# The Greater Columbia



#### October 2007

# Organist

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# Phantom of the Opera

# Silent Movie with Cheater Organ Music

Sunday, October 21 6:00pm

Original score written and performed by **Brian Bogdanowitz-organist** 

### Asbury Memorial United Methodist Church

1005 Asbury Dr, Columbia, SC
Off of Leesburg Rd., Next to Greenlawn Cemetery

Brian Bogdanowitz will provide theater organ music for the silent film, *Phantom of the Opera*. The 1925 silent film version, directed by Rupert Julian, is a classic adaptation of Gaston Leroux's novel *The Phantom of the Opera*, starring Lon Chaney in the title role as the masked and facially disfigured 'Phantom' who haunts the Paris Opera House, causing murder and mayhem in an attempt to force the management to make the woman he loves a star. It is most famous for Lon Chaney's intentionally horrific, self-applied makeup, which was kept a studio secret until the film's premiere.

Brian, known for his not-so-conventional organ concerts, is well known for his ninety-minute score to the *Phantom of the Opera*. He was featured on FOX Television Arts and Entertainment segment as the composer and performer of the music score. Brian currently teaches music at O2B Kids on Fleming Island, FL and is music director for St. Margaret's Episcopal Church in Green Cove Springs, FL.

#### 2007-2008

Sunday, November 4, 4:00 pm Fisher Endowment Organ Recital; Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary

Tuesday, November 13, 11:30 am Luncheon meeting & Open Console; Brookland Baptist Church

December TBA Christmas Party Home of Mark Husey

Tuesday, January 22, 7:30 pm Organ Music by Women Composers—Susan Hegberg; Union United Methodist Church

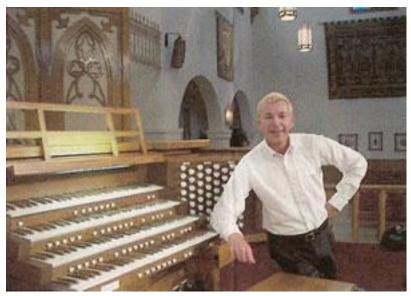
Tuesday, February 19, 7:30 pm Student Recital; Shandon United Methodist Church

Monday, April 7, 7:30 pm

<u>Handbell Workshop:</u> Jeffers Handbell

Saturday, May 3 TBA Paul Spicer; Trinity Episcopal Cathedral





Brian Bogdanowitz, Theater Organist

# Hello, my

To help everyone put a name with a face; we will be taking photographs of our members at the first few meetings to add to our directory {a pictorial directory of sorts}. Please try to attend one of the first meetings so your picture can be added.

# Member News

## OUR CONDOLENCES TO MARTHA KLEMM

Mary Ritchie, Martha's mother, passed away in September. Our hearts go out to Martha and her family.



#### 2007-2008

Dean Tony Roof tonyroof@windstream.net

Sub Dean Jim Hepler jimhepler@hotmail.com

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**Members at Large:** 

David Lowry

<u>DavidL1205@aol.com</u>

Joan Marco

Garyjoan@aol.com
Frances Webb

FrancesWebb@sc.rr.com

## www.AGOcolumbia.org

In concert
Bill
McNair



Program of keyboard music (organ, harpsichord, and piano) by Buxtehude, Bach, Scarlatti, Mozart, Mendelssohn and Shostakovich

Columbia College Tuesday, October 2 @ 7:30 pm

Shandon Presbyterian Church Friday, October 26 @ 7:30 pm



FOR SALE: Kawai 5'10" RX-2 grand piano, polished ebony. Eight years old, excellent condition, one owner, non-smoking home, never in storage. Wonderful instrument for church or home. \$12,500. Sara Beardsley 803/777-5369 M-F, 803/772-9988 evenings/weekends, or email <a href="mailto:sbeardsley@mozart.sc.edu">sbeardsley@mozart.sc.edu</a>



### October

Ike Pitts 10/06 Tony P Roof 10/07 William A McNair 10/15 Giedre J Gaskiene 10/31

If you don't see your birthday listed, contact Susan Sturkie (sloopystur@aol.com)



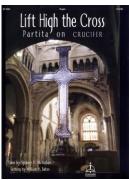
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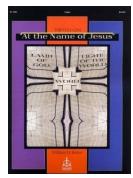


Ebenezer Lutheran Church Patrons and Friends of the Arts 2007 - 2008 concert season

October 30, 2007, 7:30 p.m. Affabre Concinui - The Polish Chamber Choir (Men's Ensemble)

## Bill Bates announces New Works





"Lift High" was played in April 2006 during Bill Bates Centennial recital. "At the Name of Jesus" was commissioned by the 2007 Sewanee Church Music Conference and played there by Gerre Hancock. These two works are the fourth and fifth of Bill's organ works to be published by Concordia Publishing House.

