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The Bombarde

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.

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From the Dean

I want to thank Karen Worley for hosting the Karl Moyer Workshop on Hymn Playing, held on Saturday, March 9, at St. Paul’s Lutheran Church, New Cumberland. Twenty-eight chapter members profited from Dr. Moyer’s insightful suggestions on this critical aspect of the church organist’s art. Thank you to Karen Appel, our Hospitality Chair, for providing the delicious Continental Breakfast.

I wish to thank Robert Lau for the fine, insightful article on “Conducting from the Console” in the March Bombarde.

Shelly Moorman-Stahlman, our Education Chair, and her students at Lebanon Valley College, hosted a Pedal, Pipes, and Pizza event on March 16. The photos on page 3 in this Bombarde is “worth a thousand words.” These young people are the future of our profession, the future organists and the future choir directors! I am delighted that our chapter supported such a productive event. Thank you to Shelly, her students, and our Education Committee for this marvelous outreach program.

Recently, I accepted Georgia Clements’ resignation from our chapter’s Executive Committee. I am grateful for her willingness to serve this past year. Thank you, Georgia.

Congratulations to Kenneth Walker, our Chapter Secretary, who will complete fifty years as the Organist and Choir Director at St. John’s Lutheran Church, Boiling Springs. He played his first Service on Palm Sunday, April 17, 1963. This is a remarkable *milestone*, one that few church musicians attain. Mary Jane Nelson’s fine article on Ken appeared in the March Bombarde.

Please note the various AGO *deadlines*-chapter, regional, and national-published on page 2 in this Bombarde and on the Chapter Webpage.

There is a new Chapter Voting Procedure this year. Instead of voting at the Annual Meeting in May, ballots will be mailed to each chapter member after April 1. Your choices are important, so please vote. Ballots must be received by the chapter secretary no later than May 1, 2013. A stamped, addressed envelope will be provided for your use.

The Annual Banquet and Annual Meeting will

April Chapter Program

Saturday, April 20, 2013

9:30 AM

9:00 AM Social / Coffee Time

Anthems and Contemporary Hymns at the Organ.....

Dr. Robert Lau, clinician

St. John’s Lutheran Church,

44 West Main Street,

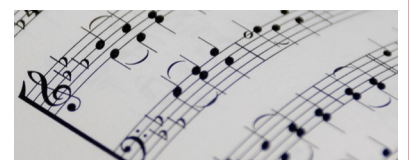
Shiremanstown,

Tom Notestine, host.

As organists in today’s churches, we are often confronted with anthems and hymns whose accompaniments are “unorganistic.” Yet we are expected to realize these works on the organ in a manner which results in not only strong support for singing but also one which leads to meaningful worship.

The workshop will be devoted to examining practical techniques which can be used to help solve some of these problems. We will examine a variety of examples including:

- hymns with piano or guitar-like chordal accompaniments
- hymns which use accompaniment patterns and rhythms peculiar to a certain style of music
- anthems written for piano or “keyboard”
- accompaniments based on orchestral accompaniment reductions



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be held at the Civic Club of Harrisburg, 612 North Front Street, Harrisburg, on Tuesday, May 14. There will be a Social Time from 6:15 to 7:00 PM with Punch, Wines, and Appetizers. The Catered Dinner will be served at 7:00 PM. You will need a Reservation for the dinner. Please see the details in the right column. The Chapter Annual Meeting, mandated by our Chapter Procedures and the AGO National By-Laws, will be held from 8:00 PM to 9:00 PM, a time for both Board Members and Chapter Members to review and discuss the year's accomplishments. The four new Officers and the three new Board Members will be installed at the conclusion of the meeting. Mr. Glenn Rodgers, the new Region III Councillor, will be our guest. He will give a brief report on Region III news, and he will install the new Board members. This is an important chapter event, and all members of the Harrisburg Chapter AGO should make an effort to attend!

Please accept my very good wishes.

