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#### Randall S. Dyer

General Convention Chairman

Randall S. Dyer has been the AIO Convention Coordinator since 1993, handling the business aspects of each convention on behalf of the AIO board. His firm, Randall Dyer & Associates, Inc., builds electro-pneumatic slider chest organs using a modified Blackinton system, and has 82 installations in 14 states. For thirty

years Dyer was organist/choirmaster at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Morristown, Tennessee, retiring at the Millennium New Year's Eve service. In his spare time he uses his hi-rail-equipped pickup truck to lead railroad motorcar excursions for the North American Railcar Operators Association.

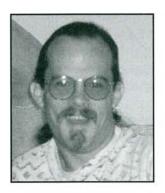


#### Matthew M. Bellocchio

Education Committee Chairman

Matthew Bellocchio, chairman of the AIO Education Committee, is a charter member of AIO and earned the Fellow Certificate in 1979. Matthew holds a B.A. from St. Francis College, studied architecture at Pratt Institute, and has served as a church organist in New York and Massachusetts. His studies of historic architec-

ture and organs in America, England, Europe and Mexico have informed the designs of new instruments in a variety of period styles. He has lectured on organ case design at national conventions of the AGO, AIO and OHS. Following twenty-five years at Roche Organ Company and a three-year sojourn in Portland, Oregon, at Marceau & Associates and Bond Organ Builders, he is now Project Manager and Case Designer at Parsons Pipe Organs in Canandaigua, New York.



#### Tim Boyard

**Exhibits** 

Tim Bovard is the permanent convention exhibits chairman for AIO. His organ building career began in high school as an assistant to Illinois organbuilder James M. McEvers. In 1991, Tim went to work for the Levsen Organ Co. in Iowa, and in 1994 he joined the staff of Nichols & Simpson, Inc. in Little Rock. Besides pipe

organs, Tim enjoys all kinds of mechanical musical instruments as well as computers, old houses, coin operated machines, and most anything else old with moving parts inside.



Kevin Gilchrist (left), Manuel J. Rosales, and Gregory Harrold

#### Manuel J. Rosales

Convention Program Chairman (biography on page 56)

#### **Kevin Gilchrist**

Convention Program Committee

Kevin Gilchrist grew up in Los Angeles playing the oboe in various youth orchestras, including one funded by J. Paul Getty. As an amateur astronomer, he built his own telescope at age 14. He is also a keyboardist and has performed at his church using a virginal that he constructed. Since joining Rosales Organ Builders in 1977, his work has focused on flue and reed voicing, pipe scaling and general mechanical and technical design. He was the first organ builder in Southern California to use Computer Aided Design (CAD), which he has used to design most of the firm's projects from Opus 13 to the present.

#### **Gregory Harrold**

Convention Program Committee

Greg Harrold is a native of Southern California. He started his organ building career at Abbott & Sieker in Los Angeles where he learned pipe making, then he worked for John Brombaugh in Eugene making reeds. In 1979 he established his own workshop in Los Angeles. He has built organs primarily for universities and private residences and his instruments are built mostly in the style of the eighteenth-century Northern European tradition. He also built a seventeenth-century Spanish style organ for the University of California at Berkeley for which he conducted extensive research of antique Iberian instruments.

#### Robert Sullivan

Registrar

Robert (Bobby) Sullivan is the permanent registrar for AIO and music director/organist at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Canton, Ohio. Before moving to Ohio, he served as Organist/Director of Music for Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church in Birmingham, Alabama, where he led that parish's choir on two



tours of Italy. Mr. Sullivan has also served on a diocesan liturgy committee and has been active as an AGO chapter officer and committee member for two regional AGO conventions.

#### Registering for the Convention

Please return the enclosed registration form and your check in U.S. Dollars (drawn on a U.S. bank) as soon as possible. As an early registration incentive, one registrant from the first ten will be drawn for a free convention registration, one from the second ten will be drawn for a free night at the hotel, and one from the third ten will be drawn for a free preor post-convention tour.

#### Registering at the Sheraton Gateway Hotel

The convention will be held at the beautiful Sheraton Gateway Hotel, 6101 West Century Blvd, Los Angeles CA 90045. It is located across from the Los Angeles International Airport and has 727 luxurious guest rooms and suites, all with double-glazed windows for sound proofing. Rates are \$99 plus tax for singles and doubles. Hotel reservations must be made by September 12 to receive the special AIO convention rate. Rooms may not be available after that date. Reservations can easily be made directly with the hotel via the enclosed reservation card, or by calling the Sheraton reservation line at 1-800-325-3535. The hotel direct line is 310-642-1111, and the fax number is 310-410-1267.

Since the AIO must pay substantial penalties to the hotel if our anticipated block of rooms is not filled, it is in everyone's best interest to stay at the convention hotel.

#### **Pre- and Post-Convention Tours**

Due to the very high concentration of large and interesting organs in Los Angeles, tours have been scheduled for Saturday, October 5, Sunday morning, October 6, and Thursday, October 10. Please register for any or all of these tours on the back of the registration form.

#### Friday, October 4 Concert

Through the courtesy of Austin Organs, Inc., Felix Hell will be featured in concert on Friday, October 4 on the newly rebuilt E.M. Skinner organ at Hollywood High School. Please indicate on the back of the registration form if you will be attending this program. If enough people request carpooling information, a van or cars may be rented and costs divided among attendees.

#### **Spouse Tour**

Robin McNamara will host a tour for traveling companions on Monday, October 7. Scheduled stops include the Getty Museum and the Rodeo Drive shopping area. For spouses registering for the convention on Monday, this tour is free. Lunch will be on your own at one of the museum restaurants.

#### Smoking

Smoking is not permitted in the public areas of the hotel, nor in the convention exhibit, registration, and coffee break areas.

#### Meals

Continental breakfasts, lunches, and dinners, except Tuesday evening, are included in the registration fee, beginning with the Sunday evening dinner and ending with the Wednesday evening banquet. Those with restricted diets should indicate their requirements on the enclosed registration form.

#### **Exhibits**

Our exhibitors go to a great deal of effort to attend our conventions and we appreciate their substantial contribution to the success of AIO conventions. Ample time has been allowed for you to visit the exhibits of organ industry suppliers, beginning on Saturday evening for those not taking the Crystal Cathedral tour. Exhibitors' Night is Sunday evening, beginning with a cash bar and dinner. The exhibits will be open for their final session all morning and through the lunch hour on Wednesday.

#### Management

This convention has been organized under the auspices of the AIO Convention Overview Committee, Randall Dyer, Chairman, and the AIO Education Committee, Matthew Bellocchio, Chairman. General inquiries should be directed to Randall Dyer at 865-475-9539. Registration questions should be directed to Robert Sullivan, 606 17th Street NW, Canton OH 44703 (via e-mail: AIORegistrar@aol.com), telephone (330) 452-7411.

Additional and updated convention details and photos may be found at www.pipeorgan.org

#### **Driving to the Sheraton Gateway Hotel**

The Sheraton Gateway Hotel is located near the Los Angeles International Airport (LAX), off the 405 (San Diego) Freeway at the Century Blvd. exit. Proceed toward the airport on Century Blvd. and turn right on Avion. The hotel is on the northwest corner of Avion and Century Blvd.

For those traveling south on the 105 and 110 Freeway, exit on Sepulveda Blvd., proceed toward the airport on Sepulveda, turn right on 98th Street, and turn right again on Avion. The hotel is on the northwest corner of Avion and Century Blvd.

#### Arriving by Air to Los Angeles

Upon arrival, collect your bags in the baggage claim area, proceed outside and stand under the red "Hotel/Motel Courtesy Tram" sign. The free Sheraton Gateway van is red and gray in color and circulates every 15 minutes on a 24-hour basis.

(NOTE: There are other Sheraton hotels in the area, so be sure to get on a Sheraton Gateway van.)

#### **Arriving by Train**

The Los Angeles Union Station (Amtrak) is located at 800 N. Alameda St., approximately 19 miles from the hotel (6101 West Century Blvd.). Taxi service is available at the station, or you may contact Metrolink at 800-371-LINK. For specific driving directions from the train station, call the AIO at 713-529-2212.

#### October Weather in Los Angeles

The hotel and the Tuesday evening tour are near the ocean with daytime temperatures in the low 70s. Downtown Los Angeles is likely to be in the low 80s and Whittier in the mid 80s. The inland Valleys (Encino and Claremont) are typically in the high 80s to the mid 90s. In general, evening temperatures are cool throughout the area and taking along a lightweight jacket is a good idea. All of the above can change quickly if a "Santa Ana" condition develops when the prevailing winds reverse and the hot air from the desert blows westward to the ocean; then it will be hot, dry and clear—adding 10 or 15 degrees to each temperature above!

#### Organs to Be Seen during the Convention

#### Organs over 100 ranks

First Congregational Church Skinner/Schlicker, 325 ranks <sup>1</sup>

Crystal Cathedral Sanctuary Fratelli Ruffatti/Aeolian-Skinner, 270 ranks <sup>1</sup>

Lake Avenue Congregational Church Casavant Frères, 127 ranks <sup>1</sup>

Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels Dobson Organ Builders, Ltd., 105 ranks <sup>1</sup>

#### Organs over 60 ranks

St. James Episcopal Church - Murray M. Harris, 86 ranks 1

Crystal Cathedral Arboretum - Aeolian-Skinner, 82 ranks 1

United Church of Christ, Congregational Glatter-Götz Orgelbau/Rosales Organ Builders, 77 ranks <sup>2</sup>

Rose Hills Memorial Park Quimby Pipe Organs, Inc., 65 ranks <sup>1</sup>

Bridges Hall of Music, Pomona College C.B. Fisk, Inc., 65 ranks <sup>2</sup>

Wilshire Boulevard Temple - Kimball Organ Co., 61 ranks 1

#### Organs over 30 ranks

St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Encino Rosales Organ Builders, 45 ranks <sup>1</sup>

Wilshire United Methodist - Robert Turner & Co., 42 ranks 1

St. Francis Episcopal Church - Reuter Organ Co., 41 ranks 1

Hollywood High School - Skinner Organ Co., 39 ranks 1

St. John Vianney Catholic Community M.L. Bigelow & Co., 39 ranks <sup>2</sup>

UCC Palos Verdes Glatter-Götz Orgelbau/Rosales Organ Builders, 33 ranks <sup>2</sup>

#### Organs under 30 ranks

Alan Kay / Bonnie MacBird Residence Gregory Harrold Organ Builders, 28 ranks <sup>2</sup>

Manhattan Beach Community Church Schlicker Organ Co., 23 ranks <sup>2</sup>

Trinity Lutheran - Dobson Organ Builders, 17 ranks <sup>2</sup>
Our Mother of Good Counsel - Schoenstein & Co., 10 ranks <sup>1</sup>

#### Theater organ

El Capitan Theater - WurliTzer, 37 ranks 1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Electric action

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Tracker action

## American Institute of Organbuilders

#### About the AIO

The American Institute of Organbuilders is an educational organization dedicated to advancing the art of organbuilding "by discussion, inquiry, research, experiment and other means." AIO members are professional organbuilders, service technicians, and suppliers who subscribe to the Institute's objectives and its Code of Ethics.

In 1973, a group of organbuilders met in Washington, D.C. to explore the possibility of forming a professional association. A provisional board was established and a constitution committee was appointed. In September of 1974, a convention was held in Dayton, Ohio, which adopted a constitution and bylaws, signed charter members and elected a board of directors. Since that time, conventions have been held each year in cities throughout the United States and Canada. These meetings are structured around a full schedule of technical lectures, visits to local organ shops and instruments, product exhibits and business meetings. The opportunity to meet other builders, technicians and suppliers for the purpose of sharing ideas and information is another important benefit of each convention.

The AIO midyear seminars provide further opportunities for professional growth. These weekend seminars are held in organ shops throughout the country and are structured to provide hands-on training in a variety of small group settings.

#### Journal of American Organbuilding

The Institute also publishes a quarterly journal featuring technical articles, product and book reviews, and a forum for the exchange of building and service information and techniques. Subscriptions are provided free to AIO members, and are available to non-members through the Houston office at \$12.00 per year, or \$32.00 for three years.

#### Membership

AIO membership is open to those currently engaged full time in organbuilding or organ maintenance work. Affiliate membership is open to those who are not full-time builders or technicians, as well as non-North American builders and those in allied professions supporting the pipe organ industry. Prospective members must obtain the nominating signature of a current AIO member and provide a brief summary of their work history on the nomination form. Further details about membership categories and annual dues are provided on the form.

#### The AIO Web Site

Several AIO resources are available online at www.pipeorgan.org. The roster of current members includes links to the Web sites of companies employing individual AIO members. Lecture and seminar videotapes, as well as Journal back issues, can be ordered by mailing the online order form with your payment. Upcoming convention and seminar information is posted on the site, and the membership application and code of ethics can be viewed and printed. E-mail inquiries may be sent to ExecSec@pipeorgan.org



#### Board of Directors and Committee Structure

Board members are responsible for communicating with the committee(s) listed in their column (except Nominating Committee).

Committees are chaired by the first person listed. Board terms expire following the annual convention in the year listed.

#### PRESIDENT '03

Richard Houghten PO Box 200 Milan MI 48160

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Duane A. Prill 102 Pershing Drive Rochester NY 14609

#### Membership

Receive and review nominations for membership, recommend action to board. Seek new members, recommend action regarding inactive members.

Duane A. Prill Matthew Bellocchio Brian M. Fowler Charles W. McManis Patrick J. Murphy

#### TREASURER

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#### SECRETARY '02

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#### Resolutions

Review by-laws, minutes of board and annual meetings. Review proposed amendments to the by-laws.

> Jeffery L. Weiler Timothy E. Boles John Panning

#### **BOARD MEMBER '04**

Charles E. Kegg 11366 Cleveland Ave NW Uniontown OH 44685

#### Education

Administer training program and plan educational content of conventions and mid-year seminars.

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#### **BOARD MEMBER '02**

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#### Examinations

Establish criteria, scope and procedure for annual exams.

David K. Wigton '03 Roy Redman '02 William Visscher '04

#### **Convention Overview**

Compile statistics and update handbook. Hold review session in January to evaluate previous convention. Help new convention committees with organization and hotel negotiations.

Randall S. Dyer, Convention Coordinator 865-475-9539 w/h

> Mark C. Goulding Lance E. Johnson Stephen H. Leslie

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Receive complaints and inquiries regarding ethics matters. Recommend action to board of directors.

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#### Journal

Procure and review articles, administer literary award.

Manuel J. Rosales Scot Huntington John Panning

#### Service Manual

Develop a comprehensive resource for organ service information.

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Further the goals of the AIO through outreach projects.

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#### AIO Web Site

Oversee Web site content.

Peter Duys Brian D. Berghaus John M. Nolte Thaddeus B. Reynolds David C. Scribner

#### **Nominating**

Select candidates for election at annual business meeting.

