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MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR



JOIN US FOR THE EPIPHANY DINNER-FEST, SUNDAY,
JANUARY 10, AT 4:45 P.M. AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH, 111 NORTH 7TH STREET, FARGO

At that time, Judy Sanders and Michael Olson will perform on the
Mighty Moller in the Sanctuary.

FOLLOWED BY
DINNER AT 5 P.M. IN THE BOARD ROOM
HIGHLIGHTED BY THE MOORHEAD HIGH SCHOOL CAROLERS
PERFORMING AT 6 P.M.

Cookies and Punch to follow in the Jenny Roberts Room around the crackling fireplace

♪ Please follow the alphabet divisions listed below for your dinner contribution. We would
♪ also appreciate 1 dozen Christmas cookies for the post-Carolers' reception. ♪

♪ A-H Hotdish ♪
♪ I-P Salad ♪
♪ Q-Z Dessert ♪

♪ You will be called to confirm your presence. Bring yourself, your spouse or guest! ♪

Joan Bystol, Carolyn Hensrud and Rod Rothlisberger, Co-chairs



Notes from the Dean.....

"The happy Christmas comes once more, The Heavenly Guest is at the door." I think the words from this wonderful Grundvig hymn are an appropriate greeting to my fellow church musicians. Once again it is our joyful and awesome privilege to "keep Christmas" in all who hear our musical offerings. What fun it is to sing and play Christmas music! Aren't we fortunate to have this opportunity - awesome though it be? The great songs of our faith are ours to enjoy and share. Again, from Grundvig - "O join with me, in gladness sing, To keep our Christmas with our King, Until our song from loving souls, Like rushing, mighty water rolls."

Have a Blessed Christmas and plan to attend the New Year potluck party on January 10 at 4:45 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, Fargo.Margery Possehl, Dean

NOTICE...February 18, 1993, Paul Westermeyer...Concordia College Centrum, 4:30 p.m. Seminar. Sponsored in cooperation with F-M Communiversity and CHARIS.

"Members of One Body Planning for Worship"

This ecumenical seminar will offer a perspective on the roles of clergy, musicians, and people in the planning for worship. Westermeyer will discuss who is responsible for good communication between worship planners: discussing texts, themes, and hymns; long range plans for special services; and choosing alternative liturgies and hymns. Liturgies, hymns, planning, interaction, cooperation, and communication will be addressed.

**Pipedreams KCCM 91.1 FM January 1993
Sundays, 9:30 p.m. with Michael Barone.....**

1/10/93 *Going on Record...a New Year's survey of some recent organ music compact discs, with comments from program host Michael Barone.*

1/17/93 *The Princeton University Chapel Reborn...performances by Thomas Trotter, Charles Krigbaum and Thomas Murray from rededicatory recitals celebrating the Chapel's recent acoustical improvements and the Mander rebuild of the star-crossed Skinner organ.*

1/24/93 *The Organ at Oberlin...conservatory faculty and student soloists demonstrate instruments by Flentrop, Brombaugh, Aeolian-Skinner and Holtkamp at one of America's finest undergraduate music schools.*

1/31/93 *A Liszt List...some pathbreaking and exploratory organ works by Franz Liszt, the 19th-century's quintessential Romantic virtuoso-composer.*



Pastor, professor of church music, author, musician, Westermeyer has a lifelong interest in the relationship of theology, music, and liturgy. He will address the roles, perspectives and practical implications for clergy, musician and people planning and worshipping together.



Due to time constraints and a dearth of news from our members, this letter is short. The minutes of the November chapter meeting and board meeting will be in the next newsletter. May your holidays be blessed and may you have news for the next letter!

The editor.....

Contributions are encouraged in writing. Send to Mary Tangen, 1423 22nd Ave S, Moorhead MN 56560

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