

# The Monthly Mixture

Newsletter of the Austin Chapter American Guild of Organists **May 2006**

## dean's column

Scott Davis

Our last program in the Austin Chapter AGO 2005–6 season will be a Hymn Festival on 4 June, at 3:45 pm at First United Methodist Church, 1201 Lavaca St. Judith Hancock will present a preservice recital including the Duruflé Veni Creator variations. Gerre Hancock will conduct the FUMC Choir in works by ACAGO members Kathleen Thomerson and Philip Baker as well as Stanford, Archer, and Hovland, and in his inimitable way will lead us in singing hymns celebrating the gift of music. Dr Hancock will improvise the closing work for the service. A reception will follow.

Special attention! The ACAGO Executive Board is making available to ACAGO members, four scholarships to attend the Music for Sacred Occasions Conference, 4–9 June at the University of Texas. These will be available on a first come, first served basis beginning Wednesday, 24 May. Please contact Gerre Hancock at [ghancock@mail.utexas.edu](mailto:ghancock@mail.utexas.edu) or 471 6711 to apply for a scholarship. The conference schedule is online at [www.music.utexas.edu/campsConferences/SacredMusicSchedule\\_06.pdf](http://www.music.utexas.edu/campsConferences/SacredMusicSchedule_06.pdf). Here is an excellent opportunity to study and dialogue with leaders in the field of sacred music: Todd Wilson, Glenn Chandler, Gerre Hancock, John Hoffman, James Morrow, Russell Schulz, and Kathleen Thomerson.

## chapter news

### Treasurer's report

*Austin Chapter AGO Checking Account*

Opening balance 4/13/06	\$2,110.64
Ending balance 5/13/06	2,110.64

*Austin Chapter AGO Money Market Account*

Opening balance 4/13/06	\$3,488.03
Ending balance 5/13/06	3,488.03

*Joy Chandler*

Treasurer

## next chapter event

### Chapter Festival Service

Sunday, June 4

3:45 pm

First Methodist, 1201 Lavaca

## other news

### Music for Sacred Occasions Conference

A week designed for masters and novices alike

June 4–9, 2006

#### Presenters

Todd Wilson

Director of Music & Organist, Church of the Covenant, Cleveland, Ohio  
Chair, Organ Department, Cleveland Institute of Music

Dr B. Glenn Chandler

Director, School of Music, University of Texas at Austin & Florence T. Hall Centennial Chair in Music

Dr Gerre Hancock

Senior lecturer in Sacred Music, University of Texas at Austin

Dr James Morrow

Director of Choral Activities, University of Texas at Austin

Dr Russell Schulz

Professor of Church Music, Episcopal Seminary of the Southwest, Austin

Director of Music, Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd, Austin

Dr John Hoffman

Pastoral Associate for Liturgy & Music, St Austin Roman Catholic Parish, Austin

Kathleen Thomerson

Music Director, Mt Olive Lutheran Church, Austin

#### Registration

Download form from [www.music.utexas.edu/campsConferences/SacredMusicSchedule\\_o6.pdf](http://www.music.utexas.edu/campsConferences/SacredMusicSchedule_o6.pdf)

Late Registration (until May 30) \$420

Walk-up Registration (June 4, 3:00–5:00 pm) \$450

Final banquet \$40

#### Workshops & services

Todd Wilson

concert

playing piano/orchestral reductions on the organ

adding spice to hymn playing

practical service music by American composers

easier anthems by American composers

varied and practical organ repertory for other lands

music for organ & other instruments

Gerre Hancock

Improvisation:

how to enhance worship

how to bring the service alive

how to make the service a musical statement as worship

Jim Morrow

How to Make a Choir Work in a Sacred Music Setting

Russell Schulz

Anglican worship & Evensong

John Hoffman

Roman Catholic worship & Vespers and Vespers service

Kathleen Thomerson

Reformed worship & evening service

### austin chapter executive board

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Gerre Hancock

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Deadline for

submissions to the

*Monthly Mixture* is the

15th of the month.

Send your news to

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[gsaustin.org](mailto:gsaustin.org).

## concert calendar

Concert listings will be limited to events featuring organ or choir or taking place at churches. Each newsletter's listings will cover only the next three months. Contact [emellenbruch@gsaustin.org](mailto:emellenbruch@gsaustin.org) to have a concert listed in the calendar.

### may

- 20 **J. David Hart organ recital & masterclass**  
Concert on the newly installed custom Johannus Monarke electronic organ will include works by Purcell, Bach, Sowerby, Schumann and others. Masterclass, focused on the needs of the church organist, will cover hymn accompaniment, registration, proper pedal technique, etc.

