



# Dayton Ohio Chapter The American Guild of Organists



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## Dean's Note by Terry Donat

Dear Dayton AGO members, greetings to you all. Upon reflecting the month of October, we have been treated to an abundance of great organ music here in the Miami Valley. Christopher Houlihan gave us an inspiring performance October 7th, in addition to the weekly noon-day recitals at Westminster Presbyterian Church. There were also performances at Kettering SDA with Rachel Spry Lammi and Dayton Art Institute organized by Matt Dierking. We are blessed to have such an active musical scene in Dayton.

November started off with a bang. Dr. David Crean gave one of the best presentations on organ registration that I have heard. WOW! In a short amount of time, he covered over six centuries of organ building and music and how we might adapt the so many divergent styles into practical registrations on the modern American organ. Most of us do not have a four manual, 100+ rank instrument at our disposal, but it is our challenge to make the instruments that we do preside over sing their best praises. As David quoted: "These are the oxen with which we plow" - Paul Jacobs.

For December, the chapter will take a break as many of you are preparing the beautiful Advent, Christmas and Holiday music for your congregations. Even if you are not playing, please attend some of the many fine holiday concerts that are available to us in the Miami Valley.

For January, please note that there is an event change. Due to Jerry Taylor's passing, the event: "Dayton's Musical Heritage" at Westminster on Jan. 27th has been canceled.



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### EXTRA! EXTRA! COMING NEXT ISSUE!

If you have an announcement for an upcoming program or event, send it to Matt Dierking at [matt.dierking@agodayton.org](mailto:matt.dierking@agodayton.org) and we will add it to the next Trumpetings, the Dayton Chapter website and Facebook page.

Also, you are more than welcome to write articles to appear in Trumpetings. Send your articles and pictures to Matt and he'll make sure they get in. The articles can be on a wide variety of topics that would be of interest to the chapter.

Instead, AGO members are invited to attend and participate in an informal celebration of OUMC refurbished Estey 11 rank, 2 manual. pipe organ. In addition to Dr. Mike Henry, (OUMC organist) anyone that may be interested in performing a piece may contact me, Terry Donat ([terrydonat@gmail.com](mailto:terrydonat@gmail.com)) or Jennifer Messaros; [jenmessaros@gmail.com](mailto:jenmessaros@gmail.com). Even if you choose not to perform, please join us for music and refreshments.

Organ Celebration at Oakwood United Methodist Church,  
206 Hadley Ave, Oakwood, OH 45419  
Sunday January 20. 2019, 3 p.m.  
With refreshments following provided by the church.

In closing, I would like to wish you all the happiest and joyous Holiday Season and I am looking forward to a great New Year.

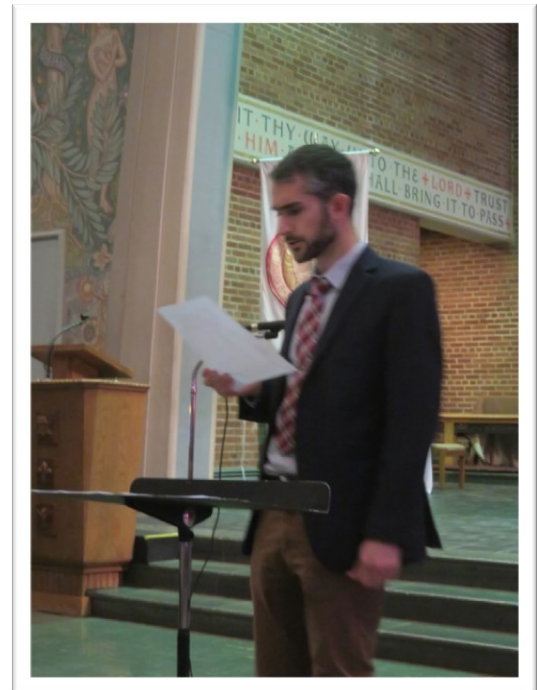
Peace in 2019!

-- Terry

## The Organ Registration Workshop was presented by Dr. David Crean

On Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, **Dr. David Crean** presented a fantastic **Organ Registration Workshop** at Wittenberg University's Weaver Chapel.

