

# PROCLAMATION



## CITY OF TUCSON ♦ OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

**WHEREAS**, the American Guild of Organists (AGO) is an international professional association serving the organ and choral music fields; and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of the AGO is to promote the organ, to encourage excellence in the performance of organ and choral music, and to provide a forum for mutual support, inspiration, education, and certification of Guild members; and

**WHEREAS**, the National Council of the American Guild of Organists granted formation of the Southern Arizona Chapter on April 19, 1937; and

**WHEREAS**, the Southern Arizona Chapter of the American Guild of Organists has offered its members and the Tucson community rich cultural experiences by sponsoring programs that feature many local, national, and international artists; and

**WHEREAS**, this chapter has planned and presented special events, workshops, and conferences that included statewide, regional, and national participation; and

**WHEREAS**, the Southern Arizona Chapter of the American Guild of Organists has hosted numerous local hymn festivals; and

**WHEREAS**, chapter members have inspired and promoted many new and renovated organ installations in the Tucson community;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Jonathan Rothschild, Mayor of the City of Tucson, Arizona, do hereby proclaim April 28-30, 2017 to be the

## Southern Arizona Chapter AGO 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Weekend


in this community, and encourage all residents to enjoy the rich musical heritage of organ and choral music promoted by the Southern Arizona Chapter of the American Guild of Organists.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Tucson, Arizona to be affixed this 28th day of April, 2017.



  
Jonathan Rothschild, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Roger W. Randolph, City Clerk