

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

**Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church.**

May you be impressed by the Holy Spirit by being here with us today. If you are looking for a church family, we hope that you will fill out the card on the back of the pew and make a request to become a member of our church. Think about joining us on Wednesday evenings at 7 pm for our study of 40 Days of Prayer and Devotions by Dennis Smith. The Lord is truly blessing those who are studying and attending

**Church Events This Coming Week**

Today	10:00am Sabbath School 11:30am Worship Service 1:00pm Fellowship Dinner 2:30pm Adventurer meeting, dress uniform 5:00pm Pathfinder Meeting
Wednesday	7:00 pm 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 Jan 21st. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at [music@mvsda.org](mailto:music@mvsda.org)

**Thought spot:** Are we still searching for that precious Pearl? The Lord has found His, and has already sold everything to attain you, his precious pearl. Yet we still search for treasures while Jesus holds out the infinite price he paid for us. We are Heaven's precious pearl. Is Heaven your's?

**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.

**Sunset Tonight 4:53**

**Next Friday 5:01**

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church  
January 21, 2012

# Worship Celebration

This World Is Not Our Home

**Gathering to Worship**

Prelude Praise	Stephanie Goelzer
Worship Host's Greetings	Gustav Mergenthaler
Call to Worship	

**Praising His Name**

Praise Songs	Bellevue Family
<i>Awesome God</i>	
<i>When I Look into Your Holiness</i>	
<i>How Great Thou Art # 86</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Jennifer Voight
Gifts of Worship	Gustav Mergenthaler
<i>Local Church Budget</i>	
Offertory	Sherri Dovich

**Proclaiming the Word**

Children's Corner	Heather Vixie
Scripture Lesson	
<i>Matthew 13:44-45</i>	Rob Voight
Worship in Song	Decio & Eunice Ferreira
Sabbath Message	Matthew Vixie
<i>The Merchant's Discovery</i>	

**Dedicating Our Lives**

Hymn of Dedication	
<i>This World Is Not My Home</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Matthew Vixie
Worship Host's Benediction	Gustav Mergenthaler
Postlude	Sherri Dovich
Organist	Sherri Dovich
Pianist	Veronica Iria

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

**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.

### Future Church Events

January 28      10:00am Sabbath School  
                      11:30am Worship Service  
 February 1      7:00 pm Community Bible Study with Pastor Vixie

Please visit our web site for additional calendar information:

<http://www.mvsda.org/Calendar/>

### Giving Hearts: January-to-date Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
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Church Budget	\$1,238.00	\$4,242.00
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Lobby furniture in progress all funds received

Total Special Projects Fund is \$8,829

**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

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