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# The Bombarde

## American Guild of Organists – Harrisburg Chapter

### From the Dean



**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.**

I wish to thank those chapter members who helped to plan our Annual Banquet and Annual Meeting at The Civic Club of Harrisburg on May 14. It was an elegant affair, and I have received many fine comments on the event. I want to thank Mr. Glenn Rodgers, Region III Councillor for traveling from his home in New Jersey to be with us. His remarks were interesting and informative.

I have accepted, on the part of the Board, Rev. Dr. D. Darrell Woomer's resignation as the chair of our Competition Committee. I wish to thank him for his participation on our Board, and especially for the planning of this year's Quimby Competition. His report on that event was published in the May 2013 edition of *The Bombarde*.

In closing this final 'letter' from me, I wish to thank all the Members of the Harrisburg Chapter of the American Guild of Organists for offering me the great privilege of serving as your Dean for the past three years. Please accept my very good wishes for continued success with the AGO's magnificent mission "to enrich lives through organ and choral music." *Soli Deo Gloria*.

All the best,  
Ralph Kneeream

### Programs for 2013—2014

#### Theme: "The Well-Rounded Church Musician"

**Sunday, August 25, 2013 4:00 PM** Shenk Scholarship Student/Teacher Recital; Messiah College – Parmer Hall in the Calvin and Janet High Center for Worship and Performing Arts, Grantham; Shawn Gingrich, host.

Open console time to follow on the newly installed (rebuilt and enlarged) Reuter / SDG pipe organ (49 ranks / 3 man).

**Tuesday, September 10, 2013 6:30 PM Dinner / 7:30 PM Program**

Catered Buffet Supper followed by a program with Dr. Eileen Guenther's presentation on her new book, "Rivals or Team? Clergy-Musician Relationships in the Twenty-first Century."

Open console time to follow on the newly acquired Phoenix Digital Organ.

All Saints Episcopal Church, 310 Elm Avenue, Hershey; D. Darrell Woomer, host.

**Saturday, October 5, 2013 10:00 AM** Workshop on Chant presented by

Italian organist, Elena Sartori, clinician.

Market Square Presbyterian Church, 20 S. Second St., Harrisburg, Eric Riley, host.

#### AND

**Sunday, October 6, 2013 4:00 PM** Organ Concert with Italian organist, Elena Sartori. For information on the artist visit [www.elenasartori.com](http://www.elenasartori.com).

**Saturday, November 9, 2013** Organ Crawl to Washington, DC

Leave Harrisburg area at 7:00am and return late (after 10pm).

Venues we plan to visit are highlighted on the Chapter Website.

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## Thanks from Our Cassel Competition Winner

Dear Harrisburg AGO Chapter,  
Thank you so much for supporting the AGO Quimby Competition. The prize money will help fund my going to POE Advanced in Rochester, NY this summer. I am looking forward to the regional competition in July.

Sincerely,  
Carina Sturdy

## Westminster Choir College Concert Handbell Choir to Appear in York



The Westminster Concert Bell Choir, hailed for its virtuosity, will play a concert Friday, June 7, 2013 at 7:30 PM at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 25 West Springettsbury Avenue, York. A free-will offering will be received.

The ensemble performs on the largest range of handbells in the world – 8 octaves, from C1 to C9. The Choir supplements its handbells with a six-octave set of Malmark Choirchime® instruments from C2 to C8 – the widest range in existence.

## Treasurer's Report

by Brian Rice

Cash in Bank as of 4/1/2013	\$10,053.00*
Disbursements (—)	\$ 1,564.18
Receipts (+)	\$ 4,379.78
Cash in Bank as of 4/1/2013	\$12,858.60*
Invested Funds:	
Cassel Award	\$ 4,998.06
Yocum Scholarship	\$ 3,329.53
Shenk Scholarship	\$ 6,606.59
Throne Money Market	\$ 9,134.23
Reserve Money Market	\$20,819.05
General CD	\$ 5,035.68

\*Includes \$1,000.00 from Clapper Estate, \$6,200 from Frysinger Estate, and \$693.78 from Stahle Award.

