### **Workshop Leaders**

### **Jean Cole**

Pianist-turned-Organist, Organ Substitute

### John Karl Hirten

District Convener, Northern California Organist & Composer

### **Angela Kraft Cross**

Organist, Composer, Ophthalmologist

#### **Paul Rosas**

Organist, Composer, MIDI Enthusiast

### Larry and Carla Sue

8 Bell Duet Specialists, Handbell Directors

### **Gregory Wait**

Senior Lecturer, Stanford University Music Director, Schola Cantorum

#### **James Welch**

Organist & Lecturer, Santa Clara University

### **Keynote Speaker**



Matthew Burt holds master's degrees in theology and music from Oxford, Harvard, and Boston Universities. Since 2007 he has been Director

of Music at Christ Episcopal Church in Portola Valley, California, where, in addition to his musical responsibilities, he directs communications and technology for the parish. Matthew was elected as Councillor for the West Region in 2014, and is National Liaison to the Chapters for Young Organists.

Silicon Valley January Jubilee
Paul Rosas, *Director*Los Altos United Methodist Church
655 Magdalena Ave.
Los Altos CA 94024

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# Silicon Valley January Jubilee

January 16, 2016



Swain & Kates and Allen hybrid organ Los Altos United Methodist Church

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### **Attention, Church Musicians!**

Do you need some inspiration or new ideas for your worship service? We have an exciting lineup of Bay Area musicians who will give great workshops to help you create a better worship experience for your congregation.

### **Workshop Schedule**

----- 8:30 a.m. **Registration & Social** -----

Option 1: **It's a MIDI World**Creative use of MIDI

Option 2: **Filling the Gap** *Improvisation tips for emergencies* 

---- 10:30 a.m. ----

Option 1: **Arise and Shine** *Exuberant hymn and service playing* 

Option 2: **BTW...** *Publicizing via social media* 

---- 11:30 a.m. **Keynote Speech ----**

----- 11:45 a.m. **Lunch Break -----**

----- 1 p.m. -----

Option 1: **Jumping in with Both Feet** *Elementary approaches to organ music* 

Option 2: **Ring Them Bells**Building & maintaining your handbell choir

----- 2 p.m. -----

Option 1: **Hallelujah, Amen!**Organ music for pianists, piano/organ duets

Option 2: **The Dynamic Church Choir**Building the choir & team spirit

---- 3 p.m. Closing Event ----

### **Directions to LAUMC**

Interstate 280: Exit at Magdalena Avenue, headed north. Just before the second traffic light (Foothill Expressway), turn left into the driveway.

Highway 101 (from north): Exit San Antonio Road, headed south toward Foothill Expressway. Turn left on Foothill for 1.5 miles. Make a right on Magdalena Avenue and turn right into the driveway.

Highway 101 (from south): Exit at Highway 237 South, which becomes Grant Road. Follow Grant Road to Foothill Expressway, turn right and travel 1.5 miles to Magdalena Avenue. Turn left on Magdalena and then make an immediate right into the driveway.

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### **How to Register**

Please mail completed application and a check for \$25 (\$30 after Dec. 15) made out to **San Jose AGO** to:

> T. Paul Rosas, SVJJ Director 1604 St. Regis Drive San Jose, CA 95124

Alternatively, you may register online at <a href="https://www.tpaulrosas.com/svjj">www.tpaulrosas.com/svjj</a>

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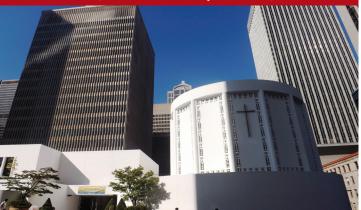
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### JANUARY UBILEE

A One-Day Conference for Musicians

Wanda Griffiths, Director wrgrif@earthlink.net

Saturday January 30, 2016 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Plymouth Church 1217 Sixth Avenue, Seattle WA 8:30 am Keynote Address by Rev. Kathleen Anderson

4 pm Closing Evensong with Rev. Anderson, Stephen Marshall-Ward and reSound - a Northwest Chamber Ensemble

