49th Annual Choir Festival

To God Be the Glory

Ocean Grove Auditorium
Sunday, July 13, 2003 · 7:30 pm

The Grace of God

The Grand Festival Chorus
The Festive Brass

Monica Ziglar, Soprano
Melora Love, Mezzo-Soprano

Ronald Naldi, Tenor
David Arnold, Baritone

Dr. Gordon Turk, Organist
Faith S. Daniels, Pianist
Lewis A. Daniels, Director of Music
Program

Preludes
FANFARE & CHORUS
PROVIDEBAM DOMINUM

Invitation to Worship
Psalm 100

Anthem
FANFARE ON DOXOLOGY
conducted by Clayton White
dedicated to The 49th Annual Ocean Grove Choir Festival

All ye people, praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice. Serve Him with mirth His praise forth tell. Come ye before Him and rejoice. Hallelujah! Praise the Lord. Let us praise Him! Praise the Father! Praise the Son! Praise the Spirit! Let us praise the Lord! And for His sheep He doth us take. O enter then His gates with praise. Approach with joy His courts unto Praise, Laud and bless His name always, For it is seemly so to do. For why the Lord our God is good, His mercy is forever sure; His truth at all time firmly stood, and shall from age to age endure. Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Hallelujah! Praise and bless His name, All ye people, praise the Lord. All ye people, praise the Lord. Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Praise God from whom all blessings flow! Amen!

Hymn
O WORSHIP THE KING

Anthem:
AND THE FATHER WILL DANCE
conducted by James Coehran

And the Father will dance over you in joy. He will take delight in whom He loves. Is that a choir I hear singing the praises of God? No, the Lord God Himself is exulting o'er you in song. And He will joy over you in song. My soul will make its boast in God, For He has answered all my cries. His faithfulness to me is as sure as the dawn of a new day. Awake my soul, and sing. Let my spirit rejoice in God. Sing, O daughter of Zion, with all of your heart. Cast away fear for you have been restored. Put on the garment of praise as on a festival day. Join with the Father in glorious jubilant song. And He will joy over you in song. And the Father will dance over you in joy. He will take delight in whom He loves. Is that a choir I hear singing the praises of God? No, the Lord God Himself is exulting o'er you in song. God rejoices over you in song!

ALLELUIA
conducted by Davis Giersch

O LORD BREAD OF LIFE
conducted by Charles Harris

O Lord, bread of life, we come to your table and praise your name; Lord, we take your cup in thanks and celebration; your name we proclaim; you set us free, we rest in thee, O Lord, you died that we may live for evermore. O Lord of peace and love, we eat your bread and drink your cup, come live in me; O Lord from God above, your blood was shed upon the tree, you set me free, I rest in thee; O Lord, you died that I may live for evermore. Amen.

Prayer

Anthem:
LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING
conducted by Cindy Bell

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heav'n, to earth come down. Fix in us thy humble dwelling, all thy faithful mercies crown. Jesus, thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love thou art; Visit us with thy salvation, enter ev'ry trembling heart. Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit into ev'ry troubled breast. Let us all in Thee inherit; let us find thy promised rest. Take away the love of sinning; Alpha and Omega be. End of faith, as its beginning, set our hearts at liberty. Come, Almighty to deliver, let us all thy life receive. Suddenly return and never, never more thy temples leave. Thine we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above. Pray and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love. Finish then, thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be. Let us see thy great salvation, perfectly restored in thee. Changed from glory into glory, till in heav'n we take our place; Till we cast our crowns before Thee, lost in wonder, love, and praise. Amen.

A PSALM OF PRAISE

Praise ye the Lord in the firmament of His pow'! Praise ye the Lord for His mighty acts and for His excellent greatness! With the sound of the trumpet praise Him! And with the sound of the harp! Praise Him with the timbrel and dance. With stringed instruments

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and organ, with cymbals, with high sounding cymbals. With ev’ry breath praise ye the Lord! Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; His mercy is deep and His love so pure, the Lord is greatly to be praised. And as far as the east is from the west, And the mountains from the sea, Even so is our Father’s great love for me; He is greatly to be praised! Praise ye the Lord in the firmament of His pow’r! Praise ye the Lord for His mighty acts and for His excellent greatness! Praise ye the Lord!

