

Boston Chapter, American Guild of Organists

NEWSLETTER

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Pedals, Pipes and Pizza in Harvard Square!

Join us at **10 AM on Saturday, October 24** in First Church Congregational (11 Garden St) for an introduction to the organs, led by Peter Sykes. Following the demonstration at First Church we will walk back toward the Square to Christ Church (Zero Garden St) where Stuart Forster will show a contrasting style of pipe organ. We top off the day with a pizza lunch at Christ Church. This event, sponsored by the Chapter, is designed to introduce young people to the King of Instruments. Those who wish, will have an opportunity to play the instruments and will hear about scholarship opportunities offered by the Young Organists Initiative. Do announce this exciting program to your youth choirs, piano and organ students. Parents and teachers are welcome. No reservations needed. For more information please contact: Mary Sue Willie 978-369-2363 or cvmswillie@comcast.net or Stephanie Budwey sbudwey@hotmail.com.

Regional Convention

It is with much gratitude and appreciation that we write to acknowledge the generosity of the members of the Boston Chapter. Forming the Steering Committee in the fall of 2006 was merely the start of this two-and-one-half-year project. Dozens of additional volunteers served on subcommittees, projects, and special assignments leading up to and during the convention last month. Dozens of you financially contributed unselfishly to our common goal.

Many have already compared our convention favorably to an AGO National convention, and for a Regional convention, second to none. We had the venues, the churches, the instruments, the exhibitors, and unquestionably, the performers and workshop leaders. Four hundred registrants spent a glorious week at our Landmarks Convention!

The convention would not have been possible without *your* support of time, talent, and treasure. For this, we sincerely say...*Thank you!*

Michael Kleinschmidt, Convention Coordinator
E Lary Grossman, Regional Councillor
Lee Ridgway, Dean
Charlene Higbe, Volunteer Coordinator

Evensong and Installation of Officers

Sunday, September 27, 4:30 p.m.

The Church of the Advent

30 Brimmer St, Boston (Beacon Hill)

Our opening fall event will be a service of Choral Evensong at the Church of the Advent, with the Advent choir under the direction of Mark Dwyer assisted by Ross Wood. Included will be the installation of Chapter Officers.

As is stated on the Church of the Advent's website www.theadvent.org, "From the very foundation of the parish in 1844, we have sought to worship the Lord in 'the beauty of holiness and the holiness of beauty.'" This is the experience of worship found by so many (musicians especially) at this church. Whatever your religious persuasion is, however, there are universal components of prayer and music in Evensong.

Gounod's *Messe solennelle* at St. Cecilia's

A great sacred music event of 2009 took place at St. Cecilia's Church in Boston on the evening of July 23rd. The Chœur d'Enfants d'Ile-de-France and the Jeune Chœur d'Ile-de-France (120 voices), under the direction of Francis Bardot, performed Charles Gounod's monumental *Messe solennelle de Ste. Cécile* (1855), joined by the Jeune Orchestre Symphonique Maurice Ravel. The article "Roman Catholic church music" (V.3) in *The New Grove Dictionary* remarks that of the Mass "once enjoyed enormous popularity; it owed its success to a broadly conceived lyricism, formal clarity, effective harmonic shifts and uncomplicated choral writing." (Since the undersigned wrote the article in question, he may be forgiven for quoting it.) The orchestra, the choirs of children (singing from memory!) and young adults arrayed before the altar of St. Cecilia's made an impression fully complemented by the waves of sound that coursed through the large church. An added pleasure was the rare opportunity to hear Camille Saint-Saëns's "Organ" Symphony with Richard Clark, *titulaire* of an organ that matched the sound of the large orchestra under the direction of its own conductor, Vincent Renaud. All in all, an unforgettable experience.

-- Joseph Dyer

Dean's Message

Welcome to a New Season!

September often seems like the true “new year”, what with schools, churches, and performing groups returning to regular schedules, and God returning from Nantucket – or wherever “he” goes for the summer in your version of the old New England joke. So, welcome to the new season of the Boston AGO!

A Splendid Convention It Was!