William F. Czelusniak Calvin Parsons Peter Duys Dennis Milnar C. Joseph Nichols

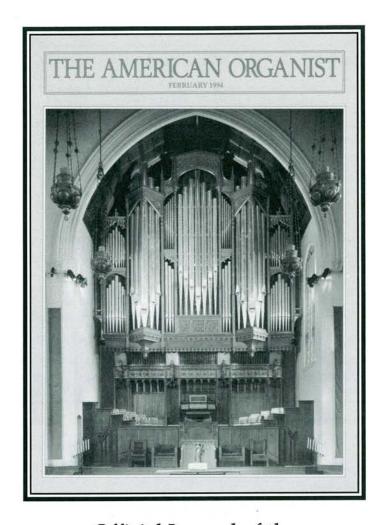
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#### Friday, October 4 Monday, October 7 3:30 Rose Hills Memorial Park lecture/demonstration: 7:00 p.m. Felix Hell concert at 7:00 Continental breakfast "The Electro-Pneumatic Hollywood High School 7:30 Registration desk open Slider Chest Revisted" 6:00 Board busses for restaurants 8:00 Official Opening -Saturday, October 5 and South Bay organ tour **AIO Membership Meeting** (see page 40 for organs) 8:00 a.m. Wilshire Blvd. organ tour 8:00 Exhibits open Dinner on your own (see page 26 for organs) 9:30 Board bus for spouse tour 7:00 Exhibits open 9:00 **Exam Review Session** 9:45 "The Los Angeles Art Exhibits close 11:00 12:00 Registration desk open Organ Company" **Exhibitor Setup** 11:00 "Adjusting Touchy Trackers" **AIO Professional Exams** Wednesday, October 9 12:00 Lunch at the hotel Review Session continues 12:00 Exhibits close 7:00 Continental breakfast 6:15 Board busses for Crystal Cathedral 1:15 "The Pioneering Spirit of 7:30 Registration desk open Organ Restoration in the 6:30 Exhibits open 8:00 **AIO Membership Meeting** Wild, Wild West" 7:30 Crystal Cathedral 8:00 Exhibits open (final session) 1:15 Exhibits open Arboretum organ demo 9:45 "Zen and the Art of 2:30 "Designing Organs in 8:00 "So, You Want to Build an Organ Maintenance" Response to Clients' Needs" Organ in a Greenhouse?" "If Only! Organs 11:00 4:15 "Truth in Winding" 8:30 Crystal Cathedral that Never Were" organ demonstration 5:45 Free time (exhibits close) 12:00 Lunch 10:30 Busses return to hotel 6:30 Cash bar Exhibits close 1:15 11:00 Exhibits close 7:00 Dinner at the hotel 1:15 "Swell Box Design 7:30 Exhibits open and Construction" Sunday, October 6 11:00 Exhibits close 3:00 "Aging of Organ Leather and Related Topics" 8:15 a.m. Hollywood organ tour (see page 34 for organs) "The Melbourne, Tuesday, October 8 Australia Schantz Project" Registration desk open 6:30 Continental breakfast 6:30 Cash bar 9:00 AIO committee meetings 7:30 (as announced by Registration desk open 7:00 **Banquet and Awards** committee chairs) 7:45 Board busses for Cathedral 8:30 "Hollywood Pipesof Our Lady of the Angels Board busses for A Musical Variety Show" Kay/Macbird residence 9:15 Three short lectures on the cathedral organ's design 2:00 Kay/Macbird demo, recital Thursday, October 10 10:45 Lecture/demonstration 2:45 Board busses for St. Cyril at the cathedral **Post-Convention Tour** 4:00 Evensong/Concert at St. Cyril (pre-registration required, 12:00 Lunch and lecture: see page 44 for organs) 6:30 Cash bar

"Organ Structure:

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Dinner at the hotel

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Exhibits close

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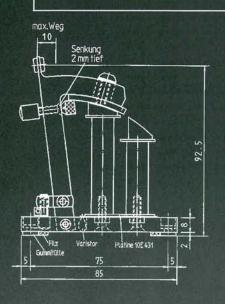
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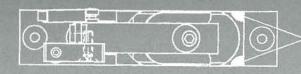
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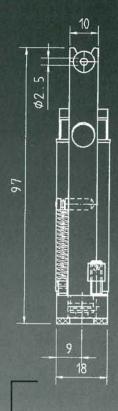
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## Pre-Convention Program - Friday and Saturday

#### Friday, October 4

TOUR #1 7:00 p.m. FELIX HELL CONCERT AT HOLLYWOOD HIGH SCHOOL (see enclosed flyer)

This concert is sponsored by Austin Organs, Inc.

#### Saturday, October 5

Pre-registration is required for these extra events mark the appropriate box on the back of your convention registration form.

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	7:30 a.m.	TOUR REGISTRATION AT REGISTRATION DESK
TOUR #2	8:00	BOARD BUS FOR WILSHIRE BOULEVARD/CRYSTAL CATHEDRAL TOUR:
		<ul> <li>Wilshire United Methodist Church (Harris/Turner organ; Philip A. Smith, demonstrator)</li> <li>First Congregational Church (Skinner/Schlicker organ; Edward Murray, demonstrator)</li> <li>Wilshire Boulevard Temple (Kimball organ; William C. Beck, demonstrator)</li> <li>St. James Episcopal Church (Murray M. Harris-Austin/Schlicker organ; James Buonemani, demonstrator)</li> <li>5:00 dinner at hotel, then continuing to Crystal Cathedral (included in the tour price)</li> </ul>
	8:00	AIO BOARD of DIRECTORS MEETING
	9:00 - 12:00	EXAMINATION REVIEW SESSION
12:0	0 p.m 3:30	REGISTRATION DESK OPENS (registrants' tote bags courtesy of Organ Supply Industries)
		EXHIBITOR SETUP
	1:30 - 5:00	EXAMINATION REVIEW SESSION CONTINUES
		PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATIONS
TOUR #3	6:15	BOARD BUSSES FOR CRYSTAL CATHEDRAL
	6:30	EXHIBITS OPEN
	7:30	DEMONSTRATION OF CRYSTAL CATHEDRAL ARBORETUM ORGAN Christopher Pardini, organist; Aeolian-Skinner organ
	8:00	LECTURE: "So, You Want to Build an Organ in a Greenhouse?"  (Guy Henderson, Co-curator of organs)
	8:30	DEMONSTRATION OF CRYSTAL CATHEDRAL ORGAN Christopher Pardini, organist; Ruffati/Aeolian-Skinner organs
	10:30	BUSSES RETURN FROM CRYSTAL CATHEDRAL

11:00 EXHIBITS CLOSE

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#### Sunday, October 6

Pre-registration is required for the morning Hollywood tour—mark the appropriate box on the back of your convention registration form.

TOUR #4 8:15 a.m. BOARD BUSSES FOR HOLLYWOOD TOUR:

El Capitan Theater (WurliTzer organ; Ed Collins of Buena Vista Pictures, host; organist TBA)

Hollywood High School (Skinner organ; Lawrence Strohm, demonstrator)

Warne-Williamson Organ Builders Open House

Lunch available for \$14. (or area restaurant maps provided) Hollywood sightseeing on your own after lunch (maps provided). Optional 1:15 bus leaves for the Kay/Macbird recital. (see below)

3:00 bus leaves for the Evensong at St. Cyril of Jerusalem Church. (see below)

9:00 - 1:00 REGISTRATION DESK OPEN

9:00 AIO COMMITTEE MEETINGS (as announced by committee chairs)

12:00 p.m. LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

1:00 OFFICIAL CONVENTION ACTIVITIES BEGIN

1:00 BOARD BUSSES AT HOTEL FOR KAY/MACBIRD RESIDENCE

Attendance limited to 100 people—please register for this event on the registration form

2:00 DEMONSTRATION/RECITAL

Alan Kay/Bonnie MacBird residence (Gregory Harrold opus 14; David Dahl, organist) Busses travel directly to Evensong at St. Cyril of Jerusalem Church (see below)

- 2:45 BOARD BUSSES AT HOTEL FOR ST. CYRIL OF JERUSALEM CHURCH, ENCINO
- 4:00 EVENSONG/CONCERT/DEMONSTRATION

St. Cyril of Jerusalem Church

William C. Beck, organist-choirmaster; St. Cyril of Jerusalem Choir Rosales opus 23; demonstration commentary by Manuel J. Rosales

- 5:30 BOARD BUSSES FOR HOTEL
- 6:30 CASH BAR

Bar setup courtesy of Aug. Laukhuff GmbH & Co.

7:00 DINNER AT THE HOTEL

Dinner courtesy of Peterson Electro-Musical Products, Inc.

- 7:30 EXHIBITORS' NIGHT
- 11:00 EXHIBITS CLOSE

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#### Monday, October 7

- 7:00 a.m. 9:00 CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST Registration Area (courtesy of Otto Heuss GmbH & Co. KG)
  - 7:30 9:45 REGISTRATION DESK OPEN
    - 8:00 OFFICIAL OPENING and AIO ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING, Part I (Members and non-members are encouraged to attend.)
    - 8:00 EXHIBITS OPEN
    - 9:30 COFFEE BREAK (Courtesy of Otto Heuss GmbH & Co. KG)
    - 9:30 SPOUSE TOUR BUS BOARDS AT HOTEL

      Pre-registration required for the Getty Museum, lunch on your own, and Rodeo Drive shopping with hostess Robin McNamara. Bus returns to the hotel at 4:30 p.m.
    - 9:45 LECTURE: The Los Angeles Art Organ Company (Ray Biswanger)

      In 1903 Murray M. Harris set out to build the world's largest and finest pipe organ, boasting more than 10,000 pipes, in his new Los Angeles factory. His ambitious dream was realized—but the cost was reckoned in the loss of his own company.
    - 10:45 BREAK
    - 11:00 LECTURE: Adjusting Touchy Trackers (Jon Thieszen of Dobson Organ Co.)

      Various self-tensioning key actions in new and rebuilt organs and how to build them.
- 12:00 1:15 p.m. LUNCH AT THE HOTEL (Exhibits close)
  - 1:15 LECTURE: The Pioneering Spirit of Organ Restoration in the Wild, Wild West (Edward Millington Stout III)
  - 1:15 EXHIBITS OPEN
  - 2:15 BREAK
  - 2:30 LECTURE: Designing Organs in Response to Clients' Needs (Steuart Goodwin)

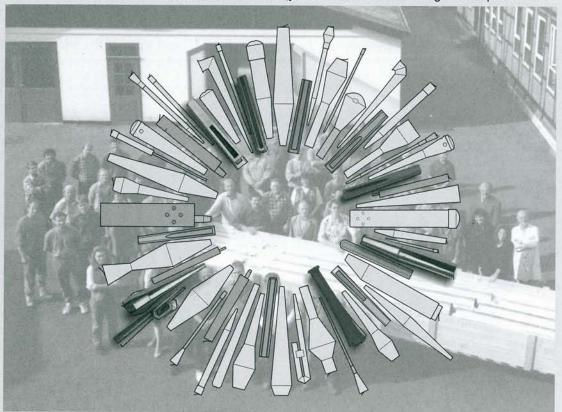
    A look at ways in which designing organs for our present American culture might help restore some of the broader relevance and popularity the pipe organ used to enjoy. A survey of his case designs, including the Schoenstein organ for the new LDS Conference Center in Salt Lake City.
  - 4:00 COFFEE BREAK
  - 4:15 LECTURE: Truth in Winding (Harold Scholl)

    A detailed discussion of organ blowers and winding systems.
  - 5:45 FREE TIME (Exhibits close)
  - 6:30 CASH BAR (Bar setup courtesy of Carl Giesecke & Sohn)
  - 7:00 DINNER AT THE HOTEL (Courtesy of Klann Organ Supply, Inc. and Classic Organ Works)
  - 7:30 11:00 EXHIBITS OPEN

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## Tuesday, October 8

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6:30 a.m 7:45	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
7:30 - 7:45	REGISTRATION DESK OPEN
7:45	BOARD BUSSES FOR CATHEDRAL OF OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS
9:15	THREE SHORT LECTURES IN THE ARCHDIOCESAN CONFERENCE CENTER:  The Cathedral Organ: The Truth Revealed (Manuel J. Rosales, Cathedral organ consultant)  Design Adventures: Collaboration with Architects (Lynn Dobson)  How to Hold Up 55 Tons of Organ (Jon Thieszen)
10:15	COFFEE BREAK (courtesy of Dobson Pipe Organ Builders)
10:30	WALK TO THE CATHEDRAL
10:45	LECTURE/DEMONSTRATION: Entering the Tonal Unknown (John Panning)  Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels (Dobson organ; Samuel Soria, Cathedral organist)
11:30	TOUR OF THE CATHEDRAL CRYPT AND SEISMIC ISOLATORS
12:00 p.m.	LUNCH IN THE ARCHDIOCESAN CONFERENCE CENTER  LUNCHEON LECTURE: Organ Structure: Preparing for the Big One! (John Seest)  A brief look into the support of the Dobson organ in the massive new concrete cathedral.  High earthquake design loads make this a unique organ structure.
1:15	BOARD BUSSES FOR HARRIS PRECISION PRODUCTS
2:00	SHOP TOUR AND LECTURE: Adjusting Manual Keyboards (David Harris)
3:00	COFFEE BREAK (courtesy of Harris Precision Products)
3:15	BOARD BUSSES FOR ROSE HILLS MEMORIAL PARK
3:30	LECTURE: The Electro-pneumatic Slider Chest Revisited (Lyle Blackinton) SkyRose Chapel, Rose Hills Memorial Park (Quimby Organ; Kevin Kissinger, demonstrator)
4:30	BOARD BUSSES FOR HOTEL
6:00	BOARD BUSSES TO RESTAURANTS AND SOUTH BAY ORGAN TOUR  Churches open from 7:30 until 9:30; busses will circulate throughout the evening (maps provided)  Trinity Lutheran Church (Dobson organ; Karla Devine, organist)  Manhattan Beach Community Church (Schlicker organ; Lee Lassetter, organist)  St. Francis Episcopal Church (Reuter organ; Ray Erwin, organist)  Neighborhood Church, UCC, Palos Verdes Estates  (Glatter-Götz/Rosales organ; Rehecca Ogle, organist)

7:00 - 11:00 EXHIBITS OPEN (last tour bus returns to the hotel at 10:15)



#### Wednesday, October 9

- 7:00 a.m. 8:00 CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST (courtesy of Syndyne Corporation)
  - 7:30 REGISTRATION DESK OPEN
  - 8:00 9:30 AIO ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING, Part II (Members and non-members are encouraged to attend.)
  - 8:00 1:15 EXHIBITS OPEN
    - 9:30 COFFEE BREAK (courtesy of Syndyne Corporation)
  - 9:45 10:45 LECTURE Zen and the Art of Organ Maintenance (Joe O'Donnell)

    A wide-ranging discussion of service philosophy and practice, with time for sharing tips and stories.
    - 10:45 BREAK
    - 11:00 LECTURE: If Only! Organs That Never Were (Jonathan Ambrosino)

      A Cavaillé-Coll for St. Peter's Rome? A 64-foot Open Wood at the Hollywood Bowl?

      Mr. Ambrosino explores fantastic schemes of the past.
- 12:00 1:15 p.m. LUNCH (Registration Desk closes)
  - 1:15 2:45 PANEL DISCUSSION (Manuel J. Rosales, moderator)

    Swell Box Design and Construction (Jack Bethards, Roy Redman, Robert Vaughan)
    - 2:45 BREAK
    - 3:00 LECTURE:

"The Aging of Organ Leather" and Related Topics (Harley V. Piltingsrud)
The principal author of The Aging of Organ Leather will review leather basics and present related work on the cleaning of air for pipe organs (removing acid gases from air in organ chambers) and the control of corrosion on select metal organ components.

- 4:00 COFFEE BREAK
- 4:15 5:30 LECTURE: The Melbourne, Australia Project (Jeff Dexter, Eric Gastier of Schantz Organ Co.)
  - 6:30 CASH BAR (bar setup courtesy of Duys & Nicholson, Inc.)
  - 7:00 BANQUET AND AWARDS (Charles Kegg, Master of Ceremonies)

    Honoring Uwe "Pete" Sieker, Orpha Ochse and Robert Noehren, with comments by Dr. Noehren.

