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THE CIPHER

The Monthly Newsletter of the Grand Rapids Chapter
American Guild of Organists

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Light Dawns in a Weary World

Psalms and Hymns of Praise and for Peace Made in Michigan*

Sunday, January 31, 2016, 7:30 p.m.

Basilica of St. Adalbert

654 Davis NW

Grand Rapids Michigan

Emily Brink, liturgist

Robert Batastini, choir director

Peter Kurdziel, organist and music director

*All songs by writers or composers born in or working in Michigan,
including

Bruce Benedict, Mary Louise Bringle, James and Marilyn Biery,

Ray Haan, David Haas, Roy Hopp, Ken Medema, Bill Rowan,

Greg Scheer, Adam Tice, Larry Visser

Co-sponsored by

The Grand Rapids Chapter of the American Guild of Organists

The Hymn Society in the United States and Canada

ROTMAN COMPETITION

The annual Annamae Rotman Young Organist Competition will be held on Monday evening, April 18, 2016 at First (Park) Congregational Church. Applications are due by Feb. 1. See the Grand Rapids Chapter of the American Guild of Organists web-site (www.GRAGO.org) for competition details. If you have any questions about the competition, contact Bruce Klanderman (bklanderman@aol.com, phone 616-974-9034) or Joan Ringerwole (jringerwole@gmail.com, phone 616-669-9376). We look forward to another exciting competition.

**Programs at Park Congregational Church
10 East Park Place N. E.
Grand Rapids****Music at Mid-Day (Tuesdays at 12:15 PM, free)**

- 1/5 No concert
- 1/12 Andrew Uhe, Violin
- 1/19 Flute Ensemble
- 1/26 Brian Morris, Guitar and Vocals
- 2/2 Marilyn Ossentjuk, Organ

Sacred Sounds at St. Mark's Concert Series

**134 Division Avenue North
Grand Rapids
Sunday, January 17, 5:00 p.m.**