



Central Florida Chapter American Guild of Organists

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 extraordinary centennial year, we are planning a series of exceptional events and programs to honor our history, celebrate our achievements, and inspire future generations.

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 maybe even more importantly, beyond.

The Centennial fund can only be as powerful as its funding. It is our hope to create a nest egg if you will that which 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 including:

- **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.

Contributions should be forwarded to our chapter Treasurer Doug Spike designated “centennial fund” in the notes/or memo field. You may also use the QR code located on this document. Gifts may be given in honor or in memory of others and are fully tax deductible. Contributions of any size are accepted.

If you have any questions about the Centennial Fund or would like to make a special gift arrangement please do not hesitate to reach out to Shannon or Doug.

With heartfelt gratitude,

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