## Anne Krentz Organ



Anne Krentz Organ serves as the Director of Music Ministries at St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Park Ridge, IL. Her responsibilities include worship planning, service playing, and the direction of the choral and instrumental music program which includes adult, youth, and children's choirs, a handbell choir, and a variety of instrumental ensembles.

Anne holds a Bachelor of Music degree in Piano Performance from Valparaiso University, a Master of Music degree in Piano Pedagogy from the University of Illinois, and a **Certificate of Advanced Studies** in Church Music from Concordia University at River Forest, IL. She is a recipient of the Richard Hillert Award in Composition. Her compositions are published by Abingdon Press, Augsburg Fortress, Choristers Guild, Concordia Publishing House, Hope Publishing Company, and MorningStar Music.

Anne has taught at the Institute for Fine and Performing Arts in Evansville, IN, and at William Rainey Harper College in Palatine, IL. She has served on the faculty of the Lutheran Summer Music Program, in 2022 teaching composition and serving as composer-in-residence.

Anne is currently a member of the Advisory Council for the Institute of Liturgical Studies at Valparaiso University. She is a past president of the Association of Lutheran Church Musicians.