

January Jubilee
Grace United
Methodist Church
5407 No. Charles St
Baltimore, MD 21210
Committee on Musicians
in Part-Time Employment

The American Guild of Organists



January Jubilee

**Nurturing the Part-Time
Church Musician**

January 19, 2015
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**The Mid-Atlantic Region
Baltimore Chapter of the AGO**

Grace United Methodist Church
5407 North Charles Street
Baltimore, MD 21210

January Jubilee

Monday, January 19, 2015

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

*After years of playing
for churches,
I need some fresh ideas*



*I wish my Pastor and I
were better partners*



*I need greater resources
for my diverse congregation*



*I want to better support
my choir director and choir*



*I'd like my music ministry
to engage and excite
my church more*

What Should I Do?

Workshops

*The one day solution ...
Eight opportunities to learn!*

- ◆ Dynamic Hymn and Service Playing



Dr. John Walker

- ◆ Music Ministry - How to Get Your Church Engaged and Excited

Kathie Metz

- ◆ Creative and Accessible Organ Repertoire for All Occasions

Theodore S. Davis

- ◆ We Walk His Way - Memorable Songs from Around the Globe



David Schelat

- ◆ Developing and Maintaining Choirs of Young Voices

Michael J. Gaffney

- ◆ Handbells 101: Ringing Techniques

Deborah Woods

- ◆ Anthem Reading Session: Anthems Old and New for Adult Choirs of All Sizes

Wayne L. Wold

- ◆ Musicians and Clergy: An Essential Partnership for Spirit-Filled Worship

Rev. Vivian C. McCarthy

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER:
THE REV. THOMAS R. MALIA**



**HOST CHURCH:
Grace United Methodist
Church, Baltimore**

**Pipe Organ: Five-manual
Moller (digital additions
by Robert Walker)**

Digital Organ: Rodgers

**MUSIC DISPLAY: The Musical Source
Jack L. Ay, president**

January Jubilee

A day for the part-time church musician -- offering eight varied workshops, inspiring speakers and lunch,* all for \$25.

Register Now...

Deadline to ensure lunch is January 14

I am, I am not, a member of
The American Guild of Organists

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

e-mail _____

*Please let us know if you'd like a vegetarian lunch.

I enclose my \$25 check payable to:
Baltimore Chapter AGO

Send your check with this form to:
Kitty Allen
307-B Charles Street Ave
Baltimore, MD 21204

**Any questions? Contact Michael Britt at
410-523-1542, Ext. 16 or:
michael@browndowntown.org**

Note: Registration fee is non-refundable.

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- » Are you a part-time church musician looking for fresh ideas?
- » New organ and choral repertoire?
- » Inspiration for your choirs?
- » More artful accompanying?
- » Help with the handbells?
- » Better relationships with clergy?

Then *January Jubilee*
is for you!

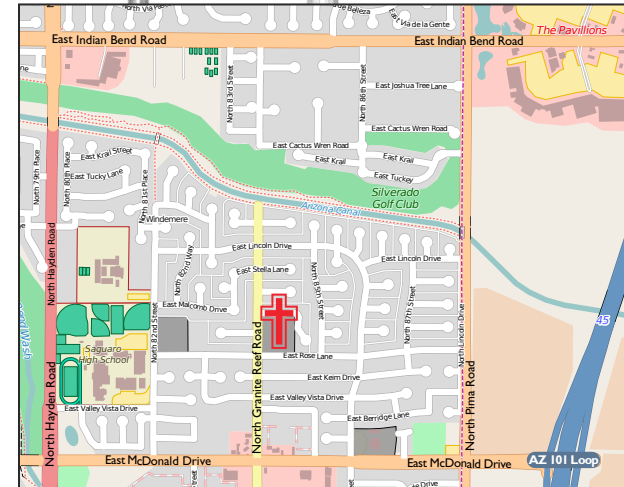
Join us Saturday, January 17,
from 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM

... for a day of inspiration, learning, and musical camaraderie presented by the Central Arizona Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. Registration is only \$15 and includes continental breakfast, lunch, and eight varied workshops.

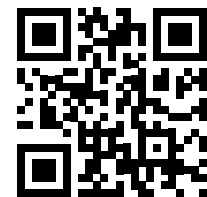
- ♦ Engaging Congregations with the Earliest Music ~ Dr. Kimberly Marshall
- ♦ The Art of Accompanying: Two's Company, Three's a Trio ~ Kristin Holton Prouty
- ♦ Creative Use of Bells in Worship ~ Douglas J. Benton
- ♦ Creative Service Playing and Improvisation ~ Gordon Stevenson
- ♦ Choral Reading Session ~ Dr. Skye Hart / Music Mart, Inc.
- ♦ Technology for the Church Musician
- ♦ Solutions for the Small Choir ~ Dr. Karin Thomas
- ♦ Clergy-Musician Relations and Conflict Resolution ~ Paul Tepker

You need not be a member
of the AGO to attend!