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### Tuesday, January 14, 2014 6:30 PM Dinner / 7:30 PM Program

Catered Buffet Supper at 6:30 PM followed by a Member Recital featuring New Organ Repertoire for Worship at 7:30 PM.

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg; Thomas Clark-Jones, host.

### Saturday, February 8, 2014 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM

(gathering at 8:30am) A rotation of church music mini-sessions . . . three offerings on varied themes: Organ presented by Shelly Moorman-Stahlman; Choral presented by Eric Riley; Handbells presented by Shawn Gingrich.

Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 North 23rd Street, Camp Hill; David Binkley, host.

### Tuesday, March 11, 2014 7:00 PM Workshop on Technology for the Church Musician.

Paxton United Methodist Church, 3550 North Progress Avenue, Harrisburg; Robert Bell, host.

### Saturday, April 5, 2014 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM

(gathering at 9:00am) Beyond the Anthem Slot: Choristers and the Congregation's Song, Introducing *Psalms for All Seasons: A Complete Psalter for Worship* (by Martin Tel, et al), Sue Ellen Page, clinician.

Derry Presbyterian Church, 248 East Derry Road, Hershey; Helen Anthony, host.

### May (details to be determined) Annual Chapter Business Meeting and Dinner including the Installation of officers.

Thanks to our Program Committee Members: Helen Anthony, Robert Bell, Georgia Clements, Shawn Gingrich (chair), Ralph Kneeream (ex officio), Esther Long, Tom Notestine.

Please note these dates on your calendars now and plan to attend!

## Membership News

from Doris Savage

### Lunch Bunch

**June Lunch Bunch:** The next luncheon will be held on **Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup>** at 11:30 a.m. in the Bridges Café at the Radisson. Please let Doris Savage know whether you plan to attend no later than Monday, June 9<sup>th</sup>. **July Lunch Bunch:** The **July luncheon** will be held on **Wednesday, July 17<sup>th</sup>**. Please let Doris know no later than Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup> whether you plan to attend, phone (717) 697-4042 or email [dorisagohbg@comcast.net](mailto:dorisagohbg@comcast.net).

## Membership Renewal 2013-2014

The membership renewal campaign is in full swing. The **deadline for renewal is June 30<sup>th</sup>**. Please sign the membership renewal form and submit with your check to **Doris Savage, 12 Wineberry Drive, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055**. There is a membership form on our chapter website. **Please note: if your church pays for your membership, notify them immediately.**

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### 2013-2014 Directory

The 2013-2014 will go to print at the conclusion of the June 30<sup>th</sup> deadline to renew membership. All those members who have sent in their renewals by June 30<sup>th</sup> will have their names in the directory and the directory will be made available in mid-August.

### Membership Corner

The following members have new addresses:

Sarah Myers	Charles Yocum
1220 Kings Circle	325 Wesley Drive, Apt. #3202
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055	Mechanicsburg, PA 17055
	795-4118

David Binkley, an honor graduate of Lebanon Valley College who received the Master of Sacred Music degree from New York City's Union Theological Seminary School of Sacred Music, was recently honored at Camp Hill Presbyterian Church on his 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary as the church's Organist/Choirmaster. The celebration included a program and a luncheon following worship on Sunday, April 7. Congratulations David!

## PLAN TO ATTEND ...

### 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!

[www.2013agoreg3convention.com](http://www.2013agoreg3convention.com)

### The Bombarde Online



If you are willing to read *The Bombarde* online to save the chapter the cost of printing and mailing a hardcopy, please send an e-mail request to the editor, Shawn Gingrich, at [bombarde@harrisburgago.com](mailto:bombarde@harrisburgago.com).

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## Dale Wood Remembered

by Anthony Ciucci

Recently I played a noon-day recital for the Philadelphia chapter at the First Presbyterian Church in Phoenixville; one of the pieces I played was a beautiful setting of *Brother James' Air* by Dale Wood. After the recital, the editor of *Crescendo*, Mib Campbell, asked if I would add something to my program notes regarding Dale Wood, for publication in the *Crescendo*, since the year 2013 will mark the tenth anniversary of the composer's death.

