



March 2008

From the Dean

By Shirley Norby

There will be no Chapter meeting in March because of all the Lenten, Holy Week and Easter services that need our attention. I hope that those of you who are not directly involved in them can take advantage of attending some of these services.

Our Scholarship Benefit Member's Recital at Christ Church Episcopal on Feb. 10th was a great success. The audience was made up of mostly AGO members and their families who contributed so generously to the freewill offering. A fantastic amount of money was raised for the Scholarship Fund: \$323.00. I would like to thank all of you who performed so well that day. The complete program appears elsewhere in *Fanfares*. A special thank you also, to those who brought food for the reception; or helped set up, to Walter Helfrecht who did the program layout for us so it was camera-ready to copy, to Marilyn Brace and Christ Church Episcopal in Middletown for hosting the event and to all of you who helped me that day when I was ill. As some of you know there was a little drama behind the scenes as I had trouble breathing after walking only a few steps. I had been to the doctor that Friday and he couldn't find anything wrong after

Upcoming Events

SUNDAY, MAR. 9, 2008

MESSIAH

7:00 P.M.

First Presbyterian Church (Tower Hill)

Red Bank, N.J.

Handel's Messiah, Parts II and III
Oratorio Choir and Chamber Orchestra

Charles Harris, Conductor

JUNE 15 – 20, 2008

PIPE ORGAN ENCOUNTER

For Adults

Duquesne University,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Email or call Shirley for a brochure.

JULY 2008 – JUNE 2009

YEAR OF THE ORGAN

Special celebrations planned for Oct. 19, 2008.

Churches and AGO Chapters are encouraged to present concerts and other events that day.

Note: If you have any events to publicize in *Fanfares* please contact Shirley by the 25th of the preceding month.

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Positions Available

INCARNATION CHURCH

1545 Pennington Road (Rt. 31)
Ewing, NJ
Part-time Position Available
Organist or Organist/Choir Director
Two masses per weekend
Sat. 5:30 PM and Sunday 11:00 AM
Cantor, adult choir or children's choir
Allen Electronic Organ
potential for electric piano or keyboard
Duties and salary are negotiable
Please send resume or contact
Nancy Paolini
Music Director
609-682-3198
npaolini@comcast.net
The position is available immediately. Closing
date is February 15, 2007
(Posted 2/2008)

WEST GROVE METHODIST

Neptune, NJ
Organist
One Sunday morning service
Available May 2008
Salary negotiable
Contact Sue Mowezan
732-988-0459 or
Pastor Aimey
732-774-6748
(Posted 2/2008)

ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL

Keansburg, NJ
Organist
Opportunity for a young musician.
A pianist or student organist would be acceptable.

doing some tests. I could manage on Sunday when sitting or standing but by Monday I was worse and had to be admitted to the emergency room with a very low hemoglobin count. After three transfusions and four days in the hospital I was released from my health prison and am feeling much better. I still have to have more tests to find the source of the blood loss, but I can do that as an outpatient. Thanks to all of you who have sent emails of concern, cards, prayers, and made phone calls. As Dave Timidaiski said, I should sign this article "Dean Pin Cushion" from all the needles.

Our Chapter is in the process of having its own website thanks to member Ned Perwo. The address is www.monmouthago.org. The page is there but so far we haven't had time to do any posting. Hopefully, that will change in March.

Have a blessed and Happy Easter.

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Piano

Kawai grand piano built in the
1960's Good condition
Available as a donation to a
church. Moving costs not
included.
Call Diane Dollak for details.
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They give a stipend (\$25) and unlimited practice time on the organ. Call Alice Downs
732-787-1075.
(Posted 2/2008)

ST. LUKE'S U. METHODIST

Long Branch, N.J.
Organist and Adult Choir Director
One eve choir rehearsal and one Sunday service.
Pipe Organ
Immediate opening, salary negotiable.
Contact Pastor Sunny Shin at 732-222-1341 or John Cahli at 732-229-1589.
(Posted 11/2007)

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2008 – 2009 Nominations

By Shirley Norby

Please look for these in the April *Fanfares*.

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Member Recital

Sunday, February 10, 2008 - 3:00 PM
Christ Episcopal Church, Middletown

David Citron

Toccat, Adagio and Fugue by J.S. Bach

Steven Russell, baritone, Charles Harris, organ

Benedictus and Agnus Dei from *Messe cum júbilo* by Maurice Duruflé

John A. Stokes

Psalms of Joy by George K. Jackson

Mystical Variations on the Hymntune “Hereford” by John Stokes

Mimi Mansky

Flight of the Celestial Spirit by Mimi Mansky

George D. Harrington

Variations on the Hymn “It is Well with my Soul” by George Harrington

Marilyn Brace

Meditation on “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross” arr. By Joyce Jones

Offertoire for Easter by François Dandrieu

Glenn May and Shirley Norby, pianists

Sonata, Op. 6 for Piano Four Hands by Beethoven

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Recital participants David Citron, Shirley Norby, Charles Harris, Marilyn Brace, Mimi Mansky, John Stokes, Steven Russell, Glenn May and George Harrington