

Lee Gwozdz

Lee Gwozdz is known and respected throughout the United States for his work in the area of children's choirs. He serves as Diocesan Director of Music and Director of Music for the Diocese of Corpus Christi - Corpus Christi Cathedral, Corpus Christi, Texas, where a thriving music ministry embraces singers in grades one through twelve as well as adults. He is highly sought after as a clinician for children's voices and conductor of children's choir festivals. Renowned Children's Choral Clinician Helen Kemp states "*Lee has become one of our country's leading church musicians. His exceptional work at Corpus Christi Cathedral is exemplary. His expertise, enthusiasm, wit, and imagination will help children want to **Sing a New Song** with accuracy, beauty and joy!*"

Constantly engaged as a festival conductor and workshop clinician, Gwozdz's workshop presentations, primarily in the area of his work with children's choirs have taken place in over 200 cities throughout the United States. Currently Lee is presenting Director Enrichment Seminars for Choristers Guild in 3 different cities throughout 2011. The Cathedral Youth Choir, under Lee's direction, was chosen as lead choir for the International Federation of Pueri Congress held recently in Rome, Italy. He has served as clinician for the National Choristers Guild summer seminars in both Grand Rapids and Kansas City. In 1987, he was chosen to conduct the 500-voiced choir for the Papal Mass held in San Antonio. In 1993, he served as conductor of the Papal Mass held in Denver, conducting over 700 young singers for the International World Youth Day Festival.