Dale was for many years Organist and Choirmaster in San Francisco at the Episcopal Church of St. Mary the Virgin, as well as director of the Grace Cathedral Boys' Chorus. He served in a similar capacity in Lutheran churches in Hollywood, and Riverside, California. He was Executive Editor of the Sacred Music Press from 1975-1996.

Dale Wood was known throughout the musical community as a master of melody, and "the difficult art of simplicity." In addition to his prolific volume of published choral works and hymn tunes, his compositions for handbells, harp, and organ are performed on a regular basis throughout the world.

On a personal note, I enjoy playing several titles from his *Wood Works for Organ (1986)*, including *Be Thou My Vision*, *Were You There?*, *The Ash Grove*, *Amazing Grace*, *The King of Love My Shepherd Is*, *Wondrous Love*, *People Look East*, *'Twas in the Moon of Wintertime*, *Though I May Speak* and *That Easter Day With Joy Was Bright*. From his collection entitled *Lyric Pieces for Organ (2001)*, I have performed the following pieces: *Antiphon*, *Paean*, and *Aria*.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Thank you to Tony for submitting this editorial article. As mentioned at our annual meeting and elsewhere recently, it is a great desire to keep the material in our newsletter interesting and informative. Inclusion of articles such as this makes our newsletter more than a reporter on upcoming events. Please report on your experiences in the coming months.

## Fine Arts at First to Host Concert Pianist Harriette Line Thompson



Harriette Line Thompson, concert pianist, will present a recital at First Lutheran Church, 21 South Bedford Street, Carlisle on Sunday, June 30 at 3:00 PM. Her performance will feature the music of Chopin.

*Fine Arts at First* is honored to welcome Harriette's return to its series since her

2005 concert. She shares a special connection to First Lutheran, her childhood home church. It was from the freewill offering received at her 1982 piano recital presented at Dickinson College, which was sponsored by members of the church, that the fine arts series came into being. *Fine Arts at First* launched its inaugural season a decade later with the 1993-1994 Series and is now celebrating its 20<sup>th</sup> season.

Harriette began her musical training in Carlisle at age seven as a student of her mother, Harriet Brenneman Line (Mrs. J. Harvey Line). When she was eight years old, she rode her bicycle thirteen miles to and from her Saturday lessons in Mechanicsburg to study with a Peabody-trained teacher. Further study included degrees from Syracuse University, the New England Conservatory of Music, the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, and the Vienna Conservatory of Music in Austria. She has served on the faculties of Boston University, Queens University, and University of North Carolina at Charlotte. While pursuing her concert and teaching career, Harriette and her husband, Sydnor, reared five children.

The pianist's tours have taken her to New Zealand, Australia, Southeast Asia, and throughout Europe and the United States. She served as concert soloist for eight years on board the Queen Elizabeth II. She has played in New York's Carnegie Hall, and since 1977, she has served as Summer Music Director for the Aspen Chapel in Colorado.

Along with her love of music is Harriette's passion for running. She has run fourteen 26-mile marathons in San Diego, California, beginning in 1998 when she was 76 years old. To this point, she has raised over \$100,000 for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society's research through contributions from family and friends. She has won many running awards, including a trophy acknowledging her as the oldest runner ever to finish the San Diego Marathon and the Masters Distance Running Award from the USA Track and Field Masters Award for females in the 85-89 year group. Residing in Charlotte, North Carolina, Harriette celebrated her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday in April.

The concert is free to all with a freewill offering to be received. A reception to greet "Hattie", as she is known to friends, will follow the recital. First Lutheran Church is handicapped accessible. For more information, call the church, 717-249-3310, or visit [www.firstlutherancarlisle.org](http://www.firstlutherancarlisle.org).

## Area Events Listing

Sunday, June 2, 2013—7:00 PM

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 22 South Sixth Street, Lebanon presents a Choral Evensong and Solemn Benediction sung by St. Luke's Festival Choir - Offering received.