I state, unabashedly, that “our” regional convention was a great success! From the opening service to the closing silent movie with organ, this was three days which gave AGO members and the public alike a small sampling of the many and varied organ treasures Boston holds. All the performers and workshop leaders were in top form, and the whole works came off without a (readily apparent) hitch. Congratulations to convention coordinator Michael Klienschmidt, to the convention committee, and to all volunteers who helped in myriad ways!

Do You Read TAO?

One of the “perks” of AGO membership is *The American Organist*. In our overly busy lives, it is easy to glance at the cover when it arrives, leaf through the pages quickly, and then think we might get to reading it later – but never do. May I suggest that this is giving short shrift to a good resource?

Not everything in every issue is going to be relevant, or of immediate interest, to everyone. I would recommend certain parts, though, for monthly perusal. President Eileen Gunther and executive director James Thomashower address current issues of the AGO, and they often discuss our profession as it relates to religion, culture, and society in the wider world. To keep up with the business of the AGO, these are the pages to read.

Another column to read is that of national chaplain Tom Troeger. He reminds us that, in the end, we are in a spiritual business. While not every one of his writings will speak to each of us directly, they are always worth reading because of the possible phrase or paragraph which gives pause for thought.

You don't need to read all of TAO in one sitting, but don't just toss it aside. Take a few minutes here and there to read each issue and find what “speaks” to you at that time, or what you want to file for future reference.

-- Lee Ridgway

Executive Committee Meetings

7-9 pm, Church of the Advent, 30 Brimmer St, Boston. Charles MBTA

Mon Sept 14 Tues Nov 10 Mon Jan 11 Tues Mar 9 Mon June 6

Executive committee meetings are open to all Chapter members.

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Chapter Competition

The Chapter competition for young organists always attracts exceptional talent, and this year was no exception. Three young people competed. The judges were Douglas Major, Patrick Kabanda, and Stuart Forster. The winner was Jacob Street, a student of Jim Christie at Holy Cross College, where Mr. Street is the 2010 Organ Scholar. The competition was held at the Church of St. John the Evangelist on Bowdoin Street; our thanks go to Jeffrey Mills, host organist, for his assistance and support.

At the Regional Convention, I also coordinated the regional competitions. Mr. Street went on to compete again at the Regional Convention against a competitor from Connecticut, where Mr. Street again won the competition. It was held at Old West Church. Our thanks go to Yuko Hayashi for her assistance and support, as well. Mr. Street will now be invited to perform (not compete) at the national convention next summer in Washington, D.C., as part of the "Rising Stars" series. For Region II, the winner was John Walthausen, also a student of Jim Christie, but at Oberlin.

These competitions are an important aspect of our Chapter's mission to advance and improve our profession, and I am honored to have the responsibility of coordinating them.

-- *David Baker*

Church Music Scholarship Announced

In 2010 the Charlotte Hoyt Bagnall Scholarship for Church Musicians will hold a competition for high school musicians, granting awards of \$300 to \$2500 for the study of religious music and liturgy. High school students studying organ with an interest in church music are eligible to apply. The scholarship can be used for organ lessons, high school and college level studies related to organ or religious music, participation in organ festivals, seminars, music camps, etc.

Information and applications can be obtained at www.chbscholarship.com, or writing "The Charlotte H. Bagnall Scholarship", 17 Beaverbrook Rd, West Simsbury, CT 06092. Applications are due by December 31, 2009.

Coro Stella Maris Auditions

Amelia LeClair, director, announces auditions for the 2009-2010 season concerts. There are Soprano, Alto, and Bass openings. Auditions are by appointment through September. Rehearsals are Mondays at 7 p.m. in Salem, beginning September 14. For more information call 867-919-4218 or 617-964-6609 or e-mail aleclair@clausura.org.

Learn more at www.corostellamaris.org.

Requiescant in Pace

Carolyn E. Johnson, Alfred B. Meech, Lorraine Snowdon
Oral F. Lindsey (husband of member Vona Lee Lindsey)

Youth pro Musica Auditions

Youth pro Musica auditions begin Sept. 1 for the 2009-2010 Season. Boys and girls ages 8-18 are invited to sing. Auditions are held at the First Unitarian Society in Newton, 1326 Washington St, West Newton. Call 617-666-6087 or e-mail auditions@youthpromusica.org for an appointment or further information.

