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The American Guild of Organists promotes the organ in its historic and evolving roles, encourages excellence in the performance of organ and choral music, and provides a forum for the mutual support, inspiration, education, and certification of Guild members.

OUR NEXT PROGRAMS –

• An Introduction to Basic Organ Building.

This workshop will take place on Saturday, January 26 and Monday, January 28.

Please be sure to mark this change in your calendars.

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Dean's List



Dear Friends ó

I hope this finds each of you well and enjoying your fall. Programs and concert series are well underway, and, as always, we are blessed to have many opportunities available to us to experience rich and beautiful music making.

Already, the chapter has hosted two sets of workshops, both well-attended. Many thanks to Mark Stuart, Brett Greene, and Anthony Fabro for presenting "Internet Resources for Church Musicians", and to John Schuder and Brian Johnson for "Registration for Small Instruments".

Please note that there has been a change of date for the next chapter program, the workshop "An Introduction to Basic Organ Building".

This workshop will take place on Saturday, January 26 and Monday, January 28. Please be sure to mark this change in your calendars.

Somewhat unusually for us, there is a lull in chapter programs until the January workshops. I encourage you to support each other and attend some of the concerts offered by our fellow AGO members.

In the meantime, the Executive Committee is in extended discussions about how our chapter can provide even more support to young organists and encourage their participation in chapter events. If this is something that you feel passionately about, please let me or any member of the Executive Committee know of your interest.

With warm wishes,
Sara

New Members and Directory Updates

Jennifer Stadler has a new address:
945 Euclaire Avenue
Bexley, OH 43209

Michael Hardesty's phone number is listed incorrectly in the Directory; His correct number is 973-460-7663.

Please welcome new member **Mary Lynn Dell**.
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Dublin, OH 43017
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Weldon Adams' new email address is weldonadams1@gmail.com

Advertisers in The Guild

Thank you to the following groups who support the AGO through their advertisement in our Membership Directory!

ALCM (Association of Lutheran Church Musicians)

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Asbury Organ Academy

Broad Street Presbyterian Church

Bunn=Minnick

Capital University

Central College Presbyterian Church

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Peebles-Herzog

Piano Technicians Guild

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church

St. John's Episcopal Church (Worthington)

St. Joseph Cathedral

Trinity Lutheran Seminary

Worthington Presbyterian Church

Recitals and Concerts

Choral Evensong with Communion

Sunday, October 21 at 5:00 pm / St. Stephen's Episcopal Church

30 West Woodruff Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43205

Call 614-294-3749 for more information.

Bradley Welch in Recital

Sunday, October 28 at 4:00 pm / Central College Presbyterian Church

975 South Sunbury Road, Westerville, Ohio 43081

The Central College Concert Series presents Bradley Welch, internationally known concert organist in recital in the sanctuary. Refreshments will be served after the concert.

First Thursday Noontime Organ Recital Series

Thursday, November 1 at 12:15 pm / Asbury United Methodist Church

55 West Lincoln, Delaware, Ohio

The *First Thursday Noontime Organ Recital Series* at Asbury United Methodist Church will welcome Joshua Brodbeck, director of music at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Upper Arlington and organist at Methodist Theological School in Ohio, for an All Saints Day recital from 12:15 to 12:45. Tables will be set and beverages provided for those who wish to enjoy lunch during the recital.

Choral Evensong with the Mozart *REQUIEM*

Friday, November 2, 2012, 8:00 pm / Trinity Lutheran Seminary

2199 E. Main Street, Bexley, Ohio 43209

Trinity Seminary Choir, Soloists & Orchestra, May Schwarz, director; Carol Ann Bradley, organist. The Prelude will begin at 7:30 pm. Call 614-235-4136 or visit the web site at www.TLSOHIO.edu for more information.

(Concert listings are continued on the next page.)

Yun Kyong Kim in Recital

Sunday, November 4, 2012, 3:00 pm / Northwest Christian Church
1340 Fishinger Road, Upper Arlington, Ohio

Dr. Kim is a featured recitalist at many AGO events including a fantastic performance at the 2011 Region V Convention in Lexington. She has been a judge at the Columbus Chapter's RCYO competitions and has participated in chapter programs. With Doctoral and Master's degrees in organ performance from Indiana University, she has built a reputation for bringing engaging programs of diverse musical interest to her audiences. A freewill offering will be received. For more information, call 457-6290.

