

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

**We welcome you to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church.** We are glad that you chose to worship with us today. If you have need of Bible studies, baptism, or prayer, please see the Pastor or one of the elders. May you return home with a blessing received from the worship service.

### Church Events This Coming Week

Today	10:00 am Sabbath School 11:30 am Worship Service
Monday	7:00 pm Elders Meeting
Wednesday	7:00 pm Community Bible Study with Pastor Vixie
Friday	6:30 pm Prayer Meeting

### Announcements

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

**Pathfinder registration** and first meeting will be held on Saturday, September 7, from 4:30-8pm. If you have any questions please contact Bonnie @ [bonniecrowley@gmail.com](mailto:bonniecrowley@gmail.com)

**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.

**Church Campout September 13-15** at Nickerson State Park (Brewster MA). Sign up for this event in the fellowship hall.

**Sunset Tonight 7:33**

**Next Friday 7:23**

## Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church

August 24, 2013

# Worship Celebration

The Justice of God

### Gathering to Worship

Prelude	Ingrid Mergenthaler
Worship Host's Greeting	Dale Jacobson
Call to Worship	

### Praising His Name

Praise Song	Bellevue Family
<i>I Worship You Almighty God</i>	
<i>When I Look Into Your Holiness #18</i>	
<i>How Great Thou Art #86</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Bob McCall
Gifts of Worship	Dale Jacobson
<i>Conference Budget</i>	
Offertory	Ingrid Mergenthaler

### Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Vivianne Lewandowski
Scripture Lesson	Sue Markin
<i>Exodus 34:5-7</i>	
Worship in Song	Brenden Chery
Sabbath Message	Matthew Vixie
<i>God's Justice vs A Golden Calf</i>	

### Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	
<i>Take Time to be Holy #500</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Matthew Vixie
Worship Host's Benediction	Dale Jacobson
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 31      10:00 am Sabbath School  
                   11:30 am Worship Service  
 September 4    7:00 pm Community Bible Study – Pastor Vixie  
 September 6    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	\$ 3,133.00	\$ 4,775.00
Special Projects	\$1,652 (dishwasher & shed projects paid)	

**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.....	603-821-1041
Deacon.....	Gary Patch.....	978-663-4544
Deaconess.....	Vivianne Lewandowski .....	603-893-7141
Elder.....	Dale Jacobson.....	603-898-4075
Membership Clerk.....	Joan Reiss.....	978-256-1671
Pastor.....	Matthew Vixie .....	603-401-0426
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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:** The work of Christ's disciples is to shine as lights, making manifest to the world the character of God. Ellen White, 1888 Materials pg 268

**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.

**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.