

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

We welcome you to the Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church. This is our first worship service in 2014! May your new year be blessed by Him and His promises and may it bring us closer to His soon return. Our worship service message today is being presented by Andreas Goelzer, one of our church elders. If you are in need of prayer, Bible studies, transfer of membership or baptism, please see our pastor or one of the elders.

Church Events This Coming Week

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| Today | 10:00 am Sabbath School 11:30 am Worship Service 2:30 pm Adventure Club Meeting 5:00 pm Pathfinder Meeting |
| Wednesday | 7:00 pm Community Bible Study – Pastor Vixie |
| Thursday | 7:00 pm Church Board |
| 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 Jan 18th. If you have any questions please contact the Music Committee at music@mvsda.org

Next Sabbath we will have our Annual Marriage Seminar. If you have not signed up please contact Dale or Alice Jacobson. 603-898-4075. Seminar will begin at 1 pm with lunch.

There will be a Church business meeting dealing with our 2014 budget will meet January 9th at 7:00 p.m.

Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church

January 4, 2014

Worship Celebration

Running For Jesus

Gathering to Worship

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| Prelude Praise | Fermin Peralta |
| Worship Host's Greeting | Dale Jacobson |
| Call to Worship | |

Praising His Name

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| Praise Song | Iria Family |
| <i>Lord I Lift Your Name on High</i> | |
| <i>You Are My All in All</i> | |
| <i>Victory in Jesus</i> | |
| Congregational Prayer | Jennifer Voight |
| Gifts of Worship | Dale Jacobson |
| <i>Our church Budget</i> | |
| Offertory | Sherri Dovich |

Proclaiming the Word

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| Children's Corner | Stan McKillop |
| Scripture Lesson | Ayzlynn Crowley |
| <i>Hebrews 12:1-3</i> | |
| Worship in Song | Jean McKillop |
| Sabbath Message | Andreas Goelzer |
| <i>Reaching The Finish Line</i> | |

Dedicating Our Lives

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| Hymn of Dedication | |
| <i>Father Lead Me Day by Day #482</i> | |
| Prayer of Dedication | Andreas Goelzer |
| Worship Host's Benediction | Dale Jacobson |
| Postlude | Sherri Dovich |

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| Organist | Sherri Dovich |
| Pianist | Carla Bonfim |

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

Sunset Tonight 4:25

Next Friday 4:31

Future Church Events

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| January 11 | 10:00 am Sabbath School 11:30 am Worship Service 1:00 pm Marriage Seminar 2:00 pm Men's Ministry |
| January 15 | 7:00 pm Community Bible Study – Pastor Vixie |
| January 17 | 6:30 pm Women's Meeting |

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

Giving Hearts: December - to date- Report

| Offerings | Received | Monthly budget |
|---------------|-------------|----------------|
| Church Budget | \$ 7,035.00 | \$ 4,942.00 |

Special Projects \$3,017

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

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| Audio/Visual | Andreas Goelzer | 603-236-9423 |
| Deacon..... | Gary Patch | 978-314-9970 |
| 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..... | 978-640-4949 |

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Thought Spot: Paul's commitment to be Christ's ambassador involved a life of constant warfare with the forces of evil. The apostle wore well the "whole armour of God" as he bravely stood "against the wiles of the devil". Paul had fulfilled God's plan for him; he did not slacken or falter he met every challenge with Christian buoyancy and resoluteness.

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.

GBA Announcements and upcoming events:

January 12, 2014— GBA Winter Classic at 1pm in the GBA Gym— food, games & lots of fun for the whole family.

January 17—End of Second Quarter

January 17—GBA Vespers

January 20—Martin Luther King Jr. Day—NO SCHOOL

January 26—SAT Testing (Grades 11 & 12)

January 31—GBA Vespers