

Sunday, March 30, 1980 7:30 p.m. Dr. William E. McCandless Organist

Organ Dedicatory Service

Crown Him with many crowns,
The Lamb upon His throne;
Hark how the heav'nly anthem drowns
All music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing
Of Him who died for thee
And hail Him as thy matchless King
Thro' all eternity.

The Act of Dedication

Program

Toccata and Fugue in F Major, BWV 540 J. S. Bach

Concerto in B Minor Meck-Walther

Allegro Adagio Allegro

Intermission

Soul, Adorn Thyself with Gladness Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Sonata in F Minor, Op. 65, No. 1 Felix Mendelssohn

Allegro moderato e serioso

Adagio

Andante recitando

Allegro assai vivace

Reception following recital in lounge.

The Organist

Dr. William E. McCandless is associate professor of music at Central Missouri State University in Warrensburg, where he has taught music theory, organ, and piano since 1969. He received the Bachelor of Music degree, summa cum laude, and the Master of Arts degree in music from Central Missouri State University. In 1974 he received his Ph.D. in music theory from Indiana University. He has studied organ with Dr. Frederic W. Homan at Central Missouri State University and with Dr. George Y. Wilson at Indiana University.

Dr. McCandless has held organist positions at First Christian Church in Warrensburg, Missouri, at University Lutheran Church in Bloomington, Indiana, and is currently organist and choir director at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Warrensburg.

He is a member of Pi Kappa Lambda, national honor society in music. He is also a member of the American Guild of Organists, Music Teachers National Association and Missouri Music Teachers Association.

The Organ Builder

Michael Quimby, organ builder and recitalist, received a B.M.E. degree in 1973 and his M.A. in music history and literature with applied emphasis in organ in 1975 from Central Missouri State University at Warrensburg. He is presently doing post-graduate performance study in organ with Dr. Frederic Homan, Professor of Music at CMSU. Mr. Quimby is a member of Pi Kappa Lambda, national honor society in music, Kappa Delta Pi, national honor society in education, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, national music fraternity, the American Guild of Organists, the American Institute of Organ Builders, the Organ Historical Society, the American Choral Directors Association, National Music Educators Conference, Missouri Music Educators Association, and the Choristers Guild. He has a growing organ business which includes a tuning and maintenance service as well as building new organs and restoring and rebuilding older organs. In addition since 1974, Mr. Quimby has taught high school vocal music at Knob Noster, Missouri. Mr. Quimby is presently serving as organist at the First United Methodist Church at Warrensburg where he also directs one of the children's choirs.