

The Treasure Coast Chapter of The American Guild of Organists



Monthly Newsletter

March 2026

MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN



We are in the middle of a busy and productive season for our Chapter! I hope that you have been able to share news of Thomas Ingui's March 1 recital (4pm) at The Community Church with your friends and church. Tom Ingui is a very gifted performer, having studied organ in Vero Beach with Brady Johnson and piano with Marcos Flores, and then majoring in organ performance at Stetson University and Yale University. The Community Church is an excellent venue for Tom's recital, with its grand Lively-Fulcher pipe organ

comprised of 66 stops (71 ranks) spread across five divisions. Please share the concert flyer via email or social media. Let me emphasize that we NEED EVERYONE to help spread the word! The flyer is attached to this newsletter, but we are also sending it out in a separate email blast in JPEG. We thank TCC member Rachel Carter Murphy, who created the flyer. Look for our ad in Vero News on Thursday.

Our benefit concert for hurricane relief in Jamaica was a great success! Our Chapter, along with St. Andrew's Academy and Church in Fort Pierce, raised \$4,171 for direct relief in Jamaica, in addition to online giving made directly to Food for the Poor. Congratulations to all, and a special thanks to all who performed for the February 8 concert, and all who donated to this important cause. The concert was very well received, with about 150 people in attendance. We are grateful for the leadership of Dr. Dan Kroger, who planned the event. It was a great success!

Our final event of the year will be our Annual Meeting and Social, currently planned for Friday, April 24. Save the date! Our Chapter's 30th anniversary is April 23, so we are planning our Annual Meeting for the day after the anniversary. We will give more information as it becomes available. Watch your email for a new slate of officers nominated for next year. Neal Campbell is heading up the Nominating Committee. If you would like to be considered for a position, let Neal know.

I look forward to seeing each of you on March 1 at The Community Church. We are thankful to Jill Truax, Director of Music and Fine Arts at the church, and also to the ministers and congregation for making the church available for this program. This concert promises to be one of the highlights of our year. You won't want to miss it!

Best wishes during the Lenten season and beyond!

Tom Goetz, Chapter Dean DMus CAGO

THE TREASURE COAST CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS PRESENTS

THOMAS INGUI CONCERT ORGANIST



*Internationally-Recognized
as an outstanding performer
and 3rd place winner at the
St. Maurice International Organ
Competition in Switzerland*

SUNDAY
MARCH 1
4:00 P.M.

*Featuring thrilling concert
works by Bach, Handel,
Widor, Vierne, Wagner and
Duruflé*

