ABOUT THE COVERS

ON THE FRONT COVER

SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI
FAIR HAVEN, CONNECTICUT

2010 | 2 manuals | 25 stops | Mechanical
Restoration and relocation of E. & G.G. Hook & Hastings,
No. 750, 1874, formerly in Davenport Congregational / Saint Casimir’s Church R.C., New Haven, Connecticut.

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ON THE BACK COVER

SAINT THOMAS CHURCH FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK CITY
2018 | 4 manuals | 127 ranks | Electric slider, electro-pneumatic unit
Incorporating the case, console case, blower, and several sets of pipes from the previous organ.

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2019 | 2 manuals | 31 stops, 37 ranks | Electric-slider

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RESIDENCE ORGAN
MADISON, WISCONSIN

2020 | 3 manuals | Console

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2020 | 4 manuals | Console
New console for an organ of more than 200 ranks, compiled and restored by Nelson Barden Associates, using pipes and components from Skinner, Aeolian, Aeolian-Skinner, Estey, Gottfried, Kimball, Möller, and Welte. 258 drawknobs, 61 tablets, 120-point expression matrix allowing any of the 11 enclosures and variable tremolos to be assigned to any of the five swell shoes or three manual thumb-slides (as at Wanamaker’s and Longwood Gardens). SSOS MultiSystem II, 999 levels, WiFi with Recorder for MultiSystem and Tuning for MultiSystem.

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CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMFORTER, EPISCOPAL
BROOMFIELD, COLORADO

E. & G.G. Hook, No. 476, 1869
2016 | 2 manuals | 15 ranks | Mechanical
Relocation from Saint John’s Cathedral, Denver (used during Kimball restoration), previously restored by Susan Tattershall and Richard Hamar, and other builders and volunteers.

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SAINT LUKE’S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
FORT COLLINS, COLORADO

2020 | 2 Manual | 44 Ranks | Mechanical
Restoration, including pipe and chest cleaning, regulation of playing and stop actions, and corrective regulation of pipe speech.

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ORLANDO, FLORIDA

2019 | 4 manuals | 86 ranks | Electro-pneumatic
Six Solo stops repurpose historic Wurlitzer pipework.

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SAINT ANDREW LUTHERAN
FRANKLIN, TENNESSEE

2010 | 3 manuals | 52 ranks |
Electro-pneumatic
Relocated Aeolian-Skinner
Op. 1511 from Kalamazoo,
Michigan. Rebuilt, updated, and
enlarged, including the addition of
several digital voices.

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FIRST UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH
MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE

2003 | 3 manuals | 49 ranks
Electro-pneumatic, electro-mechanical
Parts repurposed from previous builders date back to the 19th century.

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SAINT JOSEPH’S CATHOLIC CHURCH
PENFIELD, NEW YORK

2016 | 2 manuals | 18 ranks | Electric-slider

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WELKINWEIR ESTATE HOUSE
POTTS TOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

2020 | 2 manuals | 17 ranks
Electro-pneumatic,
with player attachment

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CHRIST CATHEDRAL
GARDEN GROVE, CALIFORNIA

Ruffatti / Aeolian-Skinner
273 ranks | 15,948 pipes
Restoration by Fratelli Ruffatti, Padova, Italy.
Twin 5-manual consoles — one computer per console.
Either one controls the console plus either or both organs.
Consoles are playable individually or together.
Fiber-optic cables are employed.

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OUR LADY OF CZENSTOCHOWA CHURCH
COVENTRY, RHODE ISLAND

New installation by Kegg Pipe Organ Builders, Hartville, Ohio
3 manuals | 22 ranks

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

Quimby Pipe Organs, Warrensburg, Missouri
5-manuals | 157 ranks
Electro-pneumatic slider, electro-pneumatic
Control system replacement managed
by Integrated Organ Technologies, Inc.

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2018 | 3 manuals | 25 ranks | Electric action

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SAINT ANDREW’S CHAPEL
SANFORD, FLORIDA

2013 | 1 Manual | 4 stops | Mechanical

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SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

2011 | 3 manuals | 33 voices
Mechanical with 6 ranks
on electro-pneumatic action

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST
MACON, GEORGIA

2017 | 3 manuals | 51 ranks | Electro-pneumatic slider

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THE ESTATE OF HENRY AND CLARA FORD
DEARBORN, MICHIGAN

2019 | 3 manuals | 17 ranks | Electro-pneumatic unit

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TRINITY CHURCH, COPLEY SQUARE
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

*Skinner Organ Co., Op. 573 1926 (nave organ)*
2019 | 4 Manual | 68 Ranks | Electro-pneumatic
*Tonal reconstruction and a new four-manual console.*

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ANCASTER CANADIAN REFORMED CHURCH
ANCASTER, ONTARIO, CANADA

2018 | 2 manuals | 25 stops | Mechanical

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SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

Franklin S. Whiting, 1833, winded by foot-pumping
2016 | 1 Manual | 4 Stops | Mechanical

Restoration

Our further restoration in 2016, of the only extant organ of Franklin S. Whiting, New Haven, Connecticut during its relocation for preservation in the Springfield Cathedral. This follows extensive conservation work by Richard C. Hamar in 1965 while still in its original home, Saint Paul’s Episcopal Church, Otis, Massachusetts.

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HOPE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
SAINT LOUIS, MISSOURI

2019 | 2 manuals | 22 stops/27 ranks | Electric Slider

A Möller console was repurposed.

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BOSTON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
TULSA, OKLAHOMA

1961/2020 | 4 manuals | 76 ranks | Electro-pneumatic slider
Rebuild of M.P. Möller organ with new chassis,
using 51% original pipework.

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MONUMENTAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
PORTSMOUTH, VIRGINIA

2020 | All aluminum façade
Replication of zinc façade using all aluminum composition.

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