    Banquet wine courtesy of P & S Organ Supply Co., Ltd.
- 8:30 9:30 ENTERTAINMENT: Jack Bethards and his Hollywood studio orchestra

  Hollywood Pipes A musical variety show re-creating a live network radio broadcast of
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TOUR #5 8:3	0 BOARD BUS FOR ST. JOHN VIANNEY, HACIENDA HEIGHTS
9:1	5 LECTURE: Tonal Design (Michael Bigelow)
9:3	ORGAN DEMONSTRATION AT ST. JOHN VIANNEY, HACIENDA HEIGHTS  Bigelow organ; David Dahl, organist
10:1	5 BOARD BUS FOR CLAREMONT UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST Refreshments in transit courtesy of Rosales Organ Builders
10:4	5 LECTURE: Improving Acoustics while Maintaining Speech Intelligibility (Dana Kirkegaard, acoustician)  The church's new digitally imaged speech reinforcement system will be demonstrated.
11:0	ORGAN DEMONSTRATION/ORGAN CRAWL AT CUCC, CLAREMONT Glatter-Götz/Rosales Organ; David Dahl, organist
12:00 p.m	. WALK TO POMONA COLLEGE, CLAREMONT
12:1	5 BOX LUNCH AT THE COLLEGE
1:0	LECTURE: Dressing Up Sacred Cows: Improving Acoustics while Preserving Architectural Integrity (Dana Kirkegaard, acoustician)
1:1	ORGAN DEMONSTRATION/ORGAN CRAWL AT POMONA COLLEGE, CLAREMONT C. B. Fisk organ; David Dahl, organist; David C. Pike, narrator
2:00	BOARD BUS FOR LAKE AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL, PASADENA
2:4	ORGAN DEMONSTRATION AT LAKE AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL, PASADENA Casavant organ; David Dahl, organist
3:30	BOARD BUS FOR OUR MOTHER OF GOOD COUNSEL CHURCH, LOS FELIZ Refreshments in transit courtesy of Rosales Organ Builders
4:00	ORGAN DEMONSTRATION AT OUR MOTHER OF GOOD COUNSEL CHURCH Schoenstein organ; James Welch, demonstrator; Jack Bethards, narrator

5:00 BOARD BUS FOR HOTEL

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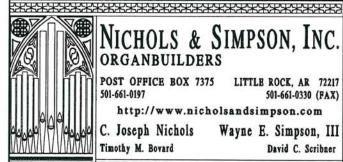
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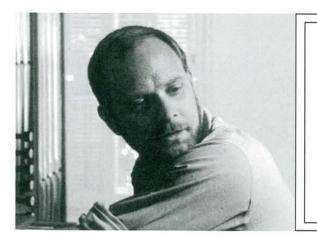


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- 8' Diapason
- 8' Principal (prep.)
- 8' Gambe (prep.)
- 8' Flute harmonique
- 8' Bourdon
- 4' Octave
- 4' Koppelflöte
- 23/3' Quinte
- 2' Super Octave Fourniture IV-V
  - Cymbale III
- Cornet V (prep.) 16' Posaune
- Trompete
- Tuba Mirabilis
  - Chimes

#### **CHOIR**

(Manual I-expressive)

- 16' Contra Viola
- Principal\*
- 8' Bourdon\*
- 8' Viola
- 8' Viola Celeste
- 8' Dulciana\*
- 8' Unda Maris\*
- 4' Octave\*
- 4' Spitzflöte
- 23/3' Nasard
  - 2' Blockflöte
- 13/5' Tierce
- 11/3' Larigot \* Mixture IV
- 8' Trompette (prep.)
- 8' Cromorne\*
- 4' Clarion (prep.)
- 8' Tuba Mirabilis Tremulant

#### **SWELL**

(Manual III-expressive)

- 16' Rohrbass (ext.)
- 8' Geigen Diapason
- Rohrflöte
- Viole de Gambe
- Voix celeste (tenor c)
- Flauto Dolce
- 8' Flute Celeste (tenor c)
- 4' Octave
- 4' Flûte Octaviante
- 2' Octavin Fourniture III
- Cymbale II/IV 16' Basson
- Trompette
- Basson-Hautbois
- Vox Humana\*
- Clarion
- 8' Tuba Mirabilis (Solo)

Tremulant

Harp

Celesta

#### SOLO

(Manual IV-expressive)

- Gross Flute
- Gamba\*
- Gamba Celeste\*
- Orchestral Flute
- Tuba Mirabilis\*
- 8' English Horn
- 8' Clarinet\*
  - Cornet V

Tremulant

Chimes

Harp

Celesta

#### ANTIPHONAL (prepared)

(Manual V-expressive)

- Principal
- 8' Bourdon
- 8' Viole
- 8' Viole Celeste (tenor c)
- 4' Gedeckt
- 4' Octave
- 2' Super Octave
  - Mixture IV
- 8' Trumpet
- 8' Tuba Mirabilis

#### PEDAL

- 32' Contrebasse (elect.)
- 32' Bourdon (prep.)
- 16' Open Diapason
- 16' Contrebasse
- 16' Principal (prep.)
- 16' Contra Viole (prep.)
- 16' Soubasse
- 16' Rohrbass (Sw.)
- 8' Octave
- 8' Principal
- 8' Bourdon
- 8' Viola (Ch.) 8' Rohrflöte
- 4' Octave
- 4' Flute
- 32' Contre Bombarde (ext.)
- 16' Bombarde
- 16' Posaune (Gt.)
- 32' Contre Basson (prep.)
- 16' Basson
- 8' Trompette
- Basson
- 4' Clairon
- Hautbois (Sw.)

Chimes

#### ANTIPHONAL PEDAL

(prepared)

16' Bourdon

8' Gedeckt

Original instrument: 1925 M. P. Möller, 3 manuals, 40 ranks (The Mrs. Clara Shatto Memorial Pipe Organ)

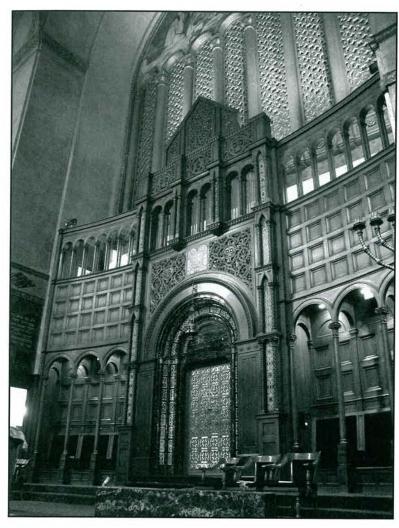
1956 M. P. Möller additions and 4-manual console

1979 Harris Organ Co. 4-manual console refurbished; revoicing and releathering work, funded with a gift from The Ahmanson Foundation 29 ranks of original 1925 pipework (denoted in stoplist with \*)

1999 Robert Turner Organs 5-manual console

Present size: 42 ranks, with preparations for an additional 36 ranks

8 ranks from other American organs, 23 ranks of European pipework



#### GREAT

(Manual II - expressive)

- 16' Diapason
- 8' First Diapason
- 8' Second Diapason
- 8' Double Flute
- 8' Claribel Flute
- 8' Viola de Gamba
- 8' Gemshorn
- 4' Octave
- 4' Harmonic Flute
- 23/3' Twelfth
- 2' Fifteenth
- 8' Trumpet
- Clarion Chimes (Echo)

Harp (Choir) Tremulant

(Manual III - expressive)

- 16' Gedeckt
- 8' Diapason
- 8' Horn Diapason
- 8' Clarabella
- 8' Rohrflute
- 8' Viola
- 8' Voix Celeste
- 8' Salicional
- 8' Vox Celeste
- 8' Aeoline
- 4' Octave 4' Flute
- 2' Flautino
- Mixture V
- 16' Contra Posaune
- 8' Cornopean
- 4' Clarion
- 8' Oboe
- Vox Humana Tremulant

## Wilshire Boulevard Temple

W. W. Kimball, 1929

#### **CHOIR**

(Manual I - expressive)

- 16' Contra Salicional
- 8' Diapason
- 8' Melodia
- 8' Dulciana
- 8' Unda Maris
- 4' Flute
- 2' Piccolo
- Clarinet

8' Orchestral Oboe Harp Celesta

Tremulant

#### SOLO

(Manual IV - expressive)

- Melophone
- Violoncello
- Gamba Celeste
- Orchestral Flute
- Tuba Mirabilis
- 8' English Horn
- 8' French Horn

4' Clarion Chimes (Echo) Tremulant

#### ECHO (expressive)

- 8' Echo Flute
- 8' Viola Aetheria
- 8' Vox Angelica
- 8' Vox Humana
- 4' Fern Flute Chimes **Tremulant**

#### PEDAL (expressive with Great)

- 32' Sub Bass
- 16' Diapason
- 16' Open Diapason (Gt.)
- 16' Bourdon (ext.)
- 16' Gedeckt (Sw.)
- 8' Octave (ext.)
- 8' Flute (ext.)
- 8' Cello (Solo) 8' Gedeckt (Sw.)
- 4' Super Octave (ext.)
- 16' Ophicleide
- 16' Contra Posaune (Sw.)
- 8' Tromba (ext.)
- 4' Clarion (ext.) Chimes (Echo)

Original specification and pipework; original console with side-jamb stopkeys. Entire organ under expression and installed in a chamber above the Ark; Echo Organ mounted in the dome.

#### **Pre-Convention Tour Organs – Saturday**

#### First Congregational Church

Chancel: Skinner Opus 856 (1932), enlarged 1967, 1992; Gallery: Schlicker Organ Co. (1969), enlarged 1992

#### CHANCEL GREAT

(Manual II, unenclosed, above the North Choir)

- 16' Principal
- 16' Holz Gedeckt
- 8' Montre
- 8' Diapason
- 8' Harmonic Flute
- Spitz Flute
- 8' Bourdon (metal)
- 8' Gamba
- 51/3' Quint
- 4' Octave
- 4' Hohl Flute
- 31/5' Tierce
- 22/3' Twelfth
- 2' Fifteenth
- Seventeenth Mixture IV-V Scharf III
- 16' Fagotto
- 8' Tromba
- 8' Trumpet
- Clarion

Cloches (Solo, digtl.)

#### CHANCEL ITALIAN

(Floating, unenclosed, above the Peace Shrine)

- 8' Principal
- 8' Voce Ûmana
- Flauto
- Ottava
- Flauto in Ottava
- Quinta Decima
- 11/3' Decima Nona
  - 1' Vigesima Seconda
- 3/3′ Vigesima Sesta
- ½' Vigesima Terza
- 1/3' Trigesima Terza Cymbelstern

#### **CHANCEL SWELL**

(Manual III, enclosed, above the South Choir)

- 16' Bourdon
- Diapason
- 8' Hohl Flute (wood)
- 8' Gedeckt
- Gemshorn
- Gemshorn Celeste
- Salicional
- Voix Celeste II
- 8' Echo Viole Celeste II
- Orchestral Strings III
- 8' Flute Celeste II
- Octave
- 4' Flauto Traverso

- 4' Chimney Flute
- Unda Maris II
- 23/3' Nasard
- 2' Wald Flute
- 13/5' Tierce
- 11/3' Larigot String Mixture V Chorus Mixture V
- Scharf III 32' Double Waldhorn
- 16' Waldhorn
- Trumpet
- 8' Flugel Horn
- 8' Oboe
- Vox Humana
- Clarion Tremulant

#### CHANCEL SOLO

(Manual IV, enclosed, above the North Choir)

- 8' Grand Diapason
- Flauto Mirabilis
- Doppel Flute
- Violone Pomposa
- Violone Celeste
- Gamba Celeste II
- Gross Octave
- 4' Flute Ouverte
- 23' Gross Nazard
- 2' Flute Fife
- Grand Chorus V
- 16' Posaune
- 16' Corno di Bassetto (digtl.)
- 8' Posaune
- French Horn
- English Horn
- 8' Rohr Schalmey
- Tuba Mirabilis
- Harmonic Clarion Tremulant

Harp (digtl.)

#### CHANCEL EPISTLE

(Manual V, unenclosed, in the South Gallery)

- 8' Diapason 8' Rohr Flute
- Octave
- Octavin (prep.) 2' Grand Plein Jeu IV
- Sesquialtera IV 16' Clarinette Basse
- 8' Trompette
- 4' Clarion
- 8' Trumpet Royale Tremulant

#### CHANCEL CHOIR

(Manual I, enclosed,

- above the North Choir) 16' Contra Viola
  - Diapason
  - Concert Flute
  - Lieblich Flute
  - Viola
  - Dulciana
  - Unda Maris II
  - Erzahler Celeste II
  - Principal
  - Flauto D'Amour
  - 23/3' Nazard
  - 2' Block Flute
  - 1¾′ Tierce
    - Mixture III-IV
  - 16' Cor Anglais
  - Trompette
  - Hautbois
  - Clarinet Tremulant
  - Harp Celesta
  - 8' Trumpet Royale

#### CHANCEL PEDAL

(unenclosed,

- above the North Choir)
  - 64' Gravissima (digtl.)
  - 32' Diapason Bass (digtl.)
  - 32' Contra Violone (digtl.)
  - 32' Sub Bourdon (1-7 digtl.)
  - 16' Open Bass (digtl.)
  - 16' Montre
  - 16' Contra Bass
  - 16' Principal (Gt.) Violone (digtl.)
  - 16'
  - 16' Bourdon
  - 16' Holz Gedeckt (Gt.) 16' Lieblich Bourdon (Sw.)
  - 16' Contra Viola (Choir)

  - 8' Octave Principal (Gt.)
  - Gemshorn
  - 8' Violoncello (digtl.)
  - 8' Bourdon

- 8' Lieblich Flute (Sw.)
- 4' Choral Bass
- 4' Holz Gedeckt (Gt.)
- 2' Nachthorn
  - Mixture IV Harmonics V
- 32' Ophicleide (digtl.)
- Double Waldhorn (Sw.) 16' Trombone
- 16' Posaune (Solo)
- 16' Fagotto (Gt.)
- 16' Waldhorn (Sw.)
- 10<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Posaune Quint (Solo)
  - 8' Tromba
  - 8' Trumpet
  - Clarion Waldhorn (Sw.) Bass Drum

#### MUSICIAN'S GALLERY

(unenclosed,

- above the South Choir)
  - 8' Gedeckt 4' Flute
  - 2' Principal 11/3' Quint

**GOSPEL ORGAN** (floating, enclosed,

- in the North Gallery)
  - 8' Rohrflote
  - 4' Principal 23/3' Nazard
  - 2' Schwegel
  - Mixture IV Cromorne
  - 8' Petite Trompette

#### **GOSPEL STRING**

- (enclosed with Gospel Organ)
  - 16' Contra Violes II (prep.)
  - 8' String Organ VII 8' Celestial Strings III (prep.)
    - Salicet Celeste III (prep.) Tremulant

Gospel Organ (north transept) built by Richard F. Muench

Epistle Organ built by Robert L. David and Associates, 1994

Chancel console built by M. P. Möller and Hagerstown Organ Co. Gallery console built by the Hagerstown Organ Co.

and William Zeiler, 1992

#### GOSPEL PEDAL

(enclosed with Gospel Organ) 16' Pedal Bourdon

#### **GALLERY GREAT**

(Manual II, unenclosed, West Gallery Case)

- 16' Principal
- 16' Pommer
- 8' Octave
- 8' Rohrfloete
- 8' Spillfloete
- 4' Octave
- 4' Nachthorn
- 23/3' Quint
- 2' Octave Mixture IV-V Grossmixture VI-VII Cornet IV (tenor f)
- 16 Trumpet
- 8' Trumpet
- 4' Trumpet
- 8' Trompeta Real (horiz.)



Chancel Organ (Skinner, 1932)



Gallery Organ (Schlicker, 1969)

#### GALLERY RÜCK-POSITIVE

(Manual I, unenclosed,

- Gallery Rail case) 8' Principal
  - 8' Rohrgedeckt
  - 4' Octave
  - 4' Spitzfloete
  - 2<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Quint
    - 2 Octave
    - 2 Blockfloete Sesquialtera II Mixture IV-VI
      - Mixture IV-VI Terzzimbel III
  - 16' Dulzian
  - 8' Krummhorn
  - 4' Schalmei Tremulant

(Manual III, enclosed,

Principal

Bourdon

8' Dolce Celeste

4' Traversfloete

Mixture IV-VI

Cymbel III

2' Nachthorn

Gamba

4' Octave

23/3' Nasat

13/5' Tierce

11/1/ Septieme

West Gallery case)

8'

8'

8'

8' Dolce

8' Fanfare Trumpet (Brust.)

