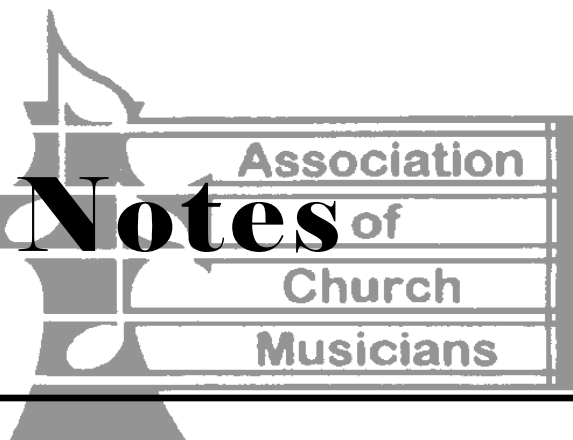


# Church Music Notes

MAY/JUNE 2007



Association of Church Musicians  
Annual Meeting—May 6, 2007  
The Place to Be on May 6<sup>th</sup>!

Don't miss the ACM social event of the season! Join your friends and colleagues for a very special treat on Sunday, May 6, at the only rooftop restaurant in Madison!

We will gather at noon and enjoy lunch at 1:00pm.

**Fresco Lunch Menu for May 6**

**Salad:** Spinach & raspberry salad with roasted almonds, crumbled chevre, and berry vinaigrette.

**Entrée Choices:**

**Halibut** (black pepper & horseradish crusted halibut with barley & wild mushroom timbale and green beans)

**Chicken** (grilled chicken with charred tomato salsa, asparagus and herbed rice)

**Pasta** (Vegetarian: penne pasta with roasted tomato cream, seasonal vegetables, and shaved parmesan)

**Veal** (veal scallopine with wild mushroom & asparagus linguine, beurre blanc, and crispy-fried spinach)

**Dessert:** Basil cheesecake with fresh strawberries.

**Beverage:** Coffee, tea, and soda. (Cash bar available.)

**Please mail reservation (see below) with payment to:**

Association of Church Musicians, P. O. Box 5321, Madison, WI 53705

**Association of Church Musicians Lunch & Annual Meeting  
Fresco Restaurant, Madison, Wisconsin**

Please include the first and last names of those attending with the entrée selections using this chart: **H** for halibut, **C** for chicken, **P** for penne pasta (vegetarian), and **V** for veal (please review full menu on back of invitation).

Names (please include first & last names)

Entrée

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For each person attending, I have enclosed \$20. Please make checks payable and mail to: Association of Church Musicians, PO Box 5321, Madison, WI, 53705.

Please note that reservation payments may be nonrefundable after the May 1 deadline.

Your reply by Tuesday, May 1, will be appreciated. Please note that it may not be possible to guarantee a reservation after this date.

Thank you for your reply...looking forward to seeing you at Fresco!

## President's Letter

Dear Members & Friends: By now you should have received your invitation to ACM's social event of the season at Fresco Restaurant on the rooftop of the Madison Museum of Contemporary Art.

Please make plans now to join your friends and colleagues on Sunday, May 6, at Fresco. We will have a social time starting at 12 noon, and a wonderful meal at 1:00pm in the beautiful rooftop setting at Fresco. A cash bar will be available and you will have a choice of four entrées to include halibut, chicken, veal, or a vegetarian pasta meal—all deliciously prepared by the wonderful staff at Fresco. The full menu is printed on page one, along with a reply card for you to use in making your reservation. Seating is limited and replies are requested by Tuesday, May 1. You can also e-mail ACM Treasurer Chuck Thomley with your reservation charlest5713@charter.net and meal choice(s). Of course you're welcome to bring your spouse or a guest. Our time together will conclude with ACM's Annual Meeting including election of officers for next year (see information at right). Your presence will make this all a great success... please come!

Finally, thank you again for your continued support of ACM. It is needed and it is appreciated!

Blessings, Mark

## Upcoming Events

**Sunday, May 6, 3:00pm**, Grace Episcopal Church, 116 W. Washington Ave., Madison. The Fayrfax Ensemble presents a concert of sacred and secular music. Stephen Johnson, Jane Ferris, Ann Edahl, and Mike Peterson, bass. Free-will offering.

**Saturday, May 12, 7:30pm**, Mitby Theater at MATC, 3550 Anderson Street, Madison, WI and

**Saturday, May 19, 7:30pm**, Asbury United Methodist Church, 6101 University Avenue, Madison, WI, Madison Area Concert Handbells presents "MAGICAL MEMORIES." For more information, call 608-845-2476 or see [www.madisonhandbells.org](http://www.madisonhandbells.org).

**Sunday, May 20, 6:30pm**, Organ Dedicatory Recital at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Portage. Dr. Sarah Mahler Hughes from Ripon College will be the recitalist. The original Reuter organ of 4 ranks has been refurbished and enlarged to 14 ranks. The church address is: W8267 State Highway 33 East, Portage WI. For more info, contact Valerie Walth at 608-742-0534, [valerie\\_walth@hotmail.com](mailto:valerie_walth@hotmail.com).

