The Treasure Coast Chapter of

The American Guild of Organists



Monthly Newsletter May 2025



MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN

Our Member's Recital is fast approaching, Sunday, June 1st at 4 pm and will be at Trinity Episcopal Church in Vero Beach. This event is dedicated to the Treasure Coast Chapter's founder, Don Ingram. We will also recognize a former dean, Shirley Goodell, who passed away recently. We encourage you to attend.

Also on June 1st, I'll be passing the torch to a new Board

of Directors. It's been an honor to serve and I will continue to serve as the newsletter editor. Keeping the newsletter coming will depend on you, the members and friends, sending me announcements, events schedules and other newsworthy pieces to print. The newsletter will take a summer break beginning in July and will be back in business September 2025.

Our monthly luncheon will also take a break for the summer. Our last luncheon will be May 7^{th} . RSVP with me.

Serving as dean has been quite an experience. The first year I really didn't know many members and we were just getting back after the pandemic. While a lot of members are in Vero, as well as a few pipe organs, it was a realization that our chapter extends many miles, from Stuart to Vero Beach. The second year was rebuilding and securing some events, slowly building our resources and getting to know all of you. The third year, this year, has been very exciting. We have had several very successful events and our chapter is in good shape. The scholarship program is going strong and my wish is for that continued success. With the new board coming in, I feel strongly that you're in good hands with strong leadership. Many have served in the past and I thank them for standing up to the plate again.

The ballots go out the same day as this newsletter. Please see they are voted by simply replying to the email. Ballots go to full memberships only.

Keep practicing.

Steve Giddens Dean TCCAGO



There will be a musical memorial service for Donald Ingram, our founding dean, on Saturday May 10 at St Peter's Church in Albany, New York, where Don served earlier in his career. There will be a musical tribute prior to the burial liturgy and three of Don's successor's at Trinity Episcopal Church in Vero Beach will participate, Neal Campbell, Jason Hobratschk, and Brady Johnson.

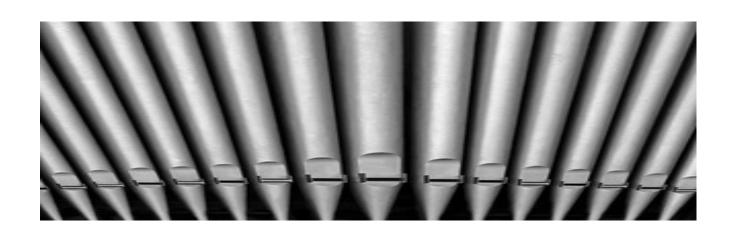
Interment will be at a later date in the columbarium of St. Paul's Cathedral in Buffalo, New York, where Don also served.

The photo above shows Don with his fellow Trinity organists in 2018 on the occasion of the 20th anniversary of the Harrison & Harrison organ in Trinity. Back row (L-R) Neal Campbell, Allen Bean, Brady Johnson, front Don Ingram, Jason Hobratschk





TCCAGO Chapter Lunch
Ocean Grill Vero Beach
The next luncheon will be
May 7, 2025 at 12 Noon
RSVP with Steve Giddens



TCCAGO EVENT SCHEDULE For the 2025 Season

*SUNDAY, June 1, 2025 at 4 pm—Members Recital In Honor of Donald Ingram, our founder, at Trinity Episcopal Church, Vero Beach, FL

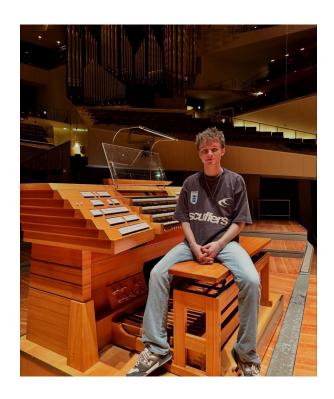
*Austin Organ Demo at St John of the Cross, Vero Beach, FL TBA



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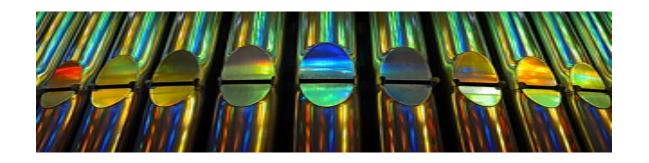


