

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

Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church.
Our guest speaker today is Pastor Michael Cook, father of our pastor's wife, Heather Vixie. May you be blessed as you listen to His message.

Church Events This Coming Week

Today	10:00am Sabbath School 11:30am Worship Service
Wednesday	7:00pm Community Bible Study with Pastor Vixie
Thursday	7:00pm Elders Meeting

Announcements

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 August 4th. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at music@mvsda.org

SKY VBS --"Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but not with God; all things are possible with God." - Mark 10:27 At SKY VBS, kids will discover that by trusting God, everything is possible. Let's invite our friends, family, coworkers, and neighbors children ages PreK-12 to join us July 30-Aug 3 for this year's VBS. Registration will be open daily at 6:00pm with VBS starting promptly at 6:30 pm. We are just weeks away from VBS and planning is under way. Sign-up sheets will be available on the Fellowship Hall bulletin board for volunteers and items needed. If you have any questions you can contact Veronica at 978-804-5630 or Steve 978-494-0519.

Save the date: August 19, 2012 there will be reception in the fellowship hall to celebrate the marriage of Stephanie and Michael. All are invited to attend. Please RSVP to Ingrid & Gustav Mergenthaler no later than August 12, 2012.

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church
July 21, 2012

Worship Celebration

What Makes Us Most Like God?

Gathering to Worship

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

Praising His Name

Praise Songs	Bellevue Family
<i>Great Is Thy Faithfulness #100</i>	
<i>In His Time #93</i>	
<i>I Surrender All #309</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Rogério Soares
Baptism Celebration	Rumbidzai Gutu
Gifts of Worship	Joseph Connolly
<i>Our Church Budget</i>	
Offertory	Sherri Dovich

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Nancy Jacobson
Scripture Lesson	Tina Rodrigues
<i>Psalms 32: 1, 2</i>	
Worship in Song	William Carvajal
Sabbath Message	Michael Cook
<i>What Makes Us Most Like God?</i>	

Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	
<i>Rock of Ages #300</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Michael Cook
Worship Host's Benediction	William Carvajal
Postlude	Sherri Dovich
Organist	Sherri Dovich
Pianist	Brenden Chery

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

Sunset Tonight 8:16

Next Friday 8:11

Future Church Events

July 28 10:00am Sabbath School
 11:30am Worship Service
 July 30- August 3 6:00 pm Sky VBS Registration

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

Giving Hearts: July - to date- Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$4,059.00	\$4,242.00

Total Special Projects Fund is \$8,599

Bulletin information should be sent to email: bob.w.mccall@gmail.com
 or phone Bob McCall at [978-808-1823](tel: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
Deacon.....	Gary Patch.....	978-663-4544
Deaconess.....	Vivianne Lewandowski	
Elder	Dale Jacobson.....	603-898-4075
Membership Clerk.....	Joan Reiss.....	978-256-1671
Pastor.....	Matthew Vixie	603-401-0426
Recording Clerk	Sue Markin	978-957-6384
Sabbath School.....	Steven Dovich	978-494-0519
Treasurer	Marge Patch.....	603-859-5208

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Thought spot: In the courts above, Christ is pleading for His church--pleading for those for whom He has paid the redemption price of His blood. Centuries, ages, can never lessen the efficacy of His atoning sacrifice. Neither life nor death, height nor depth, can separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus; not because we hold Him so firmly, but because He holds us so fast. If our salvation depended on our own efforts, we could not be saved; but it depends on the One who is behind all the promises. Our grasp on Him may seem feeble, but His love is that of an elder brother; so long as we maintain our union with Him, no one can pluck us out of His hand. Acts of the Apostles 552

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.

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.

SNEC Upcoming Events 2012

August 11	Education Sabbath
August 19	Adventurer Fun Day
September 14-16	SNEC WM Teen Retreat – Camp Winnekeag
September 14-16	Master Guide Camporee
September 22	Impact Boston
October 5-7	SNEC Women’s Retreat – Devens, MA
October 20	Evangelism Rally – S. Lancaster, MA
October 19-21	Youth Leadership Training Conference
October 26-28	Family Ministries Retreat – Camp Winnekeag
November 16-18	Young Adult Fellowship Retreat