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**NEWSLETTER
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DINNER/PARTY JANUARY 3

Our next event will be an evening of eating and entertainment at the home of **David Lamb** on **Sunday, January 3**. You should plan to arrive at 6:00; dinner will begin at **6:30**. The **menu** is hot apple cider, bourbon chicken, pulled pork, dinner salad, au gratin potato, broccoli casserole, dinner roll, tea or lemonade, apple cobbler a la mode. Please email your reservation to Lambd61@sbcglobal.net by **Monday, Dec. 28**. The **cost is \$15** and you should have your cash or a check made to Louisville AGO when you arrive at David's. He will email you directions to his Clarksville IN home when you make your reservation. I'm sure there is some great entertainment planned as well, so please join your colleagues for this wonderful way to decompress after the hectic days of Advent and Christmas! Make your reservation **now** so you don't forget.

PIPE ORGAN ENCOUNTERS

This summer there will be **two** Pipe Organ Encounters which are very close to Louisville! **July 17-22** Lexington will host a Pipe Organ Encounter (POE) and Cincinnati will host a Pipe Organ Encounter Advanced (POEA) **July 10-15**. Both are for ages 13-18 – the POE introduces the organ to young folk; the POEA is for the same age group who has already studied some organ. For more information go to www.Agohq.org/education/poe/

SYMPATHY

Louisville, and indeed the world, have lost a great musician! **Maurice Hinson**, a former Louisville Dean, died on November 11. A Professor of Piano at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary for 58 years, a Liszt scholar, an editor, an organist – the list of his accomplishments is too long to list here. Needless to say, he will be missed. We express our condolences to his family, and many friends, students and colleagues. Rest in peace, Maurice!

YEARBOOKS

The *Yearbooks* will be emailed some time in December – you must run them off yourself. **David Minton** will send hard copies **only** to those members for whom we have no email addresses.

Change: **Frank Kirk**: kirkjr@gmail.com

NATIONAL CONVENTION IN HOUSTON

Dec. 31 is the **last date** you can register for the national convention in Houston (June 19-23) at their Super Saver rate. Visit AGOHouston2016.com for more information on the convention, registration amounts and deadlines. Houston is a wonderful city with some great organs, and you'll probably run into former Louisville AGO Dean **Tom Goetz** who is living there now!!

CALENDAR

- Dec. 11 (F) Advent Lessons and Carols at Cathedral of the Assumption. 7:30
- Dec. 12 (Sa) *Christmas Through the Ages* concert by Louisville Vocal Project at St. Brigid Catholic. 7:00
A Sassy Brassy Bourbon Christmas Voices of Kentuckiana concert at Clifton Center's Eifler Theatre. 7:30
- Dec. 13 (Su) Louisville Chorus *Carols of the Nativity* (Julianna Horton, organ) at St. Brigid's Catholic. 4:00
A Sassy Brassy Bourbon Christmas Voices of Kentuckiana concert at Clifton Center's Eifler Theatre. 4:00
Advent Lessons and Carols at Christ Church Cathedral. 5:00
Light Eternal Sanctuary Concert Series at Christ Church United Methodist. 5:00
- Dec. 16 (W) *Light Eternal* Sanctuary Concert Series at Christ Church United Methodist. 5:00
- Dec. 17 (Th) *Christmas Through the Ages* concert by Louisville Vocal Project at St. James Catholic. 7:00
- Dec. 18 (F) *A Louisville Chorus Christmas* concert at Center for Rural Development/Somerset. 7:30
- Dec. 19 (Sa) *Songs of Christmas Night* concert by Louisville Chamber Choir at St. Paul UMC. 7:30
- Dec. 20 (Su) Lexington AGO Chapter concert of Christmas Organ Music (benefit for their Pipe Organ Encounter) at Crestwood Christian/Lexington. 2:00
Master Chorale Concert *A Classical Christmas* at Holy Spirit Catholic. 3:00
Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols at St. Thomas Episcopal. 5:00
Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols at Calvary Episcopal. 7:00
- Dec. 29-31 (Tu-Th) Louisville Boar's Head and Yule Log Festival at St. Paul UMC. Information - 459-1595
- Jan. 3 (Su) Louisville AGO dinner at the home of David Lamb. 6:00.** See first page.
- Jan. 8 (F) Newsletter deadline.** Contact **Ann Wade** at annwade@iglou.com or 241-4284.
- Jan. 10 (Su) The Skylark Trio Celtic music recital followed by evensong at Christ Church Cathedral. 5:00
- Jan. 17 (Su) Zach Klobnak (The Presbyterian Church/Danville) recital at St. Thomas Episcopal. 5:00
- Jan. 22 (F) Barbara Bruns (Christ Church, Andover, MA) recital at Cathedral of the Assumption. 7:30
- Jan. 24 (Su) **Dr. Jack Ashworth** muselaar recital followed by evensong at Calvary Episcopal. 5:00
- Jan. 30 (Sa) Lexington AGO workshop: *Simple and Effective Anthems: Your Hymnal Is at Hand* by Richard Webster (Trinity Church/Boston) at Christ Church Cathedral/Lexington. 8:30-1:30
- Feb. 2 (Tu) Louie Bailey recital at Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Campbellsville Ky) 12:00
- Feb. 3 (W) Britten's *Noye's Fludde* at St. Francis in the Fields Episcopal. 7:00
- Feb. 5 (F) Britten's *Noye's Fludde* at St. Francis in the Fields Episcopal. 7:00

