

Welcome to the Merrimack Valley Church! May the family spirit shared together today bind us together in love.

#### **Church Events This Coming Week**

Sabbath	9:15	am	Fellowship Breakfast	
Sabbath	10:00	am	Sabbath School/Forty Days of Purpose Groups	
Sabbath	11:30	am	Worship Celebration/Forty Days of Purpose Continues	
			Pastor's Message: Created to Become Like Christ	

#### **Announcements**

All Forty Days of Purpose Announcements can be found on the bulletin insert.

Church Newsletter Items need to be given to Sherri Dovich today.

**Membership Transfer Recommendation:** Phyllis Ndoro, from the Nashua Church. First Reading.

**A SNEC Officer Training Seminar** will be held Sunday, February 27, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm in South Lancaster for elders, deacons, deaconesses, adult Sabbath School leaders, children's Sabbath School leaders, and personal ministries leaders. Lunch will be provided.

#### **Greater Boston Academy/Edgewood Elementary**

The Panther Pause, the school's e-paper can be read at http://www.greater bostonacademy.com/.

**The Elegant Dinner**, GBA/EW's premier fund raising event, will be held on February 13 at 5:00 pm. To purchase tickets call 781-438-4253.

**The International Food Festival** will be held on February 27 from 2:00 - 5:00 pm. Proceeds will be used for the Senior Class Mission Trip.

#### **Giving Hearts: January Report**

Offerings	Received	Monthly Budget
Church Budget	\$3,874.20	\$2,942.00
Building/Organ Fund	\$3,998.47	\$3,725.00

Sunset Tonight 5:03 Next Friday 5:10

#### Merrimack Valley Seventh-day Adventist Church February 5, 2005

# Worship Celebration

## A Life of Fellowship

**Gathering to Worship** 

Prelude Sherri Dovich Worship Host Greetings Warren Saxton

**Praising His Name** 

Praise Songs Rita McCall, Karen McClendon,

Happy, Happy Home & Ingrid Mergenthaler

We Are One in the Bond of Love

Bind Us Together

Congregational Prayer Jim Reiss Gifts of Worship Warren Saxton

Church Budget

Offertory Sherri Dovich

**Proclaiming the Word** 

Children's Corner Steven Dovich Scripture Lesson Bob McCall

Mark 12:30; Romans 12:5

Worship in Song Carine Garozzo & Jodie Masotta

Everyday

Sabbath Message Dan Martella

Formed For God's Family

## **Dedicating Our Lives**

Hymn of Dedication Family of God

Prayer of Dedication
Worship Host's Benediction
Postlude
Dan Martella
Warren Saxton
Sherri Dovich

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

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## Happy, Happy Home

With Jesus in the family, happy, happy home. Happy, happy home. Happy, happy home. With Jesus in the family, happy, happy home. Happy, happy home.

With Jesus in the father's heart . . .

With Jesus in the mother's heart . . .

With Jesus in the brother's heart . . .

With Jesus in the sister's heart . . .

### The Bond of Love

We are one in the bond of love. We are one in the bond of love. We have joined our spirit with the Spirit of God. We are one in the bond of love.

Let us sing now, every one; Let us feel His love begun. Let us join our hands, so the world will know We are one in the bond of love.

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# **Bind Us Together**

Bind us together. Lord:

Bind us together with cords that cannot be broken.

Bind us together, Lord; bind us together, Lord;

Bind us together with love.

There is only one God, there is only one King,

There is only on body, that is why we can sing.

Bind us together, Lord;

Bind us together with cords that cannot be broken.

Bind us together, Lord; bind us together, Lord;

Bind us together with love.

### The Family of God

#### Chorus

I'm so glad I'm a part of the fam'ly of God.
I've been washed in the fountain, cleansed by His blood!
Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod,
For I'm part of the fam'ly, the family of God.

You will notice we say "brother" and "sister" 'round here. It's because we're a family and these folks are so near. When one has a heartache, we all share the tears, And rejoice in each victory in this family so dear.

From the door of an orphanage to the house of the King, No longer an outcast, a new song I sing.

From rags unto riches, from the weak to the strong.

I'm not worthy to be here, but praise God, I belong.

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