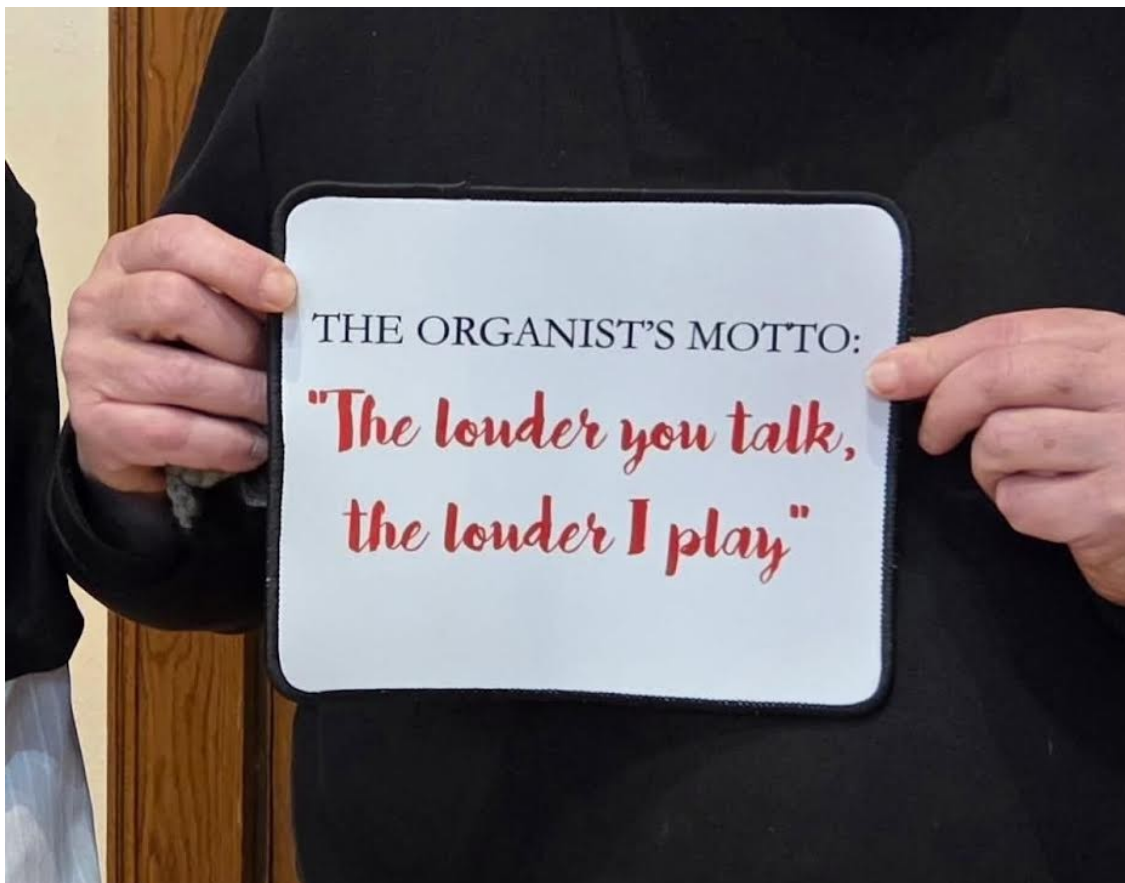
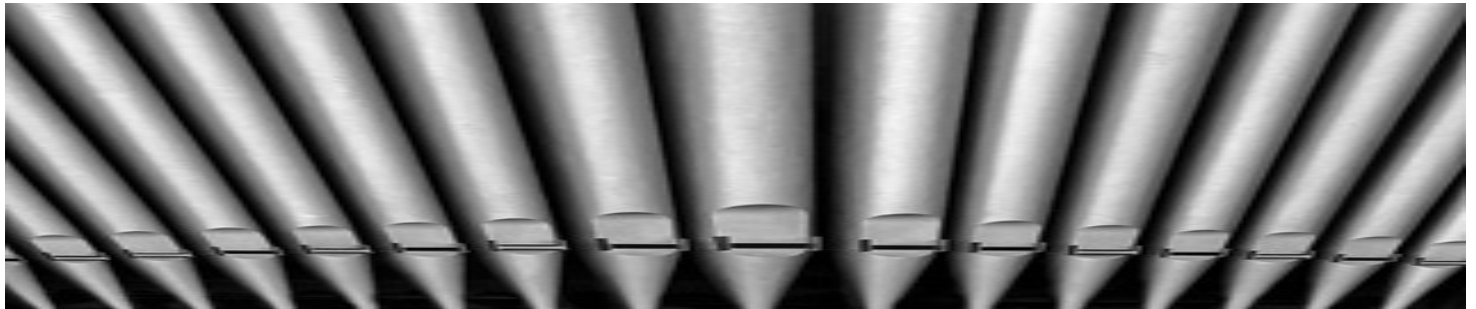
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All are Welcome
Offerings Accepted

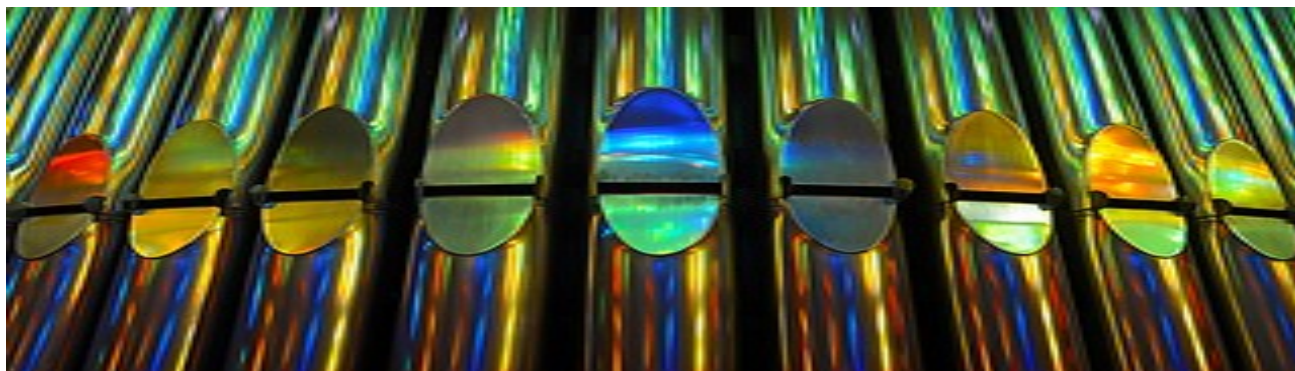
The Community Church of Vero Beach Sanctuary
1901 23rd St. Vero Beach, FL Info: www.tccago.org



