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Dean's Note By Dr. David Crean

Dear Colleagues,

I hope you've all been enjoying a restful and productive summer. The COVID-19 situation continues to evolve, but I'm pleased to announce the board has elected proceed with in-person events this



year. You'll find the program schedule on the following page. Thanks to subdean Mary Ellen Clinard for her work on putting together a great slate of events! Mask policies, if appropriate, will be publicized closer to each event. Be sure to check out https://daytonago.org/events.php for the most up-to-date information. Speaking of our website, we have a new one, complete with a new web address. More information on that below as well. We also have a new Youtube page, thanks to social media coordinator Danielle Guilbalt. Over the next few weeks, we'll be posting short videos of members demonstrating organs at area churches. There's a lot happening in the chapter, and I'm looking forward to this year immensely.

David Crean, D.M.A.

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If you have an announcement for an upcoming program or event, send it to David Crean at dean@daytonago.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 David 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

2021-2022 Program Year Announced

Mark your calendars! Thanks again to Mary Ellen Clinard for working hard on this year's slate of events.

Carry-In dinner/70th Anniversary of Chapter Celebration

Date: Sunday, September 26, 5PM Location: Christ Church UMC

3440 Shroyer Rd., Kettering, OH, 45429

Host: Danielle Guilbalt

It's a party! Celebrate the 70th Anniversary of the Dayton Chapter of the AGO with a carry-in dinner and a look back at our past and our plans for the future.

Workshop with Dr. Carol Williams: "Adapting Piano Accompaniments to the Organ"

Date: Saturday, October 9, 10 AM Location: Westminster Presbyterian

125 N. Wilkinson St., Dayton, OH, 45402

Host: John Neely

Join this excellent pre-concert workshop with "Dr. Carol" as she addresses the challenges of using piano accompaniments at the organ. Q&A afterwards in this unique opportunity to learn from this charismatic and versatile organist.

Concert With Dr. Carol Williams

Date: Sunday, October 10, 4PM

Location: Westminster Presbyterian

Host: John Neely

New Christmas Organ Music & More

Date: Sunday, November 7, 3PM Location: Fairview United Methodist

828 W. Fairview Ave., Dayton, OH, 45406

Host: Dick Krewson

Everyone likes something new for Christmas! Editor Carson Cooman from Lorenz Publishing has put together some of the most exciting and accessible new music available for the Advent/Christmas/Epiphany Season with our Dayton AGO Chapter in mind. Chapter members will be presenting the music and we hope you will come away with at least one new piece to add to your collection! (Music will not be available to purchase at the event, but can be ordered from your favorite supplier.)

(Programs, cont'd)

Open Repertoire Workshop with David Crean

Date: Sunday, January 23, 2022, 4PM

Location: First Baptist Church

111 W. Monument Ave., Dayton, OH, 45402

Host: David Crean

Do you want some advice or instruction on a new piece of music, but don't have a regular teacher? Want to run through something for a smaller audience and get feedback? This is your chance! Join Dr. David Crean, organ faculty at Wright State and Wittenberg, in an informal studio class environment at First Baptist Church in Downtown Dayton. Participants will get instruction from Dr. Crean and feedback from audience members in an open, judgment-free environment. The event is limited to five participants, who must sign up at daytonago.org by January 16. ALL MEMBERS are invited to be in the audience.

Pedals, Pipes, and Pizza!

Date: Saturday, February 5, 2022 Location: Dayton Masonic Center

525 W. Riverview Ave., Dayton, OH, 45405

Host: Priscilla Acuff

This provides area piano students in grades 1-12 an introduction to the pipe organ with hands-on learning, a tour of the organ chambers, and pizza! They can even take home an organ pipe as a souvenir! Please encourage your teaching friends and your own students to take part in this event.

Cost: \$5 per student.

Adding Components to Existing Organs/Project Planning

Date: Sunday, March 13, 2022, 4PM Location: St. Paul Episcopal Church

33 W. Dixon Ave., Dayton, OH 45419

Host: Alan Kimbrough

Expanding your organ to include digital can be challenging and confusing. The team from Hunt-Krewson Pipe Organ Service along with church leadership from St. Paul's will discuss everything from the technical details to project planning for this recently completed installation.

Organ Academy Recital and Officer Installation

Date: Sunday, May 1, 2022, 4PM

Location: TBA

Host: Rachel Spry Lammi

Help us celebrate our Organ Academy students' accomplishments and recognize the dedication and efforts of instructors. We install Chapter Officers for 2022-2023 after the concert and a reception follows as our end-of-the-year event.

New Chapter Website

Our chapter has a new website! Please update your bookmarks and records to point to https://daytonago.org rather than agodayton.org. New website features include:

- New visual design and layout.
- Online member directory (password protected -- NOT public)
- Dynamically populated substitute list.
- Member pages where you can update your info and set your sub availability.
- Online job postings -- no more pdf files.

IMPORTANT: Over the next few weeks, I'll be sending out member login info. In order to be listed in the public directory, you'll need to log in and set directory visibility to "on."

Westminster Presbyterian Noon Recital Schedule -- Fall

Please support your colleagues and attend the Westminster noon recitals this October! Recitals run from 12:10-12:35, and lunch is available for purchase afterward.

October 7: Danielle GuilbaultOctober 14: Rachel LammiOctober 21: John Sherer

October 28: Terry Donat



Bach Society of Dayton Returns to Live Performance

The Bach Society of Dayton returns to live performance in October. For more information on the upcoming season, and to purchase tickets, please visit https://bachsocietyofdayton.org/season.

Free Pump Organ



The Pump organ, or harmonium, was a popular domestic instrument in the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Composers like Karg-Elert, Franck, and Vierne made substantial contributions to its repertoire. If you'd like to own one, now's your chance! This Yamaha instrument from around 1900 is available for free. Contact Matt Hunt at (937) 305-0360 for more information.