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### WORKSHOPS

### LEARN

### CONNECT



Vicky Thomas, Director of Music, First Baptist, Seattle Incorporating Global Music into Worship

Michael Kleinschmidt, Canon Musician, St. Mark's Cathedral, Seattle Leading Congregational Singing from the Organ/Piano



Douglas Cleveland, Director of Music, Plymouth Church, Seattle & John Delo Faculty Fellow in Organ, University of Washington

New Music for Organ and Piano – Reading Session

Michel Bouvard, Professor of Organ, Paris Conservatory, Paris, France Organ Master Class





Stephen Marshall-Ward, and reSound – A Northwest Chamber Ensemble Minister of Music, All Pilgrims Christian Church, Seattle/Founder and

Director of reSound - Choral Conducting Master Class: Awakening Artful Singing\*



Shari Anderson, Children's Music Educator and Consultant Wee Worship Choirs

Norma Aamodt-Nelson, Minister of Music, Trinity Lutheran, Lynnwood, Freelance Editor Light on Your Feet – Organ Music with Minimal Pedal



Paul Thornock,
Director of Music,
St. James Cathedral,
Seattle
New Choral Music –
multi-publisher reading
session



Shirley Lindberg,
Director of Bells of the
Sound & handbell choir
program,
Tibbetts United Methodist
Church, Seattle
Workshop: Found some

Handbells in the closet - Now what?

Rev. Kathleen Anderson, Interim Pastor, Bethesda Lutheran Church, Mountlake Terrace Keynote Speaker: Such Noble Gifts

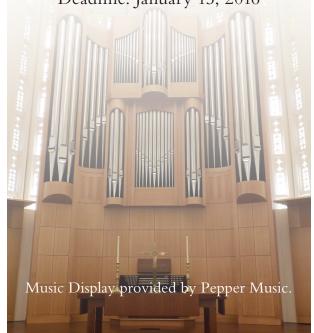


Evensong with Rev. Kathleen Anderson, Stephen Marshall-Ward and reSound

Additional Evening Event
(included with registration)
Michel Bouvard in Concert
on the new Fisk Opus 140
Plymouth Church
7:30 pm

for more information: AGOSeattle.com/ January Jubilee

\*If interested in conducting for Choral Conducting Master Class, please email: Marshallse@comcast.net with "Choral Master Class" in subject line. Deadline: January 15, 2016



### Workshops

### Organ Music for Smaller Instruments

Dr. Karen E. Black – Rudi Inselmann Endowed Professor of Organ at Wartburg College

### Piano and Organ Duet Repertoire for Worship Services and Concerts

Miah and Taemin Han – Organist at First Congregational United Church of Christ in Waterloo, and Director of Music Ministries at First Presbyterian Church in Waterloo

#### Handbells in Worship

Aaron Hansen – Director of Handbell Choirs at First United Methodist Church in Cedar Falls and Wartburg College

### Making the Most of an Electronic Organ

Dr. Randall Harlow – Assistant Professor of Organ and Music Theory at University of Northern Iowa

### Children's Choir: Recruiting, Sustaining, and Inspiring the Youngest Voices to Sing!

Dr. Amy Kotsonis – Assistant Professor of Choral Ensembles and Music Education at University of Northern Iowa

### Creative Hymn Playing for Congregational Singing

Dr. Mariko Morita – Instructor of Organ at University of Northern Iowa

### Musician/Clergy Relations and Conflict Resolution

Rev. Carol Teare – Pastor, Associate Organist & Music Director at First Baptist Church in Waterloo

### Choral Reading Session

Dr. Nicki Bakko Toliver – Assistant Professor of Choral Music Education at Wartburg College Choir Director at Nazareth Eva. Lutheran Church

### Schedule

### **Morning Session**

University of Northern Iowa Gallagher Bluedorn Performing Arts Center

8:30 a.m. Registration/Coffee

9:00 a.m. Welcome Remarks
Rev. Carol Teare
Keynote Speaker

Marilyn Schempp, CoSSR Representative

9:30–10:30 a.m. Session I Creative Hymn Playing (Jebe Hall) – Morita Handbells in Worship (PAC30) – Hansen

10:45–11:45 a.m. Session II
Organ Music for Smaller
Instruments (Jebe Hall) – Black
Children's Choir
(PAC30) – Kotsonis

#### **Afternoon Session**

Nazareth Evangelical Lutheran Church

11:45–1:15 p.m. Lunch Break Music Display by West Music!!!

