

# Stop & Reed

November 2020  
San Joaquin Valley Chapter American Guild of Organists

## Dean's Message

We had a wonderful first virtual member recital in October with over 170 views! A congratulations to all who participated as we took on this new endeavor. I really enjoyed seeing/hearing the variety from our members as well as the different locations and instruments. Lets keep the participation rolling by having a virtual Holiday Recital!

### Call for Performers

All members are invited and encouraged to participate. Here are your instructions:

- Choose a piece to celebrate the season and email me with your selection (that way we won't get duplicates!)
- In your video recording, please start by introducing yourself, any information about the instrument, and the title/composer of the piece you will be playing.
- If you are unable to record yourself, I'm here to help! Please reach out and I am happy to come record you.
- Upload your recordings to the following Google Drive link: [https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1X3u\\_yStSnaT6iKTkuoA1MvqFk9CWtljg?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1X3u_yStSnaT6iKTkuoA1MvqFk9CWtljg?usp=sharing)
- Submissions must be in by Sunday, December 13th

This next recital will premiere on Sunday, December 20th at 3pm on our website ([sjvago.org](http://sjvago.org)) Youtube, and Facebook.

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# Chapter News

## Congratulations to the performers in our FIRST Virtual Recital

*David Boldt - Sinfonie from Cantata 29 - J.S. Bach*

*Scott Horton and Peter Wall (piano) - Finlandia - arr. Martha Powell Setchell*

*Laurell Huber and Barbara Vlymen (voice) - Dove of Peace - arr. David Cherwien*

*Cactus Harris and Ryan Vance (trumpet) - Festival Prelude on Thaxted - arr. David Howard Pettit*

*Jean Hayes - Land of Rest - arr. George Shearing*

*Hannah Zentner - Now Thank We All Our God - Karg Elert*

*Drew Quiring - Chorale Preludes, Op. 122: V "Shmucke Dich, O Liebe Seele" - Johannes Brahms*

*Catherine Walker and Ruth Anderson (piano) - Lord of the Dance - arr. Joel Raney*

*Dr. Margaret Licon - Chand De May - Joseph Jongen*

*Michal Hembd and the Redeemer Lutheran Church handbell choir - Praise to the Lord the Almighty - Jason W. Krug*

*Grant Smith - "El Puerto" from Iberia, Book 1 - Isaac Albeniz*

*Matthew Rye - Sundance - Bob Chilcott*

Well done all!

### *Jo and Ray Dull*

Former member Jo Dull and her husband Ray now reside in assisted living at the Terraces at San Joaquin Gardens. Jo remembers so many events of the SJV/AGO over the years, but she is not able to continue her membership. Jo has a Masters Degree in Conducting from CSUF and was a church organist and substitute organist for many years.

She often worked on the committee to plan our Hymn Festivals. Our best wishes go to Jo and Ray.



#### NEXT SJVAGO BOARD

#### MEETING:

Tuesday, November 24th at  
10:30 AM

Virtual meeting on Zoom. An  
invitation will be emailed on  
November 23rd with

instructions for joining the meeting.

#### Creek Fire losses

Two of our members, Lynne Rodriguez and Sharon Massingill lost second homes to the Creek Fire. Our condolences go to them and their families as they deal with this tragedy in their lives.

# Member Recital



*American Guild of*  
**ORGANISTS**

*Premiering December 20th*

**THE SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY CHAPTER**  
**VIRTUAL HOLIDAY MEMBER**  
**RECITAL**

Settle in at home and watch our second virtual member recital!  
Catch it during the premiere or at your convenience.  
The recital will premiere on December 20th at 3 PM on the  
following platforms:



**YouTube**

San Joaquin Valley AGO

**facebook**

[facebook.com/sjvago](https://facebook.com/sjvago)

[sjvago.org](https://sjvago.org)