Soli Deo Gloria
Ralph Kneeream

Treasurer's Report

by Brian Rice

Cash in Bank as of 2/1/2013	\$ 6,527.97*
Disbursements (-)	\$ 1,651.31
Receipts (+)	\$ 150.00
Cash in Bank as of 3/1/2013	\$ 5,026.66*
Invested Funds:	
Cassel Award	\$ 5,995.15
Stahle Award	\$ 1,143.27
Yocum Scholarship	\$ 3,328.69
Shenk Scholarship	\$ 6,604.99
Throne Money Market	\$ 9,623.78
Reserve Money Market	\$20,817.31
General CD	\$ 5,035.28

*Includes \$1,000.00 from Clapper Estate

Ballots for Election

Official ballots will be mailed to each voting member during the first week of April. When returning your ballot you must sign across the seal of the envelope as will be indicated.

Annual Chapter Business Meeting and Dinner, including installation of officers with Glenn Rogers, our new regional councillor, as our guest

Tuesday, May 14, 2013

6:15 PM Social Time 7:00 PM Dinner 8:00 PM Meeting

Civic Club of Harrisburg, 612 North Front Street, Harrisburg

Menu

Gathering Time / Appetizers 6:15pm-7:00pm

Mushroom Risotto balls
Artichoke Dip with Karen's Pasta Dippers® and Assorted Crackers
Swiss Torta with Assorted Crackers and Grapes
Punch, Red and White Wines served by the Chapter

Dinner 7:00pm-8:00pm

Station One

Assorted Dinner Rolls, Artesian Breads and Rosemary
Honey Whipped Butter, Olive Oil and Pepper Grinder
Traditional Salad Tossed with our House Balsamic Dressing
Tuscan Chicken with Tomato Bruschetta
Pasta with Marinated Grilled Vegetable in Roasted Garlic
and Sundried Tomato Aioli with a side of Grated Parmesan Cheese

Station Two-Carving

Assorted Dinner Rolls, Artesian Breads and Rosemary
Honey Whipped Butter, Olive Oil and Pepper Grinder
Bacon-wrapped Pork Loin with Teriyaki Honey Glaze
Quartered Red Herbed Potatoes
Chef's Choice of Seasonal Vegetables

Desserts

Chef's Choice of Cakes

Self Service Beverage Station

Iced Tea, Iced Water
Regular and Decaf Coffee
Hot Water with Assorted Tea Box
Sugar, Creamer, Sweetener, and Sliced Lemon

Reservations for dinner are \$35 per person and are due by May 7.

Mail check made payable to Harrisburg Chapter AGO to
Brian Rice, 1430 Green Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102

Upcoming Dates and Deadlines to Note

Early Registration for Region III Convention: April 1.

Visit: <http://www.2013agoreg3convention.com/>

Deadline to apply for ChM, AAGO, and FAGO exams, April 1.

Info here: <http://www.agohq.org/education/index.html>

Deadline to apply for Shenk Scholarship for lessons, April 30. Application here: <http://harrisburgago.com/GuidelinesShenk2013.pdf>

Ballots due, May 1. Official ballots will be mailed after April 1 with an addressed / stamped envelope for return.

Annual Meeting and Banquet (May 14 at Civic Club of Harrisburg), register by May 7. Details above.

Lunch Bunch

We'll meet on Wednesday, April 10th in the Bridges Café at the Radisson in Camp Hill at 11:30 a.m. Please let Doris know no later than Monday, April 8th if you plan to attend. Email dorisagohbg@comcast.net or call (717) 697-4042.

Educational Outreach: Pedals, Pipes, and Pizza



On Saturday, March 16, 2013 the Harrisburg Chapter AGO joined forces with the Lebanon Valley College Chapter to present a Pedals, Pipes, and Pizza event at Lebanon Valley College. Thirteen students attended the event and were taught by Dr. Shelly Moorman-Stahlman and nine of her college students. Thanks to Harrisburg Chapter Members Helen Anthony, Phyllis Conrad, Rick Zentmeyer, and Shawn Gingrich for assisting.