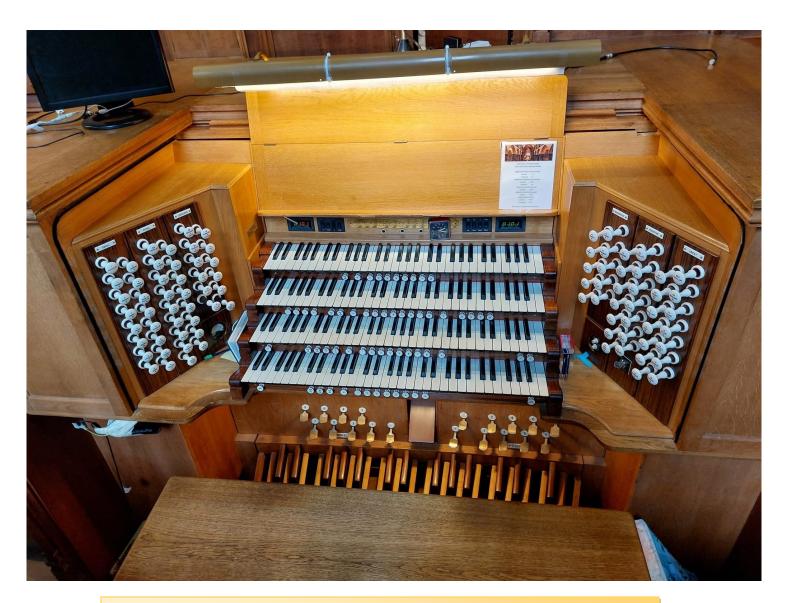
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Concert artist Jan Liebermann at the Berlin Philharmonic Hall (top photo) The Woehl organ at St Remigius in Viersen (photo below)



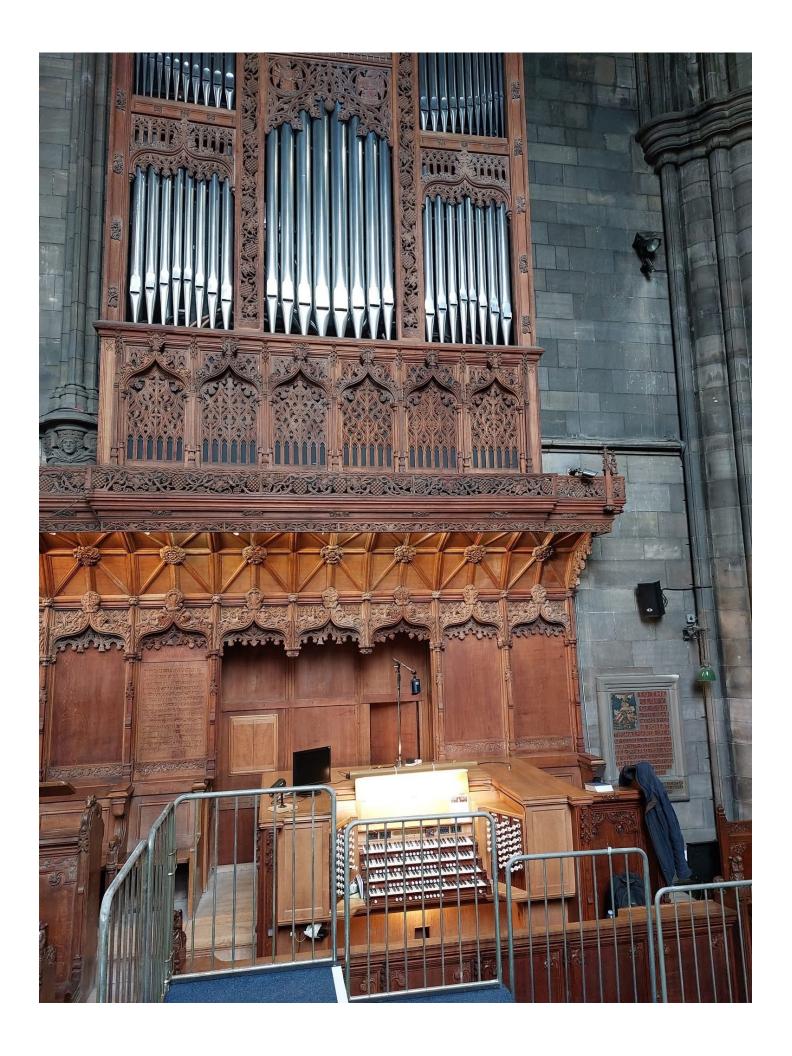




The console of the Paisley Abbey –1872 Cavaille-Coll/1928 Hill, Norman & Beard/1968 J.W. Walker.