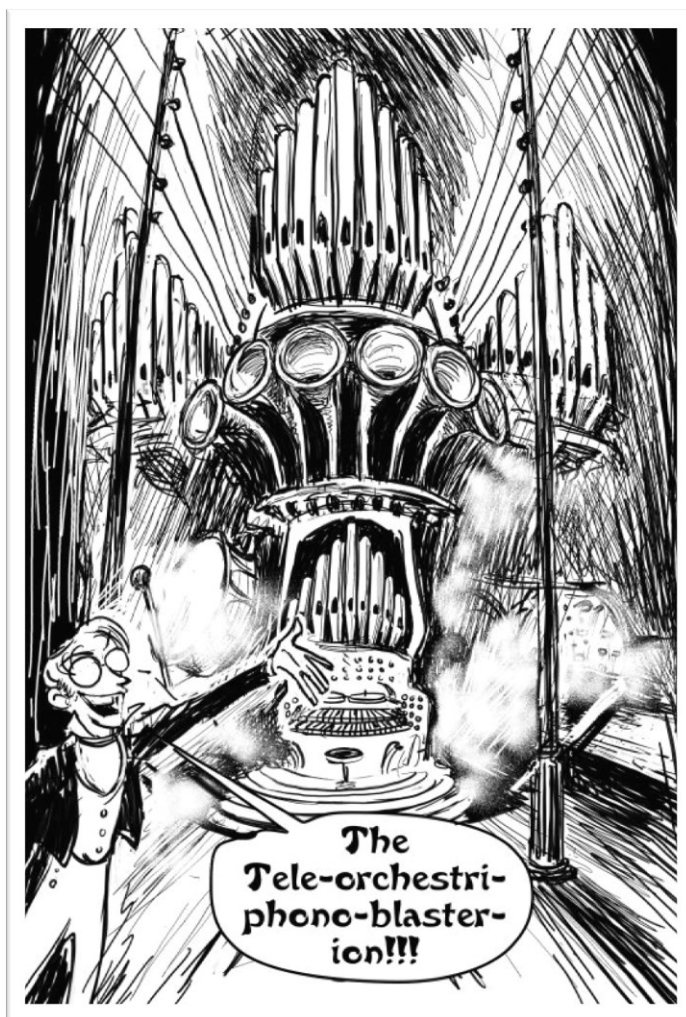
David is simply a font of organ knowledge. David gave some great tips and tricks of organ registration, but it was the mix of registration with organ history that made this presentation so fascinating. David started in the 1500's and then discussed Spanish, Italian, German and French organs all the way through to the modern American organ. For each time and country, he provided organ specifications and discussed the organ, its resources, composers, music and registrations.



He talked in detail about both capabilities and limitations of each of the organs. To drive his points home, he concluded by playing examples of music and representative registrations from each period.

After the program many of the attendees went to Young's Jersey Dairy for dinner and ice cream. Literally the "cherry on top" of a great program!

**Thanks David for all the work preparing for this program!**



## Upcoming Area Events

**Organist Joyce Zigler will be presenting the Ninth Annual Festival of Organ Music** featuring our "mighty Moeller pipe organ" on Friday, November 9 at 7:00 p.m. The many sounds of the pipe organ will mix with voices (both adult and children), handbells and piano to create an evening of music "From Classical to Jazz". This concert is sure to delight all music lovers with its unique variety of music! A lasagna dinner will be served in Fellowship Hall from 5-6:15 p.m. \$12 for adults & \$5 for children. The concert is free and open to the public. For info: 513-422-6365 It is best to reserve dinner tickets ahead of time. The concert takes place at the First Presbyterian Church, 2910 Central Ave., Middletown, OH 45044.

**The Joy of Music Celebration - Sunday, November 11 at 4:00 p.m.:** St. Anthony Church presents The Joy of Music Celebration, a multi-arts presentation of choral music, artwork and poetry, and featuring The St. Cecilia Mass (Messe Solennelle) by Charles Gounod with chamber orchestra, chorus and soloists. The event takes place on Sunday, November 11 at 4:00 p.m. at the church, 830 Bowen Street in Dayton. Free admission. Refreshments served afterwards.

**Choral Vespers – Westminster Presbyterian Church, 125 N. Wilkinson St. downtown Dayton – Sunday, November 18, 4:00 p.m.** The Westminster Choir will perform Mozart's *Coronation Mass* with organ and timpani (KV317), and Six Motets for the Church Year by Mendelssohn, Op. 59. The Westminster Ringers will ring seasonal music. A freewill offering will be received. Childcare is available for infants through age 6. [www.westminsterdayton.org](http://www.westminsterdayton.org) – 937-223-7285

**Concert by the Bach Society of Dayton, Sunday, December 2, 7:30 p.m.** at the Kettering Adventist Church - "Sweet Sounds of the Holidays" – with the Kettering Children's Choir Chorale and the Kettering Advent Ringers. For ticket information phone 937-294-BACH (2224) or visit [bachsocietyofdayton.org](http://bachsocietyofdayton.org)

**Noonday Carol Sing – Friday, December 14, 12:10-12:40 p.m.** – Westminster Presbyterian Church, Dayton – Carol singing by all and choral music by the Xenia High School choir – the Westminster Ringers will perform seasonal music at 12:00 noon. Lunch follows the program.

