

July 4, 2026 will be the 250th Anniversary of the United States Declaration of Independence. This concert celebrates our country with music reflecting the exceptional spirit that is America!

* *Folk Songs of America* is a choral cycle that contains new and unique settings of American folk songs, arranged by Dan Forrest. They represent distinctive facets of the richly diverse people and places found through various periods of American history.

* *The Pledge of Allegiance*
Linda Spevacek

* *I Hear America Singing*
André Thomas

* *From Sea to Shining Sea*
Samuel A. Ward

* *God of Our Fathers*
George William Warren

* *A Festive Call to Freedom*
Joseph Martin

* *My Country, 'Tis of Thee*
arr. Dan Forrest

* *Hoe-Down (for orchestra)*
Aaron Copland

* *Armed Forces – The Pride of America*
arr. Greg Gilpin

🇺🇸 We invite those currently serving or who have served, to wear their uniforms to this concert. 🇺🇸

Land of the free, because of the brave!



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Tina Johns Heidrich, Conductor

Spring Concert

***Happy 250th
Birthday, America!***



Sunday, March 15, 2026 – 3 pm

First Congregational Church
164 Deer Hill Avenue
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Our 25th Anniversary Season!