1:30–2:30 p.m. Session III

Musician/Clergy Relations
(Sanctuary) – Teare
Choral Reading session
(Chapel) – Toliver

2:45–3:45 p.m. Session IV
Piano & Organ Duet Repertoire
(Sanctuary) – Hans
Electronic Organ
(Chapel) – Harlow

4:00p.m. Closing Hymn Singing ∫

### Register NOW!!!

### January Jubilee

Saturday, January 23, 2016 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Eight workshops of various topics by local professionals. (A brown bag lunch included!)

All day for \$25 (\$30 after Jan. 10<sup>th</sup>)
(Registration fee is non-refundable)

I am interested in the following four workshops:

Organ Music for Smaller Instruments
Piano and Organ Duet Repertoire
Handbells in Worship
Making the Most of an Electronic Organ
Children's Choir
Creative Hymn Playing
Musician/Clergy Relations & Conflict Resolution
Choral Reading Session

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Anne Hoekstra, January Jubilee Registrar AGO Cedar Valley Chapter c/o First Congregational United Church of Christ 608 West Fourth Street, Waterloo, IA 50702



**IGO Cedar Valley Chapter** University of Northern Iowa ool of Music, 115 Russell Hall Cedar Falls, IA 50614

### The American Guild of Organists Cedar Valley Chapter

proudly presents

### January Jubilee

Saturday, January 23, 2016 8:30am – 4:30 pm

University of Northern Iowa 8201 Dakota St., Cedar Falls, IA 50614



### Nazareth Evangelical Lutheran Church

7401 University Ave., Cedar Falls, IA 50613



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### Come to learn more about the following topics:

Good repertoire for smaller organs.
Great Piano & Organ duet repertoire.
How to use Handbells in worship.
Effective use of an electric organ in worship.
How to build a Children's Choir.
Creative congregational hymn singing.
Great and practical choir repertoire.
Help! When the pastor and I have different tastes in worship music, how do we resolve such conflicts?

### Additionally...

Non AGO member participants will receive a complimentary six-month membership in the Guild, including a subscription to The American Organists Magazine!

### **Staying Overnight?**

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### **Any Questions?**

Please Contact
Mariko Morita: mariko.morita@uni.edu
AGO Cedar Valley Chapter
January Jubilee Director
(319) 273-2625

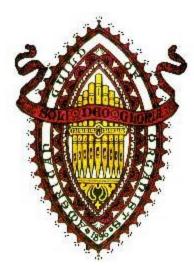


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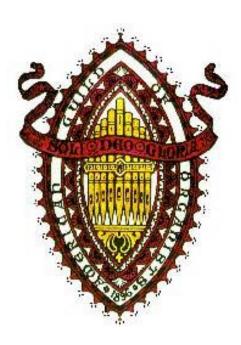
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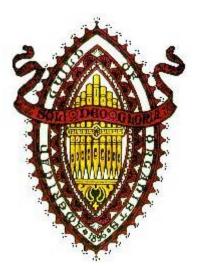
Host: Omaha Chapter American Guild of Organists

Director: Dr. J. Gordon Christensen mrc@chase3000.com 712-322-4729

> January 23, 2016 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.



Saint John Lutheran Church 633 Willow Avenue Council Bluffs, Iowa 51501



### January Jubilee 2016

Ianuary Jubilees exist to nurture the many part-time musicians working for religious institutions, introducing these musicians to the AGO and its work and mission, and encouraging them to become members of the Guild. The Jubilee will offer a rewarding chance to reshape your AGO chapter into a more accessible and welcoming image, to fill the gap between the local chapter activities and conference level efforts. and to meet and interact with peers who share an interest in the King of Instruments.