Friday, June 7, 2013—7:30 PM

St. Paul Lutheran Church, 25 West Springettsbury Avenue, York presents the Westminster Choir College Concert Handbell Choir ringing 8 octaves of handbells. Free-will offering. (See page 2 for more details on this event.)

Saturday, June 8, 2013—5:00 PM

St Stephen's Cathedral, 221 N Front St. Harrisburg presents a Concert of the Herb Dimmock Singers. FREE. The Herb Dimmock Singers is a 17-voice *a cappella* ensemble from Baltimore, MD renowned for their superb blend, high virtuosity and wide range of styles.

Sunday, June 30, 2013—3:00 PM

First Lutheran Church, 21 South Bedford Street, Carlisle presents Harriette Line Thompson, concert pianist, sponsored by *Fine Arts at First*. Her performance will feature the music of Chopin. The concert is free to all with a free-will offering to be received. For more information, visit [www.firstlutherancarlisle.org](http://www.firstlutherancarlisle.org) or call the church, (717) 249-3310. (See article on left.)

Sunday, September 8, 2013—4:00 PM

The newly constructed Parmer Hall in the Calvin and Janet High Center for Worship and Performing Arts, Messiah College, Grantham presents organist Dr. Shawn Gingrich in recital on the newly installed pipe organ originally built by Reuter and rebuilt and enlarged by SDG Organ Company. The recital will include music of Bach, Lau, Boëllmann, Reger, Simonds, Karg-Elert, et al.

Sunday, September 22, 2013—4:00 PM

Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 North 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, Camp Hill presents Carol Williams, San Diego, CA Civic Organist in recital. A freewill offering will be received. (717) 737-0488 [www.thechpc.org](http://www.thechpc.org).

Sunday, September 29, 2013 —3:00 PM

Trinity United Methodist Church, 415 Bridge Street, New Cumberland, presents an Organ Rededication Concert, Sacred Inspiration, featuring Rhonda Sider Edgington, organist. A free-will offering will be received.

Wednesday, October 2, 2013—12:15 PM

Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 North 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, Camp Hill presents organist Beth Palmer as a part of the Wednesday Noonday Organ Recitals featuring members of the Harrisburg Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. 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](http://www.thechpc.org).

**2013/2014 Music, Art & Drama Events at  
Camp Hill Presbyterian Church**

Free-will offerings will be received.

**Sunday, September 22, 2013—4:00 PM**

Carol Williams  
San Diego, CA Civic Organist

**Wednesday, October 16, 2013—6:00 PM**

Steven Courtney, children's songwriter/singer

**Sunday, November 3, 2013—4:00 PM**

Steve Rudolph, piano  
Christyan Seay & Diane Wilson, vocalists  
A program of classical, gospel, and jazz music

**Sunday, March 9, 2014—4:00 PM**

Elaine Wilson, Art Educator  
Leonardo Da Vinci *The Last Supper*

**Sunday, March 16, 2014—6:00 PM**

Popcorn Hat Players present *Bible Stories!*

**Wednesday Noonday Organ Recitals  
Featuring members of the  
Harrisburg Chapter of the  
American Guild of Organists**

**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.**

**October 2**

**Beth Palmer**

**St. Joan of Arc Roman Catholic Church, Hershey**

**November 6**

**Nicholas Basehore**

**St. Patrick Roman Catholic Cathedral, Harrisburg**

**December 4**

**Timothy Braband**

**St. James Lutheran Church, Gettysburg**

**February 5**

**Beth & Ronald Sider**

**Trinity United Methodist Church, New Cumberland**

**March 5**

**David Binkley**

**Camp Hill Presbyterian Church**

**April 2**

**Eric Riley**

**Market Square Presbyterian Church, Harrisburg**

**Camp Hill Presbyterian Church  
101 North 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, Camp Hill, PA 17011  
(717) 737-0488 [www.thechpc.org](http://www.thechpc.org)**

