

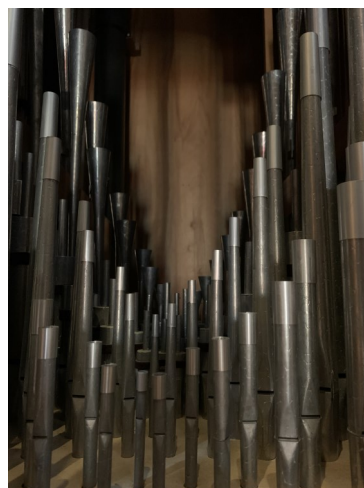
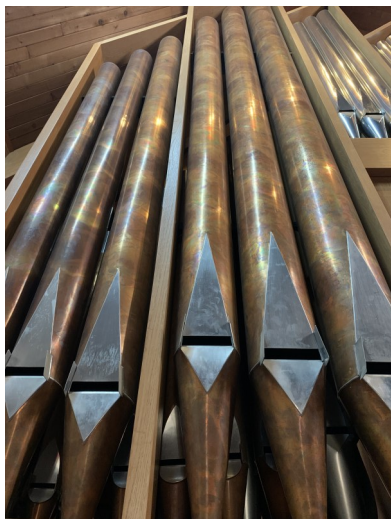
EMANUEL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
"A Legacy of Music, Worship, and Celebration"



"If you are called upon to play a church service, it is a greater honor than if you were to play a concert on the finest organ in the world...Thank God each time when you are privileged to sit before the organ console and assist in the worship of the Almighty." – **Albert Schweitzer**

Assuming the role of our principle instrument in worship is the gorgeous Sipe Hybrid Tracker Organ. Designed by Mr. Robert Sipe of Dallas, Texas and fulfilled by the Aug. Laukhuff GmbH & Co. KG of Weikersheim, Germany, the present organ began its installation process in the loft of Emanuel's in 1975. Mr. Story Clamp of San Antonio, Texas facilitated the installation of the instrument.

Prior to its current location, the organ pipes sat opposite the organ console at the front of the nave, one above the chapel and the other in the opposite transept; the screened pipe chamber can still be seen today. Through a major gift to Emanuel's, the organ was rebuilt and relocated to its present balcony perch.



General Description:

A two manual and pedal mechanical action instrument with electric stop action containing 24 registers and 31 ranks of pipes. Console is detached and of a modern design with tilting tablet controls. The organ contains 1,630 pipes.

Great Organ:

61 pipes per register except as indicated—

- 16' Quintade
- 8' Principal
- 8' Gedeckt
- 4' Octave
- 2-2/3' Nasard
- 2' Octave
- 1-3/5' Tierce
- IV-V Mixture—244 pipes
- 8' Trompete Tremulant

Swell Organ:

61 pipes per register except as indicated—

- 8' Gemshorn
- 8' Rohrflöte
- 4' Principal
- 2' Blockflöte
- 1-1/3' Quinte

III-IV Scharf—183 pipes

8' Hautbois Tremulant

Pedal Organ:

32 Pipes per register except as indicated—

- 16' Principal
- 16' Subbass
- 8' Octave
- 4' Choralbass
- IV Mixture—96 pipes
- 16' Posaune
- 4' Schalmey Tremulant

Couplers:

- Swell to Great
- Swell to Pedal
- Great to Pedal

Combinations:

- Solid state capture system visibly operating the stop controls
- General pistons 1-10 and 5 toe stud duplicates



Our Organists

Mr. E. Giese
Mr. W. Rhode
Mr. H. Wagner
Mr. H. Gombert
Mr. F. Werner
Mr. J. Merz
Mr. G.P. Liefeld

Dr. William Steinmann
Mrs. Julia Fritz Koepf
Mrs. Elizabeth Fritz Saegert
Miss Meta Roehm
Mrs. Theo M. Janssen (40 years)
Miss Anita Windecker
Mr. Thomas R. Engler (Present)

