

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

Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church.

We are glad you chose to worship with us today. Our speaker today is Pastor Vixie. Do you desire Bible Studies, baptism, a pastoral visit or prayer? Please see our Pastor or one of the Elders.

Church Events This Coming Week

Today	10:00am Sabbath School 11:30am Worship Service 1:00pm Fellowship Dinner 1:00pm Pathfinder Meeting: Adventist Pioneers Field Trip, field uniform
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 October 17th. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at music@mvsda.org

Church Directory Update: It is time to update our church directory. We have new members and families who have grown. We will begin taking new and updated pictures starting next Sabbath. Here is a preliminary schedule:

10/17/15 - 9:15 to 9:45 and 1:00 to 1:30.

10/24/15 - 9:15 to 9:45 and 1:00 to 1:30.

10/31/15 - 9:15 to 9:45 and 1:00 to 1:30.

More times will be added as needed. Contact Bob McCall at Bob.w.mccall@gmail.com to arrange other times if the above is not convenient.

We will e-mail your family portrait to you on request so you may use it for your family Christmas photo!

Church Sign - Do you have a favorite spiritual message you would like to see posted on our Church Sign? There is a form in the church entry way. Fill it out according to the directions and drop it in the box.

Sunset Tonight 6:12

Next Friday 6:02

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church

October 10, 2015

Worship Celebration

Adventist Heritage

Gathering to Worship

Prelude Praise	Shirley Antoine & Jennifer Torres
Worship Host's Greeting	Lydia Abay
Call to Worship	

Praising His Name

Praise Song	Prelude Praise Team
<i>I Saw One Weary #441</i>	
<i>Therefore the Redeemed #124</i>	
<i>In a Little While We're Going Home #626</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Lydia Abay
Gifts of Worship	Ellen Aron
<i>NAD / World Budget/ Voice of Prophecy</i>	
Offertory	Prelude Praise Team

Proclaiming Our Word

Children's Corner	
Scripture Lesson	Erin Cronin
<i>Titus 2:13</i>	
Worship in Song	
<i>Sweet By and By #428</i>	
Sabbath Message	Matthew Vixie
<i>The Blessed Hope</i>	

Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	
<i>O Brother Be Faithful #602</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Matthew Vixie
Worship Host's Benediction	Lydia Abay
Postlude	Prelude Praise Team

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

Future Church Events

October 17 9:30am Prelude Praise practice
 10:00am Sabbath School
 11:30am Worship Service
 2:30pm Adventurer Meeting

October 21 7:00pm Community Bible Study – Pastor Vixie

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

Giving Hearts: October - to date - Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$,873.00	\$ 6,058.00

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	603-236-9423
Deacon	Gary Patch	978-314-9970
Deaconess	Juanita Ortiz	978-382-0513
Elder	Steven Dovich	978-494-0519
Membership Clerk	Joan Reiss	978-256-1671
Pastor	Matthew Vixie	603-401-0426
Recording Clerk	Sue Markin	978-957-6384
Sabbath School	Aaron Teckie	978-658-2633
Treasurer	Marge Patch	978-640-4949

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King's Kids Pathfinder Registration is still available for kids ages 10-18. Email pathfinders@mvsda.org for more information about this ministry.

Are you interested in baptismal classes? Pastor and Elder Dovich will be teaching a class starting October 17 at 10 a.m.

Prayer Warrior Meeting: We are looking for people who would like to be part of the prayer warrior team. There will be a short meeting on October 17th immediately following the church service. We will meet at the front of the church by the organ for a quick introduction and to refresh our prayer e-mail address list and get some suggestions. All those who have previously or are part of this team should try to stay too. Contact Rita McCall with any questions. ritalmccall@gmail.com

Would you like to learn how to play in a WORSHIP TEAM or PRAISE BAND? TPAC is offering a course this semester for all singers, guitar, bass, piano, and percussion players. Call Director, Earl Raney 978-368-2105, email tpac@auc.edu, or visit www.tpacma.org for details!

Trio Orione presents a free concert at Thayer Mansion

Trio Orione will present a benefit recital for AUC's Community Music School, Thayer Performing Arts Center on Sunday, October 18, 2015 at 3:00 PM. The concert will be held at the Thayer Performing Arts Center, Atlantic Union College, 438 Main Street, South Lancaster. The Trio, comprised of flutist April Showers, cellist Mary Carfagna and pianist Roy Imperio, will present an eclectic program including works by Hummel, Francaix, Piazzolla, and Rocherolle. Imperio says, "Trio Orione seeks to continue its mission that through beautiful music one can also be transported to higher and more heavenly realms." Concertgoers will have an up-close-and-personal experience with these amazing musicians in TPAC's intimate and beautiful Red Room. Donations will benefit students in need of financial support. For more information: 978-368-2100, tpac@auc.edu, or visit tpacma.org

Thought Spot: "There is nothing behind to look back to, nor to back to, all our hope is before" Uriah Smith

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 Audio/Visual Team.