

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

Welcome to Our Worship Celebration Today! Let us worship with joy in our hearts as we celebrate the new life that is ours in Jesus Christ.

Happy Birthday Merrimack Valley Church -- Tomorrow we celebrate seven years of worship, fellowship, outreach, and miracles together as a congregation.

Fresh Holiday Wreaths -- Today is the last day to place your order. See the bulletin board for more information about this Pathfinder program.

Thank You for your partnership in the *What is Jesus Doing Now* seminar hosted by our Church this past weekend. No single evangelism venture in the history of our congregation has made a greater impact on our community. Thank you for your growing witness for Christ! DBM

The Pathfinders will meet tomorrow from 3:00 - 6:00. Wear dress uniforms. A staff meeting will follow.

The Church Board will meet on Tuesday evening at 7:00.

Next Sabbath our speaker will be Warren Saxton. The Pastor will be at the Billerica Church.

Church Sign: \$1,318.00 has been raised toward the installation of a permanent church sign. Thank you for your support in this important ministry.

The Dracut Thanksgiving Service will be held Sunday, November 23 at 7:00 pm at the St Marguerite D'Youville Church located at 1340 Lakeview Avenue. Our MVC congregation will provide the speaker and some choir members.

Fruit Delivery will take place on November 16 from 10:00 - 12:00.

October Finances	Received	Monthly Budget
Church Budget	\$3,058.00	\$2,800.00
Building Fund	\$2,336.00*	\$3,534.00

*Includes \$379.00 from the Children's Offering



Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church
November 8, 2003

Worship Celebration

New Beginnings

Gathering To Worship

Prelude
Worship Host Greetings

Ingrid Mergenthaler
Andreas Goelzer

Praising His Name

Praise Songs
This is the Time I Must Sing
He Touched Me
Something Beautiful
I Give All To You

Congregational Prayer
Church Alive
Baptism Celebration
Gifts of Worship
World Mission Budget/Annual Sacrifice
Offertory

Sherri Dovich, Jean McKillop,
& Linda Martella

Rita McCall
Adventist Health Study II
Ruth Crispo & Aloys Gomwe
Andreas Goelzer

Maxine Sears

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner
Scripture Lesson: Matthew 3:13-17
Worship in Song

Sabbath Message
A Change of Profession

Alice Jacobson
Gilda Newell
Navy Lim Kan, Sary Neang,
Thouncy Sing, & Tang Sien Cheng
Dan Martella

Dedicating Our Lives

Song of Dedication
I Have Decided to Follow Jesus
Prayer of Dedication
Worship Host Benediction
Postlude

Dan Martella
Andreas Goelzer
Ingrid Mergenthaler

SCRIP Program: Turn your Home Depot and Olive Garden purchases into donations for the Church Building fund. For more information about the SCRIP program contact Ingrid Mergenthaler.

Thought Spot: The same church members who yell like Comanche Indians at a ball game on Sunday, sit like wooden Indians in church on Sabbath. Adapted from Vance Havner

Sunset Tonight 4:28

Next Friday 4:22



Here to Serve ...

Every Believer, Ministers	-----
Dan Martella, Pastor	978/851-4004
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Gary Patch, Head Deacon	978/663-4544
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Songs of Praise

This Is the Time I Must Sing

I have tasted of freedom, I can go where He's leading.
For shackles can hold me no more.
I have learned of life's essence, and I stand in His presence,
And sing with my heart, He is Lord.
There are days filled with sorrow, and plans for tomorrow,
But this is the time I must sing.
And I know there's a reason, why in His own season,
God gives me a song I can sing.

Chorus:

Keep silent ye mountains, ye fields and ye fountains.
For this is the time I must sing.
It's the time to sing praises, to the Rock of the Ages.
And this is the time I must sing.

If the rocks would cry out, should His praises die out,
Then the stones must keep silent as long.
As I've breath for the singing, His praise will keep ringing,
And I will keep singing my song.
If I've seen and I've done, and I've gained and I've won,
All the good things that life ever brings,
Still I've tasted enough of life's miracle stuff,
That forever I just have to sing.

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He Touched Me

Shackled by a heavy burden,
'Neath a load of guilt and shame.
Then the hand of Jesus touched me,
And now I am no longer the same.

Chorus:

He touched me, O, He touched me,
And O, the joy that floods my soul.
Something happened, and now I know,
He touched me and made me whole.

Since I met this blessed Savior,
Since He cleansed and made me whole,
I will never cease to praise Him,
I'll shout it while eternity rolls.

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Something Beautiful

Something beautiful, something good;
All my confusion He understood.
All I had to offer Him was brokenness and strife,
But He made something beautiful of my life.

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I Give All To You

I give all my service to You.
I give all my service to You.
No matter the cost or what others do,
I give all my service to You.

I give all my problems to You . . .

I give all my future to You . . .

I give all my worship to You . . .

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Song of Dedication

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

I have decided to follow Jesus, I have decided to follow Jesus,
I have decided to follow Jesus. No turning back. No turning back.

The world behind me, the cross before me . . .

Tho' none go with me, still I will follow . . .

Will you decide no to follow Jesus? . . .

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My Decision for Jesus

- _____ I accept Jesus as my Savior and Lord
- _____ I want to be baptized
- _____ I want to be re-baptized
- _____ I recommit my life to Jesus today
- _____ I want to be filled with the Holy Spirit
- _____ I would appreciate a visit from the Pastor

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____