**Harrisburg Chapter,  
American Guild of Organists  
Executive Committee,  
Tuesday, April 30, 2013**

The Executive Committee of the Harrisburg Chapter of the American Guild of Organists met at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 30, 2013, at Trinity Lutheran Church in Camp Hill. The Dean called the meeting to order and read Psalm 150 as the Invocation. The Secretary called the roll with the following present: Dr. Ralph Kneeream, Dr. Shawn Gingrich, Brian Rice, Kenneth Walker, Robert Bell, Carol Hunter, Beth Palmer, Brian Rotz, Esther Long, Anna Royer. Excused were: Tom Notestine and Ellen Hunt.

On a motion by Esther Long with a second by Dr. Shawn Gingrich the monies from the Clapper and Frysinger bequests amounting to \$7,200 will be placed in a fund to be named The Clapper/Frysinger Recital Fund and used for organ recitals featuring "rising stars" in organ performance. On a motion by Carol Hunter and a second by Anna Royer an amendment to the first motion was made that the Program Committee will select the organists for the recitals with preference to young organists from Region III.

Under New Business Phyllis Conrad was approved as Chair of the Hospitality Committee. Josephine Freund was ratified to the Class of 2012/2015 to fill the vacancy on the Board left by the resignation of Georgia Clements. The Historian/Archivist Committee will be split into two Committees with Charles Yocum remaining as Historian Chair and Ken Walker becoming Archivist Committee Chair.

On a motion by Carol Hunter and a second by Esther Long it is suggested that an Ad Hoc Committee be created in the near future to look into our Chapter Procedures for any necessary changes that may be needed. In keeping with our Chapter Procedures the Secretary is to keep charge of the Procedures and any changes.

Dr. Ralph Kneeream will contact other members of the Board through electronic voting on the above matters.

Kenneth C. Walker  
Secretary

**Harrisburg Chapter,  
American Guild of Organists  
Annual Meeting and Dinner  
Tuesday, May 14, 2013**

Members and friends of the Chapter met at the Harrisburg Civic Club for dinner and the annual meeting. Dean, Dr. Ralph Kneeream, called the meeting to order

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followed by the Invocation by our Chaplain, Fr. James Lease.

The Dean introduced Glenn L. Rodgers, Councilor for Region III. Minutes of the 2012 Annual Meeting had been approved by the Board at its August 2012 meeting. Brian Rice, Treasurer, presented an oral and written report of Comparative Summary of Accounts as of May 14, 2013.

Glenn L. Rodgers, Councilor for Region III, commented that it was a pleasure to be at this meeting. He stated that our Chapter is considered to be a "flagship" Chapter, that our Chapter is doing the right things, that we need each other to carry on our tradition, and that it is not what we get from our dues but what we can do to carry on the legacy.

Dr. Ralph Kneeream, Dean, thanked all Board Members, Officers, and Committee Chairs for their time and efforts during the past three years. The various items approved by the Executive Board have appeared in *The Bombarde*. Josephine Freund and David Messner were appointed Auditors for the 2012/2013 Chapter year.

Sub-Dean, Dr. Shawn Gingrich, reported that in the past year he worked to run the programs, and with a committee planned the programs for next season. He also coordinated sales of bequeathed musical instruments left to our Chapter by Patricia Frysinger, who passed away in August of 2012. The net proceeds of the Patricia Frysinger bequest to our Chapter were \$6,200.

Fr. James Lease gave an oral report on the duties he performed as Chaplain of our Chapter during the last year.

Communication Committee Chair, Dr. Shawn Gingrich, reported that the attempt to upgrade our website package did not work satisfactorily so he will revert to the old system for the time being. He also asked that members submit articles of interest to the Chapter for *The Bombarde*.

The report from the Competition Committee was printed in the May, 2013 edition of *The Bombarde*.