#### SUBSTITUTE ORGANISTS

Please report changes and additions to Susan Sturkie, Registrar (sloopystur@aol.com, 803-788-6807)

#### Sundays, Weddings And/Or Funerals

Sally Cherrington Beggs (803-276-8919) (Newberry) –

Substitution – Organ & Choir – Liturgical, Presbyterian

**Mickey Johnson** (803-789-3870) (Chester) – Substitution – Organ & Choir, Funerals (Will come to Columbia, but cannot sub until Nov. 2007 due to an eye problem)

Charlene Shealy Lanford (945-7574) – Substitution (ELCA) – Organ & Choir; Funerals

Joan Marco (240-2054) – Substitution – Lutheran, Presbyterian, Methodist; Funerals

Alice Philp (787-7798) – Substitution – Protestant; Weddings & Funerals

Ken Robbins (732-3031) – Funerals, Services Early May through July only

Karen Shevenell (781-8193) – Substitution; Funerals, Vocal Solos

Cooperative Baptist Fellowship, United Methodist, Presbyterian (PCUSA)

**Robert Triplett** (255-0072) – Substitution

Frances Webb (772-1492) – Substitution – Episcopal, Lutheran; Funerals, Weddings

**Ed West** (803-377-3746, 737-0487) – Substitution – Organ & Choir – Presbyterian, Methodist, Catholic; Weddings

Monica Yates (736-9521) – Substitution – Organ only- Episcopal

#### Funerals, Weddings & Solos (Not Sunday Morning)

Mark Dickens (798-6192) – Weddings

**Joyce Farrow** (843-413-9185) (Florence area only) – Funerals & Weddings – Presbyterian, Methodist, Episcopal, Baptist

**Toni Hollingsworth** (414-1935) – Funerals & Weddings

Mark Husey (760-6732) – Funerals, Weddings, Vocal Solos

**Robert Jones** (561-0325) – Funerals, Weddings (Organ or Piano)

**Tina McGready** (407-3387) –Funerals & Weddings – Organ, Vocal Solos

William McNair (736-7340) Weddings & Funerals

**English Morris** (736-2281) Funerals & Weddings

Elisa Moskovitz (256-2251) Funerals & Weddings

Robert Neese (926-7306) – Funerals & Weddings

Louis Shirer (553-2122) – Weddings

Susan Sturkie (788-6807) - Funerals

**Hubert Tucker** (799-0207) – Funerals - Liturgical

Sharon Witherell (787-3719) – Weddings, Funerals, Vocal solos for Funerals & Weddings



# JOSEPH MARTIN

**AND** 

OCTOBER 18-19, 2007 CARL SCHALK

RON DAVIS, CONVENER REGISTRATION OPENS ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18<sup>TH</sup> AT 8:30AM

Schedule and Info: <a href="https://www.presby.edu/music">www.presby.edu/music</a>

Contact Ron Davis: <a href="mailto:rdavis@presby.edu">rdavis@presby.edu</a>

Department of Music Telephone: 864.833.8470



#### **POSITIONS AVAILABLE**

Please contact Susan Sturkie (803-788-6807 or <u>sloopystur@aol.com</u>) to update this information or for more information on these openings.

#### POSITION OPEN FOR ARTISTIC DIRECTOR OF MASTER CHORALE OF SOUTH FLORIDA

http://www.masterchoraleofsouthflorida.org
Email Info@masterchoraleofsouthflorida.org

WWW.ORGANISTE.NET for Information about the Southeast Florida Music Community

#### **BISHOPVILLE**

**Bishopville Presbyterian Church,** Organist, 150 members. 1919 Pilcher restored in 1998. Contact Leon E. Hunt at <a href="mailto:leon.hunt@caresouth-carolina.com">leon.hunt@caresouth-carolina.com</a> or email resume to <a href="mailto:bvlpcusa@ftc-i.net">bvlpcusa@ftc-i.net</a> or mail to P.O. Box 66, Bishopville, SC 29010.

*First Baptist Church,* P.O. Box 144, Bishopville, SC 29010. Part-time Accompanist (piano and/or organ) and Part-time Music Director (one choir). Send resume ATTN: Personnel Committee at the church address. For more information, contact Beth Hedegor, Ministry Assistant at 803-484-5430 (8-1, Mon.-Thur.)

