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Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church

March 23, 2019

Worship Celebration

Strength in Togetherness

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

Thought Spot: God calls upon His faithful ones, who believe in Him, to talk courage to those who are unbelieving and hopeless. Turn to the Lord, ye prisoners of hope. Seek strength from God, the living God. Show an unwavering, humble faith in His power and His willingness to save. When in faith we take hold of His strength, He will change, wonderfully change, the most hopeless, discouraging outlook. He will do this for the glory of His name. – {PK 260.2}

Church Events This Coming Week

Today	10:00 AM	Sabbath School
	11:20 AM	Worship service
	1:00 PM	Journey: costume selecting
	2:30 PM	Journey: shopkeepers meeting
	3:30 PM	Journey: welcome tent & beginning scenes
Tomorrow	10:00 AM	Pathfinder - 1st Aid Training (Ranger, Guides, TLTs, Staff)
Monday	7:00 PM	Book of Revelation Bible Study
	7:00 PM	Elders Meeting
Tuesday	10:00 AM	Piano tuning
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Mid-week Discipleship Study

Announcements

The Journey Costume Fittings: Immediately following the worship service, stop by the costume department to make sure you have a costume for *The Journey* on April 20th. Costumes are on a first come basis, so if there is a specific costume you wear every year you'll want to be first in line. There will also be fittings on March 30th & April 13th.

Bottle Deposit Fundraising will help the King's Kids Pathfinder Club raise funds for the 2019 International Pathfinder Camporee in Oshkosh, WI. Collect all recyclable cans/bottles with a MA deposit, bring them to church, and place them in the collection boxes. Contact pathfinders@mvsda.org with any questions.

Praising His Name

Worship Host's Greeting	Warren Saxton
Praise Songs	Larysa Budzinski, Sue Markin, Rita McCall
<i>I've Discovered the Way of Gladness</i>	
<i>He Has Made Me Glad</i>	
<i>Redeemed #337</i>	
<i>Tell Me the Story of Jesus #152</i>	
<i>How Great Thou Art #86</i>	
<i>Isaiah 6:3</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Joseph Connolly
Gifts of Worship	Warren Saxton
<i>Our Conference Budget</i>	
Offertory	Eunice Ferreira

Proclaiming The Word

Children's Corner	Darien Santana
Scripture Lesson	Robert Voight
<i>Ruth 4:13-17</i>	
Worship in Song	Carol Cassidy
Sabbath Message	Pastor Jerald Thompson
<i>Burden-Sharing</i>	

Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	Larysa Budzinski, Sue Markin, Rita McCall
<i>Video presentation</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Pastor Jerald Thompson
Worship Host's Benediction	Warren Saxton
Postlude	Sherri Dovich & Eunice Ferreira

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 Revelation Bible Study
 Every Wed 7:00 PM Mid-week Discipleship Study
 Mar 30 1:00 PM Journey: costume selecting
 2:30 PM Journey: practice, all scenes
 5:00 PM Pathfinder - meeting, arts & crafts, field uniform
 Mar 31 11:00 AM Women's Ministry Birthday Brunch
 Apr 6 2:30 PM Journey: practice, Jerusalem
 4:00 PM Journey: new set building
 Apr 7 11:00 AM Adventurer Field Trip
 Apr 11 7:00 PM Church Board
 Apr 13 1:00 PM Journey: costume selecting
 1:00 PM Fellowship Dinner
 2:30 PM Journey: practice, all scenes

Please visit our web site for additional calendar information:

<http://www.mvsda.org/Calendar/>

Giving Hearts: March to date Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly Budget	Over/(Under)
Church Budget	\$3,671.00	\$5,966.00	(\$2,295.00)

Bulletin information should be sent to email: 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

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 Elder..... Steven Dovich978-494-0519
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 Pastor..... Kevin Robert.....774-219-2995
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Sunset Tonight 7:01 PM

Next Friday 7:08 PM

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