# The Central Arkansas Chapter of the American Guild of Organists

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The Injury Prevention Center at Arkansas Children's Hospital (ACH) and the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (UAMS) has been named the state lead center in part of a national network of health care institutions in what is being hailed as one of the largest collaborative efforts in the history of medicine. The Injury Prevention Center, which is a collaborative effort of the UAMS Department of Pediatrics and Arkansas Children's Hospital, was selected as the state lead center for Arkansas, which the Sarah Jane Brain Project's National Advisory Board will announce along with the other 51 State Lead

As the state lead center, the Injury Prevention Center at ACH and UAMS will be responsible for developing the master plan of care for children and young adults with brain injuries throughout the entire state of Arkansas.

injury prevention program in Arkansas whose mission is to reduce child injury, death, and disability in Arkansas through service, education, innovative research, and advocacy. Key areas of focus include teen driving, all-terrain vehicle safety, car passenger seat safety, water safety, home safety, pedestrian safety, and bike safety. The center's team of experts works with partners throughout the state to educate families on effective prevention strategies, reinforcing the fact that It Only Takes a Moment - it only takes only a moment to lose your life due to an injury, but it also only takes a moment to practice safety and prevention. For more information on the Injury Prevention Center at Arkansas Children's Hospital, call (501) 364-3400 or go to http://www.archildrens.org/injury\_prevention. Arkansas Children's Hospital is the only pediatric medical center in Arkansas and one of the largest in the United States serving children from birth to age 21. The campus spans 28 city blocks and houses 316 beds, a staff of approximately 500 physicians, 80 residents in pediatrics and pediatric specialties and more than 4,000 employees. The private, nonprofit healthcare facility boasts an internationally renowned reputation for medical breakthroughs and intensive treatments, unique surgical procedures and forward-thinking medical research - all dedicated to fulfilling our mission of enhancing, sustaining and restoring children's health and development. ACH recently ranked No. 76 on FORTUNE 100



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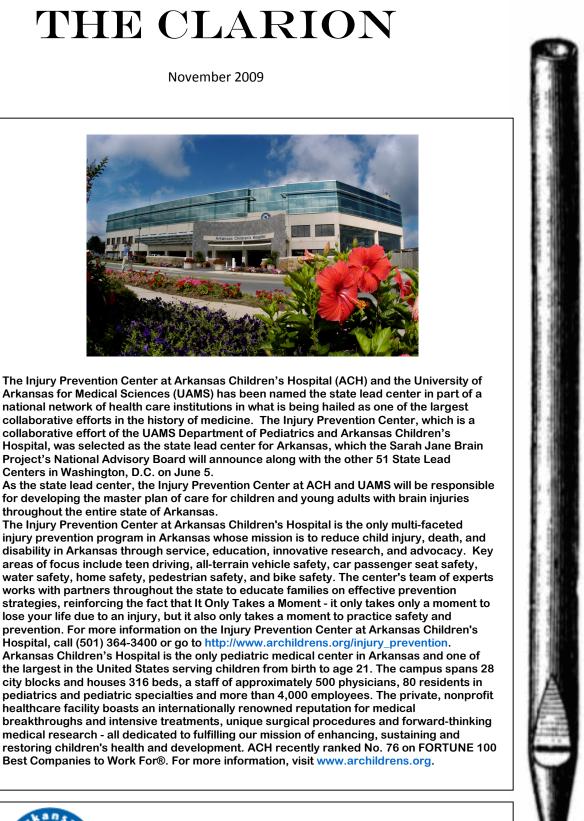
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Friday, November 20, 2009
David Higgs, organist
Third Annual Benefit For Arkansas Children's Hospital
Pediatric Injury Prevention Program

Presented By:

The Central Arkansas Chapter of the American Guild of Organists And

**Dr. James Graham** 

Hosted by

First Presbyterian Church Corner of 8<sup>th</sup> and Scott St., Little Rock, AR

Dinner reservations may be placed with Marian Berry via email to <a href="Dinner@cacago.org">Dinner@cacago.org</a> or phoned in to 501-663-1693. Marian is accepting reservations until noon, Wednesday, November 18. You should receive a confirmation of your reservations via email or phone. If you do not get confirmation, please call Marian to ensure your reservation has been placed. We are anticipating a wonderful night of music-making and fellowship.