#### **CAYCE**

**Transfiguration Lutheran Church**, 1301 Twelfth St, PO Box 2461, Cayce, SC 29171 seeks the services of an Organist / Choir Director. Part-time position. One Sunday service (10:00 AM) with other special services throughout the year (Lent, Advent, etc). To direct Adult Choir, Handbell Choir (3 octaves), and Children's Choir. Benefits available as part of salary package. Contact Rev. Alex Twedt at 803-794-3312 or send resume to the above address or email to transfiguration1@bellsouth.net

#### **COLUMBIA**

**Ascension Lutheran Church**, 827 Wildwood Ave., 29203. Organist or Organist/Choir Director. Contact Donna Clark, 799-3908 (H), 213-7170 (W), <a href="DCClark@coloniallife.com">DCClark@coloniallife.com</a>

Crescent Hill Baptist Church, 2659 Two Notch Rd., 29204. Organist & Pianist (2 people). Services Sun. a.m. & p.m. 1 Choir Practice. Contact Rev. Ron Bryan at 254-5549 or e-mail resume to admin@crescenthillbaptist.com.

Epworth Memorial United Methodist Church, the church that serves Epworth Children's Home in Columbia SC seeks to hire a part-time Music Director. The person who fills this position will provide music for Sunday morning services (piano and keyboard) and occasional special services. He or she will also direct or supervise children and youth choirs that will perform in church at least once a month. Being familiar with Media Shout and comfortable with sound systems would be a plus. Candidates must be energetic, flexible and comfortable with various worship styles, to include traditional, contemporary Christian, and African-American gospel. Most of all, we are seeking someone who feels called by God to work with children and youth and displays a mature Christian faith. Please send your resume' to Rev. Megan Gray at PO Box 50466 Columbia, SC 29250 or email to mgray@epworthsc.org Phone: 803-256-7394.

**Garden of Grace United Church of Christ** (Atlas Road) is seeking a part-time Music Team Leader who who will direct the choir of about 20 individuals and assist the pastoral staff and musicians with the selection of weekly music. Compensation is based on experience and final ministry description. Interested individuals should contact Rev. Andy Sidden at (803) 695-9664 or <a href="mailto:pastorandys@msn.com">pastorandys@msn.com</a>.

#### **HARTSVILLE**

**St. Bartholomew Episcopal Church,** Campus Drive, Hartsville, SC 29550 Organist position. Cassavant Organ. The church is located directly across from the Elizabeth Boatwright Performing Arts Center on the Coker College campus. Services are Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. with choir rehearsal on Wednesday evenings at 6:45 p.m. There are other special services occasionally throughout the church year such as choral evensong and Holy Week. The church has a part-time choir director who can also substitute at the organ when needed. If interested, please contact Father Michael Ridgill at 843-332-8765 or Candace Holcombe, choir director, at 843-383-2846 (home) or 843-857-3801 (office). Salary is commensurate with experience and qualifications.

#### **IRMO**

**First Baptist Church,** Part-time Minister of Music sought by First Baptist Church, Irmo, SC. This person will be responsible for the entire music ministry for the church including preschool, children and adult music programs. Any candidate should have a passion for both traditional and contemporary music as well as a vision of how the music program will glorify the Kingdom of God. Please send resume to First Baptist Church, P O Box 3027, Irmo, SC, 29063

The Episcopal Church of St. Simon and St. Jude is looking for an organist to share a full year, part-time organist position. Sunday morning, 10 a.m. worship services and choir rehearsals on Wednesday nights, Special services; the organist accompanies only the adult choir. Interested persons should contact Sandra Teel at 777-4401 (daytime), 781-7546 (evenings) or by e-mail at sjteel@sc.rr.com. (Contact Susan Sturkie at sloopystur@aol.com or 788-6807 for complete job description.)

#### **LANCASTER**

*First ARP Church,* 701 N Main St., PO Box 864, Lancaster SC 29721-0864. Part-time Organist. Have pipe organ. One Sunday service, Wed. rehearsal (could move to Sunday. Contact Rev. Kyle Sims 803-285-1578 or <a href="mailto:pastorkyle@comporium.net">Pastorkyle@comporium.net</a>

#### **LEXINGTON**

**St. John's Lutheran Church**, 213 St. John's Church Rd., Lexington 29072. Organist/Choir Director Position Located 6 Miles West of Lexington off of Hwy. 378

Small Church in a Growing Community. One Sunday Worship at 10:30 AM. Allen Organ Salary Negotiable. For More Information, Contact the Worship and Music Committee

Phone: (803) 957-5402. Email: stjohnlex@windstream.net

#### **LUGOFF**

**St. John's United Methodist Church**, Organist. 2 Sunday morning services. Apply in writing to St. John's UMC, att: Mrs. Lea Ann O'Quinn, P.O. Box 218, Lugoff, SC 29078 or call the church office at 438-1335.

