

Friends helping friends
become
Fully devoted followers
of **Christ**

Welcome to Our Worship Celebration Today! Let us share together as friends in worship and service for Christ.

MVC Officer Schedules for the Fall Quarter are available today at the lobby table.

A Church Workbee will held tomorrow morning beginning at 9:00. Bring your shovels, hand tools, gloves, wheelbarrows, and enthusiasm to help us clean up the church yard.

The Pathfinders will meet tomorrow at 1:00 in their field uniforms for a meeting and apple/pumpkin picking expedition.

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

Next Sabbath:

- ? Pathfinder Induction Service.
- ? Sermon: *What We're Here For*; Speaker: Pastor.
- ? Small Bible Study Group Leaders' Meeting.
- ? Fellowship Dinner. (See menu sign up sheet on bulletin board)
- ? Nursing Home Ministry.
- ? Deadline for November/December Church Newsletter.

Week of Prayer will be celebrated October 18 - 25 as we prepare for the Fall Outreach Ministries of our Church.

Adventist Review: Make your spiritual diet a priority. Subscribe to the Adventist Review. Call your Adventist Book Center before October 31 to save \$8.00. 1-800-765-6955.

Pathfinder Fund Raiser: The King's Kids Pathfinder Club is selling flower bulbs. 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>.

From My Heart: The Bible tells us that we have been saved to serve. We are not here just to make big money, work our way up the corporate ladder, and to surround ourselves with all the symbols of success as they are defined by our materialistic world. We are here to serve. DBM



Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church
September 27, 2003

Worship Celebration

Soul Winning Prayer

Gathering To Worship

Prelude Ingrid Mergenthaler
Worship Host Greetings Steven Dovich

Praising His Name

Praise Songs Karen McClendon & Marge Patch
He Has Made Me Glad; Let There Be Praise
His Name is Wonderful; O Lord, You're Beautiful
Sweet Hour of Prayer; Cares Chorus

Congregational Prayer Joan Reiss

Deacon Ordination Service

Gifts of Worship Steven Dovich

Conference Advance/Secondary Education

Offertory Ingrid Mergenthaler

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner Juanita Ortiz

Scripture Lesson Steven Dovich

1 John 5:13-16a

Worship in Song Jose Mortimer & Friends

Sabbath Message Dan Martella

The Awesome Power of Intercessory Prayer

Dedicating Our Lives

Church Alive Andreas Goelzer

Song of Dedication #365

O Zion Haste

Prayer of Dedication

Worship Host Benediction Steven Dovich

Postlude Ingrid Mergenthaler

Wanted: Blood Pressure and Receptionist Volunteers for the Topsfield Fair, October 4 - 13. Shifts needed are 10 am - 4 pm, and 4 pm - 10 pm. Free admission tickets for your services. Parking is a personal expense. If you are willing to give your time for this ministry of outreach please contact John or Julie Ferraro at the Boston Van Ministry office as soon as possible, 781-438-2838 or 978-388-9004 (Evenings).

Adventist Churches in Bermuda suffered minimal damage from Hurricane Fabian, the strongest hurricane to hit Bermuda. "Thanks for your prayers, and the prayers of the saints," wrote D. Randolph Wilson, Bermuda Conference communication director. All churches were closed on Sabbath because people were asked to stay indoors to allow clean-up crews to work without hindrance from or danger to the public. The exact intensity of the hurricane winds is not known. The recording equipment broke when winds reached 143 miles per hour.

Sunset Tonight 6:31

Next Friday 6:21



Here to Serve ...

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He Has Made Me Glad

I will enter His gates with thanksgiving in my heart.
 I will enter His courts with praise.
 I will say, "This is the day that the Lord has made."
 I will rejoice for He has made me glad.
 He has made me glad, He has made me glad,
 I will rejoice for He has made me glad.
 He has made me glad, He has made me glad,
 I will rejoice for He has made me glad.

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Let There Be Praise

Let there be praise, let there be joy in our hearts.
 Sing to the Lord, give Him the glory, glory.
 Let there be praise, let there be joy in our hearts,
 Forevermore let His love fill the air and let there be praise.

(Repeat)

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His Name Is Wonderful

His name is Wonderful, His name is Wonderful,
 His name is Wonderful, Jesus, my Lord;
 He is the Mighty King, Master of ev'rything;
 His name is Wonderful, Jesus, my Lord.
 He's the Great Shepherd, the Rock of all ages,
 Almighty God is He.
 Bow down before Him, love and adore Him,
 His name is Wonderful, Jesus my Lord.

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Oh Lord You're Beautiful

Oh Lord, You're beautiful, Your face is all I seek,
 For when Your eyes are on this child, Your grace abounds to me.

Oh Lord, please light the fire, that once burned bright and clear.
 Replace the lamp of my first love, that burns with holy fear.

Oh Lord, You're beautiful, Your face is all I seek,
 For when Your eyes are on this child, Your grace abounds to me.

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Sweet Hour of Prayer

Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, that calls me from a world of care
And bids me at my Father's throne make all my wants and wishes known.
In seasons of distress and grief my soul has often found relief,
And oft escaped the tempter's snare, by Thy return sweet hour of prayer.
Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer. the joys I feel, the bliss I share.
Of those whose anxious spirits burn with strong desires for Thy return.
With such I hasten to the place where God, my Savior, shows His face.
And gladly take my station there, and wait for Thee, sweet hour of prayer.

Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, thy wings shall my petition bear
To Him whose truth and faithfulness engage the waiting soul to bless;
And since He bids me seek His face, believe His word, and trust His grace,
I'll cast on Him my ev'ry care, and wait for Thee, sweet hour of prayer.

Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer, may I Thy consolation share,
'Til from Mount Pisgah's lofty height, I view my home and take my flight.
This robe of flesh I'll drop and rise to seize the everlasting prize,
And shout while passing through the air,
Farewell, farewell sweet hour of prayer.

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Cares Chorus

I cast all my cares upon You.
I lay all of my burdens down at Your feet;
And anytime that I don't know what to do,
I will cast all my cares upon You.

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Lord Lay Some Soul Upon My Heart

Lord, lay some soul upon my heart and love that soul thro' me;
And may I always do my part to win that soul for Thee.

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