## Announcing the Executive Board Candidates for 2007-2008

**Please note: Voting on the slate of candidates below will occur at the ACM Annual Meeting on Sunday, May 6, 2007 (see info about the meeting on page 1)**

President:	John Krueger
Vice-President:	Mark Brampton Smith*
Secretary:	Ann Herr
Treasurer:	Chuck Thomley
Board Members:	Linda Krueger (2008) Wayne Duddleston (2009) Rosemary Collingwood* (2010)
Past President:	Mark Bloedow

*\*New board candidate.*

### Mark Brampton Smith (Vice-President)

Mark Brampton Smith, active as an organist and a collaborative pianist, is currently Interim Organist/Choir Director at Asbury United Methodist Church in Madison. The Smith family moved to the area this past summer, when his wife, Catherine, joined the University of Wisconsin faculty. Mark has served several AGO chapters as Dean (Ann Arbor), Sub-Dean (Fort Wayne), and Executive Committee (Pittsburgh and Syracuse). He earned his Bachelor of Music in organ performance and the Performer's Certificate from the Eastman School of Music and his Master of Music degree from the University of Michigan. He also holds a degree in Library and Information Science from the University of Pittsburgh. His professional accomplishments include winning several awards, including first prize in the Fort Wayne National Organ Competition (1989), first prize in the Ann Arbor International Organ Competition (1982), and second prize in the AGO National Competition (1974).

### Rosemary Collingwood (Board Member at Large)

Rosemary Collingwood is Minister of Music at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Madison. She and her husband Dave have three children and live in Sun Prairie. Having been in the area for about a year and a half, she came from Free Port, IL, where she was Director of Music at Grace Episcopal Church. Her professional accomplishments include having served as the Advertising Manager for CrossAccent and becoming the Advertising and Exhibits Manager for the Association of Lutheran Church Musicians (ALCM) for over ten years. Rosemary enjoys cooking and baking, sports (especially tennis), photography, and crafts.

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**Choir Director:** Salem United Church of Christ in **Verona**, WI seeking adult and treble choir director to provide leadership in worship services. Contact Harlan Hall, Council President at [www.salemucc-verona.org/contact/](http://www.salemucc-verona.org/contact/) or phone 608-835-9597 (h) or call the church at 608-845-7315.

**Organist:** Needed in **Monona**, WI church for traditional Sunday morning services, Monday evening and special services. Rodgers digital organ. Salary dependent on experience. Paid choir director position optional. Contact Monona Evangelical Lutheran Church (LCMS); 4411 Monona Drive; Monona, Wisconsin 53716; 608.222.7071.

**Full-Time Minister of Music and the Arts:** Covenant Presbyterian Church, **Madison**, WI, is seeking an energetic and creative person to provide leadership for and coordinate the ministry of a wide variety of groups, including adult choirs, children and youth choirs, a bell choir program, and an all-church orchestra. Includes vacation, health, and continuing ed benefits. Contact Mary Kieta at 608-233-6297 or [Mary.Kieta@Covenant.Madison.wi.us](mailto:Mary.Kieta@Covenant.Madison.wi.us)

**Choir Director:** Part-time position (approximately 3 hours/week for a 40-week choir season) at McFarland United Church of Christ in McFarland, WI. The choir director should also possess an understanding that we are not here to just perform – we are here to share our joy of music ministry with others. Contact Deana Kruger at 608.217.6968, or by e-mail [sdkruger@hotmail.com](mailto:sdkruger@hotmail.com) (type "choir director" in the subject line).

**Church Pianist:** Dynamic, growing congregation in **Fitchburg** looking for an accomplished pianist for Sunday worship services, weekly choir rehearsals and occasional other services. We define our services as "blended" – a combination of traditional and contemporary - so must be comfortable with all styles of music. Please call Pastor Bonnie VanOverbeke at Memorial UCC, 273-1008 for more information.

**Church Musicians:** Windsor United Church of Christ, **Windsor**, WI is looking for individuals interested in positions as organist, adult choir director, children's choir director and Contemporary Music and Band Coordinator (coordinate and develop existing contemporary worship band, year round). This can be 1 to 4 positions, depending on the candidates who apply and their interests and skills. Mail resumés to Windsor UCC, 4434 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, PO Box 187, Windsor, WI, 53598, or e-mail [info@windsorucc.org](mailto:info@windsorucc.org).

**Full-Time Director of Music and Worship Ministry:** Asbury United Methodist Church, **Madison**, WI. Some of the specific responsibilities of the position include; select and prepare music for worship services, provide organ accompaniment for those services, direct the adult choir, coordinate and/or direct handbell and youth choirs. Masters of Music degree and/or advanced professional music training preferred. Please send resumes to Asbury United Methodist Church, 6101 University Avenue, Madison, WI 53705, or e-mail to [asbury@chorus.net](mailto:asbury@chorus.net).



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