



# LA PIPELINE

The monthly newsletter of the Los Angeles Chapter  
American Guild of Organists

January 2025

## OUR NEXT EVENT



**Monday, January 27**

## MEMBERS' TRANSCRIPTION RECITAL

**St. Edmund's Episcopal Church**

1175 S. San Gabriel Blvd., San Marino

Social Hour 6:15 | Dinner 6:45 | Program 8:00

### FEATURED PERFORMANCES

#### Robert Hovencamp

*Kom, süßer Tod, komm selge Ruh, BWV 472*  
Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750) / arr. Virgil Fox

#### Mark Husey

*The Angel's Farewell from The Dreamer Gerontius, Op. 38*  
Edward Elgar (1857-1934) / arr. A. Herbert Brewer

*Pomp and Circumstance in G, Op. 39, No. 4*  
Edward Elgar (1857-1934) / arr. Adolf Schmid & Mark Husey

#### Philip Hoch

*Opening and Floe from Glassworks*  
Philip Glass (b. 1937) / trans. Philip Hoch

#### Mark Herman

*Television March*  
Eric Coates (1886-1957) / trans. Mark Herman

#### Shooting Star

Sidney Torch (1908-1990) / trans. Mark Herman

#### I Got Rhythm

George Gershwin (1898-1937) / trans. Mark Herman

#### Mallory Haney Loo

*La Ponderosa Muerte*  
Los Jaivas (1981) / trans. Mallory Haney Loo

#### Christoph Bull

*Window To The Past from*  
*Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban*  
John Williams (b. 1932) / trans. Christoph Bull

*Ritual Fire Dance from El Amor Brujo*  
Manuel de Falla (1876-1946) / trans. Christoph Bull



### DINNER

Bruschetta Toastettes with Balsamic Glaze  
Meat Lasagna with Ricotta and Mozzarella  
Chicken Piccata with Lemon Butter, Wine, and Capers  
Vegetarian Penne Pomodoro  
Roasted Broccoli  
Warm Garlic Knots  
Special Dessert  
Wine, Soft Drinks, Sparkling Water

\$25, payable at the door | \$5, students with ID

**Please RSVP for dinner by Friday, January 24**

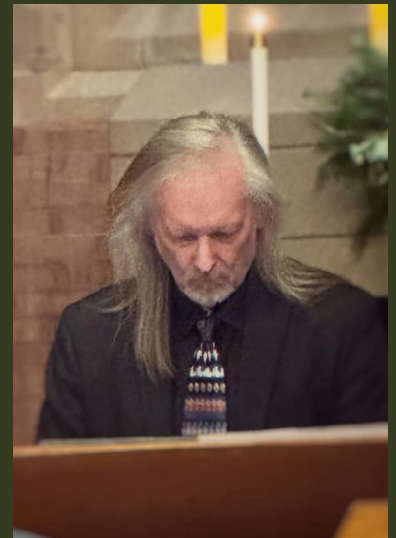
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# NEWS AND EVENTS

## OUR DECEMBER EVENT

Dinner and Candlelight Concert  
Church of the Angeles, Pasadena

Click [HERE](#) to view the program.



## LA AGO 2024 - 2025 PROGRAMS

*All events, locations, and details are subject to change. Please check the website and newsletter for the most recent information.*

### Monday, January 27, 2025 – 8:00 p.m.

Members' Transcriptions Recital  
St. Edmund's Episcopal Church  
1175 S. San Gabriel Blvd., San Marino  
Social Hour 6:15 p.m. – Dinner 6:45 p.m.

### Monday, February 17, 2025

Presidents' Day Organ Festival  
Organs of the Glendale Area  
Locations and details to be announced.

### Sunday, March 9, 2025 - 4:00 p.m.

Nathan Laube, Organist  
St. Cyril of Jerusalem Catholic Church  
15520 Ventura Blvd., Encino  
Dinner to follow program.

