

## The Music Ministry presents



## David Lowe, Organist

Second Dedication Concert Möller/Miller Pipe Organ Sunday, November 17, 2002 3:00 Sanctuary

Second-Ponce de Leon Baptist Church 2715 Peachtree Road NE Atlanta, Georgia 30305

Dr. David Sapp, Pastor Dr. Eric Nelson, Minister of Music





## **PROGRAM**

Exultemus	Percy Whitlock
"God's Time Is Best"  Sinfonia to Cantata 106	J.S. Bach
"Thou Art the Rock"	Henri Mulet
Partita on "When In Our Music God Is Glorified"	
Works for Flute Clock  March  Menuett "The Call of the Quail"  Menuett  Allegro ma non troppo	nz Joseph Haydn
Carillon	Leo Sowerby

	"There Is	a Balm in Gilead"	arr. David Lowe	
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## David Lowe

David Lowe has degrees in organ from Howard Payne University in Brownwood, Texas, and the University of Texas in Austin, Texas. Presently, he is the associate minister of music/organist at First Baptist Church, Amarillo, Texas, where he has served since 1983. Previous positions include First Baptist Church, Atlanta, Georgia; First Baptist Church, Huntsville, Alabama; and the University of Alabama at Huntsville. In addition to composing for organ, choir and handbells, Mr. Lowe is an active recitalist, organ clinician and conference organist. He is an active member of the American Guild of Organists, having served as Dean in both the Huntsville and Amarillo chapters. He and his wife Brenda have two sons, Michael and John and one grandchild. Brenda's parents are Second-Ponce de Leon members, Mary and Bill Payne.

The Möller Pipe Organ (1958, Opus 9185)

The renovated organ now has 67 ranks, 17 of which are digital (electronic), and 50 ranks of pipes, totaling 2900 pipes. No two pipes are exactly alike as they vary in size from 16' tall and 11" in diameter to half the size of a pencil. They are made of wood, zinc, tin and cast metal and were all made expressly for this room. The visible difference is the addition of the pedal Principal 16', the lowest octave of 12 pipes now visible above the choir loft. Two of the lighter divisions were combined and relocated within the chamber to give a more direct and richer sound to the choir loft and to the Sanctuary. The mechanics of the console are now computerized, increasing the memory levels hundred-fold. An Allen Organ "Expander" was added to give increased variety to the available sounds. A new electric lift was installed and the console is now sitting on a roller so it can be moved around the platform as needed. This was all made possible by a loving, generous gift from our member, Mr. Stacy Stringer. The renovations and additions were done by George Miller Pipe Organ Services, Inc.