



The Prelude

March 2024

APRIL PROGRAM

On **Sunday, April 14 at 2:00 PM** the Chapter will present a program featuring our organ scholarship winners.

We would also like to include student instrumentalists from member's churches. If you have students that perform with you during church services consider inviting them to perform on this program. (Strings, woodwinds, brass, etc.)

Please contact [Kathy Mumy](#) if you wish to include one of your student instrumentalists.

Nearly 80 people attended the February program at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. It wove together visual arts and commentary prepared by Kate Philabaum and organ selections performed by several Chapter members. Those who attended expressed appreciation for the informative and uplifting afternoon. Afterwards an elegant reception was provided by St. Paul's & the HeART Gallery. Thanks to organists Kate Philabaum, Jeff Bunke, Paul Monachino and Curtis L. King.

Toledo Symphony Orchestra

Saturday, APRIL 13, 2024

8:00 PM

20% DISCOUNT !!

Grammy Award-winning organist

Paul Jacobs is helping The “King of

Instruments” retake its rightful place in classical music. Jacobs and the organ itself are featured throughout this program including Steven Paulus’s Grand Concerto with its “spicy harmonies and shining lyricism. The organ is featured as an integral part of Saint-Saens’ third symphony, notably the dramatic conclusion.



*The Chapter has arranged a 20% discount on tickets! Use the code **TOLEDOAGO** when ordering. Tickets start at \$26.00 (\$15.00 child/student). There is an \$8.00 processing fee on each order (not per ticket).*

Online www.artstoledo.com/toledosymphony or call the box office at (419) 246-8000.

Friday, May 17 – Organ Crawl (8:30 AM – 5:00 PM)

If you are interested in joining this organ crawl please send a message to [Paul Monachino](mailto:Paul.Monachino@artstoledo.com) so that we can begin to make plans for lunch and transportation.

Bellevue

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church (Muller Organ Co.)

host: David Saunders

St. John’s Lutheran Church

(GT Organ Associates and J. C Wilson & Associates)

host: Paul Lieber

Sandusky

Grace Episcopal Church (2016 Buzard Organ Co.)

host: Randy Ruthsatz

Holy Angels Catholic Church

(1885 Barckhoff - Salem, Ohio/restored by the Leek Organ Co.)

This Spring will be an election year for the Toledo Chapter.

A Nominating Committee will prepare a slate of officers including Dean, Sub-Dean, Treasurer and Secretary and at large Executive Committee members.

Our current dean, sub-dean and treasurer have reached the ends of their respective second terms according to the Chapter Operating Procedures.

We need volunteers committed to the mission of the AGO to fill these critical leadership positions or to serve on the Nominating Committee. If you are contacted about filling one of these roles please carefully consider accepting the invitation!

Concert Calendar

Sunday, March 17 - 3:00 PM

Measure for Measure Men's Chorus

Rosary Cathedral Concert Series

2535 Collingwood Blvd., Toledo



**First Presbyterian Church Chancel Choir,
Chamber Orchestra & Organ**

Clinton Miller, conductor  Dr. John Schwandt, organ

**First Presbyterian Church
2330 South Main Street Findlay, Ohio 45840
findlayfpc.org**

2023-2024 Toledo Chapter Programs

“to foster a thriving community”

We hope you will find the topics of interest and will look forward to time for building community by socializing with colleagues!

Sunday, April 14 – 3:00 PM

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, Toledo

Student recital featuring Chapter organ scholarship winners and student instrumentalists from member’s churches. Reception to follow

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June

End of Year Celebration - TBD

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Items for the Newsletter are due by the 25th of the preceeding month. Send items to toledoagonewsletter@gmail.com

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