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#### CHRISTINA BAUSMAN PRESENTS A RECITAL

First Lutheran Church, Fargo, ND Saturday March 7, 1998 at 7:00 p.m. Free Admission

> Passacaglia in d minor Dietrich Buxtehude

Bergamasca Giralamo Frescobaldi

Schmuecke dich, o liebe Seele J.S. Bach

Schmuecke dich, o liebe Seele Johannes Brahms

Prelude and Fugue in G Major J.S. Bach

Intermission

Toccata and Fugue in d minor J.S. Bach

Andante Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Hamburger Totentanz Guy Bovet

### UPCOMING CHAPTER EVENTS

March:

7 - Christina Bausman will present a recital at First Lutheran Church in Fargo at 7:00 p.m.

May:

17 - TBA

#### Notice:

There will be a important board meeting on March 7, 1998 at 6:00 p.m. at First Lutheran Church in Fargo. It will be in the Mary-Martha Room prior to the organ recital in the sanctuary.



Please send all PIPELINE news to: Michael Olson Jon Mattheis First Lutheran Church OR Peace Lutheran Church 619 Broadway 1011 12th Ave N Fargo ND 58102 Fargo ND 58102 e-mail- Jematthe@Gloria.cord.edu

ORGAN FESTIVAL HELD IN KANSAS CITY

Michael Olson attended an Organ Festival in Kansas City and Independence, Missouri the weekend of February 20-22. Three fantastic organ recitals, all of which were free of charge, were presented by John Ditto, John Obetz, and Martin Haselboeck. On Saturday morning of that weekend, Martin Haselboeck presented a slide show and lecture on the organs of Johann Sebastian Bach. Five students at the University of Missouri-Kansas City, including a former Red River Valley Chapter member, Barry Wenger, performed selections of J.S. Bach for Martin Haselboeck in a masterclass.

By the time the weekend was completed, Michael felt as if he had attended a regional organ convention! All in all, it was a delightful weekend. Besides former RRV chapter member Barry Wenger, former RRV chapter member Mike Garrison (who now lives near Chattanooga, TN) was present.

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# Announcements

NEEDED: a new membership data base person! Carolyn Hensrud will be happy to train a new person to take over the mailing list duties of our chapter. Computer required! Currently using My Mail Manager, with Windows 95. Call 280-2189.

**DEADLINE:** The deadline for the April PIPELINE is Friday, April 3, 1998. We welcome information about ALL area musical events! Let us know!!

**PIANIST/ORGANIST:** St. William's Catholic Church in Argusville, ND, is looking for someone to play for their service. One service at 9:30 a.m. with a choir rehearsal one hour beforehand. Salary would be \$30 a service. For more information call Cheryl Schmidt at work at 232-1603 x 64165.

CHOIR ACCOMPANIST: Faith United Methodist Church in Fargo, ND, is seeking a full time accompanist from 1st Wednesday after Labor Day to last Sunday before Memorial Day. Available immediately. Rehearsals on Wednesday nights and Sunday mornings with one service at 10:30 a.m. on Sundays. For more information, please call Kathy Frost at 236-6990 (evenings).

Director of Music Ministries: Trinity Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, Wisconsin, is seeking candidates for a new half-time Director of Music Ministries. The position will include choir directing and coordination of music ministries as well as organ leadership at the two Sunday worship services and other special services. Applicants should have a Bachelor's degree in Music, with an emphasis in organ and conducting or a demonstrated experience in both. Salary and benefit package is negotiable. A complete position description is available. Please submit resume and cover letter to :DMM Search, Trinity Lutheran Church, 1314 E. Lexington Blvd., Eau Claire, WI 54701 by March 15. Fax 715-832-6700. www. trinity-ec.org jim@trinity-ec.org

### **Denver 1998**

Make sure you read about the 1998 National Convention in Denver in the February issue of *The American Organist*. Costs, phone numbers, artists, organs, venues, dates, classes are all listed for us on pages 45-61 - everything you need to know about registering. If you have never attended a convention, this is the time. With our own convention 2001 in the planning, you need to get in the know. For those who have attended conventions, from now on details of these activities will take on new meaning for us as we look to host our colleagues in our own community in three years.

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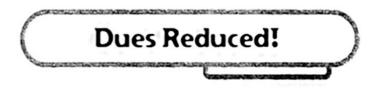
Christina Bausman will appear in concert as a guest of the Red River Valley Chapter March 7 at 7:00 p.m. at First Lutheran Church, Fargo. She is the winner of the Region VI Young Artists competition held in conjunction with the Regional convention last June in Appleton, Wisconsin. The final round of competition took place on June 21 and she performed for the convention attendees on June 23. Miss Bausman is currently a sophomore pursuing the BM degree in organ performance at the University of Northern Iowa, where she studies with Dr. Marilou Kratzenstein. During the 1996-97 academic year, she participated in the National Student Exchange Program studying organ with Dr. Jesse Eschbach at the University of North Texas. An Iowa native, Christina serves as organist at the Wellsberg Reformed church.