TCCAGO Chapter Lunch at
the Ocean Grill at Noon on
Wednesday, March 4, 2026

RSVP with Tom Goetz at
goetzmusic1@gmail.com by
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TCCAGO EVENT SCHEDULE

For the 2025-26 Season

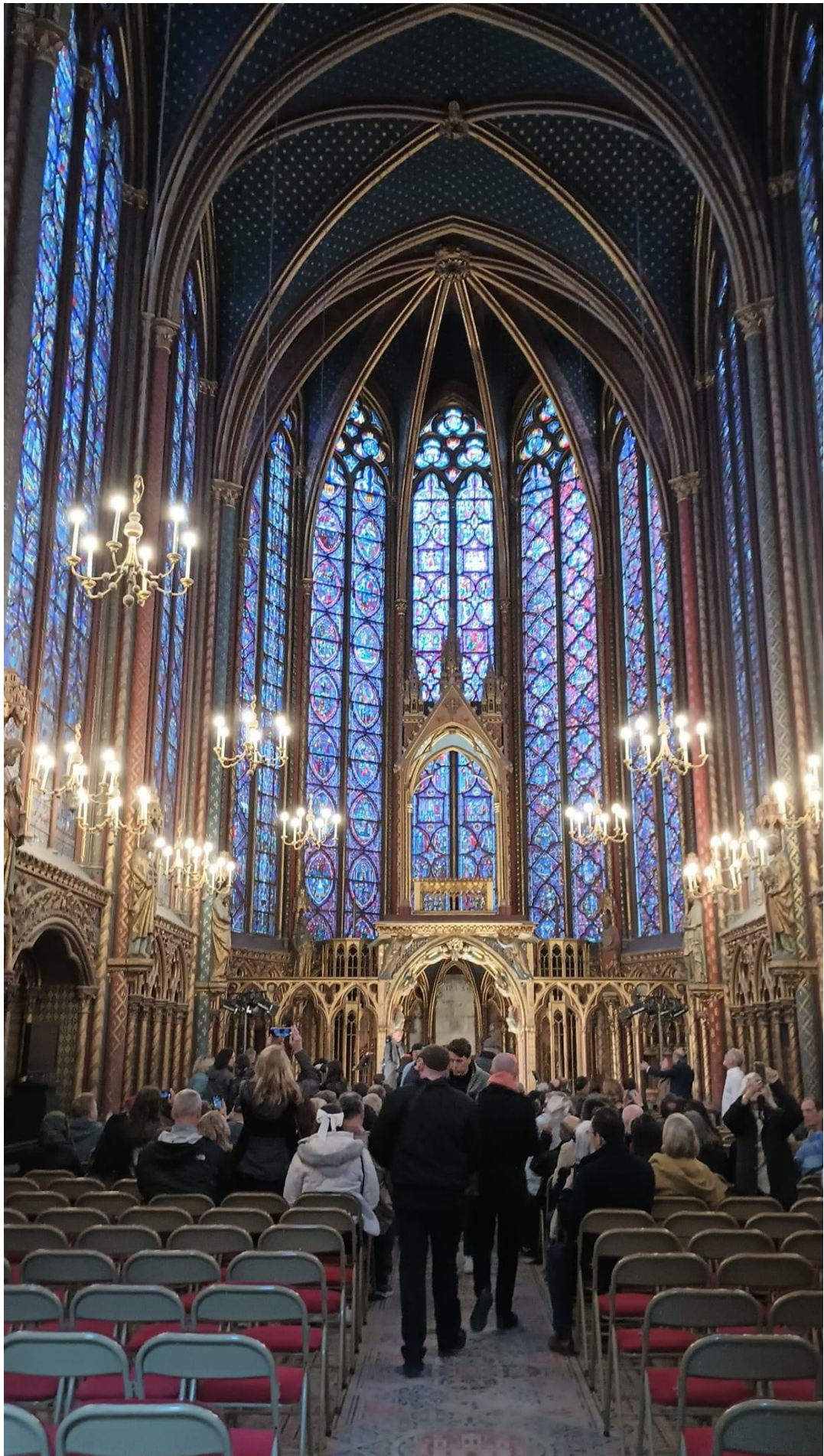
- **SUNDAY, MARCH 1, AT 4 PM—Tom Ingui Recital at Community Church, Vero Beach**