Greeting

Mr. Hohn

Offertory

MARCH ON A THEME OF HANDEL
LIFT UP YOUR HEADS, O YE GATES

A. Guilmont

THE OCEAN GROVE AUDITORIUM USHERS’ MARCH

Clarence Kohlmann

Hymn

GRACE GREATER THAN OUR SIN

(please refer to last page)

Anthem

LEAD ON, O KING ETERNAL!

Carl Nygard, Jr.

conducted by Carl Nygard, Jr.

Lead on O King eternal, the day of march has come, Hence forth in fields of conquest Your tents will be our home, Through days of preparation Your grace has made us strong, And now, O King eternal, We lift our battle song, Lead on, O King eternal, Till sin’s fierce war shall cease, And holiness shall whisper the sweet Amen of peace; for not with swords shall we wage war, nor roll of stirring drums but deeds of love and mercy The heav’nly kingdom comes. Lead on, O King eternal, we follow, not with fears, For gladness breaks like morning Where’er your face appears. Your cross is lifted o’er us; We journey in its light; The crown awaits the conquest; Lead on, O God of might.

Expressions of the grace of God - Dr. Harold E. Schmal, President of the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association

Anthem:

GO YE INTO ALL THE WORLD

David Stanley York

conducted by Charles Hausmann

And Jesus came and said unto them, saying, “All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye, therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I commanded you, and lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. In Christ there is no East or West, In Him no South or North, But one great fellowship of love throughout the whole wide earth. In Him shall true hearts everywhere Their high communion find; His service is the golden cord Close binding all mankind. Join hands then brothers of the faith, Whate’er your race may be, Who serves my Father as a son Is surely kin to me. In Christ now meet both East and West, In Him meet South and North, All Christly souls are one in Him throughout the whole wide earth. Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to ev’ry creature.

POOR MAN LAZARUS

Jester Hairston

conducted by JoAnne Teubner-Prussak

Poor man Lazarus, sick and disabled, Dip your finger in the water, Come and, cool my tongue, ‘Cause I’m tormented in the flame. He had to eat crumbs from the rich man’s table. Rich man Divies, he lived so well, Dip your finger in the water, Come and cool my tongue. ‘Cause I’m tormented in the flame. And when he died he went straight to hell. Love to shout, I love to sing. Dip your finger in the water, Come and cool my tongue cause I’m tormented in the flame. I love to praise my heav’nly king.

Hymn

AMAZING GRACE

arr. John Rutter

Amazing grace, How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me. I once was lost, but now I found; was blind, but now I see. ‘Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed. Through many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already come; ‘tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home. When we’ve been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun, we’ve no less days to sing God’s praise than when we’d first begun.

Anthem

WHEN THE SAINTS GO MARCHING IN

conducted by Lewis A. Daniels

The congregation is invited to participate when indicated.

Oh, when the saints go marching in, Oh when the saints go marching in: Oh, Lord, I want to be in that number, When the saints go marching in And when the revelation comes, Oh, Lord, I want to be in that number, When the revelation comes, Oh, when the new world is revealed, Oh, Lord, I want to be in that number, When the new world is revealed. Oh, when they gather round the throne, Oh, when they gather round the throne: Oh, Lord, I want to be in that number, When they gather round the throne.

