



# News from the Pews

June 3, 2018

## NEXT WEEK!

**Sunday, June 10 is a Big Day at Clarendon!**

- **8:30am : Youth Choir Presentation and Graduating Senior Sunday**  
The Youth Choir will present the program they have prepared for their Ohio Mission Trip later in the month.
- **Sunday School Promotion at 9:45am:** Please join us in Corry Hall for presentations, singing by the Cherub Choir, picture slideshow, promotion certificates and light refreshments! It is a special time and your kids won't want you to miss it.
- **11:00am: Youth Choir Presentation and Graduating Senior Sunday**
- **12:15pm: Farewell Reception: Hosted By Jeff Pehl and Silvia Wang**

Silvia and Jeff have been an integral part of our CUMC Family. They met and married here, and went on to Seminary to pursue a mutual calling in ministry. They are now headed to Texas! Silvia will be pastor of Archer City First United Methodist Church, and Jeff will be pastor of First UMC Iowa Park. Join us for an afternoon of music, merriment and Jeff's marvelous BBQ as we wish Jeff and Silvia much success in their new positions.

**In addition:** Watch Jeff and Silvia's Commissioning Service! The North Texas Conference of the UMC will be live-streaming the worship service on Monday evening, June 4 at 8:00pm EST.

**Link:** <http://ntcumc.org/annual-conference-2018/live-streaming/>

Note: The link will be live on Monday evening, June 4 at 8:00pm EDST.

## WASHINGTON SUMMER SINGS!

A 36-year sing-a-long tradition continues as people all over the DMV join together in our Sanctuary to sing great choral masterpieces. Scores will be available and a light reception will follow each concert in Corry Hall. Be sure to invite your friends and neighbors!

- ➔ **THIS 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*

## SOCIAL JUSTICE BOOK CLUB: Wednesday, June 6, 7:30pm, Church Library

Our next Social Justice Book Club pick, *God Believes in Love: Straight Talk about Gay Marriage*, by Rev. Gene Robinson will hold the discussion on Wednesday, June 6 at 7:30pm in the Church Library. For more information contact Laura Bishop, [ljbishop1@gmail.com](mailto:ljbishop1@gmail.com).



## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2018 CONFIRMATION CLASS!

Our 2018 Confirmation Class will be introduced to the congregation at the 8:30am service, but will officially join the church at the 11:00 service on June 3. There will be a reception following the 11:00 service in Corry Hall.

### Looking Ahead:

Mark your Calendars! On **Sunday, July 29** we will have one combined worship service at **10:00am** in celebration of the Highroad Choral Camp presenting their repertoire at CUMC.

**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.

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