

Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Church! This is a place where you can belong. Please join us for friendship and worship today.

**Boost Your Energy** by 40% in two weeks without drugs, lotions or potions. Join us Thursday evening at 7:00 for a *Peak Performance* workshop with Dr. Gerard Cassista. Invite your friends.

**Next Sabbath** Lance Forrester will speak on *It's Time to Get Up* from Romans 13:11.

**A Thanksgiving Fellowship Dinner** will be served next Sabbath. The menu sign up sheet is on the bulletin board.

**Holiday Food Baskets** are being prepared for needy families in our community. If you know of a family who should receive a food basket, please contact Marianne Wiacek or Karen McClendon today. The sign up sheet for fresh food donations and gift cards is on the bulletin. These items need to be brought to the church next Sabbath.

**A Community Thanksgiving Celebration** will be held at Christ Church United on November 21 at 7:00. Those who wish to sing in the choir will meet at 6:00.

**Kids Christmas Program**: The kids have started rehearsals for the Christmas program on December 18th. Each Sabbath School division will be practicing the last 5-10 minutes of Sabbath School each Sabbath with a dress rehearsal on Friday evening December 17th. Please invite your friends and family to this special presentation on December 18th.

Giving Hearts: Weekly Financial Update for November

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Offerings	Received	Monthly Budget
Church Budget	\$935.00	\$3,033.00
Building/Organ Fund	\$1,275.00	\$3,725.00

**Mission Trip:** Brenda Candelario is planning a mission trip to Venezuela during December and January. Donations to help with this venture can be marked "Brenda's Mission Trip."



Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church November 13, 2004

# Worship Celebration

I Belong to Jesus

**Gathering to Worship** 

Prelude Sherri Dovich Worship Host Greetings Andreas Goelzer

**Praising His Name** 

Praise Songs Sue Markin & Linda Martella

Come, Now is the Time to Worship

Come Into His Presence

Come Thou Fount

Congregational Prayer Andreas Goelzer
Church Alive Brenda Candelario
Gifts of Worship Nancy Jacobson

World Mission Budget

Offertory Sherri Dovich

**Proclaiming the Word** 

Children's Corner Linda Martella Scripture Lesson Linda Neang

Exodus 31:12-17

Worship in Song Jose Mortimer Sabbath Message Dan Martella

Signature Worship

**Dedicating Our Lives** 

Song of Dedication

Now I Belong to Jesus

Prayer of Dedication

Worship Host's Benediction

Postlude

Dan Martella

Andreas Goelzer

Sherri Dovich

**Recommended For Service:** 2004/2005 SNEC Constituency Meeting Delegates--Blanche Castle, Greg and Vivian (Alt.) Irrgang, Karen McClendon, Marge Patch, Jim (Alt.) and Joan Reiss. First Reading. Steven Dovich, Dan Martella, and Gary Patch will also serve as delegates.

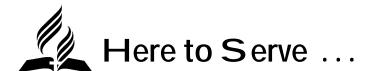
#### **Church Business Meeting Actions:**

- ?? To approve the 2005 budget which calls for a \$2,942.00 per month church budget and \$3,725.00 per month budget for our building fund.
- ?? To approve the management of the church budget by the church board with a cap of 20% beyond the approved church budget.
- ?? To continue through 2005 donating the children's offering on the second Sabbath of each month to the worthy student fund at Greater Boston Academy/Edgewood Elementary.

**Church Building in Kenya:** Teresia Kamau's home congregation in Rironi, Kenya is building a new church home. An informational poster has been placed on the bulletin board. Those wishing to contribute can mark their gifts "Rironi Church".

Sunset Tonight 4:22

Next Friday 4:17



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Every Believer, Ministers	
Dan Martella, Pastor	978/851-4004
Steven Dovich, Head Elder	978/621-4925
Gary Patch, Head Deacon	978/663-4544
Florence Asomugha, Head Deaconess	978-454-4388
Marge Patch, Treasurer	978/663-4544
Sue Markin, Clerk	978/957-6384
Joanie Reiss, Membership Clerk	978/256-1671
Andreas Goelzer, Personal Ministries	603/537-9735
Ingrid Mergenthaler, Sabbath School Superintendent	603/894-7295
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## Come Now Is The Time To Worship

Come, now is the time to worship. Come, now is the time to give your heart. Come, just as you are to worship. Come, just as you are before your God, come. One day every tongue will confess You are God. One day every knee will bow. Still the greatest treasure remains for those who gladly choose You now.

(Repeat)

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### Come Into His Presence

Come into His presence with thanksgiving in your heart And give Him praise, and give Him praise; Come into His presence with thanksgiving in your heart, Your voices raise, your voices raise.

Give glory and honor and power unto Him,

Jesus, the name above all names.

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## **Come Thou Fount**

Come, Thou fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace. Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise. Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above. Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of God's unchanging love.

Oh, to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be! Let thy grace, Lord, like a fetter, bind my wand'ring heart to Thee: Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love. Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

Hither to Thy love has blest me; Thou hast bro't me to this place; And I know Thy hand will bring me safely home by Thy good grace. Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God; He, to rescue me from danger, bought me with His precious blood.

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