

# PIPELINES

NASHVILLE CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS

MARCH 2023



Greetings, friends.

I hope that you have had the opportunity to watch our Virtual Organ Crawl featuring the organs of Murfreesboro. Special thanks to Angela Tipps, Pat Parris, and Peter Rogahn for all of their help in bringing this project to fruition! The video can be watched at any time by visiting the Nashville AGO YouTube channel: [tinyurl.com/nashvilleago](https://tinyurl.com/nashvilleago).

Our March meeting will be a double-header event featuring Olivier Latry, titular organist of Notre-Dame, Paris. Mr. Latry will present a masterclass on Thursday, March 9, at 6:30 p.m., followed by a recital on Friday, March 10, at 7:30 p.m. Both events will be held at Madison Street United Methodist Church in Clarksville, and **both events will be livestreamed for Nashville AGO members.** We will email the livestream link to all members on Wednesday, March 8.

Of course, all members are encouraged and welcomed to attend the masterclass and recital in person. The recital is a ticketed event, cosponsored by the Clarksville Community Concert Association, but there will be no cost for AGO members or their guests. **We do ask that, if you plan to attend in person, you register so that we can give your name to those working the ticket counter to ensure free admission. Recital Registrations will be due by midnight on Thursday, March 9.** Registrations will not be required for the masterclass. You may register at any time by visiting our website: [NashvilleAGO.org](https://NashvilleAGO.org).

Please note that there will be no AGO dinner prior to Mr. Latry's recital on March 10. We do, however, encourage all members attending in person to join us for a dessert reception following the recital.

Mr. Latry's program is listed below, and we look forward to seeing you in Clarksville for a wonderful evening of music!

All the best,

Jared Wilson, Dean

## MARCH PROGRAM

### OLIVIER LATRY MASTERCLASS

THURSDAY, MARCH 9

6:30 P.M.

### OLIVIER LATRY RECITAL

FRIDAY, MARCH 10

7:30 P.M.

Recital Registration at [NashvilleAGO.org](https://NashvilleAGO.org)

Madison Street United Methodist Church  
319 Madison Street, Clarksville





2022-23  
CONCERT  
SEASON



# Olivier Latry

## SOLO ORGAN RECITAL

**FRIDAY • MARCH 10, 2023 • 7:30 PM**

Pre-Concert Talk by Rev. Dr. Jared Wilson at 6:30 pm

Madison Street United Methodist Church, 319 Madison St. Clarksville, TN

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Free for APSU Students



**Program – OLIVIER LATRY, Organ**

**March 10, 2023**

**Madison Street United Methodist Church  
Clarksville, Tennessee**

**Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)**

Sinfonia from Cantata No. 29  
(Transcription by Marcel Dupré)

**Louis Vierne (1870–1937)**

Pièces en style libre:  
*Légende*  
*Scherzetto*

**Marcel Dupré (1886–1971)**

Cortège et Litanie

**Olivier Latry (1962–)**

Improvisation

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**Charles-Marie Widor (1844–1937)**

Fifth Symphony  
*Allegro vivace*  
*Allegro cantabile*  
*Andantino quasi allegretto*  
*Adagio*  
*Toccata*

## NASHVILLE CHAPTER HISTORY NOTES

Did you know that our chapter will be 90 years old this year? In 2003 we celebrated our 70th anniversary at St. George's Episcopal Church. The late Fred Swan was our guest speaker! At that meeting, recognition was given to members with 50 or more years of service as church musicians.

Our chapter yearbooks, through at least 2015, included the chapter history, prepared by former chapter historian Melvin Potts. (Thanks, Melvin!) Chapter yearbooks and other historic materials gathered by Melvin and others are housed in a file cabinet at West End United Methodist Church. If you would like to review some of the materials, contact me or a West End music staff member.

As we enter our 90th year, here are a few of the special events from our chapter history. Our chapter was formed as the Central Tennessee AGO Chapter in 1933. In 1938 the chapter hosted the Tri-State Convention. Our name was changed to the Nashville AGO Chapter in 1956. Our chapter has hosted many special events in addition to the usual monthly meetings and programs. The chapter hosted the Southern Regional Convention (1963), the Tennessee State Convention (1975), Region IV Conventions (1983 and 1995), a POE and POE+ (2005), and of course the National Convention in July 2012. The late Bill Gray was convention chair, and so many volunteers and members worked very hard for several years to share Music City's Southern hospitality!

Our chapter has continued to be active in the years since then—including the recent pandemic years—and is grateful for the opportunity to continue to “promote the organ in its historic and evolving roles, to encourage excellence in the performance of organ and choral music, and to provide a forum for mutual support, inspiration, education, and certification of Guild members” (from cover of 2014–15 Yearbook).

~ Julia C. Callaway, Chapter Historian

## POSITIONS AVAILABLE

**Faith Lutheran Church, Hopkinsville, Kentucky**, is searching for a part-time (every Sunday or as often as available) organist (or a keyboard person who would be willing to learn the organ). This position does not require any specific qualifications save for a willingness to learn our liturgy. This is a Missouri Synod Lutheran church with liturgical services. For additional information, please contact Pastor Trae Fistler at [pastor@faithhopkinsville.com](mailto:pastor@faithhopkinsville.com) or 515-571-1378.

**Hermitage Presbyterian Church** is seeking a part-time Music Director whose primary responsibilities will be to direct the adult choir and oversee, coordinate and give leadership to weekly worship services and music programs. The choir provides music each week from September through May and for the first Sunday of each month during the summer; the director will be responsible for arranging for a soloist or small group to present special music during the other Sundays during the summer. Special services include a Tenebrae cantata on Good Friday, a Christmas cantata the Sunday before Christmas and special music on Christmas Eve. Interested applicants may contact Hank Sweetman at [hanksweetman@mail.com](mailto:hanksweetman@mail.com) for further information.