### January Jubilee Schedule



8:00 - 8:30: Registration/Browse music display

8:30 - 9:25: Opening Convocation

- Welcome
   Alan Meilike, President, Saint John Lutheran Church
   J. Gordon Christensen, Dean, Omaha Chapter
- Keynote Address "The Power of Music and Why Musicians Matter" Dr. Eileen Guenther Past President, American Guild of Organists

9:30 - 10:30

"One Year of Organ Service Music in 50 Minutes" Dr. Wayne Kallstrom

"Handbells 101: How, Who, What, Why" Jean Johnson

10:30-10:45 - Break/Browse music display

10:45 - 12:00 A Reading Rehearsal: "We're Always Reading, So Let's Rehearse" Rev. Jerry Brabec

12:00 - 1:00 - Lunch/Browse music display

1:00 - 1:50

Church Organ for "Dummies" or, What do all these knobs and switches do & how do I make use of them--(Registration) Greg Johnson

"Steps to AGO Certification: Practice, Persistence, Patience, Professionalism" Dr. J. Gordon Christensen

American Guild of Organists

2:00 - 3:00 "Team Work: Why It's Important and How to Build a Team"

Dr. Eileen Guenther

3:00 - 4:00

"Compelling Leadership for Compelling
Hymn-Singing:
Exploration of the Nuanced Art of
Leading Congregational Song,
Including Introductions, Free-Verses,
Transitions, and Descants"

Dr. Marie Rubis Bauer

#### **Host Church:**

Saint John Lutheran Church 633 Willow Street Council Bluffs, Iowa 51501 (one site, off-street parking)

Send registration and check to:

#### Registrar:

Ann Warner Spangler, SPC 9754 Ontario Street Omaha, Nebraska 68124-3756

**Registration Fee: \$35.00** (includes packet, lunch, refreshments)

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Name
Address
AGO Member:Yes No
Phone
E-Mail
AGO Certificates held
Part or Full Time Musician

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### February Flourish!!!

Monday, Feb 15, 2016 8:30 am - 5:00 pm (lunch included)

☐ I am, ☐ I am not a member of the American Guild of Organists

Name\_\_\_\_\_Address\_\_\_\_\_Phone\_\_\_\_\_

\$25.00 (includes lunch!)

☐ I enclose my check payable to Southern Indiana AGO.

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Please send this form with your payment to:

Trinity United Methodist Church Attn: February Flourish Registrar 2796 Charlestown Road New Albany, IN 47150



Monday, Feb 15, 2016

8:30 am - **4:30** pm (lunch included)

Director: Dr David K Lamb, CAGO Wayne Wold, CoSSR Representative

Featured presenters:

Rev Wm Shannon, keynote speaker

Nathan T Proctor, MM

David C Sims, MM

Gregory Zelek

Other presenters:

Dr. David K Lamb

Dr Madlen Batchvarova

Dr Janet Hamilton

Jonathan Stanley

Katelyn Stumler

Susan Adams

Organ Recital and Concert Session by Gregory Zelek

#### Sessions:

Youth Music/Children's Choir Clergy/Musician Relations Piano Music for Worship Creative Use of Hymns in Worship Creative Hymn Playing Choral Reading Session Organ Service Music for Manuals Alone Handbells in Worship New Organ Music for Manuals and Pedal.

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Church number: 812-944-2229 Email: tumcnamusic@gmail.com

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### Nathan Proctor



Nathan Proctor grew up in Iowa, and holds degrees in church music and organ performance from St. Olaf College and Indiana University, having studied with John Ferguson and Larry Smith.

He has served congregations in Minnesota, California, and North Carolina, and is currently Organist and Director of Worship, Music, and Arts at St. John's Lutheran Church in Northfield, MN.

In addition to overseeing a large and vibrant music program, each week he leads two worship services at the organ and directs choirs of youth and adults.