### **Student Recitals**

There will be many upcoming student organ recitals at Trinity Lutheran Church in Moorhead. The first one will be on Sunday, March 22, at 3:00 p.m. by Jon Mattheis. Tentatively a multi student recital is scheduled for Monday, March 23, at 7:00 p.m. On Sunday, March 29, at 4:30 p.m. Ben Jeitz will present a recital. The final organ recital will be held on Sunday, April 19, at 6:00 p.m. by Daniel Aune. Please come and support the young members of our chapter.

## WORKSHOPS

Concordia College is sponsoring many workshops and camps this summer. The adult organ institute will be held this year in Moorhead on June 2-3. The young organist week will be held June 7-11. The summer institute for high school pianists will be held on June 21-27. Contact Concordia College for more information regarding these events.



Here's your chance to join AGO at a reduced rate—you don't want to miss out on Denver in June OR being a part of the planning of Convention 2001—so NEW MEMBERS, please consider joining us during February or March at a 25% discount!

Regular Voting Member	\$51.00
Student Member	\$18.00
Chapter Subscribing Memb	er \$7.25

Call Jay Hershberger at 218-233-0297 for details.

## John Ylvisaker

Workshop Saturday, April 18, 1998 10:00a.m.-12:15p.m. and 1:00-3:30p.m. First Lutheran Church Celebration Hall

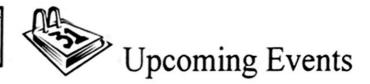
\$5 students \$10 early bird registration (before April 8th) \$15 at the door Lunch included

Contact First Lutheran Church to register. 701-235-7389

There will be a hymn jam in the sanctuary at 7:00 p.m. that evening. On Sunday morning, April 19, John will lead the 9:30 celebration worship service.

### **Pipedreams**

- March 8 The I's Have It...In Iowa and Indiana, we explore notable installations of imaginatively conceived organs by American builders Lynn Dobson and Daniel Jaeckel.
- March 15 Cherchez les Femmes...and find them here, some women of exceptional musicianship who lead us through a treasury of organ repertoire.
- March 22 Bach's Other Little Organ Book... Mostly smaller chorale settings from the landmark volume, Clavieruebung III.
- March 29 At the Opera...and why shouldn't the King of Instruments play a special role in our enjoyment of music from the lyric stage?
- April 5 Getting a Little Hungary?...A sampler of unusual repertoire from one of eastern Europe's major musical centers.



- ⇒ Every Wednesday: Michael Olson and other organists will present weekly recitals starting at 12:45 p.m. at First Lutheran Church in Fargo. If you wish to participate, please contact Michael at 293-0284.
- ⇒ March 22 Jon Mattheis organ recital at Trinity Lutheran Church in Moorhead at 3:00 p.m.
- ⇒ March 23 Tentatively scheduled multi student organ recital at Trinity Lutheran Church at 7:00 p.m.
- ⇒ March 29 Ben Jeitz organ recital at Trinity Lutheran Church in Moorhead at 4:30 p.m.
- ⇒ April 8&10 First Lutheran Church in Fargo will present "The Seven Last Words of Christ" by Dubois at 7:15 p.m. each evening.
- ⇒ April 18&19 John Ylvisaker will be in residency at First Lutheran Church.
- ⇒ April 19 Daniel Aune organ recital at Trinity Lutheran Church at 6:00 p.m.
- ⇒ May 26-27 Concordia College adult organ institute in Redwood Falls, Minn.
- ⇒ June 2-3 Concordia College adult organ institute in Moorhead, Minn.
- ⇒ June 7-11 Concordia College young organist week.
- ⇒ June 21-27 Concordia College summer institute for high school pianists.

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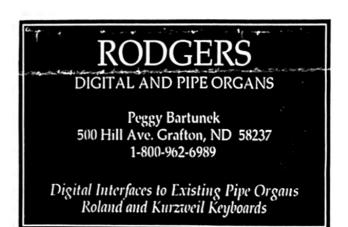


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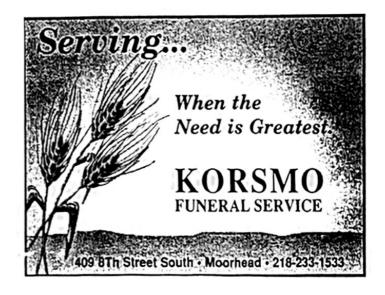


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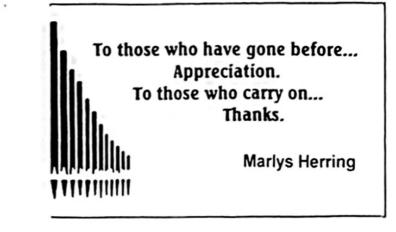
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