



The **2014 AGO Silent Auction** is underway and will conclude with the closing of the convention at Midnight, Friday, June 27! Participate online at www.BiddingForGood.com/AGO. We have a stunning inventory of auction items that include airline tickets, hotel nights, private tours, sailing, fine art, food, wine, organ music and books, baseball tickets, an opportunity to play the Wanamaker Organ in Philadelphia, and much more!

Do you plan to attend an upcoming AGO Regional or National Convention? Place a bid for your convention registration! AGO Chapters and other presenting organizations will want to take advantage of the vast offerings of recitals and workshops donated by world-class musicians and educators, as well as a guest appearance at your event by *Pipedreams* Producer and Host Michael Barone.

All proceeds from the Silent Auction will benefit the AGO Annual Fund. Thank you for your support. Questions? Contact F. Anthony Thurman, fathurman@agohq.org

Mid Atlantic Regional Meeting

Wednesday at 11:00 am, the Mid-Atlantic Region meeting will be held in Clarendon/Berkeley, 3rd Floor, 160, Marriott. Members of the region: plan to attend! In addition to some social time, our regional councilor, Glenn Rodgers, will have business of the region. We will hear about plans for the Pittsburgh regional convention, June 21-24, 2015, and the door prize will be a free registration to this convention! You must be present to win! So, resist the temptation to skip this meeting, and join us for information and a winning chance!

West Regional Meeting

AGO members from Regions VIII and IX:

Be sure to attend the **first ever** West Region meeting on Wednesday at 11:00 am! Join us as we celebrate the "merger" of our two great regions, welcome our new Hong Kong chapter and meet Matthew Burt, new West Region Councillor. You won't want to miss the opportunity to win one of the fabulous door prizes, including a free registration to the 2015 Regional Convention!



University of Kansas alumni are invited to gather at 10:15 PM. Thursday at the Champions on the second floor of the Marriott.



The Indiana University Jacobs School of Music alumni reception (sponsored by the JSOM organ department and IOU – Indiana

Organists United) is Tuesday, 10pm, Wellesley Room, Marriott. JSOM alumni t-shirts will be given to all alumni, and some "swag" is available, too! Hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar are available. Come greet the organ faculty and see friends and colleagues!



EASTMAN
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Eastman School of Music Alumni Reception

Join us Tuesday evening, 10:30 PM, Suffolk Room, Marriott.

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ALUMNI RECEPTION 10:00 PM.

Simmons Room, Marriott. All Michigan alumni are warmly invited to enjoy hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar. Hosted by Organ Department faculty James Kibbie and Kola Owolabi.



The Tuesday Orientation session for **First-Time Attendees has been cancelled**. We want you to enjoy the Craig Cramer or Scott Dettra concerts at that time.

On Tuesday, the Annual Meeting of the AGO will be held at Trinity Church from 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM.

→The Wednesday and Thursday afternoon concerts in Cambridge **begin at 2:00 PM** (not 1:30 PM as listed in your registration envelopes).←

→**Friday Morning Prayer begins at 9:00 AM**. The times listed in the program book are correct.



Transportation after the concerts

Wednesday and Thursday evening after the concerts, shuttle buses will be available to take you back to the Marriott. You don't have to have signed up for this; it's available to all. They will be in front of the Arlington Street Church, on the corner of Arlington and Boylston Streets, starting about 9:30 PM.

The Boston Organ Book (BOB), a collection of music – old and new – from Boston composers can be picked up at the registration desk. Please stop by for this Convention memento (no charge).



ONCARD

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The AGO staff invites you to stop by the AGO National Headquarters Exhibit Booth #708-710 any time during exhibit hours to renew your membership for 2014-2015. You can renew through ONCARD or pay by check. Chapter officers are welcome to come by and learn about ONCARD's chapter administration features including updating officer and member rosters and viewing remit reports. Leah Semiken, AGO's Manager of Membership and Chapter Relations, along with other members of the AGO staff will be pleased to answer your questions about ONCARD



Oberlin Conservatory Alumni Reception

Join us Tuesday evening around 10:30 PM at the Atrium & Marble, 3rd floor of the Marriott.

The Canadian International Organ Competition (CIOC) is here at the AGO convention in full force!

CIOC 2014 jury members James David Christie, Janette Fishell and Joan Lippincott are all giving recitals as well as past CIOC winners Christian Lane and Jens Korndörfer. CIOC Artistic Director, John Grew, and

Executive Director, Thomas Leslie, are attending the convention, so please feel free to ask them questions about the competition. If you are interested in having a CIOC winner give a recital at your church, please leave a message for Thomas Leslie at the information desk.

Anyone who has attended or participated in the CIOC is invited to join us for an informal Photo Op immediately following Joan Lippincott's recital on Thursday night (June 26, 8:45 PM) at First Lutheran Church, Boston.



Trinity Church in the City of Boston: Convention attendees are welcome to tour Trinity Church without charge upon presentation of your convention name badge. Hours are 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM daily. Please visit the Trinity Bookshop on the lower level.

If you are attending the **Joe**

Utterback Workshop, Wednesday, 8:30 AM, at Trinity Church, please enter through the Parish House on Clarendon Street.

Workshop Handouts are available on the Convention website. Find the workshop description and click on "Handouts".

Daily News submissions

Do you have an article for the Daily news? Please email it to info@agoboston2014.org or drop it by the Registration Desk before 4:00PM daily.



Hospitality Phone Numbers

Our hospitality Chairs are available at any time for questions. Please call or text:

Jack Russell - 559-AGO-2794 (559-246-2794)
Ross Wood - 559-AGO-6413 (559-246-6413)



Some Venues REQUIRE Tickets

Some venues are at capacity. Tickets have been issued for the events below; tickets are in your registration packet. Registrants with tickets will be admitted first. If the venue is not full five minutes before the events begin, those without tickets will be admitted as space allows.

- Advanced Choral Conducting 1, beginning at 3:00 PM, Tuesday
- Advanced Choral Conducting 2, beginning at 4:15 PM, Tuesday
- Evensong/John Scott Concert – 7:30 PM, Wednesday and Thursday Evening
- Lutheran Vespers/Joan Lippincott and the Boston Early Music Festival Chamber Orchestra – 7:30 PM Wednesday and Thursday Evenings



Workshop Hosts

All workshop hosts should check in with Elsa Geskus in the Northeastern Room of the Marriott Hotel 30 minutes prior to their scheduled session.



There's still time to make a gift to support the convention. Stop by the registration table or go online to agoboston2014.org and click the yellow "Donate" button.



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New Registration Desk Hours

Tuesday: 8:00 AM to 7:00 PM
Wednesday: 8:00 AM to 7:00 PM
Thursday: 8:00 AM to 7:00 PM
Friday: 6:00 AM to 10:00 AM