

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

Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church! God's greatest gift to mankind is *eternal life* through the cross of Christ. But I have a question for you. How do we respond to the cross? In today's worship hour, we'll explore the ins and outs of the cross and our response. We hope you'll enjoy the journey.

Church Events This Coming Week

Today	2:30 pm	Adventurer Meeting- Dress Uniform
	5:15 pm	Pathfinder Meeting- Full Dress Uniform
Sunday	8:00 am	Work Bee
Monday	7:00 pm	Week of Prayer "Kingdom Seekers"
Tuesday	7:00 pm	Week of Prayer "Kingdom Seekers"
	7:00 pm	Church Board
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Week of Prayer "Kingdom Seekers"
Thursday	7:00 pm	Week of Prayer "Kingdom Seekers"
Friday	7:00 pm	Week of Prayer "Kingdom Seekers"
Sabbath	10:00 am	Sabbath School
	11:30 am	Worship Service – Phil Vasseur
	1:00 pm	Thanksgiving Dinner
	5:30 pm	Adventurer Swimming

Announcements

Thanksgiving Food baskets - signup sheet for fresh fruits, vegetables and gift certificates is now available on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall. Pray about what you can donate this year. Contact Rita McCall with any questions at ritalmccall@gmail.com or at 978-808-1415.

Sunset Tonight 4:32

Next Friday 4:26

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church
November 7, 2009

Worship Celebration
Our Response to the Cross

Gathering to Worship

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

Praising His Name

Praise Songs Jean McKillop
The Old Rugged Cross
You are My All in All
Victory in Jesus
Congregational Prayer Rita McCall
Gifts of Worship Bob McCall
Local Church Budget
Offertory Karl Camacho

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner Sherri Dovich
Scripture Lesson Zaira Peralta
2 Corinthians 5:20-21
Worship in Song William Carvajal
Sabbath Message Phil Vasseur
'The Cross and the Kingdom'

Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication #307
I Am Coming to the Cross
Prayer of Dedication Phil Vasseur
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

Nov 14	Thanksgiving Dinner
Dec 5	Seven Lessons and Carols Adult Christmas Party
Dec 12	<i>Christmas Hang-ups</i> - Kids Christmas Musical Christmas Fellowship Dinner
Dec 19	<i>I Hear the Prophet Callin'</i> - Christmas Cantata with Christ Church United
Dec 31	Communion – Agape Supper

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

Giving Hearts: October Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$2,846.00	\$3,792.00
Building Fund	\$3,733.00	\$3,250.00
Special Offerings To-Date	Received	Needed
Sound System	\$5,297.00	\$6,025.00

Bulletin information should be sent to Vivian Irrgang, email:
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.....	987/604-5818
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:	Steven Dovich	978/621-4925
Treasurer:.....	Marge Patch	978/663-4544

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Everyone is invited to our Work Bee Sunday Nov 8, 8:00AM-1:00PM
 Breakfast at 8:00AM. We are planning to fall clean the church,
 reorganize the shed & the trailer and do outside work which includes
 cutting brush in the retention pond area. This is a large job to
 complete in a few hours. All deacons & deaconesses are asked to
 make a special effort to come even if it is just for an hour. Thanking
 everyone in advance for your much needed help.

Do you know someone who is going through a tough time and
 could use a Thanksgiving Basket this year. The Pathfinders along
 with the Church Family will be putting together baskets to help those
 in need. The baskets will be ready for delivery on Saturday,
 November 21 right after the church service. Names should be given
 to Rita McCall as soon as possible. We are hoping to gather enough
 food to supply baskets to 15 families. E-mail ritalmccall@gmail.com
 or call 978-808-1415

A baptismal class geared towards the pre-teen and teen age
 groups is being planned. We are seeking young people who are
 interested in preparing for baptism and who will be committed to a
 study group for several weeks. If you are interested or know a young
 person who may be interested please let Rita McCall or Pastor Phil
 know. Details of the study group and the date and time will be
 announced once we have the names of those who are interested.
 You may send an e-mail to ritalmccall@gmail.com or leave a
 message at 978-808-1415 or fill out one of the interest cards located
 at each pew. If you do not fit the age category mentioned above and
 are interested in preparing for baptism please let us know so we can
 arrange a study appropriate for your age!

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.

Thought Spot: You're saved by grace but judged by works. Don't
 believe it? Read Revelation 22:12. It says, "And Behold, I am coming
 quickly, and My reward is with Me, to give to everyone according to
 his work." Now that's something to think about. Pastor Phil

Southern New England Conference Events

Nov 6-8	Family Life
Nov 20-22	Public High School/Home School Retreat