A written report was received from Dr. Shelly Moorman-Stahlman, which stated that last year the Education Committee awarded 12 Shenk Scholarships for organ lessons. Vinh Nguyen was given additional money from the Throne Fund to continue his lessons with Dr. Gingrich. Members of our Chapter served lunch and provided extra chaperone help at the LVC Pedals, Pipes, and Pizza event on March 16 of this year. The Education Committee met on May 6 of this year and awarded 14 Shenk scholarships for the summer of 2013.

Kathy Gates, Finance Committee, presented a written Budget for the Chapter for the coming season.

Charles Yocum, Historian, stated that he is going through things since his change of residence; and that he will give Archivist, Ken Walker, boxes of materials.

Karen Appel, Chair of the Hospitality Committee, reported that it was a good year; and that the new Chair of the Committee, Phyllis Conrad, will appreciate continued help and support for the coming season.

Doris Savage, Membership Chair, stated that the monthly Lunch Bunch meetings have increasing numbers of persons attending. The next Lunch Bunch meeting will be June 12 at the Radisson. Doris is also Chair of the Membership Committee and reported that the Chapter has been growing in membership over the past three years. Our Chapter is a finalist in the National Grow the Guild Program.

Dr. Shirley King, Chair of the Nominations Committee, thanked the members of the Committee and commended them for the slate that was presented to the Chapter members for voting. Dr. King also thanked the members of the Chapter for their support.

Tim Koch, Placement, reported that there are four churches that need organists in our area, and that the sub list is up to date.

Rev. Steven Middernacht, Chair of Professional Concerns, stated that the Committee is presently collecting data to update the Salary Guidelines.

Dr. Shawn Gingrich, Chair of the Program Committee, distributed copies of the programs for the coming season. The list is also available on our website.

Mary Jane Nelson, Publicity, stated that most of the programs of our Chapter were designed chiefly for Chapter members and were publicized in *The Bombarde* and not in other media. *The American Organist* magazine has been faithfully printing all the articles and photos that we send following Chapter programs. Thanks were extended to the on-call photographers Rick Zentmeyer, Roland Freund, Shawn Gingrich, Bob Brommer and Arnold Sten.

There was no New Business presented. Dr. Kneeream, Brian Rice, and Ken Walker were recognized for their past years of service to the Chapter.

Glenn Rodgers installed the new Officers, Board, and Committee Chairs.

Kenneth C. Walker  
Secretary

NOTE: As announced by the dean, these minutes were read and corrected by five members of the board who were present at the meeting.

## First UMC, Hershey Sacred Concert Series 2013-2014

First United Methodist Church, 64 West Chocolate Avenue, Hershey invites you to attend its next season of concerts. Free-will offerings will be received. For more information visit [www.firstumchershely.org](http://www.firstumchershely.org) or call 717-533-9668.

### Gail Archer, organist

Sunday, October 20, 2013 at 3:00 PM

Dr. Gail Archer is a Grammy-nominated, international concert organist, recording artist, choral conductor and lecturer. She is college organist at Vassar College, and director of the music program at Barnard College, Columbia University where she conducts the Barnard-Columbia Chorus.

### The Hershey Handbell Ensemble

Sunday, December 8, 2013 at 3:00 PM

This locally acclaimed group under the direction of Shawn Gingrich will provide a concert of music for the Advent and Christmas Season, playing on seven octaves of handbells and other instruments.

### Jonathan Dimmock, organist

Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 7:00 PM

Mr. Dimmock is a renowned organist having traveled the world sharing his gifts. He became the first American ever to hold the prestigious position of Organ Scholar of Westminster Abbey. He lives in California where he is music director for St. Ignatius Church in San Francisco and organist for the San Francisco Symphony.

### The Keystone State Boychoir

Saturday, April 26, 2014 at 7:00 PM

Founded in 2001, the boychoir has enjoyed unprecedented success during its ten years and has become recognized as one of the finest community-based boychoir programs in the world. It consists of more than 150 young men between the ages of eight and eighteen who sing an enthralling repertoire from the classical to the contemporary.

## Concert Series Listings

Complete listings of concert series will appear in Summer, August, and September editions of *The Bombarde*. After that time, only listings in Area Events Calendar and submitted feature articles will be included.