### Monday, May 19, 2025 - 8:00 p.m.

Dinner to Honor Past Chapter Deans  
Program Honoring Clarence Mader (past dean)  
Glendale First United Methodist Church  
401 E. Broadway, Glendale



## PIPE ORGAN SCHOLARSHIPS

Announcing a scholarship opportunity sponsored by the Rotary Club of Claremont and the LA AGO. The application deadline is February 14, 2025, and auditions will be held on Saturday, February 22, 2025.

Click on the image to download the PDF form.

### REMINDER

Make your dinner  
reservations  
for our  
January 27 event.

\$25 Regular  
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## PIPE ORGAN SCHOLARSHIPS



Sponsored by the Rotary Club of Claremont &  
Los Angeles Chapter American Guild of Organists

### APPLICATION

If you are a keyboardist with no pipe organ experience but with an interest in learning how to play this instrument, the Rotary Club of Claremont and Los Angeles Chapter American Guild of Organists (AGO) invite you to audition for an opportunity to win a scholarship to study pipe organ with a Los Angeles Chapter AGO member teacher. To be considered for this scholarship, please fill out this form completely and submit it via email to: [JElssasser@cusd.claremont.edu](mailto:JElssasser@cusd.claremont.edu), by no later than Friday, February 14, 2025.

Auditions will be held on Saturday, February 22, 2025, at 10:00 a.m., at  
Claremont Presbyterian Church, Choir Room

Audition Criteria: Applicant will play for the judges two to three pieces of their choice  
(not to exceed 10 minutes) on a piano and bring four copies of music.

#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

#### PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION (if applicant is under the age of 18)

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

#### MUSIC TEACHER INFORMATION (if available)

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been playing the piano?

Why would you like to study pipe organ?

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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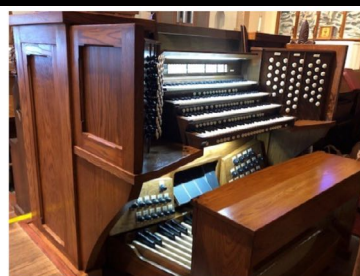
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# CALENDAR

Calendar items may be submitted on the LA AGO website at <https://www.laago.org/calendar-submit>. The Submission deadline to include in the newsletter is the 15th of the month prior to publication. Please review listing guidelines before submitting. Entries may be edited for size and content. Visit the on line calendar at <https://www.laago.org/calendar> for the most recent updates.

## Mon Jan 27, 2025

### 8pm - 10pm Members' Transcription Recital [LA AGO]

**Where:** Saint Edmund's Episcopal Church 1175 S San Gabriel Blvd, San Marino, CA 91107

**Description:** Look for details in the January newsletter.

## Wed Feb 5, 2025

### 12:45pm - 1:30pm Neil Stipp, Organist

**Where:** Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels 555 W Temple St, Los Angeles, CA 90012

**Description:** Playing premier of his own work as well as works by Hindemith, Howells, and Tournemire. Free parking with validation.

## Fri Feb 14, 2025

### 7:30pm - 10pm Joseph Simms, Organist

**Description:** Dr. Joseph Simms plays Hauptwerk organs. Location: Stan's Music Parlor, a private residence in mid-city Los Angeles. Address provided via Eventbrite registration. Cost: Donation to musician. To attend, please reserve seats via Eventbrite: <https://tinyurl.com/7tsacx8a>.

## Mon Feb 17, 2025

### 9am - 4pm Presidents' Day Organ Festival [LA AGO]

**Description:** Organs of the Glendale area. Times are TBD. Look for details in the February newsletter.

## Sun Mar 9, 2025

### 4pm - 6pm Nathan Laube, Organist [LA AGO]

**Where:** St. Cyril of Jerusalem Parish 15520 Ventura Blvd, Encino, CA 91436

**Description:** Look for details in the March newsletter.

## Mon May 19, 2025

### 8pm - 10pm Dinner and Program to honor past Chapter Deans [LA AGO]

**Where:** First United Methodist Church of Glendale 401 E Broadway, Glendale, CA 91206

**Description:** Dinner to Honor Past Chapter Deans Program Honoring Clarence Mader (past dean). Glendale First United Methodist Church. 401 E. Broadway, Glendale.

