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American Guild of Organists – Harrisburg Chapter



Our mission is to promote the organ in its historic and evolving roles, to encourage excellence in the performance of organ and choral music, and to provide a forum for mutual support, inspiration, education, and certification of Guild members.

From the Dean

I hope that the past year has been a good year for you and for your family.

Now is the time to note in your 2013 Year Planner the upcoming Harrisburg Chapter AGO programs:

- Tuesday, January 15, 6:30 PM;
- Saturday, February 9, 9:00 AM;
- Saturday, March 9, 9:00 AM;
- Saturday, April 20, 9:00 AM, and
- Tuesday, May 14, 6:00 PM.

Please see page 2 and the chapter webpage for details, but now is the time to put the dates in your Planner. We need more of our chapter members to attend our monthly programs! We average between one-quarter and one-third of our members in attendance at programs. Let's try to do better in 2013. Our Program Committee has planned both interesting and helpful Presentations and Workshops. All include a Continental Breakfast or a Gathering Time, times for networking, fellowship, and refreshment.

Let me suggest that at the beginning of the year you take a few minutes to review the AGO Mission Statement and the AGO Code of Ethics, both found on the first page of the Chapter Directory. I suggest, also, that you go to the AGO National Webpage to familiarize yourself with the various changes taking place in the structure of our Guild.

Plan to attend the next Region III Convention in Winchester, Virginia, July 7-10. You can find all the details at www.2013agoreg3convention.com. Also see page 3.

In closing, let me wish all our chapter members, their families, and their associates a new year filled with all the blessings of life, health, happiness, peace, and prosperity.

Soli Deo Gloria
Ralph Kneeream

Members' Recital / Organ Plus Program with Dinner

Tuesday, January 15, 2013 7:30 PM

Members/Organ Plus Recital with catered buffet supper at 6:30 PM.
Faith Presbyterian Church,
1801 Colonial Road, Harrisburg,
James Riggs, Host.

Gathering time—6:00 PM
Catered supper ~ 6:30 PM
Recital ~ 7:30 PM

Menu

Carved beef
Almond crusted chicken with bing cherry sauce
Shrimp Newburg with rice
Sweet and sour meatballs
Baked corn
Broccoli and cauliflower au gratin
New red potatoes
Macaroni and cheese
Dinner includes:
Garden salad and dressings
Rolls and butter
Coffee, iced tea
Dessert table

Register for the dinner now!

(Deadline for registration – January 11, 2013)

Cost: \$15.00 per person

Make check payable to:

“Harrisburg Chapter, AGO”,
mark “January Meal” on memo, and
mail to: Brian Rice, Treasurer,
1430 Green Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102

Any chapter member who may have a “plus” musical partner and is interested in participating in the recital should contact Shawn Gingrich immediately.
subdean@harrisburgago.com

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Upcoming Chapter Programs

Tuesday, January 15, 2013
7:30 PM
Members/Organ Plus Recital
with catered buffet supper
(6:30 PM);
Faith Presbyterian Church,
1801 Colonial Road,
Harrisburg,
James Riggs, Host.
(See complete details on page 1)

Saturday, February 9, 2013
9:30 AM
9:00 AM Social / Coffee Time
Choral Reading Session,
Wayne Wold, clinician;
First United Methodist Church,
64 West Chocolate Avenue,
Hershey,
Shawn Gingrich, Host.

Saturday, March 9, 2013
9:30 AM
9:00 AM Social / Coffee Time
Hymn Playing,
Karl Moyer, clinician;
St. Paul's Lutheran Church,
539 Bridge Street,
New Cumberland,
Karen Worley, Host.

Saturday, April 20, 2013
9:30 AM
9:00 AM Social / Coffee Time
"Anthem Accompaniments and
Contemporary Hymns at the
Organ", Robert Lau, clinician,
St. John's Lutheran Church,
44 West Main Street,
Shiremanstown,
Tom Notestine, Host.

Tuesday, May 14, 2013
Annual Chapter Business
Meeting and Dinner,
including installation of officers,
Civic Club of Harrisburg
612 North Front Street
Harrisburg (details to follow).