## Positions Available

**Organist:** Otterbein United Methodist Church in Carlisle/Boiling Springs is looking for an organist. Responsibilities include choir practice on Wednesday night, playing organ or piano for traditional Sunday worship service at 9:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m., special practices for Christmas and Easter cantata, funeral services, weddings and other services. Salary is negotiable. Request full job description by calling 717-258-6704 or email [office@otterbeinumccarlisle.org](mailto:office@otterbeinumccarlisle.org).

**Director of Music:** Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, Lemoyne, PA. has an opening for a part-time staff person to fill the position of Director of Music. Responsibilities include selecting, rehearsing, conducting and/or accompanying music for Vocal Choirs, Handbell and Chime Choirs, as well as instrumental and vocal ensembles and soloists. Resumes may be submitted to the church at 509 Hummel Avenue, Lemoyne, PA 17043 by May 31, 2013. Attention Pastor David Schreffler.

**Director of Music Ministries / Choir Director / Organist:** Shenkel United Church of Christ, Pottstown, Chester County, PA, a 300+ member church with a reputation for friendliness, wants YOU as their Choir Director/ Director of Music Ministries. We offer a competitive salary commensurate with experience. To apply please contact Lara Faust at Shenkel United Church of Christ at [shenkelucc@aol.com](mailto:shenkelucc@aol.com) or 610-326-3535.

**Organist:** Mt. Zion Lutheran Church (Goodyear) 4200 Carlisle Road (route 34), Gardners, PA 17324. Requirements for the organist position: Play Hymns and Lutheran Liturgy each Sunday (currently using the Lutheran Book of Worship) using a two manual (plus pedals) Möller Pipe organ, Opus 6548. Alternating week worship schedule 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM Accompany the choir and rehearse with them on Thursday evenings and before Sunday service (Choir Director will choose anthems and lead the choir). Be available for weddings, funerals, Christmas Eve, Holy Week, Easter, and other special services. Make arrangements for substitute organists who are qualified to play the organ in your absence. Play the piano when 11:00 AM services are held downstairs during summer months. With the Pastor, Choir Director, and worship committee choose appropriate hymns at least a month in advance. Choose appropriate music to play for preludes, offertories, postludes, etc. Lead the congregation in learning new hymns and portions of new liturgies. 3 hours per week anticipated most weeks with special services and practice requiring additional time. Benefits: 2 vacation Sundays plus Memorial Day Sunday. Salary negotiable, please make request known. Weddings and funerals usually compensated separately. Please forward resumes and questions to: Organist Search Committee % June Cline, 1365 Goodyear Road, Gardners PA 17324 or apply online at <http://mountzionlutheran.com/News/Employment.html>.

**Organist / Choir Director:** Zion Lutheran Church in Penbrook is seeking a part-time organist/choir director. The responsibilities include: playing organ for one Sunday worship service, special seasonal services during the year, and rehearsing with the adult choir. The church's organ is a 3 manual, 47 rank Möller recently renovated. Interested applicants should email resume to [zionpenbrook@verizon.net](mailto:zionpenbrook@verizon.net) or mail to Zion Lutheran Church 2730 Booser Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17103.

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**HARRISBURG CHAPTER BOARD**

**ELECTED  
Officers**

Dean	Ralph Kneeream
Sub-Dean	Shawn Gingrich
Secretary	Kenneth Walker
Treasurer	Brian Rice

**Members at Large**

2010—2013	Esther Long, Tom Notestine, Anna Royer
2011—2014	Ellen Hunt, Beth Palmer, Brian Rotz
2012—2015	Robert Bell, Josephine Freund, Carol Hunter

**APPOINTED COMMITTEE CHAIRS**

Archives	Kenneth Walker
Chaplain	Father James Lease
Chapter Directory	Doris Savage
Communications (Newsletter, Emailed Quick News, Website)	Shawn Gingrich
Competition	
Education	Shelly Moorman-Stahlman
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Historian	Charles Yocum
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Membership	Doris Savage
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