**GALLERY SWELL** 

16' Lieblich Gedeckt

Flute Harmonic

Gamba Celeste

#### GALLERY BRUSTWERK

Tremulant

Trompette

Vox Humana

Schalmei

Clarion

(Manual IV, unenclosed, West Gallery Case)

8' Gedeckt

16' Fagott

8'

8'

- 8' Ouintadena
- 4' Principal
- 4' Spitzgedeckt
- 2' Octave
- 2' Rohrfloete
- 11/3' Larigot
- 1' Siffloete Terzian II Scharf IV-V
- 8' Baerpfeife
- 4' Regal Tremulant
- 16' Trompeta Real (Gt.)
- 8' Trompeta Real (Gt.)
- 4' Trompeta Real (Gt.)
- 8' Fanfare Trumpet

#### **GALLERY ETHEREAL**

(Manual V, enclosed, West Gallery)

- 8' Flute Ouverte (prep.)
- 8' Gross Gedeckt (prep.)
- 8' Flute Harmonique (prep.)
- 8' String Organ IV (prep.)
- 8' Violoncello (prep.)

- 8' Cello Celeste (prep.)
- 8' Vox Coelestis II (prep.)
- 8' Celeste Harm. II (prep.)
- 8' Ludwigtone (prep.)
- 8' Aeolian Harp II (prep.)
- 4' Flute Triangulaire (prep.)
- 4' Vox Seraphic II (prep.)
- 16' Musette (prep.)
- 8' French Horn (prep.)
- 8' Saxophone (prep.)
- 8' Clarinet (prep.)
- Tremulant (prep.)
- 8' Fanfare Trumpet (BW)

Chimes (Solo)

Harp

Glockenspiel

#### **GALLERY ECHO**

(Manual V, enclosed, West Gallery chamber)

- 8' Cor du Nuit
- 8' Vox Angelica II
- 8' Unda Maris II
- 4' Fern Flute
- 4' Celeste Divinaire II Dolce Cornet IV-V
- 8' Oboe
- 8' Vox Humana Tremulant

#### GALLERY PEDAL

(unenclosed, West Gallery)

- 32' Principal
- 16' Octave
- 16' Kontrabass (Gt.)
- 16' Gemshorn

- 16' Subbass
- 103/3' Quint
  - 8' Octave 8' Flachfloete
  - 8' Gedeckt
- 51/3' Quint
- 4' Choralbass
- 4' Dolcan
- 4' Hohlfloete
- 2' Nachthorn
- 1' Gemshorn
  - Hintersatz V Mixture VI
- Rauschpfeife III 32' Kontra Bombarde
- (half-length)
- 16' Trompeta Real (Gt.)
- 16' Bombarde
- 16' Fagott (Sw.)
- 8' Trompeta Real (Gt.)
- 8' Trumpet
- 4' Clarion
- 4' Schalmei
- 2' Kornett

#### GALLERY ETHER. PEDAL

(enclosed with Ethereal, West Gallery)

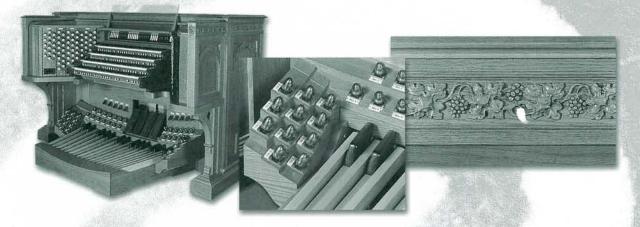
16' Bourdon (prep.)

#### **GALLERY ECHO PEDAL**

(unenclosed with Echo, West Gallery chamber)

- 16' Echo Gedeckt
- 10¾ Quint
  - 8' Gedeckt

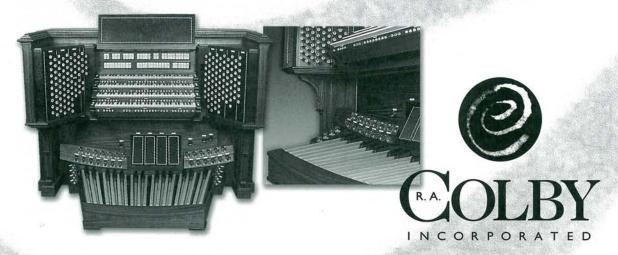
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#### St. James Episcopal Church

Murray M. Harris, 1911 (from St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral, Los Angeles) Renovation 1992 and 1995, Austin Organs Inc. and H. L. Schlicker Co.

#### GREAT

(Manual II - unenclosed)

- 16' Double Open Diapason (East façade)
- 8' First Open Diapason
- 8' Second Open Diapason
- 8' Gamba
- 8' Gemshorn
- 8' Gross Flute
- 8' Doppelflöte
- 4' Octave
- 4' Harmonic Flute
- 23/3' Octave Quint
- 2' Super Octave Harmonic Mixture III-V (with Tierce)
  - Mixture IV

Cornet V (mounted)

- 16' Double Trumpet
- 8' Trumpet
- 4' Clarion
- 8' Solo Trumpet (Choir)
- 8' Harmonic Tuba (Choir) Cymbalstern

#### **SWELL**

(Manual III - expressive)

- 16' Bourdon
- 8' Open Diapason
- 8' Horn Diapason
- 8' Salicional
- 8' Vox Celeste (tenor c)
- 8' Stopped Diapason
- 4' Octave
- 4' Open Flute
- 23/3' Nasard
- 2' Harmonic Piccolo
- 13/5' Tierce Dolce Cornet III Mixture IV
- 16' Contra Fagotto
- 8' Cornopean
- 8' Oboe
- 8' Vox Humana
- 4' Clarion Tremolo

#### **CHOIR**

(Manual I - expressive)

- 16' Double Dulciana (low 5 digtl.)
- 8' Open Diapason
- 8' Dulciana (tenor c)
- 8' Unda maris
- 8' Melodia
- 4' Fugara
- 4' Harmonic Flute
- 2' Flautina
- Sharp Mixture III 8' Orchestral Oboe
- 8' Clarinet
- Tremolo
- 8' Solo Trumpet 8' Harmonic Tuba

#### ECHO (expressive)

- 8' Cor de Nuit
- 8' Viole Ætheria
- 8' Voix céleste
- 4' Fernflöte (ext.)
- 8' Vox Humana
  - & Tremolo

#### REAR GALLERY

(en chamade)

- 16' Wolcott Tromba (ext.)
- 8' Wolcott Tromba
- 4' Wolcott Tromba (ext.)
- 8' Trompette des Anges

#### PEDAL

- 32' Bourdon (digtl.)
- 32' Lieblich Gedeckt (digtl.)
- 16' Open Diapason
- 16' Violone (West façade)
- 16' Bourdon
- 16' Lieblich Gedeckt (Sw.)
- 8' Octave
- 8' Violoncello
- 8' Flûte
- 4' Super Octave

Mixture VI (31/5' optional)

- 32' Bombarde (Choir Tuba)
- 16' Trombone (Choir Tuba)
- 16' Fagotto (Sw.)
- 8' Tuba (Choir Tuba)
- 4' Clairon (Choir Tuba)

#### **ECHO PEDAL**

16' Echo Bourdon (ext.)

4 manuals, 86 ranks, 4,543 pipes Echo organ from the church's 1926 Kimball Manuel J. Rosales, Consultant Funded with a gift from The Ahmanson Foundation Digital harp and chimes 32' Bombarde low C diameter = 24 inches The organ was formerly in St. Paul's Cathedral in downtown Los Angeles and was removed in 1980 when the building was demolished. It was originally built for St. Paul's Church on Pershing Square and was moved to the cathedral in 1924 by Stanley Williams, who had worked for Murray M. Harris when the organ was built. At the time of the 1924 relocation, Mr. Williams had become a representative for W. W. Kimball.

#### **Pre-Convention Tour Organs - Saturday**

#### Garden Grove Community Church, "The Crystal Cathedral"

(Gallery Gt.)

Tremulant

Fratelli Ruffatti, 1977; Aeolian-Skinner, 1962 (Opus 1388, from Philharmonic Hall, Lincoln Center, New York) Enlarged by Ruffatti in 1980 (additional casework and *en chamade* stops)

Arboretum Organ: Aeolian-Skinner, 1951 (Opus 1141, from the Christian Science Church of Beverly Hills)

#### MAIN ORGAN:

	GREAT	4'	Octave		POSITIV	8'	Tuba Mirabilis (18" wind)
(Manu	ial II, unenclosed)	4'	Flute à Pavillon	(Manı	ual V, unenclosed)	4'	Tuba Clarion (ext.)
	Montre	4'	Cor de Nuit		Bourdon (Gt.)		Tremulant
	Kontra Geigen	22/3'	Nazard		Principal		
	Bourdon	2'	Doublette	8'	Rohrflöte		PEDAL
	Diapason	2'	Flute à Bec		Prinzipal	61'	La Force (derived)
	Principal Major	13/5'	Tierce		Spillflöte		Double Diapason (ext.)
8'	Principal	11/3'	Larigot	2'	Oktav		Contra Bourdon (digtl.)
	Holz Bourdon	11//	Septieme (prep.)		Larigot		Kontra Geigen
	Flute Harmonique	1'	Piccolo	1′	Sifflöte		Contre Gambe (Sw.)
	Spitzflöte		None		Scharf IV		
	Spitz Celeste	2'	Plein Jeu III-IV		Terz Zimbel III		Diapente Grave (ext.) Diapason
	Gross Quinte		Ripieno V		Fagotto		
	Octave		Cymbale III-IV		Krummhorn		Contre Basse
	Oktav		Bombarde		Rohr Schalmei		Montre (Gt.)
-	Flute à Cheminee		Contre Trompette (ten. c)		Tuba Mirabilis (Solo)		Principal
	Flûte Ouverte		Basson		Tremulant		Bourdon
	Gross Tierce		Premiere Trompette		Temalan	5.50	Subbasso
	Quinte		Deuxieme Trompette		2010		Gambe (Sw.)
	Sesquialtera II		Hautbois d'Orchestre		SOLO		Gemshorn (Ch.)
	Jeu de Tierce II		Hautbois	50.000 200	ial IV, enclosed)		Flute Courte (Sw.)
	Fifteenth		Voix Humaine	100	Gambe		Quintaton (Sw.)
	Super Octave		Premiere Clairon		Gambe Celeste		Quinte
	Blockflöte		Deuxieme Clairon		Major Flute (Gal. Solo)		Octave
	Grand Fourniture		Cornet V (collective)	8'	Doppelflöte		Principal
273	II-VII (preparation)		Tremulant		Major Octave		Violone
114			Hemulant		Orchestral Flute	8'	Geigen (Gt.)
	Ripieno IV		orrorn	22/3'	Quinte Flute (tenor c)	8'	Spitzflöte
	Mixture IV-VI		CHOIR	2'	Fife		Principal (Pos.)
	Cimbalo IV		al I, enclosed)	2'	Harmonics VI		Bourdon
	Zimbel IV		Gemshorn	11/3'	Gross Fourniture III		Bordone
	Contre Trompette (ten. c)		Viola Pomposa	1/2'	Cymbel IV		Gemshorn (Ch.)
	Posaune		Viola Celeste	16'	English Post Horn (ext.)	8'	Flute Courte (Sw.)
	Trompette		Cor de Nuit		Trompette Harmonique	51/3'	Octave Quinte
	Trompette	8'	Flauto Dolce		English Post Horn	4'	Choralbass
4	Clairon	8'	Flauto Celeste		English Horn	4'	Octave
		4'	Prinzipal		French Horn	4'	Principal (Pos.)
	SWELL	4'	Koppelflöte	8'	Corno di Bassetto	4'	Spillflöte
(Manu	al III, enclosed)	22/3'	Rohr Nasat	8'	Cor de Basset (Gal. Solo)	4'	Spireflöte
32'	Contre Gambe (digtl.)	2'	Prinzipal		Clairon Harmonique	2'	Spindleflote
	Gambe (digtl.)	2'	Zauberflöte		nan tana na m	51/3'	Fourniture IV
	Flûte Courte	13/5'	Tierce		closed Solo)		Ripieno VI
	Quintadena	11/3'	Larigot		Flute d'Arvella (Pedal)		Acuta II
	Montre		Scharf IV		Herald trumpet (16" wind)		Grand Cornet IV (derived)
	Principal	16'	Fagotto		Millenial Trumpet (Gal. Gt.)		Contre Bombarde (digtl.)
	Viole de Gamba		Petite Trompette	16'	Tuba Profunda (tenor c ext.)		Kontra Posaune (ext.)
	Viole Celeste		Clarinet			nami.	en andre and the second
	Salicional		Fagotto				
	Voix Celeste		Millenial Trumpet				
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Wind supply: 10 blowers (31 hp total), 54 resevoirs, 110 windchests Arboretum Organ (stoplist to be provided during tour):

5 mechanical and 4 digital percussion voices Main console: 5 manuals, 301 stops, 384 drawknobs, 66 tablets

16,041 pipes, 270 ranks, 228 voices, 31 digital voices

Main and Gallery Organs:

4,949 pipes, 82 ranks, 75 voices Console: 4 manuals, 61 stops

8' Erzähler

4' Prestant

8' Erzähler Celeste

8' Flûte Couverte 8' Bourdon

- 32' Contra Fagotto (digtl.)
- 16' Posaune
- 16' Contre Trompette (Gt.)
- 16' Bombarde (Sw.)
- 16' Basson (Sw.)
- 16' English Post Horn (Solo)
- 16' Fagotto (Ch.)
- Trompette
- 8' Trompete
- Fagotto (Ch.)
- Krummhorn (Pos.)
- 4' Klarine
- Trompete
- 4' Rohr Schalmei (Pos.)
- 2' Rohr Schalmei (Pos.)

#### **ECHO**

(Manual III, 8 digital voices)

#### BORSTWERK

(Preparation for 8 stops)

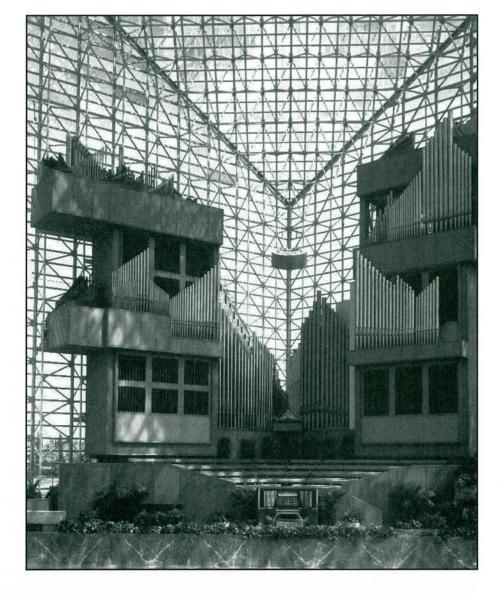
#### TROMPETERIA

(Floating, 16" wind, unenclosed, over east "Gospel" gallery)

- 16' Trompette en Chamade
- 8' Trompette en Chamade
- 4' Trompette en Chamade Digital principal chorus

(Floating, 12" wind, unenclosed, over west "Epistle" gallery)

- 16' Trompette en Chamade
- 8' Trompette en Chamade
- Trompette en Chamade
- Trompette en Chamade Digital principal chorus
- 8' Mounted Cornet V (5" wind)



#### GALLERY ORGAN:

#### **GREAT**

(Manual II, unenclosed)

- 8' Grande Montre (Ped.)
- 8' Holz Principal
- 8' Holz Gedeckt
- 4' Octave
- 4' Koppelflöte
- 2' Fifteenth
- 11/3' Nineteenth
- 1' Twenty-second
- 11/3' Fourniture V
- 1/2' Zimbel IV
- 16' Sub Trumpet (ext.)
- 8' Trumpet
- 4' Clarion (ext.)
- Millenial Trumpet (12" wind)
- Herald Trumpet (Main Solo) Tremulant

(Manual IV, enclosed)

- 8' Major Flute (12" wind)
- 8' Millenial Trumpet (Gt.)