Below, three students learn at the Schantz organ in Miller Chapel. From left to right: Tyler Canonico, Dr. Shelly Moorman-Stahlman, Christian Gingrich, Michael Dobson, Dalia Diaz-Zorrilla.



Photos by Rick Zentmeyer

Music Scholarship Opportunities Offered

The Harrisburg Chapter is pleased to invite piano students in grades 6-12 to apply for the Shenk Scholarship for summer organ lessons. The Shenk Scholarship provides the equivalent of ten 30-minute organ lessons, membership in the Guild, as well as an opportunity to play in a chapter program. The deadline for applying for this scholarship is April 30, 2013. More details and application forms are available on the Chapter website or by contacting Shelly Moorman-Stahlman, at (717) 269-8623, or by e-mail at moorman@lvc.edu.

Walter McAnney Celebrates Over 60 Years as Organist

As a teenager Walter McAnney played the piano at Highway Tabernacle Church, Philadelphia. One Sunday he traveled to Peckville, PA with their quartet, as accompanist at the Sunday services. During the afternoon Walt discovered a Hammond spinet organ and asked the minister's wife if he could play it until the evening service. Walt had never touched nor been introduced to an organ. Undeterred he began to explore the instrument. Returning and hearing the beautiful music she asked Walt to play the organ for the evening service. This experience resulted in Walt studying organ with Wesley Day at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Philadelphia.

Glancing through a Philadelphia newspaper in 1954 Walt noticed an advertisement by Stetson Music Company



offering Allen Organs for sale. He was determined to own an organ and perfect his skills as an organist. He purchased his first Allen organ for his home: one of the earliest two manual Allen organs, complete with "car choke" stops.

Later he returned to Stetson Music and purchased the TC-3S two-manual organ. During this time he was a regular supply organist at local Episcopal and Methodist churches in addition to playing in Highway Tabernacle, his home church in Philadelphia. Highway has a Roosevelt Tracker Organ, dating from 1884. It is of considerable historic interest in the organ world.

By now Walt's love and loyalty for Allen organs was deep rooted. He was eager to own a 505 model (with those famous cards) and Walt moved on to the third Allen organ for his personal use. This kept him reasonably happy until 1996 when he moved from Philadelphia to the Chautauqua section of Mt. Gretna,

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Pennsylvania. He upgraded to a three manual MDS 51-S.

As a gift to the Chautauqua, organ recitals were presented in the home by leading organists from central and eastern Pennsylvania, the Curtis Institute of Music, the Juilliard School of Music, and guest artists from nearby States. These proved to be a major enrichment of the cultural Chautauqua experience in Mt. Gretna. Approximately 90 people attend these July concerts. In 2002 the fifth Allen organ was purchased, an R-400 four manual custom-built Renaissance organ that had graced Octave Hall.



Even the churches where Walt has been employed have Allen Organs. For five years Walt was at Calvary Temple in Allentown, PA and for the past 30 years Walt has been at Calvary Memorial Church in Philadelphia. Walt even traveled to England to play a funeral. There was an Allen/UK organ at the crematorium and a tracker organ in the parish church of Penn where he played the funeral service. He was offered the position of organist but declined the offer. Sorry Brits, we want him here. Yes, to your question, it is the church where William Penn's son is buried.

Walt loves being a church musician and has devoted over sixty years to his profession. Congratulations on your pending retirement Walt! We truly enjoy your presence in our Chapter and wish you well in your continuing interest in many musical avenues.

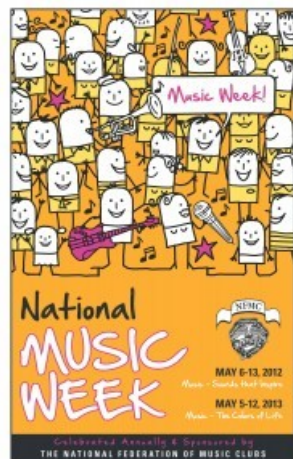
National Music Week

You are invited to recognize National Music Week on Sunday May 5th of this year by including within your worship services music about America or by Americans.

