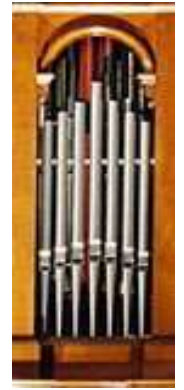




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Upcoming Calendar of Events

Chapter Events

Sunday, April 30, 7 PM. Organ concert by two Juilliard DMA candidates, Raphael Attila Vogl and Theodore Cheng. Reception to follow celebrating 90th anniversary of Nassau Chapter and recognizing the contributions of Mark van Schenk Hof to church and school music on Long Island. Cathedral of the Incarnation, 50 Cathedral Ave, Garden City.

Saturday and Sunday, June 3 & 4. Pennsylvania Youth Chorale. Sat: Open rehearsal 9:30 AM; concert 7:00 PM. Sun: Worship service, 9:00 AM. Trinity Lutheran Church, 40 W. Nicholai St, Hicksville.

Sunday, October 29, 4 PM. Spooky Family Fun Organ Concert, Christ Episcopal Church, 1351 Northern Blvd, Manhasset.

Other Events

Sunday, April 30, 4 PM. A service of Choral Evening honoring the Feast Day of Saint Philip and Saint James (and also the 145th anniversary of the laying of the cornerstone at Christ Church). This joyful service sung by the Christ Church Adult Choir will feature music by Stanford (Mag and Nunc), Balfour Gardiner (Evening Hymn), and organ music by J. S. Bach, and Handel. There is no admission fee, and the service will be no more than an hour long. Christ Church of Oyster Bay, 61 E Main St, Oyster Bay.

Sunday, April 30, 3 PM. Organ Recital by Dr. Carol Weitner, St John's Episcopal Church, 1670 NY-25A, Cold Spring Harbor. See flyer in this newsletter.

Friday, May 12, 5-7 PM. Transforming Pianists Into Effective Organists: A Class for Pianists. A great chance for piano players to learn organ basics so they can substitute for organists at church services! St. Peter's Lutheran Church, 2332 Grand Ave, Baldwin. To register, see the flyer in this newsletter.



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GROW THE GUILD
Invite an organist,
choir director friend to
join the Guild. We'll
be happy to send
them information on
benefits of
membership and
how to join.

Sunday, May 14, 4 PM. Choral Evensong. Service will include Walmisley's *Evening Service in D minor* and Wesley's extended anthem *Ascribe unto the Lord*. Reception to follow. St John's of Lattingtown, 325 Lattingtown Rd, Locust Valley.

Weekend of May 19-21. Felix Hell in Bay Shore
Friday, 7 PM: Masterclass, St. Peter's by the Sea Episcopal Church, 500 S Country Rd, Bay Shore.

Saturday, 3 PM: Free Fun Family Concert, First Congregational Church of Bay Shore, 1860 Union Blvd, Bay Shore.

Sunday, 2 PM. Concert of Masterworks for Organ and Orchestra, St. Peter's by the Sea Episcopal Church. See flyer in this newsletter. Cosponsored by St. Peter's and the Suffolk chapter.

Sunday, June 4, 4 PM. Suffolk Chapter Annual Scholarship Recital Featuring Daniel Ficarri, St. Kilian's Roman Catholic Church, 485 Conklin St, Farmingdale.

Sunday, June 25, 4 PM. Organ Recital by Ruaraidh Sutherland, Organist of St. John's of Lattingtown. Rheinberger, Bach, and transcriptions. Entry is free (\$20 suggested donation) with reception following in the Cloister. St John's of Lattingtown, 325 Lattingtown Rd, Locust Valley.

Upcoming Events – More Details

Chapter Events

Recital by Two Juilliard Students

This event will take place on Sunday, April 30th at the Cathedral of the Incarnation in Garden City beginning at 7 PM. This is the second event that the Nassau board had planned as part of our celebration of our 90th anniversary, but which was postponed due to Covid. The recitalists will be Raphael Attila Vogl, Associate Organist/Choirmaster at the Cathedral of the Incarnation and Theodore Cheng. Both of the recitalists are DMA candidates at the Juilliard School, so the recital is sure to be of the highest quality!

Mr. Vogl will play Brandenburg Concerto No. 4 in G Major, BWV 1049 by J. S. Bach, (Allegro, Andante and Presto), Scherzo in d Minor, op. 65 by Max Reger and Danse Macabre by Camille Saint-Saens. Mr. Cheng will play Prelude on Bryn Calafaria by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 6 Studies in Canonic Form for Pedal Piano, op. 56, no. 3-6 by Robert Schumann and Choral Fantasy "Wie schön leucht' uns der Morgenstern" op. 40 no. 1 by Max Reger.

A reception will follow. The suggested donation is \$20 for general admission and \$10 for AGO members.