#### STRING

(Manual I, enclosed)

- 16' Viola
- 16' Viola Celeste
- 8' Dulciana
- **Unda Maris**
- 8' Salicional
- 8'
- Voix Celeste
- 8' Dulcett
- **Dulcett Celeste** 8'
- Muted Viole I
- Muted Viole I Celeste
- Muted Viole II
- Muted Viole II Celeste 8'
- Violoncello
- Violoncello Celeste
- Voix Humaine
- 8' Rohrpfeife
- Nachthorn
  - Tremulant

#### SOLO

- 8' Cor de Basset

#### CELESTIAL

- (Manual V, enclosed)
  - 16' Bourdon Doux
  - 8' Principal
  - Viola Pomposa
  - Viola Celeste
  - Flauto Dolce 8'
  - Flauto Celeste
  - Flute à Cheminee

  - 4' Principal
  - 4' Italian Principal
  - 4' Flute Traversiere
  - 2<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Sesquialtera II (tenor c)
    - 2' Doublette
    - 2' Octavin
  - 11/3' Plein Jeu V
  - 3/3' Cymbale IV
  - 1/5' Jeu de Clochette II
  - 16' Contre Trompette (ext.)
  - 16' Ranquette
  - Harmonic Trompette
  - Hautbois
  - Cromorne
  - Harmonic Clairon
  - Trumpet Regal Tremulant

#### PEDAL

- 32' Contra Basse (digtl.)
- 32' Untersatz (digtl.)
- 16' Montre le Tour
- 16' Open Wood
- 16' Bourdon
- 16' Bourdon Doux (Celestial)
- 16' Viola (String)
- 16' Viola Celeste (String)
  - Prestant (ext.)
- Bourdon (ext.)
- Viola (String)
- Viola Celeste (String)
- Basse de Choral (ext.)
- 23/3' Mixture V (Gal. Gt.)
- 32' Bombarde (preparation)
- 32' Grand Harmonics IV (derived)
- 16' Bombarde
- 16' Sub Trumpet (Gal. Gt.)
- 16' Contre Trompette (Cel.)
- Ranquette (Celestial) 8' Bombarde (ext.)
- Clairon (ext.)
- 8' Millenial Trumpet (Gal.)

#### Pre-Convention Tour Organs - Sunday

#### El Capitan Theatre, Hollywood

WurlitTzer Opus 2012, 1929, from the San Francisco Fox Theatre 4 manuals, 37 ranks\*



Originally installed in the San Francisco Fox in 1929, this WurliTzer is one of five "Fox Specials" built for very large theaters which sat over 3,000. The first of these was the organ for the New York Paramount which was played by Jesse Crawford. In 1963 the splendid San Francisco Fox movie palace was torn down and the organ removed. It was purchased by California State Assemblyman Frank Lanterman and installed in an appended chamber to his ranch style home in La Cañada. Nestled in the hills of this upscale Los Angeles suburb the "organ chamber" was considered an eyesore by his neighbors. When Assemblyman Lanterman passed away it was thought that the house might be converted into a community concert hall, but this concept was quickly squelched

and the organ was removed under the guidance of Edward Millington Stout. While it was being placed into storage, several possible transplant locations in the City of Glendale were considered. The exquisitely restored El Capitan Theatre had been prepared for an organ when it was built in the 1920s, and in the building's restoration the chambers were preserved. Rebuilt and installed in 1999 by George M. Buck Pipe Organs of Grand Rapids, Michigan, the San Francisco WurliTzer "Fox Special" sings out again into the Baroque splendor of the ornate auditorium. Ed Collins of Buena Vista Pictures will give us a guided tour and a history of the purchase, restoration, installation and its regular use in Disney Studio's flagship movie house.

<sup>\*</sup> The stoplist will be distributed at the theatre.



Hollywood High School Skinner Organ Company, Opus 481 (1924) and Opus 481-A (1929)

#### GREAT (unenclosed)

- 16' Pedal Bourdon
- 8' Diapason
- Clarabella Flute
- Wald Flute
- 4' Octave
- 4' Flute
- 8' Tromba
- Swell French Horn Mixture Diapason Mixture Octave Mixture 12-15-17 Chimes

#### SWELL (enclosed)

- 16' Bourdon
- 8' Diapason
- 8' Gedeckt
- Salicional
- Voix Celeste
- Flauto Dolce
- 8' Flute Celeste
- 4' Octave
- 4' Flute
- Flautino Mixture III
- Cornopean
- Oboe
- 8' Vox Humana
- Clarion Tremolo

#### CHOIR (enclosed)

- 8' Diapason
- Concert Flute
- 8' Dulciana
- 8' Unda Maris
- 4' Flute
- Clarinet
  - Harp
  - Celesta Tremolo

#### PEDAL

- 32' Resultant (Bourdon)
- 16' Diapason
- 16' Violone
- 16' Bourdon
- 16' Echo Lieblich (Sw.)
- 8' Octave (ext.)
- 8' Gedeckt (ext.)
- Still Gedeckt (Sw.)
- 16' Trombone
- Tromba (prep.) Chimes (Gt.)

3 manuals, 39 ranks

2002 renovation by Austin Organs, Inc.

All original materials were retained, with the exception of the switching and combination action, which were replaced by a new solid-state system.



Alan Kay/Bonnie MacBird Residence Gregory Harrold Organ Builders Opus 14, 1995

#### GREAT

- 8' Principal
- 8' Rohrflute
- 4' Octave
- 4' Spitzflute
- 23/3' Nasard
- 2' Octave
- 13/5' Tierce Mixture III
- Trumpet
- 8' Vox humana

#### BRUST

- 8' Gedackt
- 4' Rohrflute
- 2' Waldflute
- 11/3' Quint
- II Sesquialtera (middle c)
- 8' Dulcian

4' Octave Mixture II

PEDAL

8' Principal

16' Subbass

8' Violon

- 16' Posaune
- 8' Trumpet
- 8' Bassoon

28 ranks, 24 stops

General Tremulant

Windpressure: 65mm (2-9/16")

56/30 compass

Temperament: Kellner/Bach at a'=440

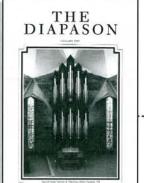
Greg Harrold Opus 14 was commissioned in 1989 when Alan Kay and his wife, Bonnie MacBird, selected the firm to build an organ for their home. Mr. Kay wanted an organ that would favor the music of Buxtehude and Bach. A special music room was designed and built concurrent with the design and construction of the organ. The organ was inaugurated in 1995.

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## St. Cyril of Jerusalem Church

Rosales Organ Builders, Opus 23, 1998



#### GREAT

(Manual I - expressive)

- 16' Violone
- 8' Principal (low 8 wood)
- 8' Flûte ĥarmonique b
- b 8' Bourdon
- 8' Violoncello (ext.)
- 8' 'Cello Celeste (low C) b
- 8' Gemshorn b
- 8' Gemshorn Celeste (tenor c) a
- 4' Octave a
- 4' Spire Flute
- 2<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Octave Quint
- 2' Super Octave
- 13/5' Tierce b
- 11/3' Mixture V a
- 8' Trumpet
- 8' Basson (Sw.) b
- 8' Cromorne b
- 8' Vox Humana Chimes (Solo)
  - 8' East Chamade (Solo)

#### **SWELL**

(Manual II - expressive)

- 16' Lieblich Gedeckt (wood)
- 8' Geigen Principal
- b 8' Flûte traversière (low 12 open wood)
- Viole de Gambe
- 8' Voix celeste (low C)
- Principal
- 4' Flûte octaviante b
- 23' Nasard
- 2' Octavin
- b 13/5' Tierce
- 2' Mixture IV
- 16 Basson
- 8' Trompette
- b 8' Hautbois
- b Clarion Harp
  - West Chamade (Solo)

#### SOLO (Manual III)

- 16' East Chamade (ext., from tenor c)
- 8' East Chamade
- 4' East Chamade (ext.)
- West Chamade
- West Chamade (ext.) Chimes (in Swell box, 25 tubes) Harp (Sw.)

Celesta (49 bars, ext. of Harp)

#### PEDAL

- 32' Violonbasse (digtl.)
- Bourdon (digtl.)
- 16' Prestant (32 pipes in façade)
- Violone (Gt.)
- 16' Bourdon
- Lieblich Gedeckt (Sw.)
- Octave (32 pipes in façade)
- Violoncello (Gt.)
- Bourdon (ext.)
- Super Octave (32 pipes in façade)
- Trombone (ext., full length)
- 16' Trombone (low 12 wood)
- 16' Basson (Sw.)
- Trumpet (ext.)
- 4' Clarion (ext.)

38 stops, 45 ranks

2,650 pipes

20 couplers

Manual Transfers:

Great "a" on Solo

Great "b" on Solo

Swell "a" on Solo

Swell "b" on Solo

Great tremolo Swell tremolo

Vox Humana tremolo

Vox Humana p

Cymbelstern, 6 bronze bells Nightingale, 2 pipes in water

Electric pulldown slider chests

Multi-level combination system MIDI compatibility

61/32 compass

## Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels

Dobson Organ Builders, Ltd. Opus 75, 2002



#### GREAT (II; unenclosed)

- 32' Prestant (low 24 façade)
- 16' Prestant (ext.)
- 16' Violonbasse
- 16' Bourdon
- 8' Principal
- Violoncelle (ext.)
- Flûte harmonique
- Bourdon (ext.) 8'
- 51/3' Gros Nasard
- 4' Octave
- 4' Nachthorn
- 31/5' Grosse Tierce
- 23/3' Octave Quint
- 2' Octave
- 13/5' Tierce
- 8' Corneta Magna VII (f°-g3)
- 2' Mixture V-VIII
- 1' Cymbal IV
- 16' Posaune
- 8' Trumpet
- Clarion Tremulant
- 8' Horizontal Trumpet (interior)

#### SWELL (III; enclosed)

- 16' Bourdon
- 8' Diapason
- 8' Bourdon
- Viole de gambe
- Voix céleste
- 8' Dulciane
- Voix angélique
- 4' Prestant
- 4' Flûte octaviante
- 23/3' Nasard
- 2' Octavin
- 13/5' Tierce
- Plein jeu IV-V
- Bombarde (full length)
- Trompette harmonique
- Basson-Hautbois
- Voix humaine
- Clairon harmonique

Tremulant Chimes

#### POSITIVE (I; enclosed)

- 16' Gemshorn
- Principal
- Gedackt
- Salicional
- Unda maris
- 4' Octave
- Chimney Flute
- 2' Octave
- 11/3' Larigot
- 23' Sesquialtera II
- Mixture IV-VI
- 16' Bassoon
- Trumpet 8'
- Clarion Cromorne
- Tremulant
- Tuba (Solo)
- Harp

Fanfare on Positive

#### SOLO (IV; enclosed)

- 16' Principal (low 24 façade)
- Principal
- Major Flute
- Gamba
- Gamba Celeste
- 8' Viole d'Orchestre
- 51/3' Quint
  - 4' Octave
- Orchestral Flute
- Super Octave
- 23' Mixture IV
- 8' English Horn
- 8' French Horn
- Clarinet
- Tremulant
- 32' Contre Bombarde
- 16' Bombarde (ext.)
- Trumpet
- 4' Clarion
- Tuba
- Horizontal Trumpet (Gt.)

Fanfare on Solo

## FANFARE (floating, horizontal)

- 16' Trompeta magna
- Trompeta de los angeles
- Trompeta fuerte (ext. of 16')
- Clarín de campaña (ext. of 4')
- 4' Bajoncillo
- PEDAL 32' Prestant (Gt.)
- 32' Contra Bourdon (ext., Gt.)
- 16' Open Diapason
- 16' Principal (Solo)
- 16' Violonbasse (Gt.)
- 16' Subbass
- 16' Bourdon (Gt.)
- 16' Gemshorn (Pos.)
- 103' Gross Quint (Open Dia. ext.)
  - 8' Octave (Solo)
  - 8' Flute (Open Dia. ext.)
  - Violoncelle (ext., Gt.)
  - 8' Bourdon (Subbass ext.)
- 51/3' Quint (Solo)
- 4' Choralbass (Solo)
- 23' Mixture IV (Solo)
- 32' Contra Trombone
- 32' Contre Bombarde (Solo)
- 16' Trombone (ext.)
- 16' Posaune (Gt.)
- 16' Bombarde (Solo)
- 8' Trumpet (Solo)
- Clarion (Solo)
  - Fanfare on Pedal

76 registers, 104 stops, 105 ranks, 6,019 pipes Manuel J. Rosales, Consultant

Zimbelstern and Nightingale Great/Positive Manual Transfer All Swells to Swell

## SkyRose Chapel, Rose Hills Memorial Park

Quimby Pipe Organs, Inc., 1997

#### GREAT

- 16' Violone
- 8' Diapason
- 8' Principal
- 8' Violoncello (ext.)
- 8' Harmonic Flute (low 12 Bourdon)
- 8' Bourdon
- 4' Octave
- 4' Koppel Flute
- 23/3' Quint
- 2' Super Octave
- 11/3' Mixture IV
- 16' Bombarde
- 8' Tuba Mirabilis (Solo)
- 8' Trompette Harmonique (ext.)
- 8' Trumpet
- 8' Cromorne (Ch.)
- 4' Clarion Harmonique
  - Tremolo
  - Chimes Harp
  - Tower Chimes

#### SWELL (68 note chests)

- 16' Gedeckt
- 8' Gedeckt (ext.)
- 8' Viola
- 8' Viola Celeste
- 8' Salicional
- 8' Voix Celeste
- 4' Principal
- 4' Nachthorn
- 4' Viola (ext.)
- 4' Viola Celeste (ext.)
- 23' Rohr Nazat
- 2' Octave
- 2' Flageolet
- 1¾ Tierce
  - 2' Plein Jeu IV (2' rank from Octave)
- 16' Hautbois
- 8' Trompette
- 8' Hautbois (ext.)
- 8' Vox Humana
- 8' Vox Mystique
- (closes Vox Humana box)
  4' Clarion (ext.)
- Tremolo Chimes

#### **CHOIR**

- (68 note chests, expressive)
- 16' Silver Flute (low 12 digtl.)
- 8' Flauto Mirabilis (Solo)
- 8' Gamba (Solo)
- 8' Gamba Celeste (Solo)
- 8' Rohrflute
- 8' Gemshorn
- 8' Melodia
- 8' Silver Flute (ext.)
- 8' Silver Flute Celeste (tenor c)
- 4' Principal
- 4' Orchestral Flute (Solo)
- 4' Spitz Flute
- 4' Silver Flute (ext.)
- 23/3' Nazard
  - 2' Octave
- 2' Block Flute
- 13/5' Tierce
- 1' Mixture III
- 16' Cromorne
- 8' Trompette Harmonique (*Gt.*)
- 8' Cromorne (ext.)
- 4' Clarion
  - Harmonique (Gt.)
- 8' Tuba Mirabilis (Solo)
- Tremolo
- Chimes
- Harp
- Celesta (4')

#### SOLO

- (68 note chests, expressive)
- 16' Contra Gamba (ext., low 12 digtl.)
- 8' Flauto Mirabilis
- 8' Gamba
- 8' Gamba Celeste
- 4' Orchestral Flute
- 4' Gambette (ext.)
- 8' English Horn\*
- 8' French Horn\*
- 8' Corno di Bassetto\*
- 8' Tuba Mirabilis\* (15" wind)
- 4' Clarion Tuba (ext.)
  - Tremolo Harp
  - Celesta (Harp at 4')
  - **Tower Chimes**
  - Chimes

#### Four manuals, 65 ranks

Blackinton-Johnson style electro-pneumatic slider windchests

- Electro-pneumatic unit windchests for extended ranks
  \* denotes Solo reed ranks built by the Skinner and Aeolian-Skinner
- Peterson Multiplex relay system with MIDI drawknobs in each division



#### PEDAL

- 32' Sub Principal (ext., low 7 digtl.)
- 32' Contra Bourdon (ext., low 12 digtl.)
- 16' Principal
- 16' Violone (Sw.)
- 16' Bourdon
- 16' Gamba (Solo)
- 16' Gedeckt (Sw.)
- 16' Silver Flute (Ch.)
- 8' Octave (ext.)
- 8' Violoncello (*Gt.*) 8' Viola Celeste II (*Sw.*)
- 8' Bourdon (ext.)
- 8' Gedeckt (Sw.)
- 4' Choral Bass 4' Bourdon (ext.)
- 2<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Mixture IV

- 32' Contra Posaune (Gt.)
- 32' Contra Basson (Sw., low 12 digtl.)
- 16' Posaune (Gt.)
- 16' Bombarde (Gt.)
- 16' Hautbois (Sw.) 16' Cromorne (Ch.)
- 8' Tuba Mirabilis (Solo)
- 8' Trumpet (Gt.)
- 8' Trompette Harmonique (Gt.)
- 8' Hautbois (Sw.)
- 4' Clarion (Gt.)
- 4' Hautbois (Sw.)
  - ' Cromorne (Ch.) Chimes (Solo)

## **Convention Organs - Tuesday Evening Tour**



Trinity Lutheran Church
Dobson Organ Builders Opus 56, 1992

#### **GREAT**

(Manual I - unenclosed)

- 8' Prestant
- 8' Rohrflöte
- 4' Octave
- 2' Waldflöte
- 11/3' Mixture IV
- 8' Trumpet

#### **SWELL**

(Manual II - expressive)

- 8' Gedackt
- 8' Gemshorn
- 4' Spillflöte
- 23/3' Nazard
- 2' Gemshorn
- 13/5' Tierce
- 8' Hautbois

#### PEDAL

- 16' Subbass
- 8' Bourdon (ext.)

