

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

Welcome to Merrimack Valley Church! As we rest in Jesus, the Provider of all our needs, we are safe and secure for evermore!

Church Events This Coming Week

Sunday	3:30	pm	Pathfinders
Monday	7:00	pm	Transition Lifestyle
Wednesday	7:00	pm	Prayer Meeting
Thursday	7:30	pm	Elders Meeting
Sabbath	10:00	am	Sabbath School
Sabbath	11:30	am	Worship Service – Speaker: Lance Forrester

Announcements

Happy 98th Birthday Grammy Reiss! There will be a potluck lunch in honor of Grammy's special day after church today.

We have a new Pastor! Pastor Philip and Denise Vasseur will be joining us tentatively in November. They have been serving in Redmond, OR.

Women's Ministries at MVC is off to a great start! A study on *Women of the Bible* will begin September 30 at 6 pm and continue on November 5 at 5 pm (includes supper & craft for our Live Nativity) and December 2 at 6 pm. Secret Sisters will start October 8 – forms for sign up are available in the foyer.

Membership Transfer Recommendation: William and Catalina Carvajal from Bucaramanga, Columbia to MVC. Second reading.

Nursing Home Ministries will be providing a program of song and inspiration for a local nursing home today after a quick lunch. Come and help share a bit of Jesus with these elderly folk to brighten their day! Programs are provided on the last two Sabbaths of the month to area nursing homes. For more info, contact Jean McKillop or Marianne Wiacek.

Thought Spot: Witnessing is the essence of the church. It is not simply what the church does, but also what the church is. Where witnessing becomes a casualty, the church also becomes a casualty and begins to fade away. Witnessing is for the church what breathing is for a human being. – Jan Paulsen, *Adventist Review*.

Sunset Tonight 6:40

Next Friday 6:29

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September 24, 2005

Worship Celebration

Strength For Our Trials

Gathering to Worship

Prelude	Ingrid Mergenthaler
Worship Host's Greetings	Steven Dovich
Call to Worship	

Praising His Name

Praise Songs	Sue Markin
<i>All The Way</i>	Gilda Newell
<i>In His Time</i>	Jennifer Voight
<i>Day by Day</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Joanie Reiss
Gifts of Worship	Marge Patch
SNEC Secondary Education	
Offertory	Ingrid Mergenthaler

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Chali Masotta
Scripture Lesson	Steven Dovich
Responsive Reading – See insert	
Worship in Song	The Dovich Family
Sabbath Message	Chali Masotta
<i>Clouds In The Wilderness</i>	

Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	#529
<i>Under His Wings</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Chali Masotta
Worship Host's Benediction	Steven Dovich
Postlude	Ingrid Mergenthaler

Thank you for reverencing God's house.
Hushed voices and muted phones enhance our worship experience.

Giving Hearts: September Report
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Offerings	Received	Monthly Budget
Church Budget	\$2,352.00	\$2,942.00
Building/Organ Fund	\$2,430.00	\$3,725.00
Special Offerings To-Date	Received	Needed
Primary Sabbath School	\$2,654.00	\$2,654.00
Video Projector Fund	\$1,006.00	

Here to Serve

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