It has been suggested that "God Bless America" or "America the Beautiful" be a part of this celebration.

If they are not suitable for inclusion in a worship service on May 5th we would like to suggest that music by American composers / hymnists be selected.

The National Federation, and the State, Music organizations hope you will be celebrate with us and perhaps share this idea with others.



Thank you. Peter Hewitt

Area Events Listing

Wednesday, April 3, 2013—12:15 PM

Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 North 23rd Street, Camp Hill presents organist Deborah Dillane 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.

Friday, April 12, 2013—7:30 PM

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents an Organ Spectacular with Ken Cowan, concert organist. Suggested donation of \$10 at the door.

Friday, April 12, 2013—7:30 PM

Saint Patrick Cathedral, 212 State Street, Harrisburg presents Lauren Jordan, soprano. Lauren Jordan holds a BFA in Vocal Performance from Indiana University of Pennsylvania, where she was a member of the Chamber Singers, Opera Workshop, Chorale, as well as Marvin Hamlisch's All-Star College Chorus. Lauren has performed lead roles in operas and musicals such as *The Sound of Music*, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, *Hänsel and Gretel*, *Die Fledermaus*, and *Così Fan Tutte*, and has also appeared as a soloist with the Pittsburgh Symphony, Johnstown Symphony, Altoona Symphony, Keystone Wind Ensemble, and Lancaster Chamber Singers. She has studied with multiple instructors, including Mary Logan-Hastings and Jack Stamp, and is a two-time winner of the National Association of Teachers of Singing's Eastern Regional Competition. A member of NATS, Lauren has been a private voice instructor at the State Street Academy of Music for 3 years. She is currently a K-8 music teacher at Holy Name of Jesus School in Harrisburg, and helps direct the music ministry at St. Benedict the Abbot Church in Lebanon. In the spring, Lauren will be giving an alumni voice recital at Indiana University of Pennsylvania, along with her accompanist, Eric Waggoner. A requested donation of \$10 per person may be offered at the door.

Wednesday, April 17, 2013—8:00 PM

The newly constructed Calvin and Janet High Center for Worship and the Performing Arts, Messiah College Cultural Series presents pianist Christopher O'Riley, in "Out of My Hands," the acclaimed host of NPR's "From the Top" in repertoire from Radiohead to Ravel to Chopin. He will be joined by the college's Women's Ensemble to sing his Joni Mitchell song arrangements. For tickets call (717) 691-6036 or visit www.messiah.edu/culturalseries

Saturday, April 20, 2013 —6:00 PM

Trinity United Methodist Church, 415 Bridge Street, New Cumberland, presents Variety Show and Buffet Dinner, a Benefit Concert for Organ Restoration. \$12.00 per person - reservation required by April 12. Call (717) 774-7146.

Sunday, April 21, 2013—3:00 PM

First United Methodist Church, 64 West Chocolate Avenue, Hershey presents the Messiah College Concert Choir under the direction of Linda Tedford. The concert is free

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and open to all. A free-will offering will be received. For information call (717) 533-9668 or visit www.firstumchershey.org.

Sunday, April 21, 2013—4:00 PM

Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 North 23rd Street, Camp Hill presents Lebanon Valley College Alumni Chorale, Gregg Robert Mauroni, conductor. A free-will offering will be received. (717) 737-0488 www.thechpc.org.

Sunday, April 21, 2013—7:00 PM [Please note this change of date]

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, April 21, 2013—7:00 PM

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 22 South Sixth Street, Lebanon presents a Festal Evensong and concert by Tempesta di Mare (early music ensemble from Philadelphia) - Offering received.