Notice Informing Membership of Case in Progress

On June 23, 2009, an AGO Member filed a formal complaint against Our Lady of Fatima Parish in Sudbury, Massachusetts, for wrongful termination of employment. The Guild is investigating the matter according to the AGO's Procedures for Dealing with Complaints about Termination. No determination has been made at this time.

Although Guild members may provide substitute or interim services, no member may seek or accept regular or permanent employment with Our Lady of Fatima while these Procedures are pending. See the AGO's website for the current status of this case.

To mark the publication
of his new book on Heiller
you are invited to

"A talk about Anton Heiller"

by Peter Planjavsky

Friday, September 25 at 8:00 pm
Old West Church
131 Cambridge Street, Boston
— Free Admission —

Sponsored by the Old West Organ Society
www.oldwestorgansociety.org

BOSTON/AGO CONCERT CALENDAR


Monday, August 31

7:30 pm to 9:45 pm


Assabet Valley Mastersingers (Eaton, *dir*) Open Rehearsal. St Mark's School, Marlboro Rd (Route 85), Southborough MA. 978-562-9838

Tuesday, September 1

12:00 noon

Demo/Tour of Kotschmar organ with Ray Cornils. Merrill Auditorium at City Hall, 389 Congress St, Portland ME. 207-553-4363 

12:15 pm

Cassandra Extavour, soprano; Carol Lewis, viola da gamba; Heinrich Christensen, organ; Couperin *Tenebrae*; Delalande *Miserere*. King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St, Boston. 617-868-8658 Donation \$3 

Wednesday, September 2

8:00 pm

Bálint Karosi, organ: Mendelssohn, Schumann, Bach, Liszt. Methuen Memorial Music Hall, 192 Broadway, Methuen MA. 978-685-0693 \$10/5


Thursday, September 3

10:00 pm

Harvard University Choir (Jones, *dir*): Service of Compline. Appleton Chapel, Memorial Church, One Harvard Yard, Cambridge. 617-495-5508 Free

Friday, September 4

12:00 noon

Lee Ridgway, harpsichord: 17th & 18th century music. First Parish, 7 Harrington Rd, Lexington MA. 781-862-8200 Free 

Saturday, September 5

2:00 pm

Methuen Young People's Theatre: Gilbert & Sullivan *Ruddigore*. Methuen Memorial Music Hall, 192 Broadway, Methuen MA. 978-685-0693 \$10/5

4:00 pm

Christa Rakich, clavichord, organ, multiple harpsichords;

Charles Lang, viola da gamba, cello; Period instruments: Big Moose Mini-Bach Festival. Chapel Arts New England, Gorham NH 603-466-2865 Donation

7:30 pm

Methuen Young People's Theatre. See above at 2:00 pm.

Sunday, September 6

3:00 pm

Methuen Young People's Theatre. See Saturday, Sept 5 at 2:00 pm.

4:00 pm

Christa Rakich & Charles Lang. See Saturday, Sept 5 at 4:00 pm. St Barnabas Episcopal Church, Berlin NH.

7:00 pm

Peter Kranefoed, organ: Bach, Buxtehude, and Weckmann. Root beer float reception follows. First Lutheran Church of Boston, 299 Berkeley St, Boston. 617-536-8851 \$15/10


Monday, September 7

7:00 pm

Peter Kranefoed, organ: Mendelssohn, Haydn, Handel, Purcell. First Lutheran Church of Boston, 299 Berkeley St, Boston. 617-536-8851 \$15/10

Tuesday, September 8

12:15 pm


Josh Lawton, organ: Böhm, Distler, Hindemith. King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St, Boston. 617-868-8658 Donation \$3 

7:30 pm to 9:45 pm

Assabet Valley Mastersingers Open Rehearsal. See Monday, August 31 at 7:30 pm.

Friday, September 11

12:00 noon

Shaylor Lindsay, piano & Friends: Stravinsky Suite for violin, clarinet, & piano from *L'Histoire du Soldat*. First Parish, 7 Harrington Rd, Lexington MA. 781-862-8200 Free 

Monday, September 14

7:15 pm

Highland Men's Glee Club (Tiedman, *dir*): Open Rehearsal.


