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Invitation to Participate: 100th Anniversary Season Members' Recital

By Karen Flynn

Got the itch to perform? Keen about discovering new things? Willing to help us celebrate our birthday?! TCAGO members are invited to participate in a special **TCAGO 100th Anniversary Season Members' Recital** at Westwood Lutheran Church on **November 21**.

To get beyond the 'same old same old', we respectfully request that you **consider exploring repertoire** by composers who share anniversaries with us in 2010 (Elsa Barraine, Samuel Barber, William Schuman, Robert Noehren...also Arne, Schumann, S. S. Wesley, W.F. Bach...also Cabezon, Chopin, Otto Nicolai).

Summer is a good time to learn new music! To help us put together an interesting mix, please submit at least two and preferably three pieces that you would be willing to play, from which we will select (and inform you). Contact Steve Gentile <genhen70@msn.com>. Don't be bashful! Let us hear from you - and in November, hear you! 🞜

Past Church Listings

Organist – Eden Prairie United Methodist Church, 15050 Scenic Heights Rd., Eden Prairie, MN 55344

PT Organist/Accompanist, 2 ser./1-plus reh., 1 summer service. EPUMC uses both traditional and contemporary music in blended style worship. Keyboard instruments include: Allen Model ADC 2110-Torgan, Kimball grand piano, and a Roland XP-80 keyboard. The candidate must be an experienced musician with solid organ/keyboard skills, a knowledge of traditional and contemporary worship music and be able to work in a team environment. Send résumé to Don Prestly, Director of Music, at church. Email: donp@prairiechurch.org or 612-201-4311.

NewChurch Listings

Organist – Mount Olivet Lutheran Church, 5025 Knox Ave. S., Minneapolis, MN 55419

FT Principal Organist/Accompanist for the Minneapolis Church Campus located in South Minneapolis. Ideal candidate would have earned an M.A. or higher in Music, have a minimum of 2 years' experience and possess exceptional piano accompanying skills/keyboard skills, good knowledge of organ literature and Lutheran hymnody, have strong background in traditional worship and appreciation for a high energy style of worship in a busy church environment. 4 services per Sunday; weekly Wednesday morning service; special services including holidays, weddings, funerals and accompanying one Thursday evening choir rehearsal. 56-rank Schantz, Steinway grand. To listen to a typical worship service at Mount Olivet via podcast, visit www.mtolivet.org. Email résumés to beverlyc@mtolivet.org or mail to above address, Attn: Dr. Beverly Claflin, Director of Music.

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Organist – Union Congregational Church UCC, 1118 4th St., Elk River, MN 55330

PT Organist/Choir Accompanist. 2 Sunday services weekly, Sept.—May. 1 Sunday service June—August, plus special services during Christmas, Holy Week and Wednesday evening rehearsl with choir during season. Weddings/funerals. Versatility with organ and piano and diverse styles of music valued. Start date: Sept. 12, 2010. Résumé/references to above address. Further info: Rev. Dr. Dana Mann 763-441-1203 or dana@elkriver.org

Organist – University of St. Thomas, 2115 Summit Ave., St. Paul. MN 55105. 651-962-6563/651-962-6703 (fax)

On-call University Chapel Organist. Responsibilities include Sunday Masses at 11:00 am and 6:45 pm, Tuesday and Thursday Liturgical Choir rehearsals from 1:30 pm—3:00 pm, special event liturgies as assigned and choir concerts. First priority for weddings. Inspired by Catholic intellectual tradition. University of St. Thomas educates students to be morally responsible leaders who think critically, act wisely and work skillfully to advance the common good. The successful candidate will possess a commitment to the ideals of this mission statement. Submit résumé and cover letter to: Mr. Aaron Brown, Director of Liturgy and Chapel Music, address above or email brow4230@stthomas.edu

Director of Music Ministry – Saint Luke's Episcopal Church, 4557 Colfax Ave. S., Minneapolis, MN 55419; 612-824-2697; fax 612-825-3752

Half-time, some benefits, fully competitive salary. Position includes leading worship on pipe organ and piano and accompaniment / direction of choirs for 1 weekly service. Mid-week rehearsals for vocal and hand bell choirs, with pre-service warm-ups. We are looking for a creative and highly-skilled person to lead worship with diverse musical styles. St. Luke's is an open and affirming parish that includes adult choir, hand bell choir, recorder ensemble, and a

significant number of accomplished parish musicians who solo and play in ensembles. Instruments include a Yamaha grand piano, 25-rank Moeller pipe organ, harpsichord, a 3-octave hand bell set and 2-octave hand chime set. Contact church by letter to church address or email to office@st-lukes.net. You may visit our website at www.st-lukes.net.

Organist/Coordinator of Music – Minnehaha United Methodist Church, 3701 E. 50th St., Minneapolis, MN 55417

PT Organist/Music Coordinator. Provide choral direction and organ accompaniment for Sunday traditional worship. Provide guidance and resources for Contemporary and Taize worship. Weddings and funerals. 10-15 hours per week. Salary: \$19,000-\$22,000, DOQ. Résumé/references/cover letter to: mumc.hiring.music@gmail.org

Combined: Organist/Choir Director – Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 490 N. 4th St., Bayport, MN 55003. 651-439-3450

PT Director of Music, about 15 hours/week. To begin Sept. 1, 2010. 1 ser./1 reh., organ and piano + choir direction. See www.bethlehemstar.org for full job description. Apply to Pastor Rich Larson, rich.larson@bethlehemstar.org or call church phone.

Combined: Organist/Choirmaster – Faith Lutheran Church, 499 Charles Ave., St. Paul, MN 55103, 651-227-5299

PT Organist/Director. Lead worship services on organ/piano; accompany and direct choir; open Sunday School with songs. Weekly choir rehearsals for both Senior Adult and Confirmation choirs. Please send letter of interest, résumé and references to Pastor Tilman F. Bergman, address above or email to office@faithlutheranstp.org

Don't forget to send in your membership renewal!
Find it online at www.tcago.org!