Tremulant affects both manuals 58/32 compass Mechanical key and stop action Free standing casework of white oak



Manhattan Beach Community Church Schlicker Organ Company, 1973

#### **GREAT**

(Manual I - unenclosed)

- 8' Principal
- 8' Rohrfloete
- 4' Octave
- 2' Waldfloete Mixture V
- 8' Trumpet

#### **POSITIVE**

(Manual II - expressive)

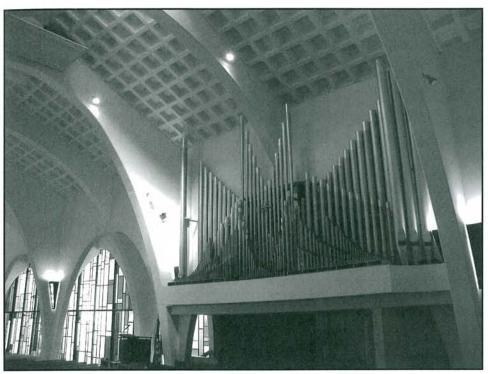
- 8' Holzgedeckt
- 8' Salicional
- 4' Rohrfloete
- 2' Principal
- 11/3' Nasat
  - 8' Schalmei Tremulant

#### PEDAL

- 16' Subbass
- 8' Flachfloete
- 4' Choralbass Rauschpfeife III
- 16' Fagott

#### 2 manuals, 23 ranks

Lee Lassetter, Manhattan Beach Community Church organist, will demonstrate this organ on Tuesday evening.



St. Francis Episcopal Church

Reuter Organ Co., 1966, installed by Justin Kramer, Inc. Tonal changes made in 1978

#### GREAT

(Manual II-unenclosed)

- 16' Sub Principal
- 8' Principal
- 8' Nason Flute (formerly Choir)
- 4' Octave
- 4' Koppelflöte
- 2' Super Octave Fourniture III Zymbel II (formerly Choir)
- 8' Tromba on Great
- 4' Tromba on Great Chimes

#### **CHOIR**

(Manual I - enclosed)

- 8' Wood Gedeckt (formerly Great)
- 8' Spitzflute
- 8' Spitzflute Celeste
- 4' Nachthorn
- 23' Nasard
- 2' Principal (formerly Swell)
- 13/5' Tierce

Cymbel III (formerly Great)

- 8' Clarinet Tremolo
- 8' Tromba on Choir
- 4' Tromba on Choir

#### **SWELL**

(Manual III - enclosed)

- 16' Rohrflöte (ext., unification added 1978)
- 8' Viole de Gambe
- 8' Voix celeste (tenor c)
- 8' Rohrflöte
- 4' Octave
- 4' Hohlflöte
- 2' Rohrflöte (ext.,

unification added 1978)

- 11/3' Larigot (formerly Choir 2') Plein Jeu III
- 16' Fagotto
- 8' Trumpet
- 8' Fagotto (ext.)
- 4' Clarion Tremolo

#### 3 manuals, 41 ranks

#### PEDAL

- 32' Resultant (unification added 1978)
- 16' Open Diapason
- 16' Sub Principal (Gt.)
- 16' Bourdon
- 16' Rohrbass (Sw.)
- 16' Spitzflute (ext., Choir)
- 8' Octave
- 8' Principal (Gt. 16')
- 8' Rohrflöte (Sw.)
- 4' Superoctave (ext.)
- 4' Rohrflöte (Sw.)
- 2' Principal
- 16' Tromba (ext., Great)
- 16' Fagotto (Sw.)
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#### **GREAT**

(Manual II - unenclosed)

- 16' Gedackt\* (low 12 Ped. Bourdon, remainder from Gedackt)
- 8' Principal
- 8' Gedackt
- 8' Gemshorn\*\* (in Swell box, low 17 Sw. Viola)
- 4' Octave
- 4' Spitzflöte
- 23' Quinte
  - 2' Octave Mixture IV
  - 8' Trompete Tremolo

#### **SWELL**

(Manual III - expressive)

- 8' Rohrflöte (low 12 wood)
- 8' Viola da Gamba (low 10 Haskell)
- 8' Viola Celeste (tenor c)
- 4' Principal
- 4' Flauto Traverso
- 23/3' Nasard
- 2' Waldflöte
- 13/5' Tierce
- 11/3' Larigot
- 8' Oboe Tremolo

#### **CONTINUO**

(Manual I - expressive)

- 8' Holzgedackt (top octave metal)
- 4' Koppelflöte
- 2' Klein Principal
- 1' Sifflet
- 16' Dulcian
- 8' Trechterregal
- 4' Schalmey Tremolo

#### PEDAL

- 16' Subbass (large stopped wood)
- 16' Bourdon (medium stopped wood)
- 8' Principal
- 8' Subbass (ext.)
- 4' Choralbass (ext.)
- 16' Fagott (full-length, mitered)
- 8' Fagott (ext.)

61/32 compass Mechanical key action Electric stop action Mechanical expression shoes

Organ case, pulpit and lectern designed by Graham Tristram of Campbell & Arnot, Edinburgh, Scotland



Neighborhood Church, UCC

Glatter-Götz Orgelbau Opus 4, 1999

Tonal design, pipe scaling and voicing by Rosales Organ Builders

- \* The 16' Gedackt is borrowed from the 8' via check valves, and the bottom octave is duplexed from the Pedal 16' Bourdon.
- \*\* The 8' Gemshorn is placed in the Swell box and is played by means of 61 tubes that convey wind from the Great chest grid to the Swell chest. Notes 1-17 are borrowed from the Swell Viola via check valves.



St. John Vianney Church

M. L. Bigelow & Co., Inc. Opus 20, 1991

#### GREAT

- 16' Praestant
- 8' Principal II
- 8' Bourdon
- 4' Octave
- 4' Conical Flute
- 2½' Quint (from Sesqui.)
- 2' Octave Sesquialtera II
- Mixture V-VI

## 8' Trumpet SWELL

- 8' Viol-Principal
- 8' Chimney Flute
- 8' Unda maris (low G)
- 4' Principal
- 4' Harmonic Flute
- 23/3' Nazard
- 2' Octave
- 2' Waldflute
- 13/5' Tierce Scharf IV
- 16' Fagot (cylindrical)
- 8' Oboe
- 4' Clarion

#### PEDAL

- 16' Praestant (Gt.)
- 16' Subbass
- 8' Praestant (ext.)
- 8' Bass Flute (ext.)
- 4' Octave
- Mixture IV-V
- 16' Bombarde
- 16' Fagot (Sw.)
- 8' Trumpet (Gt.)
- 4' Clarion (Sw.)

#### Flexible wind, general tremulant

Detached console positioned to facilitate directing choir

Suspended key action with automatic seasonal adjustment via reference trackers

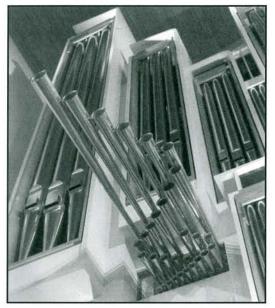
Bone and ebony keys

Electric stop action, eight-level combination action

Case of quarter-sawn solid white oak, hand-planed and oiled

95mm wind pressure

61/32 compass



Claremont United Church of Christ

Glatter-Götz Organs Opus 2, 1998 Tonal design, scaling and voicing by Rosales Organ Builders

#### GREAT

- 16' Principal (low 12 Pedal)
- 8' Principal
- 8' Flûte harmonique
- 8' Gamba
- 8' Rohrflöte
- 4' Octave
- 4' Spitzflöte
- 2<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Octave Quint
  - 2' Super Octave

Mixture IV-VIII Cornet V (tenor f)

- 16' Bombarde
- 8' Trompette
- 4' Clairon Tremulant

#### POSITIV (unenclosed)

- 8' Principal
- 8' Gedeckt
- 8' Gemshorn
- 4' Octave
- 4' Hohlflöte
- 23' Nasat
  - 2' Octave
  - 2' Waldflöte
- 13/5' Tierce
- 11/3' Larigot
  - Mixture IV-VI
  - 8' Cromorne Tremulant
  - 8' Chamade

#### SWELL

- 16' Bourdon
- 8' Diapason
- 8' Bourdon
- 8' Viole de Gambe
- 8' Voix céleste (low C)
- 8' Æoline
- 8' Unda Maris
- 4' Principal
- 4' Flûte octaviante
- 23/3' Nasard
- 2' Octavin
- 13/5' Tierce
- II-IV Plein jeu harmonique
  - 16' Basson
  - 8' Trompette
  - 8' Hautbois
  - 8' Voix humaine
  - 4' Clairon Tremulant

#### **PEDAL**

- 32' Untersatz (ext.)
- 16' Præstant
- 16' Flûte (open wood)
- 16' Subbass
- 8' Octave (ext.)
- 8' Flûte (ext.)
- 8' Gedeckt (ext.)
- 4' Choralbass Mixture V
- 32' Contre Bombarde
- 16' Bombarde
- 16' Basson
- 8' Trompette



Bridges Hall of Music, Pomona College

C.B. Fisk, Inc. Opus 117, 2002



Our Mother of Good Counsel Church Schoenstein & Co., 1987

#### GREAT

- 16' Prestant
- 8' Octave
- 8' Violoncelle
- 8' Spillpfeife
- 8' Flûte harmonique
- 4' Octave
- 4' Open Flute
- 2<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Quinte
  - 2' Superoctave
- 13/5' Terz
  - Progressive Mix. III-VI Full Mixture VI
  - Cornet V (tenor c)
  - Trommeten Trompette
  - 4' Clairon

#### **POSITIVE**

- 8' Prestant
- Gedackt
- Quintadehn 4' Principal
- 4' Rohrflöte
- 23/3' Nasard 2' Doublette
- Quarte de Nasard
- 13/5' Tierce Scharff IV
- 16' Dulcian
- 8' Trechterregal
- 8' Cromorne

#### **SWELL**

- 16' Bourdon
- 8' Diapason
- 8' Viole de Gambe
- 8' Voix céleste
- 8' Flûte traversière
- 4' Prestant
- 4' Flûte octaviante
- 23/3' Quinte
  - Octavin Plein jeu IV
- 16' Bombarde
- 8' Trompette
- 8' Hautbois
- 8' Voix humaine

#### PEDAL

- 32' Bourdon (ext.)
- 16' Contrebasse
- 16' Prestant (Gt.)
- 16' Bourdon (Sw.)
- 8' Octave
- 8' Flûte (ext. Contrebasse)
- Violoncelle (Gt.)
- Spillpfeife (Gt.)
- Octave
- Mixture IV
- 32' Contra Posaune (ext.)
- 16' Posaune
- Trommeten (Gt.)
- Trompette (Gt.)
- 4' Clairon (Gt.)
- Great/Positive Tremulant, Swell Tremulant Flexible wind, Servo-pneumatic Lever

#### **GRAND-ORGUE**

- 16' Bourdon (Récit/Ped.)
  - Montre
- Flûte harmonique
- 4' Prestant
- 2' Octavin
- 8' Basson-Hautbois

#### RÉCIT EXPRESSIF

- Viole de gambe (low 12 Bourdon)
- Voix céleste (tenor c)
- 4' Flûte octaviante
- Trompette
- Basson-Hautbois (G.O.)

Trémolo Récit 4'

#### 2 manuals, 10 ranks Terraced drawknob console

Bone and ebony keys All pipes under expression

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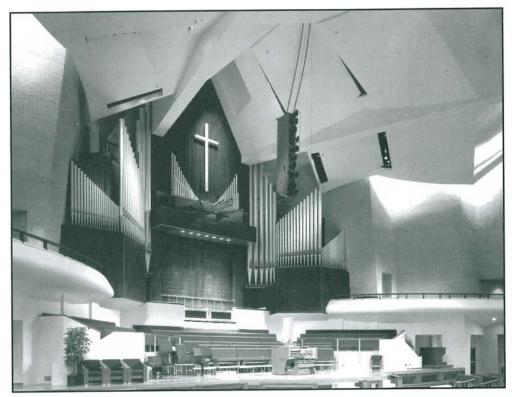
- 16' Bourdon (ext. Récit)
- 8' Basse (G.O.)
- 8' Bourdon (Récit) 8' Trompette (Récit)
- 8' Basson (G.O.)
- 4' Basson (G.O.)

#### **ACCOUPLEMENTS**

Récit/Grand-Orgue Récit/Grand-Orgue 4' Grand-Orgue/Pédales

Récit/Pédales

## Post-Convention Tour Organs - Thursday



Lake Avenue Congregational Church

Casavant Frères Opus 3656, 1989

#### **GRAND-ORGUE**

(Manual II - unenclosed)

- 32' Montre (ext., low 12 Pédale)
- 16' Montre

8' Montre

- 16' Bourdon (ext. of Flûte à Cheminée)
- 8' Violoncelle
- 8' Flûte harmonique
- 8' Flûte à Cheminée
- 51/3' Grand Nazard
- 4' Prestant
- 4' Flûte
- 31/5' Grande Tierce
- 2' Doublette
- 23' Cornet III-V
- 21/3' Grande Fourniture II-IV
- 11/3' Fourniture IV-V
- 3/3' Cymbale IV
- 16' Bombarde
- 8' Trompette
- 8' Trompette de Bois (wood)
- 4' Clairon
- 8' Trompette-en-chamade

#### RÉCIT

(Manual III - expressive)

- 16' Bourdon doux (ext. of Cor de Nuit)
- 8' Principal
- 8' Viole de Gambe
- 8' Voix céleste (low C)
- 8' Cor de Nuit

- 8' Flûtes célestes II
- 4' Octave
- 4' Flûte octaviante
- 23' Nazard
- 2' Octavin
- 13/5' Tierce
- 1' Piccolo
- 11/3' Petite Fourniture II-III
  - 2' Plein jeu VI
- 32' Contre Basson (ext.)
- 16' Basson
  - 8' Trompette harmonique
- 8' Hautbois
- 8' Voix humaine
- 4' Clairon harmonique Tremblant
- 8' Trompette-en-chamade (G.O.)