Student Competition Announced

by Dr. D. Darrell Woomer

I am delighted to announce that the Harrisburg Chapter has been selected as one of the four chapters in Region III to host a student competition. (The other chapters are Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Lehigh Valley).

Our competition will be held on Saturday, April 6, 2013 at First Lutheran Church, Carlisle, PA. The competition is open to anyone under the age of 24 as of August 1, 2013. Competitors can only compete in one competition and it must be in the AGO region in which they live or attend school. They are responsible for any travel or lodging expenses associated with the competition.

The rules of the competition, required repertoire and application form can be found in the June 2012 "The American Organist" or on the national AGO website. The application form must be submitted to the AGO Headquarters no later than January 18, 2013.

The awards for this competition are: \$1,000 for first place and \$500 for second place. The Harrisburg Chapter (or the student's home chapter) will assist with the expenses for the first place winner to compete at the regional convention to be held in Winchester, VA, from July 7-10, 2013.

Further information or questions may be direction to me.

D. Darrell Woomer, PhD
106 Clover Lane, Palmyra, PA 17078
woomer@lvc.edu
(717) 838-3938

Membership News

by Doris Savage

Membership Corner

Best wishes go out to member, Ruth Brommer, for a speedy recovery from back surgery last month and to member, Brenda Helwig who had surgery in late November. Get well!

Lunch Bunch

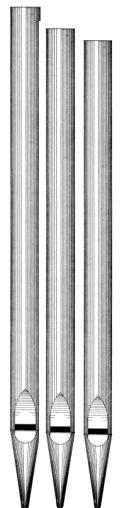
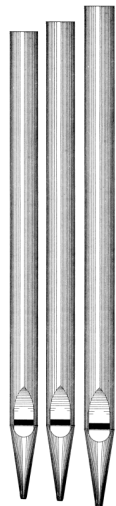
Our January luncheon will be held on Wednesday, the 9th at 11:30 a.m. in the Bridges Café at the Radisson in Camp Hill. Please phone or email Doris Savage no later than Monday, the 7th if you plan to attend, phone (717) 697-4042 or email dorisagohbg@comcast.net.

Breaking news . . .

Saturday, March 16, 2013
Educational Outreach Program
Pedals, Pipes, and Pizza
Lebanon Valley College, Annville

Pedals, Pipes and Pizza is a partial-day event that introduces children and youth to the pipe organ.

More details will be forthcoming.



PLAN AHEAD . . .

**Region III AGO 2013 Regional Convention
Winchester Chapter, Winchester, Virginia
July 7-10, 2013**

Performers, Presenters, and Composers:

David Cherwien Karen Electra Christianson
Susan Cherwien Jeremy Filsell
Paul Fleckenstein Paul Carroll
 Nathan Laube
 Julie Vidrick Evans

Robert McCormick and the Choirs of
St. Paul's K Street in Washington, D. C.
An update from St. Germaine with Mark Schweizer!
And Much More!

The George Washington Hotel—
A Wyndham Grand Hotel in Winchester, VA.
Single-\$129 + Tax Double-\$139 + Tax
Triple-\$149 + Tax Quad-\$159 + Tax
Includes a Continental Breakfast



Wingate by Wyndham in Winchester, VA
Room Rate is \$95 per night + Tax
Breakfast is included in the rate



www.2013agoreg3convention.com

Treasurer's Report

by Brian Rice

Cash in Bank as of 11/1/2012	\$ 7,232.78*
Disbursements (—)	\$ 620.68
Receipts (+)	\$ 225.00
Cash in Bank as of 12/1/2012	\$ 6,837.10*
Invested Funds:	
Cassel Award	\$ 5,990.63
Stahle Award	\$ 1,142.56
Yocum Scholarship	\$ 3,327.46
Shenk Scholarship	\$ 6,602.50
Throne Money Market	\$ 9,822.57
Reserve Money Market	\$20,814.75
General CD	\$ 5,034.64

*Includes \$1,000.00 from Clapper Estate

Area Events Listing

Friday, January 4, 2013—7:00 PM

Emmanuel United Church of Christ, 124 Broadway, Hanover presents organist Layton Graves in recital. A free-will offering will be received to benefit the church's organ fund.