Otterbein University String Orchestra

Sunday, November 4, 7:30 pm / Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church:
100 E. Schrock Road, Westerville, Ohio 43081

The Otterbein University String Orchestra, Jim Bates, conductor will take the audience on a musical tour of Vienna with music of Mozart, Schubert, Brahms and Schreker. The concert is a part of Grace's "A Joyful Noise!" concert series. There is no fee for admission. A free-will offering will be collected to support the series.

Stephan Casurella, organist

Sunday, November 11, 3:00 pm / St. John's Episcopal Church
700 High Street, Worthington 43085

Stephan Casurella is director of music at Christ Church Cathedral, Cincinnati, where he oversees all aspects of music for the cathedral's rich worship life. In demand as a performer and choral clinician, Stephan is also a published composer. He holds undergraduate and graduate degrees in both piano performance and music composition and in 2009 was awarded a doctor of musical arts degree in church music (organ emphasis) from the University of Kansas. There is no charge for admission; a freewill offering will be taken to support the Music Series. Please visit www.StJohnsWorthington.org for more information.

Ecumenical Hymn Festival

Sunday, November 11, 4:00 pm / Asbury United Methodist Church
55 West Lincoln, Delaware, Ohio

The Asbury Organ Series will present an Ecumenical Hymn Festival titled "Fill Us with Your Love, Show Us how to Serve" at Asbury United Methodist Church. Leading the festival will be a massed choir from First Presbyterian, St. Mark's Lutheran, St. Mary's Catholic, and William Street and Asbury United Methodist Churches, under the direction of Robert Nims. Commentary during the festival will be provided by Rev. Philip Wilden, pastor of Asbury. Sally Casto will be the organist for the service. The goal of the festival is to raise funds to contribute to the Family Promise of Delaware County/Habitat for Humanity project to renovate a home to serve as shelter for homeless families. There is no admission charge; however, a free will offering will be received to further the mission project.

New Organ Dedication

Sunday, November 18, 3:30 pm / St. Sebastian Church
476 Mull Ave., Akron, Ohio 44320

Bishop Lennon of Cleveland will perform the Blessing Ceremony of the new 48 rank, 4 manual Schantz Organ, which will be followed by a dedicatory concert by Lynn Frey-Steward, CAGO, MM. Music selections will feature Handel, Bach, Lang, Messiaen, Morricone and Mussorgsky. Visit either of these addresses for more information : freyl@stsebastian.org, lfrey001@gmail.com, or call 330-836-2233 ext. 111.

Zanesville 23rd Annual Handbell Festival

Sunday, November 18, 7:00 pm / Grace United Methodist Church
516 Shinnick Street, Zanesville, Ohio

A freewill offering will be received to help defray expenses. Visit www.centraltrinityumc.com for more information.

Handel's Messiah, Part I

Sunday, December 2 10:30 am / St John's Evangelical Protestant Church
59 East Mound Street, Columbus, OH 43215

Soloists, Choir, Chamber orchestra, and May Schwarz, director, will present Part I of Handel's *Messiah*. A freewill offering will be received.

First Thursday Noontime Organ Recital Series

Thursday, December 6, 12:15 pm / Asbury United Methodist Church
55 West Lincoln, Delaware, Ohio

The recitalist will be Allison Kolbe, Ohio Wesleyan senior student of Prof. Robert Griffith. There is no admission charge. Beverages will be provided and tables set for those who wish to enjoy lunch during the recital.

Advent Afternoon Concert

Sunday, December 9, 3:00 pm / Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church
1559 Roxbury Rd., Columbus, Ohio 43212

Advent and Christmas music will be performed by the parish choir with orchestra. A free-will offering will be received. Carol Ann Bradley, organist/director of music

Handel's Messiah, Parts I, II and III

December 9, 6:00 pm / Central Trinity United Methodist Church
62 South Seventh Street, Zanesville, Ohio

The 83rd Annual performance of Handel's "Messiah" by the Zanesville Civic Chorus and Orchestra is Sunday A freewill offering will be given to a local charity. Visit www.centraltrinityumc.com for more information.

Meeting of the Executive Committee

The November 19 meeting has been rescheduled to November 26 at St. Paul Westerville so as to avoid the Thanksgiving holiday week. Please inform the Dean if you must be absent.

December Guilder

The deadline for submission of all materials for the next issue of The Guilder will be November 15. Please address all material to weldonadams1@gmail.com. Please note that this is a new address. Thank you.

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