

# WORCESTER AGO COMPOSERS' CONCERT

*Celebrating Local Creative Endeavors*  
Wesley United Methodist Church, Worcester  
Sunday, April 21, 2013 3pm

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## KEVIN F. MURPHY

*Drei Weihnachtslieder* opus 66 for medium voice and piano

Was das Christkindlein sagt  
Am Abend vor Weihnachten  
Kinderlied zu Weihnachten

Kristin Murphy, soprano; Kevin Murphy, piano

Someone is shouting (Movement V) from *Yuhanon* opus 78

for Soprano solo, alto recorder, SATB choir and organ

Leslie Bell, soprano; Annet Stierman, recorder; Members of SUMC choir; Kevin Murphy, organ  
Postlude in F# opus 41 #4 for organ Kevin Murphy, organ

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**Kevin Murphy** has 30 years' experience teaching private students of keyboard, theory, and composition. A graduate of Harvard College in 1980 and New England Conservatory in 1976 and 1984, he studied piano with Victor Rosenbaum and composition with Robert Ceely.

Kevin is the organist and music director at Sudbury United Methodist Church, Sudbury, MA, and is a *Colleague* of the American Guild of Organists. He has studied organ with Will Sherwood and Peter Krasinski.

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## SCOTT OLSON

Elegie in C

Scott Olson, piano

Mt. Carmel Fanfare

Scott Olson, organ

Fantasia in d minor with Fanfare

Scott Olson, organ

**Scott Michael Olson**, is currently employed as Organist of Our Lady Of Mount Carmel / St. Anne Parish in Worcester. He has been awarded the CAGO and Service Playing Certificate from AGO and holds a Bachelor of Music degree in Organ Performance from Anna Maria College Paxton, MA, and three Certificates of Undergraduate Completion in business and computers from Quinsigamond Community College in Worcester. He is a member of Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society. When he's not on the organ bench, he can be found playing his favorite online games on his new laptop.

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## DOROTHY VANANDEL FRISCH

*Instrumental Solos for the Liturgical Year*

Away in a Manger

Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain

Joe DiSalvatore, clarinet; Dorothy Frisch, piano

Meditation

Dorothy Frisch, organ

**Dorothy VanAndel Frisch** is Composer-in-Residence at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Southbridge, Massachusetts. She holds a B.A. with a concentration in organ performance from Calvin College and a M.M. degree from the University of Akron. Her composition awards include a third place in the 2010-2011 Sorel Medallion Choral Composition Contest and first place in category one (new text and tune) of the 2012 United Theological Seminary hymn contest. Recent New England performances include premieres by the Sounds of Stow, the Shrewsbury High School Women's Choir, Zefiro, and the choir of St. Michael's-on-the-Heights Episcopal Church, Worcester, MA. She has written two cantatas and numerous choral anthems. Two of her anthems are available as GIA publications. Besides her musical endeavors, she enjoys her large perennial garden, swimming, hiking, cycling, facilitating an Artist's Way group, and leading a Bible study.

## ROBIN DINDA

Casey at the Bat for organ and narrator

Robin Dinda, organ  
David Currier, narrator

It's All about the Dog

Robin Dinda and Renea Waligora, duo-organists

**Robin Dinda** earned degrees from Davidson College, The University of Cincinnati, and The University of Michigan, and holds the *Fellowship Certificate* of The American Guild of Organists. As an organist he has performed across the United States, at many national and regional conventions, and is particularly known for his performances of American organ music and his own many published compositions. He is Professor of Humanities (Music) at Fitchburg State University in Fitchburg, Massachusetts, where he has taught since 1989. He is also Director of Music at The First Parish (Unitarian - Universalist) in Fitchburg, where he has presided over the church's 1928 E. M. Skinner organ since 2000.

Renea Waligora and Robin Dinda have performed numerous duo organ recitals across the United States since their marriage in 1989. They live in Fitchburg with their daughter Ayla, along with various pets, gardens, pinball machines, and a 1904 Steinway D.

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## UPCOMING CONCERTS

- \*4/28 3pm Wesley Hall in concert at Trinity Lutheran FREE
- \*5/3 7pm Dexter Kennedy at 1st Unitarian (Young Artists Showcase) FREE
- 5/5 3PM Jennifer McPherson playing her Senior Recital, Holy Cross FREE
- 5/6 7pm First Monday open console – Trinity Lutheran, John Weit, host; Noack III/58 M
- 5/13 7pm (Monday) Annual Mtg/Scholarship Recital 1st Baptist Chapel FREE
- \*5/17 7pm Monica Czauz – Young Artist Concert at 1st U FREE
- \*5/31 7pm Abraham Ross – Young Artist Concert at 1st U FREE
- \*6/14 7pm Matthias Havinga, Amsterdam, – Young Artist Concert at 1st U FREE
- 6/19 8pm William Ness, Methuen Memorial Music Hall, Methuen MA, admission
- 6/21 7pm Jonathan Bezdegian at OLA FREE
- \*8/7 noon Jake Street at Mechanics Hall FREE

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## a b o u t t h e i n s t r u m e n t

### The George Clifton Bryant Memorial Organ

Skinner Organ Company, Boston, MA Op. 615  
Built September, 1926 to April, 1927  
Pitman & Unit Electro-pneumatic action throughout

Tonal alterations by G. Donald Harrison  
Æolian-Skinner Organ Company, Boston, MA  
Op. 615-A, 615-B. Spring-Summer, 1955

Mechanical rebuilding, releathering, & other tonal changes by Berkshire Organ Company, Inc.  
West Springfield, MA, 1970-1972

Console Refurbishing, during 2000, and on-going restoration work by Messrs. Czelusniak et Dugal, Inc.  
Northampton, MA