

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 Kevin Robert. Do you desire Bible Studies, baptism, a pastoral visit or prayer? Please see one of the Elders.

### Church Events This Coming Week

Today	10:00am Sabbath School 11:30am Worship Service 2:30pm Adventurer Meeting-Dress Uniform 2:30pm Journey Practice- Gethsemane & Judgment Hall & Jerusalem & Last Supper
Monday	7:00pm Elders Meeting 7:00pm Amazing Facts Prophecy Bible Study
Wednesday	7:00pm Mid-week Discipleship Study

### Announcements

**2nd Reading Membership Transfer** from Lowell All Nations SDA Church: Brighton and Joyce Tavuyanago, Sandra Anderson, Rahab Kiragu  
**Leadership recommendation:** Derrick Foreshaw (Men's Ministry Leader)  
**Elder:** Kevin Robert

**Just one week until South Lancaster Academy's Under the Tuscan Moon Gala and Auction!** Enjoy a delicious meal and bid on weekend getaways, adventure experiences, unique art, tickets to area attractions and more while supporting needed renovations for our school. The gala is Sunday, April 9, 2017 from 5-8 p.m. at the SLA Gymnasium, 198 George Hill Road, South Lancaster. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$7.50 for children ages 3-12. Buy your tickets now at [www.sla-browning.org](http://www.sla-browning.org).

**Adventurers:** Although our adventurer year is almost over, our adventurer is not slowing down. We still have many activities and programs planned for the final months INCLUDING the SNEC Adventurer Spring Escape coming up in June in South Lancaster. The club is accepting Donations and Sponsors for these activities. Anything for the club is appreciated. Thank you and God Bless!!!

**GBA Scholarship Fundraiser Gala** April 9 4-7pm RSVP 781-438-4253  
[WWW.GBAEdu.org](http://WWW.GBAEdu.org)

**Sunset Tonight 7:12**

**Next Friday 7:18**

## Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church

April 1, 2017

# Worship Celebration

### Gathering to Worship

Prelude Praise  
Worship Host's Greeting  
Call to Worship

Praise Team  
Warren Saxton

### Praising His Name

Praise Songs  
*Family of God.* #419. (2x. CH)  
*Jesus Paid It All.* #184  
*Christ the Lord Is Risen Today.* #166  
*As We Come to You in Prayer.* #671

Carine, Nadia, Alice, Fermin

Congregational Prayer  
Gifts of Worship  
*Our Church Budget*  
Offertory

Emma Harris & Kytanna Bonfim

### Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner  
Scripture Lesson  
*1 Corinthians 1:17-25*  
Worship in Song  
Sabbath Message  
*Teaching: "Like a Slap in the Face"*

Cassidy Connolly

Carine Bonfim  
Kevin Robert

### Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication  
*And Can It Be.* #198  
Prayer of Dedication  
Worship Host's Benediction  
Postlude

Kevin Robert  
Warren Saxton  
Veronica & Carla

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

## Future Church Events

April 8	10:00am Sabbath School 11:30am Worship Service-Adventurer Sabbath 1:00pm Fellowship Dinner 4:00pm Pathfinder - meeting 7:00pm Pathfinder - staff meeting
April 9	12:00 Pathfinders - Voyager/Guide class 6:00pm Journey run though entire play
April 10	7:00pm Amazing Facts Prophecy Bible Study
April 12	7:00pm Mid-week Discipleship Study
April 13	7:00pm Church Board
April 14	6:00pm Journey Dress Rehearsal

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

## Giving Hearts: March - to date - Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$6,161.00	\$5,663.00

**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 .....	Natalie Connolly .....	978-957-6528
Elder .....	Steven Dovich .....	978-494-0519
Membership Clerk .....	Joan Reiss .....	978-256-1671
Pastor .....	Kevin Robert .....	774-219-2995
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Sabbath School .....	Aaron Teckie .....	978-658-2633
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### Fellowship Dinner April 8, Menu

Rice (white, Spanish, rice and beans, mixed with vegetables)  
 Beans (any variety)  
 Mac n' cheese  
 Veggie hot dogs ( buns, condiments)  
 Salad (green salad, potato salad, pasta salad, veggie salad, etc.)  
 Bread and butter  
 Juice  
 Dessert: Fruit, Fruit salad, Cupcakes, Cookies, Ice-cream

**Prayer:** The prayer team is looking for new members to join us in praying for those asking for intercession on behalf of themselves or others that they may know. We keep all requests sent to the prayer team confidential. If you would like to be part of the team please send your e-mail address to: [ritalmccall@gmail.com](mailto:ritalmccall@gmail.com) and your name will be added to the team list. If you do not have an e-mail address then give me your name and phone number and I will create a call notification list for the team so you may be included.

**Prayer Requests:** Do you have a prayer request? There is a prayer box 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: [prayer@mvsda.org](mailto:prayer@mvsda.org) 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