



## American Guild of Organists Central Florida Chapter

**Dearest Members**, Supporters, and Friends of the Central Florida Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, I am thrilled to share that in 2026, the Central Florida Chapter of the American Guild of Organists will celebrate a momentous milestone: the **100th anniversary of our Orlando chapter founding on May 5, 1926.**

To mark this centennial year, we are planning a series of exceptional events and programs to honor our history, celebrate our achievements, and inspire future generations. These events will include:

- **Concerts** showcasing extraordinary organists and choirs.
- **Educational initiatives** to engage and uplift our community.
- **Outreach efforts** aimed at fostering a love of organ and choral music.
- **Recruitment programs** to support and encourage emerging musicians.

To ensure the success of our centennial celebrations—**and to secure the future of our chapter's mission**—we are delighted to announce the establishment of the **CFAGO Centennial Fund**. This special fund will help underwrite the centennial year's programming and beyond.

**The Centennial fund can only be as powerful as its funding.** We wish to create something that will assist not only in the coming years festivities but also the years which follow, honoring the past, celebrating the present, and investing in our future.

If you have any questions about the Centennial Fund, please don't hesitate to reach out to Shannon Fore. Contributions to CFAGO should be forwarded to our chapter Treasurer, Douglas Spike, and designated "centennial fund" in the notes/or memo field. Gifts may be given in honor or in memory of others.

With heartfelt gratitude,

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