

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

**Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church!** Are you becoming the person God wants to you to be? Do you even know who that is? Christian stewardship can serve as a gem to gaze on, so you can catch a glimpse of who that is supposed to be. In our worship service today, let's take a look.

#### Church Events This Coming Week

Today	1:30 pm	Nursing Home Ministry
Friday	6:00 pm	Journey to Bethlehem – Pathfinders Family & Friends Invited – Windham Bible Chapel
Sabbath	10:00 am	Sabbath School
	11:30 am	Worship Service – Seven Lessons & Carols
	2:30 pm	Adventurer Meeting - Dress Uniform
	6:00 pm	Adult Christmas Party

#### Announcements

**It's time to Party!!!** On Saturday night, Dec. 5th, we are having our annual Adult Christmas Party at 6:30 p.m. We will be having the Yankee Swap as well. For those participating, we ask that you bring a wrapped \$8-\$10 gift (no name tags please) and place it under the Fellowship hall tree. Please bring a hot or cold appetizer, snack, or a dessert of your choice to share. Come and enjoy an evening of fellowship, singing carols, eating, and swapping gifts. Hope to see you there!!!

**2010 Devotionals** are available for purchase through the church. Please see the samples and signup sheet on the table in the fellowship hall. The deadline to order is Dec. 5th and delivery to the church will be on Dec. 12th. Contact person is Joanie Reiss 978-256-1671 or [jjireiss@earthlink.net](mailto:jjireiss@earthlink.net)

Sunset Tonight 4:14

Next Friday 4:12

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church  
November 28, 2009

# Worship Celebration

## Christian Stewardship

### Gathering to Worship

Prelude	Marianne Wiacek
Worship Host's Greeting	Warren Saxton
Call to Worship	

### Praising His Name

Praise Songs	Stephanie Goelzer & Ingrid Mergenthaler
<i>I will Serve Thee</i>	
<i>I Give All</i>	
<i>Take My life and Let it Be</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Warren Saxton
Gifts of Worship	Warren Saxton
<i>Atlantic Union College</i>	
Offertory	Marianne Wiacek

### Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Michael Casadine
Scripture Lesson	Warren Saxton
<i>1 Peter 4: 7-11</i>	
Worship in Song	Michael Mergenthaler
Sabbath Message	Phil Vasseur

### Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	#572
<i>Give Your Best to the Master</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Phil Vasseur
Worship Host's Benediction	Warren Saxton
Postlude	Marianne Wiacek

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

### Future Church Events

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: November - to date - Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$4,666.00	\$3,792.00
Building Fund	\$5,929.00	\$3,250.00
Special Offerings To-Date	Received	Needed
Sound System	\$5,344.00	\$6,025.00

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

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

**Thought Spot:** The word steward means “house manager” and  
 describes an individual entrusted with something for supervision and  
 management. We are God’s stewards—administering God’s world  
 according to his will, for the benefit of others, and accountable to the  
 Lord who owns it all. Now that’s something to think about. Pastor Phil

### Southern New England Conference Events

## 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
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Treasurer:.....	Marge Patch .....	978/663-4544

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