

✠ Benediction

✠ Postlude

*Jubilation*

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*Join us for refreshments in Fellowship Hall following the service.*

### **First Friday Potluck**

Please join us this coming Friday, Oct. 4th for the First Friday Potluck Dinner. Invite a friend or neighbor to join us, all are welcome.

### **Our New Bishop is Coming!**

Bishop Thomas Bickerton will be visiting all the districts in the New England Annual Conference in October as our recently assigned bishop. He is coming to the Green Mountain District on Sunday, October 13. Shelburne UMC is hosting the event. Clergy and laity throughout Vermont are invited to attend. The schedule is as follows: 2pm-4 pm clergy gathering; 4pm-6 pm dinner with clergy and laity; 6pm-8 pm gathering with laity and clergy. Bishop Bickerton will be speaking and answering questions. Everyone who wants to attend will need to register for the event through the New England Annual Conference's webpage (link: <https://neumc-reg.brtaapp.com/BishopBickertonsDaysontheDistricts> ). The meal will be coordinated by Shelburne UMC with support from the District Office and other churches – check with Carol Blanshine, Pastor Janet, or Dave & Diane Ely for details.

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# Shelburne United Methodist Church

Loving God Through Worship, Study & Service



## Praise & Problems & Everything In Between

A Worship Series on the Psalms

September 29th , 2024

19th Sunday After Pentecost

✠ 8:00 AM Worship Service

✠ 9:30 AM Worship Service

Prelude *The Lord is My Shepherd*

Welcome

\* Call to Worship-Psalm 100

L: Praise the Lord!

Praise God in his sanctuary;

**P: praise God in his mighty firmament!**

L: Praise God for his mighty deeds;

**P: praise God for his exceeding greatness!**

L: Praise God with trumpet sound;

**P: praise God with lute and harp!**

L: Praise God with tambourine and dance;

**P: praise God with strings and pipe!**

L: Praise God with sounding cymbals;

**P: praise God with loud clashing cymbals!**

L: Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!

**P: Praise the Lord!**

\* Hymn *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*, vss. 1-3

UMH#89

\* Sharing the Peace

Prayer

**Holy God, open your Word.**

**Give us a spirit of wisdom and revelation,**

**that our eyes may be enlightened**

**and we may know the hope to which we have been called;**

**through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.**

\*Stand as you are able.

Responsive Reading

Psalm 150

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L: Praise the Lord!

**P: Praise God in the sanctuary.**

L: Praise God in the vault of heaven.

**P: Praise God in the earth and skies.**

L: Sing praises to the Lord.

**P: Shout and sing praises to God.**

L: We have witnessed God's mighty acts.

**P: We have seen the Lord's greatness.**

L: Let everything that breathes praise the Lord.

**P: Let everything that draws breath praise the Lord!**

Choir Anthem

*As the Deer* (based on Psalm 42)

Psalm Reading, Psalm 96

Song of Reflection *Thy Word is a Lamp*, vs. 2 with refrain

UMH#601

Sermon Praise & Problems & Everything In Between-Joy & Praise

Sharing of Joys and Concern

The Lord's Prayer, UMH#895

✠ Holy Communion, UMH 9-11

✠ Offering Our Gifts for God's Use

✠ Doxology, UMH#94

✠ Hymn

*Marching to Zion*, vss. 1 & 2

UMH#733