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From Our Dean, Ann Reed

Ah...September

The change of season is officially here. A month ago we were getting blessed glimpses that the change was on its way and now we're living it; cooler temperatures so missing a day of watering the outdoor pots doesn't cause instant death, earlier sunsets to encourage going to bed at a decent hour, kids back on a school routine.

September, in its (relative) quietness is a great time for organists to lay out Advent/Christmas music, even learn something new. If you lived in the Philippines you'd start singing the carols this month—the first of the "ber" months, in your church services.

Bring your favorite December/January organ picks to the chapter's opening social brunch this Saturday and we'll have an informal title swap. Or, if you have a music planning routine that you believe in, we want to hear about that too. As always, your partner is invited. Did I mention Dutch oven breakfast casserole and fresh fruit?

Looking forward to seeing you this Saturday, Ann Reed

Top 10 reasons to attend the Les Bois opening social this Saturday:

- 10. Avoiding permanent pillow marks on your face from sleeping late.
- 9. Keeping your tires from developing flat spots.
- 8. A treehouse and zip line for kids.
- 7. Perfect patio brunch weather.
- 6. Dutch oven breakfast casserole & fresh fruit.
- 5. Our new sub-dean's excellent humor.
- 4. Installation of the board.
- 3. The Christmas picks of your fellow guild members.
- 2. An organ event lineup for the 2016-17 season.
- 1. Fellowship with inspiring, stimulating organists.

What's Happening in Les Bois Land

Saturday, September 10th

Chapter Social — 11 AM
Ann Reed's home

Ann Reed's home 2800 Leisure Drive, Boise

Saturday, September 17th

Organist Workshop Dr. Steven Hoffman 9:30 AM - Noon

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church 5009 Cassia Street, Boise

Sunday, September 18th

Organ Recital — 4 PM Dr. Steven Hoffman

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church See page 3 of the <u>August Newsletter</u> for complete details

> Next Board Meeting Tuesday, September 27 7 PM

> > Ann Reed's home

We welcome ideas and help with event planning for the coming year!



Coming Events for October

Saturday, October 8th — Progressive meal — details TBA

Saturday, October 22nd, 10 AM — Master class with Todd Wilson, St. John the Evangelist, Spokane Sunday, October 23rd, 4 PM — Recital with Todd Wilson, St. John the Evangelist, Spokane

Tuesday, October 25th, 7 PM — Board meeting, Ann Reed's home

Friday, October 28th, 7 PM — Halloween recital with Tyler Carlisle, First Presbyterian Church, Boise

ANNOUNCING... RSCM Pacific Northwest 2017!

Monday, June 26 to Sunday, July 2, 2017

RSCM Pacific Northwest will take place at Pacific Lutheran University. Registration opens on January 15, 2017. For more information, click here.

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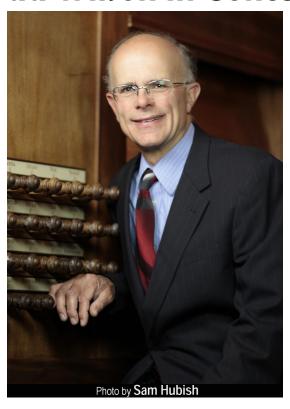
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The Spokane Chapter of the American Guild of Organists Presents Todd Wilson in Concert



October 23, 2016, 4:00pm Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist Spokane, Washington

Playing works by Bach, Widor, and Durufle

Master Class, October 22, 2016, 10:00 am Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist

Todd Wilson is head of the Organ Department at The Cleveland Institute of Music and is also Director of Music and Worship at Cleveland's Trinity Cathedral Tickets available in advance through TicketsWest or at door the afternoon of the concert \$15.00

Tickets sold at door, cash or credit card only, no checks



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Spokane Chapter of the American Guild of Organists

Concert and Master class with Todd Wilson

Dear AGO Chapters and Organ Professors,

Todd Wilson will be performing at St. John the Evangelist Cathedral on Sunday, October 23^{rd,} at 4:00 pm and will be playing works by Bach, Widor, and Durufle.

Todd Wilson will also be presenting a master class on Saturday morning, October 22nd, at 10:00 am at St. John's.

If you are aware of any students who might be interested in playing for this masterclass, please submit to us, by Oct. 1st their names and the title of the composition they wish to play. The number of students accepted will be limited because of scheduling constraints.

We are also pleased to give to master class participants a free ticket to the concert on Oct. 23rd. Please share this announcement among your colleagues, AGO chapters, and churches.

Arrangements have been made at the Quality Inn at 140 E. 4th Ave for a limited number of rooms for out of town concert attendee and master class participants. Room rates are \$103.68 for a single room and \$126.08 for a double room. Reservations must be made by September 21 and cover October 21 through October 23. Phone number is 1 800-980-6101. Please mention Spokane AGO when making reservations.

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Organ Music Suggestions

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