

## **CHURCH MUSIC IS A MINISTRY**

A Church musician finds satisfaction and blessing in a vital ministry -- interpreting the word of God to the members of a church or synagogue through music. Dedicated church musicians do not expect to gain wealth or acclaim through their profession. A church or synagogue, however, in attempting to minister to its musicians, ought to recognize that fair treatment and a wage that insures an adequate standard of living helps church musicians exercise their ministry more fully.

The Lincoln Chapter, American Guild of Organists (AGO), has drawn up and ratified these guidelines in order to help Lincoln's churches and synagogues support and encourage their ministry of music.