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BAGO Nominating Committee Report

The following slate of candidates will be on the ballot for the Spring 2014 election. Click [here](#) for bios and photos.

Additional nominations may be made by petition signed by at least five chapter voting members in good standing. Such petitions must be received by the Registrar - Claire DeCusati, 70 Stoney Brook Circle, Duxbury, MA 02332 <decusati@verizon.net> - and must be received no later than March 31, 2014.

Online ballots will be sent in April. Those who receive the newsletter by U.S. mail will receive a paper ballot.

Dean: (Limited to one 2-yr term. By custom, the outgoing Sub-Dean runs unopposed.)
Peter Krasinski

Sub-Dean - Vote for 1: (Limited to one 2-yr term)
Robert Barney
Christine Hogan

Recording Secretary: (Recommended maximum of three 1-yr terms)
Mark Slawson (2nd term)

Assistant Treasurer: (Recommended maximum of three 1-yr terms)
David Tierney (2nd term)

Registrar: (Recommended maximum of three 1-yr terms)
Claire DeCusati (2nd term)

Auditors - Vote for 2: (Recommended maximum of three 1-yr terms, preferably

overlapping)
Terry Kerr (1st term)
Martin Steinmetz (3rd term)

Members at Large - Vote for 4 : (Limited to one 3-yr term)

Diane Meredith Belcher
Joel Davidson
Nori Elisabeth Pifer Fahrig
Tish Kilgore
Polly Oliver
Richard Pelland
Donald Teeters

Respectfully submitted,

Victoria Wagner, chair; Michael Olbash; Mary Sue Willie

Boston Bach Birthday 329

Saturday, March 22, 2014, 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.
First Lutheran Church, 299 Berkeley Street (Berkeley & Marlborough Streets), Boston
Cost: Free-Will Offering

Boston AGO and First Lutheran Church of Boston jointly present the sixth annual Boston Bach Birthday celebration.

Organ recitalists

Heinrich Christensen (King's Chapel, Boston)
László Fassang (Franz Liszt Academy of Music, Budapest)
Erica Johnson (Walpole, MA; DMA Eastman)
Bálint Karosi (First Lutheran; DMA Yale; winner, Leipzig International Bach Competition 2008)
Wyatt Smith (Yale, student of Martin Jean)

Peter Krasinski (Boston AGO Sub-Dean; specialist in live silent film accompaniment) will present the morning Children's Event.

Robin Leaver, former President of the American Bach Society, will be keynote speaker.

Concerts by period vocal and instrumental ensembles

Cambridge Concentus
Emmanuel Music
Exsultemus
First Lutheran Choir & Orchestra (Cantata 29)
Schola Cantorum of Boston

Full schedule: flc-bostonmusic.org/. Lunch will be available (non-reserved).

FREE ADMISSION
DONATION REQUESTED

SATURDAY MARCH 22, 2014 8AM-6:30PM
FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH OF BOSTON
299 Berkeley St at Marlborough
CELEBRATING THE MUSIC OF JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH

Presented for the 6th year by the First Lutheran Church of Boston and the Boston American Guild of Organists, with thanks to Cambridge Concentus, Emmanuel Music, Exsultemus, Schola Cantorum of Boston and 99.5 WCRB

BOSTON BACH BIRTHDAY 329

8:00	Members of the Harvard Organ Society ORGAN RECITAL
9:00	Dr. Heide Linnemann, Organist, Cambridge Parish, Woburn TOCCATA, ADAGIO & FUGUE IN C MAJOR, BWV 564; LEIPZIG CHORALES
9:45	Peter Krasinski, organ specialist in the art of the silent film accompaniment "BACH MEETS BUSTER, A SILENT FILM STARTS" Accompanied by Peter Krasinski on organ
10:30	Dr. Heide Linnemann, Organist, Cambridge Parish, Woburn; & Debra McGee, Vocalist, The Bach Hour, 99.5 WCRB A BACH CONVERSATION
11:15	First Lutheran Church Choir, Soloists & Directors: László Fassang , organ; Bálint Karosi , conductor CANTATA "WIR DANKEH DIR, GOTT, WIR DANKEH DIR", BWV 29
12:00	Michael Christensen, King's Chapel, Boston GOLDBERG VARIATIONS, BWV 999 and one or more by request
1:10	Schola Cantorum of Boston, Frederick Jody, Director, Lewis University NOCTURN "SINGET DEM HERREN EIN NEUES LIED", BWV 225
2:05	Wyatt Smith, Yale University TOCCATA IN F, BWV 540; SIX SCHÜBLER CHORALES, BWV 645-650
2:50	Cambridge Concentus: Franka Helmreich , violin; Stefan Souvorov , cello; Natalia SONATA IN A MAJOR, BWV 1015; SONATA IN G MAJOR, BWV 1021
3:30	Exsultemus, Shannon Conner, Artistic Director MOTETS OF BACH'S STUDENT GOTTFRIED AUGUST HOMILIUS
4:10	Bálint Karosi, First Lutheran Church and Yale University FANTASY & FUGUE IN G MINOR, BWV 542 PASSACAGLIA IN C MINOR, BWV 582
5:10	Dominika Maddox, Emmanuel Music F MAJOR PARTITA FOR SOLO VIOLIN, BWV 1006
5:40	László Fassang, French East Academy & Conservatoire National Supérieur de Musique et de Danse de Paris PRELUDE AND FUGUE IN E-FLAT MAJOR PRO ORGANO PLENO, BWV 552

Admission to all concerts and events is free of charge, though a donation is requested. More information is available at <http://www.flc-bostonmusic.org/birthday-329>. A donation card will be passed following the presentation. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. To make a donation, please call the office at 617-552-1111 or <http://www.flc-bostonmusic.org>. Parking: Boston Common Garage, 100 Ave. Louis Pasteur, Boston, MA 02115. Public Transit: Green Line to Arlington or Orange Lines to Back Bay.

SCHOENSTEIN COMPETITION IN HYMN PLAYING

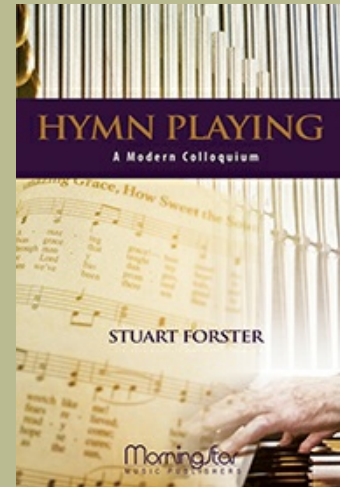
To promote excellence in hymn playing, the 2014 Schoenstein Competition in Hymn Playing will occur at Christ Church, Cambridge, 4:00 p.m., Sunday, June 22, 2014, the

day before the AGO National Convention in Boston. The public is invited to sing in the congregation; finalists will play the 2006 III/43 Schoenstein organ.

Organists born on or after March 20, 1981, may apply. The application should include live recordings of the applicant playing hymns with a congregation singing, and must be received by March 20, 2014.

The competition complements the release of Stuart Forster's book [Hymn Playing: A Modern Colloquium](#), MorningStar Music Publishers.

First prize: \$3000. Second prize: \$1000. Rules and application forms: www.hymnplayingcompetition.org or from Stuart Forster, stuartforster@aya.yale.edu.





At Old West Church in Boston on February 24th, the BAGO/OWOS presented Carson Cooman (playing his own works), Christa Rakich (playing works of James Woodman) and Colin Lynch (playing works of Nico Muhly).

LIVE MUSIC:

Click [here](#) to go to the calendar. The website calendar now contains 4 months of listings.

