

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

Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church. On this the first day and the first Sabbath of 2011. We are honored to have Pastor Juan Borges, the SNEC Secretary. Please pray that God's will, will be done as we seek a new pastor.

Church Events This Coming Week

Today	10:00 am — Sabbath School 11:30 am — Worship Service
Tuesday	7:00pm — Church Business Meeting
Wednesday	7:00 pm — Community Bible Study

Announcements

Interim Pastoral Contact: While we are searching for a new pastor for our church, please contact our Head Elder, Dale Jacobson, for any pastoral needs -- 603-898-4075.

Prelude Praise - please join us today right after Sabbath School for praise songs and hymns. Everyone gets to sing and anyone who plays an instrument is welcomed to play along. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at music@mvsda.org

Song Sheets - In order to be more environment friendly the words for the congregational praise songs and hymns will be projected on the screen only. Song numbers will be provided in the bulletin if the praise song or hymn can be found in either the Seventh-day Adventist Hymnal or He Is Our Song, located in the pew racks. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at music@mvsda.org.

Sunset Tonight 4:22

Next Friday 4:28

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church
January 1, 2011

Worship Celebration

New Year's Resolution

Gathering to Worship

Prelude Praise	William Carvajal
Worship Host's Greeting	Gustav Mergenthaler
Call to Worship	

Praising His Name

Praise Songs	Bellevue Family
<i>I just came to praise the Lord, # 16</i>	
<i>He has made me glad</i>	
<i>Praise to the Lord, # 1</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Gustav Mergenthaler
Church Alive	Steven Dovich
Gifts of Worship	Stephanie Goelzer
Local Church Budget	
Offertory	Sherri Dovich

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Stan McKillop
Scripture Lesson	Martin Toeper
<i>Phillipians 3:12-14</i>	
Worship in Song	Carine Garozzo
Sabbath Message	Juan Borges, SNEC
<i>New Year's Resolution</i>	

Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	#625
<i>Higher Ground</i>	Juan Borges
Prayer of Dedication	Gustav Mergenthaler
Worship Host's Benediction	Sherri Dovich
Postlude	
Organist	Sherri Dovich
Pianist	Veronica Iria

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

Future Church Events

January 1 10:00 am — Sabbath School
 11:30 am — Worship Service

January 8 5:00pm — Adventurer Fitness Fun Night
 Marriage Seminar

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

Giving Hearts: December - to date- Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$5,904	\$3,792.00
Special Offerings To-Date	Received	Needed
Foyer Seating/Furnishings	\$6,833 (y-t-d)	
Hallway Storage Area		
Dishwasher		

Bulletin information should be sent to email: bob.w.mccall@gmail.com;
 or phone Bob McCall at 978-808-1823. Items submitted each week by 7
 p.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	978-604-5818
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	Contact Dale Jacobson, Head Elder	
Recording Clerk	Sue Markin	978-957-6384
Sabbath School	Steven Dovich	978-494-0519
Treasurer	Marge Patch	978-663-4544

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Community Bible Study: Everyone is invited to join our Community Bible Study which meets in the Fellowship Hall each Wednesday evening at 7 pm. We are currently studying the Amazing Facts Bible Answers.

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: As we begin a new year what an appropriate time to renew our relationship with our Creator. Let us commit ourselves to a deeper and more personal relationship with Him. A good way to start is by coming to Sabbath School each and every week and become active in one of our Sabbath School classes. May God bless you in this New Year as you continue to love and serve Him.

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

For more information about SNEC youth events go to: www.snecyouth.org

March 12, 2011 - Women's Ministries One Day Retreat - Machlan Aud,
 Atlantic Union College- Preregistration necessary

For details and registration go to:
<http://www.sneconline.org/article.php?id=18>