session will equip and empower you as we prepare for a new season of ministry together.

LEADERS NEEDED FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL SABBATH SCHOOL

Are you looking to make a difference? Pastor John is looking for teachers for Middle School Sabbath School! Join the team and experience the joy of leading our youth in

prayer, discussions, and sharing the joy of exploring lessons in the Bible! Contact Pastor John if you are interested, jgonzalez@spencervillechurch.org.

SERVE YOUR CHURCH, IMPACT YOUR COMMUNITY!

Are you looking for ways to get involved? Our Ministry Engagement Committee connects members with available service opportunities, some within the church and others helping the greater community. We have an immediate need for a *service graphics operator*. To learn more, please contact Ava Wilt, our Ministry Engagement leader, at ministry@spencervillechurch.org.

JOIN US FOR OUR 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 WORSHIP AT SPENCERVILLE ACADEMY

Midweek will continue during the summer season every **Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.** in the Spencerville Adventist Academy auditorium. Join us 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 week to rejuvenate and connect with Jesus and each other.

DONATE TO REBUILD OUR CHURCH

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!

PRAYER NEWSLETTER

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

A FRIENDLY REMINDER ABOUT FOOD/DRINKS IN THE SANCTUARY

We are grateful to the Lutheran Church of St. Andrew (LCSA) 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 or drinks, including candy, 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!

ARE YOU RECEIVING OUR EMAIL NEWSLETTERS?

Stay up-to-date by receiving the two weekly emails published by Spencerville Church at spencervillechurch.org/weekly-update. Thursday's *Weekly Update* contains the latest church news, where Friday's *Worship Update* has important updates and information related to our weekly worship.

Summer Schedule for the Weekly Update

The *Weekly Update* is on our summer schedule. You'll receive the *Weekly Update* every second week throughout the summer. The next installment will arrive in your inbox on **Thursday, August 7**. Friday's *Worship Update* will continue its normal weekly schedule, bringing you information on the upcoming Sabbath services every Friday afternoon.

SLIGO BY-THE-SEA

Sligo By-the-Sea is celebrating more than 60 years of tradition and ministry. Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church and many other church members from around the Mid-Atlantic area come together to worship. Each summer members who own or rent property in Ocean City and Delaware and visitors who spend time relaxing by the ocean gather each Sabbath to worship and fellowship together. Attendees are welcome to attend in casual attire. **Next Sabbath, August 2**, the speaker will be Pastor Kermit Netteburg, senior pastor, retired, Beltsville Adventist Church. Spencerville Elder, Anthony

Kent, will be the speaker for **August 23**, and Pastor Kandace will speak on **September 6**. Speakers are invited from around the country to share Sabbath School lessons and a Worship service in this beautiful backdrop until **September 20, 2025**. Fliers with details of dates/speakers are at the Welcome Desk. Feel free to pick one up or visit sligochurch.org/sligo-by-the-sea for more information.

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

JULY

- 29 Virtual Prayer Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
- 30 Midweek Worship Service - 7:00 p.m. - SAA

AUGUST

- 2 Monthly Fellowship Potluck Lunch
- 11 SAA First Day of School
- 24 Ministry Leadership Training -
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - SAA

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

STAFF DIRECTORY

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Spencerville Academy..... 301.421.9101 info@spencerville.org
Chesapeake Conference 301.596.5600 info@ccosda.org
National Domestic Violence Hotline..... 800.799.7233

FINANCIAL REPORT

END OF FISCAL YEAR

Through Week 52 - June 30, 2025

Received: \$633,807	Behind Budget
Receiving Goal: \$704,032	-\$70,225
2024-25 Church Budget: \$704,000	

fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024

CAPITAL BUDGET RECEIVED

\$729,414
received through June 28, 2025 for
fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024

CURRENT DEBT

\$2,388,127
as of July 15, 2025



Meeting at:

The Lutheran Church of St. Andrew
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Silver Spring, MD 20905

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