**FEBRUARY PROGRAM**

**Date:** Monday, February 17, 2003  
**Presenter:** Dr. Kathy Bowers, Webster University  
**Program:** Choral Repertoire For Liturgical Use From  
Early American Sources and Oratorios  
**Where:** St. Anselm Parish Center (on the Priory School Campus)  
**Time:** 6:30 p.m. Dinner  
7:30 p.m. Program  
**Cost:** $7.50  
**Host:** Jeff Bush  
**Reservations:** Kathleen Bolduan, 314/935-5517  
kbolduan@artsci.wustl.edu

During this session, we will take a trip through the church year. For each liturgical season, two works will be approached, one each from the European choral and American shaped-note traditions. Come prepared to sing through some wonderful anthems by William Billings, Daniel Read, Martin How, John Bull, Michael Haydn, Palestrina, and other composers, and to focus on choral techniques designed to bring out unique aspects in each work.

Anthem’s selected will range both in difficulty and stylistic era. New repertoire ideas and something for everyone is the goal!

Kathryn Smith Bowers is a professor of music at Webster University, where she directs the choral activities, music education, and church music programs. She has conducted choirs and orchestras in Indianapolis, St. Louis, Washington DC, and Varna, Bulgaria, and presented papers on a variety of historical and contemporary topics in Finland, Canada, England, New Zealand, South Africa, Hungary, and the US. In her spare time, she transcribes, edits, and composes choral music. Her doctorate in choral music was earned at the University of Illinois-Urbana with a thesis on early 17th-century English verse anthems for voices and viols. Other music degrees were completed at the University of Oregon and Northwestern University. Bowers was named 2002 Choral Director of the Year by the St. Louis chapter of the AGO.

In case of inclement weather, please check your email or call 314-533-7662 for cancellation information.

Directions to St. Anselm Parish Center:  
Highway 40 to Mason Rd. North on Mason to St. Anselm sign. Continue past the Church and the circular drive of the Priory school. The parish center is the next building.
2002-2003 AGO PROGRAMS
Committee: Marcos Krieger (Chair), Cathy Bolduan, Pat Partridge, Barbara Raedeke, John Romeri

Monday, March 24, 2003
Christianity and the Arts: New Directions for the Church in the 21st Century—an exploration of the field of Christianity and the Arts and its potential significance for the contemporary church.
Dr. Michael Bauer, University of Kansas, presenter
6:30 p.m. Dinner
7:30 p.m. Program
First Congregational Church of Webster Groves
10 West Lockwood, Webster Groves
Host: Dr. Ray Landis

Friday, April 3, 2003, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.
Choral Repertoire and Techniques
Malcom Archer, Presenter
6:30 p.m. Dinner
8:00 p.m. Concert by Wells Cathedral Choir
Malcom Archer, Conductor
Cathedral Basilica of Saint Louis
For tickets to the concert: 314/533-7662

Monday, May 12, 2003, 6:30 p.m.
Final Banquet and Awards Ceremony
Christ Church Cathedral
Host: Pat Partridge
Speaker: Lynn Rubright (Story teller/teacher at Webster University)

MEMBER UPDATE
We have one new member to welcome this month. Lauren Weber joins as a student member.

I have done a comparison of the St. Louis Directories from last year and this year. Since last year we have lost 22 members through death, relocation, etc. But we have added 25 new members, so we are plus three at this point.

Please note that if anyone wants to join the Guild at this time, the dues are half the usual amount. Encourage your friends and colleagues who may be interested in the Guild to take advantage of this opportunity to join.

—Cathy Bolduan

CORRECTION
The correct phone number for Armen Bogosian is 314/776-3479.
A tonal and mechanical renovation with additions:
Five manuals, 192 ranks, installation in 2003 for
First Baptist Church
Jackson, Mississippi

Recently completed: William Jewell College, Liberty, Missouri (III/55 new)
Episcopal Church of the Holy Family, Jasper, Georgia (II/12 rebuild & relocation)
Future installations: Faith Lutheran Church, Kirksville, Missouri (II/11 rebuild)
Kirkwood Baptist Church, Kirkwood, Missouri (III/43 new)
Glendale Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, Missouri (II/6 new)

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William Hamner comes to Highland, Illinois from Akron, Ohio where he served as Associate Organist and Master of Choristers at St. Paul’s Episcopal Church. Dr. Hamner also served as Organist and Choirmaster at the All Saints’ Chapel at the University of the South in Sewanee, Tennessee, and at Calvary Church in Cleveland, Ohio.

Dr. Hamner has held several collegiate teaching positions. He was assistant professor of music at The University of the South and an instructor at Case-Western Reserve University. He also has lectured in the Humanities program at the University of Akron.

Prior to his appointment at Wicks, Dr. Hamner studied as an apprentice in organ building, installation and tonal finishing with the J&G Lester Organ Company of Akron, Ohio and the Robert G. Caprara Organ Company of Memphis, Tennessee.

