

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

Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church. Today we welcome the students and faculty of Greater Boston Academy. They will be presenting our worship service today. May you be blessed by their message.

Church Events This Coming Week

Today	Pathfinder Camporee 10:00 am Sabbath School 11:30 am Worship Service
Sunday	Pathfinder Camporee
Wednesday	7:00 pm Community Bible Study with Pastor Vixie
Friday	6:30 pm prayer 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 June 1st. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at music@mvsda.org

Would you like to be involved in the Peru mission trip? This June some members from our sister church (Guillen Family and other members) will be conducting a Vacation Bible School and health workshops in a small city of Peru called Ica. We are hoping to help those less fortunate who need to learn of Jesus' love. If you would like to help, please put your donations in an envelope marked Peru mission trip. We will be receiving donations till June 10, 2013. Thank You.

Thought Spot: "Experience is not what happens to you. It is what you do with what happens to you. Don't waste your pain; use it to help others." Rick Warren

Sunset Tonight 8:04

Next Friday 8:10

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May 18, 2013

Worship Celebration

A Life of Purpose

Gathering to Worship

Prelude Praise	Sherri Dovich
Worship Host's Greeting	Warren Saxton
Call to Worship	

Praising His Name

Praise Songs	Jovanie Whyte & Friends
<i>Make Me a Servant #126</i>	
<i>In the Garden #487</i>	
<i>Take My Life and Let It Be #330</i>	

Congregational Prayer

Gifts of Worship

<i>Local Church Budget</i>	
Offertory	Carla Bonfim

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Greater Boston Academy
Scripture Lesson	
<i>1 Corinthians 10:31</i>	
Worship in Song	Greater Boston Academy
Sabbath Message	Gavin Gaynair
<i>A Life of Purpose</i>	

Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	
<i>Draw Me Nearer #306</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Gavin Gaynair
Worship Host's Benediction	Warren Saxton
Postlude	Carla Bonfim

Organist	Carla Bonfim
Pianist	Ingrid Mergenthaler

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

Future Church Events

May 25 10:00 am Sabbath School
 11:30 am Worship Service
 May 26 Pathfinder End of Year Activity
 May 29 7:00 pm Community Bible Study with Pastor Vixie
 May 31 Adventurer Spring Escape

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

Giving Hearts: May - to date- Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$1,937.00	\$ 4,775.00

Special Projects \$1,652 (dishwasher & shed projects paid)

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	603-821-1041
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MV's Got TALENT! Its time to dust off the old talents and show the new talents. The Youth class invites all of MV church to come and participate in another MV's Got Talent on June 15th starting at 1pm. Signup sheets will be posted on the bulletin board. For additional information please contact Eunice Ferreira or email eunicemc7@gmail.com.

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 Visual/Audio team.

SNEC Calendar of Events

May 17 - 19 Pathfinder Camporee, Burlingame State Park
 May 19 Cent. MA Music Fest.
 May 31 - June 2, Adventurer Spring Escape
 May 31 - June 2, Hispanic Youth Retreat
 June 21 - 29 English Camp Meeting

GREATER BOSTON ACADEMY Events and Announcements

May 17 & 18: Passion Play
 May 27: Memorial Day – No School
 May 30: 8th Grade Graduation
 May 31-June 2: 12th Grade
 June 3: Last Day of School