Benediction

Mr. Hohn
Directors

Dr. Cindy Bell, an Ocean Grove native, is Assistant Professor of Music Education at the Aaron Copland School of Music at Queens College, City University of New York where she teaches both graduate and undergraduate students and conducts the Queens College Chorus. She is also Director of the Mariners Chorus at the US Merchant Marine Academy in Kings Point, NY, which performs for civic and military functions in the New York area. Dr. Bell is a graduate of Lycoming College (PA), earned her Master of Music in Choral Conducting from The Eastman School of Music (NY), and the Doctor of Education degree in Music Education from Teachers College, Columbia University (NY). She has taught high school choral music, conducted church choirs and is director of the Annual Ocean Grove Youth Choir Festival held in June.

Thomas Berdos earned his Bachelor of Music in Music Education and his Master of Music in Music Performance at the University of Lowell. As a pianist he won the University's 1981 Concerto Competition. Mr. Berdos has performed in Asia, South America, and a number of locations in the United States. He was featured as a piano instructor in a news report on Japanese national television in 2000. Mr. Berdos serves as Director of Music Ministries at Hilltop Presbyterian Church in Mendham, NJ, where he directs the Sanctuary Choir, Sanctuary Ringers, and children's vocal and handbell choirs. He also teaches piano at Covenant Presbyterian Church in Short Hills, NJ, and is on the music faculty of the Pingry School. Mr. Berdos has represented several concert programs at Ocean Grove under the auspices of the Gospel Music Ministries, and was a guest conductor at the 1999 and 2001 Ocean Grove Choir Festivals.

Dr. James Cochran is the founder and director of the 120 voice Philharmonic Center Chorale in association with The Naples Philharmonic Orchestra in Florida where he has been a guest conductor. He is also the resident organist of the orchestra and Director of Music at Vinales Presbyterian Church. An accomplished recitalist, Dr. Cochran has performed extensively in Canada, Great Britain and Mexico as well as the United States. He accompanied renowned soloists and in collaboration with other instrumentalists recorded a compact disc. Susquehanna University, Selinsgrove, Pa., awarded him the Bachelor of Music degree, while his Master and Doctor of Musical Arts degrees were earned at the Eastman School of Music, Rochester, N.Y. Dr. Cochran is a member of the American Guild of Organists, the American Choral Directors Association, Chorus America and the Guild of Temple Musicians and is listed in the international Who's Who in Music.

David P. Giersch - Dr. Giersch, a native of the Delaware Valley, resides in Lansdale, Pennsylvania. He holds degrees from Penn State University and Temple University and has taught at both institutions. Presently Dr. Giersch is on the faculty of North Penn High School where he is responsible for all choral ensembles including the select concert choir, the chorus, the Madrigal Singers, and the vocal jazz Ambassadors. These ensembles regularly perform at local, state and national workshops and festivals. He teaches music theory and a music scholars' course. Famous for his skill as a composer, his music has been premiered by the North Penn Symphony Orchestra as well as churches and instrumental and vocal ensembles.

Charles Harris is Director of the College of Music at the First Presbyterian Church in Red Bank, New Jersey, where he is senior organist and conductor of eight singing choirs and eight handbell choirs. He produces and conducts the Tower Hill Concert Series performing major choral works with orchestra. He also directs a summer music camp for children. Mr. Harris is a featured organ recitalist both in the United State and abroad and served as guest organist with Billy Graham Evangelistic Association. A graduate of the College of Music at the University of North Texas, he earned his Masters Degree at Westminster Choir College in Princeton, New Jersey. He served the Tyler Street United Methodist Church in Dallas, Texas prior to coming to New Jersey.
**Dr. Charles Hausmann** - is the director of the Houston Symphony Chorus and professor of music at the University of Houston where he conducts the major choral organizations, teaches conducting and supervises the master's and doctoral programs in choral conducting. He also directs St. Philip Presbyterian Church Choir. He holds degrees from Westminster Choir College, Trenton State College and the Conservatory of Music at the University of Missouri-Kansas City. Hausmann has served on the faculties of Western Kentucky University and Westminster Choir College. Choirs under his direction have received acclaim through appearances at major musical conventions and festivals in the United States and Europe.

