

*Organ  
Dedication  
Concert*

*St. Joseph Church*



Featuring:

Roger D. Stanley, organist

and

S E R A P H I M

October 18, 1998

St. Joseph Church - Organ Dedication Concert  
October 18, 1998, 7:30 pm

Hymn: O Joseph Mighty Patron  
(sung by the congregation)

Tune: Aurelia

PROGRAM

Trumpet Tune in D Major

David N. Johnson  
(1922-1987)

Fugue in G Major (Gigue)

Johann Sebastian Bach  
(1685-1750)

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring

Bach

Chorale-prelude:

*Wer nur den lieben Gott lasst walten*

Bach

Missa Brevis

Benjamin Britten  
(1913-1976)

Cantabile

César Franck  
(1822-1890)

INTERMISSION

Dulámán (Seaweed)  
Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child  
Five Folk Songs from Guadeloupe

Michael McGlynn (b. 1964)  
Trad., arr. Nina Gilbert  
Based on an arrangement  
by Electo Silva

*Litanies à la Vierge Noire*  
(Litanies to the Black Virgin)

Francis Poulenc  
(1899-1963)

*Vingt-Quatre pièces en style libre*, opus 31  
(Twenty-four pieces in a free style)

No. 19 Berceuse

No. 21 Carillon

Louis Vierne  
(1870-1937)

Estuans Interius  
Ave Verum Corpus  
O Salutaris Hostia

Brett Terry (b. 1928)  
Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924)  
Camille Saint-Saens  
(1835-1921)

Welcome to St. Joseph Church and to the celebration and dedication of our newly installed pipe organ!

On a sunny afternoon in 1987, shortly after our school children left a prayer service in the sanctuary, a few corroded bolts gave way and sent our 30 year old and 40' tall steeple tumbling from its mounting, down, across the roof of the church and onto the lawn. Fortunately, no one was injured, however our stately 100 year old pipe-organ suffered severe damage in the incident. Falling stones crashed through the roof and crushed the organ's chests and much of the pipework.

Today, thanks to our generous benefactor, Mr. Roger Fisher, we celebrate the rebirth of this "king of instruments".

Three years ago while visiting St. Joseph Church for its 150th anniversary celebration, Mr. Fisher, a former student of our pastor, Father Sebastian Lewis, was struck by the beauty of the sanctuary and particularly captured by the majesty of the pipe organ. He was saddened to learn the state of the organ and was immediately inspired to help. His generous donation funded not only the restoration of the original wood case, facade pipes and organ console, but also the replacement of the entire internal structure, including the organ chests and pipework.

The Bradford Organ Company of Evanston restored the case and facade pipes and then virtually installed a different pipe organ inside that case: an 1892 Hutching organ originally built for a church in Cambridge, Massachusetts. The instrument has 1,681 pipes and utilizes the Peterson electronic controls used in many modern pipe organs.

The restored pipe organ will be used in regular church services as well as other ceremonies such as weddings, recitals and concerts.

St. Joseph Parish would like to thank all of those involved in bringing this project to fruition, including the Bradford Organ Company and Peterson Electronics.

We would especially like to thank Mr. Roger Fisher. Without his inspiration and generosity our pipe organ would sadly remain in wait.

Now, please sit back and enjoy the lovely music of Roger Stanley and SERAPHIM.

*St. Joseph Parish* is a warm and welcoming catholic church community, rich in diversity — thriving and growing. Our liturgy and programs reflect a desire to continue spiritually bettering ourselves, our Near North community, our city and our world.

We invite you to experience St. Joseph's by attending our mass services, or by becoming involved in one of our many outreach efforts. Please call the St. Joseph parish house to learn more, 312-737-7174.

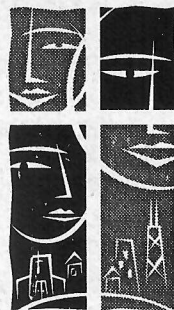
Current Mass Schedule:

Weekdays 7:30 am

Saturday 5:30 pm

Sunday 11:00 am

St. Joseph  
P a r i s h



A Diverse  
Community

Building A  
Better World

**St. Joseph Parish**  
1107 North Orleans  
Chicago, Illinois 60610  
312-787-7174 phone  
312-787-9825 fax