

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

**Welcome to Merrimack Valley Church!** "But we have spoken the truth in love which will help you grow to be more and more like Him."  
– Ephesians 4:15, *The Clear Word*.

**Church Events This Coming Week**

Sunday	11:30 am	Pathfinder - Maple Sugaring
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Prayer Meeting
Friday	7:00 pm	D.O.G. Puppet Ministry Practice
Sabbath	10:00 am	Sabbath School
	11:30 am	Worship Service – Pathfinder Sabbath

**Announcements**

**March 25 – Pathfinders** invite all to join them after the church service to visit the Museum of Science. Also, at 6:00 pm, join us for worship, supper and games at the McCall's. Contact Rita McCall, evenings at (978) 667 6670 or [ritalmccall@comcast.net](mailto:ritalmccall@comcast.net).

**Spring 2006 Church Leadership Schedules** are available today in the foyer. This schedule is also available on the church web site <http://www.mvsda.org>.

**Easter Sabbath Celebration.** Mark your calendar for our Easter service on April 15<sup>th</sup>. A special worship celebration is planned and the April fellowship dinner will follow. Invite your friends to come and share this time with us.

**Thought Spot:** "This parable [ the Good Samaritan] is much larger than even that, though," he continued. "It's saying that some people put their religion before God. They are so selfish that they make their religion more important than God. Like the priest who looked the other way. They're making their religion into a false god and breaking the 'Thou shalt have no other gods before me' commandment. Isn't that right?" – Phillip Whidden, *Mohammed's Parables*, March 9 issue of *Adventist Review*. (An excellent read.)

**Sunset Tonight 5:53**

**Next Friday 6:00**

**Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church**  
March 18, 2006

# Worship Celebration

How We Grow

## Gathering to Worship

Prelude	Sherri Dovich
Worship Host's Greetings	Andreas Goelzer
Call to Worship	

## Praising His Name

Praise Songs	Catalina Carvajal
<i>Pass It On</i>	Stephanie Goelzer
<i>We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise</i>	
<i>He Has Made Me Glad</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Gustav Mergenthaler
Gifts of Worship	Andreas Goelzer
Local Church Budget	
Offertory	Sherri Dovich

## Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Stan McKillop
Scripture Lesson	Andreas Goelzer
<i>Ephesians 4:14, 15</i>	
Worship in Song	Stephanie Goelzer
Sabbath Message	Phil Vasseur
<i>How We Morph</i>	

## Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	#311
<i>I Would Be Like Jesus</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Phil Vasseur
Worship Host's Benediction	Andreas Goelzer
Postlude	Sherri Dovich

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

· **Secondary Education Trust Fund Applications** are available for students attending any Adventist academy. The application deadline is March 31, 2006. See our bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall for application forms. Questions may be directed to Angela Montoya at (978) 365 4551 ext. 18.

### Future Church Events

March 19	SNEC VBS Training
March 25	Pathfinder Sabbath
	Women's Bible Study/Potluck Supper/Craft – 5:30 pm
April 15	Easter Sabbath Celebration
	Fellowship Dinner
April 29	Family Night – Movie/Games – 8:00 pm
June 17-25	SNEC Campmeeting
August	Vacation Bible School

### Giving Hearts: March Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly Budget
Church Budget	\$1,399.00	\$3,208.00
Building/Organ Fund	\$1,400.00	\$3,488.00
Special Offerings To-Date	Received	Needed
Tables and Chairs	\$996.00	\$7,000.00

## Here to Serve

Audio/Visual: .....	Andreas Goelzer.....	603/821-1041
Community Services:.....	Karen McClendon.....	978/658-2893
Deacon: .....	Gary Patch.....	978/663-4544
Deaconess:.....	Juanita Ortiz .....	978/683-1319
Elder: .....	Steven Dovich .....	978/621-4925
Membership Clerk: .....	Joan Reiss .....	978/256-1671
Pastor: .....	Phil Vasseur .....	603/429-2410
Recording Clerk:.....	Sue Markin .....	978/957-6384
Sabbath School: .....	Ingrid Mergenthaler .....	603/883-3587
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