Friday, April 26, 2013—7:00 PM

Lebanon Valley Brethren Home, 1200 Grubb Street, Palmyra presents the Hershey Handbell Ensemble in concert. The concert is free and open to all. A free-will offering will be received. For information call 717-298-7071 or visit www.hersheyhandbellensemble.org.

Saturday, April 27, 2013—7:00 PM

St. Edward's Episcopal Church, 2453 Harrisburg Pike, Lancaster presents the Hershey Handbell Ensemble in concert. The concert is free and open to all. A free-will offering will be received. For information call 717-298-7071 or visit www.hersheyhandbellensemble.org.

Sunday, April 28, 2013—3:00 PM

Alumnae Chapel of Wilson College, Chambersburg presents organist Shelly Moorman-Stahlman in the Van Looy Organ Series. For Tickets call (717) 262-2003 or email conferences@wilson.edu.

Sunday, April 28, 2013—3:00 PM

Tree of Life Lutheran Church, 1492 Linglestown Road, Harrisburg presents the Hershey Handbell Ensemble in concert. The concert is free and open to all. A free-will offering will be received. For information call 717-298-7071 or visit www.hersheyhandbellensemble.org.

Sunday, April 28, 2013—4:00 PM

Fine Arts at First, First Lutheran Church, 21 South Bedford Street, Carlisle presents The Maryland State Boychoir, Stephen Holmes, Artistic Director. The concert will showcase the Tour Choir performing sacred masterworks, contemporary pieces, gospel, spirituals, and folksongs. Admittance is free and open to the public. A freewill offering will be received. For more information, visit www.firstlutheran Carlisle.org or call the church, 717-249-3310.

Friday, May 4, 2013—7:30 PM

Trinity Lutheran Church, 2000 Chestnut Street, Camp Hill presents the Harrisburg Singers. For tickets visit www.harrisburgsingers.org.

Sunday, May 5, 2013—4:00 PM

First United Methodist Church 520 East Birch Street, Palmyra, presents a Spring Choral Concert featuring the church Chancel Choir combined with students from Lebanon Valley College accompanied by orchestra. A free-will offering will be received.

Sunday, May 5, 2013—4:00 PM

First Lutheran Church, 21 South Bedford Street, Carlisle hosts the faculty recital of Dr. Shirley King of Dickinson College.

Friday, May 10, 2013—7:30 PM

Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents Jazz a Choral Evensong for the Feast of the Ascension. The Chamber Singers of Pine Street Church will sing the Canticles set by Lee Hoiby. The anthem for the evening will be "God is Gone Up" by Gerald Finzi. Following the service Thomas Clark-Jones will play the Fifth Organ Symphony of Charles Marie Widor. A free-will offering will be received.

Sunday, May 19, 2013—4:00 PM

Trinity Lutheran Church, 2000 Chestnut Street, Camp Hill presents Ashu, classical saxophonist. Free will offering. Visit www.ashuonline.com.

Sunday, May 26, 2013—7:00 PM

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 22 South Sixth Street, Lebanon presents a Choral Evensong and concert by Julia Gottshall, pianist - Offering received.

Friday, May 31, 2013—7:30 PM

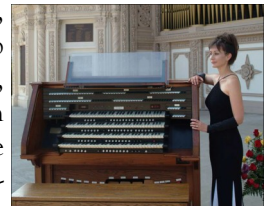
Pine Street Presbyterian Church, 310 North Third Street, Harrisburg presents the Music of Antonio Vivaldi with Choir and Orchestra. Guest soloist will be Jonathan Manley Hudson, counter-tenor. A free-will offering will be received. Suggested donation is \$10.

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.

Sunday, September 22, 2013—4:00 PM

Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, 101 North 23rd 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.



Sunday, September 29, 2013—3:00 PM

Trinity United Methodist Church, 415 Bridge Street, New Cumberland, presents and 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 23rd 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.

Sunday, October 20, 2013—3:00 PM

Fine Arts at First, First Lutheran Church, 21 South Bedford Street, Carlisle presents Dearest Home, a Gettysburg-based ensemble, performing Civil War Era music in period costume in observance of the 150th Anniversary of the American Civil War.