He has been in residence at Montreat Conference Center for several summers planning and leading music for the Montreat Youth Conference, and this summer will co-direct two weeks of the conference. Nathan has written articles for Call to Worship and Presbyterians Today, and he enjoys trips for mission work, for fun, and for coffee.





David Sims grew up in Champaign, IL, but soon headed north to attend St. Olaf College in Northfield, MN, where he earned a B.M. in Church Music/Organ with Catherine Rodland and John Ferguson.

While at St. Olaf he toured nationally and internationally with the St. Olaf Choir and held several leadership positions with the group.

David earned a Masters of Music in Organ Performance from Indiana University in 2008, studying with Dr. Larry Smith, and stayed in Indiana for 6 more years to serve as Director of Music at North Christian Church in Columbus.

During his time in Indiana he also worked full time for Goulding & Wood Pipe Organ Builders, specializing in wiring, tuning, and service work.

David serves as Cantor at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Minneapolis, MN, where he plays organ, directs two adult choirs, and assists in worship planning and preparation.

His compositions are published by GIA and Augsburg Fortress.





Greg Zelek is increasingly recognized as one of the most exciting young organists in the American organ scene.

A native of Miami, Florida, Greg is a graduate student of Paul Jacobs at the Juilliard School, where he received his Bachelor of Music degree. Also at Juilliard, Greg is a proud recipient of a Kovner Fellowship, having been one of nineteen selected for the inaugural fellowship that covers full cost of attendance. He was the First Prize winner in both the 2012 Rodgers North American Classical Organ Competition and the 2012 West Chester University Organ Competition, and was selected as a 2010 NFAA YoungArts Silver Medal Winner. He won First Prize, as well as the "Bach Prize," at the East Carolina University Organ Competition, and was a prizewinner in the Albert Schweitzer Organ Festival.

Greg is the Music Director and Organist at the Episcopal Church of St. Matthew and St. Timothy in New York City. Prior to this appointment, he served as Organ Scholar at Hitchcock Presbyterian Church in Scarsdale, New York. Greg, who is a Cuban-American and a native Spanish speaker, was the Music Director of Corpus Christi Catholic Church in Miami, and has served as the summer organist for San Pedro Apostol Church in Ramales de la Victoria, Spain.

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## THE PORTLAND CHAPTER of the AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS Presents

### JUBILEE 2016



SATURDAY, MARCH 5 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH UCC 301 COTTAGE ROAD SOUTH PORTLAND, ME 04106

The American Guild of Organists, through January Jubilee, proudly supports the part-time musician.

- What new and exciting anthems have been published lately?
- Should my church start a Handbell choir?
- What exactly is "blended worship"?
- Can someone with my level of expertise actually improvise?
- What should I look for in a digital organ?
- How can I make the hymns come 'alive' on Sunday morning?
- Should I call the technician or try to fix it myself?
- How can I improve at the organ if I'm really a pianist?

The answers to these and other questions are waiting for you at

Jubilee 2016

SATURDAY, MARCH 5 8:00 AM - 3:30 PM

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL **CHURCH** SOUTH PORTLAND, MAINE

### SCHEDULE

8:00—9:00 Registration & Coffee 9:00 Welcome and Opening Service

Featuring original works by Chapter Members

### **WORKSHOPS**

**Session 1** 9:30—10:30 AM

A Blended Worship

-Paul and Rebecca Schnell

**B** Making the transition from piano to organ

-Dr. James Strand

#### Session 2 10:45—11:45

A Anthem Reading

-David Schaap, Selah Publishing

**B** Handbells: Tips and Techniques

-Karen Leland

#### 11:45—1:00 LUNCH & SALES TABLES

**Session 3** 1:00—2:00 PM

A Digital Organs in the Digital Age

-Ed Gormley, Allen Organ Company

**B** Enhancing your hymn playing

-Stuart Forster

### **Session 4** 2:15—3:15

**A** Know your instrument

-David Wallace

B Yes! You can improvise!

-Peter Krasinski

### 4:00-6:00 THE KOTZSCHMAR ORGAN



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#### **REGISTER NOW!**

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