First Baptist Church, Needham MA. 781-449-1541

7:30 pm to 9:45 pm

Assabet Valley Mastersingers Open Rehearsal. See Monday, August 31 at 7:30 pm.


Tuesday, September 15

12:15 pm

John Tyson, recorders; Miyuki Tsurutani, harpsichord: dalla Casa, Bassano, Caroso, Storace, others. King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St, Boston. 617-868-8658 Donation \$3 

Friday, September 18

12:00 noon


Suzanne Jubenville, mezzo-soprano; Jeffrey Jubenville, organ & piano: "The Jubenvilles and Friends" First Parish, 7 Harrington Rd, Lexington MA. 781-862-8200 Free 

7:30 pm


Choir of King's College, London (Trendell, *dir*): Lobo *Missa Simile est regnum*; Rogier, Clemens non Papa, Byrd, Tippett, Bach, others. St Andrew's Episcopal Church, 79 Denton Rd, Wellesley MA. 781-235-7310 \$20/10/5

Sunday, September 20

1:00 pm

Nancy S Timmerman, organ: Bach, Pachelbel, Stanley, Guilment, Leighton, others. The Presbyterian Church, 335 Cambridge St, Burlington MA. 781-272-9190 Donation 


3:00 pm

Philip Jones, Steven Young, Richard Hill, Elizabeth Reilly, organ: SE Mass AGO Membership Recital: Rebecca Groom te Velde, Bach, Hollins, Vierne, Purvis. First Congregational Church, 6 Plympton St, Middleboro MA. 508-238-6081 Donation 

3:00 pm

John Weaver, organ: Organ Rededication Recital. Union Congregational Church, 218 Main St, Groton MA. 978-448-2091 \$25, \$20 in advance

4:00 pm

Andrew Paul Holman, organ; Carl McGrier, trumpet: Pinkham, Krebs. Harvard-Epworth Church, 1555 Mass Ave, Cambridge. 617-354-0837 Donation 


Monday, September 21

7:15 pm

Highland Men's Glee Club (Tiedman, *dir*) Open Rehearsal. See Monday, Sept 14 at 7:15 pm.


Tuesday, September 22

12:15 pm

Peter Sulski, viola: Bach, Telemann. King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St, Boston. 617-868-8658 Donation \$3 


Wednesday, September 23

12:15 pm

Richard Hill, organ: Böhm, Mattheson, Walter, Stanford. Unity Church, 9 Main St, North Easton MA. 508-238-6081 Donation 


Thursday, September 24

12:30 pm

Margaret Angelini, organ: Mendelssohn, Bach, Böhm. Goddard Chapel, Tufts University, Medford MA. 617-627-3427 Free 

Friday, September 25

12:00 noon

Barbara Oren, violin; Claudia Struble, piano: Mozart, Schubert, Prokofiev. First Parish, 7 Harrington Rd, Lexington MA. 781-862-8200 Free 

8:00 pm

"A talk about Anton Heiller" by Peter Planavsky. Old West Church, 131 Cambridge St, Boston. www.oldwestorgansociety.org Free

Saturday, September 26

1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

2009 Select Tenor & Bass Auditions. Killian Hall, MIT, Cambridge. \$40 audition fee \$35 BSR membership Pre-reg req: 978-352-5058 www.BostonSingersResource.org

Sunday, September 27**12:45 pm**

Janet Hunt, organ:
Organ demonstration including *Dinosauria* for children.
Goddard Chapel, Tufts University, Medford MA.
617-627-3427 Free ♿

3:00 pm

Natsumi Malloy, organ.
St Anthony's Church,
1359 Acushnet Ave, New Bedford MA.
508-993-1691 Donation

4:00 pm

Mark Nelson, organ:
Reger, Pepping, Distler, Bovet.
St John's Episcopal Church,
48 Middle St, Gloucester MA.
978-283-1708 \$15/10 ♿

4:30 pm

Mark Dwyer, organ: Prelude Recital:
Bach, Gade, Sowerby.