Thanks to the dedicated organist George McPhee, who has served the Abbey for 62 years, the organ has survived with no tonal alterations.

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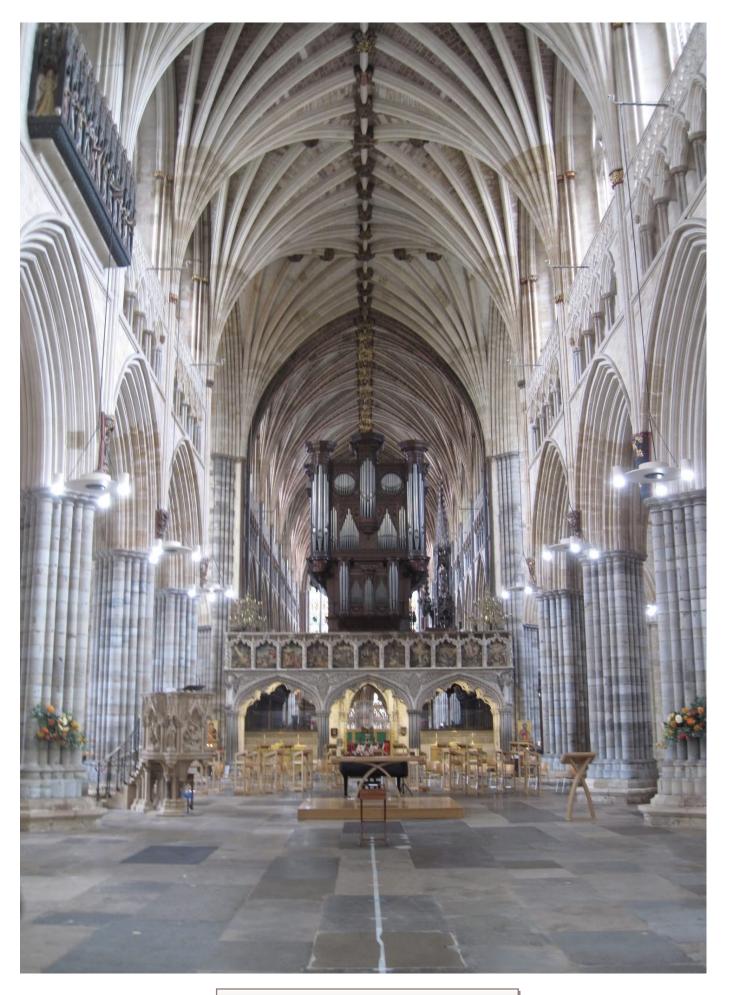


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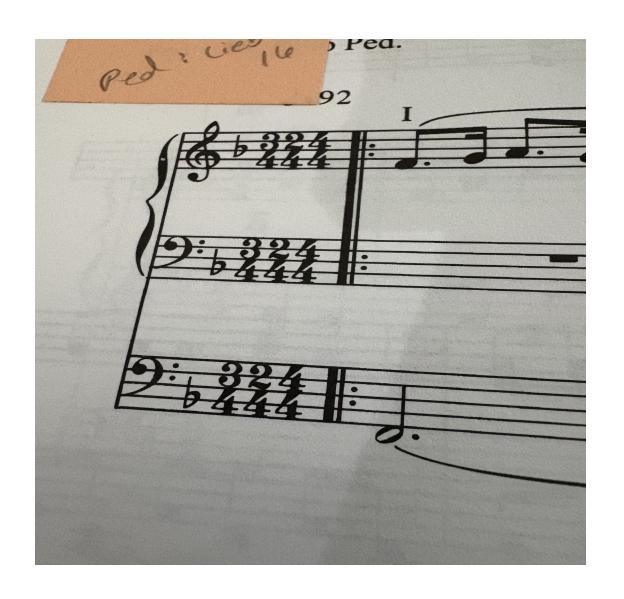
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YOUR EVENT SCHEDULE FOR THE YEAR COULD BE HERE







DIECI ANNI CON L' ORGANO

Gustav Steinmann



GIOVEDÌ, 24 APRILE 2025 - ORE 21
"Les méridionaux du nord et du sud"
Frédéric Muñoz, organo
Organista di Saint-Guilhem e del
Tempio di Alès, Francia

VENERDÌ, 16 MAGGIO 2025 - ORE 21
"BACH: una famiglia di musicisti"