#### POSITIF

(Manual I - expressive)

- 16' Quintaton
- 8' Montre
- 8' Cor de Chamois
- 8' Voce Umana (tenor c)
- 8' Bourdon
- 4' Prestant
- 4' Flûte à fuseau
- 23/3' Nazard
- 2' Doublette
- 2' Quarte de Nazard
- 13/5' Tierce
- 11/3' Larigot

- 2' Fourniture V
- 1/3' Cymbale II
- 16' Ranquette
- 8' Trompette 8' Cromorne
- 4' Chalumeau Tremblant
- 16' Bombarde-en-chamade (ext., G.O.)
- 8' Trompette-en-chamade (G.O.)
- 4' Trompette-en-chamade (ext., G.O.)

#### **GRAND CHOEUR**

(Manual IV - expressive)

- 16' Violonbasse (ext.)
- 8' Diapason
- 8' Salicional
- 8' Unda Maris (low C)
- 8' Flûte majeure
- 8' Dulciane
- 8' Voix Éolienne (tenor c)
- 4' Fugara
- 4' Flûte à Cheminée
- 4' Voix Angélique II
- 2' Octave
- 11/3' Quinte
- 2<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Harmoniques III
- 2½' Plein jeu harmonique II-VI
- 16' Clarinette basse
- 8' Cor anglais Tremblant
- 8' Trompette (high pressure, hooded)
- 8' Cor
- 4' Trompeteria I-II
- 16' Trompette-en-chamade (ext., G.O.)
- 8' Trompette-en-chamade (G.O.)
- 4' Trompette-en-chamade (ext., G.O.)

#### PEDALE

- 32' Principal basse (ext.)
- 32' Contre Bourdon (prep.)
- 32' Soubasse (prep.)
- 16' Contrebasse
- 16' Principal
- 16' Soubasse
- 16' Violonbasse (Gr. Choeur)
- 16' Bourdon doux (Récit)
- 8' Octavebasse
- 8' Violoncelle from (Gr. Choeur)
- 8' Flûte
- 8' Bourdon doux (Récit)
- 4' Octave
- 4' Flûte
- 2' Flûte (ext.)
- 10¾ Théorbe III
- 23' Fourniture V
- 32' Contre Bombarde (ext.)
- 32' Contre Basson (Récit)
- 16' Trombone
- 16' Bombarde (G.O.)
- 16' Basson (Récit)
- 8' Trompette-en-chamade (G.O.)
- 8' Trompette
- 8' Baryton (Récit)
- 4' Clairon (ext.)
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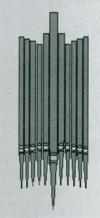
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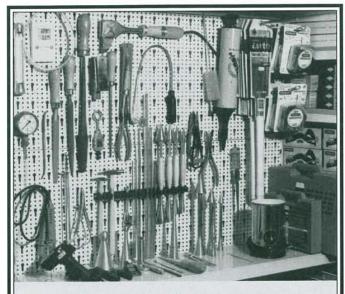
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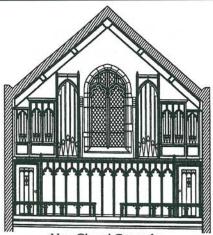


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#### Jonathan Ambrosino

Lecturer - "If Only! Organs that Never Were"

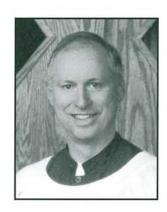
Jonathan Ambrosino is a prominent chronicler of American organbuilding. His writings have appeared extensively, and his research has covered American, English and French organs of the 19th and 20th centuries in great detail. This year alone he has lectured at the national AGO convention, the Music Box Society convention, and the Organ Historical Trust of Australia. Mr. Ambrosino is also active as a consultant and tonal finisher. His consultations involve mainly Skinner and Aeolian-Skinner organs, including clients with prominent examples of these firms' work: The Groton School; Calvary Church, Memphis; Old Christ Church, Philadelphia; Trinity Church, Boston; and Wellesley College. Currently he and Jeff Weiler are involved in a remedial voicing project, with complete documentation, of the famous 1935 Aeolian-Skinner at the Groton School, Massachusetts.



#### William C. Beck

Organist and choirmaster - Sunday Evensong/Concert at St. Cyril of Jerusalem Church

William Beck is Organist and Director of Music at St. Cyril of Jerusalem Church in Encino and Organist at Wilshire Boulevard Temple in Los Angeles. He was recently elected dean of the Los Angeles AGO chapter. He has performed with the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra and numerous other symphonies and chorales. He studied in Paris with Marcel Dupré and André Marchal, and was a three-time winner of the Los Angeles AGO chapter's National Organ Playing Competition. His recording career includes a solo performance with Luciano Pavarotti, recordings with Roger Wagner, and the Duruflé *Messe Cum jubilo* with Paul Salamunovich. Mr. Beck appears directing St. Cyril's Choir in "Heartbreakers" starring Sigourney Weaver and Gene Hackman. He is heard singing in the 24-voice backup group on Barbra Streisand's CD, *Higher Ground*.



#### **Jack Bethards**

Panel Discussion – Swell Box Design and Construction; Banquet entertainment studio orchestra conductor

Jack Bethards is President and Tonal Director of Schoenstein & Co. Organ Builders in San Francisco. He is an active lecturer and consultant for several organ preservation projects around the country. Jack is also a professional musician specializing in light classical and popular music from the 1890s to the 1940s. He was responsible for the revival of salon concerts at the famous Garden Court of the Palace Hotel in San Francisco, and has been music director and writer for several Golden Age of Radio stage shows and broadcasts. The Smithsonian Institution invited him to produce and conduct a tribute to the Busby Berkeley film musicals of the 1930s which featured a 44-piece orchestra and chorus.



### Michael Bigelow

Post-convention tour lecturer - "Tonal Design"

Michael Bigelow is president of M. L. Bigelow & Company, Inc., a 24-year-old firm that has completed 28 instruments to date. Michael recalls being fascinated by organs from his youth, and after graduating from the University of Utah in 1972, where he majored in architecture, he worked for several organ builders and made several trips to Europe. It was this exposure to European instruments that converted him to tracker organs. After completing an apprenticeship with John Brombaugh, he set up his own shop in 1978. By 1984, the firm had outgrown its cramped quarters in Provo, Utah and relocated to its current location, an historic church in American Fork, Utah. He and his wife Beth and their two children live in the top floor of the old church. An AIO member since 1994, his firm is a member of the Associated Pipe Organ Builders of America.



### **Convention Personalities**



#### Ray Biswanger

Lecturer - "The Los Angeles Art Organ Company"

Ray Biswanger is a 1975 graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. In 1972 he launched the restoration of the university's Curtis Sesquicentennial Exposition Organ in Irvine Auditorium, and arranged a 1979 Virgil Fox recital there that remains a high point in Philadelphia organ recitals. His work with Penn's development office culminated in the million-dollar funding of the organ's restoration in 1998. In 1992 he was a central figure in the founding of The Friends of the Wanamaker Organ, Inc. He is president of the organization and editor-in-chief of its newsmagazine, *The Stentor*. In 1999 his book *Music in the Marketplace, The Story of Philadelphia's Historic Wanamaker Organ* was published. An editor at a major U.S. magazine, Mr. Biswanger studied organ with Wesley A. Day at St. Mark's Church in Philadelphia and resides in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania.



#### Lyle Blackinton

Lecturer - "The Electro-pneumatic Slider Chest Revisited"

Lyle Blackinton has been in the pipe organ business for the past forty-eight years. L. W. Blackinton and Associates, was incorporated in 1970 and is involved in the service and building of both mechanical and electro-pneumatic instruments. In 1985 he developed a unique electro-pneumatic action for slider chests and in 1990 presented a lecture on its design at the AIO convention in Hartford. Since that time, several other builders have adopted the chest action. For the past 28 years, he has served as the curator of the seventy-three rank (Austin) Spreckles Outdoor Pipe Organ in Balboa Park, San Diego.



#### James Buonemani

Pre-convention tour organist - St. James Episcopal Church demonstration

James Buonemani began his musical career at age 13 as Assistant Organist to thendirector of music William Ferris at Sacred Heart Cathedral, Rochester, NY. He graduated from both the Eastman School of Music and the Westminster Choir College, and has also studied in England at the Royal School of Church Music. He was awarded the Performer's Certificate from Eastman in 1978 as an organ student of David Craighead. Mr. Buonemani collaborated with Los Angeles composer Morten Lauridsen in the organ version of *Lux Aeterna* and performed the world premiere with the Los Angeles Master Chorale in 1997. He is Organist & Director of Music for St. James' Church, Los Angeles, where he has founded *Great Music at St. James*', a concert series featuring local and international artists. The semi-professional Choir of St. James has distinguished itself as the only American choir to have sung in performance with the Choir of Westminster Abbey.



#### David Dahl

Pre- and post-convention tour organist - Sunday and Thursday demonstrations

David Dahl is Professor of Music and University Organist Emeritus at Pacific Lutheran University, where he served for 30 years. He continues as Director of Music Ministries at Christ Church Parish, Episcopal, Tacoma, now in his thirty-second year. Dahl has had a lifelong interest in organ building and has served as an organ advisor for over 30 projects in schools and churches in the Pacific Northwest region. He has been active as a performer for over 40 years, including a recital for the National Convention of the American Guild of Organists (Dallas, 1994), and several national conventions of The Organ Historical Society. An area of special interest has been liturgical improvisation, both hymn and repertoire related. Dahl is available on recordings through the OHS, Loft Recordings, and PLU Audio Services. He has published organ and choral music through Ionian Arts and Augsburg/Fortress Press.

#### Jeffrey Dexter

Lecturer - "How to Cook a Diaphone, and Other Australian Tales"

Jeffrey Dexter, a native of Wisconsin, is Tonal Director of the Schantz Organ Company. Having served on the tonal staff since 1993 and appointed tonal director in 1997, he was recently named Vice-president. Notable Schantz projects he was responsible for include the Melbourne, Australia Town Hall and St. Vincent Ferrer Church in New York. Mr. Dexter is an active church musician, having studied organ and sacred music at Illinois Wesleyan University and improvisation with Paul Manz. He and his wife Daphne are parents of two daughters, Lindsay and Polly.



#### Lynn Dobson

Lecturer - "Design Adventures: Collaboration with Architects"

Lynn Dobson is well known for lectures at several previous AIO conventions. He began building organs under his own name in 1974 after gaining experience working for several other companies. To date his company has built 78 new organs and restored or rebuilt 35 existing instruments. The new organs are generally encased tracker organs while the restoration work ranges from restoring nineteenth-century organs to enlarging several Skinner organs and the recent restoration and enlargement of the 102-rank Schlicker organ in the Chapel of the Resurrection at Valparaiso University. Lynn's shop employs 18 people and usually completes four projects per year. He is a member of AIO and AGO; Dobson Pipe Organ Builders, Ltd. is a member of APOBA and ISO.



#### **Eric Gastier**

Lecturer - "How to Cook a Diaphone, and Other Australian Tales"

Eric Gastier is an architect and organist. He has served as Staff Architect for the Schantz Organ Company since December 1991, and was recently named Vice-president for Design and Engineering. He received his Bachelor of Architecture degree from Cornell University in 1987, and also studied organ with Donald Paterson and Eileen Guenther. His case designs have been featured in *Choir and Organ* and *The American Organist* magazines. A church organist since age 15, Mr. Gastier presently serves as Director of Music and Organist for First Presbyterian Church in Wooster, Ohio. He has appeared in recital at Severance Hall, Cleveland, as part of its annual "Day of Music." He shares his Wooster home with wife Ann and children Helena and William.



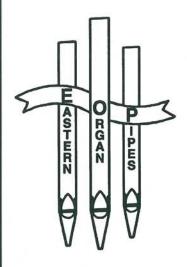
#### **Steuart Goodwin**

Lecturer - "Designing Organs in Response to Clients' Needs"

Steuart Goodwin was born in Riverside, California in 1942. He graduated from the University of Redlands in 1964 with a Bachelor of Music degree and spent the following year on a Fulbright Grant to study organbuilding in the Netherlands. He has worked for Flentrop Orgelbow, Rosales Organ Builders, and Schoenstein & Co. His company, now located in San Bernardino, California, has built both mechanical and electric action organs, and has rebuilt a number of Organ Clearing House trackers. In recent years Mr. Goodwin has become increasingly known as a design consultant and tonal finisher. He has a special affinity for organs of the Romantic and American Classic styles and serves on the board of the Orange County Theatre Organ Society.



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#### **David Harris**

Lecturer - "Adjusting Manual Keyboards"

David first apprenticed in 1958 with Thomas L. Gagan, who was rebuilding a Murray M. Harris (no relation) organ located at his family's church in Whittier, California. In 1961, Harris assisted Don Gillette with the finish-voicing of a large Aeolian-Skinner organ in Pasadena. This experience, and a much-appreciated letter of recommendation from Gillette, convinced Harris to travel to Europe to seek his next position. After several unsuccessful attempts in Germany, Harris obtained employment with Jacques Stinkens in Holland. Returning to Whittier, he built his first organ in 1966 and sold it, with the help of Robert Noehren, to a Lutheran church in Ann Arbor, Michigan. The following year, David started Harris Organs where, over the next fifteen years, the firm built approximately twenty pipe organs. During these years, he invented a number of organ components, primarily for consoles, to improve his own work. In 1983, Fritz Noack, whose son was working for Harris at that time, called to ask if he could purchase forty Harris drawknob solenoids. Thanks to Fritz, and many others, the Harris firm has grown to be a major supplier of pipe organ components, which are now sold world-wide.



#### Felix Hell

Organist - Friday pre-convention concert at Hollywood High School

Felix Hell was born on September 14, 1985, in Frankenthal/Pfalz, Germany. At the age of 7, Felix heard a performance of the C Major Prelude from the Well-Tempered Clavier, and after a few days of listening and observing the pianist, he was able to play the piece himself. In 1994 he took part in the Federal German Competition for Young Musicians and received two first prizes. Felix has given more than 200 recitals in Germany and abroad including the Tchaikovsky Concert Hall in Moscow, and the Great Philharmonic Hall in St. Petersburg. He received rave reviews for his year 2000 performances at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., and at the Washington National Cathedral. Since September, 2000, he has been studying exclusively with Dr. John Weaver, chair of the organ departments at The Juilliard School and at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia.



#### Guy F. Henderson

Pre-convention tour lecturer - "So, You Want to Build an Organ in a Greenhouse?"

Guy Henderson is a native of New York City, where he studied organic chemistry at the Bronx High School of Science and Queens College. His organbuilding training included tuning and voicing with Allen Van Zoeren, and console design at Casavant. He has been responsible for maintaining many important New York City metropolitan area instruments, including those at St. Thomas Fifth Avenue, Trinity Church Wall Street, Virgil Fox's residence, Plymouth Church of the Pilgrims and Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church. In partnership with John Wilson, he maintained the Aeolian-Skinner at Lincoln Center. It was this instrument that brought Henderson and Wilson to California as they supervised its installation and tonal finishing, for Fratelli Ruffatti, in the Crystal Cathedral. Today, together with Brian Sawyers, they are Curators of the Arboretum and Crystal Cathedral organs.