Hosted by the Central
Arizona Chapter AGO at
St. Maria Goretti Church.



St. Maria Goretti is
located at 6261 North
Granite Reef Road in
Scottsdale.



Central Arizona Chapter
American Guild of Organists
PO Box 60701
Phoenix, AZ 85082-0701



January Jubilee Leaders & Workshops

Dr. Kimberly Marshall, Goldman Professor of Organ at ASU and international concert artist, explores creative ways of using medieval and Renaissance organ music to engage congregations and enhance worship, even on modern church organs!

Kristin Holton Prouty, Director of Music and Organist at Victory Lutheran Church, Mesa, and CAZAGO Dean, draws from years of experience as an accompanist and collaborator with numerous choirs and ensembles and share her insights with those wishing to improve their keyboard accompanying skills.

Douglas J. Benton, Director of Music and Organist at Gold Canyon United Methodist Church, shares his wealth of experience with handbell choirs. Learn new and creative ways to enhance your bell choir, and add beauty to your church service.

Gordon Stevenson, Scotland native and Director of Music and Organist at historic St. Mary's Basilica, Phoenix, shares inspiration from his own talent as an improviser and gifted service player. Experience some new ideas for improvising and making your service playing more exciting and interesting!

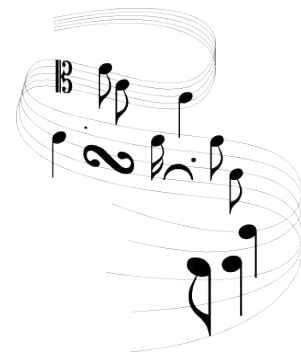
Dr. Skye Hart, Director of Music & Liturgy at St. Maria Goretti Church, Scottsdale, will present a choral reading session for small-to-medium choirs with varied keyboard accompaniment. Packets are provided by Music Mart, Inc., the largest sheet music dealer in the Southwest, catering to schools, churches, and individuals.

Dr. Karin Thomas, Director of Music and the Arts and Desert Hills Presbyterian Church, Carefree, is highly regarded for her engaging and effective direction of large volunteer choirs and ensembles. Dr. Thomas shares ideas for you to improve and build your volunteer choir.

Paul Tepker has served in professional ministry leadership for more than 35 years on church staffs in Arizona, California, and Michigan, including leadership roles in worship, adult discipleship, men's/women's ministry, children's ministry, student ministry and young adult ministry. Paul shares some ideas and strategies for navigating the sometimes stormy waters of clergy-musician relations.

Matthew Burt, our Keynote Speaker, moved to the United States from the United Kingdom in 1998. He holds master's degrees in theology and music from Oxford, Harvard, and Boston Universities, and was a Research Associate in the Memorial Church at Harvard, where he was the Managing Editor of the fourth edition of the Harvard University Hymn Book (Harvard Univ. Press, 2007). His previous organist/choir director positions include Harvard Divinity School, St. Peter's Church in Cambridge, MA, and Christ Church in Alameda, CA. He began his work at Christ Church Portola Valley in 2007.

Within the Diocese of California, Matthew currently serves as the chair of Executive Council and is a past President of the Peninsula Deanery. He was also recently elected Regional Councillor of the American Guild of Organists for the western states. We are honored to have Matthew with us for this *January Jubilee*.



The Jubilee Menu

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

- 8:30 Welcome, Registration, and Continental Breakfast
- 9:15 Keynote Speech: Matthew Burt, AGO Regional Councillor
- 10:00 (Option A) Kimberly Marshall: Engaging Congregations with the Earliest Organ Music
(Option B) Kristin Holton Prouty: Two's Company, Three's a Trio: The Art of Accompanying
- 11:00 (A) Doug Benton: Creative Use of Handbells for the Worship Service
(B) Gordon Stevenson: Creative Service Playing and Improvisation
- 12:00 Brown Bag Lunch provided by the CAZAGO
- 1:00 (A) Music Mart Inc: Choral Reading Session (TBA) Technology for the Church Musician
(B) Karin Thomas: Solutions for the Volunteer Church Choir
(B) Paul Tepker: Clergy-Musician Relations and Conflict Resolution
- 3:00 Exhibits open

St. Maria Goretti Roman Catholic Church
6261 North Granite Reef Road
Scottsdale, Arizona

Registration is Easy!

Make your \$15 check payable to the Central Arizona Chapter AGO. Your check is your registration.

