

## Seattle Chapter, American Guild of Organists

The members listed below have been nominated to serve as dean-elect and board members at large for the 2017-18 program year. Brief biographies of the candidates:

### Dean-elect

#### **Robert G. Condie**

Robert is Organist at the Juanita Ward, Kirkland Stake, of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. He has served the Seattle AGO chapter as an auditor and a member of the board. Robert is a practicing attorney and a licensed Certified Public Accountant. His affiliation with the AGO stems from his life-long interest in the organ.

### Board Members at large

#### **Carol Banach**

Carol is a graduate of Westminster Choir College and has explored many facets of music in performance, education, ministry, and therapy. She maintains a music healing arts and music studio at *The Lark's Nest* in the Leschi neighborhood of Seattle. Carol is Music Coordinator/Organist at St. Paul's UCC in Ballard and assists with music for worship at Seattle University's School of Theology and Ministry.

#### **Susan Bloomfield**

Susan is a vocational church musician, serving as Associate for Music Ministries at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Mercer Island. She holds degrees from Pacific Lutheran University (Organ Performance) and Western Washington University (Music History). Susan is a former dean of the Olympia AGO Chapter and is a co-chair for the Commission on Liturgy and the Arts for the Episcopal Church in Western Washington.

#### **L. James Middaugh**

Lucky James Middaugh is an alumnus of the School of Music at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo. His current position is Music Director at Denny Park Lutheran Church in Seattle.

#### **John Stuntebeck**

John is the Associate Organist at Saint Mark's Episcopal Cathedral. He earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from Ohio State University in Spanish linguistics and received a Masters in Music in organ performance from the University of Washington in 2009. John works as a full time project manager at Providence Health & Services.

#### **David Toy**

David is currently Organist at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Marysville and former organist at the First United Methodist Church of Everett. He currently studies organ with Douglas Cleveland and had prior organ and piano instructors in Detroit and Salt Lake City. David served as secretary of the Seattle AGO chapter in 2008/2009. He has a deep love of music and enjoys playing for services of all faiths. He holds degrees in both mechanical and electrical engineering and works for the Boeing Company in the design of the 777X.