Friday, January 4, 2013—7:30 PM

First United Methodist Church, 64 West Chocolate Avenue, Hershey presents the Rooke Chapel Ringers from Bucknell University under the direction of Dr. William Payn in concert. The concert is free and open to all. A free-will offering will be received. For information call (717) 533-9668 or visit www.firstumchershery.org.

Sunday, January 6, 2013—5:00 PM

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 22 South Sixth Street, Lebanon presents an Early Music Evensong for Epiphany sung by *Mi Contra Fa* from St. James Episcopal Church in Lancaster - Offering received.

Wednesday, February 6, 2013—12:15 PM

Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 North 23rd Street, Camp Hill presents organist Anthony Ciucci as a part of the Wednesday Noonday Organ Recitals featuring members of the Harrisburg Chapter AGO. 11:45 AM - 12:15 PM light lunch served at the church, 12:15 - 12:45 PM Organ Recital. A free-will offering will be received. (717) 737-0488 www.thechpc.org.

Friday, February 8, 2013—7:30 PM

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents "Love Songs for Valentines" featuring the Choir of Pine Street Church with Soloists and Friends. This program will be presented in McCormick Hall gathered around tables with coffee and great desserts. This concert will be the annual benefit for Downtown Daily Bread. Additional donations will be received in addition to the ticket price. \$10 donation per ticket.

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Sunday, February 10, 2013 –3:00 PM

Trinity United Methodist Church, 415 Bridge Street, New Cumberland, presents Flute Quartet, Early Music Ensemble, and Handbells, a Benefit Concert for Organ Restoration, featuring the Greenwood Muse and Trinity's United Bells. A free-will offering will be received.

Sunday, February 10, 2013–7:00 PM

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 22 South Sixth Street, Lebanon presents a Choral Evensong and Organ Recital by Charles Grove - Offering received.

Wednesday, February 13, 2013–11:55 AM

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents organist Thomas Clark-Jones in a Lenten Recital followed by Imposition of Ashes and Communion at 12:10pm. There will be a Soup and Bread lunch following offered for a \$3 donation with proceeds going to Downtown Daily Bread.

Friday, February 15, 2013–8:00 PM

Hostetter Chapel, Messiah College Cultural Series presents Triple Play—Chris Brubeck's Jazz Trio. For tickets call (717) 691-6036 or visit www.messiah.edu/culturalseries

Sunday, February 17, 2013–4:00 PM

Trinity Lutheran Church, 2000 Chestnut Street, Camp Hill presents the Silent Film, *Phantom of the Opera* with organist Tom Trenney. Free-will offering.

Sunday, February 17, 2013–7:00 PM

First United Methodist Church, 64 West Chocolate Avenue, Hershey presents the Syati Duo, cello and organ duo of Rebecca Hewes, cello and Julian Collings, organ. The concert is free and open to all. A free-will offering will be received. For information call (717) 533-9668 or visit www.firstumchershey.org or www.svyatiduo.co.uk.

Wednesday, February 20, 2013–12:10 PM

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents organist Michael Shoemaker (Organist Emeritus of the Cathedral of St. Stephen) in a Lenten Recital. There will be a Soup and Bread lunch following offered for a \$3 donation with proceeds going to Downtown Daily Bread.

Sunday, February 24, 2013–3:00 PM

Fine Arts at First, First Lutheran Church, 21 South Bedford Street, Carlisle presents The Life of Jesus: A Hymn Festival with David Erickson, Organ; assisted by Ed Stanley, Oboe; Vanessa Shenk, Trumpet; and Leann Erickson, Soprano.

Sunday, February 24, 2013–4:00 PM

First United Methodist Church 520 East Birch Street, Palmyra, presents Music Through the Seasons featuring Spenser Prichard, piano and Tyler Canonico, organ. A free-will offering will be received.