### **2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays Afternoon Organ Music on the Dayton Art Institute Skinner, 1:00-3:00pm**

The 1929 Skinner organ has been repaired and is ready to go. Matt Dierking is coordinating volunteer organists to play informal programs on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays of each month. These are very informal where museum patrons come in and out and are encouraged to talk to the organists. Matt has been playing regularly. Terry Fryman played in September (right) and Carolyn Rlpp will play November 15<sup>th</sup>. There will be organ programs all four Thursdays in December. If you would like to play, contact Matt Dierking [matt.dierking@agodayton.org](mailto:matt.dierking@agodayton.org) or 937-767-1753.



## Holiday Organ Concert at the Dayton Art Institute

Sunday, December 2, 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

*Featuring Organist Yun Kim & Guest Vocalist Elaina McCormick*

Our own member, Yun Kim, will play the museum's 1929 E. M. Skinner organ featuring a wide variety of holiday favorites including selections from Tchaikovsky's Nutcracker Suite, a carol sing-along and beloved Christmas standards. A dazzling jazz vocalist from Cincinnati, Elaina McCormick, will also be featured in the program. This concert is free to members and is included in the museum suggested admission for non-members. For more information, please visit:

<http://www.daytonartinstitute.org/event/events-activities/musicconcerts/skinner-pipe-organ-performances>

### About the Artists:



Concert organist **Yun Kyong Kim** is widely hailed for her vibrant performances and is passionate about presenting engaging programs of diverse musical styles to her audiences. Concert reviewers have described her performances as “remarkable” (*The American Organist*), “uniquely spectacular” (*Hope College Anchor*), and that she “plays with great sensitivity and great élan” (*The Diapason*). Recent engagements have included solo performances at the Piccolo Spoleto Festival, Washington National Cathedral, historic Skinner organs at Stambaugh Auditorium (Youngstown, OH), Holy Rosary Cathedral (Toledo, OH) and Hope College (Holland, MI), Methuen Memorial Music Hall (Methuen, MA), Ohio University and Miami University

performing arts series, and as a featured recitalist at two National Conventions of the Organ Historical Society and at two Region V Conventions of the American Guild of Organists. Her performances have been broadcast nationally on Pipedreams and Seattle Public Radio’s From the Organ Loft.

After completing undergraduate organ study with Carole Terry at the University of Washington, Yun received both her master’s and doctoral degrees in organ performance with minors in early music and music theory from Indiana University, where her principal teachers were Christopher Young and Elisabeth Wright. She has also studied and performed in North Germany and France, and made her French debut in Paris at Sainte-Clotilde. She is honored to be the 2015 recipient of the Distinguished Alumni Award from the Jacobs School of Music at Indiana University.

Dr. Kim is a prize winner at both regional and national competitions in organ performance sponsored by the American Guild of Organists, and has served as an adjudicator at regional AGO conventions and the Fort Wayne National Organ Competition. She is currently the Competition Coordinator for the Great Lakes AGO Region. She is past Dean of the Dayton (Ohio) Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, has served on the faculty of three Pipe Organ Encounter programs for teens, and has chaired the Dayton Church Music Workshop. She is on the faculty at Sinclair Community College and serves as organist and choirmaster at Christ Episcopal Church in Dayton, Ohio.

Yun’s brand new CD, *Wild Card*, has just been released on the Raven label. Her earlier CD, *Of Another Time*, is also available on the MSR Classics label. Please visit her website at [yunkyongkim.com](http://yunkyongkim.com) for more information.



**Elaina McCormick** holds a Master of Music Education from Bowling Green State University and a Master of Conducting from the American Band College of Sam Houston State University. She also performs with The Queen City Sisters, The Tom Daugherty Orchestra, The Barry Campbell Big Band, and her own jazz combo, Laney and the Tramps. Elaina and her husband Matt comprise the Music Department at Badin High School in Hamilton, OH, where they created The Badin Rocks Ensemble, a 45 piece rock band. Elaina is also an Adjunct Faculty member at Sinclair Community College, and the Director of Sacred Music at Our Lady of Victory Church in Delhi, Ohio. In her spare time, she enjoys home rehab projects and traveling.

## DAYTON AGO PROGRAMS 2019

**NOTE: THIS EVENT HAS CHANGED**

**Sunday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 4:00 P.M.**

### **Organ Celebration**

Oakwood United Methodist Church,  
206 Hadley Ave, Oakwood, OH 45419  
Sunday January 20, 2019, 3 p.m.  
With refreshments following at the church.