**Carl J. Nygard, Jr.** is a resident of Berks County, Pennsylvania. Having graduated from West Chester University in 1969 with a degree in Music Education, he was granted that institution's first Master of Music in Composition degree in 1977. Possessing a special talent for choral and instrumental composition, Mr. Nygard has written more than one hundred sixty anthems which have been successfully published for use in worship and in concert. His sacred and secular music has been scored and arranged for many combinations of voices and instrumental accompaniment. He has worked as a music critic and as a music consultant for the Macmillan Book Co. Mr. Nygard is director of secondary vocal and classroom music for the Fleetwood Area School District near Reading, Pa. He is frequently an adjudicator and conductor for major choral festivals.

**JoAnne Teubner-Prussak** - earned her B.S. degree at Mannes College of Music in New York City. She studied piano with Joseph Ratte, a pupil of Arthur Schnabel, and organ with Edgar Hilliar, a pupil of E. Power Biggs. At the Juilliard School of Music she developed conducting skills with Abraham Kaplan. Ms. Teubner-Prussak conducted the Pontifical Choir of Paterson, N.J., in a series of cathedral concerts and performed on radio and television. Appearing as a concert pianist and organist in the U.S. and Germany she received great acclaim. She is Director of Music at the United Methodist Church of Summit, N.J., and conductor of the Carlstadt Mixed Chorus, Plainfield Gesang und Turn Verein, Volkschor Harmonie and the mass chorus at the Garden State Arts Center.

**Clayton White** earned undergraduate and graduate degrees in music education and composition from Temple University. He completed postgraduate studies in voice and conducting at Westminster Choir College. Retired as Department Chair and Professor of Music at Community College of Philadelphia, he now works as an independent composer, arranger, and music publisher. Also, he continues as Music Director of the Clayton White Singers. An accomplished composer, choral arranger, vocal coach and accompanist, his credits include recordings, radio, television, and film.

**Lewis A. Daniels** was Minister of Music for several large churches in the Philadelphia area and in northern New Jersey. He has been Director of Music for the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association since 1966. Among his responsibilities are selecting, rehearsing and conducting choral music for worship services in the Great Auditorium, leading singing for Camp Meeting, producing the Annual Choir Festival and conducting on various. Mr. Daniels teaches choral workshops and leads congregational singing at church celebrations. Studies were at Drexel University, Philadelphia Musical Academy and Philadelphia College of the Bible. He is now observing his 54th year in the ministry of music.
 Participating Choirs