**Second Presbyterian Church, Chattanooga**, is searching for a part-time (20 hours/week) organist to provide music for Sunday worship and special services. Liturgical worship is most often formal, but the church values variety and is looking for a musician who is comfortable with a multitude of styles. Instruments include a Möller organ, a Steinway piano, and a harpsichord. Bachelor's degree is preferred; salary is commensurate with experience and negotiable based on other potential ministries. Interested applicants should send a résumé and two references to Dr. Kevin Ford at [office@secondpreschattanooga.org](mailto:office@secondpreschattanooga.org).

**St. Ignatius of Antioch Catholic Church, Nashville**, is looking for a piano accompanist for masses with a cantor and/or choir two Sundays a month. Masses are at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. on Sundays, with an occasional 5:00 p.m. Saturday service. Choir rehearsals are from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. on Wednesdays during the peak seasons of Christmas and Easter. Applicants must be technically proficient on piano and be able to run parts and rehearse the choir when the director is absent. Pay is \$75–\$100 per service, based on experience. Please contact Renee Thompson at [reneethompson4253@gmail.com](mailto:reneethompson4253@gmail.com) or 615-218-6628.

## ARTS CALENDAR

### MARCH

3/5/23, 4:00 p.m.

Piano Recital

Dr. Susan Yang

Grace Lutheran Church

2041 Madison Street, Clarksville

3/5/23, 4:00 p.m.

Solemn Choral Evensong

23rd Annual Cathedral Chorister Festival

Cathedral Choristers, Guest Choristers, Adult Schola

Guest Director Dr. Katherine Burk

Canon for Music, Trinity Cathedral, Portland, Oregon

Dr. Malcolm Matthews, Organ

Christ Church Cathedral

900 Broadway, Nashville

3/5/23, 6:00 p.m.

Dedicatory Organ Recital for Buzard Opus 48

Dr. Woosug Kang

Reception to Follow

St. George's Episcopal Church

4715 Harding Road, Nashville

3/7/23, 4:30 p.m.

Evensong

Sanctuary Choir

Andrew Risinger, Organist-Conductor

West End United Methodist Church

2200 West End Avenue, Nashville

3/12/23, 5:00 p.m.

Choral Evensong

St. George's Choir and Choristers

Reception to Follow

St. George's Episcopal Church

4715 Harding Road, Nashville

3/15/23, 9:15 p.m.

Compline

St. George's Choir

St. George's Episcopal Church

4715 Harding Road, Nashville

3/16/23, 7:00 p.m.

Organ Recital

Dale Nickell

Works by Rheinberger, Vierne, Lemare, Bach,

Guilmant, and Messiaen

Westminster Presbyterian Church

3900 West End Avenue, Nashville

3/24/23, 4:00–10:00 p.m.

15th Annual BACHanalia

Music of J.S. Bach

Christ Church Cathedral

900 Broadway, Nashville

3/25/23, 7:00 p.m.

Choir of St. John's College, Cambridge

Reception to Follow

St. George's Episcopal Church

4715 Harding Road, Nashville

3/26/23, 4:30 p.m.

Charles Wood: *Passion According to St. Mark*

Chancel Choir

Matthew Phelps, Conductor

Thom Dreeze, Baritone

Andrew Risinger, Organist

West End United Methodist Church

2200 West End Avenue, Nashville

### APRIL

4/23/23, 4:00 p.m.

Bach Organ Recital

Dr. Jonathan Rudy

Grace Lutheran Church

2041 Madison Street, Clarksville

4/23/23, 4:00 p.m.

Choir of Clare College, Cambridge

Graham Ross, Director

Joint Venture with Vanderbilt University

\$20 Suggested Donation; Reception to Follow

Christ Church Cathedral

900 Broadway, Nashville

4/30/23, 2:00 p.m.

Morten Lauridsen: *Lux Aeterna*

Belmont United Methodist Church Sanctuary Choir,  
with Orchestra

Gayle Sullivan, Director

2007 Acklen Avenue, Nashville

4/30/23, 4:00 p.m.

Flower Songs

Vocal Arts Nashville

Matthew Phelps, Conductor

Trinity Presbyterian Church

3201 Hillsboro Pike, Nashville

4/30/23, 6:00 p.m.  
Dedicatory Organ Recital for Buzard Opus 48  
Gerry Senechal  
Reception to Follow  
St. George's Episcopal Church  
4715 Harding Road, Nashville

5/14/23, 3:30 p.m.  
Organ Concert and Eastertide Solemn  
Choral Evensong  
Cathedral Choir  
Dr. Malcolm Matthews, Conductor  
Christ Church Cathedral  
900 Broadway, Nashville

### **MAY 2023**

5/9/23, 7:30 p.m.  
Dedicatory Concert  
Featuring Nashville Philharmonic Orchestra,  
Woosug Kang, and Gerry Senechal  
Reception to Follow  
St. George's Episcopal Church  
4715 Harding Road, Nashville

5/17/23, 9:15 p.m.  
Compline  
St. George's Choir  
St. George's Episcopal Church  
4715 Harding Road, Nashville

5/21/22, 5:00 p.m.  
Festive Choral Evensong  
St. George's Choir and Choristers  
Reception to Follow  
St. George's Episcopal Church  
4715 Harding Road, Nashville

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