## **Convention Personalities**



#### Dana Kirkegaard

Thursday lecturer - "Improving Acoustics while Maintaining Speech Intelligibility" and "Improving Acoustics while Preserving Architecturaal Integrity"

Dana Kirkegaard is an independent acoustical consultant whose project list includes Finney Chapel at the Oberlin Conservatory of Music and the new Organ Pavilion at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge. His approach to acoustics goes far beyond the obvious, providing clients with solutions for all aspects of a room's needs including noise abatement, HVAC system requirements, speech reinforcement technology as well as outlining solutions to enhance acoustics for the choir and organ. Dana will speak on the Thursday post-convention tour at two of his projects to be visited in Claremont: The United Church of Christ, Congregational, a room that features nicely controlled acoustical resonance and new digital speaker technology; and Bridges Hall of Music at Pomona College, which has undergone a recent major architectural and acoustical renovation. -MJR



#### Kevin Kissinger

Organist - Rose Hills Memorial Park demonstration

Kevin Kissinger majored in organ performance at the University of Missouri/Kansas City Conservatory of Music, receiving his bachelor's degree in 1981. In 1991 he earned the prestigious Associate American Guild of Organists (AAGO) certificate. In 1992, Mr. Kissinger joined Quimby Pipe Organs, Inc., where he specialized in tonal aspects of organ design. From 1989 to 1999, he served as organist/choir director for the Pontifical Choir of Kansas City, Mo. In 1999, he returned to full-time employment at WorldSpan, an information technology corporation. He continues to be in demand as a guest organist and performs in recitals throughout the country.



#### **Edward Murray**

Pre-convention tour organist - First Congregational Church demonstration

Recently appointed Organist-in-Residence at First Congregational Church, Edward Murray is a versatile Los Angeles musician, performing on harpsichord, fortepiano, organ, and conducting choral repertoire from plainchant to Arvo Pärt. He has given area premieres of works by George Crumb, Daniel Pinkham, Libby Larson, David Diamond, Calvin Hampton, Kevin Oldham, Petr Eben and Olivier Messiaen. Mr. Murray's first CD, featuring works of Bach, Vierne and Hampton, has been released by Helion Records. He recently founded the Los Angeles Bach Society, an organization dedicated to the performance of cantatas and other works of J. S. Bach utilizing period instruments.

#### Robert Noehren

Banquet Speaker and Honoree



In a remarkable career that has spanned more than seven decades, Robert Noehren has excelled as international concert organist, organ scholar/teacher and organ builder. Through grants from the Carnegie Foundation and the University of Michigan, Noehren toured France, Germany and Holland extensively after World War II, gathering scaling and voicing data. Subsequent articles based upon these experiences appeared in The Diapason during the late 1940s and were seminal in the evolution of new organ design in the United States. The twenty organs Robert Noehren built between 1955 and 1979 were among the first to demonstrate the synthesis of classical French, Northern European and modern traditions that have become the norm in much of contemporary organ building. With one of the largest discographies of any organist, Noehren was one of only two non-French organists to have received the Grand Prix du Disque. His performance career extends from the 1930s to the present.

#### Joe O'Donnell

Lecturer - "Zen and the Art of Organ Maintenance"

While Joe O'Donnell was in graduate school in Washington, D.C., one of his professors informed him that the local pipe organ company was seeking a tuner's assistant. This position, along with the surprising discovery of some mechanincal aptitude, has led to a twenty-five year career tuning and maintaining instruments and managing service departments for builders in the mid-Atlantic states and in the Pacific Northwest. Mr. O'Donnell now serves on the staff of Bond Organ Builders, Inc. of Portland, Oregon, where, in addition to service work, he is an occasional designer. He is also organist of Portland's First Unitarian Church, tending to the needs of the church's two very different instruments: a 1960s Wicks and a recently resurrected 1870s Hutchings Plaisted.



#### John A. Panning

Our Lady of the Angels lecture/demonstration – "Entering the Tonal Unknown" John A. Panning is Tonal Director of Dobson Pipe Organ Builders of Lake City, Iowa. A native of Wisconsin, he worked for two years for Hammes-Foxe Organs in the Milwaukee area prior to joining Dobson in 1984. In these twenty years, he has been involved in every facet of pipe organ design, construction and maintenance, from laying out windchests and scaling to the construction of keyboards, metal pipes and casework. Mr. Panning has served two terms as AIO Secretary, and is currently a member of the AIO Journal Committee. He was a member of the National Council of the Organ Historical Society from 1985–1991, and has served on two OHS convention committees. He has been North American Editor of Publications for the International Society of Organbuilders since 1991.



#### J. Christopher Pardini

Pre-convention tour organist - Crystal Cathedral demonstration

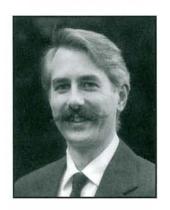
A native of New Jersey, J. Christopher Pardini is currently the Senior Organist at the Crystal Cathedral in Garden Grove, California. As the world's most visible organist, an estimated television audience of twenty million viewers sees Mr. Pardini each week. He also maintains an active concert schedule in the United States and abroad. Mr. Pardini earned his bachelor's degree from Westminster Choir College and his master's degree from the Eastman School of Music, where he was a student of David Higgs. The first-place winner in the 1998 San Marino Organ Competition, he has also studied organ with Kenrick Mervine and Gavin Black, and organ improvisation with Gerre Hancock.



#### David C. Pike

Post-convention tour narrator - C.B. Fisk demonstration at Pomona College

David C. Pike, Executive Vice President and Tonal Director of C. B. Fisk, Inc., studied music theory, trumpet, and organ performance at the Eastman School of Music. Since joining C. B. Fisk in 1976, David has worked in many areas of organ building, with an initial focus on cabinet making. His musical background led him to become an assistant voicer to Charles Fisk, and they first worked together on Opus 78, in 1979, at the House of Hope Presbyterian Church in St. Paul, Minnesota. In 1993 he was appointed Executive Vice President and Tonal Director. In addition to his work at Fisk, David is Director of Music at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Rockport, Massachusetts. His wife, Morgan Faulds Pike, has designed and hand-carved decorations for numerous Fisk instruments.





Harley Piltingsrud

Lecturer - "The Aging of Organ Leather" and Related Topics

Harley Piltingsrud is the principal author of the OHS and ISO publication *The Aging of Organ Leather*. He has had a long career as a research physicist in a number of government research laboratories. He started with a B.S. in Physics and an M.S. in Radiological Health Physics (1967). He worked for the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, was a commissioned officer in the U.S. Air Force (research work in radiation protection), and a commissioned officer in the U.S. Public Health Service where he developed new instrumentation for detecting chemical pollutants in the atmosphere. In 1999, he retired as a captain in the USPHS after a 30-year career as a commissioned officer. He has been principal author of over 60 publications, has presented over 50 technical papers at scientific meetings, and holds seven U.S. patents. He presently is a guest researcher at NIOSH.



#### Roy Redman

Panel Discussion - Swell Box Design and Construction

Roy Redman holds music degrees from the University of North Texas and SMU. While a student at UNT, he became involved with the early movement toward the recovery of tracker action organ building in this country, and especially with the early work of Otto Hofmann. He started Redman Pipe Organs in 1970, specializing in the construction and restoration of mechanical action organs. A charter member of the AIO, he attended the preliminary convention in Washington D.C., and every successive convention. Roy has served the AIO as chair of the Education Committee, Board Member, President, and is now on the Examination Committee. He was also convention chairman of the 1989 Fort Worth AIO Convention, and has hosted a midyear seminar on mechanical action design.



#### Manuel J. Rosales

Lecturer - "The Cathedral Organ: The Truth Revealed"

Manuel J. Rosales is President and Tonal Director of Rosales Organ Builders, Inc. in Los Angeles. He was born in New York City in 1947 and raised in the Silverlake district of Los Angeles, where he still resides. An opportunity to work with his church's organ tuner lead to an immediate realization that pipe organ building was going to be his life's work. Following a five-year apprenticeship with the Schlicker Organ Company, he returned to Los Angeles to establish his own firm. In 1982, he joined Charles Fisk and Harald Vogel on an organ study tour of Holland and Northern and Eastern Germany. This association led to his involvement in the finishing of the Fisk organ at Stanford Memorial Church, Stanford University. Twelve trips to France included studies of classical (Clicquot) and symphonic (Cavaillé-Coll) organs. In 1999, the work Edmund Schulze and T. C. Lewis was studied during a visit to England. Manuel is a member of AIO and ISO, and is strongly committed to AIO education programs as a means for the current generation of organ builders to pass on its knowledge and skills to the next generation.



#### Harold Scholl

Lecturer - "Truth in Winding"

Harold Scholl has been employed in the commercial air conditioning trade since 1975. As a National Environmental Balancing Bureau supervisor he has tested, adjusted, balanced and certified over five hundred commercial air balancing jobs in skyscrapers, jails, hospitals and university labs. He studied organ with Richard Purvis and has worked in organbuilding with Swain & Kates, Don Dingler and, presently, as an assistant to Scott Nelson in Sacramento.

#### John Seest

Lecturer - "Organ Structure: Preparing for The Big One!"

Mr. Seest is a Principal at the structural engineering firm of ARSEE Engineers in Indianapolis. He has been an Affiliate member of AIO since 1997. After receiving his civil engineering degrees at Purdue University, he studied organ and church music for one year at Indiana University. John has worked in various capacities at Goulding & Wood in Indianapolis, and still serves there as a consultant. He questions whether Bigfoot really does exist and recently won third prize at a St. Benno polka contest while dancing with the judge's wife.



#### Philip Allen Smith

Organist - Wilshire United Methodist Church demonstration

Philip A. Smith is Organist and Director of Music at St. Nicholas Episcopal Church in Encino, is half of the Price-Smith Trumpet and Organ Duo, and a member of Nicolas 3, a voice/flute/keyboard ensemble in Los Angeles. He is also active as pianist and coach for opera. Philip began his musical life at age five as a pianist and by age twelve began studies on double bass and organ. He was principal bassist for his school orchestras and second chair bassist for the Toledo, Ohio Youth Orchestra. He holds a master's degree in church music and organ performance from the University of Michigan, and has studied organ with Mary Anderson, Audrejean Heydenburg, Albert Bolitho, Robert Clark, and Cherry Rhodes. In the past decade, his recital venues have included the Marktkirche, Wiesbaden, Germany; St. Mary's Cathedral, San Francisco; National Presbyterian Church, Washington DC; and First Congregational Church, Los Angeles (including the first Organ Alive! conference in 1999). He has also appeared with the Long Beach Symphony.



#### Samuel S. Soria

Organist - Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels demonstration

Samuel Salvador Soria is the newly appointed organist of the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels in Los Angeles. He leaves a similar position of nine years at Holy Name Cathedral in Chicago. Mr. Soria is a graduate of Valpariso and Northwestern universities. In addition to academic study with Philip Gehring and Wolfgang Rübsam, he has coached privately with Jean Guillou, Naji Hakim and Paul Manz. He was a finalist in the 1992 and 1996 AGO national improvisation competitions, as well as the 1985 AGO National Organ Playing Competition in Fort Wayne, Indiana. In 1995, Mr. Soria participated in the International Competition in Organ Improvisation at Knokke-Heist, Belgium, the first American to be invited to this competition.



## **Edward Millington Stout III**

Lecturer - "The Pioneering Spirit of Organ Restoration in the Wild, Wild West"

Mr. Stout established his "House of Quality" in 1958 after serving a brief apprenticeship with two Northern California firms. His passion for pipe organs and motion picture theatres began at the age of six years and was fully out of control by the age of ten. His maternal grandfather, a respected furniture maker, nurtured Edward's appreciation for quality work. In 1959 Stout became the curator of musical instruments at San Francisco's Grace Cathedral, where he conducted all maintenance and restoration work for the next 42 years. He has always been grateful for his ability to attract dedicated and talented artisans who have played a major role in his success. He is most proud of his partner, Richard Taylor, who is now in charge of shop operations. Edward's sense of humor continues to guide the business through the digital high seas of mediocrity.





#### Lawrence Strohm

Pre-convention tour organist - Hollywood High School demonstration

Lawrence Strohm's interest in the pipe organ began in the cathedral of his mother's hometown in Croatia. Lawrence began lessons with Fay Schilling, a student of Flor Peeters. He has since studied with David Higgs at the Eastman School of Music and Gerre Hancock in New York City. While at Eastman he apprenticed with Parsons Organ Builders in Canandaigua, New York. The conflict in the Balkans led him to Kosovo as a linguistic consultant for the U. S. military, and since returning he has worked for Scott Nelson, Edward Millington Stout III, Phil Browning, Newton Pipe Organ Service, and Hupalo & Repasky Pipe Organ Builders. He is currently pursuing a master's degree at the Thornton School of Music at the USC in Los Angeles with Ladd Thomas and is also the music director at Michillinda Presbyterian Church in Pasadena. Recent concert engagements include the Crystal Cathedral and Grace Cathedral in San Francisco.



#### Jon H. Thieszen

Lecturer - "Adjusting Touchy Trackers" and "How to Hold Up 55 Tons of Organ"

Jon H. Thieszen is Technical Designer with Dobson Pipe Organ Builders. He has been working in the Dobson shop full-time since 1978. Since then, Jon's role within the company has grown steadily and led to his appointment as Technical Designer in 1984. He has been responsible for the technical design and working drawings of over fifty new organs and numerous rebuilding projects. His construction drawings for Opus 75, Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels, were chosen for display at Los Angeles' Museum of Contemporary Art. Jon is also the shop's unofficial Macintosh guru. His knowledge of computers was key when the shop began using them nearly fifteen years ago, and to this day keeps the company on the cutting edge of computer-aided organ design. Jon has been an AIO member since 1981 and has presented lectures at a number of AIO seminars. He was a member of the AIO Education Committee from 1994 until 2000.



#### Robert Vaughan

Panel Discussion - "Swell Box Design and Construction"

A member of AIO for ten years, Robert Vaughan has been involved in organbuilding since 1963. He began employment with Reuter Organ Company in 1969 as a draftsman and has produced layouts (now with CAD) for several hundred Reuter organs. He also produces large format photographs for company advertising, manages the engineering department and shop, and sets up the CNC router. Some of his other interests include amateur radio, high-end audio, metal and woodworking home projects, photography, piano tuning, concert recordings, and bicycling. He has also been learning how to be a grandfather since March of 2002.



#### James Welch

Post-convention tour organist – Our Mother of Good Counsel demonstration

James Welch joined the Santa Clara Music Department faculty in 1993. He also serves as organist of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Palo Alto. He received the Doctor of Musical Arts degree in organ performance from Stanford University, with further studies in France and Austria. He has concertized internationally, with performances in such prestigious venues as Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris, the Leipzig Gewandhaus, National Cathedral in Washington, D.C., and the Mormon Tabernacle in Salt Lake City. A particular interest of his is Latin American organ music. He received a Fulbright award to perform and conduct research in Brazil; since then he has performed in Mexico and edited three volumes of organ music by Mexican composers.

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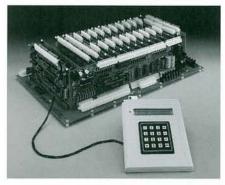
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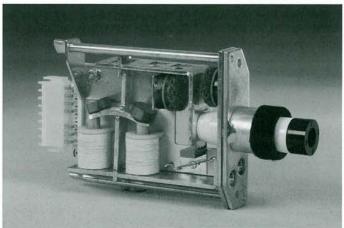














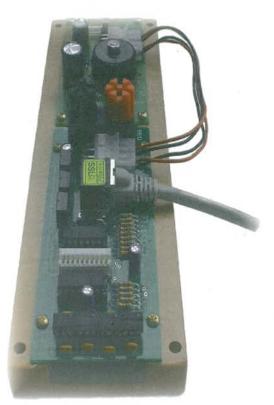
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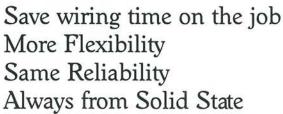
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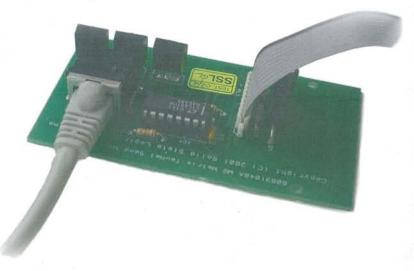


## TAUNET SYSTEM

The TauNet System lets you put the driver modules on the wind chest.

Connect to MultiSystem node with inexpensive CAT5 Cable.





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