Abiding Presence Lutheran Church, Trenton, NJ
Advent Lutheran Church, Huntingdon Valley, PA
Aldersgate UMC, East Brunswick, NJ
All Saints Episcopal Church, Bayside, NY
All Saints’ Episcopal Church, Frederick, MD
All Saints’ Episcopal Church, West Orange, NJ
Annapolis United Christian Church, Lebanon, PA
Ardena Baptist Church, Pitman, NJ
Ashury UMC, York, PA
Assumption B.V.M. Church, Pasternack, PA
Avalon First UMC, NJ
Bendel Tennant UMC, PA
Bern Reformed United Church of Christ, Leesport, PA
Bethany Collegiate Presbyterian Church, Haverstown, PA
Bethesda UMC, Salisbury, MD
Bethesda UMC, Swedesboro, NJ
Bethlehem Church, Randolph, NJ
Black Creek UMC, Sugarloaf, PA
Blawenburg Church, Princeton, NJ
Blawenburg Reformed Church, NJ
Brick Presbyterian Church, NJ
Bridgewater UMC, NJ
Buitler UMC
Calvary Chapel Centennial, Red Bank, NJ
Calvary United Church of Christ, Barna, PA
Cathedral of St. Catherine of Siena/Aiken, Aiken, SC
Cedarville UMC, Peters Township, PA
Chapel Hill UMC, Portage, PA
Christ Episcopal Church, South Amboy, NJ
Christ UMC, Lakewood, NJ
Christ UMC, Fishtown, PA
Christ United Presbyterian Church, Wilkes-Barre, PA
Church in Brielle, NJ
Church of the Ascension, Bradley Beach, NJ
Church of the Assumption, Fair Lawn, NJ
Church of the Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Princeton, NJ
Church of the Nativity, Fair Haven, NJ
Church of the Nazarene, Allentown, PA
Clarksburg United Church, West Nyack, NY
Clay Presbyterian Church, NY
Colts Neck Reformed Church, NJ
Community Reformed Church, Woburn, MA
Community UMC, Roselle Park, NJ
Congregational Church of Patchogue, NY
Congregational Church of Randolph, NJ
Corpus Christi Christian Church, Wyckoff, NJ
Covenant Presbyterian Church, Short Hills, NJ
Covenant UMC, Schuylkill Haven, PA
Denville Community UMC, NJ
Downtown UMC, PA
Eastminster Presbyterian Church, York, PA
Epworth UMC, Palmyra, PA
Faith Evangelical Congregational Church, Lancaster, PA
Faith Lutheran Brethren Church, Briarcliff Manor, NY
First Baptist Church of Asbury Park, NJ
First Baptist Church of Laurelton, Briarcliff Manor, NY
First Baptist Church, Westfield, NJ
First Church of Christ Congregational, Redding, CT
First Presbyterian Church of Avenel, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Bellmawr, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Caldwell, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Chatham, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of East Brunswick, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Monmouth, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Matawan, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Mendham, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of New Brunswick, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Perth Amboy, NJ
First Presbyterian Church, Paterson, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Sayreville, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Summit, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Warren, NJ
First Presbyterian Church of Woodbridge, NJ
First United Church of Christ, Millis, MA
First UMC of Amityville, NY
First UMC, Beach Haven Terrace, NJ
First UMC, Belmar, NJ
First UMC, Brick, NJ
First UMC, Keansburg, NJ
First UMC, Long Branch, NJ
First UMC, Oakhurst, NJ
First UMC, Point Pleasant, NJ
First UMC, Schuylkill Haven, PA
First UMC, Somersville, NJ
First UMC, Summits Ridge, NJ
First UMC, Taylor, PA
First UMC of Totowa, NJ
First UMC of Twins River, NJ
First UMC, St. Cloud, FL
First UMC, Toms River, NJ
First UMC, Woodbridge, NJ
First UMC of Woodbridge, NJ
Fondos Fishbein UCC, Asbury Park, NJ
Frieden’s UCC, Mercerville, NJ
