



# News from the Pews

April 29, 2018

## Stay Connected With Us:

With the summer months approaching, we want to make sure you stay "in the know" about upcoming events, notices, and volunteer opportunities. Questions? Contact the church office.

- **Weekly 'Friday News Blast'**: sign up for the church communications email distribution list sent from the office every Friday. To be added to the list, send an email to [office@clarendonumc.org](mailto:office@clarendonumc.org).
- **Weekly "News from the Pews"**: hard copy on Sunday mornings and electronic copy included in 'Friday News Blast' and on our website.
- **Monthly "Good Newsletter"**: delivered electronically and on our website - contact the church office to add your email address or request a hard copy.
- **CUMC Listserv ([cumcnews@morefaith.org](mailto:cumcnews@morefaith.org))** : This email serves as a message board for the congregation to post to with volunteer needs, local events, etc. We are in the beginning stages of merging to Google Groups with our [clarendonumc.org](http://clarendonumc.org) address. Contact the church office to be added to this listserv.
- **Sermon Podcasts**: Missed a sermon? We now record both the scripture reading and the sermon every week. A link is included in the 'Friday News Blast' as well as on our website. Or you can go to: [www.soundcloud.com/cumc-recordings](http://www.soundcloud.com/cumc-recordings).

**Mandoleers Concert:  
An Evening with Family & Friends  
Thursday, May 3, 8:00 pm**

The Mandoleers are a mandolin and guitar orchestra that have rehearsed here at Clarendon for years. They will be holding a concert in Corry Hall; tickets are not required and all are welcome. The program will feature classical and popular music for the mandolin orchestra, including original compositions by their conductor Matt Rinker.

**PRAYERS** *We have a designated, focused, prayer team that intentionally brings the concerns of the congregation before the Lord. If you would like someone added to the prayer list, or if you would like to be a part of this essential ministry, please contact the team by emailing us at [clarendonprayerteam@gmail.com](mailto:clarendonprayerteam@gmail.com) or calling the church office.*

## CINCO DE MAYO LUNCH FUNDRAISER: Sunday, May 6, 12:15pm.

Join the Youth Choir for a springtime fiesta as we celebrate Cinco de Mayo...a day late! There will be Mexican food, music, and games for children. All proceeds from the event will support the 24 choristers and 8 adults who will travel to Ohio on June 23.

## MOTHER'S DAY BANQUET: *An Evening in Paris*: Saturday, May 12, 6:00pm.

Please join us for our annual Mother's Day Banquet as the social hall is transformed into a beautiful Parisian setting. The French-inspired meal is \$10.00 for ladies and \$8.00 for children under 10 years. **Please RSVP to [office@clarendonumc.org](mailto:office@clarendonumc.org) by May 7. Extra RSVP forms are located in both narthexes.**

## CUMC's CHILDREN'S CHOIR MUSICAL: *A Table for Five-Thousand*

**Sunday, May 13; 8:30 and 11:00 services.**

The children's choir (grades 2-5) will perform a musical depicting the miracle of Jesus feeding of the 5,000 found in the Gospels.

## UNITED STATES ARMY MUSICIANS IN CONCERT

**Saturday, June 2, 3:00pm**

The Historic Ensemble of the U.S. Old Guard Fife & Drum Corps will join with members of the U.S. Army Orchestra to present a concert of music from the Baroque period. A reception will follow.

## SAVE THE DATE: WASHINGTON SUMMER SINGS!

A 36-year tradition continues as people all over the DMV join together to sing great choral masterpieces. Scores will be available and a light reception will follow each concert in Corry Hall.

- Tuesday, June 5, 7:30pm** - Thomas Colohan conducts the Mozart *Requiem*
- Tuesday, June 12, 7:30pm** - Richard Giarusso conducts the Brahms *Requiem*
- Tuesday, June 19, 7:30pm** - David Lang conducts Haydn's *Lord Nelson Mass*
- Tuesday, June 26, 7:30pm** - Thomas Beveridge conducts the Fauré *Requiem* and *Cantique de Jean Racine*

**WAS LOST, NOW FOUND:** Are you missing a sweater, cane, lunch bag or glasses? These are a few of the dozens of items in our full Lost and Found box. Our Lost & Found box is in the workroom behind the office. We will be donating unclaimed items by Friday May 11. Take a look now before it's gone!

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