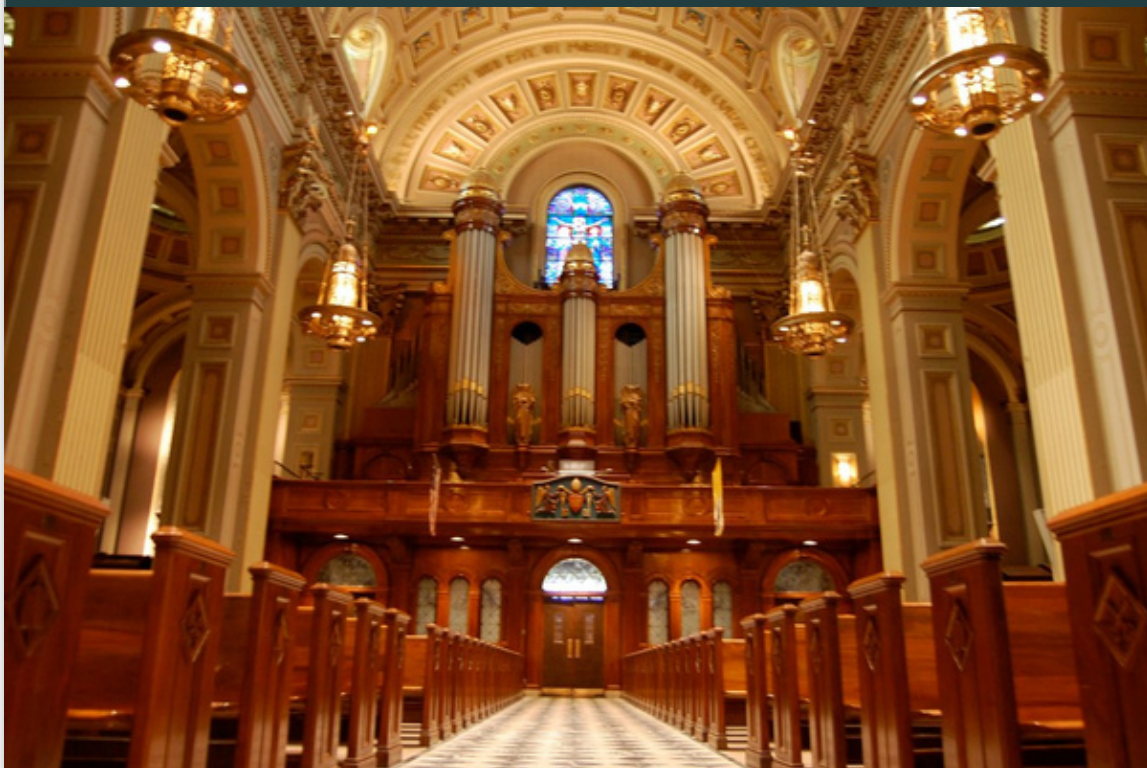


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LITURGICAL MUSIC HAPPENINGS

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ACMP Deanery Gatherings



There's still time to attend one of the ACMP Deanery Gatherings affectionately known as Chew and Chats. All persons involved in music ministry (music directors, choir directors, organists, pianists, other instrumentalists, cantors, and choristers), as well as other liturgical ministries, are welcome to attend. The purpose of the gatherings is to get to know other "workers in the Vineyard," share common concerns, ideas, and information on parish events, and to hear important updates on

current educational programs and other activities of the ACMP and Office for Divine Worship. These opportunities for networking and socialization are helpful to both professional and volunteer musicians. The final two Fall Chew and Chats are:

Thursday, November 12, 2015 (4:00pm - 6:00pm)

Saint Martha Parish

11301 Academy Road

Philadelphia, PA 19154

Contact Melanie Capoferri at mdeanery12@yahoo.com

Wednesday, December 2, 2015 (12:30pm - 2:30pm)

Lamberti's Cucina

1045 Street Road and Bustleton Pike

Feasterville, PA 19053

Contact Pat Gallo-Terrenzio at PatGallo316@comcast.net

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Materials for the Solemnity of Christ the King

*Packet of information prepared by the
United States Conference of Catholic Bishops*

The pastors of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia recently received an email from Reverend Gerald Dennis Gill containing a document prepared by the USCCB to help educate parishioners on the Solemnity of Christ the King and its connection to religious liberty. Music directors also will find these materials helpful in evaluating how well the music selected for Sunday, November 22, reflects the connection between the Solemnity and the concept of religious liberty. Please [use this link](#) to view the document. Even if it's too late to make changes to your plan for this year, you could save the document and make notes for next year.

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Jubilee Year of Mercy Solemn Opening Mass

Sunday, December 13, 2015 (6:30pm)

Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul

Pope Francis has declared an Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy beginning on December 8, 2015 and ending on November 20, 2016. Join Archbishop Chaput and the faithful of the Archdiocese as he opens the Jubilee Holy Door and celebrates the Solemn Opening Mass for the holy year on **Sunday, December 13 at 6:30pm at the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul in Philadelphia**. To learn more about how to live the Jubilee and encounter the infinite mercy of God, visit archphila.org/mercy.

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ACMP Winter Workshop - Save the Date!

Saturday, February 6, 2016 (8:30am - 3:00pm)
The Empress Room at Saint Helena Church, Blue Bell, PA
Ever Ancient - Ever New:
Introducing Chant into Our Parish Repertoire
Charles Thatcher, Keynote Presenter

Mr Thatcher will speak on the relevant topic of traditional and contemporary chant: its history, accompaniment, repertoire, resources, and will conduct a rehearsal demonstrating both traditional chant and modern chant-based compositions. An adult choir and children's choir will be part of this enlightening session on the various uses of chant music. Online registration will open on Monday, November 15, 2015.

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Music around the Archdiocese

Service of Readings, Carols, and Silent Nativity

Sunday, December 6, 2015 (2:30pm)

Saint Christopher Church

13301 Proctor Road

Philadelphia, PA 19116

A Service of Lessons and Carols

Monday, December 14, 2015 (7:00pm)

Saint Agnes Church

231 West Gay Street

West Chester, PA 19380



Concerts at the
Cathedral Basilica

University of Pennsylvania, Ancient Voices

Saturday, November 21, 2015 at 8:00pm

Tallis Scholars

Friday, December 4, 2015 at 8:00pm

Christmas at the Cathedral
*The Archdiocesan Choir, Children's Choirs,
Cathedral Choir and Cathedral Orchestra*
Sunday, December 13, 2015 at 3:00pm

For tickets visit the [Concerts at the Cathedral website](#).

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[ACMP - Association of Church Musicians in Philadelphia website](#),
[AGO - Philadelphia Chapter of the American Guild of Organists website](#)
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WEBSITES

[Music at the Cathedral Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul](#)
[Office for Divine Worship Website](#)
[Concerts at the Cathedral Basilica Website](#)

American Guild of Organists

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