

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

Welcome to Merrimack Valley Church Family! May God richly bless you and your family.

Church Events This Coming Week

Today	12:00 pm	Marriage Seminar
Tuesday	7:00 pm	Church Business Meeting
Sabbath	10:00 am	Sabbath School
	11:30 am	Worship Service – Phil Vasseur
	12:00 pm	Fellowship Luncheon
	2:30 pm	Adventurer Meeting – Dress Uniform
	5:00 pm	Pathfinder Meeting
	7:30 pm	Pathfinder Staff Meeting

Announcements

In Memory – Jean McKillop's sister passed away last week in Atlanta, Georgia. Our sympathies continue to be with Jean and Stanley and their family and friends.

Welcome to those attending the Marriage Seminar today. Please meet in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the church service.

The Prayer Warrior Team: Prayer requests may be sent to prayer@mvsda.org. The Prayer Team will add it to their list and present your petitions to God on a regular basis.

Sunset Tonight 4:29

Next Friday 4:37

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church
January 10, 2009

Worship Celebration

The Christian Home

Gathering to Worship

Prelude	Sherri Dovich
Worship Host's Greeting	William Carvajal
Call to Worship	

Praising His Name

Praise Songs	Peralta Family
<i>With Jesus in the Family</i>	
<i>Love at Home</i>	
<i>Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Jennifer Voight
Gifts of Worship	Shirley Antoine
<i>Local Conference Budget</i>	
Offertory	Sherri Dovich

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Stephanie Goelzer
Scripture Lesson	Rob Voight
<i>Reading # 827 "The Christian Home", SDA Hymnal</i>	
Worship in Song	Shirley Antoine
Sabbath Message	Rick Trott
<i>7 Serious Questions</i>	

Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	# 99
<i>God Will Take Care of You</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Rick Trott
Worship Host's Benediction	William Carvajal
Postlude	Sherri Dovich

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

Future Church Events

Jan 24	Family Night
Feb 15	Valentine's Party
Feb 28	Prayer Breakfast
Feb 28	Friendship Sabbath
Mar 14	International Sabbath
Apr 5	Progressive Dinner Party
Jun 13	Women's Ministry Day

Please visit our web site for additional calendar information:
<http://www.mvsda.org/Calendar/>

Giving Hearts: January - to date - Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$898.00	\$3,500.00
Building Fund	\$1,148.00	\$3,250.00
Special Offerings To-Date	Received	Needed
Sound System	\$741.00	\$6,025.00
Christmas Tree	1,731.00	

Bulletin information should be sent to Vivian Irrgang (e-mail: bulletin@mvsda.org; phone: 978/683-1319. Items submitted each week by 7p.m. Tuesday evening will be considered for inclusion in the bulletin.

Here to Serve

Audio/Visual:	Andreas Goelzer.....	603/821-1041
Community Services	Karen McClendon.....	978/658-2893
Deacon:	Gary Patch.....	978/663-4544
Deaconess:.....	Jean McKillop	603/382-4673
Elder:	Dale Jacobson	603/898-4075
Membership Clerk:	Joan Reiss	978/256-1671
Pastor:	Phil Vasseur	603/494-9242
Recording Clerk:.....	Sue Markin	978/957-6384
Sabbath School:	Alice Jacobson	603/898-4075
Treasurer:.....	Marge Patch	978/663-4544

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Prayer Request:

Jim Reiss- prayer for healing
 David Morris- heart problems
 Cindy Harris' Mom – recovering from surgery
 Nydia Ortega – (Juanita Ortiz's co-worker)- breast cancer

Thought Spot: “If religion is to influence society, it must first influence the home circle. If children were trained to love and fear God at home, when they go forth into the world, they would be prepared to train their own families for God, and thus the principles of truth would become implanted in society and exert a telling influence in the world. Religion should not be divorced from home education” (*Adventist Home*, p. 121). Now that's something to think about.
Pastor Phil

Southern New England Conference Events

Jun 19-27 SNEC English Camp Meeting
 Aug 11-15, 2009 Courage to Stand NAD Pathfinder Camporee
 Oshkosh, WI