There will be a Reception Following the Program

Punchbowl: 6:00 PM Dinner: 6:30 PM Recital: 8:00 PM (Note: if you have standing reservations it would be help to confirm you are on the list!)







#### About our Artist





Dr. James Graham

As Chief of Emergency Medicine at Arkansas Children's Hospital, Dr. Graham has seen the impact of injury and trauma on families. Arkansas has some of the highest rates of death and disability for children from injury in the United States. It is his hope these concerts help raise public awareness for the need of the Injury Prevention Program.



**David Higgs, Organist** 

One of America's leading concert organists, David Higgs is also Chair of the Organ Department at the Eastman School of Music. He performs extensively throughout the United States and abroad, and has inaugurated many important new instruments including St. Stephan's Cathedral, Vienna; the Meyerson Symphony Center, Dallas; St. Albans Cathedral, England; St. Canice's Cathedral, Kilkenny, Ireland; and the Church of St. Ignatius Loyola in New York City. His performances with numerous ensembles have included the Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center, the Orpheus Ensemble, Chanticleer, and the Empire Brass. Since his 1987 debut with the San Francisco Symphony, he has played many Christmas concerts to capacity audiences at San Francisco's Davies Symphony Hall, and in recent years, he has continued this tradition at the Walt Disney Concert Hall in Los Angeles. Mr. Higgs performs, teaches, and adjudicates at festivals and competitions throughout the world, including the International Organ Festivals of Calgary, Alberta; Dublin, Ireland; Odense, Denmark; Redlands and San Anselmo, California; and the Gilmore International Keyboard Festival. In England he has appeared several times at the Oundle International Festival and Organ Academy, the St. Albans International Festival and Competition, and the Cambridge Summer Festival. His performances for colleagues include national, regional and pedagogy conventions of the American Guild of Organists, as well as national conventions of the American Pipe Organ Builders Association, the American Institute of Organbuilders, the Westfield Center, and the Organ Historical Society; and in London, the Annual Congress of the Incorporated Association of Organists, and the International Congress of Organists.

A native of New York City, Mr. Higgs held his first position as a church organist at age ten; as a teenager, he performed classical music as well as rock, gospel, and soul music. He earned the Bachelor and Master of Music degrees at the Manhattan School of Music, and the Performer's Certificate from the Eastman School of Music. His teachers have included Claire Coci, Peter Hurford, Russell Saunders, and Frederick Swann. In New York City, he was Director of Music and Organist at Park Avenue Christian Church, and later Associate Organist of the Riverside Church, where he also conducted the Riverside Choral Society. After moving to San Francisco in 1986, he became Director of Music and Organist at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Berkeley, Director of Church Music Studies at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific in Berkeley, and Organist/Choir Director at Temple Emanu-El in San Francisco.

# FRIDAY'S PROGRAM

COME AUTUMN TIME LEO SOWERBY (1895-1968)

TWO PRELUDES E-FLAT MAJOR / E-FLAT MINOR JOHANN CHRISTIAN KITTEL (1732 - 1809)

> CHORAL NO. 2 IN B MINOR CÉSAR FRANCK (1822 - 1890)

VARIATIONS DE CONCERT JOSEPH BONNET 1884-1944)

### **INTERMISSION**

SONATA NO. 1 IN F FELIX MENDELSSOHN BARTHOLDY (1809 - 1847)

HARMONIES DU SOIR, Op. 72, NO 1. SIGFRID KARG-ELERT (1877-1933)

PRELUDE AND FUGUE ON B-A-C-H FRANZ LISZT (1811-1886)



