



AN INVITATION TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS

Dear Prospective Member:

For 120 years the American Guild of Organists has been serving the needs of organists. Today the Guild represents 15,000 members in approximately 300 chapters in the United States and abroad.



Over several decades I have noticed that what our members seem to have in common is a generosity of spirit and a keen desire to extend a helping hand to other organists. AGO members selflessly contribute their time and talent to create a rising tide for all of us.

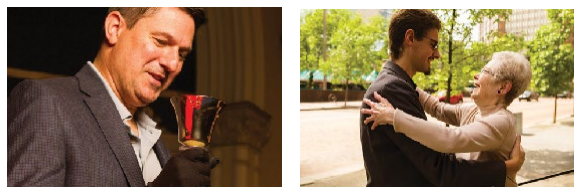
I am so pleased that you are considering membership, and I would like to encourage you to join our organization to find out how much we are able to accomplish together. It's easy to join online at agohq.org/membership or by mail. If you have questions, please call 212-870-2310 to speak with our Manager of Membership, who stands ready to answer your questions and help you decide which category of membership is right for you. I look forward to welcoming you to the Guild.

Sincerely,

James Thomashower
Executive Director



As a member of the American Guild of Organists you can:



Connect with other organists

As a member of the American Guild of Organists you will have a chance to build friendships with people who share your passion for the organ. You can enjoy the camaraderie of other organ lovers at chapter events and at conventions as you celebrate the organ in historic and evolving contexts.

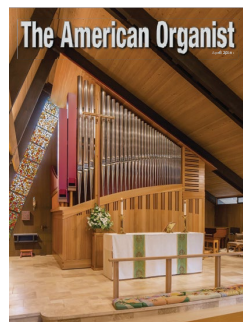
120 YEARS OF INSPIRATION and EDUCATION



Nurture new organists of all ages

As a member you will help support activities designed to introduce young people to the organ, such as the Guild's Pipe Organ Encounters for high school-aged students and Pedals, Pipes and Pizza for younger children. Guild scholarships and competitions help to advance the careers of young organists, and there are continuing efforts to reach out to adults who are new to the organ.

Discover news in the organ and choral worlds



Each month THE AMERICAN ORGANIST Magazine will arrive at your doorstep full of practical information for organists, scholarly articles, and thought-provoking essays. You will learn about the evolving church music scene, upcoming recitals, and chapter events across the

country. As an AGO member you will gain access to a wealth of online resources including career opportunities and job listings.

Enhance your skills as an organist and choral conductor

Local chapter meetings give you a chance to share your knowledge and expertise and learn from other organists. You will meet colleagues who will encourage you to pursue excellence and follow your dreams. You will be able to earn professional credentials through the Guild's certification program. At chapter meetings and conventions, you will have a chance to hear great organs and organists, and you will find inspiration and challenge through these encounters.

Membership Information

Name:

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City, State, Zip:

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