AGO members are invited to attend and participate in an informal celebration of OUMC refurbished Estey 11 rank, 2 manual. pipe organ. Anyone that may be interested in playing a piece may contact: Terry Donat, [terrydonat@gmail.com](mailto:terrydonat@gmail.com) or Jennifer Messaros; [jennmessaros@gmail.com](mailto:jennmessaros@gmail.com).

**Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019. 10:00 A.M.**

### **Pedals, Pipes, and Pizza**

Dayton Masonic Center,  
573 W. Riverview Avenue, Dayton, Ohio  
Host: Priscilla Acuff.

**Sunday, February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 4:00 P.M.**

### **Organ Recital: Grant Wareham**

Westminster Presbyterian Church  
125 N Wilkinson St, Dayton, Ohio  
Host: Jerry Taylor, John Neely  
We will gather for dinner at a local restaurant after the program

**Sunday March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019. 3:00 P.M.**

### **Organ Improvisation Workshop**

Location: TBA  
Lead by Dr. Richard Fitzgerald, Organist/Director of Music,  
St Joseph's Cathedral, Columbus OH.  
Host: Terry Donat  
We will gather for dinner at a local restaurant after the program

**Sunday April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019.**

### **Installation of AGO officers & Dayton Organ Academy Student Recital**

Location: TBA  
A Reception will follow the program  
Host: Dr. David Crean

## Need a Sub?

Need a sub? You can find people willing to substitute in the directory, but here are some Chapter Members that are looking for sub work. If you would like your name published on this list, send an Email to Matt Dierking ([matt.dierking@agodayton.org](mailto:matt.dierking@agodayton.org)). Please indicate if you would like your name and contact information listed in the Trumpetings, on the Chapter website or both. Here are some members willing to sub:

**Dr. Sharon H. Vander Gheynst:** [5.holweger@earthlink.net](mailto:5.holweger@earthlink.net), 937-938-7013 (home)

**Noah Carpenter:** [carpenter.160@wright.edu](mailto:carpenter.160@wright.edu) , 330-663-6067 (New Chapter Member)

I have been playing the organ for about 6 years now. I have played weddings and funerals along with Catholic Masses and Vigils along with many other Protestant Worship services in almost every denomination. I am currently a freshman at Wright State University and would love to get more experience around this area! I look forward to meeting many more of you!! A 521718

**Paul Rosenberger** [rosenbpi@mail.uc.edu](mailto:rosenbpi@mail.uc.edu), (937) 207-2846, Springfield, OH

I am a Cincinnati College Conservatory of Music student available to substitute as a church organist or pianist for jobs including worship service, Mass, funerals and weddings. I can sing and cantor solo or with a choir (which I can conduct). While I specialize in Catholic Church services, I can play music for other denominations. I am willing to travel in the greater Cincinnati/Dayton/Springfield area.

## Visit the Dayton AGO Music Library

The Dayton Chapter has a growing music “library” that is currently housed at the Westminster Presbyterian Church. The library is primarily composed of organ literature, but has piano works, choral music and method books as well. The music is arranged by composer for much of the work but also has groups organized by holiday, collections, anthology, wedding music, sheet music and lots of monthly’s like the Organ Portfolio.

The library is open to everyone. Just stop in and peruse the music. Take what you would like to use and leave a donation. We highly encourage teachers (and students) to use the library. There is a lot of the standard literature for study spanning all levels of difficulty.

To access the library, visit Westminster on a weekday. Enter through the Office door on the east side of the church and let the administrator know you would like to go up and review music in the AGO library. It is on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor in room 301.



To Celebrate the Feast Day of Saint Cecilia, the Patron Saint of Musicians,

The Choir of St. Anthony Church Presents

# The Joy of Music Celebration

## A Fine Arts Festival

Choral Music, Artwork and Poetry

With Music by the St. Anthony Choir and the  
Holy Angels and St. Anthony Children's Choirs

Featuring

## The Saint Cecilia Mass

*(Messe Solennelle)*

By Charles Gounod

With Chamber Orchestra and Soloists

Anissia Wallace, Soprano

C. Andrew Blosser, Tenor

William R. Schott, Bass

Sunday, November 11, 2018 – 4:00 p.m.

The festival takes place at

St. Anthony Church, 830 Bowen St., Dayton

You are Invited and Most Welcome to Attend.

Refreshments Served Following the Celebration



# Classified Ads

**FOR SALE:** Matt Hunt and Dick Krewson have an Allen 603 D 2 manual digital organ they would like to sell. They would like \$1500.00 for it. This is a standard church organ model. It has 42 ranks with 2 32's in the pedal. There are 7 speaker cabinets, and it comes with spare circuit boards. This organ was previously at Union United Methodist Church where Matt Hunt was director of music.





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