

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

We welcome you to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church. Our speaker today is Steven Dovich, one of our church elders. Please remember our teen girls while they are at the SNEC Teen Retreat at Camp Winnekeag this weekend. If you would like information about Bible studies, baptism, need prayer or would like to have a pastoral visit, see the pastor or one of the elders.

Church Events This Coming Week

Today	10:00 am Sabbath School
	11:30 am Worship Service
Wednesday	7:00 pm Community Bible Study – Pastor Vixie

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 October 5th. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at music@mvsda.org

Transfer into MVC 1st readings:

Oscar Bogran from Lawrence Spanish, Lawrence, MA
Domingo Figueroa from Vineland Spanish, Vineland, NJ

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!

Sunset Tonight 6:44

Next Friday 6:33

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church

September 21, 2013

Worship Celebration

Waking the Dead

Gathering to Worship

Prelude Praise	Stephanie Goelzer
Worship Host's Greeting	William Carvajal
Call to Worship	

Praising His Name

Praise Song	Bellevue Family
<i>Breathe on Me Breath of God #265</i>	
<i>My Peace #94</i>	
<i>Wonderful Peace #466</i>	
Congregational Prayer	Joanie Reiss
Gifts of Worship	Jim Reiss
<i>Church Budget</i>	
Offertory	Carla Bonfim

Proclaiming the Word

Children's Corner	Gustav Mergenthaler
Scripture Lesson	Elizabeth Dovich
<i>Ezekiel 37:14</i>	
Worship in Song	Sherri Dovich & Ingrid Mergenthaler
Sabbath Message	Steven Dovich
<i>Stretch Out Your Hand</i>	

Dedicating Our Lives

Hymn of Dedication	
<i>We Are His #140</i>	
Prayer of Dedication	Steven Dovich
Worship Host's Benediction	William Carvajal
Postlude	Carla Bonfim

Organist	Carla Bonfim
Pianist	Eunice Ferreira

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

Future Church Events

September 28 10:00 am Sabbath School
 11:30 am Worship Service

September 30 7:00 pm Elders Meeting

October 2 7:00 pm Community Bible Study – Pastor Vixie

October 4 6:30 pm Prayer Meeting

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

Giving Hearts: September - to date- Report

Offerings	Received	Monthly budget
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Church Budget	\$ 2,031.00	\$ 4,775.00
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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	603-236-9423
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
Recording Clerk	Sue Markin	978-957-6384
Sabbath School.....	Steven Dovich	978-494-0519
Treasurer	Marge Patch.....	603-859-5208

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The SS Primary Class is collecting non-perishable food items for the Dracut Food Pantry during the month of September. We would like our church family to help fill the need of our neighbors in the community. Items may be placed in a designated box in the Primary Classroom. Thank you for your generosity!

The Women's Ministry of our MVSDA Church is organizing an outreach activity to the Women Shelter. In order for us to reach our goal; your help is needed. We are planning to bring toiletry bags to women, and children / babies.

Therefore we need:

- Washcloths women / babies
- Shampoo w/b
- Conditioner
- Bath soap w/b
- Body lotions w/b
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes w/b
- Combs w/b
- Hairbrushes
- Baby blankets
- Baby towels

The plan is to collect these items from September - October and bring the bags to the shelter by the end of October. Thanks a bunch! If you have any questions reply to this email or call Juanita @ 978-382-0513

Thought Spot: "Faith, hope, and love are sisters, and their works blend perfectly to shine amid the moral darkness of the world." E.G. White, This Day With God, p. 131.

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: .

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.