Wednesday, February 27, 2013–12:10 PM

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents organist Helen Anthony (Organist of Derry Presbyterian Church, Hershey) in a Lenten Recital. There will be a Soup and Bread lunch following offered for a \$3 donation with proceeds going to Downtown Daily Bread.

Sunday, March 3, 2013–7:00 PM

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 22 South Sixth Street, Lebanon

presents a Choral Evensong and concert by David Kreider and Don Horneff, duo pianists from McDaniel College - Offering received.

Wednesday, March 6, 2013–12:10 PM

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents organist Dr. Raymond Weidner (Organist of First Presbyterian Church, Lynchburg, VA) in a Lenten Recital. There will be a Soup and Bread lunch following offered for a \$3 donation with proceeds going to Downtown Daily Bread.

Wednesday, March 6, 2013–12:15 PM

Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 North 23rd Street, Camp Hill presents organist Helen Anthony as a part of the Wednesday Noonday Organ Recitals featuring members of the Harrisburg Chapter of the AGO. 11:45 AM - 12:15 PM light lunch served at the church, 12:15 - 12:45 PM Organ Recital. A free-will offering will be received. (717) 737-0488 www.thechpc.org.

Friday, March 8, 2013–7:30 PM

Saint Patrick Cathedral, 212 State Street, Harrisburg presents Le Chemin de la Croix (Stations of the Cross) by Marcel Dupré. This monumental organ suite was inspired by Paul Claudel's poetic meditations on the Stations of the Cross. In February of 1931, Dupré improvised a set of 14 pieces, with each one paired to Claudel's poems. It received such critical acclaim, that he set the improvisations to paper, and the final version was premiered in Paris in 1932. Recurring melodies represent Christ, Mary, the Cross, and other figures in the Passion story. The music ranges from powerful and dissonant to soft and mellow. Presented by organist Nicholas F. Basehore and reader Charles R. Peguese. A requested donation of \$10 per person may be offered at the door.

Sunday, March 10, 2013–4:00 PM

Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 North 23rd Street, Camp Hill presents Charlie Zahm, singer/guitarist—Celtic, Maritime, and Traditional American music. A free-will offering will be received. (717) 737-0488 www.thechpc.org.

Wednesday, March 13, 2013–12:10 PM

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents organist Thomas Clark-Jones (Organist of Pine Street Church) in a Lenten Recital. There will be a Soup and Bread lunch following offered for a \$3 donation with proceeds going to Downtown Daily Bread.

Sunday, March 17, 2013–4:00 PM

Trinity Lutheran Church, 2000 Chestnut Street, Camp Hill presents Candlelight Vespers featuring the Duruflé *Requiem* by Chancel Choir and orchestra.

Wednesday, March 20, 2013–12:10 PM

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents organist Alan R. Weamer (Organist of Court Street Church, Flint MI) in a Lenten Recital. There will be a Soup and Bread lunch following offered for a \$3 donation with proceeds going to Downtown Daily Bread.

Sunday, March 24, 2013–4:00 PM

First United Methodist Church 520 East Birch Street, Palmyra, presents a choral concert featuring the College Choir from Lebanon Valley College under the direction of Dr. Michael Wojdylak. A free-will offering will be received.

The Rooke Chapel Ringers of Bucknell University in Hershey



First United Methodist Church,
64 West Chocolate Avenue, Hershey

Friday, January 4, 2013 at 7:30 PM

Since 1983 this renowned ensemble has been delighting audiences with its expertise in ringing. This concert is a special celebration for senior-class member of the ringers, and member of First UMC, Betsy Curry (first row, far right in the photo). This concert will be the first of seven in the choir's concert tour which will take them through four states on the east coast in one week's time. Please plan to attend!

Benefit Concert to Feature Chapter Member Layton S. Graves

Recital on
January 4th at
7:00 PM

Emmanuel
UCC 124
Broadway
Hanover

Featuring
works of Bach,
Viene,
Boëllmann,
and more on
Emmanuel
UCC's newly rebuilt four-manual Peragallo organ!