Please mail to:

Dr. Skye Hart
c/o St. Maria Goretti Church
6261 N Granite Reef Rd
Scottsdale, AZ 85250-5724

Questions? Contact
CAZAGO January Jubilee Director, Skye Hart
✉ sh2139@gmail.com ☎ 870 421-6638

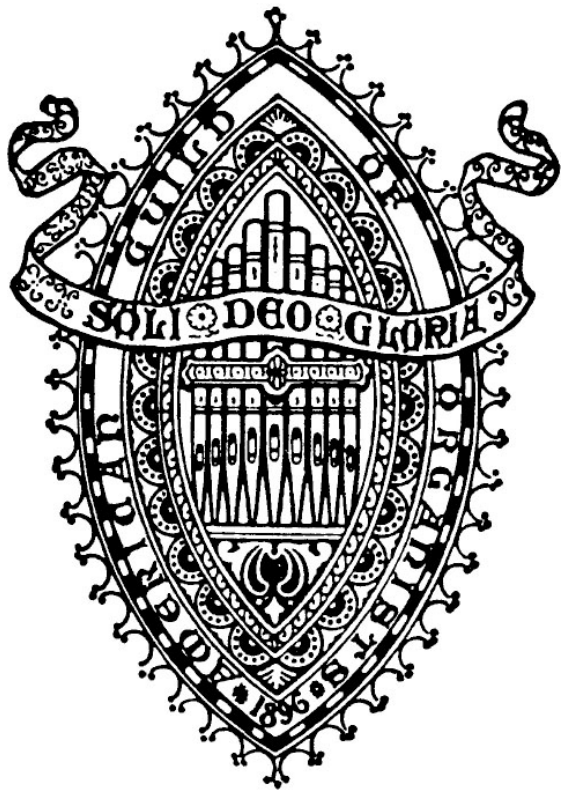


Inspiration for the soul
Inspiration for the mind

January Jubilee

Inspiration for the body

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(978-263-3979) or email to
MVAGOJubilee@gmail.com*



Austin organ at First Calvary Baptist Church

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



Johannus Digital Organ provided by Pelland Organ Company

American Guild of Organists *Jubilee*

February 21, 2015
North Andover, MA

A day of workshops for
All Church Musicians and Students,
sponsored by the
Merrimack Valley Chapter, AGO

www.merrimackago.com

**Looking for fresh ideas?
Not enough practice time?
Too few stops?
Need new music?
Seeking inspirations?
Better Choir practices?**

**The Jubilee
is here for You!**

The One Day Solution

**Many Opportunities to learn,
Experienced clinicians**

Digital Organs and MIDI

♦ Dick Pelland

Anthem Reading

♦ Advent Press and Andrea Press

**Simple and effective anthems: your
Hymnal is at hand**

♦ Richard Webster

Enhancing your hymn playing

♦ Stuart Foster

**Beyond Beat Patterns: Truly
musical gestures**

♦ Jennifer Lester

**Effective practice techniques – the
best habits you can acquire**

♦ Diane Belcher

Youth Choirs at their Best

♦ Kristen Miller

**Organ Plus! How to play well with
others**

♦ Heinrich Christensen

SCHEDULE

at First Calvary Baptist Church
586 Massachusetts Avenue,
North Andover, MA 01845

8:30 am: Registration and Coffee

9:00 am: Opening Comments

9:15 – 10:15: Workshop Session 1

- Digital Organs
- Anthem Reading

10:30 – 11:30: Workshop Session 2

- Simple and effective anthems
- Hymn playing

11:30 – 1:00: Lunch, music sales, Flea
Market, Organ demonstrations

1:00 – 2:00: Workshop Session 3

- Beyond Beat Patterns
- Effective Practice Techniques

2:15 – 3:15: Workshop Session 4

- Youth Choirs at their Best
- Organ Plus!

3:15: Closing Remarks

3:30: Jubilee's end

*Music Sales provided by Spectrum
Music (Lexington, MA)*

*Lunch catered by the Party
Connection (Methuen, MA)*

Register Now ...
MVAGO Jubilee
February 21, 2015
8:30am – 3:30pm

Eight workshops, an organ
demonstration and a delicious lunch
All for \$25.00 (\$30.00 after
January 31st)

I am interested in the following four
workshops:

- Digital Organs
- Anthem Reading
- Simple and effective anthems
- Hymn Playing
- Beyond Beat Patterns
- Effective Practice Techniques
- Youth Choirs at their Best
- Organ Plus!