Thank-you Letter from Winchester Chapter, Hosts of the Region III Convention

**Braddock Street United Methodist Church
115 Wolfe St.
Winchester, VA 22501**

**Followers of Jesus:
Loving God, Loving Others, Serving the World**

February 28, 2013

Dear Dr. Kneerean,

As we continue to plan for the 2013 Region 3 AGO Convention, we are eternally grateful for the generous \$5,000.00 gift from the Harrisburg Chapter. I am the co-chairman of the convention for 2013, and want to follow-up on the thank you email sent by my co-chair, Larry Correll, last fall.

In the early stages of our planning, your donation to our convention made it possible to get the jump on securing some of the finest artists and venue facilities. As a chapter, we are very excited about our educational offerings, performance opportunities for students and exciting, gifted artists. Our schedule of events is on the website.

Please accept my sincere thank you, on behalf of the Winchester Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, for your investment in the future of this fine organization. As part of our appreciation, the Harrisburg Chapter will receive a full page ad, as well as a statement of acknowledgement for your support, in our program book.

Your chapter has "set the bar very high" for future chapters to show their support through the giving of a financial gift. This example will serve as incentive to others and offer hope for great future conventions.

We hope to see you at our Convention, July 7-10, in Winchester. Come and enjoy our southern hospitality.

Blessings to you,
Judy Connelly
Braddock St. UMC
Minister of Music
Shenandoah University
Adjunct Professor
AGO Region 3 Convention co-chair

Positions Available

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 Moller recently renovated. Interested applicants should email resume to zionpenbrook@verizon.net or mail to Zion Lutheran Church 2730 Booser Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17103.

Part-time Organist/pianist: to provide accompaniment for Sunday morning worship, Holy Week services, and Baccalaureate, at Gettysburg College (while classes are in session.) Possible collaboration with music faculty in support of concerts may also be requested. Complete description and application instructions may be found at <https://gettysburg.peopleadmin.com/postings/411>.

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	

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And Much More!

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Includes a Continental Breakfast



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Room Rate is \$95 per night + Tax
Breakfast is included in the rate



www.2013agoreg3convention.com

Sympathies Extended

Our sympathy is extended to Bob and Ruth Brommer. Bob's mother passed away in late March.

Maryland State Boychoir in Carlisle

The Maryland State Boychoir will perform for the *Fine Arts at First Artist Series* at First Lutheran Church, 21 South Bedford Street, Carlisle on Sunday, April 28 at 4 P.M. The concert will showcase the Tour Choir performing a wide range of choral selections, including sacred masterworks,



contemporary pieces, gospel, spirituals, and folksongs under the direction of Stephen A. Holmes and Joseph Shortall.

Now in its 26th concert season, The Maryland State Boychoir serves the State of Maryland as an "Official Goodwill Ambassador" and sings in the tradition of the great European choir schools. It is dedicated to providing talented boys, regardless of race, religion, or socio-economic background, the opportunity to sing and build self-esteem, self-discipline, and character.

The choir performs over 60 times each year throughout Maryland and surrounding states, singing in many distinguished venues, including The White House, the National Cathedral in Washington D.C., St. Patrick's Cathedral and Holy Trinity Cathedral in New York City, and the Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts in Philadelphia. National and international tours have taken them to 30 different states in the United States and to Ireland, Wales, The Netherlands, Germany, Austria, Italy, France, Bermuda, and Canada.

The concert, underwritten in part by the *Margaret Steck Miller Memorial Fund for the Arts*, is free and open to the public. A freewill offering will be received, and a reception to greet the choristers will follow the performance. For more information, call the church, 717-249-3310, or visit www.firstlutherancarlisle.org. First Lutheran Church is handicapped accessible.

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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 May 2013 newsletter is April 15,
2013.

Please send **all** submissions to:
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