

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

## Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church

September 1, 2018

# Worship Celebration

Youth Sabbath

**Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church.** We are glad you chose to worship with us today. Our speaker today is Becky Leveille. Do you desire Bible Studies, baptism, a pastoral visit or prayer? Please see the Pastor or one of the Elders.

**Thought Spot:** The youth are receptive, fresh, ardent, hopeful. When once they have tasted the blessedness of self-sacrifice, they will not be satisfied unless they are constantly learning of the Great Teacher. The Lord will open ways before those who will respond to His call. 6T 471.2

### Church Events This Coming Week

Today	10:00 AM	Sabbath School
	11:20 AM	Worship service
Tuesday	7:00 PM	Book of Daniel Bible Study
	7:00 PM	MVSDA web team meeting
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Mid-week Discipleship Study

### Announcements

**Adventist Youth Ministries:** Come fellowship with our youth/young adults [on September 8th at 2:30pm](#) for an AY program. There will be music, icebreakers, and a group discussion.

**First Reading Membership Transfer:** Julie Auguste to MVC from Philadelphia Church, Malden MA

**King's Kids Pathfinder Club 1st Meeting & Registration** will be 9 am to 12 pm on Sunday September 9, 2018 for kids ages 10-18. While parents are filling out the paperwork, Pathfinders will work on the Kite honor, play the game 9 Square-in-the-Air, and snack on ice cream sundaes. Registration forms are available on-line at <http://www.mvsda.org> or email [pathfinders@mvsda.org](mailto:pathfinders@mvsda.org) for more information about this ministry.

### Adventurer Registration

Sunday, September 9th

9:00AM – 12:00PM @ MVSDA

Registration (complete application and fees are due) ONLY for those who did not submit an early registration application on August 18<sup>th</sup>.

## Praising His Name

Worship Host's Greeting

Lydia Abay

Praise Songs

Youth Class

*Side by Side #123*

*When the Roll Is Called up Yonder #216*

*Shine on Us*

*Seeking the Lost #373*

*Marching to Zion #422*

*I'll Be Still #142*

Congregational Prayer

Mark Halaby

Gifts of Worship

Miguel Iria

*Our Church Budget*

Offertory

Jason Situma

## Proclaiming The Word

Children's Corner

Youth Class

Scripture Lesson

Elizabeth Dovich

*1 Timothy 4:12*

Worship in Song

Ercania Mesidor

Sabbath Message

Becky Leveille

*God's Secret Weapon*

## Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication

Youth Class

*Take My Life #330*

Prayer of Dedication

Becky Leveille

Worship Host's Benediction

Lydia Abay

Postlude

Juan Infante

Hushed voices and muted phones enhance our worship experience.

**Future Church Events**

Every Sat 10:00 AM Sabbath School  
 Every Sat 11:20 AM Worship service  
 Every Mon 7:00 PM Book of Daniel Bible Study  
 Every Wed 7:00 PM Mid-week Discipleship Study  
 Sep 8 1:00 PM Fellowship Dinner  
           2:30 PM Adventist Youth Ministries  
 Sep 9 9:00 AM Adventurer Registration  
           9:00 AM Pathfinder - Registration  
 Sep 13 7:00 PM Church Business Meeting  
 Sep 15 9:30 AM Prelude Praise practice  
           1:00 PM Pathfinder staff meeting  
           2:30 PM Pathfinder Bible Experience Practice  
           2:30 PM Adventurer Meeting – Field Uniform  
           5:00 PM Pathfinder - Meeting, nature honor, Dress Uniform  
 Sep 22 7:30 PM Paint Night - AIM Fundraiser Event  
 Sep 23 11:30 AM Adventurer Apple Picking at Parlee Farms

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

**Giving Hearts: August Report**

<b>Offerings</b>	<b><u>Received</u></b>	<b><u>Monthly Budget</u></b>
<b>Church Budget</b>	\$5,664.00	\$5,846.00

**Bulletin information** should be sent to email: [sassy898@gmail.com](mailto:sassy898@gmail.com) or phone Vivianne Lewandowski at [603-893-7141](tel:603-893-7141). Items submitted each week by 7 p.m. Wednesday evening will be considered for inclusion in the bulletin.

**Here to Serve**

Audio/Visual ..... Andreas Goelzer .....603-236-9423  
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 Deaconess ..... Zaira Peralta .....978-273-0267  
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 Sabbath School..... Aaron Teckie .....978-658-2633  
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**Sunset Tonight 07:20 PM**

**Next Friday 07:10 PM**

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