We are thrilled to present Tom Ingui, a former TCCAGO Scholarship student, in a solo recital on the expansive Lively-Fulcher organ at Community Church. Tom was awarded third prize at the Saint-Maurice International Organ Competition in Switzerland this past August. This is a high honor and recognition of his outstanding skills as an organist. Tom was the only contestant from the US who made it to the finals in Switzerland. We congratulate Tom and look forward to his recital on his home turf, the Treasure Coast! Tom earned his bachelor's degree in organ performance at Stetson University, and his master's degree at the Yale School of Music at Yale University. He has performed recitals at notable venues such as Trinity Church Copley Square, Boston, and Bethesda by the Sea in Palm Beach. He is a collaborative artist with Southeastern University and the Bach Festival of Central Florida. He is currently organist at First Presbyterian Church of Lakeland, FL. Mark your calendar now!

- **SEASON FINAL EVENT (MORE DETAILS TO COME) is Friday, April 24th.**

This will be our Annual Meeting and Social. We will be celebrating the TCCAGO's 30th Anniversary. Save the date!





TOM INGUI will present a solo recital at The Community Church on Sunday, March 1, at 4:00 PM. Help us to spread the word about this exciting event.

Tom has presented recitals in a number of distinguished venues, including Trinity Church, Boston, and other churches. His recent distinguished third place placement in the St. Maurice International Organ Competition is a very high honor. Tom was the only contestant from the United States who was selected to compete with eleven other organists in person in Switzerland.

A freewill offering will be accepted in support of our Chapter's operating fund.



"My husband will be home at any moment—quick, take the accordion!"



Piano Quintet

Chamber Concert

Henry Hutchinson, Violin
Matt Stott, Violin
Viera Borisova, Viola
Ana Ruth Bermúdez, Cello
Marcos Flores, Piano



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featuring
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Sunday
MAR 22ND
2026
3 PM

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AND AT THE DOOR.



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TICKETS:

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YOUTH \$10





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- Stay connected online.
- Access all AGO national membership benefits including: free webinars and workshops, certifications, a subscription to the monthly magazine *The American Organist*, and our job board.

We are united in our passion for the organ. Whether you're an organist, or organ buff; a concert organist, or a beginner; have an advanced degree, or are self-taught; play a traditional pipe organ, or electronic organ; are a choral director, or simply love the organ... **you are welcome at the AGO.**

For more information please contact:

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The First Church of Christ Scientist
(Christian Science), 1602 23rd Street in Vero Beach,
is seeking a Pianist/Organist for Sunday mornings
and Wednesday evening healing service.

Instrument is a Yamaha Clavinova CVP-409.

