

DEAN'S CIPHERS

April 17, 2017

UPCOMING EVENT REMINDERS:

- ORGAN RECITAL: FRIDAY, APRIL 21. Organist Katelyn Emerson, AGO National Young Artists' Competition winner. St. Cecilia Cathedral at 7:30 p.m. Free of charge.
- THE ORGAN IN JEWISH REFORMED WORSHIP: MONDAY, APRIL 24. Presenter, Cantor Wendy Shermet, Temple Israel. 13111 Sterling Ridge Drive, Omaha. 6:30 p.m.
- ORGAN RECITAL: TUESDAY, APRIL 25. Organist Vincent Dubois, Titular Organist, Notre Dame of Paris. Rededication of Dowd Memorial Chapel Organ, Boys Town. 7:00 p.m. Open to public, free of charge. NOTE: Vincent Dubois will present a short presentation on organ improvisation at Dowd Memorial Chapel following the AGO program at Temple Israel. Free of charge.

ALERT! Shortly, you will be receiving an updated job description of an Organist/Accompanist position available at Rockbrook United Methodist Church, Omaha. (the clause regarding compensation for playing for funerals was changed at the recommendation of Omaha AGO leadership).

CHALLENGE GIFT REMINDER: Cash gifts to match the \$1,000.00 challenge gift offered to the chapter are due by May 1. Send gifts to Gina Simpson, chapter treasurer by May 1. Gina's address: 5633 South 118 Plaza, Omaha, NE 68137.

NOMINATIONS for 2017-2018 executive board stand as listed in the April WINDCHEST. There were no additional nominations submitted for any offices by the April 15 deadline. Balloting and installation of officers a closing banquet May 22 at Dundee Presbyterian Church.

CALENDAR ITEMS for May and early June for WINDCHEST due to Rosemary Paul (rosemarypaul@splc.omhcoxmail.com) by April 26.

ATTENTION! OMAHA AGO MEMBERS ATTENDING CONVENTIONS, SEMINARS, INSTITUTES, WORKSHOPS THIS SUMMER! Please consider writing a review article for upcoming issues of WINDCHEST. Multiple reviews offer more comprehensive information, which would be welcomed and appreciated.

Events currently covered:

- Pipe Organ Encounter- Advanced (Seattle)
- Prairie Voices: A Musforum Conference
- Organ Historic Society Convention
- North Central Regional Convention

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