5:00 pm Solemn Evensong & Installation of AGO Officers.

The Advent Choir (Dwyer & Wood, *dir/org*): Rose, Leighton, Harris.
Church of the Advent,
30 Brimmer St, Boston.
617-523-2377 x41 Donation ♿

5:30 pm

Exsultemus: HAMBURG:
Bernhard, Weckmann, Telemann.
First Lutheran Church of Boston.
299 Berkeley St, Boston.
857-998-0219 \$15,25,35 -\$5 sts, srs

Monday, September 28**7:15 pm**

Highland Men's Glee Club
(Tiedman, *dir*) Open Rehearsal.
See Monday, Sept 14 at 7:15 pm.

Tuesday, September 29**12:15 pm**

Yui Anzai, soprano;
Jackie Smith, alto; Bryce Sady, organ:
Scarlatti, Puccini, Fauré.
King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St, Boston.
617-868-8658 Donation \$3 ♿

Thursday, October 1**12:15 pm**

Antje Maria Traub, organ.
Adolphus Busch Hall,
27 Kirkland St, Cambridge. Free

10:00 pm

Harvard University Choir (Jones, *dir*):
Service of Compline.

Appleton Chapel, Memorial Church,
One Harvard Yard, Cambridge.
617-495-5508 Free

Friday, October 2**12:00 noon**

Carla Chrisfield, soprano;
William Merrill, piano: Ravel,
Mahler, Brahms, Dvorak, Guastavino;
Finnish songs, Sephardic lullaby.
First Parish, 7 Harrington Rd,
Lexington MA.
781-862-8200 Free ♿

Saturday, October 3**7:30 pm**

Héloïse Degrugillier, recorder;
Audrey & Paul Cienniwa, basso
continuo: Telemann, Bach, Handel.
Hawes Room at Trinity Church,
One Queen Anne Sq, Newport RI.
401-855-3096 \$25; \$22.50 online,
sts, sts, mil; \$10 ages 6-18
www.newportbaroque.org ♿

Sunday, October 4**3:00 pm**

Dame Gillian Weir, organ.
St Joseph Memorial Chapel,
College of the Holy Cross,
Worcester MA.
508-792-2296 ♿

5:00 pm

Choir of Men & Boys, All Saints,
Worcester; Choir of Men & Boys,
All Saints, Dorchester; Boys of the
Choristers of the Trinity Church,
Boston: Choral Evensong:
Smith, Sumison, Tallis, Wesley.
All Saints Church, 10 Irving St,
Worcester MA. Tea at 4:00, \$5
508-752-3766 Donation

Tuesday, October 6**12:15 pm**

Murray Forbes Somerville, Organ
Master Class. Memorial Church,
One Harvard Yard, Cambridge.
617-495-5508 Free

7:30 pm

Murray Forbes Somerville, organ.
Memorial Church,
One Harvard Yard, Cambridge.
617-495-5508 Free

Thursday, October 8**12:15 pm**

Gail Archer, organ.
Adolphus Busch Hall,
27 Kirkland St, Cambridge. Free

12:30 pm

Joyce Painter Rice, organ:
Goddard Chapel, Tufts University,
Medford MA.
617-627-3427 Free ♿

Friday, October 9**12:00 noon**

Esprit de Cor (Archibald, *dir*):
French horns: Kerkorian, Mahler,
Beethoven, Handel. First Parish,
7 Harrington Rd, Lexington MA.
781-862-8200 Free ♿

Thursday, October 15**12:15 pm**

Christian Lane, organ.
Adolphus Busch Hall,
27 Kirkland St, Cambridge. Free

Friday, October 16**12:00 noon**

Savoyard Light Opera Company;
Jeffrey Jubenville, piano:
Gilbert & Sullivan. First Parish,
7 Harrington Rd, Lexington MA.
781-862-8200 Free ♿

Sunday, October 18**4:00 pm**

All Saints Choirmen (Backhaus, *dir/org*):
Evensong & Benediction: Deane,
Millington, Howells, Edwards.
Parish of All Saints,
209 Ashmont St, Dorchester MA.
617-436-3520 Free ♿