Grace Evangelical Free Church, Cresson, PA
Grace UMC, Pen Argyl, PA
Grace UMC, Wyckoff, NJ
Great Valley Presbyterian Church, Malvern, PA
Grove UMC, W. Chester, PA
Hamilton UMC, Neptune, NJ
Harrison Presbyterian Church, NJ
Harvey Memorial UMC, Point Pleasant, NJ
Hendricks Avenue Baptist Church, Jacksonville, FL
Hilltop United Methodist Church, Hilltop, NJ
High Bridge Reformed Church, NJ
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Bristow Beach, NJ
Hope UMC, Tinton Falls, NJ
Hopewell UMC, NJ
Immaculate Conception Church, Spotswood, NJ
Immaculate Conception Church, Cedarhurst, NY
Jackson UMC, NJ
King of Kings Lutheran Church, Middlesex, NJ
Lauren’s Rock Presbyterian Church, Ringoes, NJ
Lake Gibson UMC, Lakeland, FL
Laubach Presbyterian Church, Lakeland, FL
Larsen’s Corner Presbyterian Church, Ringoes, NJ
Lawrence Park Baptist Church, Brick, NJ
Little Falls, NJ
Little Falls UMC, NJ
Long Hill Chapel, Chatham, NJ
Macao UMC, New Brunswick, NJ
Manasquan UMC-Chancel Choir, NJ
Marine Island Presbyterian Church, FL
Margate Community Church, NJ
Memorial UMC, Quaker Hill, PA
Messiah UMC Chancel Choir, Shippenport, PA
Milltown UMC, Oak Ridge, NJ
Mount Bethel United Methodist Church, Mahwah, NJ
Mountview UMC, Maplewood, NJ
Mountview Moravian Church, Hackettstown, NJ
Mt. Feen UMC, Randolph, NJ
Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church, New Brunswick, NJ
North Branch Reformed Church, Bridgewater, NJ
North Canton Community UMC, CT
Northern Center Church, Oceanport, NJ
North Asbury United Church, Rome, PA
Norwalk UMC, Bridgeport, CT
Ocean Grove Assemblies of God, Clifton, NJ
Oceanview UMC, NJ
Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Church, Roseland, NJ
Our Lady Fatima R.C., Plainfield, NJ
Our Lady of Fatima R.C., Asbury Park, NJ
Our Lady of Fatima R.C., Beachwood, NJ
Oxford Luther Memorial Church, Flemington, NJ
Parsippany Presbyterian Church, NJ
Passaic UMC, PA
Pender UMC, Fairview, PA
Philadelphia Reformed Church, Trenton, NJ
Pleasantville United Church of Christ, Chalfont, PA
Presbyterian Church, New Brunswick, NJ
Presbyterian Church at Shrewsbury, NJ
Presbyterian Church of Toms River, NJ
Prince of Peace Catholic Church, Sun City Center, FL
Prospect Presbyterian Church, Maplewood, NJ
Providence Church of the Brethren, Reisterstown, PA
Ramosas UMC, NJ
Reading Reformed Church, NJ
Red Bank UMC Choir, NJ
Reformer Ev. Lutheran Church, Irvington, NJ
Reformed Church of Brick, NJ
Reformed Church of Princeton, NJ
Resurrection Lutheran Church, Colonia, NJ
Rockaway Reformed Church, Whitehouse Station, NJ
Roselawn UMC, NJ
Sacred Heart Church, So. Plainfield, NJ
St. Alban’s Episcopal Church, New Brunswick, NJ
St. Alphonsus Church, Jackson, NJ
St. Andrew by-the-sea UMC, Hidden Head Inn, SC
St. Andrew UMC, Toms River, NJ
St. Andrews UMC, Winnetka, NJ
St. Anthony Claret RC Church, Lakewood, NJ
St. Bartholomew’s Episcopal Church, Cherry Hill, NJ
St. Bartholomew’s Church, East Brunswick, NJ
St. James Catholic Church, Jamesburg, NJ
St. James Episcopal Church, Bradley Beach, NJ
St. John’s Episcopal Church, Little Silver, NJ
St. John’s Evangelical United Church, Northumberland, PA
St. John’s Evangelical Lutheran Church, Sunnyside, PA
St. John’s Evangelical Lutheran Church, Whitehall, PA
St. John’s Lutheran Church, Pascack, NJ
St. John’s R.C. Church, Lakeland, NJ
St. John’s UCC, Voorheesville, PA
St. Joseph’s Episcopal Church, Elizabeth, NJ
St. Luke’s Episcopal Church, Gladstone, NJ
St. Luke’s UMC, Long Branch, NJ
St. Mark’s Catholic Church, Sea Girt, NJ
St. Mary’s by the Sea Episcopal Church, Pleasant, NJ
St. Mary’s Episcopal Church, Annapolis, NY
St. Matthew’s UMC, Wayne, PA
Participating Choirs

