## The Prelude

# April 2020

The AGO National Council and Headquarters staff is aware of the harmful impact that the coronavirus pandemic is having on many Guild members. They have been taking a variety of measures to listen to our members and help them through this difficult time.

If you want to reach any member of the AGO staff, please contact them by email or phone. info@agohq.org or (212) 870-2310

The Committee on Career Development and Support has collected and posted myriad resources for organists experiencing financial hardship, isolation, and requests from employers to work remotely during the pandemic. This resource page is being updated regularly, so please check back often.

Membership renewal invoices are being prepared and will be sent via e-mail. They have extended the grace period for lapsed members to three months. For example, members who were scheduled to lapse on April 1 will now continue to receive all voting benefits through June 30. Ensure that they have your complete and accurate contact information in your membership profile. From the ONCARD Menu select "Update Personal Information."

The AGO National and Regional Election is in full swing with nearly 2,000 votes already recorded. April 30 is the last day to participate.

Visit the national website to access any of the above information. www.agohq.org

### **Postponed indefinitely**

Scholarship Winner's / Student Recital
St. Lucas Lutheran Church, 745 Walbridge Ave., Toledo

### Cancelled

May be rescheduled to a future date

Spring Banquet and Recital

Friday, May 1

Dinner at the church, 6:00 PM

Concert at 7:30 PM Stephen Smith, organist

First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Broadway, Maumee

#### **CANCELLED**

CHOIR OF NOTRE DAME DE PARIS
TO PERFORM IN CLEVELAND

Group bus tour booking now



The Cleveland Chapter of the AGO, in conjunction with the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist in Cleveland is welcoming the Choir of Notre Dame Cathedral de Paris in concert on Tuesday, April 21.

#### CONCERT CALENDAR

The following concerts have been postponed to a future date in the Fall of 2020.

Nathan Laube, organist Dedicatory Recital for the Paul Fritts organ Thursday, April 16, 2020, 7:30 PM Christ Chapel, Hillsdale College (MI)

Free admission but ticket reservation required contact the Box Office at (517) 607-2848 or boxoffice@hillsdale.edu

Richard Hills, organist Sunday, May 17 - 3:00 PM Organ Re-dedication St. John's Lutheran Church 209 Southwest St., Bellevue

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