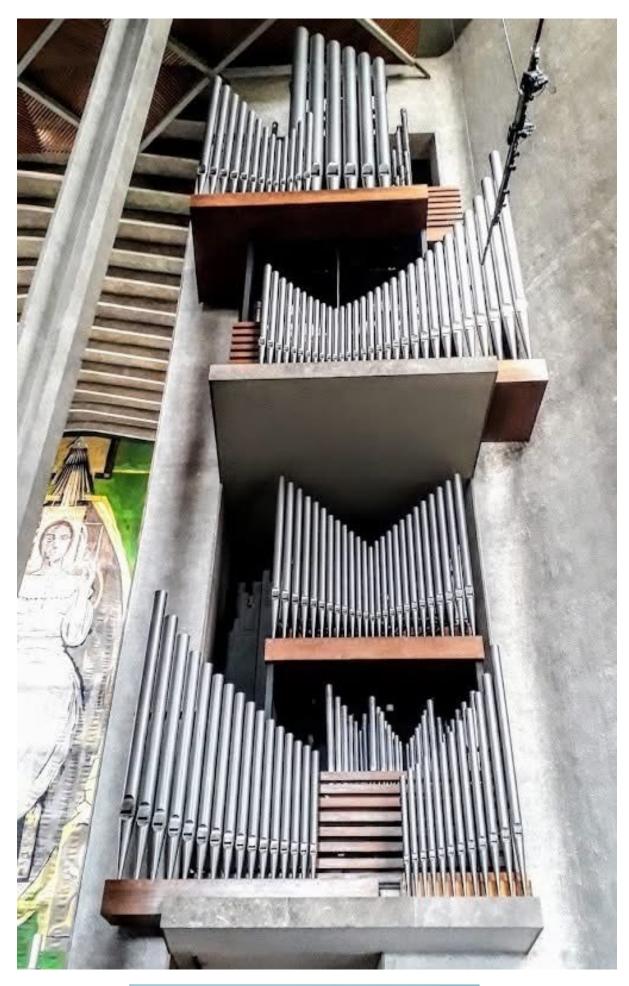
Matteo Riboldi, organo
Organista titolare della cappella
musicale del Duomo di Monza

VENERDÌ, 27 GIUGNO 2025 - ORE 21
J. S. Bach: "Das Orgelbüchlein"
Il "Piccolo libro d'organo"
Luca Gorla, organo
Organista della parr.ia di Rovello Porro

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I tre concerti rientrano nell'ambito della Quarta Edizione del "Festival Organistico delle Province Lombarde" Direzione artistica ed organizzazione: Luca Gorla





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ROVELLO PORRO (CO)

Parrocchia "SS. Pietro e Paolo" 24 aprile 2025 - ore 21 **Frédéric Muñoz**, *organo*

ROVELLO PORRO (CO)

Parrocchia "SS. Pietro e Paolo" 16 maggio 2025 - ore 21 **Matteo Riboldi**, *organo*

MILANO (MI) - Loc. Affori

Parrocchia "S. Giustina" 25 maggio 2025 - ore 16.30 **Luca Gorla**, *organo*

CESANO MADERNO (MB)

Parrocchia "S. Stefano" 6 giugno 2025 - ore 21 **Matteo Venturini**, *organo*

MARCHENO (BS) - Loc. Brozzo

Parrocchia "S. Michele"
20 giugno 2025 - ore 20.30
Francesco Panico, tromba
Luca Gorla, organo

ROVELLO PORRO (CO)

Parrocchia "SS. Pietro e Paolo" 27 giugno 2025 - ore 21 **Luca Goria**, *organo*

NUVOLENTO (BS)

Pieve di S. Stefania 2 agosto 2025 - ore 20.30 **Massimiliano Sanca**, *organo*

COGLIATE (MB)

Parrocchia "S. Giuseppe" 6 settembre 2025 - ore 21 Riccardo Villani, organo

RUDIANO (BS)

Parrocchia "Natività di Maria" 27 settembre 2025 - ore 20.45 **Nicolò Sari**, *organo*

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Celebration of Freedom A Patriotic Comcert Thursday, July 3, 2025 7:30PM CALL FOR SINGERS Rehearsals begin Tuesday, May 13, 2025 7:00PM-9:00PM For more information contact Ryan Kasten, Director of Music Cell: 772-584-9744 or Email: Music.StjohnsVero@Gmail.com



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