The next page has a poster you may use to assist us in

promoting this worthy cause throughout the community

# First Presbyterian Church, Little Rock, AR

#### **GREAT ORGAN**

- 16 Double Diapason
- 8 Open Diapason
- Second Open Diapason
- 8 Flûte Harmonique 8 Stopped Diapason
- Spitz Gambe 4 Octave
- 4 Waldflöte
- 2-2/3 Twelfth
  2 Super Octave
  1-3/5 Seventeenth
- IV-V Fourniture 8 Tuba Mirabilis
- 8 Tromba 8 Trumpet
- Chimes
- Tremolo

#### SWELL ORGAN

- 16 Lieblich Gedeckt
  - 8 Open Diapason
  - 8 Diapason Céleste
- 8 Chimney Flute
- Salicional 8 Voix Céleste
- 8 Flauto Dolce
- 8 Flute Céleste
- 4 Principal 4 Flûte Octaviante
- 2-2/3 Nasard
- 2 Octavin 1-3/5 Tierce
- Il Grave Mixture
- III Sharp Mixture
- 16 Double Trumpet
- 8 Trompette Harmonique
- Trumpet
- 8 Ohoe
- 8 Vox Humana 4 Clarion
- Tremolo

#### CHOIR ORGAN

- 16 Concert Flute 8 Geigen Diapason
- 8 Gamba
- Gamba Céleste
- 8 Gedeckt 8 Concert Flute
- 8 Erzähler
- 8 Erzähler Céleste 4 Principal
- 4 Koppelflöte
- Flautino
- IV-V Mixture
- 16 Clarinet
- Trompette
- Clarinet Tremolo
- Harp
- Celesta MIDI

#### SOLO ORGAN

- 16 Contra Gamba
- 8 Gross Flute 8 Gamba
- 8 Solo Gamba Céleste II 4 Gross Flute
- 16 Trombone 8 Tuba Mirabilis
- 8 Tromba
- 8 Clarinet 8 Orchestral Oboe
- English Horn
- 4 Tromba Clairon Tremolo

#### PEDAL ORGAN

- 32 Contra Violone32 Contra Bourdon
- 16 Open Diapason Wood16 Open Diapason Metal
- 16 Bourdon
- 16 Lieblich Gedeckt
- 16 Contra Gamba
- 8 Octave
- 8 Gross Flute8 Bourdon
- 8 Chimney Flute
- 8 Gamba
- 4 Super Octave

- 4 Flute
- IV Mixture
- 32 Ophicleide
- 16 Trombone 16 Double Trumpet
- 8 Tuba Mirabilis
- 8 Tromba
- Trumpet
- Tromba Clairon 4 Clarinet
- MIDI



# THIRD ANNUAL CONCERT BENEFITTING ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL PEDIATRIC INJURY PREVENTION PROGRAM

(HTTP://WWW.ARCHILDRENS.ORG/INJURY\_PREVENTION/DEFAULT.ASP)



DAVID HIGGS
ORGANIST

Friday, November 20, 2009 – 8:00 PM

# FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 800 SCOTT ST LITTLE ROCK, AR

GALA RECEPTION TO FOLLOW

Donations to ACH Pediatric Injury Prevention Program gratefully accepted

Sponsored by The Central Arkansas Chapter, AGO

in conjunction with

C. James Graham, MD
Chief of Emergency Medicine
Arkansas Children's Hospital

# MISCELLANEOUS PIPING



#### From Our Dean:

As November sails along we are fast approaching the "busy" season of Advent and Christmas. For those involved inthe administration of programs in churches and educational institutions we are often faced with these tasks far earlier; planning, rehearsing, scheduling, etc. For some of us the practice of music for the season of Advent and Christmas is already ongoing.

We also balance the idea of doing something "new" and "fresh" with maintaining the traditional music which helps define the seasons of Advent and Christmas. Organ repertoire and Choral repertoire are filled with historic treasuries of music for these two seasons, yet we feel compelled often to try something new.

