



The Prelude

May 2021



Dear Members of the Toledo AGO,

Jesus is Risen! My church celebrates the Easter season for 50 days. What about yours? It was so nice to see people in St. Rose that we haven't seen in a while. We are gradually increasing space for people to sit. Hopefully your church is working its way out of this pandemic.

Next month our chapter is having a Virtual Student Recital. Thank you to Denise Mathias and Matt Meinke for all their hard work. I can't wait to hear everyone's students.

The week after Easter I got to play the Skinner at Rosary Cathedral. Thanks, Paul Monachino, for your gracious hospitality. It's always a treat to play there!

Enjoy this beautiful spring weather!

Charlotte Mariasy, Dean
Toledo AGO

Scholarship Student Recital 2021

The Virtual Scholarship Student Recital will be posted on the [Toledo AGO YouTube channel](#) on June 13. Many thanks to Denise Mathias, Education Chair, for organizing the event with the students; Matt Meinke for editing the video presentation; and the teachers for working with their students during this challenging time and assisting with their video submission.

Felicity Goebel-Komala (2019 Scholarship recipient)

student of Melissa Davis

Three arrangements by Michael Burkhardt:
For the Beauty of the Earth
In Thee is Gladness
Evening and Morning
*3 manual Rodgers/Ruffatti pipe-digital organ at
St. Michael the Archangel Church, Findlay*

Blake Depinet

student of Joan McConnell, Heidelberg University, Tiffin

Wer nut den lieben Gott lasst walten Johann Sebastian Bach
Prelude modal Jean Langlais
Nun bitten wir den heiligen Geist Dietrich Buxtehude
*3 manual, 30 rank Schantz organ (1969)
at Trinity United Church of Christ, Tiffin*

John Depinet (2020 Scholarship recipient)

student of Mark Niese

Kingsfold Ralph Vaughan-Williams
Toccata from Symphony #5 for Organ Charles Marie-Widor
*3 manual, 36 rank M.P. Moller organ at
St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church, Norwalk, OH*
(This Fall, John will begin a degree in organ performance at
the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music)

Skyelar Raiti (former scholarship recipient)

student of James Kibbie, University of Michigan

Prelude and Fugue in E minor, BWV 548 Johann Sebastian Bach
*3 manual, 48 rank Casavant organ (1972)
at Christ Presbyterian Church, Toledo*

Employment Opportunities

Trinity Episcopal Church of Findlay is seeking a part-time Director of Music/Organist beginning June 1, 2021. This position includes providing appropriate organ music for preludes and postludes, service music, and hymns, as well as directing the choir when singing is possible again. There is one service on Sunday mornings at 10:00 am. Extra services include Christmas Eve, Maundy Thursday and Good Friday. Salary is \$1000 per month. If interested please submit your resume to jdrymon@gmail.com, Trinity Episcopal Church, 128 W. Hardin Street, Findlay, OH 45840

The Historic Church of St. Patrick is seeking a part-time Organist/Director of Music. Primary responsibilities include providing music for Sunday 10:00 am Mass, weddings, funerals, and leading the choir. The applicant must be knowledgeable of the Catholic Liturgy. The applicant also should be well organized, flexible, self-motivated, and be able to communicate effectively with liturgical ministers and the Liturgy Committee.

If interested, qualified candidates should send cover letter and resume to: The Historic Church of St. Patrick, 130 Avondale Ave., Toledo, OH 43604 or call the Parish Office at 419-243-6452, Ext. 4.

Eastminster United Presbyterian Church is seeking a musician to play organ and/or piano during Sunday worship service. There is currently one 10am service on Sunday mornings with no choir at this time. Musician will collaborate with pastor on hymn selection. Each service includes 2-3 hymns, prelude, postlude, offertory, and Gloria Patri. Compensation is \$150 per Sunday. Instrument is a Baldwin A225. Contact Elder Carole Burnworth cburnworth@twc.com if interested.

First Presbyterian Church of Perrysburg is seeking a part-time Music Director to provide appropriate music for worship services and work with our church choir. The desired candidate is dedicated and passionate about music with an interest in theology and religion. Previous experience in a church setting is an asset. If you feel called to part-time ministry through music (approximately 6-8 hours per week, Sunday mornings required), please submit your resume to presby.pburl@bex.net. A complete copy of

the Job Description is available on our [church website](#) and/or at our church office located at 200 E. Second Street, Perrysburg, Ohio.

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