



# *The Trompette*

Central Iowa Chapter | The American Guild of Organists

January 5, 2016

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## **12<sup>th</sup> Night Party THIS Friday!**

WE WILL be having our annual **12th night Potluck Party** at the residence of **Karma Cahill** starting at 6:00 p.m. this **Friday, January 8**. It's a wonderful party filled with delicious food, tasty beverages, conversation, and laughter. Please plan to bring a dish to share and beverage of your choice. Karma welcomes you to play the house organ if you desire. Parking is allowed in the driveway and on the street. The address is **2740 NW 73rd Avenue** in **Ankeny, IA 50023**. If you need assistance in directions please feel free to call Karma at 515-289-4001.

Sincerely,

--**Michael Stefanek**, *Dean*

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## **Our Chapter is on Facebook**

PLEASE GO TO [www.facebook.com/agocentraliowa](http://www.facebook.com/agocentraliowa) to visit our chapter's Facebook page, *Central Iowa Chapter, American Guild of Organists*. Once there please click on the "like" button to stay updated with wonderful posts, pictures, and important information.

## **New Members, Membership Renewal and/or Transfers**

ALL MEMBERSHIPS are processed online through the national headquarters. If you have not renewed your membership yet please go to [www.agohq.org/oncard-login/](http://www.agohq.org/oncard-login/). If you know of someone interested in becoming a new member or joining our chapter please encourage them to go to [www.agohq.org/membership/join-as-a-chapter-member/](http://www.agohq.org/membership/join-as-a-chapter-member/). Both web pages contain directions to help guide you through the process. If you need further assistance please call **212-870-2310** and the friendly staff at A.G.O. headquarters can help you.

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# CHAPTER EVENTS

## February 20, 2016

**The National Lutheran Choir**, comprised of 62 voices from Minneapolis, MN, will be presenting an afternoon workshop and evening hymn festival at **First United Methodist Church** located at 516 Kellogg Avenue in **Ames, IA**. The choir is on tour celebrating its 30 year anniversary. To learn more about the choir please visit their website: [www.nlca.com/](http://www.nlca.com/). Please watch for further details coming soon!

## March 6, 2016

Internationally acclaimed concert organist, **Ahreum Han**, will be presenting an organ recital at The **Cathedral Church of St. Paul**, 815 High St in Des Moines, at 4:00 p.m. Her imaginative, powerful, and extraordinary performances have thrilled audiences throughout the United States, Asia, and Europe.

She is presently the Principal Organist, Assistant Director of Music, and Artist-in-Residence at First Presbyterian Church in Davenport, Iowa.

She also is the College Organist at Cornell College in Mount Vernon, Iowa.

**More events are in the works and will be announced in upcoming newsletters and email.**

## Looking Ahead to Summer:

**THE 2016 AGO NATIONAL CONVENTION** will be taking place in **Houston, TX** from **June 19-23**. It will showcase vibrant performances, world-class instruments, enlightening workshops, creative new music and inspiring worship. There will be many opportunities to meet fellow musicians and create dynamic connections. This is a convention you won't want to miss! Please visit the convention's website, [www.agohouston2016.com/](http://www.agohouston2016.com/) for further information and to register!!!

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## Other Forthcoming Musical Events

### Sunday, January 24, 4:00 p.m.

#### CHORAL EVENSONG

The Cathedral Church of St. Paul

Sung by the Howells Scholars

Rebecca Gruber, *Director*

Carl Gravander, *Guest Organist*

### Friday, January 29, 7:00 p.m.

#### ORGAN RECITAL

"Music in the Key of C"

Carl Gravander, *Organist*

Simpson College / Smith Chapel

Works by Bach, Franck, Seth Bingham & Boellmann

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