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 John K. Amoah SNEC Evangelism Rally. 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

Thursday

10:00am Sabbath School 11:30am Worship Service 7:00pm Church Board

#### Announcements

**Registration for Adventurers** will be on Sabbath September 17th from 2:30-4:30pm ages 4-9/ grades pre-k to 4th grade. If you have any questions please contact Carine Bonfim Ferreira cell (978)416-1729/ email: <a href="mailto:cbferreira1508@gmail.com">cbferreira1508@gmail.com</a>

Little Lights Adventurer club is in need of helpers wether to be an active staff member or instructor, or even just to help out with the simplest of tasks all is welcome! If you are interested contact Carine Bonfim Ferreira. Remember we are doing this for the kids, and teaching them how to love and grow in Jesus as well as being active members of the community, there is no better way in teaching them than giving them support.

**Health Expo:** The Merrimack Valley and Billerica Churches, along with the NETS Evangelism Team, will be hosting a NEWSTART Health Expo at the Sampas Pavillion, 160 Pawtucket Blvd., Lowell, MA, on Sunday, September 25, from 10-4. All are invited to attend. Bring a friend, neighbor, co-worker and/or relative!

**Earliteen class for ages 13-14** meeting in the old Junior classroom and taught by Tina Rodrigues and Cassidy Connolly. The Juniors, ages 10-12 will meet in the fellowship hall and will be taught by Roselene Bellevue and Rita & Bob McCall.

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# Worship Celebration

Gathering to Worship Prelude Worship Host's Greeting Call to Worship	Juan Infante Roselene Bellevue
Praising His Name Praise Songs This Is The Day Leaning On The Everlasting Arms # 469 Marching to Zion # 422	
Congregational Prayer Gifts of Worship Fall Mission Appeal - WB	Shirley Antoine Erin Cronin
Offertory	Juan Infante
Proclaiming the Word Children's Corner Scripture Lesson <i>Luke 15:14</i> Worship in Song Sabbath Message <i>Emptiness</i>	Stanley McKillop Rita McCall Synai John K. Amoah
Dedicating Our Lives Hymn of Dedication <i>Redeemed # 337</i> Prayer of Dedication Worship Host's Benediction Postlude	John K. Amoah Roselene Bellevue Juan Infante

#### **Future Church Events**

September 17 9:30am Prelude Praise practice 10:00am Sabbath School 11:30am Worship Service 1:00pm Fellowship Dinner traditional potluck, 2:30pm Adventurer Registration - Animal Adventures

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

Giving Hearts: September - to date - Report			
Offerings	Received	Monthly budget	
Church Budget	\$1,093.00	\$ 5,942.00	

**Bulletin information** should be sent to email: <u>bob.w.mccall@gmail.com</u> or phone Bob McCall at <u>978-808-1823</u>. Items submitted each week by 7 p.m. Tuesday evening will be considered for inclusion in the bulletin.

## Here to Serve

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#### MERRIMACK VALLEY HEALTH EXPO

Sunday, September 25, 2016 Volunteer Sign Up Information



**The Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church** presents La Voz de la Esperanza (Spanish Voice of Prophecy) official ensemble 'Duo of Hope' on Sabbath, September 17th at 11:30am. Duo of Hope is formed by the husband and wife couple Francisco Fernandez (piano) and Taide Prieto (cello). They will perform a musical concert that is complemented with a multimedia Gospel presentation featuring movie-like video scenes which include a soundtrack, sound effects and a professional narrator telling the 'Story of Redemption' quoting from the Bible and The Great Controversy. The presentation is suitable for the whole family. There will be a freewill offering collected for the evangelistic mega-campaign that La Voz de la Esperanza has started and will continue for a year in Cuba. Some of the goals include teaching 25,000 bible courses and baptizing 3,000 souls for the Lord.

**Boston Korean church's Big Yard Sale** will be held on Sep 18(Sunday) form 11 am to 4 pm. at Boston Korean church(4 Spring st., Stoneham.) for fundraising for next abroad Mission trip. All funds will be used for purchasing medicine and goods, not for our trip expenses.

1. We receive donation of any house goods, toys, clothing, furniture, electronics, kitchen items and so on... But it must be "super clean and usable" not junky. You may drop your goods anytime at Korean church located in 4 Spring st., Stoneham until Sep 11.

**Prayer Requests:** Do you have a prayer request? There is a prayer box on the mail sorter in the foyer of the church. Fill out a request form, fold it, and put it in the box or e-mail the prayer team at: <u>prayer@mvsda.org</u> and the prayer team will bring your request before the Lord.

**Church members** need to check their emails to see when they are scheduled to participate in the worship service and/or the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

**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.

**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.

**Prayer Walk in Roxbury, September 10**—The next Compassion Boston Prayer Walk will be this afternoon in Roxbury on Saturday, September 10, hosted by the Berea Seventh-day Adventist Church (108 Seaver Street Boston, MA, 02121). The walk begins at the church at 4 pm. All are invited to come and pray for this Boston neighborhood. For more information, visit compassionboston.org/prayerwalks

**Spanish Bible Work Training, September 17**—The next Compassion Boston Bible Work training will be on Saturday, September 17, at the Stoneham Spanish Church (1 Church Street, Stoneham, MA 02180). Presenters will be Jack Phillips and Keith LaRoy from It Is Written, plus our own Compassion Boston Bible Workers. Topics include effective listening, visitors in church, and preparation for the upcoming evangelistic meetings. For more information, visit www.compassionboston.org/biblework.

**Revelation Today: 27 days away!**—We are now just 27 days away from the start of the Revelation Today evangelistic series here in Boston. We ask you to prayerfully consider how you can participate in these meetings, and to speak to your pastor or other leadership at your church about how you would like to volunteer. Also, don't forget to be praying for 5 people, by name, that you're hoping God will reach through these meetings. For more information, visit revelationtoday.com.

**Care Groups**—One of the most effective ways of sharing Christ with unchurched friends and co-workers—especially leading up to the Revelation Today evangelistic meetings—is by starting a Care Group (a small group). We encourage all church members to prayerfully consider being involved in this ministry. Talk to your pastor and learn more at compassionboston.org/care-groups.

**Hyde Park Prophecy Series, through September 24**—The Hyde Park Seventh-day Adventist Church is hosting an 8-week prophecy series, each Saturday at 11 am from August 6 to September 24. All are invited to attend. The speaker is Pastor Elgin Clement. For more information, contact local Compassion Boston Coordinator Claudette Ivy-Brown at ivyebabs@yahoo.com or (617) 469-5705.