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Name _____

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I enclose my check payable to MVAGO.
Please send this form with your payment to:
Ruth Bowers, 25 Pine Road,
Beverly, MA 01915-3729

Featured Presenters



TOM TRENNEY shares his passion as pastoral musician, performer, and teacher in worship with his home congregation, in the college classroom, and in recitals, hymn festivals, choral and organ workshops and master classes all around the country. Since 2009, he has served as Minister of Music to First-Plymouth Congregational Church (United Church of Christ) in Lincoln, Nebraska, Artistic Director of First-Plymouth's Abendmusik Concert Series and Director of the Doane College Women's Chorale. A graduate of the Cleveland Institute of Music and the Eastman School of Music, Tom is grateful for the inspiration of his teachers and mentors – especially Anton Armstrong, David Davidson, David Higgs, William Weinert, Anne Wilson and Todd Wilson.



PAUL ROHDE is Campus Pastor at Augustana College in Sioux Falls, SD. Paul holds a BA and MA from South Dakota State University. He completed a Masters of Divinity at Luther Theological Seminary and is an ordained pastor in the ELCA. He recently earned his Doctorate of Ministry from Wesley Theological Seminary in Washington, D.C. Paul also holds a Certificate in Spiritual Direction

from School Sisters of Notre Dame in Mankato, MN. Prior to coming to Augustana College in 2001, Paul served congregations in New Ulm, MN; Sioux Falls, SD; and Lake Preston, SD.

Special Bonus Event...

A Sonic Spectacular

featuring the talents of

Tom Trenney

*Virtuosic organ repertoire, inspired hymn singing,
brilliant improvisation*

Friday, January 23 at 7:30 p.m.

First Congregational United Church of Christ

300 S. Minnesota Avenue, Sioux Falls, SD 57104

FREE ADMISSION

a freewill offering will benefit
the SDAGO Academy Scholarship Fund.

January Jubilee
504 S Charlotte Ave
Sioux Falls, SD 57103

January Jubilee



A Day of Answers and Inspiration for Church Musicians

A full day of sessions featuring practical skills for the part-time church musician.

Workshops, worship, networking and inspiration from keynote speakers
Tom Trenney & Rev. Paul Rohde

Saturday, January 24, 2014

Our Savior's Lutheran Church
909 W 33rd Street, Sioux Falls, SD

Have you ever wondered how to...

- ◆ Lead your congregation and choir to more vital singing in worship?
- ◆ Use the resources you have more creatively?
- ◆ Enhance or brush up your hymn playing skills?
- ◆ Fully realize the capabilities of your instrument - pipe or digital?
- ◆ Use the piano effectively in worship?
- ◆ Involve children in worship leadership?
- ◆ Brush up on handbell methods and materials?
- ◆ Keep up with the latest publications, repertoire and resources?
- ◆ Connect with others who do what you do to share ideas?

...then January Jubilee is for you!

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January Jubilee Schedule

8:00-8:45 Registration-Exhibits-Rolls & Coffee

8:45-9:05 Nourishment for the Soul

with message by Rev. Paul Rohde and music led by Tom Trenney.

9:15-10:15 Keynote with Tom Trenney

"And May God Give us Faith to Sing Always".

10:15-10:30 Break—Visit the Exhibits

10:30-11:30 Workshops

- Accessible Organ Music
with Mike Elsbernd (Balcony)
- Technology for the Church Musician
Panel Discussion on the Latest Resources
(Friendship Room)

11:30-12:30 Nourishment for the Body

Lunch - Visit the Exhibits

12:30-1:30 Workshops

- Choral Reading Session (Choir Room)
with Paul Nesheim - Music from K&M Music
- Wedding and Funeral Music for Organ
with Marilyn Schempp & Michael Elsbernd
(balcony)

1:45-2:45 Workshops

- Piano Music for the Worship Service-
with Marilyn Schempp (Sanctuary)
- Involving Children in Worship
with Ann Okins and Betty Shomper
(choir room)

2:45-3:00 Break

Coffee and visit exhibits

3:00-4:00 Workshops

- History and Development of the Organ
with John Nordlie (Friendship Room)
- Handbell Repertoire/Techniques
with Jeanne Carter (Gathering Space)

January Jubilee REGISTER NOW!

Registration Deadline is January 19
to ensure lunch and workshop materials.

Cost: \$25

includes Lunch and Materials

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Workshop Choices

Pre-registration isn't required but this information will help us prepare materials. Thanks!

10:30	A <input type="checkbox"/>	B <input type="checkbox"/>
12:30	A <input type="checkbox"/>	B <input type="checkbox"/>
1:45	A <input type="checkbox"/>	B <input type="checkbox"/>
3:00	A <input type="checkbox"/>	B <input type="checkbox"/>

Please complete this form, enclose your check payable to SDAGO and mail to

**John Nordlie
504 S Charlotte Ave.
Sioux Falls, SD 57103**

For more information, contact Marilyn Schempp at mmschempp@sio.midco.net or (605) 521-9636 .