

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

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

Today	Pathfinder Camping Honors/Sleepover 10:00am Sabbath School 11:30am Worship Service 3:00pm Pathfinder Meeting - Field Uniform 6:00pm Pathfinder Staff Meeting
Sunday	Pathfinder Camping Honors
Monday	7:00pm Elders Meeting
Wednesday	7:00pm Community Bible Study – Pastor Vixie

### 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 May 2nd. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at [music@mvsda.org](mailto:music@mvsda.org)

**Work Bee May 17**, 8:00-12:00 please plan to come help spruce up the church inside & out. You don't have to come for the whole time an hour is really helpful. Many hands make light the work.

**International Sabbath on May 9th** is a celebration of our cultural diversity here at Merrimack Valley Church. All are encouraged to wear clothing which exhibits their cultural heritage, country of origin, or a place you have visited. Any participant suggestions should be directed to the music committee at [music@mvsda.org](mailto:music@mvsda.org). Please invite your friends and family to join us for this special worship experience. An international themed fellowship dinner will follow the worship service.

**Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church**  
April 25, 2015

# Worship Celebration

## Prayer

### Gathering to Worship

Prelude Praise	Fermin Peralta
Worship Host's Greeting	Warren Saxton
Call to Worship	

### Praising His Name

Praise Song	Idelsy Infante, Nadia Jorge, Fermin Peralta
<i>Whisper a Prayer in the Morning #101</i>	
<i>As the Deer</i>	
<i>What a Friend #499</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Joan Reiss
Church alive	Pastor Vixie
Gifts of Worship	Warren Saxton
<i>Our Conference Budget</i>	
Offertory	Sherri Dovich

### Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Pastor Vixie
Scripture Lesson	Warren Saxton
<i>1 Kings 19:1-2</i>	
Worship in Song	Juan Infante
Sabbath Message	Pastor Vixie
<i>Jezebel's Prayer</i>	

### Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	
<i>Sweet Hour of Prayer #478</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Pastor Vixie
Worship Host's Benediction	Warren Saxton
Postlude	Sherri Dovich

Organist	Sherri Dovich
Pianist	Juan Infante

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

**Sunset Tonight 7:38**

**Next Friday 7:45**

## Future Church Events

May 2	9:30am Prelude Praise practice 10:00am Sabbath School 11:30am Worship Service 2:30pm Adventures Meeting - Dress Uniform
May 3	9:30am Adventures Breakfast Bike Rodeo
May 6	7:00pm Community Bible Study – Pastor Vixie

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

## Giving Hearts: April - to date - Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$3,931.00	\$ 6,058.00
Special Projects	\$675	

**Bulletin information** should be sent to email: [bob.w.mccall@gmail.com](mailto: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 .....	603-236-9423
Deacon.....	Gary Patch .....	978-314-9970
Deaconess.....	Juanita Ortiz .....	978-382-0513
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
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## **DON'T MISS THE ANNUAL SPRING POPS CONCERT AT AUC ON APRIL 26!**

Annual Spring Pops Concert by the Atlantic Wind Symphony under the direction of Maestro Earl Raney will feature thrilling works by Rossini, Texidor, Chance, and Bernstein, plus pops and marches. This concert promises to be a fabulous evening of family fun and exciting music! Celebrate spring with our wonderful AUC community musicians. The concert will take place on Sunday, April 26 at 7:00 p.m. at Machlan Auditorium, Atlantic Union College, 338 Main Street, South Lancaster, Massachusetts (intersection of George Hill Road and Route 70). Admission at the door: \$12 adults, \$10 seniors/students, \$30 family (parents and children under 18). Pre-concert tickets: \$10 adults, \$8 seniors/students. Call 978-368-2100 or text 508-331-4435 for tickets. For more information visit [tpacma.org/concerts-events](http://tpacma.org/concerts-events).

**Thought spot:** Although there may be a tainted, corrupted atmosphere around us, we need not breathe its miasma, but may live in the pure air of heaven. We may close every door to impure imaginings and unholy thoughts by lifting the soul into the presence of God through sincere prayer. Steps to Christ, p 99

**The Prayer Warrior Team:** Prayer requests may be sent to [prayer@mvsda.org](mailto: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 Audio/Visual Team.