

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

We welcome you to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church. Today is Christian Education Day at our church. We know that for our children to know about Christ should be utmost in their daily education. As you listen to the Pastor's sermon today may you be filled with His blessings. If you are in need of prayer, transfer of membership, Bible Studies, or baptism, please see the pastor or one of our elders. Have a blessed week!

Church Events This Coming Week

Today	10:00 am Sabbath School 11:30 am Worship Service 1:00 pm Fellowship Dinner
Wednesday	7:00 pm Community Bible Study with Pastor Vixie
Friday	6:30pm Women's 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 September 7th. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at music@mvstda.org

FAMILY FUN DAY--on September 8, 2013 at our church! We will have food, fun and fellowship. Games for the kids, bouncy and a special guest--Rainforest Reptile Show! Starts at 10 am until 4 pm. Big yard sale--if you want a table see Warren Saxton! Bring your goods to donate for the sale to the church by the 7th! Invite your friends and family! Schedule of events will be posted next week.

Men's Ministry Day of Prayer will be September 7th. All men, their families and friends are invited to attend this special worship service

Sunset Tonight 7:44

Next Friday 7:34

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church

August 17, 2013

Worship Celebration

Christian Education

Gathering to Worship

Prelude Praise	Fermin Peralta
Worship Host's Greeting	William Carvajal
Call to Worship	

Praising His Name

Praise Song	Jovanie Whyte & Friends
<i>I Give All</i>	
<i>Be Like Jesus #311</i>	
<i>Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee #12</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Jennifer Voight
Baptism Celebration	Robert Walker
Gifts of Worship	Sonia Cabrera
<i>Local Church Budget</i>	
Offertory	Ingrid Mergenthaler

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Stanley McKillop
Scripture Lesson	Tina Rodriguez
<i>Jeremiah 6:16</i>	
Worship in Song	Stephanie Goelzer
Sabbath Message	Matthew Vixie
<i>When Johnny Came Home From School</i>	

Dedicating Our Lives

Worship in Song	Robert Walker
<i>Savior Like A Shepherd Lead Us</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Matthew Vixie
Worship Host's Benediction	William Carvajal
Postlude	Ingrid Mergenthaler

Organist	Ingrid Mergenthaler
Pianist	Carla Bonfim

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

Future Church Events

August 24	10:00 am Sabbath School 11:30 am Worship Service
August 26	7:00 pm Elders Meeting
August 28	7:00 pm Community Bible Study – Pastor Vixie
August 30	6:30 pm Prayer Meeting
September 7.	Men's Ministry Potluck.

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

Giving Hearts: August - to date- Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
Church Budget	\$ 1,803.00	\$ 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
Deacon.....	Gary Patch.....	978-663-4544
Deaconess.....	Vivianne Lewandowski.....	603-893-7141
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Membership Clerk.....	Joan Reiss.....	978-256-1671
Pastor.....	Matthew Vixie	603-401-0426
Recording Clerk	Sue Markin	978-957-6384
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Church Campout September 13-15 at Nickerson State Park (Brewster MA). Sign up for this event in the fellowship hall.

We are in need of some staples in the kitchen for fellowship dinners! Items we could use (nonperishable) (in case additional food needs to be added to the dinner): rices, pastas, spaghetti sauce, cans of beans, butter, mayonnaise, canned olives, minced dried onion and garlic, cranberry sauce, and any other items you think could be used at fellowship dinner. Just bring to the kitchen and place on the middle island. Many thanks for helping to replenish our cupboards!

Thought Spot: "Now as never before we need to understand the true science of education. If we fail to understand this, we shall never have a place in the kingdom of God. 'This is life eternal, that they might know thee, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent.' If this is the price of heaven, shall not our education be given on these lines?"--Ellen White July 8, 1897.

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 UPCOMING EVENTS:

Teen Retreat – September 20-22, 2013 – Camp Winnekeag, forms for registration on Fellowship Hall bulletin board. Early Bird deadline is August 15, 2013!

Women's Fall Retreat – October 25-27, 2013 – Devens Springhill Suites, Devens, MA. Forms for registration on Fellowship Hall bulletin board. Early Bird deadline is October 2, 2013.