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# Bombarde



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## Next Chapter Event

### Reuter Organ Company Heritage Celebration

Monday, April 17, 2023 7:00 PM

Trinity Episcopal Church

1011 Vermont Street

Lawrence, KS 66044



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(Members Edition)

We will gather to celebrate the 105 year heritage of the Reuter Organ Co. Reuter produced more than 2200 new organs and countless rebuilds and additions projects over their long heritage as an organ builder in Lawrence, KS. Historian and organist Max Mayse will present a brief history about the company's earlier years to include many photos plus a video presentation. JR Neutel, the president of the company (now downsized and not producing new instruments) will offer brief remarks and past employees in attendance will be recognized. There will also be a mini concert performed by prize-winning young artist, [Dr. Peiyao Yu](#), on [Trinity's 33-rank Reuter Organ](#) after which there will be cake and drinks along with CD give-a-ways.

## Certification Corner



# GUILD EXAM WEBINARS

**MONDAYS AT 7PM ET/4PM PT**

### **MARCH**

- 13** The New Aural Perception Test (AAGO)
- 20** Fugue: Subject, Answer, Countersubject (AAGO, FAGO)
- 27** Fugue: Modulation, Episode (AAGO, FAGO)

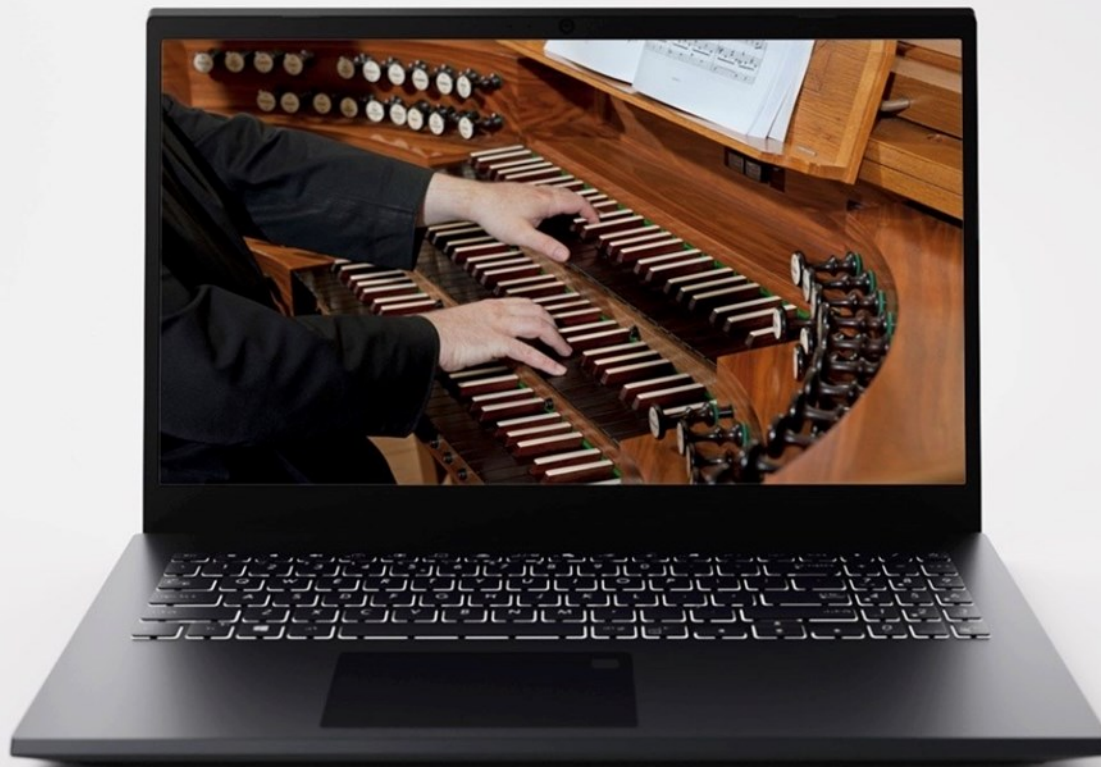
### **APRIL**

- 17** Renaissance Counterpoint (FAGO)
- 24** Transposition (CAGO, AAGO, FAGO)

### **MAY**

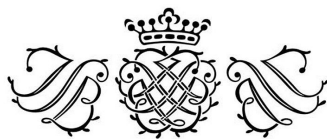
- 1** Orchestration (FAGO)

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## LOOKING AHEAD



### Bachathon XLIV

**Sunday, May 7, 2023**

**2:00 PM 5:00 PM**

Village Presbyterian Church  
6641 Mission Rd, Prairie Village, KS 66208



### Bowling and Board Installation

**Monday, May 15, 2023**

**5:30 PM 8:30 PM**

St. John the Baptist Croatian Parish  
708 N 4th St, Kansas City, KS 66101

## EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Choral Evensong and Postlude Recital  
Sunday, April 2, 5:00 PM  
St. Andrew's Episcopal Church  
6401 Wornall Terrace, Kansas City, MO,**

Rev. John Spicer, Celebrant  
Dr. Thomas R. Vozzella, Director/Organist  
Canon John L. Schaefer, Sub-Organist

Service music by Charles Gounod,  
Michael Bedford, Alexander Arkhangelsky,  
and Kellow J. Pye. Organ music by  
Johann Sebastian Bach and Herbert Howells.

