

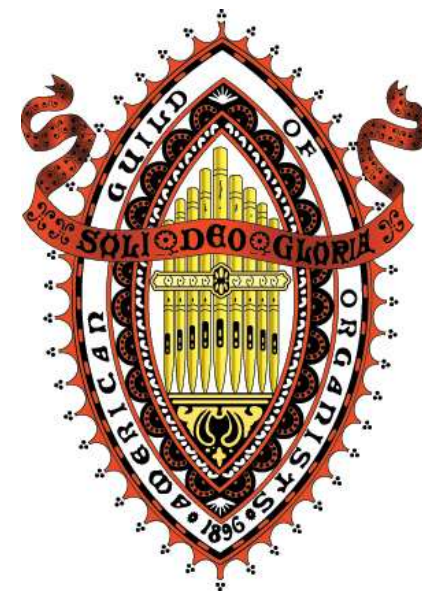


Daniel Bara is Assistant Professor of Choral Music at East Carolina University, where he directs the Concert Choir and teaches choral conducting and choral literature. He also supervises student choral conducting recitals and serves as Director of Choral Activities.

He recently served on the faculty at the prestigious Hill School in Pottstown, PA, where he directed the three school choirs and was honored as the first recipient of that school's fully-endowed Tuttle Oaklawn Chair of Choral Music.

Holding an M.M. in choral conducting and organ performance from the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor and a D.M.A. from the Eastman School of Music, Dr. Bara is currently serving as President of the North Carolina branch of the American Choral Directors Association.

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CHORAL WORKSHOP

First Baptist Church
Choir Room
223 Bull St.
Savannah, Ga.

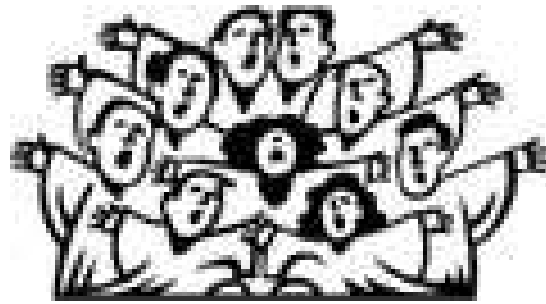
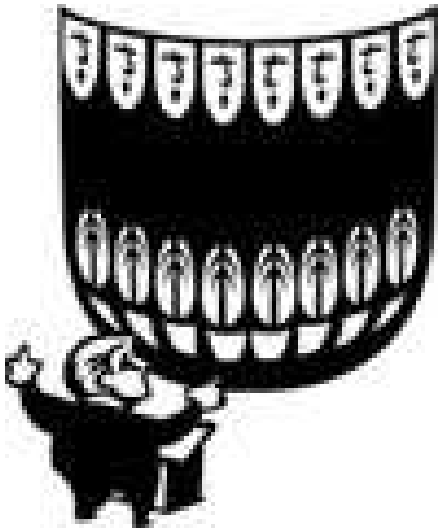
November 15, 2008
8:30 a.m.—2:30 p.m.

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Directing a volunteer choir, whether our top number is eight or thirty, presents many of the same challenges. In his morning session, Dr. Bara will address these issues and will be open to questions about others:

- > expanding our tools for teaching vocal tone
- > preparing to make the most of our rehearsal time
- > teaching notes and rhythms creatively
- > keeping sight of artistic goals as we teach mechanics

Not currently responsible for a choir? Dr. Bara's expertise will prepare you for that morning when you find yourself in charge in your present situation or will inspire you to spread your wings! You'd also be most welcome to accompany the afternoon choir on our anthems!



8:30—9:00	Registration, coffee and coffeecake
9:00—11:30	Morning Session Vocal techniques Anthem and rehearsal preparation Conducting basics Questions and answers
11:30—12:30	Lunch (box lunch provided as part of your registration fee)
12:30—2:30	Afternoon Session Putting theory into practice

Please invite your choristers to participate in this session as a volunteer rehearsal choir. Music—with an emphasis on Lent and Eastertide—will be provided.

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone (home) _____ (cell) _____

E-mail _____

Church and Position _____

I will bring ____ of my choristers to the afternoon session

I would be happy to accompany one or more anthems for the afternoon session _____ (Music provided ahead of time)

Registration Fees (includes box lunch): Please make checks payable to Savannah Chapter AGO.

AGO Member	\$6.00
Non-AGO Member	\$8:00

You may also register at the door on Saturday, November 15, but it would be helpful to know ahead of time how many box lunches to order.

Please mail form and registration to:

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