#### **NEWBERRY**

**Summer Memorial Lutheran Church** is currently seeking a qualified individual to fill the position of Director of Music Ministries / Organist. Part-time position (16-20 hours per week) - one Sunday worship service plus any additional seasonal services. The Director of Music Ministries conducts weekly rehearsals with the adult choir, the children's choir, and the handbell choir. This individual will also work closely with the Pastor and the Worship and Music Committee in selecting a wide variety of music to enhance the worship service. Knowledge of traditional Lutheran Liturgy and contemporary praise music is an asset to this position. All interested persons should submit a resume to Wanda Amick, Summer Memorial Lutheran Church, 1609 Milligan Street, Newberry, SC 29108, or by e-mail to <a href="mailto:summermemorial@bellsouth.net">summermemorial@bellsouth.net</a>. Compensation is approximately \$10,000.00 to \$12,000.00 per year.

#### **ORANGEBURG**

**The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer**, Orangeburg, SC seeking the services of an Organist/Choir Director. Part-time position. To direct Adult & Children's choirs and to play organ (pipe) for Sunday service. Competitive salary. Call: (803) 534-3794 The Rev. Dr. Frank E. Larisey.

#### **SENECA**

**Eternal Shepherd Lutheran Church**, http://www.eternalshepherd.org/ Choir accompanist. Contact Lars Helland, email: <a href="larsh@alltel.net">larsh@alltel.net</a> cell: 706-244-4544 Home: 706-356-2690 or Rick Schmidt at 864-886-9306.

#### **SPARTANBURG**

**St. John Lutheran Church** has an opening for a part time contemporary worship leader with experience blending keyboard, guitar, bass, violin and flute. The congregation is also looking for a part time director of youth & children's ministry, with a degree or experience.

These two positions may be combined into one full time position. Please send resume to St. John Lutheran Church, 415 S. Pine St., Spartanburg, SC 29302.

#### ST. MATTHEWS

**St. Paul United Methodist Church,** 202 East Bridge St., St. Matthews, S. C. 29135. Organist, Moeller Pipe Organ, Sun. 11:00 Service, Wed. Practice 7:00 – 8:30. Contact Julia Helen Garris at (803) 874-3511 or <a href="majority:mgarris@sc.rr.com">mgarris@sc.rr.com</a>

#### OCEAN ISLE BEACH. NC

**St. Luke Lutheran Church**, Part time position includes one weekly worship service, weekly voice and handbell choir rehearsals, seasonal/special worship services. Salary based on experience. We are a growing congregation in beautiful coastal North Carolina.

Transportation expenses may be considered. Fax resume to 910-579-0017, e-mail to <a href="mailto:stlukeelca@atmc.net">stlukeelca@atmc.net</a> or call 910-579-0107.

## Saint Peter's Catholic Church

1529 Assembly Street (at Hampton & Taylor)

#### Sunday 7 October at 3 PM

Our Second Annual
HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH PROGRAM
Young Artists from the USC Community

Rebecca Krynski, The Dr. Bill and Dianne Neglia Cholar Scholar 2007-08

Eddenia Robinson, Rachel Runge, Haley Rice, Jennifer Minich, Laura Nevitt, and Tamara Willing

Special Guests Meredith McCoy (UNC Chapel Hill), Bryant Belin (Coker College)

With Pianists William Shuler, Luke Fang, Jane Nevitt, and Mark Husey

Works of Milan, Pisador, Literes, de Laserna, Rodrigo, Falla, Toldra, Sorozabal, Espla, Granados, Abril, Turina, Ginastera, Guastavina Helen Tintes-Schuermann, Director

Free Admission

#### SAVE THE DATE

#### Thursday 1 November at Noon and 6 PM

Masses for All Saints' Day
"Missa Brevis" – Benjamin Britten\*
"Beatitudes" – Arvo Pärt\*

Elizabeth Baber and Elena Williamson, Sopranos (New York) Musicians contracted through the generosity of Mr. John Gates (New York)

#### Friday 2 November at 7:30 PM

Ecumenical Evening Prayer for All Souls' Day
Saint Peter's Capella Antiqua – Mark Husey, Director
"Kol Nidre" – Max Bruch
"Muzikalische Exequien" – Heinrich Schütz
Daniel Cole and Jacob Will, Bass-Baritones
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