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8. Authors and Composers (Creators of Sacred Music) ______________________________________
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9. Avis Blewett Award (Not necessarily given each year!) ______________________________________
   WHY _____________________________________________________________

Deadline: March 1, 2003, send to Dr. John A. Romeri, Basilica of Saint Louis, 4431 Lindell Blvd., 63108
AGO Member ____________________________________________
JOB OPENINGS

Music Director
St. Luke’s United Methodist Church, 2761 Telegraph Rd, 63125. Director of chancel and bell choirs. Sunday services are at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. Chancel choir and bell rehearsals are Tuesday at 6:30 and 8:00 p.m. Resumes may be submitted by mail, fax 314/892-6077 or email stlukesumc1941@hotmail.com.

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Assistant Organist
Historic Trinity Lutheran Church (Soulard). Part-time position needed for a growing congregation and music program. Duties include playing organ for the 8:45 a.m. Sunday services with possible 5:00 p.m. Saturday service combination. Flexible combination of duties can be arranged. Salary negotiable. Contact music director, Wes Kassulke, for details at 314/772-5532 or at wkassulke@aol.com.

Organist
St. Clement of Rome Catholic Church (Des Peres). Part-time organist/pianist to accompanying the choir for Monday evening rehearsals and 11:00 a.m Sunday morning liturgy. Excellent choir also performs at least one concert per year. Extra weekend services negotiable. Job can be divided if necessary. Salary commensurate with experience. For more information contact David Kowalczyk, Director of Music at 314/965-7205 ext. 247 or email dkowalczyk@stjosephacad.com

Other Catholic Positions
For more information on the following positions, call the Archdiocesan Office of Music Ministry, 314/533-7662.

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St. James the Greater-St. Louis (Dogtown)
Contact Fr. Johnson 314/645-0167
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St. Catherine of Laboure
Contact Fr. Cormack 314/843-3245
Organist - 5 p.m. Saturdays
Immaculate Conception, Arnold
Contact Shiela White 636/296-5289

Full-time Music Director, Organist
St. Peters, St. Charles
Contact Fr. Ghio 636/946-6641

Organist
St. Barnabas the Apostle, O’Fallon
Contact Fr. Hogan 636/240-4556

Part-time Director of Music
St. Paul, Highland, IL
Contact Jean Korte 618/654-2339

Full-time Music Director
Our Lady, Queen of Peace-IL
Contact Fr. Kevin Sullivan 618/377-6519

Part-time Director of Music, Liturgist
Our Lady of Loreto-Spanish Lake
Contact Patti or Susann 314/741-7700

Part-time Director of Music, Liturgist
Holy Trinity-St. Louis
Contact Fr. Richard Creason 314/241-9165

Director of Music
Sts. Peter and Paul-Waterloo, IL
Contact Doug Boyer 618/274-0755 ext. 218
CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, February 7, 2003 at 7:30 p.m.
Arianna String Quartet
St. Norbert Catholic Church
Call 831-3874 for more information.

Sunday, February 9, 2003 at 3:00 p.m.
St. Louis Brass Band,
Dr. Keith Wilkinson, Music Director
St. Paul United Church of Christ – Belleville, Illinois

Sunday, February 9, 2003 at 4:00 p.m.
Dello Thedford and the Gospel Symphonic Choir
First Congregational Church of Webster Groves
Call 314/962-0475 for more information.

Sunday, February 16, 2003 at 3:00 p.m.
St. Louis Chamber Chorus
Venice/La Serenissima,
Philip Barnes, Music Director
Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis
Tickets available through Metrotix (636/458-4343)

Friday, February 21, 2003 at 8:00 p.m.
St. Louis Cathedral Concerts
Chanticleer 25th Anniversary Concert Tour
Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis
Call 314/533-7662 for more information.

Sunday, February 23, 2003 at 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Music Makers Choir: "A Technicolor Promise" Musical
Manchester United Methodist Church
Call 636/394-7506 for information.

Tuesday, February 25, 2003 at 7:30 p.m.
Organ Recital – James O’Donnell (Westminster Abbey)
St. Peter’s Church, Ladue

Sunday, March 2, 2003 at 2:30 p.m.
Masterworks Chorale – Rejoice in the Lamb
Our Lady of the Snows Shrine, Belleville, IL

Sunday, March 2, 2003 at 7:00 p.m.
MUMC Chancel Choir – “A Festival of Hymns”
Manchester United Methodist Church
Call 636/394-7506 for information.

Sunday, March 8, 2003 at 5:00 p.m.
Choral Concert – St. Peter’s Choir with
Chamber Orchestra
Crucifixus pro nobis – Kenneth Leighton,
Requiem – Maurice Durufle

Sunday, March 9, 2003 at 3:00 p.m.
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