

Friends helping friends
 Fully ^{become} disciples
 of Christ

Welcome to Our Worship Services Today! Let us gather around the throne of God for grace to face whatever the coming days may bring us.

The Midweek Connection will explore another chapter from *Steps to Christ* on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Next Sabbath the Pastor's message *Pathway to Pentecost* (Acts 1:1 - 2:4) will encourage your personal journey in spiritual renewal.

The Nursing Home Ministry will meet next Sabbath afternoon. With our growing opportunities more warm voices and hearts are needed to lift the song of Christian cheer.

Open House: The Adventist Book Center and Southern New England Conference Open House will be held on Sunday, September 7 from 10:00 - 3:00.

The Pathfinders will meet at 3:00 on Sunday, September 7. Wear dress uniforms.

Communion will be celebrated during the Worship Service on September 20.

Reconnecting Ministries: Want to reach friends who used to worship with you? Members throughout the Atlantic Union are invited together for a free one-day Reconnecting Ministries event, sponsored by the North American Division at the College Church on September 13. Contact Elizabeth Castle at 978.368.2130 extension 2 to register, or go to www.creativeministry.org/.

A Church Yard Sale will be held on September 14 with the option for items to be donated to a church sales table or sold for personal profit from a rented table. Help is needed to price merchandise the night before and to staff sales tables. For more information contact Vivian Irrgang.

Pathfinder Fund Raiser: Between now and the end of September the King's Kids Pathfinder club will be selling flower bulbs, Crocus, Daffodils, Grecian Windflowers, Hyacinths, Iris, Paperwhite Narcissus, Tulips. Order some for home or for the church or both. You may place your order with any Pathfinder member, or write your order on the order form posted to the fellowship hall bulletin board. If you want to take a look on-line the web site is:

<http://www.dutchmillbulbs.com/fall/productsprices.html>.



Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church
 August 30, 2003

Worship Celebration

Attitude of Fortitude

Gathering To Worship

Prelude Ingrid Mergenthaler
 Worship Host Greetings Andreas Goelzer

Praising His Name

Praise Songs Dan & Linda Martella
How Majestic Is Your Name
Your Everlasting Love
The Battle Belongs to the Lord
Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus
 Congregational Prayer Michael Casadine
 Gifts of Worship Andreas Goelzer
 Church Budget
 Offertory Ingrid Mergenthaler

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner Warren Saxton
 Scripture Lesson Sary Neang
 1 Peter 4:12-19
 Song of Meditation #495
Near to the Heart of God
 Sabbath Message Dan Martella
Can't Keep Me Down

Dedicating Our Lives

Prayer of Dedication Dan Martella
 Song of Dedication #633
When We All Get To Heaven
 Benediction Andreas Goelzer
 Postlude Ingrid Mergenthaler

Church Directory Updates: Patrice Forrester, 8 Chung St., Nashua, NH 03962. 603/889-0041. Reina Buruca & Jose Portillo, 282 Old Main Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876. 978/978-640-2995.

From My Heart: The day is coming when we will face our Savior and Judge. This is what He will want to know -- What have you done with your life? Your gifts? Your abilities? Did you give it all away in service for Me? DBM

Sunset Tonight 7:20

Next Friday 7:10



Here to Serve ...

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How Majestic Is Your Name

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth.
O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth.
O Lord, we praise Your name. O Lord, we magnify Your name;
Prince of Peace, Mighty God, Oh Lord God Almighty!

(Repeat)

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Your Everlasting Love

Your everlasting love is deeper, deeper, deeper than the sea.
Your everlasting love is deeper, deeper, deeper than the sea.
Deeper than the sea.
O the wonder of Your everlasting love is deeper than the sea.

Your everlasting love is higher, higher, higher, than the sky,
Your everlasting love is higher, higher, higher than the sky,
Higher than the sky.
O the wonder of Your everlasting love is higher than the sky.

Higher than the heavens above is the glory of Your wonderful love.
I'm lost in the mystery of
Your everlasting love, Your everlasting love.
Your everlasting love, Your everlasting love.

Your everlasting love is reaching, reaching, reaching out to me.
Your everlasting love is reaching, reaching, reaching out to me,
Reaching out to me.
Oh, the wonder of Your everlasting love is reaching out to me.

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The Battle Belongs To The Lord

In heavenly armor we'll enter the land;
The battle belongs to the Lord.
No weapon that's fashioned against us will stand;
The battle belongs to the Lord.

Chorus:

And we sing glory, honor! Power and strength to the Lord.
We sing glory, honor! Power and strength to the Lord.

Over ✍

When the power of darkness comes in like a flood;
The battle belongs to the Lord.
He's raised up a standard, the pow'r of His blood;
The battle belongs to the Lord.

When your enemy presses in hard do not fear;
The battle belongs to the Lord.
Take courage, my friend, your redemption is near.
The battle belongs to the Lord.

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Stand Up Stand Up For Jesus

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, ye soldiers of the cross;
Lift high His royal banner, it must not suffer loss;
From vict'ry unto vict'ry His army shall He lead,
Till ev'ry foe is vanquished and Christ is Lord indeed.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, the trumpet call obey;
Forth to the mighty conflict in this His glorious day.
Ye that are men, now serve Him against unnumbered foes;
Let courage rise with danger, and strength to strength oppose.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, stand in His strength alone;
The arm of flesh will fail you, ye dare not trust your own.
Put on the Gospel armor, each piece put on with prayer;
Where duty calls, or danger, be never wanting there.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, the strife will not be long,
This day, the noise of battle, the next, the victor's song.
To Him that overcometh, a crown of life shall be;
He with the King of Glory shall reign eternally.

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