Refreshments will be served after the recital.
A free will offering will be received to benefit
Emmanuel's organ fund.

"Playing 20 Questions with Craig Cramer"

from Dillsburg Banner by Steven M. Nesbit
(Reprinted by permission)

1. What is the best advice you ever received? **To follow your heart.**
2. What was the lowest grade you ever got on your report card? **A "C" in freshman psychology.**
3. What's always in your refrigerator? **I guess organic fruits. I was always allergic to chocolate and I found out I was lactose intolerant for my 50th birthday present.**
4. How do you define success? **Having the ability to do what you want to do in your career and your life.**
5. A guilty pleasure? **My mother's pecan pie. Oh, I love it and I can eat it, but I shouldn't because it has milk in it.**
6. If you could spend one day with anybody, who would it be? **Jimmy Carter. He was a man of really high moral principles who believes in the process of peace. I think he worked on peace and justice for his entire life and I really admire that.**
7. Your favorite restaurant? **In Michigan where I live. Tabor Hill winery has a great restaurant.**
8. Favorite book? **The Heart Is A Lonely Hunter, and The Song of the Lark. These two books define what it means to be an artist.**
9. What TV shows did you watch as a kid? **Lassie and Sky King.**
10. A quote to remember? **My organ teacher in college said "A good teacher is one who teaches a student how to teach him or herself, thus making the teacher obsolete."**
11. A favorite comfort food? **Soft pretzels from Central Pennsylvania, with mustard.**
12. Three words to describe you? **Intense, committed, enthusiastic.**
13. Pet peeves? **People that don't work hard to reach the goal that would essentially make them happy.**
14. Hop on a time machine, where would you go? **Germany in the 18th century. I would visit Bach.**
15. Identify a weakness. **As a musician, I'm never satisfied. A creative artist is never satisfied with his last performance. It's like eating last week's lunch.**
16. Something that people would be surprised to know about you. **I played in rock 'n roll groups when I was in high school.**
17. What makes you laugh? **I kind of have an absurdist's look at life from time to time. I like the comedy of Seinfeld. His writers understand the things that poke fun at human foibles.**
18. What makes you cry? **My wife's death and all the strife and heartbreak in the world.**
19. How would you like to be remembered? **As a good parent, a good husband, and somebody who gave it his all and got the most out of his modest talent.**
20. Is there anything you would like to add? **My hobby has been my career, and my career has been my hobby. I'm very fortunate to be one of the few people that can say that. I am very blessed.**

Harrisburg Chapter American Guild of Organists Meeting of
Officers, Board, Committee Chairs
August 14, 2012-7:00 PM,
Trinity Lutheran Church, Camp Hill

The Dean called the meeting to order. Father James Lease gave the Invocation.

Present: Dr. Ralph Kneeream, Dr. Shawn Gingrich, Kenneth Walker, Brian Rice, Robert Bell, Georgia Clements, Carol Hunter, Ellen Hunt, Beth Palmer, Brian Rotz, Esther Long, Tom Notestine, Anna Royer, Dr. Shirley King, Father James Lease, James Acri, Karen Appel, Charles Yocum, Timothy Koch, Rev. Steven Middernacht, Mary Jane Nelson. Not Present: Doris Savage, Rev. Dr. D. Darrell Woomer, Dr. Shelley Moorman-Stahlman.

READING of the MINUTES

Minutes of the February 7 and the Annual Meeting were adopted as read.

TREASURER'S REPORT-Brian Rice

Audit for July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012 was approved as presented. Statement of Receipts, Disbursements, and Cash in Bank for July 1, 2012 through August 14, 2012 was filed to audit.

