

AGO Chapter Message

April, 2023



Dear Chapter members,

We've enjoyed an exciting year of concerts, reading sessions, a choral festival, and more. On Monday, May 15th, 2023 at 6:00 PM, we'll share wonderful food and fellowship with the Culinary Choir at Christ Church in Bradenton, Florida. Thanks to Nancy Siebecker and Susan Crumpler for helping to plan the banquet. You've just received all the information you need to RSVP. Please respond soon. We are also grateful to Jim Walton for hosting us at his church and look forward to seeing you there.

One special function of our annual banquet includes the extension of our gratitude to outgoing officers, who have worked so hard to promote excellent organ music and camaraderie among organists in Sarasota-Manatee. We also have the opportunity to welcome incoming members and new officers.

In advance of this event, our Nominating Committee presents the following slate of nominees for you to review over the next month:

Sam Nelson, Dean

David Patrick, Sub-Dean

Jane Hunder, Executive Board 2026

James Guyer, Executive Board 2026

We are also grateful that Cynthia Roberts-Greene and Glen Olsen have agreed to serve another year as Secretary and Treasurer, respectively. We are fortunate to have many skilled candidates. As Chapter Dean for the last two years, I have had the pleasure of working with a fantastic Sub-Dean, and couldn't be more excited to present Sam as your candidate for Dean. If you've had the chance to attend events this year, you already have the above folks supporting and serving in a variety of ways.

The next 30 days are available for you to respond with any written comments such as additional nominations. Otherwise, at our meeting in May, you'll have the chance to formally welcome Sam, David, Jane, and James to these leadership roles. In the meantime, I hope busy Easter musicians have had a chance to rest and that I will see you at Christ Church very soon.

Peace,
Amy Cerniglia, Dean