St. Matthias Episcopal Church, Hamilton, NJ
St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Pennington, NJ
St. Paul's UMC, Millburn, NJ
St. Peter the Apostle Parish, Parsippany, NJ
St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Livingston, NJ
St. Peter's UMC, Saddle River, NJ
St. Rose of Lima, Haddonfield, NJ
St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, York, PA
St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Livingston, NJ
St. Stephen's UMC, Sunnyvale, NJ
St. Stephen's UMC, Egg Harbor City, NJ
St. Stephen's UMC, Johnstown, PA
St. Stephen's UMC, Scotch Plains, NJ
St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Vernon, NJ
St. Thomas UMC, Brick, NJ
Salem UMC, Oradell, NJ
Schoenstatt Community of St. John Neumann, Parsippany, NJ
Seaview Baptist Church, Lincroft, NJ
Second Presbyterian Church, Elizabeth, NJ
Second Reformed Church, Hackensack, NJ
Second Reformed Church, Wyckoff, NJ
Sixth Reformed Church, North Haledon, NJ
Sonlight Academy, Woodstock, GA
Steeplestone UMC, NJ
Sunbury UMC, OH
Sun City Center UMC, FL
Sun County Christian Reformed Church, NJ
Suncoast UMC, NJ
Sunrise UMC, NJ
Timber-Ridge Community Church, NJ
Timberland UMC, NJ
Toms River First Presbyterian Church, NJ
Trinity Bible Fellowship Church, Blairstown, NJ
Trinity By-The-River Church, Morristown, NJ
Trinity Covenant Church, Livingston, NJ
Trinity Church, Cranford, NJ
Trinity Church, Cranford, NJ
Trinity Church of the Holy Spirit, New Providence, NJ
Trinity Church, Oldbridge, NJ
Trinity Church, Highland Park, NJ
Trinity Lutheran Church, New Brunswick, NJ
Trinity Lutheran Church, East Brunswick, NJ
Trinity Reform Church, Old Bridge, NJ
Trinity UMC, Montgomery, NJ
Trinity UMC, Highland Park, NJ
United First Presbyterian Church of Amwell, NJ
UMC of East Hampton, NY
UMC of Franklin Lakes, NJ
UMC of New Brunswick, NJ
UMC of Nutley, NJ
UMC of Plainsboro, NJ
UMC of Red Bank, NJ
UMC of Sayville, NY
United Methodist Church, Caledonia, NY
United Reformed Church, Somerville, NJ
Valley Forge UMC, PA
Verona UMC, NJ
Village Lutheran Church, Larchmont, NY
Vincent UMC, Nutley, NJ
Wall UMC, Spring Lake, NJ
Wall UMC, Spring Lake, NJ
Walsh Memorial Presbyterian Church, Bloomfield, NJ
Whitewood UMC, New Tripoli, PA
Welcome UMC, Landing, PA
West UMC, Morgantown, WV
Wexler UMC, Reading, PA
Westminster Presbyterian Church, Middletown, NJ
West Side UMC, Haddonfield, NJ
Westwood UMC, NJ
Wilmette UMC, NJ
Willow Grove Presbyterian Church, Scotch Plains, NJ
Women's Club of Brielle, NJ
Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, East Petersburg, PA
Zion Lutheran Church, Hamburg, PA
Zion Lutheran Church, Hamilton, NJ
Zion Lutheran Church, Hamburg, PA
Zion Lutheran Church, Hamilton, NJ
Zion Lutheran Church, Hamburg, PA

Festive Brass

Trumpets: Barbara Prugh, Robert Skocirka
Ralph Buck, Bryan Appleby-Woody
Horns: Joan Dowlin, Jane Richter
Trombones: Tyrone Breuning, Timothy Soberick
Tuba: Peter Krill
Timpani: Kenneth Miller

Other Instruments

Flute: Lynn Daniels
Clarinet: Lois Walczak

Organist for the Choir Festival

Gordon Turk is celebrating his 30th year as the Ocean Grove Auditorium Organist-in-Residence. He is a graduate of the famed Curtis Institute of Music and the Manhattan School of Music where he earned the doctor of Musical Arts Degree. He studied composition with McNeil Robinson in New York. Dr. Turk has won critical acclaim as a concert performer throughout the country. His proficiency in improvisation has been recognized with awards and honors. Dr. Turk was Dean of the Philadelphia Chapter of the American Guild of Organists and is organist and choirmaster at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Wayne, PA.