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## Choral Music for the Church Year

**A Repertoire Session for Directors and Singers with David Cherwien,  
Cantor – Mt. Olive Lutheran Church, Minneapolis  
Director – National Lutheran Choir**



**Monday, August 11, 2014 6:30-8:45 p.m.**

Mount Carmel Lutheran Church, 8424 W. Center St., Milwaukee

Not only is David Cherwien among the Twin Cities' most celebrated organists and choral directors, his service to the greater church is spread across the country through his frequent leadership at hymn festivals and workshops, guest appearances and published work. Dave became Mount Olive's third cantor in 2001 and artistic director of the National Lutheran Choir in 2002. His passion is for congregational singing, inspired by predecessor and mentor, Paul Manz. Dave's masterful improvisations and creative approach to hymns frequently elevate congregational singing to a transformational experience.

A Twin Cities native (although born in Iowa), Dave has held church music positions in Chicago, Seattle and Berlin, and faculty posts at Gustavus Adolphus and Elmhurst colleges and at Luther Seminary. He holds degrees in organ performance, music theory and composition, and choral music education and has studied in Germany and France. Dave is married to the noted hymnist Susan Palo Cherwien. They live in St. Louis Park. Dave also loves cars – some classic, some not. He has owned more than 60 of them (usually one at a time).

### **Registration:**

\$15/person or \$25/choir  
(includes director and  
up to 4 singers, for  
a total of 5 people)

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Music will be available  
for purchase at the  
conclusion of the  
repertoire session.  
(Music is not included  
in the registration fee.)

**Early registration is  
encouraged.**

### **Please contact**

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## *Pedals, Pipes & Pizza*

The Milwaukee Chapter of the American Guild of Organists and Wauwatosa Area Churches are excited to present a Pedals, Pipes & Pizza event to introduce pianists 11-16 years of age to the organ. Encourage your young musicians to attend!

Students will get the opportunity to hear great music, find out about how the organ works along with visiting the organ chambers, playing a piece that they know on the organ and enjoying great pizza all while meeting some new friends with a shared interest in music!

The Pedals, Pipes & Pizza program will be held at various Wauwatosa Area Churches on Saturday, October 25, 2014, from 9:00 AM-2:00 PM. Please encourage students who might be interested in attending this exciting introduction to the organ to register. Further information and a registration form may be obtained from the AGO website, [www.agomilwaukee.org](http://www.agomilwaukee.org).

Thank you for your support and the encouragement of our young musicians. Your help in this worthy endeavor is sincerely appreciated!

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## August 2014

6 (Wed) 12:15 Derek Nickels, Organ  
The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist  
812 N. Jackson St  
Milwaukee, WI

6 (Wed) 12:15 Don VerKuilen, Organ  
St. Joseph Catholic Church  
404 W. Lawrence St  
Appleton, WI

**11 (Mon) 6:30 Chapter Event  
Choral Reading Session  
With David Cherwien  
Mount Carmel Lutheran Church  
8424 W. Center St  
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Co-Sponsored with  
Mount Carmel Lutheran Church**

12 (Tues) 7:30 Kraig Windschitl, Organ  
Church of the Gesu  
1145 W. Wisconsin Ave  
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13 (Wed) 12:15 Matt Haider, Organ  
The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist  
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13 (Wed) 12:15 Jon Peterson, Organ  
Memorial Presbyterian Church  
803 E. College Ave  
Appleton, WI

17 (Sun) 6:30 Jazz Vespers  
With JJ Wright Trio  
St. Jude the Apostle Parish  
734 Glenview Ave  
Wauwatosa, WI

20 (Wed) 12:15 Hailey Gurgul, Soprano  
The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist  
812 N. Jackson St  
Milwaukee, WI

20 (Wed) 12:15 David Bohn, Organ  
First Methodist Church  
325 E. Franklin St  
Appleton, WI

27 (Wed) 12:15 Simone Gheller, Organ  
The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist  
812 N. Jackson St  
Milwaukee, WI

27 (Wed) 12:15 Ralph & Marilyn Freeman, Organ  
St. Paul's Lutheran Church  
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29 (Fri) 7:00 Philomusica String Quartet  
St. Joseph Center Chapel  
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