DEAN'S REPORT-Dr. Ralph Kneeream

The Dean thanked Tim Koch and Tom Notestine for arranging the meeting space for our meetings at Trinity. Robert Bell, Georgia Clements (to replace Thomas Clark-Jones) and Carol Hunter (to replace Manel Neil Frau-Cortes) were welcomed as new members of the Board. Dr. Shirley King was welcomed as the new chair of the Nominating Committee. Karen Appel was welcomed as the chair of the Hospitality Committee. Kathy Gates was welcomed as the new chair of the Finance Committee to replace James Acri who is moving to California. The Dean thanked James Acri for his service to our chapter. The Dean encouraged Board members to attend the programs and meetings of the Chapter. The Board was encouraged to read and study the National Webpages to become familiar "with what is going on". As a Board member we need to know our Mission Statement and Code of Ethics. Our Chapter received \$1,000 from the estate of Don Clapper. Chapter Procedures have been adopted with revisions required by the Regional Councilor and National Vice President. As National and Regional directives come down and/or Chapter conditions change, we will need to modify our document. The Chapter, for probably the first time in its history, has written Procedures helpful to all future Officers and Board members. Chapter Directories for 2012-2013 were distributed at the end of the meeting.

SUB-DEAN'S REPORT-Dr. Shawn Gingrich

The Sub Dean requested that if any persons hear of suggested programs for 2013-2014 they are to let him know.

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT-Father James Lease

Father Lease reported it has been a "quiet" summer!

COMMITTEE REPORTS

COMMUNICATIONS-Dr. Shawn Gingrich
Dr. Gingrich is working to update the webpage package.

COMPETITION-Dr. D. David Woomer
A written report was presented from Dr. Woomer. National is changing rules governing the competitions. On a motion by Dr. Shawn Gingrich and a second by Anna Royer, permission was given for the Dean to apply for Harrisburg to be a site for a competition.

DIRECTORY-Doris Savage
There were 140 copies of the 2012-2013 Directory printed.

EDUCATION-Dr. Shelly Moorman Stahlman
Eleven students received lessons this summer from the Sherk Scholarship Fund. The Student/Teacher recital will be this coming Sunday at Lebanon Valley College.

FINANCE-James Acri
A printed copy of the proposed budget template was approved with corrections on a motion by Charles Yocum and a second by Carol Hunter.

HISTORIAN/ARCHIVE-Charles Yocum
No report

HOSPITALITY-Karen Appel
There will be a reception after the program this coming Sunday. Please email Karen if you are planning to attend the September 11 dinner and meeting.

MEMBERSHIP-Doris Savage
The lunches continue to be a success with an attendance of upward of 20 members most months.

NOMINATIONS-Dr. Shirley King
Names of the Committee will be announced at our November meeting.

PLACEMENT-Tim Koch
Lists are constantly being updated.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT-Rev. Steven Middernacht
A written report of the committee was distributed followed by an oral presentation. Each person present received a copy of the report, and a copy will be attached to these minutes by the Secretary.

PROGRAM-Dr. Shawn Gingrich
The Student Recital will be this coming Sunday at Lebanon Valley College. The recital will include the Sherk Scholarship winners and their teachers.

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The September 11 dinner and program will include an organ music sale.

PUBLICITY-Mary Jane Nelson

In the new Operating Procedures the Publicity Officer is to prepare Chapter Greetings or ads for upcoming conventions. We are awaiting response to our request for information from the Winchester, Virginia, chapter which is hosting the next Regional Convention in 2013. Email and regular mailing of articles for the August 19 Sherk Scholarship Recital at Lebanon Valley College have been sent. Victor Fields has been asked to use his connections to get the word out to the York media since he and his student are recital participants. If anyone sees our articles in print in any area newspaper, please cut them out and let Mary Jane know by email which media is being responsive.

REGISTRAR-Doris Savage

To date we have 130 members with the following breakdown: 60 regular, 43 special, 6 dual, 14 student (includes 12 Sherk Scholarships) 2 dual students, 5 friends.

NEW BUSINESS-Dr. Ralph Kneeream

The Ad Hoc Procedures Committee was retired with thanks to Dr. Shirley King, Ellen Hunt, and Brian Rotz for their work as that committee. Father James Lease installed Carol Hunter, Georgia Clements as new Board Members and Dr. Shirley King as chair of the Nominations Committee, Kathy Gates as chair of the Finance Committee, and Karen Appel as chair of the Hospitality Committee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Use of the \$1,000 from the Don Clapper estate.