So it is with our November meeting, that something great from the "standard" of our professional ranks is brought to us as a special event, meant to enliven and excite us. Our change of concert artist was necessitated by an injury to one of the two duo-performers. Not to be a worry as the replacement player is none other than David Higgs! Note only is his playing as a classical organist top notch, he also is a jazz musician. Perhaps this vitality to his music is drawn from this experience musically.

His music making on this evening will be once again, be combined as a fund raising event for the Arkansas Children's Hospital Pediatric Injury Prevention Unit. Dr. James Graham is assisting us in this evening's presentation as we celebrate great organ music for a great cause. This will be our third such evening to raise awareness of the preventability of Child injury through educational and other means.

So please join us at First Presbyterian Church for the spectacular artistry of David Higgs, and bring friends, make a donation to the worthwhile cause... and think ahead to Christmas! We will not be having a December concert thus David Higgs will be our final concert for the year.

See you all then. Phil Bordeleau

Up coming events at St. Andrew's Cathedral

Sunday November 29th at 7 PM Advent Lessons and Carols; Featuring The Cathedral Choir, Handbell Choir, Youth Chorale, St. Joseph Youth Choir, Catholic High Schola Cantorum, Harpist Elizabeth Chardonnet, Bishop Anthony Taylor, Br. Richard Sanker, Sr. Debra Troillett, and Msgr. John O'Donnell



Thursday, November 12 at 7:00 p.m.

## **Robert Lindley in Recital**

St. James UMC, 321 Pleasant Valley Drive, Little Rock.

The concert will include works by Buxtehude, Bach, Mendelssohn, Langlais, Pardini, Franck and Vierne.

Hendrix College Candlelight Carol Services in Greene Chapel:

Thursday, December 3 – Saturday, December 5 at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, December 6 at 4 p.m.

Reservations are required for the services on campus and may be made by calling 501-450-1495 beginning on November 23.

Candlelight Services on tour:

Thursday, December 17, 7:30 p.m. at St. Andrew United Methodist Church, Plano TX

Friday, December 18, 6:00 p.m. at Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church, Little Rock

No reservations are required for the tour services.



### Dear friends:

Thank you so much for the thoughts, prayers, cards and memorials in honor of my father. It is a joy and honor to be surrounded by such good friends. On behalf of the entire Bidewell family, I send much appreciation, love, and thanks.

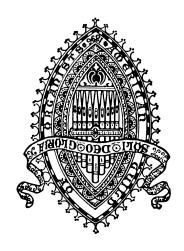
**Bob Bidewell** 

December 13 – 6.00 PM Advent Lessons and Carols



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#### THE 09/10 SEASON FOR THE CACAGO



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2009 Third Annual Concert Benefiting Arkansas Children's Hospital **Pediatric Injury Prevention Program** First Presbyterian Church, Little Rock, AR David Higgs, Organist Gala Reception following the Program

**DECEMBER 2009 No Meeting** 

FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 2010 Christ Episcopal Church, Little Rock, AR

7TH Annual Organ Concert celebrating the life of Robert Ellis Thomas Sheehan, Organist

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2010 Festival of String Orchestra with Harpsichord and Organ Cathedral of St. Andrew, Little Rock Phil Bordeleau, Kay McAfee, and Ann Rye

**FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 2010** Annual Richard Hixson "Birthday" Recital Christ Episcopal Church, Little Rock, AR A Festival of Organ and Brass Nathan Laube, Organist **Pinnacle Brass** 

SATURDAY, APRIL 24, 2010 Joint Meeting of the Arkansas AGO Chapters (Celebrating the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the AGO in Arkansas) Subiaco Abbey Church, Subiaco, AR Casev Cantwell, Organist Concert - 10:00 am Luncheon - 12:00 pm

FRIDAY, MAY 21, 2010 First United Methodist Church, Pine Bluff, AR Joshua Stafford, Organist All Friday programs will have a Punch Bowl and Dinner preceding the 8:00 pm program