3:30 pm recital  
5:15 masterclass  
St James Episcopal, 156 N Monroe, La Grange  
[www.classical-organs.com](http://www.classical-organs.com) 512 680 4584

**Austin Civic Chorus: Handel's *Samson***

8:00 pm  
Northwest Hills Methodist, 7050 Village Ctr Dr  
[www.chorusaustin.org](http://www.chorusaustin.org) 719 3300

- 21 **Austin Recorder Consort:  
Byrd to Bach & Beyond**  
Music of the Renaissance and Baroque Periods and the 20th century. Guest artists: Kathlene Ritch-Brown, soprano; Elaine Dykstra, harpsichord; James Brown, viola da gamba

2:30 pm \$8/5 suggested donation  
First Presbyterian, 8001 Mesa Dr  
512 832 5600

**J. David Hart organ recital**

Concert on the new Johannus Rembrandt 4900 electronic organ in the newly-renovated sanctuary will include works by Purcell, Bach, Willan, Alain, Reger, Widor and others.

4:00 pm  
Mt Calvary Lutheran, 308 Mount Calvary Dr  
San Antonio  
[www.classical-organs.com](http://www.classical-organs.com) 512 680 4584

- 22 **Chris Oelkers & J. David Hart  
duo organ recital**  
Works by Bach, Vierne, Franck, Soler, and improvisations on the church's 60-rank pipe organ and the Johannus American Classic VII 111-voice digitally sampled organ

7:30 pm  
St Louis Catholic, 7601 Burnet Rd  
[www.classical-organs.com](http://www.classical-organs.com) 512 680 4584

- 30 **Flanders Recorder Quartet:  
Banchetto Musicale**  
featuring selections by Merula, Bach, Schein, and more  
7:30 pm \$15/12  
First English Lutheran, 3001 Whitis Ave at 30th  
for more on the Texas Toot go to [www.toot.org](http://www.toot.org)

### june

- 4 **Haydn: Missa St Johannes de Deo**  
sung as part of a service of Holy Communion  
11:00 am  
First Methodist, Georgetown  
**Haydn: The Creation**  
Chorus Austin & San Gabriel Chorale  
4:00 pm  
Southwestern University Performing Arts Ctr  
for more on the Georgetown Festival go to  
[georgetowntexasymphony.org/festival.html](http://georgetowntexasymphony.org/festival.html)

**Austin Chapter AGO Festival Service**

4:00 pm  
First Methodist, 1201 Lavaca

### july

- 16 **Austin Classical Guitar Society: Elliot Fisk**  
2:00 pm  
Northwest Hills Methodist, 7050 Village Ctr Dr  
Call 300 ACGS for tickets

## positions available

Each request to list a position in the newsletter will result in its being published once. The request must be renewed each month for the listing to continue. Contact Cathy Brigham, Placement Director, at [cathy.brigham@concordia.edu](mailto:cathy.brigham@concordia.edu), to have a position listed.

### **Organist/Staff Musician Triumphant Love Lutheran Church**

10–20-hour position to include playing for at least one-half of Sunday morning and midweek worship services and occasional extra services. Other duties such as working with handbell choirs, instrumental groups, children's choirs, etc, will be assigned according to gifts and experience. 5-manual Baldwin C-500 organ; baby grand piano soon to be purchased.

**contact** Carol Holck  
Director of Worship & Music  
[carol@tllc.org](mailto:carol@tllc.org)  
512 346 5683

### **Organist/Pianist Christ Lutheran Church**

We are currently seeking an organist/pianist for one Sunday morning service per week. The position also includes accompanying the adult choir on Sunday mornings as well as in their rehearsals on Wednesday evenings.

**contact** send resume to  
Christ Lutheran Church  
Attn: Susan Glover  
300 E. Monroe  
Austin TX 78704  
[sglover@eanes.k12.tx.us](mailto:sglover@eanes.k12.tx.us)

### **Interim Minister of Music Gildon Creek 3rd Missionary Baptist, Manor**

**contact** Pastor Clifford Bowser  
512 272 4629 (H)  
512 272 5296 (church)  
512 386 3418 (W)

### **Organist/Pianist Emmaus Catholic Parish, Lakeway**

Emmaus Catholic Parish seeks accomplished organist/pianist for 4 to 6 hours weekly. Knowledge of Catholic liturgy and hymnody is a plus. One Sunday Mass and one rehearsal per week, plus seasonal liturgies at Christmas and Easter and special parish celebrations. Weddings and funerals are contracted on a separate basis. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. Allen Electronic organ, 3 manuals and pedals; Yamaha C-3 piano.

1701 Lohmans Crossing, Lakeway TX 78734  
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- C composition

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