



NPM Wichita Noteworthy

Musicians' Workshop

We are just days away from the 4th annual musician's workshop! I sincerely hope you have prayerfully considered making your reservation to attend.

ValLimar Jansen, a highly regarded singer, cantor and recording artist will be here from Los Angeles as the primary presenter. ValLimar will begin by inspiring us in our ministry, moving into informing us about our ministry. To say she is DYNAMITE is an understatement. She is passionate and powerful in her message. If you have any doubts about attending, put them aside...you will NOT be disappointed.

The workshop begins at 8 a.m. with registration, fellowship and continental breakfast. Morning Prayer begins at 8:30, followed by the first presentation at 9 a.m. After lunch there will be a music reading session followed by ValLimar's final thoughts and closing out the day by 3 p.m. The full schedule is noted on our website.



ValLimar Jansen,
OCP Artist

The fee to attend is \$25. NPM Wichita members are free as part of your annual \$20 dues. There is an optional lunch available to everyone for \$10. You must pre-register to attend the lunch. Payment can be made online or let us know you will bring a check to registration. Pre-registrations are requested by January 15. Visit www.npmwichita.org.

You are invited to stay for the 5 p.m. Mass at St. Vincent.

ValLimar will present an evening concert at 7 p.m. There is no charge to attend the concert, but we will be accepting a freewill offering. Fifty-two students from Bishop Carroll, Kapaun, and Hutchinson Trinity High Schools will join ValLimar's voice in the concert.

All events are held at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, 123 N Andover Road, Andover, Kansas. I sincerely thank Fr. Kent Hemberger, Pastor, and the people of St. Vincent for opening their doors to us.



The 5th annual musician's workshop will be held Saturday, January 30, 2021. Please mark your calendar!

Chapter Membership Renewals

There has been a slight change in how our membership renewals are handled. Memberships run for a calendar year, so if you joined mid-year, your renewal will be one year from the date of joining or renewal. If you can't remember when you joined, you will receive an email notice when it is time to renew.

Memberships only \$20 or \$10 for student members. If you reside in a parish outside the Wichita Metro area, we offer Parish Membership for \$50. That fee covers all your choir members for that Parish. If you have any questions, please contact me.

You can mail your payment, or better yet renew it online with a credit card or PayPal account. www.npmwichita.org. Renewing today will help us reduce the number of phone calls that will be made. Please help us and [renew](#) today.



Tom Wierman,
Chapter Director



Upcoming Events

Saturday, January 18, 2020

Pastoral Musicians' Workshop

Presenter: ValLimar Jansen

8:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Evening Concert (open to public) - 7 p.m.

St. Vincent de Paul

123 N Andover Rd, Andover, KS

Sunday, February 16, 2020

Board Meeting

2:00 p.m.

St. Jude—St. Theresa's Room

Sunday, March 15, 2020

Board Meeting

2:00 p.m.

St. Thomas Aquinas—Fr. O'Shea Conference Rm

Sunday, May 3, 2020

Annual Chapter Meeting & Entertainment

2:00-4:00 p.m.

Church of the Magdalen—Parish Hall

June 2020

Ice Cream Social & Music Reading Session TBD

July 7-10, 2020

NPM National Convention

Louisville, Kentucky

Join us! npm.org

Sunday, September 13, 2020

Annual Vespers and Musician Blessing

5:30 p.m.

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception

Light supper to follow in Good Shepherd Hall

Does your parish have a music position opening?

Send an email to admin@npmwichita.org to list your parish's open position on the chapter website and Facebook pages.



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NPM Wichita Presents

*Annual
Pastoral Musician
Workshop and Concert*

ValLimar Jansen



Saturday, January 18, 2020

WORKSHOP

8:00 am to 3:00 pm

EVENING CONCERT

7:00 pm

Open to the public. Free-will offering.

Register Online at www.npmwichita.org

NPM Wichita members – Free

Non Members – \$25

Optional lunch available for all – \$10

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

123 N Andover Road

Andover, KS 67002

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ValLimar Jansen

Blessed with an extraordinary voice, ValLimar Jansen is a highly regarded singer, cantor and recording artist. She is also a college professor, a leader of worship and prayer and a workshop presenter at conferences across the United States.

Known especially for her work with gospel, contemporary Christian and gospel-jazz styles, she sings a wide range of music, including spirituals and traditional, organ-based choral music. In 2005 she released her first solo collection, *You Gotta Move*. Other recent projects include her stirring, gospel-style rendition of Jaime Cortez's classic "Rain Down" on the *Live It!* two-CD compilation; and lead and background vocals on *Clothed in Love*, Tom Kendzia's collection of spirituals and gospel-style music for the liturgy.

ValLimar composes all her music with the help of her husband, Frank. They live in California and have three children.

