



American Guild of
ORGANISTS
Dayton Chapter

THE TRUMPETINGS



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APRIL CHAPTER EVENT

Organ Crawl

Sunday, April 28 at 2:00 pm

First Stop:

St. Charles Center (Chapel)
2860 US-127, Carthagena, OH 45822
1960's flower-box Holtkamp in a beautiful space
<https://pipeorgandatabase.org/organ/40433>

Second Stop:

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
8533 OH-119, Maria Stein, OH 45860
Modest 2 manual Pilcher/Miller in a grand room
<https://pipeorgandatabase.org/organ/17395>

Third Stop:

St. Augustine Catholic Church
48 N Hanover St, Minster, OH 45865
New III/57 Reynolds
<https://pipeorgandatabase.org/organ/73935>

Final Stop:

DINNER at a local restaurant.

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DEANS NOTE

Mary Ellen Clinard



Some of you may remember the old "Phone Tree" days. For those of you under 35, let me explain. Back before the wonders of the internet and the ease of using email, Facebook, and Instagram to get out immediate information, organizations would create "phone trees" where one person would call a few people on a list and then those people would call the people on THEIR list, and the message could spread reasonably quickly—usually regarding a cancelled meeting, emergency information, or in a church setting, an urgent prayer request.

Well, your Dayton AGO is going a little retro this year to try and connect more effectively with our membership. The Officers and Board Members of the guild each have a small list of people within our group to contact and connect with throughout the year. We want to encourage more participation in our meetings and more personal contact, either through a phone call or email, is the key.

Hopefully over the next few months, we will get to know each other better and will be able to plan events and programs to meet the needs of our membership. I look forward to contacting my list and getting to know you better!

ORGAN CRAWL

(Con't from page 1)

Minster is located about 1 hour from Dayton. If you are interested in **carpooling**, we will meet in the parking lot of Christ Church United Methodist, 3440 Shroyer Rd., Kettering and leave no later than 12:45!

Put it on your calendar NOW!

Thanks to Dayton AGO member **Jared Post** for organizing this exciting event!

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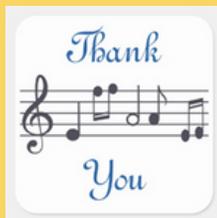
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CHAPTER UPDATES

A big thank you to **Effie Sue Kemerly** for her years of work as the Placement Coordinator for our Chapter. The Placement Coordinator receives any job announcements sent to the Chapter and makes sure that those who are looking for a new job; or a church who is looking for a new organist, can advertise those positions through our website. Effie Sue is stepping down and **Jimmy Leach** is stepping UP to fill that position.

Thanks to both of you for your commitment and dedication to the DAGO!



2023-2024 CHAPTER EVENTS

May 5 - 4:00 pm

Location TBD

Organ Academy/Scholarship Winner Recital
and Installation of Officers

JOB HIGHLIGHT

Part-time Organist/Pianist

Beavercreek United Church of Christ
1960 Dayton-Xenia Rd., Beavercreek

Sunday 10:30am service

Sunday 12:15pm Choir Rehearsals Feb-May & Sept-Dec

Contact Pastor Brian Eastman

937-469-1383, pastorbrian@beaverucc.org

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

Publication occurs the 1st of each month. Information on upcoming concerts, programs, and articles on organ and choral related topics are welcome.

Please send info to temporary editor, Karen Bocko, by the 22nd of the month prior to desired publication.

Please send raw, unformatted text, and jpeg pictures.

JOB OPENINGS

[CLICK here for complete details of current openings on our chapter website.](#)

CONCERTS & EVENTS

Martin Ellis Organ Recital

Thursday, May 16th

7:00 PM

St. Augustine Catholic Church
48 N Hanover Street
Minster, OH

This event is a concert of goodwill and thanks sponsored by Reynolds Associates Pipe Organ featuring renowned organist and composer Martin Ellis. He will showcase the church's newly refurbished and expanded III/57 Reynolds, Associates pipe organ with works from composers Bach, Langlais, Reger, Marianne Kim, Bedard, Brenda Portman, Jaebon Hwang, and his own original scores. It is sure to be an evening of immeasurable joy and jubilation.



June 30 - July 04

- A rich menu of concerts, worship, and workshops.
- 63 workshops covering a wide range of topics.
- Internationally known performers from Canada, France, Korea, and the United States.
- **The St. Cecilia recital performed by a woman for the first time in its history.**
- A masterclass by David Higgs.

Complete details at: www.sfago2024.org

DAI CONCERTS

1st & 3rd Sundays

2:00 pm

April 7 - Matt Dierking

April 21 - Matt Dierking

Want to play a DAI concert?

All Dayton AGO Chapter members are encouraged to take turns presenting these concerts. Contact Matt Dierking if you wish to perform one of these one-hour programs.

Begun in 2010 by Matt Dierking, these concerts serve to generate interest and educate museum patrons on the pipe organ by playing a wide variety of music and showing off the many varied dimensions of the DAI Skinner Organ.