Pennsylvania Youth Chorale

Once again, this talented group will return to Trinity Lutheran Church in Hicksville over the weekend of June 3 and 4. An open rehearsal will take place at 9:30 AM on Saturday, June 3rd. A concert will begin at 7:00 PM Saturday evening. The group will also participate in the 9:00 AM service on Sunday morning, June 4th.

Regional Convention in Westchester

The opening recital on July 3 will be played by Peter Richard Conte at the Reformed Church of Bronxville. The opening worship service on July 3 will feature Westchester County's acclaimed New Choral Society under the baton of founder John T. King, organists Dina Foster-Osbourne and Janet Yieh, and the world premiere of *Come, Thou Holy Spirit, Come* by Daniel Ficarri.

A trip to the Hudson Valley isn't complete without a visit to West Point, where Organist/Choirmaster Craig Williams will share a recital on the legendary Cadet Chapel organ. Jennifer Pascual and Renée Anne Louprette will play historic organs.

The July 4 worship service will be led by organists Terence J. Flanagan and David Hurd, featuring Dr. Hurd's music. Solo artists Amanda Mole, Caroline Robinson, Anne Laver, and Janet Yieh will present programs.

Nathan Avakian will offer a theatre organ program on the New York Theatre Organ Society Allen Touring Organ.

The acclaimed New York City 47-piece Modus Operandi Orchestra under the baton of founder Justin Bischof and organ soloist David Enlow will perform for the July 6 Closing Gala Concert.

The area offers a variety of restaurants within walking distance of the hotel. Registrants should have their government-issued identification (drivers license, passport, etc.) ready when registering to be pre-cleared for admission to West Point. For more information, please visit www.westchester2023.org.

Chapter Website

Don't forget about our website, www.nassauago.org. In between editions of the Pipeline, you can check out the calendar of events posted there. This is especially useful since your editor occasionally forgets to include events in the Pipeline!

ORGAN RECITAL

Join us in celebration of AGO Nassau's 90th Anniversary
(postponed from the 2020 season)

In Honor of Mark Van Schenkhof's many years as a Church Musician, Public School Educator, and Loyal Member of the Nassau Chapter.

SUNDAY, APRIL 30TH

at 7:00 pm

Cathedral of the Incarnation
50 Cathedral Ave.
Garden City, NY

Tickets \$20
AGO Members \$10
Students 13 and under: Free

Reception to follow



Raphael Attila Vogl



Theodore Cheng



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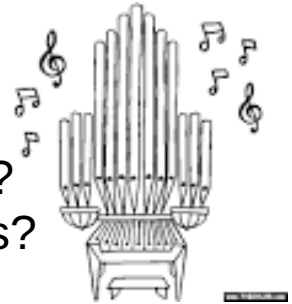
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Transforming Pianists to Effective Organists
What are the secrets to subbing?



Have you ever said to yourself:
What is Great, Swell, Choir?
Where are they?
Am I playing too loud or too soft?
How the heck do I play the pedals?



Then consider attending “Intro to Organ”
Led by Joe Martin

A CLASS FOR PIANISTS

AT

St. Peter’s Lutheran Church
2332 Grand Avenue
Baldwin, New York 11510

Friday

May 12 from 5-7 pm

RSVP by May 1st

\$20 at the door

\$15 Early bird discount – Pay here: [Intro to Organ Class for Pianists](#)

Questions? Please email Joseph Martin <josephmartin1945@gmail.com>

CONCERTS by the POND

2022-2023

Dr. Carol Weitner
Organist



In a program of well known music not originally written for the organ, including arrangements and transcriptions of works by Bach (Vivaldi), Gershwin, Grieg, Rachmaninov, Saint-Saëns and others.

3pm, Sunday, April 30, 2023

Enjoy this program inside the historic St. John's Church, located behind the Fish Hatchery at 1670 Route 25A in Cold Spring Harbor.

TICKETS: Pay as you can, Suggested \$20 adults;
students and children free

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 516.692.6368 x14
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Events with Felix Hell

Friday, May 19th - Sunday, May 21st

SAGO will be co-sponsoring the events from May 19th-21st. The series will consist of:

- Masterclass on **Friday, May 19th, 7PM @ St. Peter's in Bay Shore**
- Family Concert on **Saturday, May 20th, 3PM @ the First Congregational Church of Bay Shore**
- Concert of masterworks for organ and orchestra on **Sunday, May 21st, 2PM @ St. Peter's in Bay Shore**

Coming in May!

Island Symphony Orchestra and St. Peter's By-the-Sea Presents:
**Internationally Acclaimed Organist
Felix Hell**

Free Fun Family Concert
Children of all ages welcome!
Saturday, May 20, 2023 / 3:00pm
First Congregational Church of Bay Shore

**Masterworks for
Organ and Orchestra**
Sunday, May 21, 2023 / 2:00pm
St. Peter's By-the-Sea Episcopal Church