

Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Our speaker today is Pastor Michael Ortel, President of the Northern New England Conference. We hope that you are blessed by today's service and if you are looking for a church home, we hope that you will join our church family! There's a form in the church pew that can assist you with this request.

### **Church Events This Coming Week**

Today 9:45 am Prayer Breakfast - Lenora Follett

11:30 Worship Service - Mike Ortel

2:30pm Adventurer meeting, dress uniform

5:00pm Pathfinder 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. Our next Prelude Praise time is scheduled for Sabbath, April 16th. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at music@mvsda.org

**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.

## **Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church**

April 2, 2011

## Worship Celebration

The Seven A's of Grace

Gathering to Worship

Prelude Praise Sherri Dovich & Friends Worship Host's Greeting Juanita Ortiz

Call to Worship

**Praising His Name** 

Praise Songs Stephanie Goelzer & Marge Patch

Love Love # 132

When I Look Into Your Holiness # 18

Marvelous Grace # 109

Congregational Prayer Jenna Crowley

Gifts of Worship Abigail Martinez

Local Church Budget

Offertory Ingrid Mergenthaler

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner Puppets Scripture Lesson Kevin White

Hebrews 4:16

Worship in Song Dovich Family

Sabbath Message Pastor Michael Ortel, President of NNEC

Seven A's of Healthy Relationships

Max the Cat

## **Dedicating Our Lives**

Hymn of Dedication

Amazing Grace # 108

Prayer of Dedication Pastor Michael Ortel
Worship Host's Benediction Juanita Ortiz
Postlude Ingrid Mergenthaler

Organist Ingrid Mergenthaler
Pianist Veronica Iria

#### **Future Church Events**

•	10:00am Sabbath School
	11:30 Worship Service
	Fellowship Dinner
April 10	Church work bee 9am-1pm
April 12	7:00pm Church Board
April 13	7:00 pm Community Bible Study
April 16	Communion Sabbath
	Pathfinder Weekend Meeting 5:00-7:30pm Camping
	Skills Overnight @ the Church

International Sabbath

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

Giving Hearts: March - to date- Report

OfferingsReceivedMonthly budgetChurch Budget\$3,854.00\$3,792.00

Special Offerings To-DateReceivedTotalFoyer Seating/Furnishings\$1,388.00

Hallway Storage Area Cabinets (-\$5238)

Dishwasher

April 9

**Bulletin information** should be sent to email: <a href="mailto:bob.w.mccall@gmail.com">bob.w.mccall@gmail.com</a>; 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
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Recording Clerk	Sue Markin	978-957-6384
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Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church 408 Broadway Road, Dracut Massachusetts 01826-2707 978/454-9226 \*\*\* □http://www.mvsda.org/ **International Sabbath -** Next Sabbath, April 9th, is a celebration of our cultural diversity here at Merrimack Valley Church. All are encouraged to wear clothing which exhibits their cultural heritage or country of origin. After the worship service our Fellowship Dinner will feature foods from around the world. We will need Entrées, vegetables, salads, bread, drink and dessert. Bring enough for your family plus a little extra for visitors. Please plan to share your heritage as we fellowship.

The Prayer Warrior Team: Prayer requests may be sent to <a href="mailto:prayer@mvsda.org">prayer@mvsda.org</a>. The Prayer Team will add it to their list and present your petitions to God on a regular basis.

**Thought Spot:** In our dealings with others we should show them as much grace as God has shown us. Without grace we would certainly be in big trouble. If you are having difficulties in relationships grace is the answer.

**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

April 15-17 AUC Alumni Weekend

April 15-17 SNEC Hispanic Women's Ministries Retreat

May 5-8 Atlantic Union Pathfinder Camporee

May 13-15 AUC Commencement Weekend

May 13-15 Atlantic Union ASI Meetings

June 3-5 GBA/SLA Commencement Weekend

June 12 Atlantic Union Constituency Session

June 17-25 SNEC CAMP MEETING (English)

June 26 Camp Winnekeag Summer Camps begin

June 26- July 3 Adventurer/Junior Camp I

July 3-10 Junior Camp II

July 10-17 Tween Camp

July 17-24 Teen Camp

July 24-31 Family Camp I

July 31-August 7 Family Camp II

July 2 SNEC Portuguese Camp Meeting

July 6-9 SNEC Hispanic Camp Meeting

July 16 SNEC Haitian Camp Meeting

August 19-21 SNEC Adventurer Camp Out

September 16-18 SNEC Women's Ministries Retreat (English).

September 23-25 IMPACT Providence
December 3 SNEC Haitian Church Officers Training
Pacific Press launches www.Adventist-eBooks.com

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Greater Boston Academy – Students in grades 8-11, parents, pastors and teachers: Please join us for Academy Day Wednesday April 6, 2011. Registration begins at 9:30 with activities from 10 am to 2 pm. A delicious vegetarian lunch will be provided free to our guests. Please come and experience the blessings of a Christian Education for grades 9-12 at Greater Boston Academy. For questions or to make your reservation, please call 781-438-4253 or e-mail <a href="mailto:GGBA@gbasda.org">GGBA@gbasda.org</a>. Please make a reservation if you plan to come. We look forward to seeing you!

For His Kids,

Diane Maloney

Registrar/Office Manager