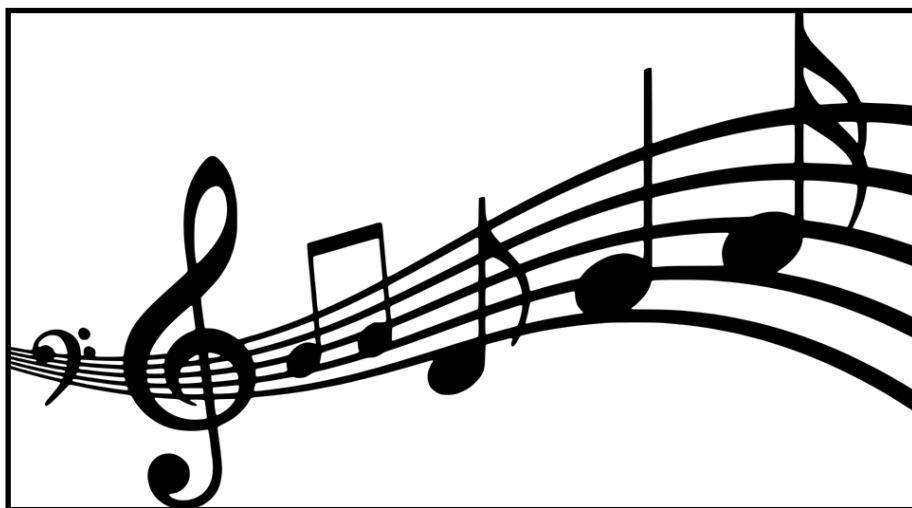
Services-Wednesdays 5:30 pm

Sundays 10:00 am

Prelude begins prior to service and postlude after.
Two hymns from Christian Science Hymnal and on
Sunday you may be asked to accompany soloist.

Audition required. \$150 per service, approx. 1 hour

Contact: Betsie Tegtmeyer, Music Committee Chair
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THE COMMUNITY CHURCH OF VERO BEACH MUSIC & FINE ARTS SERIES SPRING '26

CONCERT SERIES

MAR 8 **Fantasia of the Isles: A Celtic Celebration Astralis Chamber Ensemble** in Grace Chapel on Sunday, March 8 at 3 p.m. Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with this spellbinding program featuring Celtic-inspired works, bringing to life rich Irish and British traditions, unfolding in a captivating performance that blends music with storytelling. Tickets: \$10 Visit ccovb.org/music-fine-arts to buy online.

APR 26 **Atlantica String Trio Featuring Brahms Piano Trio No. 1** in Grace Chapel on Sunday, April 26 at 3 p.m. Alongside the iconic Brahms Trio, you'll hear pieces that compliment its warmth, contrast its energy, and expand the emotional range of the afternoon. Tickets: \$10 Visit ccovb.org/music-fine-arts to buy online.

SPECIAL EVENTS IN WORSHIP

APR 3 **Good Friday Service of Music** Featuring Heather Sorenson's *Requiem, Adagio for Strings* by Samuel Barber, *Élégie op. 24 for Cello and Strings* by Gabriel Fauré with Choir, Orchestra & Soloists at 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

POETRY & MUSIC SERIES

MAR 5 Thursdays in Lent at 11 a.m. Join us to hear the spoken word highlighted by music. Greg Byrd, poet with Miguel Bonachea, classical guitar in Grace Chapel.

MAR 12 Thursdays in Lent at 11 a.m. Join us to hear the spoken word highlighted by music. Angela Alaimo O'Donnell, poet with Adriana Stenvik, cello in Grace Chapel

MAR 19 Thursdays in Lent at 11 a.m. Join us to hear the spoken word highlighted by music. M.B. McLatchey, poet with Su Lee, organ in the Sanctuary.

MAR 26 Thursdays in Lent at 11 a.m. Join us to hear the spoken word highlighted by music. Robert Cording, poet with Mike Telesmanick, piano in Grace Chapel

VINER SERIES FOR THE VISUAL ARTS

FEB- APR **Jackie Schindehette**, Florida native landscape artist presenting "Environs" in the Narthex Gallery. Call 772-562-3633 to view the gallery.

APR- JUL **Viner Series Retrospective** past artists are invited to show one piece in a combined gallery as a look back at our Series for the Visual Arts since 2018.



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OF VERO BEACH
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ARE ALL GOING TO HELL!
REPENT NOW!

If they call for a sub, you might want to pass.

Have you ever thought about what happens to your collection of music when you retire and later, pass away? It's your legacy and it's important to make sure it lives on.

I cannot count how many people give me their music. One time a family called me to say a well known organist had left me her music. It was in a storage shed and I made several trips to collect it all.

What is so unique is the notations made on the scores of music. One such organist dated his music each time it was played.

Maybe you're looking for organ music that you're unable to find? Contact Steve Giddens at steve@firstchurchfp.com—

I probably have it filed. And I'm happy to share!





How successful is our scholarship program? Very!
Pictured is Joseph Parr, performing at
St John of the Cross, Vero Beach in 2024.
Joseph donated his entire offering from this event to our
chapter's scholarship program.



Joseph Rumberger, demonstrating a Reed Organ,
October 2022, with Michael Carter and Ray Adams
looking on.

Joseph, our scholarship alumni, is studying at
Stetson University School of Music.

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