

MAY PROGRAM

Our spring banquet will be on Tuesday, May 14 at the Hardings' Restaurant in Camp Hill (3817 Old Gettysburg Road). Social hour - 5:45 with Hors D'Ouevres and cash bar; Entertainment by Oriana. Dinner - 6:30 followed by the installation of the officers and a program with guest soloist Christyan Seay

MARCH PROGRAM

We extend our thanks to chapter member Tom Notestine for hosting our March meeting giving us an opportunity to hear and play the Allen Organ at Zion Lutheran Church in Enola. Scott Clark of the Allen company and Matt Baldwin a representative from Menchey Music were on hand to lead the workshop. We also thank our chapter member Don Golden for playing some selections to demonstrate the capabilities of the organ. We had about 20 people in attendance.

APRIL PROGRAM

We had 21 people join us for the organ crawl to Hanover and Gettysburg on Saturday, April 21. In Hanover we stopped at St. Mark Lutheran church to see the J. W. Steere organ (rebuilt by Moller), at St. Matthew Lutheran church to see the Austin organ, and at the Conewago Chapel to see the Hook and Hastings organ. In Gettysburg we saw the Austin organ at the Gettysburg College Chapel which was demonstrated by chapter member Josephine Freund, and the Andover tracker organ at the Lutheran Seminary Chapel. Our final stop was in York Springs to see the Taylor & Boody tracker organ at Holy Tinity Lutheran Church. We thank Gerry Hoover and Don Golden for arranging this day for us. We also thank the hosts Scott Fredericks, C. Michael Nobel, Jody Richter, and Josephine Freund.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

A program committee is forming to plan for the year 2002-2003. If there are suggested meeting topics, please contact the sub-dean elect, Rick Zentmeyer immediately by E-mail: rzentmeyer@compuserve.com or telephone 533-8421

AREA EVENTS

Sunday, May 19 at 7:30PM A Hymn Festival celebrating and affirming "The Faith We Sing" a new United Methodist Hymnal Supplement. First United Methodist Church, 64 W Chocolate Ave, Hershey. Child care will be provided.

Sunday, June 9 at 3:00 PM. Piano recital by Shelly Moorman-Stahlman dedicating the new Steinway piano. First United Church of Christ; Carlisle, PA.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Newsletter deadline: May 31 for the summer issue to be released June 15. Send items to Shawn Gingrich (fumcsmg@cplx.net); fax: 533-6005; phone 583-1922.

“SCHOLARSHIP FOR PIPE ORGAN ENCOUNTER OFFERED ”

The Harrisburg Chapter of the American Guild of Organists (AGO) is offering a scholarship to youth ages 13 to 18, with a proficient piano background, to attend one of the six Pipe Organ Encounter (POE) opportunities offered by the AGO. Interested students should record a tape of piano selections they are currently studying, and submit the tape along with a one-page essay detailing why they want to learn to play the organ. Applicants need not have studied organ previously. Tapes and essays should be sent before May 20th to: Dr. Shelly Moorman-Stahlman, 2200 Brandt Road, Annville, PA 17003. Please include the name of the student, address, phone number, piano teacher, and how many years of lessons.

This year, Pipe Organ Encounters are scheduled for Tulsa, Oklahoma; Tempe, Arizona; Urbana-Champaign, Illinois; Rochester, New York; New Ulm, Minnesota; and Calgary, Alberta, Canada. The scholarship will underwrite the registration fee. Students will cover their transportation fees. POE participants enjoy private and group instruction in technique and church service playing, an overview of organ literature and history, instruction on pipe organ construction and design, field trips, and a chance to meet teenagers with similar interests. POEs are designed to introduce teenagers to the organ and the sacred music profession. Contact person: Mary Jane Nelson(717) 901-0606 or (717) 761-1188

AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS - HARRISBURG CHAPTER
RENEWAL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FOR 2002-2003

It is TIME to renew your AGO membership for the 2002-2003 year. The official membership year is from July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003. Regular, Special and Student memberships include (1) a one-year subscription to **THE AMERICAN ORGANIST (TAO) Magazine**, (2) support the activities offered by the National Organization and (3) support our local Chapter meetings/workshops, concerts and recitals.

DUES SHOULD BE SENT TO THE CHAPTER TREASURER NO LATER THAN JUNE 30, 2002

REGULAR VOTING MEMBER	\$80.00
SPECIAL VOTING MEMBER (65 and over, under 21, or disabled)	\$57.00
FULL TIME STUDENT VOTING MEMBER (full-time with school ID)	\$30.00
PARTNER MEMBER (2nd member at same address, no TAO)	\$56.00
DUAL MEMBER (paid to 2nd Chapter after full dues paid to Primary Chapter)	\$30.00
CHAPTER FRIEND (subscribing member with no TAO)	\$35.00
(Applies to Friends who do Not have a Regular Full or Part-Time Organist position)	

Please complete and return the bottom portion of this form with a check payable to "AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS, HARRISBURG CHAPTER" and mail to:

KATHY MYERS, TREASURER
1701 CREEK VISTA DRIVE
NEW CUMBERLAND PA 17070

(Membership Renewal 2002-2003)

Name _____

Membership: Regular Special Student Partner Dual Chapter Friend

Home Address _____ Zip Code _____

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Home Telephone _____ Church Telephone _____

E-mail Address _____ Do you teach private lessons? _____

Other interests/talents (e.g. computer savvy, writer, etc.) _____

Music Degree(s) or AGO Certification(s) _____

Signature _____ Date ____/____/____

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