

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

Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh day Adventist Church

Welcome to Merrimack Valley! We are encouraged, no commanded, to put on the full armor of God. Today we will discover why the first three pieces of God's armor are imperative in fighting the good fight of faith. Thank you for worshipping with us!

Church Events This Coming Week

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| Today | 1:00 pm Fellowship dinner |
| Sabbath | 10:00 am Sabbath School |
| | 11:30 am Worship Service |

Announcements

Leadership recommendation: Eunice Ferreira, Youth Leader.
First Reading

Synai in concert: You are cordially invited to the release of our most recent production, "Hasta Aqui", today, at 6:30 P.M. at the First Evangelical Methodist Church, 201 Haverhill Street, Lawrence, MA 01840. English song selection! No cover charge. CD's will be available for sale!!!

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 7:48

Next Friday 7:39

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church

August 14, 2010

Worship Celebration

Spiritual Warfare

Gathering to Worship

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| Prelude | Ingrid Mergenthaler |
| Worship Host's Greeting | Steven Dovich |
| Call to Worship | |

Praising His Name

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| Praise Songs | Carvajal Family |
| <i>Seek Ye First</i> | |
| <i>This is My Commandment</i> | |
| <i>I would be Like Jesus</i> | |
| Congregational Prayer | Maxwell Whyte |
| Gifts of Worship | Sherri Dovich |
| <i>World Budget</i> | |
| Offertory | Ingrid Mergenthaler |

Proclaiming the Word

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| Children's Corner | Warren Saxton |
| Scripture Lesson | Ellie Dovich |
| <i>Ephesians 6:14-15</i> | |
| Worship in Song | Fermin Peralta |
| Sabbath Message | Pastor Phil Vasseur |
| <i>The Full Armor of God, Part 3:</i> | |
| <i>"Buckle Up"</i> | |

Dedicating Our Lives

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| Hymn of Dedication | |
| <i>"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"</i> | SDA Hymnal, #319 |
| Prayer of Dedication | |
| Worship Host's Benediction | Steven Dovich |
| Postlude | Ingrid Mergenthaler |

Thank you for reverencing God's house.

Hushed voices and muted phones enhance our worship experience.

Future Church Events

August 28 Nursing home ministry 1:30pm – 4:30pm
 August 31 Elders Meeting church

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

Giving Hearts: August - to date- Report

| Offerings | Received | Monthly budget |
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| Church Budget | \$757.00 | \$3,792.00 |
| Special Offerings To-Date | Received | Needed |
| Sound System—Hearing Aid | \$1,500.00 | \$1,500.00 |

Bulletin information should be sent to email: bulletin@mvsda.org; or phone Bob McCall at 978-808-1823. Items submitted each week by 7p.m. Tuesday evening will be considered for inclusion in the bulletin.

Here to Serve

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| 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..... | 978/785-9655 |
| Membership Clerk: | Joan Reiss..... | 978/256-1671 |
| Pastor: | Phil Vasseur | 603/429-2410 |
| Recording Clerk:..... | Sue Markin | 978/957-6384 |
| Sabbath School: | Steven Dovich | 978/494-0519 |
| Treasurer:..... | Marge Patch | 978/663-4544 |

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Thought Spot: “God chose Israel as the depository of priceless treasure of truth for all nations, and He gave them His law as the standard of the character they were to develop before the world, before angels, and before the unfallen worlds....Through disobedience and disloyalty God’s chosen nation developed exactly the opposite to the character God designed them to develop by obeying His law” (Ellen G. White, Sons and Daughters of God, p. 55). Now that’s something to think about. Pastor Phil

Dracut TV: The Church Service today will be recorded and portions of the service will be broadcast on the local access channel (Cable TV), Internet and other media. For questions or other issues, contact the Visual/Audio team.

Southern New England Conference Events

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| Aug. 20-22 | Outdoor Camping Skills – Ashburnham, MA |
| Aug. 27-29 | Adventurer’s Escape Campout – South Lancaster, MA |
| Sept. 10-11 | Praise Team Academy – South Lancaster, MA |
| Sept. 10-12 | Women’s Ministries Retreat – Fort Devens |
| Sept. 17-19 | SNEC Leadership Training – Windsor, CT |
| Oct. 29-31 | Family Ministries Retreat – Ashburnham, MA |

For details and registration information for all of the above go to www.snecyouth.org

Atlantic Union Conference Events

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| Oct. 14-17 | Atlantic Union Conference Youth Congress – Hartford, CT |
| Oct. 15-17 | Young Adult Congress – Hartford, CT |

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