4:00 pm

Almut Rössler, organ.
St John's Episcopal Church,
48 Middle St, Gloucester MA.
978-283-1708 \$15/10 ♿

4:00 pm

Jon Gillock & Dean Kauffmann,
piano 4 hands: Bach *Art of the Fugue*.
Back Gallery, Chapel Arts

New England, Gorham, NH.
603-466-2865 Donation

Tuesday, October 20**7:30 pm**

Yuko Hayashi, Master Class.
Memorial Church,
Harvard University, Cambridge.
617-495-5508 Free

Thursday, October 22**12:15 pm**

Mitchell Crawford, organ.
Adolphus Busch Hall,
27 Kirkland St, Cambridge. Free

Friday, October 23**8:00 pm**

Musicians of the Old Post Road:
Haydn Celebration.
Christ Church, Cambridge. ♿
781-466-6694 \$25/20, Kids Free

Saturday, October 24**8:00 am to 6:00 pm**

SE Mass Chapter AGO Organ Tour
of Methuen & Andover Organ Co.
508-238-6081

8:00 pm

Musicians of the Old Post Road.
First Parish, Sudbury MA.
See Friday, October 23 at 8:00 pm.

Sunday, October 25**5:00 pm**

King's Chapel Choir & Soloists,
Chamber Orchestra: Purcell,
Handel, Haydn, Mendelssohn.
King's Chapel, 58 Tremont St, Boston.
617-227-2155 Don. \$15/10 ♿

8:00 pm

Harvard Baroque Chamber Orchestra
(Carrai, *dir*). Memorial Church,
One Harvard Yard, Cambridge.
617-495-5508 Free

Convivium Musicum Auditions

Director Michael Barrett is seeking 2-3 new voices. Experience and reading ability required. Sopranos and tenors are particularly welcome. Rehearsals are on Wednesday evenings in Charlestown, with two programs (7-8 concerts) a year. Auditions are by appointment through September. Please e-mail info@convivium.org including contact information, voice part, and relevant experience. For more information, see www.convivium.org.

AGO Boston Chapter Substitute List

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PLACEMENT SEPTEMBER, 2009

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Denomination	Hours	Location	Name of Church	Organ	Salary	Est. Add'l Comp
Armenian Protestant	6	Watertown, MA	Armenian Memorial Church [05/09]	Möller/Angerstein	\$8,300-9,100	2 fn/2 wd
Baptist	4-6	Boston, MA	First Baptist Church of Boston [07/09]	Hook & Hastings	\$12,000 max	? fn/6 wd
Episcopal	10	Holliston, MA	St Michael's Episcopal Church [07/09]	Rodgers	\$15,000	5 fn/1-2 wd
Episcopal	18	Haverhill, MA	Trinity Episcopal Church [07/09]	Aeolian-Skinner	\$20,500-\$30,000	5 fn/1 wd
Methodist	5	Wakefield, MA	Wakefield/Lynnfield United Methodist Church [06/09]	Allen	\$10,000	3 fn/2 wd

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Roman Catholic	2	Sudbury, MA	Our Lady of Fatima [08/09] SEE PAGE 3	Allen	\$5,200-\$7,200 (Sat only)	10 fn/2 wd
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Roman Catholic	20	Cambridge, MA	St John the Evangelist [07/09]	Rodgers	\$22,830-\$29,224	85 fn/8-10 wd
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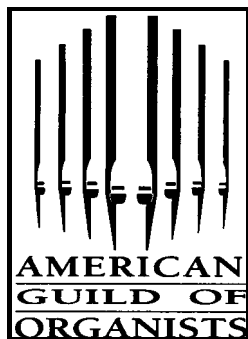
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Sept 6	John Finney & Huntington Brass	Allin Cong. Church, Dedham	Music of Bach, Schutz and Gabrieli
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Sept 20	Charles Callahan with Flute & Violin	Boston University, Marsh Chapel	Hedding Suite, Titcomb; Solemn Melody, Davies; Sketch, Frost; Romanze, Reger
Sept 27	John Scott	All Saints Church, Ashmont	Intrada, Allcoat; Fantasy, Whitlock; Finale Symph. #6, Vierendeel

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