MEETING ADJOURNED

NEXT MEETING NOVEMBER 13, 7:00 p.m., Trinity Lutheran, Camp Hill.

The Bombarde Online



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Shawn Gingrich, at bombarde@harrisburgago.com.

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Positions Available

Director of Music Ministries: At Faith Presbyterian Church, the Director of Music Ministries is called to engage our congregation in the love and service of God through the medium of music and corporate worship. This person will lead the congregation's music ministries and strengthen a sense of fellowship, unity, and purpose in the total music program. As a key staff member, the Director of Music Ministries provides leadership in developing, implementing and administrating a comprehensive music ministry including music for worship, weddings, funerals, Christian Education and other functions of the church. Responsibilities include organ, directing and growing musical gifts among the congregation. Salary is \$22,000-\$25,000/year for 15-20 hours/week, depending on experience. Shared-cost benefits are available. If this fits with your calling, please mail your CV with references to 1801 Colonial Rd. Harrisburg, PA 17112 or email to debbiek@lifeinfaith.org.

Director of Music: St. Michael Lutheran Church, Harrisburg, is seeking an enthusiastic and talented person for the position of Director of Music. This is a part-time position averaging 10 hours per week. St. Michael is a vibrant and affirming congregation made up of a diverse group of devoted members welcoming all to our community located on historic and beautiful State Street near the State Capitol. Candidates need to be proficient on both the organ and the piano, specifically willing to enjoy the blessings of a refurbished John Brown Tracker Organ. Responsibilities include one Sunday morning worship service per week, leading and directing the choir at Wednesday evening rehearsal and during Sunday morning worship. Additionally, responsibilities include special worship services throughout the year. The Director of Music will also need to attend scheduled meetings of the Worship and Music Committee. Candidates shall demonstrate the ability to sight read music, will have knowledge of Lutheran theology, reverent liturgical practices, and the use of musical instruments to enrich worship. The salary range for this position is \$9800 - \$11,000 depending on experience. A complete job description is available from the church office at 717-234-0092. Interested persons should send their completed resume including references to St. Michael Lutheran Church, 118 State Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101- Attention: Worship & Music Committee.

*Harrisburg Chapter of the
American Guild of Organists*

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Elizabethtown, PA 17022

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HARRISBURG CHAPTER EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

**ELECTED
Officers**

Dean	Ralph Kneeream
Sub-Dean	Shawn Gingrich
Secretary	Ken Walker
Treasurer	Brian Rice
Auditors	Josephine Freund & David Messner

Members at Large

2010–2013	Esther Long, Tom Notestine, Anna Royer
2011–2014	Ellen Hunt, Beth Palmer, Brian Rotz
2012–2015	Robert Bell, Georgia Clements, Carol Hunter

APPOINTED COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Chaplain	Father James Lease
Chapter Directory	Doris Savage
Communications (Newsletter, Emailed Quick News, Website)	Shawn Gingrich
Competition	Rev. D. Darrell Woomer
Education	Shelly Moorman-Stahlman
Finance	Kathy Gates
Historian / Archives	Charles Yocum
Hospitality	Karen Appel
Membership	Doris Savage
Nominating	Shirley King
Placement	Timothy Koch
Professional Development	Rev. Steven Middernacht
Program	Shawn Gingrich
Publicity	Mary Jane Nelson
Registrar	Doris Savage

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Submission to *The Bombarde*

The deadline for each edition of *The Bombarde* is the fifteenth
of the month unless otherwise noted. Whenever possible, please
submit your items in electronic format.



Deadline for inclusion in the February 2013 newsletter is
January 15, 2013.

Please send **all** submissions to:
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Elizabethtown PA 17022

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this issue of *The Bombarde*. We also thank Dan
Bruce for his work in assembling and mailing
this issue of *The Bombarde*.