Postlude Recital "Broadway at the Cross"  
Featuring the St. Andrew's Staff Singers with  
Music from *Godspell*, Stephen Schwartz; *Jesus  
Christ Superstar*, Andrew Lloyd Webber; *Children of  
Eden*, Stephen Schwartz; *Joseph and the Amazing  
Technicolor Dreamcoat*, Andrew Lloyd Webber.

**Saturday, April 15th, 2023 at 7:00 PM  
Westport Presbyterian Church  
201 Westport Road, Kansas City, MO 64111**

The Westport Concert Series is excited to welcome Dr. Gail Archer to enjoy our Martin Pasi Opus 24 organ and to introduce everyone to organ works by Russians Glazunov, Rachmaninoff, Slonimsky, and Shaversaschvili, followed by works by Ukrainians Machl, Kolessa, Ostrova, and Kryschanowskij. This same program was performed at St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York City in January, 2023. Themed "A Concert for Peace," it features organ works by both Russian and Ukrainian composers. Her concert was deemed "Breathtaking" by the reviewer who called it "a profoundly relevant program dedicated to peace between Russia and Ukraine, in solidarity with the citizens of both nations."

**Allen organ, MDC Classic 42**, Mary Wilcox has her mother's Allen organ in very good condition which she is looking for someone to give it a good home. Contact her at [marywilcox1956@gmail.com](mailto:marywilcox1956@gmail.com).



**Antique Rosewood Melodeon Organ, Pat. 1846** is an early version of a Victorian reed organ. Manufactured by Prince, Patented Dec 26, 1846. Most of the keys work but several do not. Rosewood cabinet with original finish showing mars and some finish issues. Bellows holds air and instrument sounds notes. Original keys are natural bone. These Melodeons featured folding legs allowing them to be transported in wagons to churches and other locations for performances. Dimensions are 37" wide X 18" deep X 29" high. Lovely old musical instrument to donate to an appreciative person or organization. Contact Dave Gilmore Cell 913-488-1459 [dave.gilmore@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dave.gilmore@sbcglobal.net)



## SUBSTITUTES AVAILABLE

Substitutes listed are members of the local organ guild. The people who hold AGO certificates have passed requirements of the National American Guild of Organists for various levels of service playing and choral conducting. However, the GKCAGO is not an endorsement agency for service provided by the persons listed here. To learn proficiency of substitutes, feel free to ask them for references. Feedback regarding the hiring of GKCAGO substitutes is welcome and encouraged. Please send feedback to John Schaefer [canonjohn40@gmail.com](mailto:canonjohn40@gmail.com).

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| Linda Mann, BME, SPC<br>(Weddings/Funerals only) | organ, piano              | 816-353-4826, c. 816-289-9760   |
| John Pitchford, MM, SPC                          | organ                     | 913-663-3768 <a href="mailto:johnpitchford@kc.rr.com">johnpitchford@kc.rr.com</a> |
| John Schaefer, AAGO, Ch M                        | organ, piano, lit.        | 816-520-2084  |
| Rachel Schulz                                    | organ, piano, lit, choral | 717-466-8080 <a href="mailto:rschulz@ku.edu">rschulz@ku.edu</a>                   |

*FAGO = Fellow certification | org = organist | lit = liturgical worship | dir = choral director | piano = pianist*

***The following also offer their services***

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| Boyd Ahrens                 | org, lit                      | 816-453-8406 <a href="mailto:boydlee@aol.com">boydlee@aol.com</a>                                    |
| Betty Bauer                 | org, lit                      | 913-814-9021 <a href="mailto:hababab@earthlink.net">hababab@earthlink.net</a>                        |
| Steve Burk                  | org, lit, dir, handbells      | 785-331-7640 <a href="mailto:ssmkburk@gmail.com">ssmkburk@gmail.com</a>                              |
| Alisa R. Carmichael, BM     | org, piano                    | 270-535-4881 <a href="mailto:charmichael.alisa@gmail.com">charmichael.alisa@gmail.com</a>            |
| Patricia Eccles             | org, dir, lit, dir, handbells | 913-216-1808 <a href="mailto:preccles18@gmail.com">preccles18@gmail.com</a>                          |
| Stephanie Henry, DMA Choral | org, piano, dir, lit          | 816-678-6372 <a href="mailto:sahenry652@kc.rr.com">sahenry652@kc.rr.com</a>                          |
| Sharon Hettinger, DMA       | org, dir, lit, handbell       | 785-842-2053<br><a href="mailto:slhett.sunflower.2016@gmail.com">slhett.sunflower.2016@gmail.com</a> |
| Ronald Krebs, BM, MM        | org, lit                      | 785-843-2622 <a href="mailto:rkrebs@reuterorgan.com">rkrebs@reuterorgan.com</a>                      |
| Sarah Lyons, DMA            | org, dir, lit, piano          | 309-333-8745 <a href="mailto:sarah.orr.lyons@gmail.com">sarah.orr.lyons@gmail.com</a>                |
| Denis Nicholson             | org, lit, piano               | 203-577-7367 <a href="mailto:nicholson.denis@gmail.com">nicholson.denis@gmail.com</a>                |
| Ann Marie Rigler, DMA       | org, lit                      | 816-808-8663 <a href="mailto:amrwc@gmail.com">amrwc@gmail.com</a>                                    |
| Rachel Schulz               | org, piano, lit, dir          | 717-466-8080 <a href="mailto:rschulz@ku.edu">rschulz@ku.edu</a>                                      |
| Marilyn VanderLinden        | org, lit                      | 816-665-4441   |